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## Earwood Wool Sale at 25c School Days End Here for 17 Sets New High for Season Dr. B. O Wood Heard \$7500 Contract Is

Bring This Price; More Sold

**MARKET IS FIRM** 

## Short Wool Sells at 21 1-8 Here; Wyoming Up

Sale of his clip of 40,000 pounds by Fred Earwood last Friday to Joe Blakeney, buyer for Hallowell, Jones & Donald of Boston, at 25 cents a pound set a new peak price for 12-month wool in Texas. Thursday afternoon as The News was printed no higher sales had been reported here.

Chances for still further advance in prices, following a sensational rise of ten cents a pound in little more than a month, were regarded as excellent here Thursday, in view of a sale Wednesday in Montana at 25 cents. Both Wyoming sales and Montana sales at this level were en- Sonora Lions to couraging to West Texas growers, whose wool usually brings from 2 to 4 cents a pound more than that in the western states.

Twenty-three cents was paid in Del Rio the day before for a ware- Local Club Entering Play; Presenthouse accumulation.

This week one sale of short wool in the Ozona territory was reported at 23. Early in the week, though, excellent sale, inasmuch as short late Tuesday afternoon.

under the 12-month staple.

planned next week by West Texas

First Clip in State to DRUG CLERK DICKERS FOR HALF MILLION LBS. WOOL

> When barbers and bank employees start wearing boots and drug clerks start dickering for wool clips you can bet prosperity is returning to the ranch business. One of the biggest potential deals of many years was negotiated here Monday night.

Gene Bailey, clerk at the Corner Drug Store, called W. A. Miers, Texas' biggest sheep man, impersonating a leading wool buyer, and closed a deal for Mr. Miers' entire clip of about half a million pounds at 27½ cents, two and a hlf points above the top price reported for wools at that time.

Mr. Miers enjoyed the hoax more than anyone when it came to light, thanked Bailey for the first night's sound sleep he had enjoyed in three yearsand swore that he would never price wools by telephone again.

# Leave for State

ed Here at Monday Luncheon; Nine Men Plan to Attend

the Sonora Wool & Mchair Com- a delegation of nine men to the singers rendered the anthem, "The pany sold its 8-month accumulation state convention in Lubbock Mon- Heavens Proclaim Him." of 39,000 pounds to J. M. Lea, buy- day and Tuesday of next week. The ing for Draper & Co., at 21 1-8 Sonora delegation will likely leave the Rev. E. P. Neal, pastor of the cents. This was regarded as an Sunday morning, 'returning home Methodist church. The Rev. Mr.

in the stunt contest. Bill Gilmore Rev. Z. E. Parker, pastor of the The 7000 pound clip of W. R. enacts the part of the criminal and Baptist church. Cusenbary also sold in Sonora the John Eaton that of the journalist first of the week, bringing 24 in "Crime." They presented the J. T. PENICK BUILDING

cents for ewe wool and 25 for lamb play Monday at the weekly lunchwool. Mr. Blakeney was the buyer. eon, to the great enjoyment of the A series of sealed bid sales is members.

in Baccalaureate Sermon

TALKS ON '2 WAYS' Ranch Residence to Be Completely Overhauled and Modernized;

## Urges Students to Accept Aid God Offers

Seventeen members of the graduating class of Sonora High School for 1933 heard Dr. B. O. Wood, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of San Angelo, deliver the annual Baccalaureate sermon here Sunday night in the High School Auditorium.

Way?" Dr. Wood outlined to his hearers the two courses of action which they could follow through kitchen. life. The first, an attitude of selfsufficiency, and forgetfulness of God, he deplored as the unprofit- a het-air system will be installed. able way and the hardest to follow. He urged that the class members, and others, early in life place their trust in God, and ask His aid respect and will require several in shaping their lives. Greater happiness, a more fruitful life, and eternal salvation are the rewards Meeting Sunday for those who accept God's plan in their life, said Dr. Wood.

A special section of seats was reserved for the graduates.

Musical portions of the program were planned by Miss Marie Wat-Sonora Lions Club plans to send kins. A special choir of the town's

A scriptural passage was read by Neal also pronounced the benedicwool usually sells about 4 cents Sonora is entering a one-act play tion. Prayer was offered by the

Work was started Wednesday north to intersect No. 30 into So- regional head of R. F. C. activities, en by Miss Pauline Turney. Miss in plan to make the trip, morning

Let by Miers for Home Remodeling

**Myers Is Contractor** 

A \$7500 contract for the remodeling and enlargement of the W. A. Miers ranch home 2 miles east of Sonora on the Miers Home Ranch was let Wednesday to H. H. Myers, San Angelo contractor, with F. T. Maxwell associate contractor in charge of architecture. The contract calls for addition of

two new rooms, re-arrangement of a number of the present rooms, a new asbestos shingle roof, stucco-Choosing as his topic "Which ing of outside walls and refinishing in tex-tone of all inside walls, tiling of four bathrooms and the

Concrete porches will be built. An automatic oil heating plant and Electricity will be wired from Sonora to supply the residence.

The job will be complete in every ern statesman is also the new chairman of the foreign relations comweeks for completion.

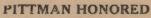
Sonora to Push Plans for Loan on Fire Station-Hall R. F. C. Official Says **Survey Ordered** Project Likely of for Highway 55

mittee.

Will Depend on Funds tion for a self-liquidation loan from

in Edwards Co.

SMALL SANDWICH STAND for the designated, extension of Corporation to build a city hall and Sawyer will deliver the address of Highway 55 from Rocksprings fire station by E. D. Noyes, Dallas, welcome. A piano solo will be giv-



Senator Key Pittman, of Nevada

of the senate. The veteran west-

Sonora Graduates to **Receive Diplomas** Here Tonight

## **TAYLOR SPEAKS**

Grammar School Exercises Held on Thursday

Dr. Tom Taylor, president of Howard Payne college of Brownwood, will be heard this evening as the principal speaker at the graduation exercises of the Sonora high school. The program begins at 8:15 o'clock in the High School Auditorium.

Class members are: Harold Friess, G. W. Archer, Lacey Smith, James Ed Hutcherson and Nelson Chadwick, the five boys, and the Misses Marjorie Chadwick, Ethelda Heflin, Pauline Turney, Dee Trainer, Myrtle Hill, Edna Ensley, who was elected president pro-tem Maggie and L. C. Matthis, Mary Louise Gardner, Alice Sawyer, Lillie and Josie Barrows, the twelve girls.

> Class officers are: Dee Trainer, president; Pauline Turney, vicepresident; Alice Sawyer, secretary; and Mary Louise Gardner, treasurer. Miss Aileen Swafford is sponsor.

The invocation this evening will be pronounced by the Rev. E. P. Neal, and benediction by the Rev. Z. E. Parker. Judge L. W. Elliott, president of the board of education. will present the diplomas, while Supt. R. S. Covey will announce honors for the year, and scholarship prizes offered by the Sonora Lions will be awarded by its pres-Chairman of Commission Says Pro- Sonora city officials and members ident, W. C. Gilmore. Graduates ject Important and Completion of the Sonora Fire Department will be presented by T. D. White, were urged to push their applica- high school principal.

Class members will also have a Survey to determine right-of-way the federal Reconstruction Finance part in the program. Miss Alice Mary Louise Gardn Sonora's plans for building such president, will present the class

The Sonora firm is planning a sale W. E. James are delegates. Others stand to be operated by J. T. Penick. learned in Rocksprings. staged.

At present there is on hand here first of the week delayed shearing, tonio last week but beginning this week, some of the larger flocks of the region will be sheared. W. A. Miers started Thursday on his first flock at the McMullen ranch. He will shear about 60,000 head in all.

## 32 Cars of Stock Sent from Sonora in Last Two Weeks

Movement Includes Many Feeder Yearling Lambs, Young Steers; Car Each Goats, Mules

With a total of 32 cars of live-

cattle, one of goats and one of years has been lecturing. mules were shipped. Several buy- Mr. Van Walkenburg urged his the Pecos river there was no rain/ about 3500 head of sheep. B. W. and not for outright repeal. Hutcherson has bought a number of small lots. C. F. Henson has TWO NEW FORDS SOLD

also been a heavy buyer. Detailed shipments follow: May 5th, 2 double cars of sheep to Eldon. 5 doubles of sheep to Des Moines by the Sonora Motor Company. by Drum Standish Commission Co., i Neb. by S. A. Mitchell. May 8, a Tuesday afternoon. double of goats to Lebanon, Mo., by Jno. Clay & Co., a double of sheep (Continued on page 8)

Lowrey.

the latter part of the month, but planning to go are J. M. Puckett, The building is located just north

**Rain Covers Most Parts of** West Texas, Ending Drouth Drouth Actual construction of the road may be delayed for sometime, due to financial embarrassment on the lines and off the P. F. C. Fall in Sonora Is Only **Prohibition Talk** .95 Inch; Ozona **Heard Here Monday** Left Out Van Walkenburg Lectures at Meth-

The effects and advantages of Texas last week-end relieved a stock shipped from Sonora during prohibition in the United States drouth of several months duration. the last two weeks there has been were discussed Monday night by Sonora received less than many considerable trading activity local- Dr. Van Walkenburg at the Sonora sections, with only .95 of an inch. ly. A number of shorn yearling Methodist church. Dr. Van Walken-The rain began Sunday morning muttons have been sent north as burg, both a Doctor of Divinity and early and extended until noon here. feeders, as have several cars of a Doctor of Philosophy, was at one yearling and two-year-old steers. time pastor of an El Paso Metho-Twenty-one cars sheep, 9 of dist church, but for the last several receiving only a sprinkle, and that

odist Church

ers have been active in this area, hearers to uphold the eighteenth either. buying most of the lambs at 21/2 and amendment, and quoted statistics to 3 cents a pound, and the steers at show that it had been successful in east of Sonora. Rocksprings and 5 cents a pound and by the head America. He closed by saying that several ranches between here and at prices ranging from \$20 to \$25 if they just had to have beer, to there received  $2\frac{1}{2}$  and 3 inches. each. T. L. Berson has handled vote only for that on August 26, Junction had 4 inches, and the. Llano rivers were on slight rises.

BY SONORA MOTOR CO. The Pearson and Elliott ranch got

3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>. The San Angelo section got a Two new Fords, both V-8 coupes, good fall. The eastern ranching Iowa, by Patterson & Brooks, and have been sold in the last few days section around Brady and San Saba was drenched with a fall of more The first was delivered to Miss than two inches. with Jim Phillips the buyer. May Claudine Watkins, San Angelo. 6, three cars calves to Warnerville, Carney Wyatt bought the second Ozona the fall became lighter. The Simmons, Stephenson and Halbert ranches got about half an inch.

> Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hull were in San Angelo Tuesday.

about 700,000 pounds. Rains the the district convention in San An- candy, gum, tobaccos, and barbecued sandwiches will be featured.

A rain which covered most of

Ozona was left out in the shuffle,

section is still vcry dry. West of

The fall was heaviest south and

Ranches in the southeast part of

Sutton county received  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches.

Northwest of Sonora toward

Vegetation in this section has

been noticeably revived.

Date for starting the survey has a structure were outlined to Mr. gift to the high school. has set no date. A sale was con- Gilmore, Eaton, C. H. Jennings, R. of the Texas Company station oper- not been announced, but the project Noyes, who suggested that the templated for today, but was not S. Covey, W. L. Davis and J. D. ated by Mr. Penick. It will be is one of the most important in the building be made one of permanent painted white on the outside, and state, according to Judge Ely, and construction, with concrete founda-A report was heard Monday on carefully finished inside. Drinks, it will be rushed. Edwards county tions and floors, and hollow tile and commissioners are eager for the stucco walls. He said the project route to be determined so that they should fulfill every requirement of may begin their work of securing the R. F. C. in making such loans, title to the right-of-way. The road and suggested that application for is important to Edwards county in funds be made as speedily as posthat it will provide an outlet for sible.

shipping stock to market. Texas finances, but reduced revenues from gasoline taxes, coupled with a decline in taxes and the di-

version of one-third of the fund's income from taxes to care for county road bond retirement has depleted the money available for new construction.

### **Ranches Are Being Improved** in County

Water Supply Systems, Pumps and Windmills Bought Recently

Considerable activity in ranch improvement, particularly in water supply, have been made on Sutton county ranches in recent weeks. Arthur Simmons bought a tenfoot Aermotor windmill, with stand from the West Texas Lumber Com-

pany. Other sales were a 12-foot mill to Aldwell Bros.; completely installed pumping systems, includranches of Miss Clara Allison and Ben F. Meckel.

All Sonora firms were selling large amounts of sucker rods for wells, piping and supplies as ranchmen got ready for heavy pumping. Sunday's rains have eased the tension, though, and the demand has subsided.

a business visitor here Tuesday.

nora has been ordered by Judge in an interview last Thursday in warehouses, and prices in excess of although there may be changes in frame building, 16x18 feet, which N. R. Ely, chairman of the state Big Spring at the West Texas vocal solo, and Lacey Smith a viothe present peak are anticipated. the present plans. H. V. Stokes and will house a sandwich and barbecue highway commission, it has been Chamber of Commerce convention. lin solo. Miss Dee Trainer, class

Approval

The object of the self-liquidating Actual construction of the road loans, as explained in a talk by Mr. to financial embarrassment on the lines and off the R. F. C. unempart of the state. The highway ployment relief lists and put them Kring third. Miss Vivian Ball, fund has been the bright spot of to work on construction of worth-(Continued on page 8)

> White Takes Over **Filling Station**

New Owner in Charge of Buck's Since May 1

S. M. White is now proprietor of

the San Angelo road. Mr. White bought the business from Q. M. Sharp on May 1, and he Elma Lee Logan, Emma Lou Loand Mrs. White are making their lean Lloyd McGhee, Joyce McGilhome at the station.

GEO. NEILL AT BANKERS' CONVENTION THIS WEEK Dramatic Club

Geo. H. Neill, cashier of the First National Bank of Sonora, is attending the annual convention of the Will Be Presented in June, Accord-Texas Bankers' Association in Mining 5-horsepower engines, on the eral Wells this week. He is accompanied by Mrs. Neill and their daughter, Jane Elizabeth.

Reports from the convention in- life, will be presented the latter dicate that the state's bankers are part of June, according to plans looking forward to much better adopted at the Thirteen Dramatic business conditions. They take Club's weekly meeting Monday courage from the upturn in com- night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. modity prices. Significant is the W. C. Gilmore.

tional holiday.

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Graduation exercises for the pupils of the seventh grade were held Thursday evening in the High School Auditorium, Louis Davis delivered the address of welcome for the class. All members of the class united in singing the class song. The principal speaker was L. N. Moody, pastor of the Ozona Church of Christ.

Jo Nell Miers received the Lions club medal for highest scholastic average for the year. Richard Vehle was second and Lillian grammar school principal, awarded spelling and perfect attendance certificates. Mrs. E. E. Sawyer, as president of the Sonora Parent-Teacher Association, awarded medals in music. Diplomas were awarded seventh grade members by Supt. R. S. Covey.

Honors and awards for all grades were announced.

Seventh grade graduates were: the station known as Buck's Filling Elizabeth Brantley, Louis Davis, Station, 9 miles north of Sonora on Marion Elliott, Nora Gilliam, Elward Glasscock, L. D. Hollmig, Janie Lee Jackson, Lillian Kring, vray, Jo Ann Marion, Stanley May-

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## **Chooses New Play**

ing to Present Plans

"The Worthy Vagabond," a three act comedy drama of western ranch

fact that Texas led all states in A tentative cast was chosen. the number of banks allowed to Date for the first rehearsals has C. D. Burley of San Angelo was re-open following the recent na- not been set. The members of the cast will choose their director.

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### With the Churches

**Church of Christ** 

Bible Study, Sunday 10 a. m. Worship, 10:45 a. m. Ladies' Bible class, Wednesday,

\$:30 p. m. Everyone cordially invited.

Methodis: Church Sunday school 9:45. Morning worship 11:00. Evening service, 8 o'clock. Young People's meeting 7:00. Woman's Missionary Society, 3 p. m. Wednesday.

Choir rehearsal on Thursday, 8 p. m.

Stewards meet every first Sunday.

Local board meeting each first Tuesday night, 8 o'clock, E. P. NEAL, Pastor.

**Baptist Church** 

Sunday school, 10 a.m. Preaching, 11 and 8:00 each Lord's day.

B. T. S. Sunday, 7:15 p. m. tice Wednesday, 8 p. m. Z. E. PARKER, Pastor.

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## **Plans Complete for** Scout Outing at **Camp Louis Farr**

Program of Mingled Instruction and Amusement Outlined; Begins Monday, May 29

Camp Louis Farr for the Boy Scouts of the active towns of the Concho Valley Council, will open on Monday, May 29, on the famous Fayette Tankersley ranch near Mertzon. Cost for the entire week has been reduced to \$4 for each Scout.

The camp is located on the headwaters of Spring Creek where seven enormous springs furnish the water for the most beautiful stream in West Texas. The woodland in which the tents will be erected is without doubt the most attractive camping place in this section.

Camp Louis Farr is made available to the Scouts by Mr. Tankersley. It was named "Camp Louis Farr" in honor of the late L. L. Prayermeeting and choir prac- Farr, who was the close friend and associate of many of the pioneers of West Texas.

The camp folder announces health, safety, happiness, food, fun, facts, adventures and romance. It lists 24 main subjects on the program including swimming, campcraft, nature lore, athletics, games, es to be thrilling.

Farr conform with the highest in warden. the United States with respect to tor is in camp et all times to take single hooks. care of any injuries or first aid.

The Scouts are carefully super-Scouts. The program is worked out at nine inches. on a schedule of 45 and 90 minute rest, meals and everything that will make the boys have a happy and profitable time.

Several of the local Scouts are planning to attend the camp and get the intensive training for the

full period.

**RADIO: THE WONDER OF** THE AGE From the remctest corners of the

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#### **Catching Sap on Coolidge Sugar Lot**

PICK-UP IN ADVERTISING

Tire & Rubber Company, with the SIGN OF BETTER BUSINESS Sonora Motor Company as local

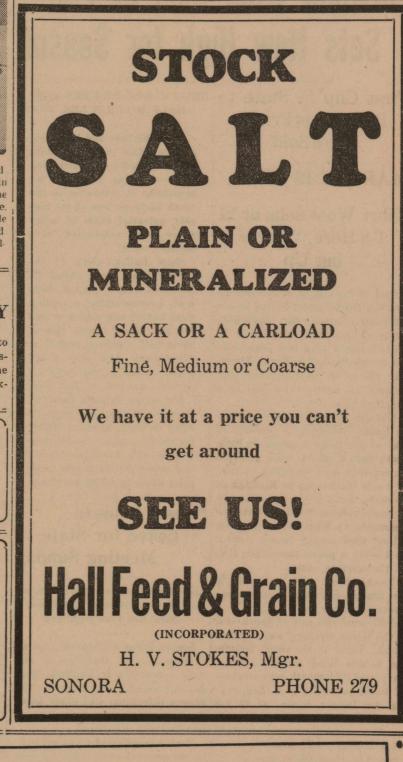
A sharp increase in advertising whose products are sold here by the lineage throughout West Texas, Gulf Service Station; by the Ford particularly of foreign (or national) Motor Co., of which the Sonora Moadvertising, is encouraging both tor Company is also local agent; to newspaper publishers and to the and the Goodrich Tire & Rubber public generally as a sign of better Company, in co-operation with their business.

Contracts started last week or this in The News included an eightmonths' schedule for the Goodyear

agents; the Gulf Oil Company, local agent, J. T. Penick.

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The coming of spring is the signal for the maple trees to begin yield ing their maple sugar sap. And so the old sugar lot of the late Calvin Coolidge once more takes on an active appearance. It was at this same old sugar lot that the late President and his father, Col. John Coolidge. worked yea. after year gathering the sap and boiling it down into maple sugar. It may be spring but still three feet of snow covers the ground Here are the oxen dragging the maple sap to the sugar house for boiling down

## NEW LAW MAKES TROT LINES AN **ILLEGALITY IN KIMBLE COUNTY**

The regulations of Camp Louis states Frank Cowsert, local game pected later .-- Junction Eagle.

The law which is in effect now health and safety. The menu is governing the means of catching carefully organized to give grow- fish in the Llanos and streams in ing boys plenty of the right kind the county is: It is unlawful to take of food. A quart of sweet milk is any fish from any waters by any served to each Scout daily and ice means other than ordinary hook and cream is made in the camp every line or artificial bait. It is unlawful day. The inspections of tents and to use trot lines, bank hooks, or the Scouts are very rigid and a doc- throw lines with more than two

The new law regulating the length of catfish now states that no vised at all times and there is one catfish under 12 inches may be adult in camp for every twelve kept. The old law gave the length

A pamphlet containing all the periods, giving time for Scout tests, fish and game laws covering this hikes, swims, camp sports, sleep, county may be secured free from practically all the business houses and garages and tourists camps. Fishing season is under full way

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With the recent passage of a new , here and tourists are beginning to handicraft and dramatics. The In- law regarding fishing in the Llanos, line the river banks. With the closdian-Pioneer 24-hour game promis- it is new a violation of the law to ing of the public schools over the fish with a trot line in this county, state coming soon, more can be ex-

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**Rain Delays Ball Games at Station** 

Double Header Postponed from Sunday Until Thursday

Rains Saturday night and Sunday caused postponement of a couple of ball games and an outing planned at Station B for residents of station, as well as Stations A and C, and Sonora. TEXACO CERTIFIED STATION

The double header, scheduled between Sonora and Station A and Stations B and C was moved up until Thursday, and a Sonora team went to the Station. No report of the outcome of the games is available as The News is printed.

Dearborn, Mich.

A great thing has occurred amongst us. We have made a complete turn-around, and at last America's face is toward the future.

Three years --- 1929 to 1932 --- we Americans looked backward. All our old financial and political machinery was geared to pull us out of the depression by the same door through which we entered. We thought it simply a case of going back the way we came. It failed. We now realize that the way out is forward---through it.

Thanks for that belongs to President Roosevelt. Inauguration Day he turned the Ship of State around. Having observed the failure of sincere efforts to haul us back the way we came, he designed a new method --- new political and financial machinery --- to pull us out the way we are going --- forward. He is clearing international obstacles out of the way; he does not stand in awe of tariffs. The people begin to feel that he does not take advice from the "interests"; that he has courage and loyalty to work for one supreme interest only --- the welfare of the American people. That is a big achievement for two months in office.

And now we all look to what is coming; we grow less and less concerned with what is behind. We are looking for a hand-hold on the haul rope. Every man wants to do what he can, and all he can.

The best thing I can do for the Country is to create industry by building good motor cars. If I knew anything better to do, I would do it. Industry must be my contribution. Motor cars must face ahead to the future, like everything else. They are so much a part of the Nation's daily life that if they lag behind they hold the Country back.

Henry Ford

May 9, 1933

#### **Camp** Allison (Essie Rode, Reporter)

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Baker visited in Sonora Tuesday.

Lum Adams and son, Leo, were business visitors in Sonora Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Rode, son, G. T., daughter, Miss Bessie, and Ben til the August term. Rode visited in Sonora Friday.

his family in Camp Allison last murder of her husband, Telefus week.

were business visitors in Sonora days and nights of taking testi-Saturday.

daughter, Vivian, of Sanderson vis- nearly four days of deliberation. ited friends in Camp Allison Friday.

Don't forget to come to Camp Allison May 19 for a picnic and a dance that night.

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#### **TYPICAL** 1 **Bessie Sharp Gets** Postponement, Aug. Trial for Alleged Poisoner to Be Later, Dut to Absent Att'ys

Trial of Bessie Sharp, set in Fort Stockton for the May term of district court, has been postponed un-

Bessie Sharp was tried in Del Herman Thiers of Sonora visited Rio in November, 1932, for the Sharp, on a ranch near Sanderson S. L. Shroyer and son, Lester, two years ago. Following several mony, the case ended in a mistrial Mr. and Mrs. C. V. McKnight and when the jury failed to agree after The case was tried before Judge Joseph Jones, and was brought to Del Rio from Sanderson on a change of venue. Since the trial ended December 1, 1932, Mrs. Sharp

has been in jail at Fort Stockton. Postponement of the case was said in Fort Stockton to be due to the unavoidable absence of one of the defense attorneys, Coke Stevenson, who is speaker of the House Send us 90 per cent of our business at Austin. Judge C. S. Slatton of San Antonio is the other member of defense counsel.

> The case will be tried in August in Fort Stockton before Judge Joe Montague, brother of Judge Brian quirements laid down by beauty ex-Montague of Del Rio .- Del Rio Evening News.

Height, 5 feet 5 inches; weight, 116 Mrs. Joe Norris spent last week pounds; neck, 12 inches; shoulders. in Center Point visiting her par-39 inches; waist, 25 inches; bust, 35 Inches; hips. 36 inches; thigh, 201/2 Sonora, Texas ents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lang. inches: and calf, 13% inches.



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#### UVALDE OBSERVER SAYS FLOODS COMING IN JUNE

J. J. Bendele, weather prophet, cays there is going to be a real flood in Uvalde. For the only time in 1,000 years will there be five moon changes in June. He has watched the

signs of the ants, trees and other means he has of predicting floods, and says they all point to heavy rains.

Bendele says the people of Uvalde should see that the Leona river bed was cleared of all brush from the Leona crossing south of town to the railroad

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bridge on the Southrn Pacific. The channel of the river is dammed with brush and it will mean the waters will spread over the town and that this brush should be cleared out .---Uvalde Leader-News.

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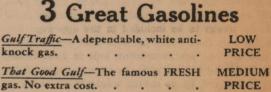
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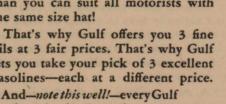
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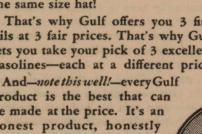
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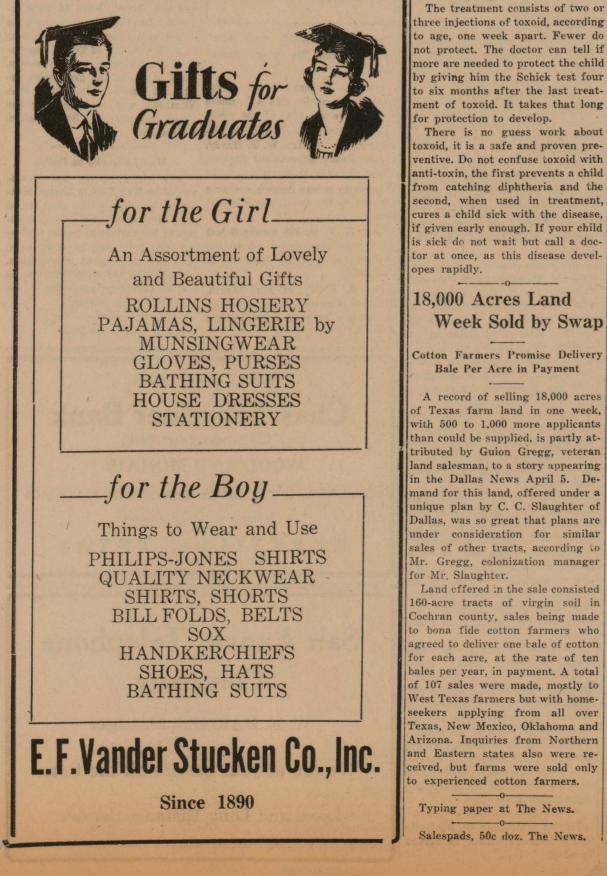
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This favored young Lady, June

Glory, is said to fit perfectly the re-

perts who attended the international

beauty convention at Hollywood,

**HEALTH NOTES** 

Austin, May 19 .- Texas ioses

more than five hundred of its chil-

dren each year from just one pre-

ventable cause, according to the

state health officer. Diphtheria,

that ever present menace to chil-

dren, is responsible for this great

Dr. Brown said that all parents

would not allow their children to

run in front of trains or automo-

biles but many allow them to run

the danger of contracting diph-

theria. Children need not have this

disease, as it is easily prevented

by a simple, harmless treatment

If you have a child six months

old or more, take him to your doctor and ask to have him immun-

ized against diphtheria. Do not

wait until your child goes to school, as babies and little children need this protection more than children

who are going to school.

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anti-toxin, the first prevents a child from catching diphtheria and the second, when used in treatment, cures a child sick with the disease, if given early enough. If your child is sick do not wait but call a doctor at once, as this disease developes rapidly.

18,000 Acres Land Week Sold by Swap

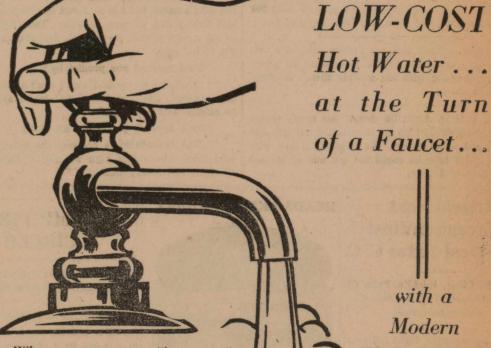
Cotton Farmers Promise Delivery Bale Per Acre in Payment

A record of selling 18,000 acres of Texas farm land in one week, with 500 to 1,000 more applicants than could be supplied, is partly attributed by Guion Gregg, veteran land salesman, to a story appearing in the Dallas News April 5. Demand for this land, offered under a unique plan by C. C. Slaughter of Dallas, was so great that plans are under consideration for similar sales of other tracts, according to Mr. Gregg, colonization manager for Mr. Slaughter.

Land offered in the sale consisted 160-acre tracts of virgin soil in Cochran county, sales being made to bona fide cotton farmers who agreed to deliver one bale of cotton for each acre, at the rate of ten bales per year, in payment. A total of 107 sales were made, mostly to West Texas farmers but with homeseekers applying from all over Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Arizona. Inquiries from Northern and Eastern states also were received, but farms were sold only to experienced cotton farmers.

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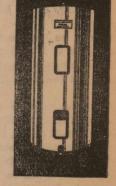
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#### HIGHWAYS SHOULD BE INCLUDED

One resolution passed by the convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in Big Spring is deserving of particularly strong support by virtually every county and every portion of West Texas.

It suggested, and requested, that highway improvement be added to the three projects of reforestation, soil conservation, and flood control to be done under government supervision by the groups of young men conscripted from every part of the United States for working on these projects.

Of three classes of work planned, West Texas is interested only in one, and that very slightlyflood control. We have no sections needing re-forestation, and soil conservation is recognized in our areas as the individual problem of the land-owner, who is being taught to terrace by local agricultural experts.

For West Texas to share in the benefits from this government work by West Texas' young men, it will be necessary for roads, or some other form of public works to be included in the approved list. Thus far only four Texas projects have been approved-and all four are forestation jobs in East Texas. Some few flood control projects have been urged for West Texas, but by no means would West Texas be given an equal break by these few jobs.

Highways are needed in this section still, in spite of great progress made in the last five yearsand just now the chances for building these needed roads appears somewhat remote. Given this dispensation, though, much could be done toward clearing right-of-ways and building roadbeds with these labor armies. Let's give this move our help by suggesting to representatives and congressmen that it be done.

Speaking of government control in businessdown in Uvalde there is being passed an ordinance requirig the licensing of boot-blacks. Control over the bootlegger may be the next step.

Over in Brady rains used to be worth a million dollars, if we believe the optimistic headlines of the Brady Standard. Tuesday's Standard labels a two inch precipitation a BILLION dollar rain. Speaking of inflation, that's it.

San Saba can now construct a first-class mausoleum (our guess is as good as yours on that word), for last week workmen blasted a dormant horned toad out of solid marble. He revived and lived whole day. In Eastland they have a swell case for their famous toad, and now San Saba has one too.

#### THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

#### TARANTULA, A TRUTHFUL BUG

"All signs fail in dry weather," said Two-Gun Ike, prominent stock man who operates the Lone Goat Ranch on the headwaters of Dry Devil's River, when asked by a News representative when he thought it would rain.

"There are several known and infallible (?) methods of telling when it is going to rain, snow, storm, or most any other weather conditions you wish to know in advance," continued Mr. Ike. "But the trouble with guys who know the secret won't give out any information, even these birds who draw pay frum the government fer weather forecast miss the mark, and if they do predict a clear day, like as not it will be as cloudy as all git-out.

"Take the old goose-bone method. 'Infallible,' says the owner. 'Never misses.' Sure it don't when it hits. Then there's the bozo who has a tetch of rheumatics jest before the raindrops are to fall. And one guy I uster know was subject to a twitcching of his left ear if rain was due er his right ear if it was to snow on that particular date. And there are a number of people who have the same sure system of predicting rain. Frinstance, our gradmothers depended on the 'frizzin' of their hair,' and here another example of a popular method: A young lady says to her dad, 'Pappy, it shore is a-goin' ter rain righ off.' 'How so, da'ter?' 'Cause my corns air achin' sumpin' terrible.'

"Insects," said Mr. Ike, "seem to have an instinct which warns them of a coming storm. Did you ever watch an army of ants, hurrying to and from the bed, jest working like everything? Well, that's a sign, its goin' to rain. If ants is taking their time going about their daily duties you will know that purty weather is to continue and rains is not likly to fall, say within a week or ten days, or maybe all summer. But, on the other hand, if them same ants is working hard, fast and furious, why its liable to rain before you kin git in the house, that is, of course, dependin' on how fur you are from the house.. But a feller caint always depend on the ants, fer in the winter time the whole kaboodle jest shets theirselves up in the underground house and stays there till winter is gone. Course, under circumstances, sech as these, you jest naturally have to depend on corns, rheumatism, twitching ears, goose-bones, or fate is goin' to step in and make you wait till it rains, and in the case of being winter 'specially, the rain is moranapt to be sleet or snow.

"Yes, sir," continued Mr. Ike, "all signs 'cepting one usually fails you right on the spot. Fer example, take this here rain we had last Sunday. The government feller told us over the radio-not that it was going to rain, fur from it-but the message from Santone said: 'weather forecasts fer West Texas; clear tonite (that was last Satidy nite) and clear and cooler Sunday, warmer in the southwestern part.' Now, how fur do you think the government man missed. Jest about a mile and a haf.

"Last Sunday mornin' we had jest about the fust rain that has fell fer the last six months. 'Course, us ranch folks don't kere who predicts the rain ner what method they use to arrive at the exact date. All we want is the rain-and 50 er 75 cents a pound fer our wool and more hair. If'n we kin get all the rain we want, when we want it, and the price we want fer our wool and more hair, we kin jest laf in ole man Depresses face and tell him where to go an' how he'll know when he gets there.

"I'm gettin' off my subject. Now as to the one elor stockman who ranches six and only sure method of predicting rain when every- miles south of Sonora, was in town thing is again it. I can tell you who predicted the last Saturday. rain we had Sunday," said Mr. Ike, "could tell you the man's name, but ain't. I met him here in Sonorie Mrs. Robt. Winslow and Florence last Friday and he says, says he: 'Two-Gun we goin' Black were in Sonora this week the to get a rain within three days, and you watch what I'm tellin' you.'

# **35 YEARS AGO**

J. J. Rice has the contract for raising and remodeling the residence of J. Lewenthal. Mr. Lewenthal is going to expend about \$300 on his home and expects when done to have one of the finest places in Sonora. It seems that Sonora is not dead vet.

Steve Murphy, a prominent citizen of Sutton county and one of the proprietors of the Devil's River News, was here during the flower festival and was so charmed with the Alamo city that he stayed over several days after the battle. Mr. Murphy spoke encouragingly of conditions out his way owing to splendid rains. Grass is now growing rapidly and there is an abundance of stock water. Stockmen are in touch with their brethren in other sections of the state in the matter of improving their cattle and the quality of the cattle on the range is much better than a few years ago. Many ranchmen out his way are planting each year a limited acreage to sorghum which does well in that section. Cattle are fast taking the place of sheep on the range in Sutton and adjoining counties and sheep are moving farther west .- San Antonio Stockman and Farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. George Trainer and family returned to their home on the North Llano Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Mayer were in from the T half circle ranch Wednesday.

John Bryden boss for Geo. S. Allison was in Sonora Wednesday and left us \$2 for charity sake. We wish their were more others like John.

During the electrical storm Tuesday night or Wednesday morning the engine house at the waterworks was struck by lightning and the building and windmill tower adjoining destroyed by fire. It is supposed that the lightening struck the smokestack and running down ignited the wooden platform of the engine. The loss to Mr. Newell will reach \$600 or more.

Miss Sophie Vander Stucken accompanied by her brother Max, arrived from Menardville Wednesday. Miss Sophie is attending to the ladies department at Mayer Bros. & Vander Stucken.

Dow Harrison who has been working for D. B. Cusenbary the stockman ranching 20 miles south of Sonora, was in town last Satur-

day D. J. Wyatt the well-to-do bach-

Mrs. Wm. L. Black and daughter



#### **REDDY FOX CONSULTS MRS. REDDY**

When Foxes put their heads together It means for some one stormy weather.

OF COURSE, that is just a saying. Foxes don't have anything whatever to do with the weather. But when folks are in trouble they are said to be having bad weather and so that little verse really means that when Foxes put their heads together and make plans it generally means trouble for some one.

Reddy Fox had intended to be selfish and try to get Johnny Chuck all alone, so that he might dine on him all alone. But the more he thought it over, the wiser it seemed to him to get Mrs. Reddy to help.

In the first place Johnny was so big and strong that Reddy didn't at all fancy a fight with him. He wouldn't admit it even to himself, but he wasn't at all sure he could whip Johnny Chuck in a fair fight.



That is Too Good to Be True," Replied Mrs. Reddy, With Great Promptness.

He knew that Johnny was tough of skin, stout of jaw and sharp of tooth, and ready to fight to the last kick if he had to.

So this was one reason Reddy was willing to have Mrs. Reddy help him, though not for anything in the world would he have told this or had her suspect it. Another reason was that he saw a way whereby, working together, they were almost certain to shut Johnny off from his home. and once they could do that

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they would have him without fail. "He is big enough and fat enough to make both of us a dinner," thought Reddy. "Besides, if we succeed in catching him perhaps we can also catch Polly Chuck. Mrs. Reddy is very clever, very clever indeed, and she can help a lot." It is well for Reddy that Mrs. Reddy didn't hear this, for she is the

smarter of the two, and she knows

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it. When Reddy told her that he wanted her help to catch Johnny Chuck she looked at him as if she thought him the stupidest fellow in the world. "Look here, Reddy," said she. "I'm always ready and willing to help when there is a reasonable chance that something besides failure will come out of it, but if you've got any sense at all in your head von won't ask me to waste any more time on that fat Chuck. We've wasted enough as it is. You know very well that we can't dig open that house down in the far corner of the Old Orchard, because it is right between the roots of that pesky apple tree. As for catching, one of those Chucks away from their house, it can't be done. There is always one on watch when the other is eating."

"Listen, my dear," interrupted Reddy with a crafty grin on his face. "All that you say is very true. I don't blame you for feeling that way. I don't blame you in the least. But what would you say if I were to tell you that those two silly Chucks have separated and one of them has built a new home where it is the simplest thing in the world to surprise him away from his doorstep? What would you say to that?" "That is too good to be true," replied Mrs. Reddy with great promptness

"It is true, though," cried Reddy, and at once started in to tell Mrs. Reddy all that he had found out. Mrs. Reddy listened with interest, and as Reddy went on to tell of his plan a crafty look crept into her eyes.

"We must plan this very carefully," said she. "Let us put our heads together and see if we cannot have a double dinner of fat Chuck, for if we can catch one we may be able to catch the other."

So Reddy and Mrs. Reddy put their heads together and planned how they would dine on fat Chuck. @, 1933, by T. W. Burgess .- WNU Service,

Attending Miss Caldwell's Recital Mrs. W. E. Caldwell, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Lula Belle, and son, James, leave at noon toor Austin where they will

And over in East Texas a farmer caught a terrapain which had been in his possession 33 years ago, being branded with his initials then. Another good reptile story.

Some kids in Amarillo drank too much stolen soda pop, and swelled up so they could not get out the hole used as an entry. We heard of a guy who drank so much beer he could not get out of Mexico across a 20-foot bridge.

"What method you predict by?"

"'Ain't got no method, and I ain't aiming to predict nothing, I'm jest tellin' you in advance it will be rainin' within 3 days.'

"Well, how do you know all this?

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"'The tarantulas is crossin' the road,' he said, 'and that's the surest sign we got in Texas, where all signs fail in dry weather.''

**CAMP FIRE** 

CIRCLE

The Latonia Camp Fire group en-

joyed a sunrise swim and break-

fast at the W. L. Davis tank Satur-

day morning, accompanied by their

guardian, Mrs. W. C. Warren, and

ton, as well as Mesdames Merton

bers of the local Camp Fire coun-

LATONIA GROUP ENJOYS

guests of Geo. B. Black. The party day.

went to McKavett Wednesday. Wednesday on incorporation of this visitor here the first of the week. piano courses in Southwestern school district. Incorporation carried by 5 votes a total of 81 votes being polled.

Miss Myrtis Woodward was visiting the T half circle ranch this week the guest of Mrs. Abe Mayer.

selection to be made by the voters at large.

tion, the proponents and opponents of repeal are to meet at Austin to select the delegates and alternates MORNING SWIM-BREAK'F'S whose names shall appear on the ballot. Ninety days following the

tes will assemble at Austin to vote for or against repeal, in accordance with the preference expressed at the August 26 election.

Advocates of the legalization of

Gonzales, was selected temporary chairman of the meeting. He was instructed to appoint a temporary organization committee, which in turn will select a statewide executive committee, consisting of one for Repeal Vote member from each senatorial district. The executive committee will

man.

The meeting, which was called mainly through a general understanding of leaders in the move-

ment for the legalizing of beer and repeal of the dry amendment, was attended by approximately 150 persons from all parts of the state.

The election will be held August

enroute to the ranch near Robert atorial district, will be chosen, the

Sixty days in advance of the elecelection, the delegates and alterna-

assistant guardian, Mrs. John Ea- 3.2 per cent beer and of repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment Thurs-Shurley and George Baker, mem- day moved toward effecting a permanent organization to promote their cause.

W. K. Hopkins, senator from

at the Ranch Experiment Station.

there to attend the graduation re-Joe B. Blakeney, wool buyer cital of another daughter, Miss There was but a light vote polled from San Angelo, was a business Elizabeth, who is completing her Bill Dawes of Eig Spring is vis- University. iting his sister, Mrs. W. T. Hardy,

Mrs. Labenske to Dallas

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Mittle spent Mrs. Lee Labenske was accom-Wednesday in San Angelo, stopping panied by Mrs. Earl B. Lomax Monday to Winters, where they joined Miss Mildred Labenske who accom-Mrs. H. V. Stokes returned last panied her mother to Dallas to shop

week from Lampasas, where she for their two ready-to-wear shops, visited her mother, Mrs. H. B. here and at Winters, respectively. Mrs. Lomax accompanied them as

Dee S. Finlay of Fort Worth, far as Breckenridge, where she livestock commission man, was here planned to visit friends. on business Tuesday, a guest of the

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Walter D. Cline, Wichita Falls Oil Man, Chosen Next President of Organization

After a strenuous fight between San Angelo and Plainview at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention in Big Spring Thursday, Friday and Saturday, the former city was chosen as host for the 1934 convention of the organization.

Walter D. Cline, Wichita Falls oil man, former second vice-president, was elected to the presidency to succeed Wilbur C. Hawk, Amarillo newspaper publisher whose administration was so outstanding that he was chosen as West Texas most valuable citizen for the year. D. A. Bendeen was re-elected manager.

The convention's basiness sessions were devoted to discussion of naval court of inquiry into the Aka number of important issues, fore- ron disaster. nost of which was administration of R. F. C. government relief funds, which has been done in this section by the organization. Important conferences were devoted also to discussion of public expenditures and the budgeting of tax monies.

Thousands of West Texans attended the Big Spring convention, tion's history. causing an overflow of the city's more than ample hotel facilities. ity prices throughout the vast and gelo this week, where their daugh-West Texas was reflected not only an attack of measles.



HEADS AKRON INQUIRY

Rear Admiral W. W. Phelps, commander of the Third naval district, New York, who presided at the

in the more serious work of the convention but in the entertainment as well.

San Angelo has already announced plans for making the 1934 con- adapting the report of a free convention the best in the organiza-

Judge and Mrs. L. W. Elliott are Enthusiasm born of rising commod- spending several days in San An- 31 to 0 and in the House, 119 to 9. diversified business structure of ter, Elizabeth, is recovering from 26, when 31 delegates and 31 alternates, one each from every sen- Tuesday.

The losing side in a recent contest in honors entertained the winning side, providing the eggs, ba-

## con, and fruit for the breakfast. August 26 Is Date

Both Branches Legislature Take select the permanent state chair-Action to Permit Decision

Austin, May 19 .- Final action has been taken by both branches of the legislature making it possible for the people to vote on whether the Eighteenth Amendment shall be repealed. This was done by

ference committee on a bill drafted by Representative Sarah T. Hughes, with Senate amendments. The report was adopted in the Senate by

Policies of the organization and plans for procedure will be decided by the executive committee, which is to be named by the temporary organization committee.

Charles Morehouse of Benjamin was a business visitor in Sonora

Casbeer.

Hotel McDonald.

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## SOCIETY

Mrs. George Baker, Editor

## **Mesdames** Wilson and Earwood Are

## Party Honorees

Mesdames Duke Wilson and Lloyd Earwood were joint honorees at a surprise party given Saturday afternoon by their mother, Mrs. Nannie B. Wilson, at the Wilson home here. The party was given as a joint celebration of their birthdays. Members of their bridge club, the Queen of Clubs, formed the neucleus of the guest list.

The home was attractively decorated in a color scheme of pink and white. Refreshments also carried out this theme. Ice cream and angel food cake, decorated with birthday candles, were enjoyed.

Mrs. John Hamby was winner of high score prize, a dainty relish dish, while Mrs. T. O. Earhart won cut prize, an attractive make-up box.

Guests present, in addition to the honorees, were: Mesdames Hamby, Earhart, Carl Morrow, John Fields, Andrew Moore, Bryan Hunt, H. V. Stokes, Geo. H. Neill, J. B. Ross, Ross Anglin, Ben Martin, Joseph Vander Stucken, J. A. Ward, jr., Tom White, J. R. Kilman, Alton Hightower, and A. P. Prater, and the Misses Alice Karnes, Ada Steen and Addah Miers.

## **Miss Alice Karnes** Is Hostess Thursday ToLas Amibas Club

Miss Alice Karnes entertained the Las Amigas Club at her home Thursday afternoon of last week, with a party including club members only.

High score at Contract went to Mrs. Jack Earhart, and second high to Mrs. Sam Karnes.

A salad course was served to the club membership as follows: Mesdames Earhart, John Fields, W. C. Gilmore, John Hamby, Sam Karnes, Ira Shurley, P. J. Taylor, Collier Shurley, J. D. Westbrook, and Tom White; and the Misses Alice and Nan Karnes.

Mrs. V. J. Turney of Del Rio has



EAR Jean Newton-I have a "D friend, thirty years old, who is going to marry a man who irritates her in a great many ways, with the idea that after marriage she can change those ways. She claims that she cares for him, and that no one is perfect, and that after they are married he will correct the man nerisms that annoy her.

"What do you think of it?"

One of the world's most ancient fallacies is that of a woman who marries a man to reform him, or with the hopes of reforming him.

And it is an excessively feminine fallacy. Men either like a woman well enough to marry her or they don't. If they do, they like her as she is, if they don't, they don't marry her. Of course they frequently find flaws enough after marriage. But we have yet to meet a man who is impressed with faults in a woman and marries her any way with the quixotic optimism that marriage will change her for the better!

It is almost too obvious to point out that what a man will not do to please a woman when he is courting her, he will not do after he has won her! And if a woman conceals from him before marriage her dislike of the things she hopes to correct in him, she is making a dishonest start and building the happiness of both on a very shaky foundation.

Not only does a man object to being prodded after marriage into changing his little personal habits and the way he wants to live, but there is this other point. He is certain to resent such an attempt on the part of his wife as indicating a lack of real love for him. We all Not," by Mrs. Odom; "If We Only want to be loved for what we are, not for what we may appear to be. And the discovery that one who seemed to accept us has done so with reservations is a bitter pill which may leave a very dark brown flavor. ©, 1933, Bell Syndicate.-WNU Service.

## Mesdames Halbert And Covey Honor Thursday Pastime Mesdames R. A. Halbert and R. S. Covey entertained members and

**Receive Grand Deputy May 23** Mrs. Winnie Davis, Ozona, Will Address Delegates of Five **Chapters** at Meeting

Mrs. Winnie Davidson of Ozcna, deputy grand matron of the Grand Chapter of Texas, will visit the Scnora Order of Eastern Star Tuesday night, May 23, for the purpose of delivering an instructive address on chapter work to local members as well as to representatives from chapters at Ozona, Mertzon, Eldorado and Roosevelt. Preceding the address, the chapter will entertain visiting delegates at a 6-o'clock diner in the basement

of the Methodist church. The address will be given at the Masonic hall at 7:30 o'clock. Eastern Star members not affil-

iated with the local chapter are in-

vited to attend. **Tolerance W.M.U.** 

**Theme Wednesday** 

Social Meeting to Be Held Next Week with Mrs. Nisbet

Tolerance was the underlying theme of study for the Woman's Missionary Union of the Baptist church at its regular weekly meeting at the church Wednesday afternoon. Based on the biblical admonition to "judge not, that ye be not judged" a number of discussions were given by members.

Mrs. Ban Odom was in charge of the program. She read a selection of scripture. Mrs. J. H. Brasher offered prayer. The following subjects were then discussed: "Judge Understood," by Mrs. R. D. Trainer; "Benefit of a Doubt," by Mrs. W. D. Martin; "How Judging Affects Us,' by Mrs. J. H. Lancaster; "How Judging Affects Others," Mrs. J. A. Cauthorn; "Is a Critical Person Popular?" by Mrs. Earl Merck. "If You Were Busy," a poem with author unknown, was read by Mrs. Hilton Turney.

Next week's meeting is the monthly social gathering, and it will be held at the home of Mrs. W. R. Nisbet.

Mother's Cook Book TOUCHES THAT ADD DISTINCTION

S o MUCH pleasure is added to both guests and hosts by the little extra time we take to make a dish attractive that it pays. Cocktails of fruit or shell fish, as well as vegetables, add to a meal.

Tomato Cocktail.

ange juice, two teaspoonfuls of sugar and a dash of cayenne. Sprinkle with chopped parsley and serve.

Caroline Fritters.

milk, two well beaten eggs and onehalf tablespoonful of sugar. Mix one scant cupful of flour, one teaspoonful of baking powder and onetered muffin rings in a buttered dripping pan. Drop into the rings and

Dissolve a package of lemon gelatin in one-third of a cupful of boiling water and add one and one-half meeting. cupfuls of grapefruit juice, one-half cupful of orange juice, one tablespoonful of lemon juice, threefourths of a cupful of diced celery, two tablespoonfuls of chopped small pickles, one tablespoonful of chopped pimiento. Set away to mold. Serve on lettuce with mayonnaise dressing. Add one cupful or more of shredded salmon or tuna fish and you have a fish salad. Use the unsweetened gelatin for the fish salad,

three tablespoonfuls-and the other ingredients the same. Fried Ham Sandwich.

Take one and one-half pounds of fried ham crisp and brown, put through the food chopper with six large dill pickles, one spanish onion and mix with two cupfuls of may- because Mrs. Shurley will likely be onnaise. This makes a delicious away at the time. All women inspread which tastes quite different terested in cheese making are urged from boiled ham. ©, 1933, Western Newspaper Union.

ART STUDENTS DISPLAY

WORK IN TOWN WINDOWS

Mesdames Edmond Heinze, J. D. of her appendix last week, is re-Westbrook, and Maysie Brown, and covering nicely at a San Angelo the Misses Debbie Martin and Ches hospital where several Sonora peo-Thorp, advanced art pupils, are ple have visited her. Her mother, displaying several pieces of their Mrs. Fred Hull, is remaining with work in windows in the business her. district this week.

## Year at Meeting **Tuesday Evening**

Mrs. J. D. Westbrook Is Worthy Matron of Organization; B. W. Hutcherson Patron

Mrs. J. D. Westbrook was elected worthy matron of the Sonora Order of Eastern Star at its regular meeting Tuesday evening at the Chop fine one small slice of Masonic hall, when B. W. Hutcheronion with a few bits of celery, add son was elected worthy patron, three cupfuls of strained tomate along with the following other new juice salted to taste. Let stand officers: associate matron, Mrs. W. three hours. Mix two tablespoonfuls L. Davis; associate patron, Ban of catsup, one-fourth cupful of or- Odom; conductress, Mrs. Joe Hull; associate conductress, Mrs. J. C. Stephen; secretary, Mrs. Russell Long; treasurer, Mrs. Gene Light-

foot. Remaining officers are appointive by the worthy matron up-

To three-fourths of a cupful of on her installation the third Tuescanned corn add one-half cupful of day in June, when all new officers will go into office.

Following the election and routine business, the annual statehalf teaspoonful of salt. Sift and fide memorial service for deceased combine the mixtures, place in but. members of the order was conducted by officers.

> Visiting the chapter were Mesdames Ben Simon and Taylor, and Miss Vina Taylor, all of Roosevelt. Refreshments of lemonade and cookies were served after the

### **Cheese Making to Be Demonstrated**

Meeting Will Be Held at W. I Davis Home Friday, May 26

Cheese making will be demonstrated to women of Sutton county by Mrs. Etta Ringgold, tri-county home demonstration agent, at a meeting on Friday of next week at

the home of Mrs. W. L. Davis. The meeting was originally planned to be held with Mrs. Merton Shurley, but was changed this week to attend the meeting.

Miss Hull Improving Nicely Miss Margaret Hull, who under-

went an operation for the removal

to next week's meeting, which is the regular social day. Mrs. J. D. Westbrook conducted the devotional period, useing the 13th chapter of First Corinthians. and a beautiful poem. Reports of officers were heard

**Meeting on Monday** 

Group Plans to Collect Old Gold in

Co-operation with W.M.S.

The Young Woman's Missionary

Society planned to co-operate with

the Senior Woman's Missionary So-

ciety of the Methodist church in

the collecting of old gold rings and

other articles of gold to be sold for

the purpose of adding to missionary

funds, at the regular weekly meet-

ing of the group Monday afternoon

in the church basement. Members

were instructed to bring all such

articles that they could contribute,

and various projects dsicussed. Mrs. J. C. Morrow gave the monthly report from the missionary bulletin.

Refreshments of sandwiches and orangeade were served by Mesdames Morrow and J. F. Hamby.

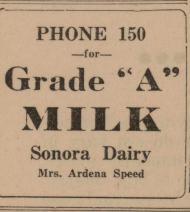


To make room for our new sheer dresses which we expect next week, we are compelled to close out several of our \$1.95 dresses. These are new spring dresses, styled to the minute and made for us by Evelyn and Nelly Don. While they last we are offering them for ONLY-



bake in a moderate oven. Grapefruit Salad.

and her daughters, Mesdames J. S. Thursday afternoon of last week. Glasscock and Thomas Espy, this week.



for

#### been visiting her son, Paul Turney, Glub at the home of the former Seniors Given An guests of the Thursday Pastime High club score went to Mrs. Tom Sandherr and high guest to Mrs. Evening, Christoval W. C. Warren.

Tallies and score pads were in pink and white.

The hostesses served a very delicious salad plate with iced tea Mesdames E. E. Sawyer, Paul Turand pecan cookies to the following: E. E. Sawyer, O. G. Babcock, J. S. Glasscock, L. E. Johnson, J. A. Cauthorn, W. E. Caldwell, R. D. Trainer, J. W Trainer, C E. Stites, Merton Shurley, Rose Thorp, W. R. Nisbet, and Orion Brown. Guests: Mesdames Warren and Paul Turney.

# Outing Wednesday

Members of the Senior Class of Sonora High School were enter- at a later date. tained with a picnic and swim at Christoval Wednesday evening by ney, and G. H. Davis; and Miss Ai- Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Carson, is ac-Members: Mesdames Sandherr, leen Swafford, sponsor. Mrs. V. J. tive at the University of Texas Turney of Del Rio, who is visiting where she is a Freshman this year, here, attended the outing.

lightful outing, with swimming and Omega, national social sorority, at boating providing main features of entertainment.

# **Mexican School in**

all Grades Wednesday Night

Pupils of the Mexican school, their parents, and a large crowd of panied by her mother, Mrs. J. D. attendants from the Mexican sec- Lowrey, and sister, Mrs. Mans Hogtion filled the grammar school audi- gett, of Mertzon, returned Monday torium Wednesday evening for the night from a several days trip to closing exercises of the school year, presenting a colorful miscellaneous program under direction of the four teachers: the Misses Bonnie Oklahoma for a visit with another Glasscock and Jamie Gardner; and son. Mrs. Lowrey and Mrs. Hog-Mesdames Roy Grimland and C. H. gett visited a number of the for-Jennings.

Songs, playlets, and other num- of Chickasha. bers provided entertainment, with every child of the school included. Attractive costumes added to the festivity.

Covey was introduced by Miss High School, consisting of Dee Glasscock, principal of the Mexi- Trainer, Pauline Turney, Alice Sawcan school, and addressed the as- year, and L. C. Matthis, to San Ansembly. When asked if they liked gelo Wednesday to choose a gift to their school and their teachers, the be presented by the class to the students staged an enthusiastic school, bought with proceeds from demonstration of assent.

Ben Edward Martin Recovering Ben Edward Martin, little son of to recovery at the home of the Blan- er, Mrs. F. H. Glab. tons, where he and his mother have been since the operation. Mrs. him early next week.

Work of beginners will be shown

Miss Carson Pledge and Singer Miss Edythe Carson, daughter of according to word received here re-The young people enjoyed a de- cently. She was pledged to Chi the beginning of the present semester, and has just been on a tour with the university glee club, appearing at A. & M. college, at College Station and at Brenham Friday Closing Program and Saturday of last week. Miss Carson is a member of the first

Final Exercises Include Pupils of alto section of the glee club. Visit Parents in Oklahoma

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Vicars, accom-Chickasha, Okla. There Mr. Vicars met his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Vicars of Wise, Va., who were in mer's sisters living in the vicinity

Seniors Buy Class Gift Wed. Mesdames E. E. Sawyer and Paul, Turney accompanied a committee Superintendent-of-schools R. S. from the Senior class of Sonora the recent class play, "Girl Shy."

Mrs. Jack Earhart Away Mrs. Jack Earhart, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ben Martin of Cata- by her brother, Hampton Martin, rina, and grandson of Dr. and Mrs. will leave this week-end for a visit A. G. Blanton is well on the road in Waco with Mr. Earhart's moth-

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bourland, jr., Martin expects to return home with of Del Rio, were guests of the Hotel McDonald Saturday night.

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Amount to balance

## **Treasurer's Report**

Report of Mrs. A. J. Smith, county treasurer of Sutton county, Texas, of receipts and expenditures from Feb. 14, 1933 to May 6, 1933, inclusive:

#### JURY FUND-1st Class

Balance last report, filed Feb. 14, 1933	_1,595.45
To amt. received since last report	29.10
By amt. paid out since last report, Ex. A	
By amt. per cent com. on amt. received	.03
By amt. per cent com. on amt. paid out	.06
Amount to balance	1,560.46

1,624.55 1,624.55

#### ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND-2nd Class

Balance last report, filed Feb. 14, 193310,669.62	
To amt, received since last report 1,230.67	
By amt. paid out since last report, Ex. A	4,303.45
By amt. per cent com. on amt. received	1.23
By amt. per cent com. on amt. paid out	4.30
Amount to balance	7,591.31

#### 11,900.29 GENERAL COUNTY FUND-3rd Class

Balance last report, filed Feb. 14, 1933	
To amt. received since last report 289.30	
By amt, paid out since last report, Ex. A	2,351.95
By amt. per cent com. on amt. received	.28
By amt, per cent com, on amt, naid out	2.35

1,270.09

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3,624.67 3,624.67

COURTHOUSE	AND JAIL	FUND,	Class D

Balance last report, filed Feb. 14, 1933	.31
To amt, received since last report	.19
By amt. paid out sicce last report, Ex. A	
By amt. per cent com. on amt. paid out	
Amount to balance	

669.50

#### SPECIAL ROAD BOND A. B. C. FUND-Class E

Balance last report, filed Feb. 14, 1933	
To amt. received since last report	
By amt. per cent com. on amt received	
Amount to balance	

#### 19,824.79 19,824.79

#### SPECIAL ROAD AV. FUND-Class F

Balance last report, filed Feb. 14, 1933	647.1
By amt. per cent com. on amt. receivedAmount to balance	.6. 3,660.8
4,308.63	4,308.6

#### SPECIAL ROAD BOND 1931 FUND-Class G

Balance last report, filed Feb. 14, 1933 To amt. received since last report Amount to balance	
initial to balance	1,537.77 1,537.77

## PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT FUND-Class H

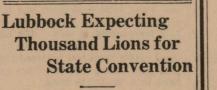
Balance last report, filed Feb. 14, 1933	
To amt. received since last report	26.76
By amt. paid out since last report, Ex. A.	
By amt. per cent com. on amt. received	
Amount to balance	

#### THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

**Cory Visits Llano** 



sidered the world's largest fat man. He weighs 750 pounds and has not been out of the house for fifteen years because he is too big to get through a doorway. He eats 12 pounds of spaghetti each day and 7 pounds of hot dogs, 1 gallon of coffee. 3 quarts of ice cream and 60 to 70 hard-boiled eggs. It takes 8 yards of cloth to make his pants and 5 vards for his shirt.



Many Notables to Attend and Speak; Variety of Entertainment Planned

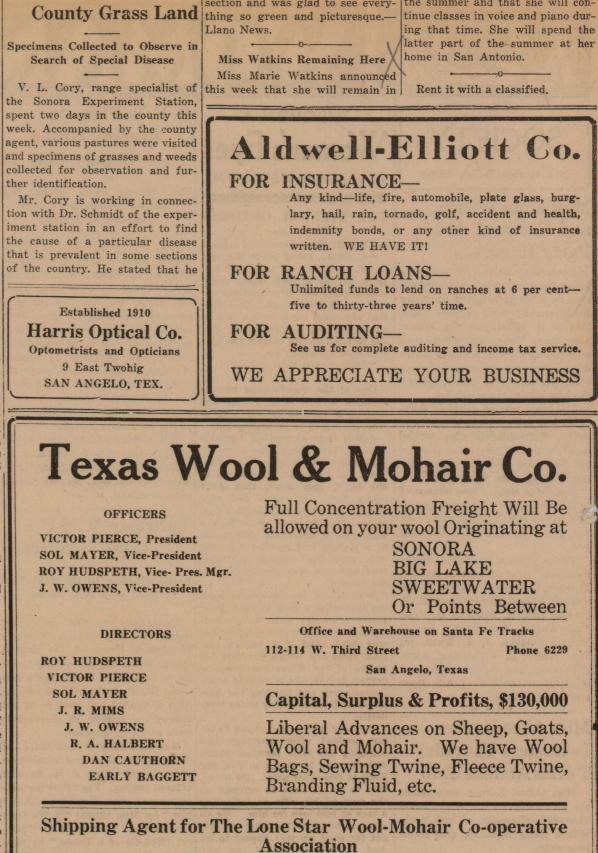
#### Special to The News.

Lubbock, May 18 .- With a steady flood of reservations coming in daily from all parts of Texas, attendance estimates for the annual convention of the Lions Clubs of Texas, which is to be held here May 21, 22 and 23, is placed well over the thousand mark. State officials expect the convention here to set a new attendance record.

With 246 clubs in Texas, total Lions membership of 7,000 almost guarantees over 1,000 delegates to the state convention here, Ben Condray, president of the Lubbock club said today.

Chas. H. Hatton, Wichita, Kans., president of Lions International; Julien C. Hyer, Fort Worth, immediate past president, and other prominent Lions of the five countries affiliated with Lions International, the United States, Canada, China, Cuba and Mexico, will be here for the convention.

Under the direction of C. B. (Brownie) Akers, chairman of the



# Now Is a Good

was well pleased with the Llano |Sonora for the first six weeks of

section and was glad to see every- the summer and that she will con-

MAY 19, 1933

998.15

#### RECAPITULATION

Jury fund	balance	1,560.46
Road and bridge fund	balance	7,591.31
General county fund	balance	1,270.09
C. and J. fund	balance	108.92
R. B., A. B. C. fund	balance	19,824.56
Road Av. fund	balance	3,660.84
R. B., 1931 fund	balance	1,537.77
Public improvement fund	balance	993.62
Total		

LIST OF BONDS AND OTHER SECURITIES ON HAND

10 S. H. bonds, \$500 each-C. & J. 5,000.00 13 S. H. bonds, \$500 each-1925 series S. Road Bond, A.B.C. 6,500.00 17 S. H. bonds \$2,000 each-1929 series S. Road Bond, A.B.C. 34,000.00 9 R. Bonds, \$1,000 each-1931 series..... ... 9.000.00

Total... 54.500.00

#### THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Sutton-Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Mrs. A. J. Smith, county treasurer of Sutton county, who being by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.

> MRS. A. J. SMITH, County Treasurer.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 8th day of May, 1933.

(SEAL)

J. D. LOWREY. Clerk, County Court Sutton county, Texas.

Mrs. T. J. Martin of Brackettville arrived Monday afternoon for a visit with Mrs. S. T. Gilmore, with whom she spent the night, returning home Tuesday morning.

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entertainment committee, an array of local functions including a big chuck wagon barbecue, banquets, breakfasts, dances, golf, and other entertainment has been arranged. A post convention trip to Carlsbad Caverns in New Mexico has been planned.

Reports and discussion of underprivileged child work for the past year and discussion of a program for the next year will be prominent in the convention business session. Election of officers and selection of the next meeting place comes the last day of the convention, May 23.

Mesdames John Eaton and Geo. Baker spent Wednesday in San Angelo, where Mrs. Baker addressed the city council of San Angelo Parent-Teacher Associations on "Publicity."

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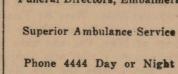
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#### THE DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

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## Picnics and Panics By CORONA REMINGTON

THE birds flew close to the ground or sat in little groups on the leafy limbs; they were silent and subdued. It was a heavy, sodden day.

"What's the use of going on?" she asked her mother mournfully. "Anybody can see it's going to rain tomorrow, and who wants to go to a picnic in the rain?"

Mrs. Oliver went on pulling out pin-feathers from the frier she was dressing, also for the picnic. "You can't tell yet, Lucy. Tomorrow ain't here yet and, anyhow, I reckon we'll want this stuff for Sunday dinner, even if you don't get to take some to the picnic.'

"I won't want any of it," answered Lucy in a muffled voice.

"Now, child, you mustn't take on that way." "But, mother, it isn't just an ordi-

nary picnic that's making me so upset. You know Arthur and I have had a scrap, and his asking me to go with him tomorrow made me think he was willing to make up." "What time's he coming?"

"He said in his letter he'd drive

over about ten." "It'll turn out all right in the end. Don't worry, child. Land sakes! How do you reckon you'll ever get through life a-fretting and worryin' the way you do about every little thing?"

"But it isn't a little thing," Lucy protested miserably.

The rest of the day was filled with preparations for the picnic and Saturday afternoon's tasks, and it was late that night when at last the family could go to bed. Everybody was soon asleep except Lucy, who lay wide awake on her back staring into the darkness and listening to the softly falling rain; the drip, drip, drip of the eaves gave her no chance to forget, and the next morning was one solid gray mass of murky clouds and fog.

Lucy tried to keep the tears back when she went down.

hibition.

"My, my, child! You'd think this was the end of the world. Go put on your good frock and your best smile and look your prettiest when he comes. You can entertain him in the parlor and ask him to dinner. It'll turn out all right. You see if it don't."

The girl finally took her mother's advice and became quite thrilled as the time for her lover's arrival approached. The time came, however, but no Arthur Watson; eleven wood would be interested in taking and twelve passed in the same way. At one Lucy rushed to her room and locked herself in, refusing her dinner.

Late in the afternoon Mrs. Oliver ventured upstairs. "Honey, maybe ed drinks across the old Oriental he expected you to answer his let- hotel bar and later the Adolphus ter," she suggested through the bar. This Adolphus bar was located door.

"No, he didn't," came back in re- the long mahogany bar, rail and ply, "because he said if I didn't mirrors have been stored in St. Practice Frequent in Boom Times first of October was when he sailed the mammal-if it was a whalemean I was it to Louis. willing to go."



Firemen are seen directing streams of water into the flaming roof of the historic St. Jacques Mineur church, Montreal's oldest and most fa mous religious edifice, during the fire that reduced the once beautifu structure into a mass of ruins. The fire started while nearly 2,000 wor shippers were attending mass, but all escaped.

## FORMER DALLAS HOTEL BARTENDER LOCATED IN SALOON IN OLD MEXICO

It takes more than a brass rail would raid the pantry for wines and beer to make a bar and those to use in cooking.

persons looking forward to a profit | The Adolphus bar was one place on repeal are beginning to wonder where a man could get away from where the old bartenders have feminine presence. Women just didlived during the Dark Ages of Pro- n't go to those places.

"But that will be all changed," When old bars which had been Lockwood predicted. "Maybe after stored in basements since 1918 were prohibition it will be a period of looked over for possible polish and drinking women and sober men."

varnish, officials of the Adolphus He had a lot to say about wines. Hotel started a search for the ho-Claret, for instance, when contel's old bartender, Fred Lockwood. sumed, should be the same temper-Artie Compton located him in ature as the room. Burgundy Piedras Negras, across the border should be the temperature of the from Eagle Pass, tending his own cellar.

bar. And now, according to Lock-"Well, those were the good old wood, Compton has recommended days, all right," Lockwood said. him and written to ask if Lock-"I'd like to go back to Dallas, but I guess most of the old gang is dead from drinking this bootleg Those whose memories go back stuff I've heard about."-Dallas that far will recall that Lockwood, News. a genial, pleasant-faced man, push-

## **Depression** Not a **Main Cause Suicide**

## It's Lonely in Borneo

By ALICE DUANE

SIGNS of spring may lightly turn a young man's fancy to thoughts of love, but not so surely as do thoughts of a good job. At least so it was with Brander Yates. He had been out of work for six months. He had spent what savings he had not previously lost and was down to his last ten dollars when out of the blue, as it were, appeared a perfectly good job. Not only a job but a year's contract. Perhaps the contract wasn't so much of a miracle as it sounded, because the job was off in Borneo. Now for six weeks he would work in the home office, then set sail to the field of his new work.

Having no money to spend on theater tickets, flowers and taxis, he had of necessity assumed the semblance of a woman hater.

He might have continued to do so had not the personnel man of the new concern asked him whether he was married. In case he was the company would pay transportation for the wife as well as for himself. Brander kept thinking of After all, Borneo was a terthat. rible distance away and a fellow might get a little lonely.

At six o'clock Saturday afternoon -the Saturday before the Monday his job began-Brander Yates pressed the button on the front apartment of a nice but unpretentious apartment house where in former days he had been wont to spend an occasional Saturday afternoon or week day evening. Under one arm he carried a long and bulky paper roll from the ends of which protruded the heads of some rather faded gladioli. The door of the apartment was opened for him, but instead of Daphne in the dark frame of the doorway stood a girl whom Brazos Fish Thot he not at first recognize.

He looked again and thought rapldly.

"Oh, it's you, Joan," he said. "Take these weeds before I drop 505-Pound Amphibian Examined at them-and the magazines if they are any good co you." Then he looked at the little brown-eyed girl whose name he had nearly forgotten, "Gee, but it's good to see you." you left Bradley's."

young bird had told him how to find her and she helped out the bird by explaining that Daphne had gone away and that as the lease did not amount of oil being obtained. run out until October she had let Edgar Covey, C. M. Cole and Joan have the apartment at a re- George Griffin, Bryan men fishing duction. Joan had no lease, so it was a simple transaction. "And then after the first of October I were called by some negroes to see don't know where I shall go," Joan what they termed a big fish. The explained to Brander, and Brander three men, all experienced fisherbeamed at Joan, reflecting that the men and responsible citizens, said e! He didn't even flinch when Joan mentioned that Daphne was to be married.

## SCENES FOR WILD WESTERN SHOT IN STREETS OF KERRVILLE LATELY

#### HOWARD CRAGHEAD



After two years of disappointleague team.

Biology Dept. A. & M.

Bryan, May 19 .- What Dr. O. M Ball, head of the department of bi-"It's surely good to see you, Mr. ology at Texas A. & M. college, said Yates," she said. "And isn't it may have been a young whale was great how you found out where I killed in the Brazos river last week. was? I've only been here a week The amphibian weighed 505 pounds and I've often thought of you since and was 71/2 feet long, according to the Navasota men who killed it and Brander tolà Joan that a small brought it to shore. Before the creature could be identified, it was cut up and rendered, a considerable

swam back and forth over a course

Tuesday morning when a cowgirl was held up and robbed of a large sum of currency just after leaving the "Cattlemen's State Bank" on Earl Garrett Street peace officers stood by, directing motor traffic away from the scene of the crime and citizens by the scores lined the

curbs to witness the outlawry. Cameras ground away as sound apparatus recorded the shrieks of the heroine and the cruel words of the villian. It was Kerrville's first touch of the Hollywood atmosphere and the populace thoroughly enjoyed the show.

Officials, cameramen, technicians and members of the cast for "Rangers at War," a Kier-Phillips production, arrived in the city Monday afternoon. Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock, they went "on location."

Presto! The Earl Garrett Street entrance to the Chas. Schreiner Co. store was transformed into the "Cattlemen's State Bank" by the hanging of a sign bearing that legend. Then came the cowboys, booted and spurred and wearing ten-gallon sombreros; the bad, bad men; the black hosses and everything. Director "Josh" Binney pressed several residents into service to obtain ment, the Cleveland Indians may local color; a few others walking finally cash in on their \$25,000 about curiously pressed themselves pitching investment, Howard Crag- into service, necessitating "rehead, who was purchased from the takes" and causing the director Oakland club of the Pacific Coast much mental anguish. But the joleague in 1931. Craghead showed vial Mr. Binney, with a career of up so well in training camp that 21 years in making motion pictures, Manager Peckinpaugh expects to never quite lost his polite mien. He make use of him on the major merely continued his curt commands, "Silence! Quiet! Don't walk! Don't talk! All right, camera!"

> Outdoor sequences in "Rangers Possibly a Whale at War," a cowboy songalogue, are being "shot" in Kerrville and vicinity. The completed talking picture will portray the bitter animosity that existed between cattlemen and sheepmen of the West in the early days.

> > After finishing the hold-up and ther scenes in Kerrville, the company Tuesday afternoon moved to the L. A. Schreiner ranch near the city, where longhorn cattle, flocks of sheep and other range scenes will be filmed. They probably will remain here through Friday-Kerrville Mountain Sun.

> > > 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.

**Auto Repair** Blacksmithing **Oxy-Acetylene** WELDING at Money-Saving Prices OWEN GRAY Same Location

It was the next day that Mr. his own hands.

When Oliver walked into the of- Negras. fice where Watson was one of the many cogs in a big wheel, he was immediately offended by the young man's urbane manner. It was highly unbecoming to one with a guilty conscience.

"Want to speak to you," said Oliver gruffly.

putting down his pen.

"I just wanted to say one thing. You can't break dates with my gal." "Break dates? What're you talking about? I haven't broken any dates with Lucy.'

Hampden yesterday," broke in Oiiver,

"Why, I wrote to her, but haven't mailed the letter yet. The picnic's next Sunday. See, the letter's right here in my pocket." Watson dived into his pocket, then his face be- medicine, does he?" he asked. came blank and a sheepish expreshand to his head in an effort to think

"I-I must have mailed it with some other letters," he explained weakly. "I wrote it ahead because I-I was sort of anxious, and planned to keep it until about to-Do you think she'll formorrow. give me?"

'She's pretty mad," grinned Oliver once more in good humor. "I reckon you better come over tonight and try to make up with her."

But it's just my luck," groaned Watto-to-" short.

It was a very cool young girl who received Watson that evening-cool outwardly, but all a flutter within. She had decided to make him suffer was weeping on his shoulder.

"Oh, Arthur, you hurt me so," she sobbed

"But, honey, don't you know I wouldn't have done it for anything since I found it out."

Soothing words, the healing power of tears, his caressing arm around her. Peace-joy.

And yesterday was so black. C by McClure Newspaper Syndicate. (WNU Service).

This wandering reporter dropped Oliver decided to take matters in in on Lockwood recently at his

where the man's shop is now and

back his old job-just in case.

a Democratic majority in Congress as in a time of economic distress. and wasn't at all surprised to get Dallas. Lockwood was the confidant sis, of Chicago.

"Sure thing," Watson replied, and the guiding hand to a thirsty

was able to bank his salary and remarkable suicide increase." later buy a place of his own.

Like the traditional bartender, Lockwood doesn't drink.

"A doctor doesn't take his own The old bunch was just learning times. sion spread over it. He put his the fine points of drinking when it

> vent of prohibition, Lockwood, son of an army officer, lamented.

"Now it will take another 100 years to get where they were when dividual cases," he continued. prohibition stepped in," he said. "The Americans who visit my bar, those who have grown up during successful, disorders caused directly the sober years, don't know how to by their successes. Thus it is that drink."

"You bet I will, and I'll fill the abash him when they know no fects upon others." car with American Beauties, too. other drinks than gin, whiskey and beer. When he refuses to drink real son in a panic, "and I was planning beer because it does not taste or Russion aristocracy forced to take He flushed and stopped look like home brew he's flabbergasted. Lockwood predicts a riotous, head-splitting era for America poise or cultural qualities. if prohibition passes into oblivion. "In the old days," he said, "it for the suffering he had caused her, was a point of culture and refinebut it was only a moment until she ment to know how to select wines at a meal—just as much as the selection of a necktie."

As bartender in the Adolphus, Lockwood would keep certain wines the fact that man has not learned on earth? I've been nearly crazy from year to year for certain cus- to utilize the free time and free tomers. Maybe a traveling salesman energies afforded him by the mawould appear in the hotel after a chine, according to Doctor Alexanyear or so and Lockwood would der.

have no trouble in remembering exactly what drink he wanted. Around Christmas the hotel cooks per, Second Sheets. The News.

As During Periods of Stress

Chicago, May 18.-Jumping out "Buck Horn" saloon in Piedras of high windows is not restricted to depression days. In fact, it is al-Lockwood had heard rumors of most as popular in "boom times" Such was the evidence given the Compton's optimistic letter. The Illinois Society of Mental Hygiene Adolphus bar, he recalled was the by Dr. Franz Alexander, director most fashionable and popular in of the Institute for Psycho-analy-

but appreciative flock. Traveling studied," he said, "show no definite for flowers and magazines, salesmen left tokens of appreciation relation between economic depresin the form of hats, shoes, ties and sion and suicide. Life insurance figother articles of clothing from sam- ures, for example, show a rise in ple cases. Business men told him the suicide rate in 1928, a year of "Maybe you didn't write to her their troubles and his customers the boom period, and since the start Joan's small balcony and Tom told and ask her to that picnic over to were so lavish with tips that he of the depression there has been no

> However, Doctor Alexander granted that the depression may have had some effect on the suicide rate. Many suicides, he pointed out. may be traced directly to hard

"The question of whether ecowas thrown into chaos with the ad- nomic depression has an influence on mental disturbances cannot be studied statistically without knowing precisely a great number of in-

"Many people develop serious mental disorders when they are a depression may mean mental sal-The younger drinkers amaze and vation for some and have bad ef-

> In Berlin, the psychologist said, there are many members of the jobs as taxi drivers, cooks and waiters, yet who never lose their

"At the same time," he went on, "I knew war profiteers who lacked these qualities and had substituted wealth for them. They were seriously affected mentally by the loss of possessions."

Many mental maladies are due to

Typewriter Ribbons, Carbon Pa-

ble to share a bit of supper with be blue in coloring. him. Brander went into the kitchenette later to scan the only clock. It was necessary for him to catch the nine o'clock train for the beach

started to leave and then Joan explained that she was very sorry but the clock was twenty minutes slow. So Joan and Brander went out on her of his plans-told her also that he would now have to sleep in the park. He had planned to commute

he hadn't enough for a hotel.

empty over-night bag into the and Mr. Halbert is recovering. other and told him to go to a nearby hotel.

Brander appeared promptly at nine the next morning at Joan's. After breakfast they washed the dishes, took a leisurely walk, sat on a park bench, ate luncheon at Joan's together, and talked, until somehow Brander asked Joan whether she could endure the idea of going to Borneo, and Joan-another rare coincidence-said that all her life she had just yearned and longed and pined to go to Borneo. Brander was marveling at the lovely lights that glistened in Joan's eyes and at the musical quality of her voice. would be easy to ask her now, but after all he thought he ought to make explanations about the flow-

"I knew they were for Daphne," Joan told him.

Joan lowered her lovely brown "I turned the clock slow eves. when you weren't looking last night. I wanted you to come back. "And you don't mind about the

flowers?" Brander asked. "No," said Joan. "Times are hard and a girl can't expect too much and-besides, Brander, I've always wanted to go to Borneo.'

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of about 600 yards in the Brazos below the dam. As the big fish Joan gave Brander cool drinks swam back and forth part of a and then insistently set a little ta- dorsal fin showed that seemed to

The creature, finally killed by a rifle shot, answered the description of no fish known in the waters of -nine o'clock being the last train this section. Dr. Ball said it might that way. He couldn't spend the have been a young whale, from the night in town because he had al- description, but he could not ex-"The statistical curves I have ready spent nearly his last dollar plain how it reached the point in the Brazos where it was killed, un-At twenty minutes to nine he less it had made its way up during

unusually high water. Even then, it was said, it was difficult to see how it had escaped observation.

#### Halbert Has Eye Injury

B. M. Halbert, jr., was the victim from his sister's cottage at the of a painful and near serious injury beach the next week and right now last Thursday when a knife with which he was cutting a leather Pretty nice girl Joan turned out strap slipped and inflicted a bad to be-and all those months he had cut under his left eye. The knife known her at Bradley's he had cut deeply into the flesh under the dollar bill into one of Brander's eye, but missed the eyeball. No sehands and the handle of a small but rious consequences are expected,

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TION OF TEXAS

S. J. R. No. 32 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEG-

ISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

the State of Texas be amended so stitution for amendments thereto. as to hereafter read as follows:

"Article VIII, Section 1-a: Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) of the (A CORRECT COPY) assessed taxable value of all residence homesteads as now defined by law shall be exempt from all taxation for all State purposes; provided that this exemption shall not be applicable to that portion of the State ad valorem taxes levied for State purposes remitted within those counties or other political subdivisions now receiving any remission of state taxes, until the expiration of such period of remis- so as to hereafter read as follows: sion, unless before the expiration of such period the board or governing body of any one or more divisions shall have certified to the of producing intoxication, or any such remission of taxes has ceased vinous or malt liquors of not more to exist in such county or political than three and two-tenths per cent subdivision; then this Section shall be come applicable to each county or political subdivision as and when it shall be come within the provi- are each and all hereby prohibited. sions hereon."

at which election all voters favoring lots the words:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas ex- town or city may, by a majority empting Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) of the assessed taxable from State taxes."

posed Amendment shall write or words:

"Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas (\$3,000.00) of the assessed taxable value of all residence homesteads from State taxes."

State of Texas is hereby directed to Section 20, Article 16, of the Con- ues relating thereto. for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution and Amendments thereto.

W. W. HEATH, Secretary of State.

(A CORRECT COPY)

#### NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMEND-MENT TO THE CONSTITU-TION OF TEXAS

S. J. R. No. 30 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEG-ISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

propriations to pay said bonds.' State of Texas is hereby directed than that above specified, to pro-Section 1. That Section 1-a of for said election and to have same a Charter; however, as a condition Amendment to the Constitution, provided that the power to create Article VIII of the Constitution of published as required by the Con- for such authorization, it is re- at such time as a Charter provision funded indebtedness and to levy ticle IX of the Constitution of Tex-W. W. HEATH. Secretary of State.

# TION OF TEXAS

H. J. R. No. 43 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEG-OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Subsection (a), of Section 20, of Article XVI, of the Constitution of Texas, be amended "(a): The manufacture, sale, barter or exchange in the State of voters a proposal to adopt a Char- to fix the maximum rate for ad of its functions, provided such con- ment to which it relates. Texas of spirituous, vinous or malt ter (unless otherwise provided by valorem taxes to be levied for tracts shall not be valid for more of such counties or political sub- liquors or medicated bitters capable a two-thirds vote of the total mem- specific purposes, in accordance than two (2) years. (3.2) alcoholic content by weight, (except for medicinal, mechanical, scientific or sacramental purposes) The Legislature shall enact laws to Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitu- enforce this Section, and may from tional Amendment shall be submit- time to time prescribe regulations ted to a vote of the qualified elec- and limitations relative to the man- rately counted, and unless there be prior lien thereon. tors of this State at an election to ufacture, sale, barter, exchange or a favoring majority of the votes

ers of any county, justice's precinct, vote of those voting, determine value of all residence homesteads for beverage purpose of vinous or other department of the State's

in all political subdivisions thereof, option elections held under the laws may operate to impair the exemp-Sec. 3 The Governor of the at the time of the taking effect of by this Constitution and the Stat-

issue the necessary proclamation stitution of Texas, it shall continue to be unlawful to manufacture, sell, barter or exchange in any such division thereof, any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or medicated

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County Home Rule Charter may be thereof. adopted by any county save upon bership of each House of the Leg- with the Constitution and laws of qualified electors residing within the limit of the aggregate taxes the limits of all the incorporated which may be levied, assessed and ified electors of the county who do stitution to control counties, and not reside within the limits of any the annual assessment upon prop- Charter provisions shall control. incorporated city or town likewise erty, both real, personal and mixshall be separately kept and sepa- ed, shall be a first superior and

State, and no provision having such

"(3) a. A Charter hereunder may provide: the continuance of a County Commissioners' Court, as governing body of a county to opjority of the qualified voters in such qualifications, for such terms, thereof voting in an election held and upon such conditions of tenure to be lawful to manufacture, sell, by any such Charter. The terms

"e. In addition to the powers be held throughout the State on the possession for sale of vinous or cast within and a favoring majori- herein provided, and in addition to fourth Saturday in August, 1933, malt liquers of not more than three ty of the votes cast without such a mapority vote of the qualified and two-tenths per cent (3.2) alco- collective cities and towns, the powers included in County Home said proposed Amendment shall holic content by weight; provided Charter shall not be adopted. It is Rule Charters, any county may, by write or have printed on their bal- the Legislature shall enact a law expressly forbidden that any such electors of said county, amend its or laws whereby the qualified vot- Charter may inconsonantly affect Charter to include other powers, boundaries of such cities and towns, a serious organic trouble, would be the operation of the General Laws functions, duties and rights which of the State relating to the judicial, now or hereafter may be provided tax, fiscal, educational, police, by this Constitution and the statfrom time to time whether the sale highway and health systems, or any tes of the State for counties.

malt liquors containing not more superior government. Nothing here- hereunder shall have the power to the county, in addition to the pri- time. She is attended by Mr. Those voters opposing said pro- that three and two-tenths per cent in contained shall be deemed to borrow money for all purposes law- mary city and county tax herein Schwiening. (3.2) alcohol by weight shall be pro- authorize the adoption of a Char- ful under its Charter, to include authorized and any other lawful have printed on their ballots the hibited within the prescribed lim- ter provision inimical to or incon- the refunding of a lawful debt, in district tax, may levy and collect its; and provided further that in all sistent with the sovereignty and a manner conforming to the Gen- taxes upon the property taxable counties in the State of Texas and established public policies of this eral Laws of the State, and may is- within such city or town as deexempting Three Thousand Dollars wherein the sale of intoxicating li- vice shall have validity as against obligations, other than those to re- its authorized by Sections 4 and 5 quors had been prohibited by local the State. No Charter provision fund a lawful debt, shall not be of Article XI of this Constitution, of the State of Texas and in force tion of homestaeds as established jority of all votes cast by those incorporated cities according to the

vote thereon.. In cases of county added promise shall be imposed upobligations, maturing after a peri- on any such city or town unless aucounty or in any such political sub- now constituted, to serve as the od of five (5) years, the same shall thorized by a majority of all votes be issued to mature serially, fixing cast by the resident qualified voters erate hereunder; or, may provide the first maturity of principal at a of such city or town. bitters, capable of producing intox-ication or any other intoxicant for a governing body otherwise time not to exceed two (2) years "d. Areas urban in character constituted, which shall be elective, next after the date of the issuance though not incorporated, under apwhatsoever, unless and until a ma-and service therein shall be upon of such obligations. Such obliga-propriate Charter provision may be tions may pledge the full faith and said county or political subdivision under such plan of representation, credit of the county; but in no body of the county, provided, howfor such purpose shall determine it and compensation as may be fixed tions so issued, in principal amount shall be defined as an urban area outstanding at any one time, ex- unless it has sufficient population barter and exchange in said county for service in such governing body ceed the then existing Constitution-to entitle it to incorporate under Section 1. That Article 3 of the or political subdivision thereof may exceed two (2) years, but al limits for such obligations and the then existing laws of the State. Constitution of the State of Texas vinous or malt liquors containing shall not exceed six (6) years. In such indebtedness and its support-and no such urban area, when crewe amended by adding thereto an- not more than three and two-tenths any event, in addition to the pow- ing shall constitute a first and super cent (3.2) alcoholic content by ers and duties provided by any such perior lien upon the property taxweight, and the provision of chis Charter, such governing body shall able in such county. No obligation would not possess if it were operasubsection shall be self enacting." exercise all powers, and discharge issued hereunder shall be valid un-ting as a separate incorporated unit Sec. 2. The foregoing Amend- all duties which, in the absence of less prior to the time of the issu-under the then existing Constitument to the Constitution shall be the provisions hereof, would de- ance thereof there be levied a tax sufficient to retire the same as it this State; and provided further matures, which tax shall not ex- that the governing body of the fees to such funds as the Charter vide for the governing board of the no fee for a specified service shall tutional and statutory provisions exceed in amount the fee fixed by to define, create and administer

NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMEND- lion (\$20,000,000.00) Dollars, for ture, by a favoring vote of two- law of the State required to be county shall succeed to all the ap- fect more efficient and economical MENT TO THE CONSTITU- relieving the hardships of unem- thirds of the total membership of filled by an election embracing propriate lawful powers, duties, government within such counties, ployment and for the necessary ap- both the Senate and the House of more than one county. Excepting rights, procedures, restrictions and and to authorize mergers of sepa-Representatives, may authorize any herefrom nominations, elections or limitations which prior to the rate governmental agencies within Section 3. The Governor of the county, having a population less appointments to offices, the terms merger were reposed in, or im- such counties as may from time to whereof may not have expired posed upon, the yielding govern- time be authorized by vote of the to issue the necessary proclamation ceed hereunder for the adoption of prior to the adoption of this mental agency. Particularly, it is people therein."

quired that notice of the intent to adopted hereunder may be in ef- taxes in support thereof may be ex- as, adding Section 3, providing auseek Legislative authority hereun- fect (save as to those offices which ercised only by such procedures, thority for the adoption of a Home der must be published in one or must continue to be elective, as and within such limits, as now are, Rule Charter by the voters in counmore newspapers, to give general herein elsewhere specified), all or hereafter may be, provided by ties having a population of sixtycirculation in the county affected, terms of county officers and all law to control such appropriate two thousand (62,000) or more, to NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMEND- not less than once per week for contracts for the giving of ser- other governmental agencies were effect more efficient and economical MENT TO THE CONSTITU- four (4) consecutive weeks, and the vice by deputies under such offi- they to be independently adminis- government within such counties, first of such publicatoins shall ap- cers, may be subject to termina- istered. Such mergers may be ef- and to authorize mergers of sepapear not less than thirty (30) days tion by the admisistrative body of fected under proposed contracts rate governmental agencies within next prior to the time an Act mak- the county, under an adopted between the county and any such such counties as may from time to ISLATURE OF THE STATE ing proposal hereunder may be in- Charter so providing, and there yielding governmental agency, to time be authorized by vote of the troduced in the Legislature. No shall be no liability by reason be approved at an election as here- people therein." inbefore provided for. In order to "d. Any county electing to op- increase governmental efficiency of the above listed clauses on such

a favoring vote of the resident qual- erate hereunder shall have the and effect economy the county may ballot, leaving unscratched that ified electors of the affected coun- power, by Charter provision, to contract with the principal city of particular clause which expresses ty. In elections submitting to the levy, assess and collect taxes, and the county to perform one or more his vote on the proposed Amend-

State Comptroller that the need for other intoxicant whatever except islature) the votes cast by the this State, provided, however, that complete merger of the govern- ing an election in conformity herement of a city operating under a with to determine whether or not Home Rule Charter, with the gov- the proposed Constitutional Amendcities and towns of the county shall collected hereunder shall not ex-ernment of a county operating ment set forth herein shall be be separately kept but collectively ceed the limit or total fixed, or hereunder, those city Charter procounted and the votes of the qual- hereafter to be fixed by this Con- visions affected thereby shall have the same published as recease to control, and the county quired by the Constitution and laws

"c. When any embraced incorporated city or town elects to merge its governmental functions (A CORRECT COPY) with those of the county under the provisions hereof, such Charter may provide for defining or redefining the boundaries of such cities members of the family here was

and towns, provided, however, that that Mrs. Alfred Schwiening, taken in defining or redefining the to Temple last week suffering with such boundaries may be extended able to undergo a corrective operonly to include those areas contig- ation today or Saturday. She was uous to such cities as are urban in too weak to withstand such an orcharacter; and as to such cities or deal when she arrived in Temple, "(4). Any county operating towns and for the benefit thereof but has gained strength since that sue therefor its obligations. Such fined or redefined, within the lim- Dryden, on the ranches of her valid unless authorized by a ma- (or any Amendment thereof) for resident qualified votes of the area population, provided that no tax and Mrs. Gordon Stewart who were affected by the taxes required to greater than that exising at the in the Dryden section recently. retire such obligations, who may time of such merger or for any Mrs. Bond will spend the summer

defined as such by the governing event shall the aggregate obliga- even, that no portion of the county ing or bonding power which it tional and Statutory provisions of ceed the then existing Constitu- county for the government of such areas shall have and exercise all "(5). Such Charter may author- powers and authority granted by ize the governing body of a county law to the governing bodies of simoperating hereunder to prescribe ilar areas when separately incorpothe schedule of fees to be charged rated as a city or town, and such by the officers of the county for areas shall be subject to additional specified service, to be in lieu of taxation within the same Constituthe schedule for such fees pre- tional limits as control taxation for scribed by the General Laws of the a city or a own of like population. State; and, to appropriate such Likewise such Charter may promay prescribe; provided, however, county subject to existing Consti-General Law for that same ser- districts, and have and exercise the compensated upon a salary basis ir vice. Such Charters as to all judi- powers and authority granted by lieu of fees. The jurisdiction of cial officers, other than District the Constitution and laws relative

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"Against the Amendment to Ar-

Each voter shall scratch out one

Section 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue "b. In case of the partial or the necessary proclamation orderof this State.

> W. W. HEATH. Secretary of State.

Operation for Mrs. Schwiening Word from Temple Thursday to

#### Mrs. Edith Bond Returns

Mrs. Edith Bond returned last nephews, Donald and Robert Duncan, with them and their families. She was accompanied here by Mr. at the ranches of her sons, Thomas and Frank Bond.



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other section, Section 51a, which shall read as follows:

"Section 51a. The Legislature shall have power to authorize by law the issuance and sale of the bonds of the State of Texas, not to exceed the sum of Twenty Million (\$20,000,000.00) Dollars, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed Four and one-half  $(4\frac{1}{2})$  per centum per annum; and payable serially or otherwise not more than Ten (10) years from their date, and said bonds shall be sold for not less than par and accrued interest and no form of commission shall be allowed in any transaction involving said bonds. The proceeds of the sale of such bonds to be used in furnishing relief and work relief to needy and distressed people and in relieving the hardships resulting from unemployment, but to be fairly distributed over the State and upon such terms and conditions as may be provided by law and the Legislature shall make such appropriations as are necessary to pay the interest and principal of such bonds as the same becomes due. The power hereby granted to the Legislature to issue-bonds hereunder is expressly limited to the amount stated and to two years from and after the adoption of this grant of power by the people. Provided that the Legislature shall provide for the payment any bonds issued under the terms hereof from some source other than a tax on real property and the indebtedness as evidenced by such BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGbonds shall never become a charge against or lien upon any property,

real or personal, within this State. Section 2. The foregoing Conmitted to the qualified voters of Section 3, which shall procide: the State on the Twenty-sixth day hardships of unemployment and for hereby is ordained: the necessary appropriations to pay

submitted to a vote of the qualified volve by law on County Commiselectors of this State at an election sioners and County Commissioners' to be held throughout the State on Courts. Further, any such Charthe fourth Saturday in August, ter may provide for the organiza-1933. At this election all voters tion, reorganization, establishment favoring the proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballot the following words: "For the Amendment to the Constitution formance of and the compensation of Texas, authorizing the sale of vinous or malt liquors of not more duct of the county affairs, subthan three and two-tenths per cent (3.2) alcoholic content by weight." vided. Those voters opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballot the following words: "Against the Amendment to the Constitution of Texas, authorizing the sale of vinous or malt liquors of not more than three and two-tenths per cent (3.2) al-

coholic content by weight." Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for such election and to have same published as required by the Constitution and Amendments thereto.

W. W. HEATH, Secretary of State. (A CORRECT COPY)

TION OF TEXAS S. J. R. No. 3

OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article IX of the basis in lieu of fees. Constitution of Texas be amended

said bonds;" Those voters opposing ulation of sixty-two thousand (62,- such office; save, that no such votes cast in the remainder of the printed thereon the following: said amendment shall write or have 000) or more according to the then Charter other than as hereinbefore county, favor the proposed merger, printed on their ballots the words, last Federal Census may adopt a authorized, shall provide to regu- it shall not be effected. In case of IX of the Constitution of Texas, "Against the amendment to the County Home Rule Charter, to em- late the status, service, duties or the mergers hereby authorized, adding Section 3, providing author-Constitution providing that the brace those powers appropriate compensation of members of the without express Charter provision ity for the adoption of a Home Rule Legislature may authorize the is- hereto, within the specific limita- Legislature, Judges of the Courts, therefor, in so far as may be re- Charter by the voters in counties suance of bonds of the State of tions hereinafter provided. It fur- District Attorneys, County Attor- quired to make effective the ob- having a population of sixty-two

and administration of the government of the county, including the control and regulation of the perfor all duties required in the conject to the limitations herein pro-

"b. A Charter hereunder may provide that Judges of County Courts (including that County Court designated in this Constitution), and Justices of the Peace be probate Court which elsewhere is Laws of the State. defined in this Constitution. The altering the jurisdiction or pro-

words, "For the amendment to the Constitution providing that the Leg- prove most responsive to the will fice or department, whether cre-the vote within and without any and elective Charter provisions. Section 2. The foregoing Conislature may authorize the issuance of the people, and result to reward Constitutions or by statute, define defined governmental entity, shall stitutional Amendment shall be sub-

the County Court designated in this Judges, may prescribe the qualifi- to the same. Constitution, and the duties of the cations for services, provided the Judges threrof, may be confined standards therefor be not lower stitution inconsonant with the proto that general jurisdiction of a than those fixed by the General visions of this Section 3, of Article

office of Justice of the Peace may limitations upon the exercise of the under, and conforming herewith. be made either elective or appoint- powers by this subdivision to be Charters adopted hereunder shall ive. Other than as herein provided, authorized, such Charters may pro- make appropriate provisions for no such Charter shall provide for vide (or omit to provide) that the the abandonment, revocation, and cedure of any Court. The duties of functions of any city, town, district the requirements that here must of the interest and redemption of NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMEND- District Attorney and or County or other defined political subdivi- be a favoring majority of the vote MENT TO THE CONSTITU- Attorney may be confined to rep- sion (which is a governmental cast upon such a proposal, by the resenting the State in civil cases to agency and embraced within the qualified resident electors of the which the State is a party and to boundaries of the county) be trans- county; and, no Charter may forenforcement of the Sate's Penal ferred, either as to some or all of bid amendments thereof for a time ISLATURE OF THE STATE Code, and the compensation of said the functions thereof, and yielded greater han wo (2) years. The attorneys may be fixed on a salary to the control of the administrative provisions hereof shall be self-ex-

"(7). No provision of this Con-IX, shall be held to control the pro-

"(6) a. Subject to the express visions of a Charter adopted heregovernmental and or proprietary amendment thereof, subject only to body of the county. No such trans- ecuting, subject only to the duty of "c. Save as hereinabove and fer or yielding of functions may be the Legislature to pass all laws stitutional amendment shall be sub- by adding thereto a section to be hereinafter otherwise provided, effected, unless the proposal is (consistent herewith) which may be such Charters, within the limits ex- submitted to a vote of the people, necessary to carry out the intent "Section 3. (1) Holding the be- pressed therein, may invest the and, unless otherwise provided by and purposes hereof. Further. The of August, A. D. 1933, at which lief that the highest degree of local governing body to be established a two-thirds vote of the total mem- Legislature shall prescribe a proelection all voters favoring such pro- self government which is consist- for any county electing to operate bership of each House of the Leg- cedure for submitting to decision, posed amendment shall write or ent with the efficient conduct of hereunder with the power to cre- islature, such a proposal shall be by a majority vote of the electors have printed on their ballots the those affairs by necessity lodged ate, consolidate or abolish any of- submitted as a separate issue, and voting thereon, proposed alternate Section 2. The foregoing Conof bonds of the State of Texas, not their diligence and intelligence by the duties thereof, fix the compen- be separately cast and counted, mitted to the qualified electors of to exceed Twenty Million (\$20,000,- greater economy and efficiency in sation for service therein, make the and unless two-thirds of the qual- the State at an election to be held 000.00) Dollars, for relieving the their local governmental affairs, it same elective or appointive and ified votes cast within the yield- throughout the State on the fourth prescribe the time, qualifications ing defined governmental entity, Saturday in August, 1933, at which "(2) Any county having a pop- and conditions to tenure in any and a majority of the qualified election all ballots shall have

"For the Amendment to Article Texas, not to exceed Twenty Mil- ther is provided that the Legisla- neys, or any office whatever by the ject of the proposed merger, the thousand (62,000) or more, to ef-

WHEN the ball is within a 50-yard radius of the green it is often impossible to impart backspin to the ball, for this requires a firm blow which is likely to send the ball flying past the green. In such situations the cut shot is often employed. Here the arms and hands are pulled in close to the body as the ball is struck. The sidespin thus imparted has a tendency to slow the ball up once it strikes the turf. The ball has a tendency to curve toward the right even after the bounce. Allowance must be made for this slicing trajectory, but with considerable practice one can accurately judge this shot. The main difficulty with this sort of swing is that one who uses it often is likely to unconsciously employ it for other shots. On longer swings an acute slice is the result. It is for this reason that Francis Ouimet recommends the shot be confined to one club alone, preferably the mashia niblick, for it is with this club that most of the short shots are played. This lessens the swing's contagious effect.

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"As hungry as most actors are today," says the hoofing Sisters, "to have your act followed by a shower of vegetables should be considered just a lucky break."

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## "First Family" at Society Circus



Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt holding her granddaughter, "Sistie" Dall; President Roosevelt and Col. Harry N. Cootes as they viewed the so ciety circus at Fort Myer, Va.

## **BORDEN COUNTY SENDS FIRST MAN TO PEN SINCE FOUNDIND IN 1876**

felony in that county.

cial district, presided over by Judge gram. A. S. Mauzey of Sweetwater.

lengthy stretch of history had not ing silver trophies for the chambeen filled with a single criminal pions. conviction until about two years ago. John Day, a Scurry county resident, was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary for manufacture of liquor. He appealed, and was released on bond.

Wheels of justice ground slowly, but they finally affirmed the original sentence, by way of the Austin court of criminal appeals. Day was promptly re-arrested, and placed in the Scurry county jail, since Gail (county seat of Borden) does not offer a homelike bastile. He had been awaiting transportation since that time.

Borden county's first criminal case attracted considerable atten-

The state of Texas has not been the case in the several years past, out a great deal toward paying will see one of the best entertaincourt costs, or upkeep of prisoners ment programs ever offered. A in the state penitentiary from Bor- feature of the program of enterden county. John Day sent to the tainment is a barbecue each of the penitentiary from Borden county a three days. In addition there will few days ago was the first man be rodeos, ball games, music, dancever to have been convicted of a es and other features. Speakers of state and national prominence have The county is in the 32nd judi- been invited to appear on the pro-

At Tuesday's meeting P. E. Cul-Borden county was established ley reported that several premiums in 1876, 57 years ago, but that will be offered for animals, includ-

> The show will begin each day at 8:30 a. m. and close at 11:30 p. m. The annual meeting of the associa-

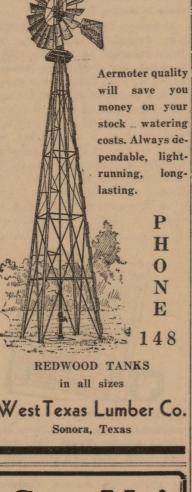


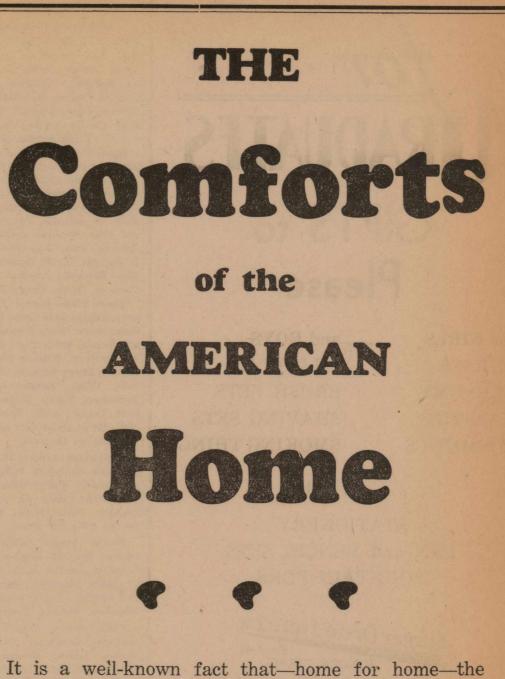
tion will be held at 8:30 p. m. July 4.

Annual dues were reduced from \$1.50 to \$1. A committee composed of J. W. Hutt, S. W. Dismukes and C. Bourland was appointed to select candidates for directors to be elected at the annual meeting .-Uvalde Leader-News.

Mrs. Mamie Blanks Home Mrs. Mamie Blanks returned Tuesday afternoon from a five weeks stay in San Angelo, Abilene, Sweetwater, Stamford and Wichita Falls.

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tion three years ago, but the cattle theft charge did not result in a conviction .- Nolan County News.

## **Goat Show Planned** at Rocksprings July

T. A. G. R. A. Completes Outline of Program for Three Days

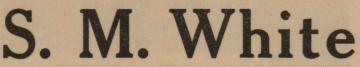
Plans for the 1933 show and sale of the Texas Angora Goat Raisers Association to be held at Rocksprings July 4-5-6, were finished Tuesday at a meeting of the directors of the association at Rocksprings.

This year's event which will be held in connection with the annual Erwards county fair, as has been

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## Arthur Baird, San

**Convention** Attended by Stokes

Arthur Baird of San Antonio was elected district governor of Lions Clubs in district Teaxas 2-A at the district convention held last Wednesday in San Antonio. H. V. Stokes, president-elect of the Sonora club, attended the meeting.

Antonio; Lion Head sided at the meeting. Attendance son.

Chosen Governor at Recent District light, with only Sonora represented Kathryn Brown, Robert Allen Simfrom group 23. Rio Grande Valley mons; music: A. W. Awalt, Kathtowns were strongly represented. It was voted to hold a similar spelling: Kathryn Brown, Rena district convention next spring in Glen Shurley, Webb Elliott, Mary Corpus Christi.

> Duwain E. Hughes, San Angelo Wool Salewool buyer, was a business vistor here Monday and Tuesday.



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#### Lubbock -

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field, John Merck, Jo Nell Miers, Fire Department, represented So-Bobby Nisbet, Young Newsom, L. nora in seeking the information. M. Roueche, Vincenta Sanchez, They spent Thursday and Friday Clifford Trainer, Reginald Trainer, in Big Spring at the convention, re-Richard Vehle, Winston Wallander. turning home Friday afternoon. From the Owensville school Muriel They were accompanied by G. A. and Bill Reilly graduated.

Honors awarded last night in the Tom Wynn, and family. grammar school grades follow: First grade: scholarship (in order Lions Clubof places: Peggy Reming, Edythe Mae Babcock, A. W. Trainer; music: R. W. Johnson, Peggy Reming, and Billy Shurley; spelling: Billy Shurley, Betty Lou Shoemake, J. to Greenwich, Kan., by S. A. Och-T. Jackson, C. W. Trainer, Edythe er, 2 doubles of sheep to Eldon, Mae Babcock, Juanita Chadwick, Ia., by Patterson & Brooks. May Clarence Smith, Peggy Reming. more, Edythe Jean Cory, Willie Nell double to Kansas City, by S. A. Hale; music: Mary Gwendolyn Wy- Mitchell, a car of calves, bought att, Gerald Puckett, Jo Beth Tay- from Joe Vander Stucken, to Warnlor; spelling: Wilfred Berger, Sue erville, Neb., and by B. W. Hutch-Gilliam, Peggy Gilmore, Willie Nell erson, 1 double and 1 single of Hale, Clyde Henderson, Louise sheep to Hodge, Texas. Merriman, Glenn Richardson, Jo Shipments for the last week fol-Beth Taylor, Addie Thorp. Willie low: Friday, 2 cars steers by Nell Hale registered perfect at- Drum-Standish to Liberty, Mo.; tendance for the year.

el, Deris McDaniel, Billy Sid Ev- pany, a double of sheep to Ottumans; music: Patsy Gilmore, Billy wa by Henson, and a car of calves Sid Evans, Billy Jo Henderson; to Table Grove, Ill., by Ray Wagspelling: Doris Meckel, Doris Mc- ner; Monday, a single deck of Daniel, Billy Sid Evans.

vis; spelling: Phillip Stevens, Dock Granbury, Texas; Wednesday, 2 Simmons, Mildred Trainer.

Fifth grade: honors: Jimmie Gwynne Langford, Katha Lea Keene, Louise Briscoe; music: Louise Briscoe, Margaret Fay Smith, Basil Taylor; spelling: Jimmie Gwynne Langford, Katha Lea Keene, Maida Ruth McKee, Robby Present district governor, the Jo Wyatt. Perfect attendance: J. Rev. Chas. Nixon of Del Rio, pre- C. Norris and Wirt Ellis Stephen-

from this part of the state was Sixth grade: honors: Jim Taylor, ryn Brown, Harrell Turney Espy; Barnes, Robert Allen Simmons.

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while, permanent projects which will pay themselves out. Minor pocounties, are eligible to secure mon- times. W. L. (Tom) Davis. ey for any project which they can nment and which will pay itself out in a period of ten to thirty years.

the R. F. C. in Washington and the applicant.

George E. Smith, city manager, George Baker, president, and F. E. Dungan, secretary of the Sonora Wynn, who visited his brother,

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9, by Chas. F. Henson, 2 doubles Second grade: honors: Peggy Gil- of sheep to Ottumwa, Iowa and 1

Saturday, car of mules to Ganado Third grade: honors: Doris Meck- by W. W. Vann Construction Comsheep to Kansas City by Henson; Fourth grade: honors: Lillie Tuesday, 4 doubles of sheep by B. Owens, Dorothy Henderson, Dock W. Hutcherson as follows: 1 to Simmons; music: James D. Train- Kansas City, 1 to East St. Louis, er, Dock Simmons, Marjorie Da- 1 to Montgomery, Ill. and 1 to



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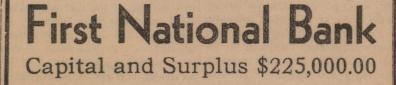
litical sub-divisions, such as road lies; purebred muley Rambouillet continue his work there. They redistricts, water districts, cities and yearling bucks. Priced to suit the port Germany dominated by the

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cars of calves, bought from Ed Sonorans Attend Shrine Activity Glasscock and Fred Simmons, to Marceline, Mo. by T. A. McMurray.

El Paso Friends Visit Kilmans SALE OR TRADE-Well improved El Paso visited briefly Monday home Saturday. unencumbered farm, fruit trees, etc. with Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Kilman. Jasper county, Texas, rain belt, Dr. and Mrs. Green were enroute on all or part consideration. If lien to El Paso following a trip abroad on sheep will assume. Clarence which took them to England, Ger-Wightman, 1832 Hillcrest Street, many and Austria. Dr. Green was 29-4tp doing post-graduate work in hospitals in London, Berlin and Vienna.

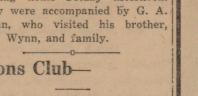
dh-2t sion of Jews from Germany, so un-

manned the Berlin hospitals that FOR SALE-Purebred Angera bil. Dr. Green found it advisable to dismilitarism of the Hitler followers.

Edgar Shurley and J. D. Lowrey drove to San Antonio Friday to attend degree ceremonies and festivities conducted by the Shriners of Dr. and Mrs. Leighton Green of Alzafar Temple. They returned







Interest rates are not definite, but will vary from  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 6 per cent according to the amount of funds, the length of time, and other considerations.

Machinery has been set up whereby the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, from its Stamford offices, will assist towns in working up their applications and supporting information, and then send the applications to the Texas Relief Commission in Austin. From there it will be sent to Washington. From that point on negotiations will likely be made directly between



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