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MISS EASTLAND HONORED BY SONORA LADY

At a delightful luncheon entertaining the members of the Queen of Clubs Wednesday of this week, Mrs. Joseph M. Vander Stucken complimented Miss Amanda Eastland, charming bride-to-be of the month, at her ranch home. The members of the club comprised three tables of bridge, and the following guests also enjoyed the party:

Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken, Mrs. Hi Eastland, Mrs. Roy Spiller of Menard and Mrs. Willie Wilkinson. Mrs. Wilkinson was high guest prize winner, and Miss Joanna Stokes won high for the club members.

Guest prize was awarded to Miss Amanda Eastland, honoree. This prize consisted of a set of rose-quartz sherbet cups. The club high prize was a cream and sugar set and the visitor's high prize was a sandwich plate. All of the prizes were presented to the charming honor guest.

After the bridge, guests were served tea and heart-shaped cakes in the dining room. Mrs. Eastland and Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken presided at the table.

The list of guests follows: Miss Amanda Eastland, Mrs. Hi Eastland, Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken, Mrs. Roy Spiller, Mrs. Johnnie Fields, Misses Joanna Stokes, Lucille White, Mary Dan Wilson, and Mesdames Gordon Stuart, Sam Allison, Jack Neil, Johnnie Hamby, Louie Stuart, and W. J. Wilkinson.

Car Registrations Are Now Complete

Registrations of automobiles and trucks are about complete for this year, according to Mrs. Ruby Stephenson, except of course for those which are registered as purchased during the year.

Registrations this year were below those for the preceding year by about 25 cars, but the figure of 601 cars and trucks for last year represents the registrations for the entire year, whereas 584 cars and 163 trucks already registered represents only the beginning of the year. On this basis it appears that by the end of the year Sutton County will have approximately 1000 taxable motor vehicles, including pleasure cars and trucks.

Big Truck Companies Buy More Chevrolets

Detroit, Mich. Feb. 10. Wholesale replacement of former Chevrolet models with the new 1928 line is now under way by the Hertz Drive-It-Yourself Corporation one of the largest fleets of passenger automobiles in the world, which controls the operation of automobile rental stations in more than 300 representative cities in the United States and Canada, according to advices received here from Chas. W. Litsey, operating vice-president and general manager of the Hertz organization, with headquarters at Chicago.

"Replacement of old models with new ones is a regular periodical event with us, made possible by the extreme popularity of our 'Chevrolets,' said Mr. Litsey. "This means that they are almost constantly on the road, and as a result they pile up a tremendous mileage total at the end of the year.

In addition, to their low initial cost and economy of operation enable us to pay out in Hertz mileage of our investment within twelve months, despite the fact that our Chevrolet rental rates are lower than on any other make of car in our service.

During 1928 practically all former Chevrolet models will be replaced with the 'Bigger and Better' line in order that full advantage of the added features in the new car may be available for Hertz patrons. More than 3,000 Chevrolets are now in use by Hertz stations, and this number will be considerably augmented during the year because of the insistent calls for this make of car.

"We have used Chevrolets in the Hertz organization consistently since our inception. They now make up approximately one-fourth the total number of cars in our service.

A fellow remarked the other day that he knew of some people in this world who were so "tight" that they would not drink enough spring water if given to them.

Vital Statistics for '27 About Same as '26

A survey of the vital statistics docket of the county clerk's office for the past two years reveals the following figures:

Number of births in 1926, 16; in 1927, 6; Deaths in 1926, 16; in 1927, 17.

Marriages in the same two years show the following figures: 1926, 20; in 1927, 19.

Divorce cases for 1926 and 1927 were 2 and 1 respectively.

A study of the civil and criminal case docket shows 8 civil and 16 criminal in 1926, with 13 civil and 3 criminal in 1927.

Utilities Publicity Man Visited Sonora

Howard Barrett, publicity and advertising manager for this section for the West Texas Utilities Company, was here Friday of last week on business. While here Mr. Barrett made the News office a pleasant visit and to secure advertising rates for a period of one year.

Mr. Barrett was well pleased with Sonora, and expressed a belief that Sonora was due for a prosperous year in 1928. Mr. Barrett is a town booster for all towns served by his company and is a pleasant gentleman to do business with.

Byrd's Companion Is Made a Mason

Brooklyn, N. Y.—Over three thousand members of the Craft crowded into Kismet Masonic Temple to witness the conferring of the Master Mason Degree on Lieut. Bernt Balchen, mechanic of Commander Richard E. Byrd's trans-Atlantic flight, which terminated in the destruction of the airplane "America" last July about 200 feet from the shore of Versur Mer. Lieut. Balchen was one of the class of five candidates that were received into Norsemen Lodge No. 878.

Commander Byrd was to have attended the ceremonies but was prevented by having to attend a conference in Washington. He wrote, however, expressing his pleasure that Balchen was to become a member of the Fraternity, as follows:

"I am delighted beyond measure that you are taking my friend Balchen in your ranks. He is a man of more than unusual character and will be a member of the crew on my Antarctic expedition next summer."

The Masonic Lodge of Edenton, N. C., possesses a chair which was used by George Washington during his visit to that section.

Attention to Tires Means Much Saving

Many motorists now realize that just putting a tire on a car and not paying any further attention to it is much the same as operating an auto without a thought for grease or oil until serious trouble develops. According to C. E. Stites of the Stites Motor Co., Firestone dealers in Sonora Texas, the way to get the most mileage and best service from tires is to have them looked over regularly and frequently.

Like the old adage about a stitch in time, a little care will often prevent serious loss of time mileage.

The treads should be inspected for cuts and bruises, and any small repairs needed should be made promptly.

Pipe Line Surveyors Leave for Junction

The crew of eighteen surveyors and engineers who for the past ten days have been stationed at Sonora, making a preliminary survey for a 10" pipe line to traverse this section, left Monday of this week for Junction, from which place the next section of the line will be surveyed.

No statement as to how soon actual construction of the line will be started was forthcoming from officials who were here.

Large surveying crews are working from both ends of the line, however, which will run from the Yates field in Pecos county to the terminal at Texas City, Texas, and the work is going ahead very rapidly.

Recent unfavorable action on the part of the State courts in refusing to permit the Humble Pipe Line Company to lay lines under water in Corpus Christi Bay will not affect the Transcontinental's plans, as they have no such difficulty to contend with, their terminus being on the mainland.

VOTING STRENGTH OF THIS COUNTY HAS INCREASED

Figures obtained this week from the office of the sheriff and tax collector show that more people paid taxes here this year than in 1926.

In 1926 only 511 poll tax receipts are recorded, this being for all precincts, while the 1928 figures show that 539 persons will be privileged to vote. Of this number 424 were assessed for taxes on county and city property, 33 were exemptions, and 82 were unassessed, and of the total number 202 were women. This shows that women of this city and county are interested in state and national affairs.

The larger number of persons paying poll taxes this year is due in part to the fact that it is a national election year, and many persons who otherwise would not vote are anxious to vote in the presidential election.

Livestock Deals by Benson Com. Co.

The following livestock and ranch deals were made recently by T. L. Benson and associates:

Sold 40 sections of land out of the Carpenter country near Dryden, to Messrs. Sowell, Allen Robinson, John Fogarty, and Geo. Montgomery of Ozona at \$5 per acre.

Sold for C. E. Chaney, 2000 mixed lambs, for fall delivery to Allen Robinson of Ozona; 2200 ewe lambs, prompt delivery, for Allen Robinson to Chas. Schrauer; 1250 ewes and 500 mixed yearling goats for Cecil Meadows to Arthur Broome of San Angelo.

During the last twelve months Mr. Benson and his associates have sold more than \$3,000,000.00 worth of land and livestock in West Texas.

Sold for Seth Ramsey, Eldorado to Harvey Morris 260 yearling ewes for delivery out of the shearing pens.

For C. B. Hudspeth to Stockley and Mundine Uvalde 300 two and three year steers for spring delivery.

For J. W. Fields to McMillan Bros. Mason 100 steer calves.

For Bond Bros. to Bob Turner, Rocksprings 40 cows.

Mrs. Gilmore Had an Interesting Visit

Mrs. S. T. Gilmore returned early this week from a ten-day trip to El Paso, Van Horn and Ft. Stockton. During her stay in El Paso, Mrs. Gilmore assisted Mrs. S. M. N. Marrs in presenting P. T. A. work to the city and county organizations, each day being filled with work at various schools.

Mrs. Marrs and Mrs. Gilmore were the recipients of many delightful luncheons and social activities, Mrs. Gilmore said.

On the return trip Mrs. Gilmore was the guest of the Van Horn and Ft. Stockton P. T. A. associations.

The work presented was of especial importance as the necessity of sending delegates to the district meeting was urged upon the organizations. The district meeting will be held in Big Spring April 5th, 6th and 7th. At that time the district will be divided and funds will be redistributed.

Officers for both districts will be elected at the district meeting. The new district will be known as the fifteenth, while Sonora will remain in the sixth district, Mrs. Gilmore stated.

SAM HULL BRINGS NEW FORD CAR TO THIS CITY

Sam and Fred Hull, of the Sonora Motor Company, returned to Sonora Thursday evening with a two-door Ford Sedan, the first of its kind to be seen here. They made the 400-mile trip from Dallas via Ft. Worth, Cisco Coleman and San Angelo in one day's easy driving, using 18 gallons of gasoline for the trip. This represented a mileage of about 20 miles to the gallon.

The Ford is all that was represented to be, Mr. Hull and others who have driven it said. It is low, racy, economical of gas and oil and Mr. Hull drove it as high as 63 miles an hour. Although it is a brand new car and had only been driven 43 miles when he got it from the factory branch in Dallas.

Those who have not driven the car and want to get a good look and feel of the car are invited to do so, drive it themselves, and convince themselves of the car's worth.

The arrival of the new Ford finds the Sonora Motor Company, agents, splendidly equipped to keep it running its best and delivering the maximum of speed, service and utility for which it was designed.

The Sonora Motor's new home, recently completed, is mechanically equipped to service both the new car and its famous old brother, the model T. An automatic automobile hoist, hydraulically operated, complete cylinder block reborer apparatus, valve re-facing machinery, crank case aligner, and in short, every new mechanical device is installed at the plant to give quality service to owners both of Fords and all other makes of cars.

With 17,500 square feet of floor space available, the parking question is now definitely taken care of at the Sonora Motor Company. This department is under the supervision of an experienced car placer, washer and greaser, with three wash racks to speed up the service in bad weather.

LOVE—KEYS

Miss Lela Keys of Bandera, Texas and Clarence Love of Sonora were married last Saturday, February 4th, at Kerrville, Texas.

Mr. Love is foreman of the J. W. the young couple will make their Wilkinson ranch near Sonora, where home.

The young lady is reported to be very beautiful and charming, and we congratulate Mr. Love on his good luck, wishing for them both the utmost in health, wealth and happiness.

The groom is a brother of Gus Love, a resident of this section for many years.

Bronchs Drop One to Eldorado Again

Managing to play a splendid game but not quite good enough the Sonora high Bronchs dropped their fourth game to Eldorado High School Wednesday afternoon on the Eldorado court.

Inability to shoot "crip" shots together with a sieve-like defense proved the Bronchs undoing. The game was hard fought all the way, the score at the end of the first half being 14 to 14. The final count was 36 to 28. Ratliffe of Eldorado was high point man with 18 counters. Hollmig led the local scorers.

A return engagement will be played next Wednesday afternoon on the local court.

Sonora to Have Bldg. & Loan Association

Sonora may soon have a building and loan association, according to H. E. Dunlap and G. L. Douglas, representatives of the Interstate Fidelity Building and Loan Association, who are here this week from headquarters at Amarillo, Texas. Mr. Dunlap is securing ten stockholders for the association, five of which have agreed to take stock. He is confident that the other five names will be signed before the day ends.

The Fidelity Building and Loan Association is now operating in 165 West Texas towns, lending money on improved real estate at an average of 8 per cent interest per annum. With an authorized capital stock of \$20,000,000 and assets involving more than two and one-half million dollars enables this association to operate extensively throughout West Texas. The association pays 8 per cent interest on saving accounts compounded semi-annually.

W. L. Caldwell, local manager of the West Texas Lumber Company, is likely to be local agent for the new association.

New Ball Player Comes to Sonora

Jack Sharp formerly of Sanderson, has moved to Sonora and accepted a position at the Hamby Barber Shop, relieving Raymond Barker.

Mr. Sharp is reputed to be a crack er-jack, all round, general utility man on a baseball team, having played for five or six years with Sanderson, commanding a salary from that team. Sanderson has always had one of the best amateur baseball teams in West Texas. Sharp specialized in the outfield.

Local fans are hoping that when the Sonora ball team is organized Sharp will be willing to hold down a responsible berth on the team.

We are glad to have this young man in Sonora and welcome him in the name of the citizens of Sonora and Sutton County. Mr. Sharp has relatives here, being a grandson of S. H. Stokes, and has visited here frequently.

Legion to Meet in Santone, October 8-12

San Antonio, Tex., Feb. 4th, 1928. Plans for the national convention of the American Legion Auxiliary here October 8 to 12 will be worked out by national officers of the organization in conference here on February 7 to 9 with members of the American Legion national convention bureau, 7 to 9 with members of the American local committees, city officials and state and local officers of the Auxiliary.

Mrs. Irene McIntyre Walbridge, national president, and Mrs. Lucy F. Boyd, national secretary, will arrive in San Antonio from Indianapolis on the morning of February 7. Mrs. Beulah Hardin, of Harlingen, president of the Texas Auxiliary, and Miss Ada May Maddox, of Austin, its secretary, will also be present. Mrs. Walton D. Hood, president of Alamo Unit here, will head the local group in conference.

Mrs. Walbridge's party, accompanied by the local committees, will visit disabled veterans of the world war at the veteran's bureau hospital at Kerrville on February 7.

February 8 will be given to convention conferences and to a round of social entertainment here. Mrs. Walbridge will be the guest of honor at a luncheon given by the Legion. In the evening there will be a dinner, attended by city officials, representatives of the Chamber of Commerce, leading citizens and Legion and Auxiliary members from San Antonio and surrounding towns.

Conference on convention arrangements will continue on the morning of February 9. Nat M. Washer, general convention chairman, and Philip B. Stapp, general convention director, will participate in the conferences.

A tour by Mrs. Walbridge's party and the local committee to the old missions and other points of interest in San Antonio will conclude the visit of the national officers to San Antonio. Mrs. Walbridge and Mrs. Boyd will go from here to El Paso.

Sheep and Goat Men to Meet in San Angelo

At the executive meeting of the Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers' Ass'n. held in Junction this week, San Angelo was selected as the site for the 1928 convention of the body. The date will be from July 23 to 26 inclusive.

NEW ROUTE OF RAILROAD WILL BE DISCUSSED

By the Associated Press. SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 8.—R. W. Morrison, president of the recently organized Gulf and West Texas railroads, announced today that high officials of a big trunk line will arrive in the city Saturday for a meeting with San Antonio shippers.

The purpose of the meeting will be for shippers or receivers of freight to give assurance to the trunk line officials as to what part of San Antonio's total freight business the new line will get, if built.

The proposed railroad would connect San Antonio with San Angelo.

Must Show Tonnage
"We have no chance whatever to get (this railroad) built unless we can show the trunk line that we will favor it with tonnage in and out of San Antonio," Morrison said in announcing the meeting.

"Upon outcome of the meeting Saturday rests our chances for getting this railroad. We know there is enough freight in and out of San Antonio if diverted to this new connection to justify its construction."

Three Routes
Three logical routes have been suggested for the proposed line. The first, by way of Fredericksburg, would include Brady, making contact at that point with the Frisco system, thence to San Angelo.

The second via Kerrville, utilizing existing trackage of the Southern Pacific, would run into San Angelo by way of Menard.

The third route, by way of Sonora, would touch lines of no other existing trunk road.

If built direct to San Angelo, the road would require approximately 200 miles of track, Morrison said.

The meeting is expected to be an early date, at which time representatives from interested town in West Texas will be present.

Sonora Is Still 'Jokingest' Town

Every now and then some old timer from this town or county will stop a resident of Sonora and ask "Well, do the still play those practical jokes down in Sonora?"

"That they still do" was demonstrated Thursday afternoon of this week when about 90 per cent of the business men of Sonora paid a call to "Room 10" of a local hotel to interview a highly fictitious "Mr. McConnell," purporting to be the purchasing agent of a large pipe line company.

The three leading garages here, in answer to Mr. McConnell's summons, prepared samples (some of them fixed up with labels "everything" and called on Mr. McConnell. The hardware companies both followed suit shortly after, as did the bakery and the proprietor of a popular clothing house and a filling station. The News office did not go unscathed, its advertising man, reporter, and printing solicitor calling on "Mr. Mc. McConnell."

The highest pitch of amusement was reached, however, when a dignified gentleman of the cloth called at the unoccupied room to join in body wedlock "Mr. McConnell" and his "bride," both of whom were absent at the moment.

The perpetrators of the hoax feared violence for a few minutes when one gentleman bee-lined for their lair. His ire was soon changed to laughter, however, when it was explained that others had been the victims of the same joke.

Cooper Buys Baby Beef for Market

H. P. (Don) Cooper, proprietor of the City Market, this week purchased from Albert P. Bailey of Eldorado, 40 head of choice heifer calves. The young animals weigh an average pound, making the average price of 704 pounds and brought 10c \$70.40, per head.

The Savell, the writer, and Mr. Cooper inspected the herd of calves at the Cooper ranch a mile north of town Wednesday, and found the herd to be as represented by Mr. Cooper. The calves will be slaughtered for the City Market. Mr. Cooper is doing his best to get the best meat for his customers, and this is evidenced by the purchase of baby beef.

Mrs. Lee Drisdale of Juno and her band were here today enroute to their home. They had been in attendance at the meeting of the Sheep & Goat Raisers convention which had been in session at Junction for the past several days.

WHAT DOES SONORA NEED?

The News will reward the author of the best letter on "What Sonora Needs" with a gift of \$5.00 worth of printing. The second best letter will receive a free subscription to the News for one year.

The letters, all of them, will be printed in the News, and must bear the signature of the writer. Manuscripts may be either typed or in long-hand, preferably typed.

The letters will be judged by a committee of three representative citizens of Sonora.

All contributions must be in the News office not later than February 22, and the prize winners will be announced in the following issue, February 24th.



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BROADCASTING FROM SONORA
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BY DANIEL O. PAYNE

Folks, did you ever see such weather as Sonora has had for the past week? And in February, especially? Just think of it—California has got rich boasting their weather, and if they can beat this they deserve it. If Will Rogers ever comes to Sonora I'm going to invite him out here. When I go to the Democratic Convention in Houston in July this country will get some free advertising just like California has.

We will next have a little talk by Johnnie Hamby entitled "Stop Watches and Speedometers I have seen." Johnnie can conclusively show you that cars don't run as fast as the speedometers indicate.

We have no songs to offer you this week, our musical performers all being out of town this (Wednesday) morning at the party on the Vander Stucken ranch. Perhaps if we'd wait until some of them came back to town we could work up a couple of songs but I can't wait for them.

So the best we can do is tell you what some girls told Jack Trainer. Jack asked the girls, who were driving a big car, for a ride. They asked: "Are you going North?" Jack replied that he was, and as the car drove away they said "well, tell the Eskimo's hello." That one was too good to keep—I had to tell it.

And by the way, if you are planning to sell Mr. Miers (W. A.) anything, or if you want him to sell you his wool, don't make the mistake that Charlie Evans did and inquire if there was anything to the report that Mr. Miers turned over recently. He didn't turn over—the car he was driving did, however.

Our next number will be a little talk by Dan, John, and Mac, the handsome Cauthorn boys, on the care and feeding of a cub bear. Also, on what to put on your hands and face after the bear has handed you a couple of playful smacks on them.

Honestly, if someone doesn't come to our rescue with some vocal talent, we'll just have to discontinue. Help! Succor! Assistance! We're running out of juice. Hope something exciting happens next week.

La Vista Bill Is Up to Standard

"One Woman to Another," said to be Florence Vidor's best picture to date, opens the bill at the La Vista this coming week. Other stars in the film are Hedda Hopper, Marie Shotwell and Roy Stewart. Another "Ko Ko" comedy is on the bill Monday night.

Those who love airplane thrillers will want to see "Publicity Madness" Tuesday night, with Lois Moran and Edmond Lowe. Also, M. G. M. news.

Col Tim McCoy is at his best in "Spoilers of the West" showing Wednesday night. Assisted by Wm. Fairbanks, Jr., Marjorie Daw and Chief Big Tree, this all star Metro Goldwyn Western is a knock-out. An oddity, "The Monarch of the Glenn," is very interesting.

"Good Time Charley," Thursday's offering, shows the comedy-drama of an actor's life with Helene Costello, Clyde Cook and Montagu Love starring. A very dramatic interpretation is this. Also "The Feather Pushers," a big time comedy.

Richard Dix was never better than in "The Gay Defender," showing Friday night. A tale of the rip-roaring days of '49 in California's gold rush. Dix, Thelma Todd and Fred Kohler all ring the bell for real acting. Also comedy "Row Sailor, Row."

The closing picture will be "For the Love of Mike" with Ford Sterling at his best, and Ben Lyon, Claudette Colbert and that Funny Skeets Gallagher acting unusually well in a play which shows the serious, as well as the frivolous, side of college life. M. G. M. News no. 47, also.

This is an all-round good bill, well balanced and hard to beat.

Junction—The City of Junction has purchased a motor driven chemical engine with all standard fire fighting equipment.

Anton—Anton is among the towns to affiliate with the West Texas Chamber this month. It is located in a good farming region, where diversified farming is practiced.

Idalou—Business property in Idalou has been purchased by F. B. Petty of Bledsoe who has moved here to take charge.

Spur—Spur ginned 17,754 bales of the 1927 cotton crop, according to figures made public here. A few bales remain to be picked.

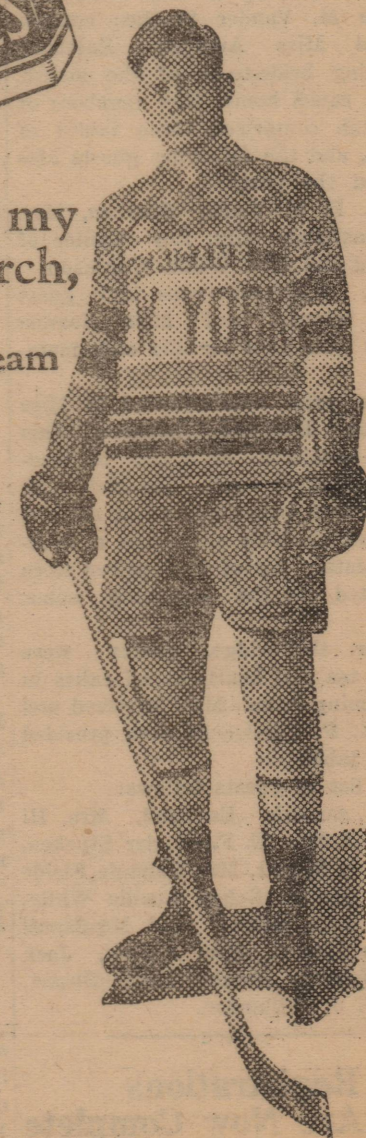


The Cream of the Tobacco Crop

"Luckies never cut my wind" says Billy Burch, Captain of N. Y. Americans' Hockey Team

"I can't afford to take any chances with my physical condition. That's why I stick to Luckies. In addition to the pleasure I get from their fine flavor, they have never cut my wind to any noticeable degree. Finally, I never suffer with sudden coughing which might be very dangerous for me when there's a scramble on the ice."

Billy Burch



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—ever go through Mother's Valentine box?

Chances are you may find it hidden in an obscure corner of the attic—a big dust-covered box holding the frothy lace and tinted creations Mother hoarded.

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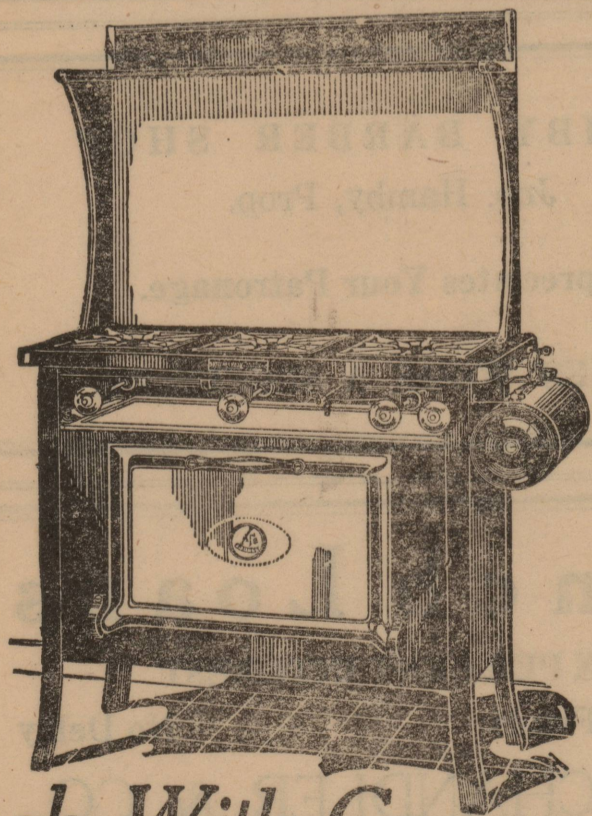
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Scout Organization Perfected in Sonora

A Sonora chapter of the Boy Scouts of America was organized at a meeting held in Jackson Hall on Thursday evening, Feb. 2 at 7:30 p. m. and twelve boys applied for membership as charter members.

Carol Stephen was named as Scout Master, and accepted the place.

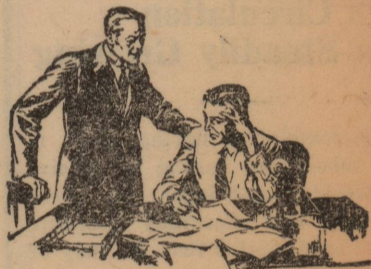
The chapter consists of Roy Aldwell, Wirt Stephenson, W. C. Gilmore, Vernon Hamilton, and L. W. Elliott.

The twelve boys attending the meeting and signing up were:

LeeRoy Aldwell, G. W. Archer, Jr., Elwood Dunklin, Charles Evans, Jr., John Hull, Seth Lancaster, De Witt Lancaster, Woodrow Norris, Edwin Sawyer, Willie B. Wilson, Junior Brasher and Charles G. Pharris.

Meetings will be held at Jackson Hall from seven to eight o'clock each Thursday evening, according to Roy Aldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Cooper were pleasant callers at the News office Tuesday. This was Mrs. Cooper's first visit at the News office since the sale of the News to M. A. Wilson.



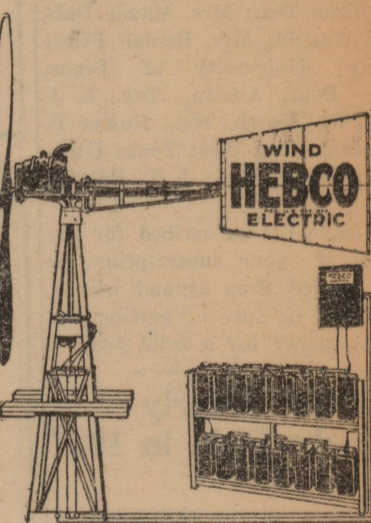
Are You Overdoing?

Overwork Throws a Heavy Burden on the Kidneys.

OVERWORK, rich foods and stimulating drinks put extra burdens on our kidneys. When the kidneys slow up, impurities remain in the blood and are apt to make one languid, tired and achy, with dull headaches, dizziness and often nagging backache. A common warning is scanty or burning secretions.

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SIZE FOR YOUR NEEDS

FURNISHED WITH OR WITHOUT

TOWER OR BATTERY

32 AND 110 VOLTAGE

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ROCKSPRINGS, TEXAS

Texas Bankers Want Dead Bank Robbers

FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 10.—Texas bankers' new anti-bank bandit policy of paying \$5,000 for every robber killed while in the act of robbing a bank, and no reward for live bandits captured is vigorously defended by Mr. William M. Massie, president of Texas Bankers Association in an article appearing in the February number of Bunker's Monthly, a Texas magazine, published at Fort Worth.

Following the killing of a number of bandits by peace officers, while attempting to stage daylight holdups of Texas banks, and the alleged "planting" and killing of several Mexicans in what is charged was a fake bank robbery for the purpose of securing the banker's association reward, a tremendous furor over the propriety of placing a price on human life, and the article is attracting wide attention.

"The Texas Bankers Association is determined to make bank robbery unhealthy in Texas," Massie declares in his article. "We expect to make it more difficult to rob a bank in Texas and get away alive than anywhere in the country."

Affirming that the decision to pay for dead robbers was made necessary by a "situation which was growing more intolerable every day," Massie said.

"During the past eight years there have been 140 successful bank robberies in Texas, in which the robbers got away with \$564,065, and during the same period only thirty convictions of persons charged with bank robbery! And a number of those convicted were soon at liberty and free to commit more bank robberies, some pardoned, some escapee.

Pointing out that the great majority of present day bank robberies are by "daylight bandits" usually of the generation, Massie declares flatly, "There is only one way to stop a daylight bank robbery after it gets started and that is to shoot the robber and shoot to kill.

Results of the new policy already have far exceeded his expectations, the bankers' association president declares.

Between the time the reward notices first were posted, late in November and January 1st, three Texas bank robbers have been killed in the act, two wounded, the leading members of a well-organized gang believed to be responsible for a series of bank holdups over two years' time have been rounded up, only one successful bank robbery occurred and one bank robber was sentenced to the electric chair, Massie pointed out. Furthermore, "there has been a greater number of arrests on the charge of bank robbery in Texas during the past six weeks than during the previous two years," he adds significantly.

We are going to keep on advertising the fact far and wide that we will pay \$5,000 for every dead bank robber and that we will not pay a cent for a hundred live bank robbers," Massie concludes. "We are launched upon this policy for an indefinite period."

Massie's article is given a leading position in the magazine, Bunker's Monthly is a new publication issued from the Bunker's Press of Fort Worth, Texas, with an announced purpose of carrying only authoritative articles about Texas, from virtually every viewpoint.

Makes Money Selling Eggs

Mrs. Alvis Johnson of Sonora, in addition to her many other activities, finds time to devote to a flourishing egg business. Mrs. Johnson reports that in the month of January alone she sold \$132.00 worth of eggs, and that of this amount about \$90.00 was profit, the rest going for chicken feed.

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With the completion of repairs and additions to its already large plant, the Sonora Dairy, of which D. T. Speed is proprietor, now ranks with the best and most modern dairies any where.

Notable among the new additions is the new dairy barn, in which sixteen cows can be milked at one time. The barn is thoroughly equipped, having a slanting cement floor which is constantly draining. Each cow is provided with a sanitary individual feed bin.

The dairy is now milking about 50 cows daily, which give about 80 or 90 gallons of milk. Of this amount about 75 gallons of sweet milk are sold in Sonora daily, the remainder being used for butter and butter milk.

Mr. Speed sells about six pounds of butter each day, the price being 60c to individuals and 50c to retail stores. From six to seven gallons of butter milk are sold daily.

Another new addition is that of the water boiler, from which is obtained scalding water in which the bottles are sterilized. The bottles are handled very sanitarily, and the milk goes into the bottles from spigots so as to do away with the old-fashioned method of filling them by hand.

A recent inspection of the herd of cows was made by Dr. D. H. Bennett, of San Angelo, and he found the cows free from any infection.

Lawrence Grimland is ill.

Lawrence Grimland has been confined to his bed almost continuously since his return from an operation at Temple. The News hopes that his bright and handsome face will soon reappear at his post at Vander Stuck on's store.

The News has a nice supply of debit and credit slips.

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**FLOOD IMMIGRANTS
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Washington, D. C.—More than 1,500,000 applicants were registered at European consulates for admission into the United States at the first of the year, Senator David Reed, of Pennsylvania, said at the immigration conference held under the auspices of the Key Men of America. Admission of this number and the millions which would follow would cause the United States "soon to lose its American identity and become a polyglot of transported European culture and institution," he declared. He urged that to avoid this menace to the welfare of the country a strict enforcement of the immigration restriction laws and adherence to the national origins system of immigration appointment should be maintained. "We have no need for any such immigration," the senator continued. "America is doing its own work well today. Can you inflict any greater injury upon the American who works with his hands than to introduce the competition of 1,500,000 new workers who come to look for jobs and come inevitably to take jobs from American citizens?"

Several others who made speeches advocating restrictive immigration were Senator Pat Harrison, of Mississippi; Representative John C. Cox, of Texas; Prof. H. H. Laughlin, of the Carnegie institution. Mrs. William Sherman Walker, chairman of the defense committee of the D. A. R. Hugh White Adams and Elton Huntington Hooker of New York.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of expressing to you good people of Sonora and the surrounding country our sincere thanks and appreciation for your many acts of kindness and words of sympathy to us during the recent illness and death of our dear son and brother,
Mrs. L. V. Ogle and Edna.

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35 YEARS AGO
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Walter Whitehead, of the firm of G. W. Whitehead & Sons, was a visitor in town last Monday.

Basil Halbert, brother of R. F. and L. N. Halbert, returned from a pleasure trip to Ft. Worth Monday.

Murder in Crockett County: news has just reached Sonora that on Wednesday, about the noon hour, Bill Schwalbe, 1, shot Tom McDowell three times from the effects of which he immediately died. The shooting occurred at the McDowell ranch and is said to have been caused by family trouble.

S. H. Stokes, the lime dealer, reports that the sheepmen are buying more lime for dipping purposes at present than they have at any time during the past two years.

San Saba, Tex., Dec. 13, 1892. The grand jury of this county has just returned indictments against four members of a euchre club comprising about 40 persons, men and women, married and single. These people are all society folks of this town. Four women are arraigned. The circumstances has caused a great deal of feeling and comment.

Times are dull and money is scarce. The politicians you want may not have been elected but still Sonora grows. New additions and buildings are every where to be seen and the people have confidence in the country.

**News Circulation
Is Steadily Growing**

Some complaints having come to us of subscribers failing to receive their weekly joy-bringer, the News force spent last Saturday working over the subscription list. A study of the subscriber's names as compared with the list of nine months ago shows that the circulation of the Devil's River News has about doubled in that time.

A list of the new subscribers since December 15th, 1927, follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Huffhines, Richardson, Tex., Miss Ethel White, Sanatorium, Tex., Southwest Press Printing Bureau, Topeka, Kansas, Martha Brown, Sanderson, Texas, Lum Trainer, City, D. Q. Adams, Camp Allison, Tex., Mrs. Fritz Striegler, Del Rio, Tex., W. S. Evans, City, T. B. Adams, San Angelo, Manuel Monreal, City, Jack Mayfield, Mexico City, Charlie Tolliver, City, Mrs. George Allison, City, George J. Trainer, Jr., City, W. H. Dameron, Sub-Station 14, H. L. Taylor, City, Henry Campbell, City, L. H. McGhee City, Mrs. Rena Trainer, City; Joe Parker, Animas, N. M., Ira Shroyer, Camp Allison Tex.; Mrs. Maude Dabney, San Angelo; Mrs. Beulah Pfister, City; University of Texas, Publicity Dept., Austin, Tex., L. J. Wardlaw, Ft. Worth, Tex., Homer P. Lee, Junction Tex., West Texas Utilities Co., Abilene, Tex., J. T. Barton, City.

If you have not subscribed for the News, or if your subscription is about to expire, drop around with a \$2.00 bill and be sure of getting the home town paper for a solid year.

**Sutton Got Nearly
25 Inches Rain in 1927**

W. H. Dameron, superintendent of Experiment Sub-Station no. 14, furnished the News with the following rainfall figures for Sutton County for the year of 1927:

January	.325
February	1.525
March	1.50
April	4.47
May	.57
June	3.41
July	1.81
Aug.	.55
September	3.83
October	5.51
November	5.51
December	1.109
TOTAL	24.83

A study of these figures shows that October led the months in the amount of rainfall, with April and September close followers.

**Vander Stucken Buys
2 Cars Purina Feed**

J. T. Speed, salesman for the Purina products with headquarters in San Angelo, was in Sonora last Friday calling on their customer, the E. F. Vander Stucken Company. Mr. Speed stated that he had sold this firm two cars of this quality feed, and that this amount was only one seventh of what he had sold during the past two weeks.

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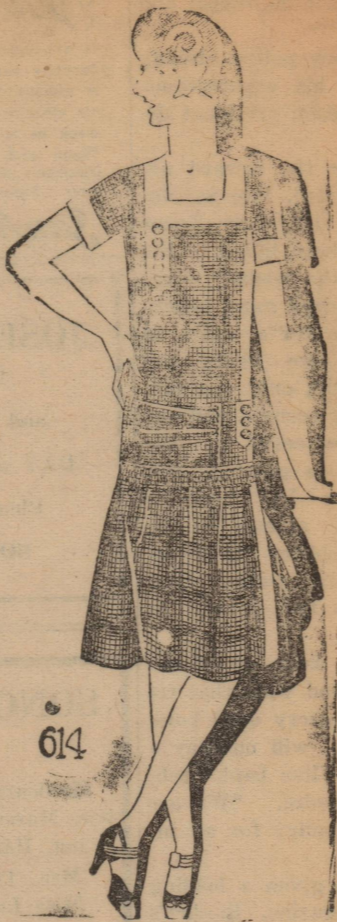
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Monday, February 13.

"ONE WOMAN TO ANOTHER"

With Florence Vidor, Hedda Hopper, Marie Shotwell and Roy Stewart
COMEDY—"KO KO HOT."

Tuesday, February 14.

"PUBLICITY MADNESS"

With Lois Moran, Edmund Lowe, Arthur Haussman. A big airplane show.
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Wednesday, February 15.

"SPOILERS OF THE WEST"

With Col. Tim McCoy, Wm. Fairbanks, Jr., and Marjorie Daw.
ODDITY—"THE MONARCH OF THE GLENN."

Thursday, Feb. 16.

"GOOD TIME CHARLIE"

With Clyde Cook, Helene Costello and Montagu Love.
COMEDY—"THE FEATHER PUSHERS"

Friday, February 17.

"THE GAY DEFENDER"

With Richard Dix, Thelma Todd and Fred Kohler. A story of the gold rush in the days of '49.
COMEDY—"ROW, SAILOR, ROW."

Saturday, February 18.

"FOR THE LOVE OF MIKE"

With Ford Sterling, Ben Lyon, Claudette Colbert and Skeets Gallagher. A picture which shows the other side of college life.
M. G. M. NEWS NO. 47

NEWS FROM THE U. S. CAPITOL

(News Washington Bureau)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 10.—Representative C. B. Hudspeth of Texas is spending much of his time at Washington in attempting, with his colleagues of the House Committee on claims, to clear away the committee's overlaid docket of relief measure. More than 3,000 claims against the Federal government have been referred to this committee.

It is Mr. Hudspeth's practice to take a batch of these claims and consider them carefully on their merits each week, reporting back, favorably or otherwise, to the committee at each weekly meeting day. This is the real drudgery of the House. It leaves relatively little time for participation in debate.

Notwithstanding, Mr. Hudspeth participated in the debate last week on the appropriation bills. The subject of claims was under discussion at the time and the Texan advocated legislation which would result in speeding up consideration of these various claims and others in prospect, both for the relief of congress and for the quickening of relief to individuals who have claims against the government.

A runaway congress shot down the road last week. Raising a cloud of political dust, with the bit in its teeth and astride of a trace, it lit out for parts known only to itself. And all the "whooping" of the dignified Vermont gentleman holding the reins all his pulling back upon them, all his application of the brakes, failed to slacken the pace or keep the wagon out of the ruts.

The off horse, sometimes called the House of Representatives, gentled a bit under the pressure. But the headstrong Senate kept on. They say there was strong language back in the wagon and private cussing in other administration quarters. Maybe so, it didn't rise above the clamor. Bystanders saw only unruffled calm and a smile, the spectacle of a team hitting it up for the Promised Land with the driver seemingly undisturbed, not exactly enjoying the thing, but pleasant and affable so long as he had it on his hands.

Over in the Senate, where the nominal Republican majority of two has melted into the thinness of the rainbow, they did the following unpleasant things to Mr. Coolidge's program of quiet, Sunday-like government of peace and economy.

Passed, 53 and 31, the Jones resolution forbidding the sale of the government-owned merchant marine, or any part, except upon unanimous vote of the Shipping Board.

Considered the LaFollette resolution disapproving a third term for the President.

Reported out favorably Senator Walsh's resolution to investigate the public utilities, after first clipping its wings.

Took up the Johnson resolution to investigate the coal strike in union bituminous fields.

ABOUT WOMEN

Miss Marja J. Gomolska, owner of two Polish newspapers, one in Utica and the other in Syracuse, N. Y., is thought to be the only woman publisher of a foreign language newspaper in the United States.

Miss Harriet Reed has been appointed arbiter of the industrial board of Illinois at a salary of \$5,000 a year.

Miss Mildred Parisette of Texas and Miss Margaret Bergin of New Jersey are two young American singers to make their debut with the Metropolitan Opera Company of New York this season.

Women who enter the ministry of the German Evangelical Church are not permitted to marry.

Miss Anne Case is attending evening classes in a London public school at the age of 75. She speaks four foreign languages, French, Spanish and Italian.

Miss Iyo Araki, a Tokio nurse who proved herself a heroine in the great Japanese earthquake, is in this country to study American nursing methods.

Twenty new electric locomotives in England were recently named for celebrities, one being called the Florence Nightingale in honor of the famous nurse of the Crimean War.

BEN L. WHEAT CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Ben L. Wheat celebrated Mr. Wheat's 24th birthday recently when Mrs. Nannie Wheat entertained them and Miss Francis Adams, Lloyd Earwood and Mrs. Paul Turney at her home with a birthday dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheat are now living on the Ira Wheat ranch.

J. W. McDaniel Buys New Trucks

All three of the Chevrolet trucks formerly in the service of J. W. McDaniel, hauling contractor here, have been traded in on new trucks of the same make, Mr. McDaniel said Monday of this week.

This splendid new equipment will enable Mr. McDaniel to more efficiently serve the people of this section, whose business he is anxious to maintain.

Gilmore Agents for G. E. Refrigerators

Gilmore Hardware Company have been appointed agents here for General Electric refrigerators, according to W. C. Gilmore. The company now has the agency for two electric home refrigerating plants, the Kelvinator and the G. E. affording a complete selection of every model and type of electric cooling system now on the market.

Circulating Petition for River Road

D. Q. Adams, ranchman from the Ft. Terrett section, and for fourteen years a county commissioner of Sutton County, was in Sonora early this week circulating a petition on behalf of other ranchmen in that section.

Mr. Adams' petitions the county commissioner's court to arrange for the construction of a road to connect with the good roads of Kimble County, utilizing the Llano River road instead of going around through the hills.

A large number of signatures had been affixed to the petition, and it is believed that it will meet with success when presented to the county commissioners.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the good people of Sonora who rendered their good services during the illness and death of our dear husband and brother.

May the Lord be with you all in the last days.

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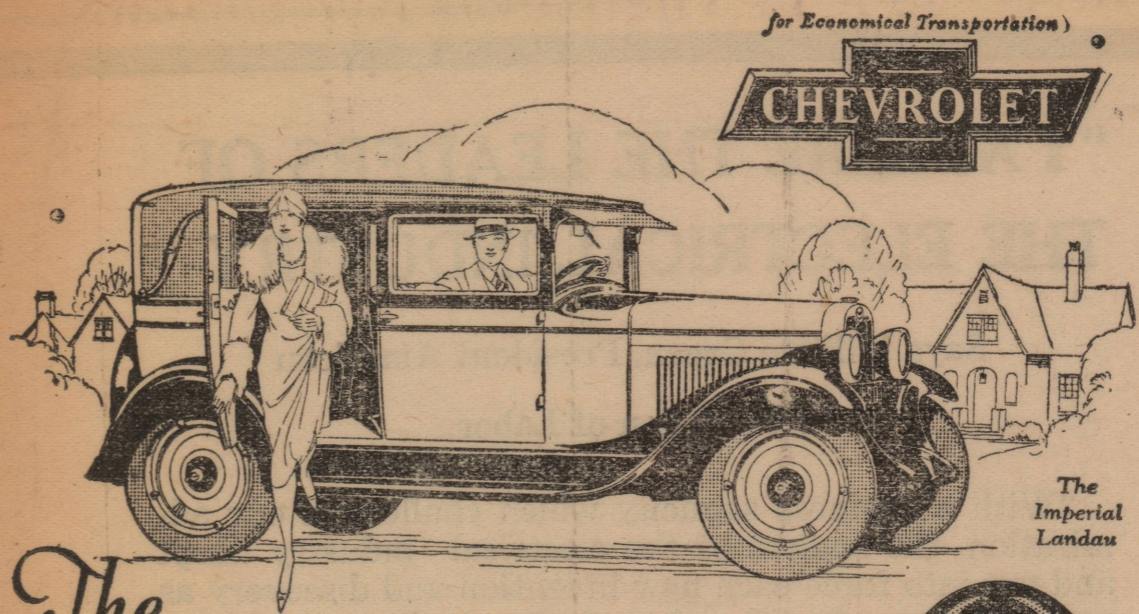
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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation will be cheerfully corrected upon being to the attention of the editor at the News office.

Some of the would-be political bees will find themselves to be mere humbugs after the election.

Oh, yes, Mary Ann, Sonora has taken a forward step in building more substantial buildings.

A good way to bring our past history before the public is to enter politics, especially the gubernatorial race.

The News job printing department this week printed and delivered 8,000 envelopes and 5,000 letterheads to a customer in a near-by town. This is sufficient proof that the News can handle your printing at a reasonable price and do the work just like you want it.

Dan Moody, present governor of Texas is going to be hard to beat in the coming election. Dan has proven his qualifications, integrity and honesty, and deserves another term. Jim Ferguson, the impeached governor, is carrying his hip pocket votes around with him and will endeavor to give them to L. J. Wardlaw. The support of Jim, in our opinion, will not help Wardlaw. Of course we will see if this is true in July.

Recently the News notified advertisers that any advertising copy would not be accepted later than Wednesday at noon, and we still ask you to get your copy prepared by that time should you want an ad in the News. Large daily papers will not accept ad copy unless copy is handed to them the day preceding date of publication. We are giving you the same service and ask the advertisers to co-operate with us.

KEEP SONORA MONEY IN SONORA

According to reports from the local post office, a sum approximating \$30,000 annually is being sent away from Sonora to other towns. Of his amount, at least two-thirds is going away to foreign mail order houses such as Sears Roebuck & Company, Montgomery Ward & Co. and other mail order houses. Most of this money sent to mail order houses is spent for hardware, clothing, etc. that the local merchants here carry in stock. Just think what \$20,000 or \$30,000 would do for the local business men. If this amount was spent at home it would enable the local merchants to carry a larger stock of goods and at less expense according to the merchant's investment.

We have always maintained and advocated that money spent at home is one of the best investments the local people can make. Even if the goods be a small per cent higher and of the same quality or even better, the local merchants deserve the patronage of the local people. The local merchant pays taxes here; helps any good and worthy cause; waits on the sick; helps support the schools and churches, and many other good deeds to numerous mention. What does the foreign mail order house care for our schools and churches? What interest does the house to house peddler have in our town and our people? The answer is none. Then why continue to send away for goods when they can be purchased at home at a reasonable price?

WASHINGTON

He stands the noblest leader who ever was entrusted with his country's life. His patience, under provocation, his calmness in danger, and lofty courage when all others despaired, his prudent delay was best, and his quick and resistless blow when action was possible, his magnanimity to defamers and generosity to foes, his ambition for his country and unselfishness for himself, his sole desire of freedom and independence for America, and his only wish to return after victory to private life, have all combined to make him, by the unanimous judgement of the world, the foremost figure of history.

—Chauncey M. Depew.

Carbon and second sheet paper at the News office.

WARNS AGAINST THROWING RUBBISH ON HIGHWAYS

H. L. Taylor, district construction supervisor of the State Highway, through the News, wishes to warn everybody about dumping trash and rubbish on the highway. Mr. Taylor says that it not only looks bad, but a penalty of from \$100 to \$500 is fixed by the State Highway Department in order to help preserve the cleanliness and attractiveness of the roads.

The News is equipped to handle any kind of printing from calling cards to ledger sheets.

Landmark Moved for New Building

The Savell and Trainer buildings on Main Street are being moved to make way for newer buildings soon to be constructed.

The Trainer building, which for many years has housed a cafe, will be moved to Mr. Trainer's lots on the corner of Concho and Main, while it is not known yet whether Mr. Savell will raze his building or simply move it to another location.

Wedding and birth announcements at the News office.

Remember you can have a Buick at this moderate price

—a real Buick in every way with flashing getaway and mighty power—princely luxury and beauty—supreme comfort and riding ease.

Choose from three popular models at this moderate price—Sedan, Coupe or Sport Roadster. Pay on the liberal G. M. A. C. plan.

And you will always know—whether you pay \$1195 for your Buick, or more—that your money buys the utmost in motor car value.

SEDANS \$1195 to \$1995
 COUPES \$1195 to \$1850
 SPORT MODELS \$1195 to \$1525

All prices f. o. b. Flint, Mich., government tax to be added. The G. M. A. C. finance plan, the most desirable, is available.

HENDERSON EDE CO.
 SAN ANGELO TEX.

Mary Lou Frocks

FOR SPRING \$2.00
 You will surely buy several of these Beautiful Wash Frocks.



Underwear

Our selection of underthings is now ready and we want you to see them. Our line this season consists of some very snappy and original styles.

The Style Shop

"I ADMIRE THE LEADERS OF THE ELECTRICAL INDUSTRY"

Says William Green, President American

Federation of Labor.

"With a business sagacity which challenges our admiration, the leaders of the electrical industry adopt and put into force each new invention and discovery as soon as it is perfected and ready for market. And I am certain no other industry is devoting so much time, money and effort to the successful expansion of its service and production." *

Do you recall the time, just a few years ago, when the only electrical service available was electric light—and it was a novelty?

There are sixty-eight and a half million people in the United States living in electrically wired homes; thirty million horse power serving American industry; three million investors owning the companies furnishing electric power, heat and light. The rapidity of this expansion and the universal benefit it has conferred, have been due primarily to the courage, initiative, and prophetic vision which have inspired the operations of the country's light and power companies.

Under the sound business administration of these companies the cost of domestic current has been reduced since 1914 while the cost of living has gone up 68 per cent.

In the hands of these companies the public is assured a continuous expansion of electrical service to meet the needs of our national development—and at decreasing rates as more current is used.

You who have helped to build the electrical age, and who have profited from it in comfort, convenience and happiness, can safeguard its future growth by continued support of the American principle of individual initiative.

Sonora Water and Light Company

* Complete text of Mr. Green's address will be furnished upon request.

West Texas News

Ozona—Beautification of the Ozona park is underway through supervision of the Commissioner's Court. The West Texas Utilities Company is also installing "white way" lights.

Lamesa—The South Plains District Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be held here May 12.

Miami—Construction is underway on a modern sewer system for Miami.

Fort Worth—The special committee of five to make recommendations on the water rights question for referendum vote will meet here February 13, the date set for a week later than at first to accommodate more thorough investigations.

Meridian—The annual meeting of the Bosque County Chamber of Commerce will be held in this city, it was decided recently.

Fort Worth—June 18, 19, and 20 are the dates set for the annual West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention to be held in this city.

Sweetwater—Within the last two weeks, twenty-two West Texas counties have announced terracing activities. Nolan county claims the lead in this work.

Clifton—West Texas Chamber of Commerce activities were explained to local citizens this week by a representative of that organization visiting here.

San Saba—one hundred and five miles of fencing, costing \$29,000 will be placed around the Green Ranch here, requiring about five months time.

Menard—Poles are being reset along the OST Highway here to widen the thoroughfare according to State requirements.

BIG LEAGUE BALL PLAYER ATTENDED DANCE HERE

Sam Grey, veteran big show baseball pitcher of the St. Louis Browns, his brother, Shay, in company with H. V. (Buzzy) Stokes, were here from Rocksprings last week to attend the big dance given by the Sonora Motor Company. The Gray brothers have been wintering in Rocksprings. Sam will report at an early date to the Brown's training camp.

Highway Service Station

Humble Gas and Oils, Michelin and Superior Tires and Tubes; Tire Repairing.

LUNCH GOODS AND GROCERIES COME TO SEE ME!

W. S. HART, Manager

A Woman Knows

Quality and quantity, plus economical prices and courteous service, appeal to every thrifty housewife. A woman quickly recognizes these important factors.

When your Groceries come from Hightower & Co., you can be sure that the food served on your table is good, nourishing, and the best the market affords.

Compare our DRY GOODS with those of any store. The difference is readily apparent.

W. O. Hightower & Co.

ALBANY—Photostat copies of the paper now known as the Albany News and published here by Col Dick McCarty are to be made by the University of Texas. The copies are from the Frontier Echo as published at Jacksboro from 1875 to 1880, and later moved to Albany.

M. A. Wilson and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Taylor at the State Highway camp on the Allison ranch east of town. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond were visitors in town during the early part of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Louie Stuart were in from the ranch the early part of this week.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rose were here from their home in Del Rio on Wednesday of this week. They left the same afternoon for Junction. Mrs. Rose was formerly Miss Guida Miers of Sonora.

T. L. Benson, livestock and commission man of San Angelo, was here Wednesday afternoon.

H. L. Haynie, Jr., travelling agent of the C. R. I. & G. Ry., with offices at Fort Worth, and J. D. Neely, general agent of the Orient, were here this week from San Angelo, conferring with W. L. Aldwell.

Mrs. S. T. Gilmore has returned from a visit to various points in the state in connection with the P. T. A. work.

L. Perry of Lampasas is here this week visiting his brother, Will Perry.

T. C. Hadley of San Antonio returned to Sonora late last week after a brief trip to his home. He reports that conditions continue favorable at the test now going down on the J. N. Ross Ranch.

Mac and John Cauthorn were in from the ranch early this week. They reported a light rainfall at the ranch. They also stated that the baby bear they recently got from a ranch near Comstock, is growing wilder each day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cusenbary, Miss Hattie B. and Ben Cusenbary were all in town last week end. Ben spent several days in San Angelo last week.

Miss Mary Dan Wilson, on a recent trip to San Angelo, returned in a beautiful Buick sport coupe.

Mrs. W. A. Miers is the owner of a splendid new Packard coupe, a present from Mr. Miers.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Long and "Buddie" Smith were business visitors to San Angelo last Friday.

Henry Campbell, local agent for the Sonora Oil and Gas Company, a retail and wholesale oil company, was attending to business in Mertz on and San Angelo the latter part of last week.

Mrs. R. Watkin visited in San Angelo several days this week with her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Cross. Mr. Cross is sports editor of the new morning paper in San Angelo.

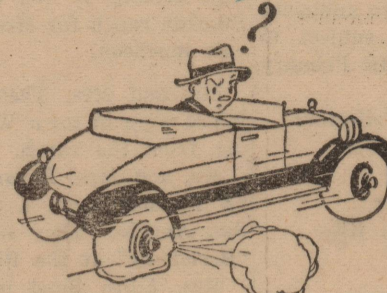
TEXAS AND TEXANS BY WILL H. MAYES

About all the study some corner grocers have given to the situation before opening their stores has been to find vacant buildings in which to put their stocks. So the failure of such enterprises no one unless it is the unbusiness-like corner grocery man. Farms are planted to crops without any regard for market demands, and low prices and failure become inevitable. When Adam was told that he would have to make his living by the sweat of his brow, the meaning was that he would have to put his mind into what he was doing rather than lean too heavily on a beneficent Providence. Some of us have not learned Adam's lesson yet.

Sitting Comfortable
Old age has few terrors for the person who cautiously plans far enough ahead. When I. W. Shireman of La Porte, began putting out a 10-acre pecan orchard after he was 60 years old, his neighbors were inclined to laugh at him and intimate that he was foolish. He is 83 now, and last year made \$2,500 from that pecan grove. Success came because he saw a demand, had faith in himself, and worked when he could. He cared for the pecan trees and now they are caring for him. Pecan groves yield good returns and come to maturity in good time when they are cultivated as they should be. Like other orchard trees, they will suffer from neglect.

Fruit Shipments Expedited
Texas fruit and vegetable growers have for a long time had heavy losses because of lack of sufficient refrigerator cars. Most of these crops are handled by the Pacific Fruit Express Company, which operates in this State, the general offices in San Francisco. Somewhat naturally when cars are short, Texas suffers more than California. Growers in this State will be glad to know that the express company has contracted for \$6,000,000 worth of new refrigerator cars for 1928 delivery, which will buy 2,000 cars. When it is considered that 38,000 such cars are now available, the additional purchase seems small, but it shows a desire to give better service.

Why-- have tire trouble ?



Side-wall breaks, rim cuts, bruises and excessive tread wear are the results of under-inflation. This condition destroys more tires than any other one factor. Having your wheels in proper alignment is also very important. Unless this is done your tires have a dragging side motion that acts like a file, quickly wearing them away. Come in once a week and let us inspect your tires. It will mean a great saving to you

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Firestone
TIRES AND TUBES
Stites Motor Co.

THE SONORA DAIRY
D. T. SPEED, Prop.
MILK—BUTTER—CREAM
Cleanliness is our Motto"

L. H. McGhee
PAPER HANGER
ESTIMATES GLADLY FURNISHED
PHONE NO. 192

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Aldwell-Elliott Co
—for—
INSURANCE: Any Kind—Life, Fire, Automobile, Plate Glass, Burglary, Hail, Rain, Tornado, Golf, Accident and Health, Indemnity Bonds, or any other kind of insurance written. We have it.
RANCH LOANS: Unlimited Funds to Lend on Ranches at 6 per cent, 5 to 33 years' time.
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We Appreciate Your Business.

Our Mechanical Department

We have spared no expense in our mechanical department to make our shop UP-TO-THE-MINUTE with the LATEST MECHANICAL DEVICES and equipment, so that we are now prepared to completely service both the NEW AND OLD FORDS, as well as all other models

Some of the machinery now available in our shop is listed below:

- Weaver Safety Auto Lift**—this machine mechanically, by hydraulic pressure, raises any automobile off the floor, affording space for the mechanic to get underneath the car and do his work with plenty of room. This machine is an all-utility device, greatly facilitating the quality and speed of repair and lubricating work.
- K. R. Wilson Cylinder Block re-boring machine**—the latest in this type of work.
- Alemite Air-Line Lubricating machine** and also grease gun. This is the most advanced type of auto lubricating machine.

OTHER UP-TO-DATE MACHINES NOW IN SERVICE AT OUR PLANT ARE:

- Valve re-facing machinery, Weaver chain-hoist, crank case aligner and all of this in addition to the machinery already in service.

With this array of precision machinery, our shop is equipped to do any and all kinds of repairing. You will find that this machinery, in the hands of our capable mechanics, will render you a better class of mechanical service, and at prices only to be had in a shop so completely equipped.

We have three wash racks, an d parking space ample for any occasion, under the mangement of an experienced car washer and floor man.

Sonora Motor Co.

FURNITURE SALE!

FEBRUARY



In Progress Until Saturday February 18

ANGELO FURNITURE COMPANY takes pleasure in announcing substantial price reductions on thousands of dollars worth of furniture, floor coverings and draperies—in effect until Saturday, February 18th.

This announcement is in keeping with a policy inaugurated by this store many years ago—that of offering to its many customers and friends twice a year—the opportunity of buying home furnishings of beauty and quality at less than regular prices. Please bear in mind that no "specials" have been purchased for this event—you are offered only furniture, floor coverings and draperies of the same dependable quality always characteristic of this store.

Our Convenient Payment Plan

will be in effect during the February Sale—for the use of those who find it more convenient to pay by the budget plan. Any of our salesmen will gladly explain.

Angelo Furniture Co.

We Have Sold \$3,000,000 Worth of Land and Livestock During 1927!

We have sold more than that amount of Land and Livestock during 1927. A large amount of this was northern money. Let us help you get your share of this money in 1928 by listing your Land and Stock with us. Describe what you have for sale accurately and at a reasonable price, and we will do the rest.

306 S. Chadbourne St.,

T. L. BENSON

San Angelo, Texas

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Announcement fees for the following offices will be charged.
Precinct, \$7.50; County \$12.50; District \$15.00.

All announcement fees are payable in advance.

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

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

B. W. HUTCHERSON
(Re-election)

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

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Holman were in from the ranch the fore part of the week on business.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mrs. Sam Allison and Miss Lucille White were in town Wednesday morning, driving to the Joe M. Vander Stucken ranch for Mrs. Vander Stucken's luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Savell and Miers were in town Wednesday morning from the ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hunt returned Tuesday from a week's visit in San Angelo. They saw the play "Broadway" at the Ritz while there. Mrs. Edith Bond returned to Sonora last Monday for a brief stay here, following which she will return to San Diego, California.

Millard Allen, member of the firm of A. O. Allen & Sons, San Angelo music dealers, was here Tuesday and Wednesday of this week attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira C. Green were visitors in town on Tuesday of this week, attending "The Way of All Flesh" at the La Vista Theatre Tuesday night.

Arthur and Fred Simmons were in town early in the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hunt were visitors in Sonora from the ranch during the week.

Lawrence Steen, and sister, Miss Ada, were in from the ranch the middle of the week, shopping and visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wilkinson were here from the ranch Wednesday on business.

Bill Mittel has sold his truck to his brother Ben, and will move to San Angelo where he will make his home with his parents.

Geo. J. Trainer Sr., has accepted the agency for the John C. Huntoon Roofing Company of San Angelo. See their ad elsewhere in the News.

Mrs. Dick Hill is in Big Lake visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs. B. N. Weatherby.

"Uncle Johnnie" Johnson, pioneer Sutton rancher, was in Sonora Tuesday of this week greeting his many friends.

Nelson Merck, who ranches on the Pecos River, near Sheffield, was a Sonora visitor the first part of the week.

R. E. Taylor was a visitor in town Friday morning from the Haynes Luckie ranch near Christoval, which he has under lease.

V. J. Turney of Del Rio, and formerly of Sonora, was visiting his relatives and friends here Friday.

ICE BOX FOR SALE—used ice box in good condition; will hold seventy-five pounds of ice; at a bargain. See or phone Mrs. Clara Murphy. 1t.

School Honor Roll

Third Grade

Nora B. Hill, Wilma Hutcherson, Lunetta Marion, Enid McCurdy, Guyon Shurley, Cora Belle Taylor, Kenneth Babcock, Richard Saunders, Wesley Sewyer.

Fourth Grade

Lem Eriel Johnson, Joseph Logan, Jack Rape.

Fifth Grade

Ches Thorp, Edith Bricker, Herbert Fields, Nina Rouche, Sara Ory, Martha Joe Lee, Ruth Freeman.

Sixth Grade

Vincent Rouche, Alice Sawyer, Dorothy Thurman, Pauline Turney.

Seventh Grade

Bernice Bricker, Morris Bricker, Charles Pharis, Pauline Rapé, Ealen White.

HIGH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Freshman Class

Elizabeth Caldwell, Allie Halbert, John Hull, Harva Jones, Edith McGhee, Edwin Sawyer, Hattie Taylor,

Tater Industry Lags

E. A. Miller, agronomist at A & M College says that Texas sweet potato grower must produce better sweet potatoes and go after out-of-state business or the industry will suffer. Too little attention is being paid to quality. A large part of the crop is grown for home use, and many growers seem to think that anything that looks like a potato is good enough for the homes. Texas is now growing about 8,000,000 bushels of sweet potatoes annually, being fourth among the states in production.

Louie Trainer, Blanche Wright.
Sophomore Class

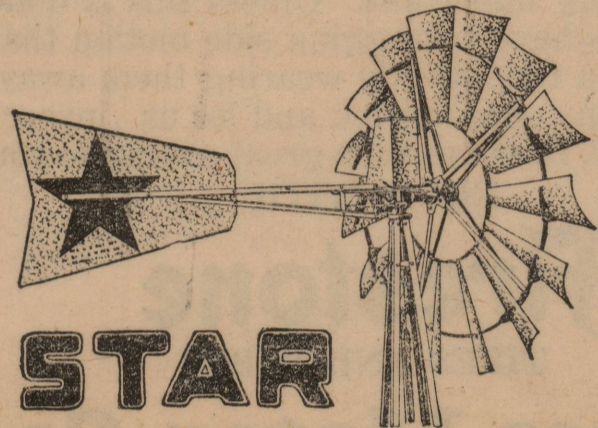
Lottie Hull, Virginia Lee, Emerald Johnson.

Junior Class

Margaret Hull.

Senior Class

James Caldwell, Howard Striegler, Anys Whitley, Nann Karnes, R. E. Taylor, Weyman Williamson.



STAR

Running-in-oil

You will find in the new running-in-oil STAR the many features you have always wanted in a windmill—one oiling a year—your choice of Timken Tapered Roller Bearings or "NO-OIL-EM" Bearings—two gears, two pinions and two pitmans—direct center lift to pump rod—crosshead, guides and pitmans bearings flooded with oil—a scientifically designed wheel with angle steel arms and braces and ball-bearing turn table.

The fans of this new Star are curved to give great efficiency in an 8 to 10 mile an hour wind. Plunger pump in crank case floods crosshead, guides and pitman bearings with oil, and tight cover keeps out dirt, rain or snow.

One filling of crank case with oil each year will save many trips up the tower. May be fitted on any tower.

The new STAR is the last word in Windmill construction. Come in and let us show you this mill. You will want to know about it whether you are needing a new mill right now, and we want you to know what a really fine windmill we have in this new Star.

West Texas Lbr. Co.

WEST TEXAS LUMBER CO.

Blowouts

Happen when you least expect them, but we can rush a new GOODRICH SILVERTOWN to you, or we can rush a service man to change your tire.

Call us—We'll Come in a Hurry.

City Garage

HIGH IN QUALITY--

GOOD YEAR

LOW IN PRICE



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Motorists are beginning to learn that there's a big difference in tires, although they all look pretty much alike.

Some are made with Skimpy, short staple cotton. Some have an overdose of filler in the rubber of the tread. Some are long on looks and short on quality.

But you won't need a microscope to be sure that the Goodyear Tire you get is a real buy. Goodyear Mileages tell the story.

Goodyears are performing so satisfactorily for customers that they invariably come back—not with a kick but with a boost, and for another Goodyear when they need tire equipment.

We have your size—in fresh, new stocks.

Sonora Motor Company