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BROADCASTING FROM SONORA

BY DANIEL O. PAYNE

I understand, unofficially of course, that there were two or three Sonora people who stayed at home last week end. It may be true, but if so, it must have been someone I haven't met, because I am sure that everybody I know in Sonora was down there. Never saw such a bunch of people in my life going to Del Rio from all over the country. Big cars, little cars and trucks; men, women, children, and flappers, all headed for Del Rio, made the roads between Sonora and that place look like Elm Street on Sunday afternoon.

I didn't find out what it was they were going to see. My guess is that they just went to Del Rio to see the building boom going on there. The town is certainly growing. Ground has been broken and foundations are being laid for a splendid new 10 story hotel. Then, too, Del Rio's scenic beauty is easily worth driving a great distance to see. I reaffirm my original contention that California and Florida have nothing on that section of the country from real beauty in nature. The Springs of the San Felipe Creek are positively the most beautiful that I ever saw.

And the mohair is piling into Del Rio by the truck-load. Ed Hollmig and Alvin were there, having gone down to take a big load of mohair for one of our Sutton County ranchmen. Just think of that! Hauling Sutton County wool and mohair 100 miles to a warehouse, when we could have one here at next to no cost, considering the profits that would accrue to the ranchmen. Why doesn't some one do something about it? It ought to be done, folks.

Del Rio people are optimistic about their town and their trade territory. They all believe, every one of them, that the Orient will build a line from San Angelo to Del Rio through Sonora. If you reply "yes, but it will be 10 years or so before they do," they give you a pitiful look and politely but firmly inform you that they will wager a John B. Stetson headgear that it will be 18 months until the line is under construction. They seem very optimistic, but after all, does it hurt anything to be that way? Doesn't it appear to you that they have a lot more chance of getting the road by thinking that they'll get it than by thinking that they won't get it?

Val Verde County ranchmen, too.

Town Team Downs School Nine, 4 to 1

Saturday afternoon the town team clashed with the Sonora Hi Bronchs in a practice game on the school diamond. The town team took the big end of the count, 4-1 in a loose game played by both sides. Frank James and Clyde McCurdy did the mound work for the town nine, while McClelland, Hollmig and Streigler did the chunking for the Bronchs. Brown, for the Bronchs showed up fairly well for the school team as did Hollmig and Streigler and McClelland.

Several practice games will be played between these two teams before the season opens.

Messrs. Collier and Edgar Shurley and their families were shopping in town Monday.

are optimistic about the outlook of things. They have a big wool warehouse right on the railroad, and don't have far to truck it. With prices for mohair reported at 62 and 72, they have every reason to feel optimistic.

Del Rio, despite what people say to the contrary, is a town that has the support of its ranching people. Every ranchman in Val Verde County is a Del Rio booster. They have a beautiful little city, and they have every reason to be proud of it, because they have built it. They encourage business, new business, through their splendid Chamber of Commerce, Lions Club and other civic bodies. If a man comes to Del Rio and wants to go into business, he surely does get lots of encouragement from the Chamber of Commerce and the City Fathers.

Well, this may sound to you as though we thought Del Rio was the best town in the world. Wrong again; we think Sonora holds that place, and that Sonora could pass Del Rio in a few years if we would all get together, put our shoulders to the wheel and make the old wagon shove through the mud onto the pavement. We can do it, people. The formula for doing it is simple. Just get right in and support everything that is for Sonora's good. Support the Chamber of Commerce and the other organizations that are working for Sonora. Call on your Chamber of Commerce for what we need.

Sonora is going to look a lot different six months from now. The First National Bank will be doing business from their new home; Vander Stucken's new building will further beautify that side of the street; the new Stites and Wardlaw & Allison building will be an eye-treat; and the sewer system will be a fact almost before we realize it.

One thing, however, which Sonora needs, very badly, indeed, is paved streets. All those new buildings will look peculiar unless at least the main street of the town is paved. It won't cost much; Sonora can afford it. Why not give it some serious consideration, let us be able to show the world not only the most typical Western and picturesque little city in West Texas, but also one that is keeping abreast of the modern trend of things. Some of the streets in Sonora are, and there's no use calling a spade an agricultural implement about it, a disgrace to the town. Certain streets after a good rain such as fell Saturday, are just impassable. It is no novelty to have a car spring broken at the intersection of two of our main streets, Concho and Main. The rains are a blessing and we should be, and are, thankful for them. They are fine in their place. They make the desert to bloom even as the rose. But they make our city streets a howling shame, and something should be done about it.



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HIGHWAY CREW IN CROCKETT COUNTY

H. L. Taylor, who is in charge of the State Highway Maintenance Department for this district, spent the week-end with his family in Sonora. Mr. Taylor has his crew in Crockett County near the Pecos River at work. It will require several weeks to place that part of the O. S. T. in good condition, he said. Much blasting is being done on that part of the road, due to a slight change in the course of the Highway. Mr. Taylor is doing all in his power to get the O. S. T. tarviated, and is of the opinion that the Highway Department will commence this work sometime this year. Also the highway between here and San Angelo has a chance to be topped with asphalt.

NEW STUCCO HOME BEING BUILT IN SONORA

The building belonging to Theo. Savell which was recently moved from a site on Main Street to the vacant lot adjoining the Savell residence in Sonora, is being remodeled interiorly and exteriorly in preparation for the making of the building into a modern rent house. W. P. Caldwell has the contract for the work.

The attractiveness of the Sonora home of Mr. and Mrs. Savell is being further enhanced by the laying of a new concrete sidewalk on the side of the home facing Water Street.

35 YEARS AGO

(From the Devil's River News of Feb. 14, 1891.)

Ft. McKavett, Feb. 4, 1891. Tom Palmer of the Vermont Pasture Co. has been here working up an opposition to annex Schleicher County to Sutton. Sonora is at the bottom of this scheme, and while we glory in the remarkable success she has achieved, we are decidedly opposed to her robbing Menard County of the Schleicher territory, and again we think it would be a hardship upon the property owners of Schleicher to have to assist in building another court house for Sutton County. They assisted in building one for Kinney County, then they were turned over to Val Verde to help them build a \$40,000.00 house. Now they are helping Menard to support her elegant court house, and we think it is about time to stop shifting her about from county to county in this way.

Mike Murphy, the Italian editor of the Devil's River News, spent several days in the city this week and returned to Sonora Thursday morning, accompanied by his mother.—Standard.

"Concho is the name of a new steamship now almost completed at Chester, Pa. It belongs to the Mallory Line and will run between New York and Galveston. The boat was given the name "Concho" at the suggestion of Commodore Bolger in honor of the Concho Country, the Concho Rivers, and San Angelo, the metropolis of the Conchos. The vessel will have 3600 tons capacity, exceeding by 100 tons that of any other vessels of the line. Commodore Bolger is the father of our young hardware merchants, W. H. and Chas. Bolger.—Standard. (Editor's Note: The "Concho" spoken of in this article is still in the Mallory Line service between New York and Galveston, and after 35 years of service is still a splendid boat. Thousands of Texans have made the trip to and from Galveston and New York on this ship.)

Wool in New York on the 7th of this month was steady to firm. Business, fair, with a total absence of speculation. Sales: 60,000 Fall Texas at 19 to 21 1-2c; 50,000 spring, 20 to 23; 50,000 scoured, 46 to 54. The Boston market shows a good demand for near and prospective wants, with many unsupplied manufacturers uneasy. The position is very healthy. Sales: 13,000 medium Texas 30 1-2 to 34c.

In regard to G. O. Ahead's comments on "Sonora being at the bottom of a scheme to annex Schleicher County", permit us to state that to our certain knowledge the petition was circulated by a citizen of Schleicher County and signed by at least two-thirds of the "back-bone" citizens of said county. This petition was not carried to Ft. McKavett at all, it being doubtful whether Mc Kavett and adjacent neighborhood was in Schleicher or Menard County—"Fair Play".

BUICK COUPE RUNS WILD; NO DAMAGE

Monday morning the Buick coupé belonging to Mrs. Fred Earwood parked in front of the Cauthorn residence, took a wild run down the hill toward the court house. The car struck the fence mid-way between two posts knocking down several boards; uprooted a small tree and stopped in the woodpile inside of the court house yard.

If it had not been that the car met with resistance in the wood pile, it would have run into the rock wall of the court house, and much damage would have been done to the car.

Mrs. Earwood had parked the car only a few minutes before the accident and was assisting Mrs. Cauthorn in the baking of a birthday cake for Mrs. Earwood's small daughter.

HALCOMB EXPRESSES APPRECIATION TO PUBLIC

Coach W. W. Halcomb, of the Sonora High School, has asked the News to express through its columns his thanks to the Sonora Chamber of Commerce and to the public for the whole-hearted support which was accorded the recent track and field meet held here.

The athletic fund netted about \$48.00 from the event, which money will go into the athletic coffers to defray the expenses of future events of this kind.

Local athletics have had much higher tone this year, observers say, than the average, and this they believe is due to Coach Halcomb's untiring efforts, perseverance and skill.

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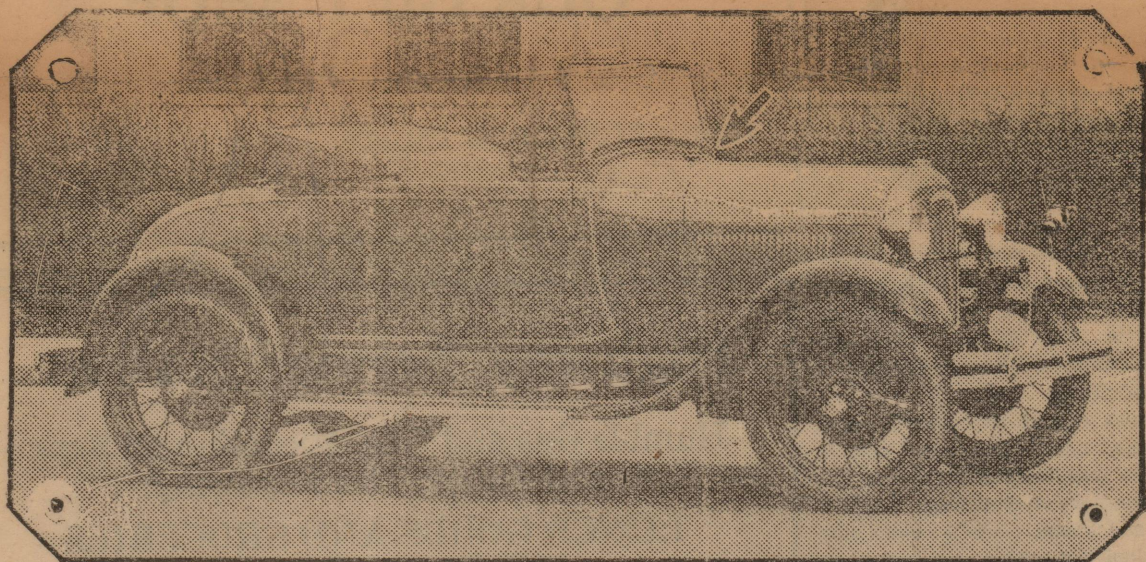
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A news item in this week's issue of the Devil's River News, taken from the Dallas News, gives some interesting figures on production of the Dallas assembling plant of the Ford Motor Company.

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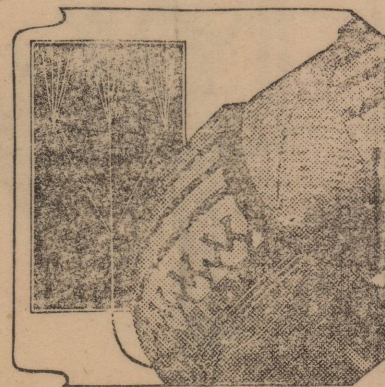
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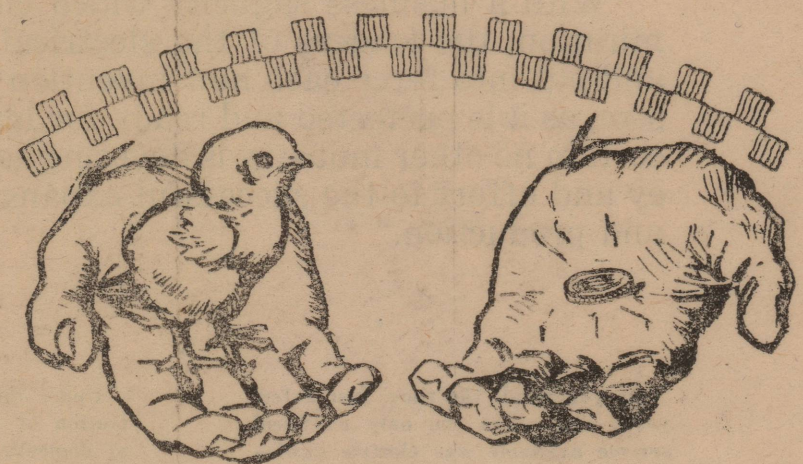
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Newspapers are looked upon as exponents of development and progressiveness, and should keep ahead of the towns they serve. A good, well printed and live newspaper can do much toward the upbuilding of a town or city. The day is upon us when a live newspaper is essential in a any town.

SONORA HAS BRIGHT FUTURE

Sonora, in the center of the best livestock section of West Texas, has an exceedingly bright future. Building program has now started and should continue throughout the year or years to come. Several hundred thousand dollars are to be spent here in the erection of new and modern buildings. The Misses Allison and Wardlaw are now having erected a brick and tile drug store on the corner formerly occupied by the Sunshine Cafe. The Hamiltons will also build in the near future as will the First National Bank; E. F. Vander Stucken will remodel his spacious mercantile building. The West Texas Utilities are now constructing a creditable building. Several new residences have been completed here and more being built.

This is evidence that Sonora is progressing. And another reason for a good year this year for Sonora is that the ranchmen in this section are receiving good prices for livestock, wool and mohair. The recent rains will benefit the stockmen and insure good feed this spring.

TEXAS LEADS IN CRIME

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

holdups, divorces, but to such an unforgivable crime as was committed recently in San Angelo when the most criminal, Eyrnes, murdered a family of three.

This was one of the most heinous crimes the nation has ever known. The news was flashed all over the world when word was first received of this sad event. Such a crime, one that rocked the nation and surpassed anything that has ever been done. Even Hickman's act was not to be compared to this one.

Texas is noted for criminals. How is the crime wave to be checked? Simply to pass more stringent laws and careful selection of jurors in whose hands the fate of such blood-thirsty criminals rest. England, whose inhabitants run into the millions had only 27 murders in 1926. Why is this? Because the bar and law in England has no sympathy for murderers.

Look at the criminals who were released from the State penitentiaries in "Ma" Ferguson's reign of terror. She pardoned and granted parole to over 1500 criminals—men who had everything from bootlegging to cold blood murder. Texas will have to be more careful in giving justice to criminals.

NEW CLUB ORGANIZED IN SONORA FOR WOMEN

A group of ladies met at the home of Mrs. O. G. Babcock last Thursday afternoon for the purpose of organizing a club. Several names for the club were suggested, but the "T. S. Club" was decided upon.

Mrs. Babcock was chosen president; Mrs. Louis Bruton, vice president; Mrs. J. W. McDaniel, secretary and Mrs. W. W. Halcomb press reporter.

A committee was appointed to draft a constitution. Meetings will be held semi-monthly.

Several of the ladies brought hand work of various kinds while others were busily engaged in conversation. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. A very pleasant afternoon was spent.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Babcock Thursday, March 22.

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ship firm known as F. Mayer & sons composed of F. Mayer Sol Mayer and Max Mayer and the heirs of the partnership firm known as F. Mayer & Sons whose names are unknown, and to summon Thurza Smithwick and the heirs of Thurza Smithwick whose names are unknown, and to summon Noah Smithwick and the heirs of Noah Smithwick whose names are unknown, and to summon Nancy Donaldson and the heirs of Nancy Donaldson whose names are unknown, and to summon Martha H. Mitchell and the heirs of Martha H. Mitchell whose names are unknown, and to

summon M. J. Kuykendall and the heirs of M. J. Kuykendall whose names are unknown, and to summon W. A. Stanton and the heirs of W. A. Stanton whose names are unknown, and to summon W. A. Stanton and the heirs of W. A. Stanton whose names are unknown, all to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Sutton County, Texas, to be held at the Court House thereof in the City of Sonora on the first Monday in May, A. D. 1928, being the 7th day of May, A. D. 1928 and the same being the 18th Monday after the first Monday in January A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 17th day of February, A. D. 1928 in a cause numbered 588 wherein C. P. Hill Jr. is plaintiff and Edward J. Blakey and the unknown heirs of Edward J. Blakey, F. Mayer and the unknown heirs of F. Mayer Sol Mayer and the unknown heirs of Sol Mayer Max Mayer and the unknown heirs of Max Mayer, F. Mayer & Sons, a partnership firm composed of F. Mayer, Sol Mayer and Max Mayer, and the unknown heirs of F. Mayer & Sons, Thurza Smithwick and the unknown heirs of Thurza Smithwick Noah Smithwick and the unknown heirs of Noah Smithwick, Nancy Donaldson and the unknown heirs of Nancy Donaldson, Martha H. Mitchell and the unknown heirs of Martha H. Mitchell, M. J. Kuykendall and the unknown heirs of M. J. Kuykendall, W. A. Stanton and the unknown heirs of W. A. Stanton, and W. A. Stanton and the unknown heirs of W. A. Stanton are the defendants the cause of action being alleged as follows:

That in or about the 9th day of February, A. D. 1928 the plaintiff was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises, situated in Sutton County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

That certain tract of land patented by the State of Texas to Edward J. Blakey on June 20, 1881, said patent being recorded in Vol. 12 at page 161 of the Deed Records of Sutton County, Texas; said lands, when patented, being situated in Crockett County and known as one-third of a league of land in Crockett County on the waters of Devil's River, a tributary of the Rio Grande about 46 miles South, 65 deg. East from Old Fort Lancaster and described by metes and bounds as:

Beginning at a stake and mound

at the N. E. Corner of Survey No. 1 in the name of Ferdinand Fertsch for the N. W. corner of this Survey; thence E. 2886.7 varas to a stake and mound for N. E. corner for this Survey; thence S. 2886.7 varas to a stake and mound for the S. E. corner of this Survey; thence W. 2886.7 varas to a rock monument three feet high for the S. W. corner of this Survey, thence N. at 1542.7 varas to a mesquite marked 0, the S. E. corner of said Fertsch Survey, 2886.7 varas to the place beginning and containing 1476 acres more or less.

That on the day and year last aforesaid, the defendants and each of them unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withheld from him the possession thereof, to his damage in the sum of \$10,000.00.

Plaintiff further sues for title and possession of the premises above described as against all of the defendants and alleges that he has had peaceable and adverse possession of said lands under title for more than three years prior to the institution of his suit; that plaintiff has had peaceable and adverse possession of said lands under color of title for more than three years prior to the institution of his suit, that such peaceable and adverse possession has been held continuously against the defendants and all of them for a period of more than three years prior to the institution of plaintiff's suit; that plaintiff has had peaceable and adverse possession of the above described lands and has been cultivating and using and enjoying the same and has paid all taxes thereon for a period of more than five years prior to the institution of his suit and holds and claims title to said lands under a deed from S. H. Stokes, recorded in Vol. 6 at Page 578 of the Deed Records of Sutton County and under a deed from J. A. Schwalbe to Giles Hill, recorded in Vol. 10, at page 37 of the Deed Records of Sutton County Texas, and under a deed from Oscar Thompson and Wife, Annie Thompson, recorded in Vol. 21 at page 337 of the Deed Records of Sutton County, Texas, and under a deed executed by Roy Hudspeh, recorded in Vol. 12 at page 470 of the Deed Records of Sutton County, Texas, and under a deed executed by J. L. Davis, Sheriff of Sutton County, Texas as to John McNicol, recorded in Vol. 4 at page 365 of the Deed Records of Sutton County, Texas, and under a deed executed by John McNicol to S. H. Stokes, recorded in Vol. 5 at page 129 of the Deed Records of Sutton County, and under a deed executed by A. G. Suttles and wife M. J. Suttles, recorded in Vol. 5 at page 141 of the deed records of Sutton County and under a deed executed by Noah Smithwick, Edward Smithwick Charles L. Fowler, Willie F. Fowler to Nancy Donaldson, recorded in Vol. 4 at page 360 of the Deed Records of Sutton County and under a deed executed by Edward Smithwick to Nancy Donaldson recorded in Vol. 4, at page 367 of the Deed Records of Sutton County and under a deed executed by Charlie Fowler to M. J. Kuykendall, recorded in Vol. 4 at page 370 of the Deed Records of Sutton County and under a deed executed by Willie F. Fowler to M. J. Kuykendall, recorded in Vol. 4 at page 369 of the Deed Records of Sutton County and under a deed executed by Nancy Donaldson to M. J. Kuykendall and W. A. Stanton and W. A. Stanton, recorded in Vol. 4 at page 362 of the Deed Records of Sutton County and under a deed executed by R. A. Dickinson to Robert Anderson, recorded in Vol. 6 at page 211 of the Deed Records of Sutton County and under a deed executed by R. A. Dickinson to Robert Anderson, recorded in Vol. 6 at page 520 of the Deed Records of Sutton County and under a deed of Trust executed by Robert Anderson to E. F. Vander Stucken as Trustee and J. A. Schwalbe, Beneficiary, recorded in Vol. 1 at page 469 of the Mortgage Records of Sutton County and under a deed executed by E. F. Vander Stucken, Trustee to J. A. Schwalbe recorded in Vol. 7, page 20 of the Deed Records of Sutton County and under a deed executed by J. A. Schwalbe to Roy Hudspeh recorded in Vol. 8 at page 41 of the Deed Records of Sutton County and under a deed executed by Robert Anderson to Roy Hudspeh, recorded in Vol. 12 at page 145 of the Deed Records of Sutton County, Texas. The plaintiff further alleges that he and the above named persons, through whom he claims and derails title, have had peaceable and adverse possession of said one-third of a league of land containing 1476 acres, cultivating and using and enjoying the same continuously for a period of more than ten years prior to the institution of this suit. That such peaceable and adverse possession has been continuous and uninterrupted and has been asserted against the rights and claims of all

the defendants named herein that all of said Survey and Tract of land has been held and claimed by the plaintiff and those through whom he claims and derails his title under fence for more than ten years prior to the institution of this suit.

You are further commanded to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in a newspaper published in your County, but if no newspaper is published in said County, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you

before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness: J. D. Lowrey, Clerk of the District Court of Sutton County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court in the City of Sonora this the 25th day of February, A. D. 1928.

J. D. Lowrey, Clerk of the District Court of Sutton County, Texas.

Issued this the 25th day of February, A. D. 1928.

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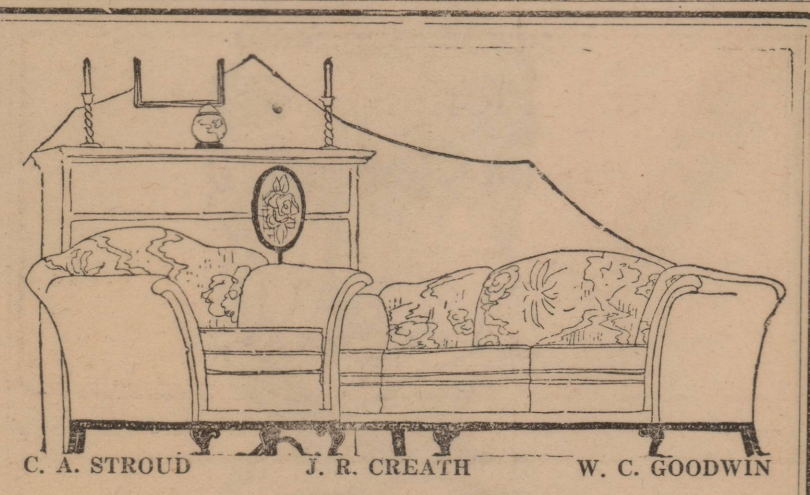
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Poole Sisters Will Tell About Shirts

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The Poole Sisters will be in Sonora on March 31, making their headquarters at E. F. Vander Stucken Co., and will make a house-to-house canvass of the City, telling the men (and their wives) about the famous Poole Sweatproof Shirts, for which that company has the agency here.

The sisters, whom Mr. Vander Stucken allows are "slightly gals," will give a demonstration at the store on March 31st. We may be wrong but our guess is that there will be a good sprinkling of gentlemen in the City, interested in shirts on hand to see that the girls do not talk to a vacant house.

Everyone is invited to attend the demonstration, E. F. Vander Stucken proprietor, stated this week.

SONORA WILL BE REPRESENTED AT AUSTIN

Coach Bill Bissett and his San Angelo Bobcats are not the only athletes from this section who will participate in the Texas relays at Austin on March 23rd. Coach W. W. Halcomb, former Baylor track man, and Sonora's two star track men, Alvin Hollmig and John McClelland, will make the trip to Austin to officially represent Sonora at the meet.

The Texas relays held at Austin each year, is the biggest event of its kind in the entire South, and ranks with the Kansas State annual and Drake University meets.

Practically every school of any importance in the State will be represented at this meet. All high schools, junior colleges and universities in the State are eligible to enter.

Charley Paddock, the world's fastest human, is one of the celebrities who will be on hand for the event.

The Sonora contingent will go down with a local girl in her car.

Mrs. Halcomb will accompany the contestants.

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W. T. Utilities Displaying Frigidaire

The first electric refrigerating and ice making machine to be displayed in Sonora was brought here this week by Otho Drake, commercial agent of The West Texas Utilities Company. The machine is on display at the Dew Drop Inn, which building will be occupied by the Utilities Company as a display room, as soon as the present occupants remove to their new building, now under construction.

The public is invited to inspect the machine, Mr. Drake said. The Frigidaire was one of the first electric refrigerating units to be placed on the market, and is a recognized leader in this field. It is a product of the General Motors Company, the West Texas Utilities Company having the franchise for its sale in all towns in which they operate.

Other electric appliances which the company will market here include the famous hot-point line of ranges, heaters and smaller electrical apparatus. "Do it electrically" is the message of the company to the people in this section.

MORRIS LEAVES TO CATCH VENOMOUS REPTILES

Roscoe Morris, who is gaining fame as a fearless conqueror of the venomous rattlesnake, left this week for Clay County where a large den of snakes has been reported on a farm. The harassed owner of the farm has made request to the Angelo Board of City Development to aid him in ridding the farm of the reptiles. A printed piece in a San Angelo paper came to the attention of Morris and so he has gone to prove that "one man's poison is another's pie."

Morris gets \$1.00 per pound for the live rattlers, and as the average snake tips the beam at around five pounds, each one that goes into his kit-bag represents a \$5.00 bill. Easy money, isn't it? Like to try it? Roscoe will give you a job if you can show him you can turn the trick.

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Monday, March 19—

With Fred Thomson, Nora Lane, Montagu Love and Mary Carr.
Comedy—"RAIL KODES"

Tuesday, March 20—

"JESSE JAMES"

METRO NEWS NUMBER 56

Wednesday, March 21—

"COME TO MY HOUSE"

With Olive Borden, Antonio Moreno, Doris Lloyd and Richard Maitland. Comedy—"FLYING FEET"

Thursday, March 22—

"WEST POINT"

With William Haines Joan Crawford, Neil Neely and Ralph Emerson
Comedy—"ALICE CHOPS THE SUEY"

Friday, March 23—

"ONE ROUND HOGAN"

With Monte Blue, Leila Hyman, James J. Jefferies, ex world's pugilist. Comedy—"FIND THE KING."

Saturday, March 24—

"THE WISE WIFE"

With Phyllis Haver, Tom Moore, Jacqueline Logan and Fred Walton
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Party of Eight Visit Felton Cave

Sunday morning a party composed of the following Sonorans, visited the well known Felton cave about eighteen miles Southeast of Sonora on the B. B. Dunbar ranch. O. G. Babcock, who is employed by the Bureau of Entomology and who is stationed at Sonora, escorted T. C. Murry, postmaster; Preston Wood and William Brown, geologists; Ross Loudenslager and W. C. Thatcher, engineers for the Municipal Engineering Company of Dallas; M. A. Wilson, editor of the News and Delma Smith, linotype operator. Arriving at the cave about ten o'clock in the morning entrance was gained and lanterns lighted for the journey beneath the sod.

We first visited a large room a hundred feet wide and about the same distance long. Here, we found this room to be very interesting with many columns formed by drip pings through the crevices in rocks. Some of the columns had been broken on off by the many visitors who had been there for the past forty years. Next, our leader Mr. Babcock, who knows the cave like a book, took us back to the place from whence we came—the entrance, a room about fifty feet long, fifteen feet high and thirty feet wide. From here we proceeded to make Floyd Collins ashamed of himself (had the explorer been living he would have had a creepy feeling. Gaining admission through a round hole about the size of a large barrel, we crept and crawled for some hundred feet into the bowels of mother earth. This early in the journey we hardly realized the soreness and fatigue we would later get. About two hundred feet back in the cave we came across a nice pool of pure, cool water that had dripped in to a hole in a solid rock. Of this moisture everyone partook freely. We would like time here to describe the cave to the reader, but space and time will not permit. It has several prongs and resembles a spider.

After we had been inside the cave about thirty minutes everyone was getting warm, due to the humidity. It is very damp inside the cave—enough that it is hard breathing to the average person. Perspiration was streaming down the foreheads of everyone; and Mr. Murray, water was pouring forth from his forehead. In fact, we thought we were taking a hot bath.

We spent about three and one-half hours in different parts of the cave. Several tons of Guano and several thousand bas are to be found in this open space. Formations in several places known as Stalagmites and Stalagmites, formation caused by drippings of water from the ceiling of the cave and making columns of clear and muddy looking composition were indeed worth seeing. Some of the formations resembled peanuts with brown molasses poured over them, while others would remind one of honey combs.

Two thousand feet from the entrance we saw the place where prehistoric human beings died. Bones of the remains were sent to Washington and revealed them to be a man about sixty years of age and a girl about fifteen. The supposition is that this pair wandered and were lost and later suffocated.

We were all willing and ready to come to the surface long before we did, but Mr. Babcock insisted we see all while there. This we did and

Loitering Prohibited in Lobby of P. O.

Six local boys appeared before Mayor W. C. Gilmore Monday afternoon and received a lecture to the effect that scuffling, loitering and noise-making in the postoffice and other public places in Sonora must stop. These boys were only a few of the many against whom Postmaster T. C. Murray has complained. No charges were filed against the boys, all being disposed to take the Mayor's talk in the light it was given. The boys were placed on probation for six months and all promised to confine their scuffling activities to the great-outdoors.

Deputy J. L. Cook, Postmaster Murray and Mayor Gilmore further stated that the edict applied equally to the crowd of young girls who make it a habit to congregate in and around the postoffice while the mail is being distributed. While the girls do not actually come to playful fist-buffs, they cause a great deal of unnecessary noise, the officials said. In his talk to the boys Mayor Gilmore stated he recognized that "boys would be boys" but that inasmuch as the postoffice is a Federal building and loitering in it is prohibited by Federal law, the boys and girls should go elsewhere to rid themselves of superabundant energy.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Cyrus Ogden spent Sunday visiting relatives and friends in San Angelo.

Sound sights that were interesting and pleasing to the eye.

About one-thirty we made our ascension where we ate lunch and basked in the sunshine for at least an hour. It was unanimously decided that our return to civilization be made.

We are getting a little ahead of the story, for several other things should be told before we quit. You should have heard the means and pitiful yells from the eight. Every once in a while some one would scrape off about a yard of scalp, stick his knee in a sharp rock and get fastened in the narrow passage. Of all the groans the English language could not express. Mr. Babcock was as fleet of foot as a cave dweller or a mountain goat, while others prodded along showed much signs of abandoning the crowd leader, but for fear he could not find his way out.

Eastern Star Will Have Honor Guest

All local and visiting members of the Eastern Star are invited and urged to attend a meeting of that body to be held on the night of Tuesday, March 20th. Besides this regular meeting a special program has been arranged in honor of the visit to Sonora of Mrs. Bessie Alexander, District Deputy Grand Matron, according to Mrs. Vernon Hamilton, Worthy Matron.

City Garage Installs New Wash Rack

Work was completed this week on the installation of a steam cleaning and washing rack at the City Garage. A door being cut through the East wall of the building at the rear where the new plant will be installed. When this installation is completed the City Garage will have one of the best washing, greasing and polishing plants in Sonora.

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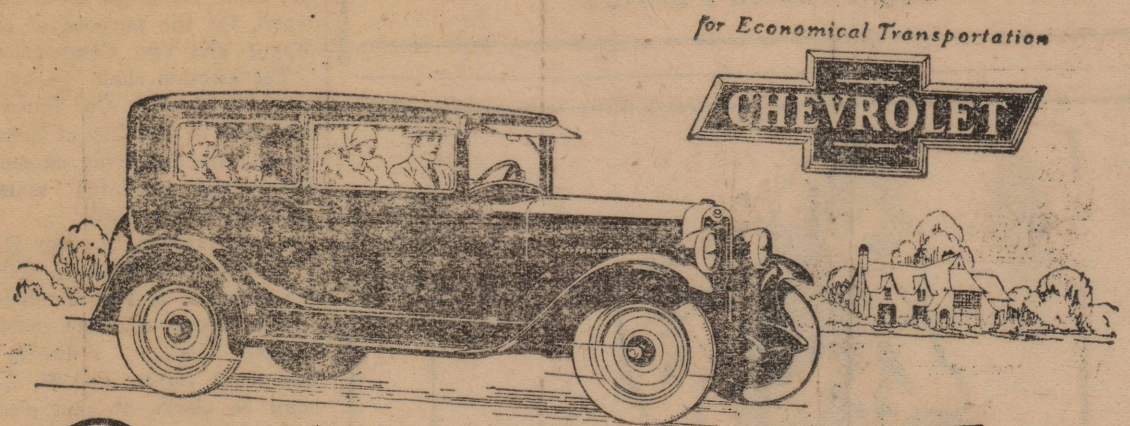
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PERSONAL MENTION

Mr and Mrs. Dock Friend spent the week-end in Sonora.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bond returned Monday from visits to Eagle Pass and Del Rio.

Rev. J. A. Stephen returned to Sonora Sunday afternoon from San Angelo where he had been the past week visiting Mrs. Stephen. It will be some time before Mrs. Stephen returns to Sonora, Rev. Stephen said.

George Whitehead, prince of good men, was here Thursday on business. He reports good rains in the Del Rio section of the country. The hail, which accompanied the rain, did no damage to livestock he said.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Allison were in from the ranch last week-end.

George Edward Allison was a visitor in Sonora last Saturday afternoon.

Ira C. Green who ranches about twenty five miles east of Sonora, was here the fore part of the week and reported good rains down his way.

Marion Stokes says his ranch was drenched by the recent rains, and that it will be sufficient to make fairly good grass and weeds.

Joe Brown Ross was a visitor in town Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond were in from the ranch early in the week.

Joe Logan, county commissioner and a prominent ranchman, was here

Monday on business.

B. M. Halbert Sr., prominent ranchman, was in town during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Evans and little son, Billy Sid, visited in Sonora early in the week.

County Commissioner Joe Logan was a visitor in town Tuesday afternoon.

T. L. Benson of San Angelo was here on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Martin were in from the ranch Tuesday afternoon. W. A. Miers was a visitor in Ballinger this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Savell and son, Miers, were in from the ranch early this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hunt were among the visitors in town during the week.

"Buzzy" Stokes, popular Sonora boy now publishing the Rocksprings Record, was here Tuesday. He was recuperating from an attack of influenza.

Roy Hudspeth was in town during the week, reporting a good rain in his section of the country, and that things were looking fine in every way with "the goose hanging high."

Mrs. Lorene Earwood was a visitor in San Angelo on Wednesday of this week.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many dear friends of our beloved husband and father, Joe North, for their attendance at his funeral and for the wealth of beautiful floral offerings. May God bless you all.

Mrs. J. J. North and children

B. W. Hutcherson

Improving His Home

T. W. Logan of Eldorado is doing the remodeling work now under way at the residence of Sheriff B. W. Hutcherson. The work will consist of remodeling the home and the addition of two rooms. When completed, the house will have seven rooms, two halls and bath room.

Mr. Logan is a brother of County Commissioner Joe Lgan and is well known in this section. He plans to bring his family to Sonora when school is dismissed this Summer, as his children are in school at Eldorado.

NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION

The State of Texas,
County of Sutton,
City of Sonora,

On this the 2nd day of March, 1928, the City Commission of the City of Sonora, Texas, convened in session at a regular meeting of said Commission duly called by the Mayor, and the following members were present and in attendance:

W. C. Gilmore, Mayor; C. G. Dunklin, Commissioner; S. R. Hull, Commissioner; A. C. Elliott, Secretary; and among other proceedings had was the following:

It was moved, seconded, and unanimously voted that an election be called for the purpose of electing a Mayor and two Commissioners, the election to be held on the 3rd. day of April, 1928.

Therefore, the following Election Order was adopted:

WHEREAS, the term of office of the present Mayor and the City Commissioners will expire on the first Tuesday in April and WHEREAS, a resolution for the calling of an election for the purpose of electing said Officials has been unanimously passed by this Commission:

Therefore, BE IT ORDERED by the City Commission of the City of Sonora, Texas, that an election be held on the 3rd. day of April 1928, the same being the first Tuesday in April, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and two Commissioners.

The election shall be held in Gilmore Hardware Co. Furniture Department in the City of Sonora, Texas, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said election, to-wit:

Geo. J. Trainer, Sr., Roy E. Aldwell, S. H. Stokes, and M. A. Wilson; and the said Geo. J. Trainer shall be presiding Judge, and the said Roy E. Aldwell shall be a Judge, and the said S. H. Stokes and M. A. Wilson shall be clerks at said election.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified voters who are resident citizens of the City of Sonora, shall be allowed to vote and the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State governing General Elections.

A copy of this order, signed by the Mayor of the City of Sonora, and attested by the City Secretary of said City, shall serve as a proper notice of said election.

The Mayor is authorized and directed to have said notice published in the Devil's River News, a newspaper of general circulation, published in said City.

Passed and approved on this the 2nd. day of March, A. D. 1928.

W. C. GILMORE,
Mayor, City of Sonora, Texas
ATTEST:
A. C. ELLIOTT,
City Secretary Sonora, 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:

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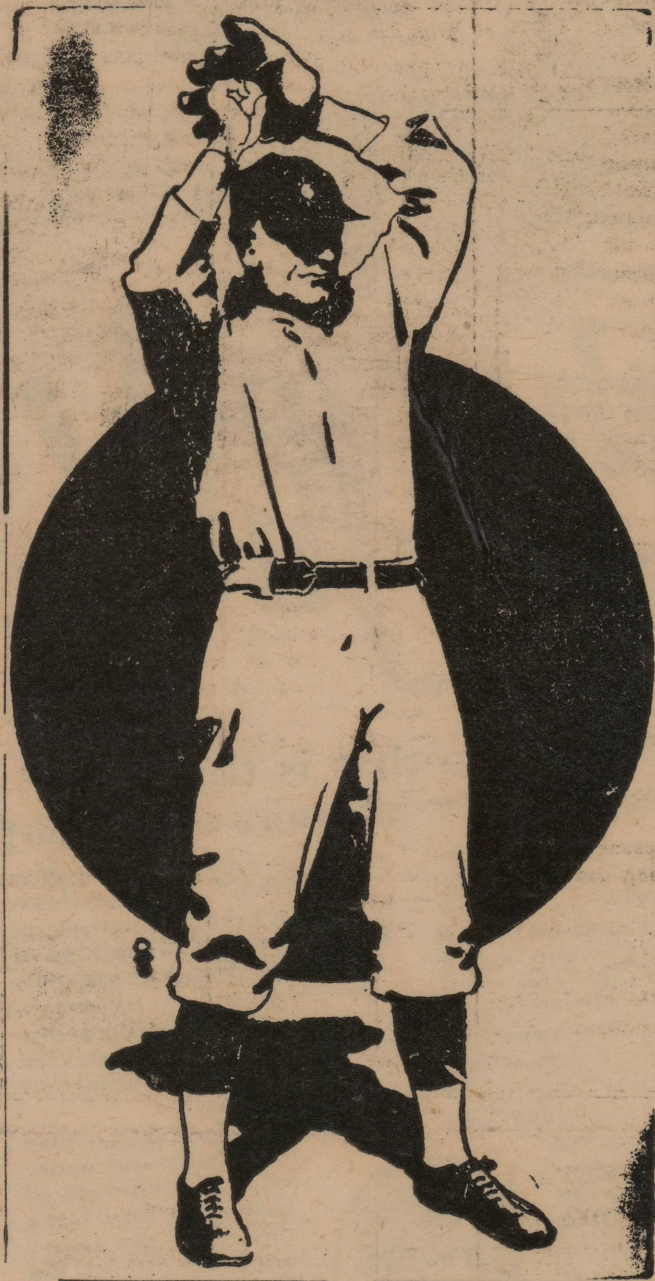
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Now that we've seen the tire, tested it, and tried in vain to find something the matter with it, we add our bit to Goodyear's statement:

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