



**The Devil's River News**

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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.

A salesman for a printing company in San Antonio, Texas, has been calling on the trade in Sonora recently and has been given several orders from some of the Sonora business men, so we have been informed. We don't blame this salesman for trying to get business, but we do blame the business men who gave the orders to him.

This paper is equipped to do any kind of printing at a legitimate profit, and we believe that we are entitled to this business. The policy of this paper has been to "buy it at home" as long as you can get the needed articles; but in the event this cannot be done, we believe in patronizing the nearest dealer. We have waged war on the peddler—and this is some help to the local merchants; and we wonder if they thought about that? Play the game fair—is what we ask.

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The recent cold rains, sleet and snow caused the death of several hundred goats and lambs in this section. But think of the good the rains did for the ranchmen in "The Stockman's Paradise." The benefit from the rains will more than offset damage to livestock. We will take the moisture as it comes, and not be "chicy" about it, either.

Kimble, Sutton and Schleicher Counties have put up a \$400,000 bonus for railroad connections with San Antonio and the port of Corpus Christi, according to the Kerrville Times. "While San Antonio, San Angelo and Corpus Christi business men have been talking railroad and discussing probable routes," says this paper, "the business men, farmers and ranchers of this section have been busy holding meetings. As a result they are now ready to 'talk turkey' with anyone who might undertake to build a line from San Angelo to a connection with the Southern Pacific at Kerrville or the Fredericksburg & Great Northern at Fredericksburg."

Some people are content to remain in the same old rut without any desire of ambition to get out. This will apply to some of the property owners in Sonora who have property (such as it is) and who will not rebuild or sell so the other fellow can build. The time is near when some of these property owners will have to spend a little money on their property when sidewalks and curbing are put down in Sonora. Perhaps this will encourage them to sell or build a shabby building surrounded by pavement and good sidewalks will look like the fellow who has a new pair of shoes and a shabby suit of clothes. Maybe their pride will help to cause them to do something.

**SIDEWALKS ARE NEEDED**  
"It won't be long now until we have sidewalks," is the expression made by some of our most progressive business men recently. Building of sidewalks in Sonora will be a forward step for this town. It is a known fact that they are needed here if ever sidewalks were needed in any town. We believe that the

**With Our Neighbors**

Brady—Much enthusiasm is being displayed here as the prospects for a municipal airport for Brady becomes brighter. Curtis Norman, well known Ford dealer of Brady was recently appointed to assist H. Ford Taylor with plans for the airport.—Sentinel

**BIG LAKE SCOUTS ORGANIZE**  
Big Lake—A movement is now on foot looking to the organization of a Boy Scouts of America chapter at Big Lake.—Wildcat.

**MUCH BUILDING AT JUNCTION**  
Junction—With one of the largest wool and mohair storage plants in West Texas nearing completion, the Junction State Bank building nearing completion, the Lockley Theatre assuming shape, together with the Hankins and Henwick buildings, Junction is presenting an appearance of progressiveness unequalled in its history.—Junction Eagle.

**BALL FANS AT OZONA**  
Ozona—Clerks, ranchers, mechanics and some "sons of rest" all are listed among those making up the personnel of three baseball clubs which will enter competition for the City League diamond title in Ozona this summer. This comes as the result of a meeting of baseball fans and players held here last week in the office of Judge Chas. E. Davidson.—Stockman.

**WHITEWAY AT STOCKTON**  
Ft. Stockton.—Ft. Stockton will have an ornamental white way at an early date if plans now under consideration are approved by the voters of this city. Plans call for fifty-eight concrete slantways be erected at advantageous points. A Dallas firm and a Shreveport firm are bidding for the work.—Pioneer.

**ORGANIZE C. of C. at ROCKSPRINGS**  
Rocksprings.—L. A. Clark was re-elected President of the Rocksprings Chamber of Commerce at the regular meeting held this week at which time matters relative to the advancement of this section's interests were discussed and the machinery of organization were placed in motion.—Record.

**McCAMEY MASONS BUILD**  
McCamey.—A number of local Masons met at the American Legion hall here recently and discussed ways and means of organizing and procuring a charter from the Grand Lodge of Texas. Several proposed building sites are now under consideration for the erection of a two-story Masonic hall here.—Tri-County Record.

**START NEW HOTEL AT DEL RIO**  
Del Rio.—After a three week's delay due to the fact that steel failed to arrive, work was commenced anew on the Hotel Roswell, newest building project here.—West Texas News.

progressive firms will have their walks built. In fact they will all have to build them if the highway helps in paving our streets.

Announcement by the Associated Press from Austin Tuesday was to the effect that Sutton county would get paving from the State Highway Department. Work on the topping of the roads will begin at an early date. This means that Sonora will have its best and only chance to get her streets paved, provided the City and property owners will do their part—pave the balance on each side of the highway strip. Now is our chance to do something and we should do it and do it now! Are we going to let this opportunity pass by without giving it some serious thought? Do something and don't wait until next year to do it!

Mrs. Stella Floyd and Louie Hoffmaster of the Utilities Company were here Wednesday.

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### BROADCASTING

### FROM SONORA

BY DANIEL O. PAYNE

Oh my! my! I've got an awful cold. When the beautiful weather of the past week, started up, I took my note pad in hand and went down on the shores of the beautiful lake here, sat down under the shade of a huge Ellum tree and began to compose poetry. The little lambs were gambling on the green, and some big boys were doing the same thing over across the fence, only they used galloping dominoes.

As I sat there the gentle breeze of early Spring stirred the pages of my book. I sank back upon the carpet of grass and, before I knew it, I was sound asleep.

When I awakened, I felt like Rip Van Winkle. I had caught an awful cold, but I went on with the composition of my poem, which sounded something like this:

"Sprig, Sprig, gettull Sprig, Body joys to us you brig, To Aberica you sing, Gettull, Gettull Sprig."

And speaking of Spring, I wish I could remember all of a little poem I once saw written to Spring by an Englishman. As well as I remember it, it went something like this:

"Er, Spring! You perfectly priceless old Thing."

There's a tang in the air if you know what I mean,

And the grass (as it were) is so pricelessly green,

We shall have the jolly old Bee on the wing,

Er, Spring,

Old Fruit! You've given Winter the Boot."

There is a good deal more to the "poem" than that but that is enough to let you get an idea of the sort of thing it is.

Well, as they say in dear old Hinglund, Cheerio! Pip, Pip! Toodle-oo. Beasty fine weathew we're having, dontchern.

Marion Stokes is the gentleman to whom I am indebted for the following bright little quip. Mr. Stokes avers that he recently read a definition, by the Prince of Wales, (pronounced "Wiles") of the difference between ranch and a "rwnch." A ranch says his highness, is a project which supports one, while a "rwnch" is a project which one supports. "(A bit of orl right, if you awsk me!)

My goodness, do you suppose it is ever going to rain again? Roy Huds-peth says that the Stockman's Paradise can go three years without a rain and maybe it can.

However, my friend Johnnie Martin says he hopes it doesn't come to a point where it will have to be demonstrated that it can.

I would tell you the one Sam Hull told me about the travelling salesman who went to the Chiropractor, but I couldn't tell it like he can. Get him to spill it to you.

Just a word in this department about your subscription. They're beginning to expire, so look at the date on yours and if it is in danger of "playing out" hurdle, wheel or jump down to our office and get right for another year. Why folks, just suppose you had to do a whole week without reading this column! Think what a strain it would be on the nerves. Quitting cigarettes would be child's play compared to doing without the Devil's River News, now wouldn't it? Just \$2.00 does it for you—the biggest two buck's worth this side of the Mississippi River. So get right!

### NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS

Many subscribers will note that their subscriptions are expiring in April. The date of the expiration of your subscription to The Devil's River News may be seen from the date stamped on the small strip which day of the month, and the third indicates the year. For instance "John Doe, 4-17-28" means that Mr. Doe's subscription expires on April 7, 1928.

If your subscription is expiring in April, we want you to remain a subscriber. Mail, bring or send us your \$2.00 bill for another year, or telephone us and we will send you a bill at the end of the month.

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### 35 YEARS AGO

(From The Devil's River News of March 21, 1891).

Felix Vander Stucken, the obliging and popular salesman for Mayer & Hagerlund, left yesterday to attend the festivities at Emerald, a full account of which The Devil's River News will have next week.

In this issue will be seen the card of P. Hurst, who has started a general collecting agency. Mr. Hurst, is a rustler when it comes to collecting for other people.

W. M. Mathis of Wentworth, while going down hill in Taylor's pasture with a load of lumber, Thursday fell from his horse and the wagons passed over his body, causing death. Deceased had never thoroughly recovered from a painful accident with which he met last October in Webb's lumber yard in San Angelo.

Major John Allison was in town today.

Bob Cauthorn, son of the prominent sheepman, A. R. Cauthorn, returned Thursday from Mobile, Mo., where he has been attending college.

D. B. Cusenbary started 3000 muttons for the railroad Monday in charge of Mark White.

### Savell Buys 35 Fly Traps for Ranch Use

A truck carrying thirty-five large fly traps left Sonora Tuesday morning for the Savell ranch in Southwestern Sutton and Southeastern Crockett counties. Part of these traps were for Mr. Phillips, who ranches on land adjacent to Savell's, but the bulk of the traps went to Mr. Savell.

He now has about 30 traps on his 14-section ranch and is "going after the flies in a business-like way."

The traps were purchased of the Gilmore Hardware Company, a local firm that manufactures the traps in wholesale quantities.

The traps were supplied by Gilmore Hardware Company of Sonora, who have taken the lead in this business here. W. C. Gilmore stated Tuesday morning that approximately 150 traps have been delivered to date this season, and that orders were on hand for about 100 more at the present time. Orders are coming in constantly, he said.

It is believed that the majority of the ranchmen in this county are now definitely "sold" on the fly-trapping idea and that real, concerted effort towards the mitigation of the blow-fly evil will characterize this year's operations.

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**Crew of 20 Rush Utilities Building**

Twenty workmen, seven brick layers and other workers, under the supervision of John Dunn, are finishing the building being erected by the West Texas Utilities Company. The walls and partitions of brick are now being laid with all haste. The crew was unable to work on Monday of this week, due to rain, snow, etc., but resumed work with a vengeance Tuesday morning.

Mr. Dunn stated that everything would be finished, he felt sure, by the end of May, including the residences and ice plant.

E. C. Beam was in from his Edwards County ranch Wednesday morning and reported a good rain with no losses.

**"Red" Fitzsimmons Visits Home Town**

A boy who left Sonora seven years ago with nothing in the world but the clothes he wore, a shock of fighting red hair and the nerve to "back the world" returned to the old home town this week for a brief visit with his parents. That boy was Claude Fambrough, better known by his pugilistic title of "Red Fitzsimmons," under which name he has slugged and punched his way from the ranks of the "palookas" to an enviable position in the ranks of the light-heavies.

One of his last fights was at Nogal Ariz., when he met the giant negro K. O. Brown, to whom he dropped a ten-round decision. Fitzsimmons was at a decided disadvantage in this fight. He had gotten to Nogales from the warm climate of Southern California, and the day he arrived it snowed. A difference of 5000 feet in altitude and severe cold weather slowed him down from what many thought was a sure win for the Red-head.

On March 2 Red met Vigo Doman at Hollywood and won a 10-round decision over him. On April 15th, he met Ernie Owens and fought him to a ten-round draw for the heavy-weight championship of the Pacific Coast.

He has fought 63 times in the past 4 years and lost only 12 of these scraps.

Unlike most "pugs" who return to their home towns, there nothing of the braggart about Red Fambrough. He met his boyhood friends with a decidedly genuine pleasure and wrung the hands of those whom he had known back in the old days.

Fitzsimmons is a typical pugilist in appearance. A perfect physique, moulded on a 180-pound carriage, a shock of short, bristling red hair, an ear of the "cauliflower" variety, and a "mug" that shows unmistakable signs of having been tapped at frequent intervals, announces to the world at large that Red Fitzsimmons has oft indulged in the "manly art of scrambling ears" or "hit the button."

The history of Red's ascendancy in the fight game is one which local fans love to relate. As a boy he showed a decided dislike for fighting and, sad to relate, was more often the loser than the winner in such encounters as he chanced to participate. This continued until one day, somewhere, "something broke loose" and Red cleaned up on his antagonist. Since that day he has been willing to "swap a few" with all and sundry, and it is perfectly reasonable to believe that not one among those who formerly found pleasure in "punching" Red Fitzsimmons, would today care to incur his wrath.

**Utilities Sell Twenty Electric Stoves**

L. Hoffmaster, range salesman, and Otho Drake, commercial agent of the West Texas Utilities Company, report the sale of twenty Hot Point Ranges here this week. Orders for the majority were taken during the cooking school held here this week. Mesdames J. A. Cauthorn, V. F. Hamilton, Robt. Halbert, O. G. Babcock, W. A. Miers, E. E. Sawyer, Geo. B. Hamilton, Theo. Savell, Sam Thomas, H. Eastland, W. L. Aldwell, G. G. Stephenson, Louis Bruton, G. W. Stephenson, J. D. Lowrey, Thomas Espy, Maysie Brown, E. S. Long, Neill Rouche and Ralph Trainer.

Several Frigidaires were sold but the names of the purchasers of these were not made known.

**Station Men to Judge Del Rio Stock Show**

W. H. Dameron, supt., and Mr. Carpenter, both of Experiment Station No. 14 near here, will act as judges in a sheep and goat show being staged by the boys of the animal husbandry department of the Del Rio high school, on Saturday, April 14th.

A committee appointed from the Del Rio Rotary Club subscribed the money necessary for staging this event.

The committee in charge of the show includes the following: Barnett Adams, chairman; Gerald Young, Tom Payne Jr., and Paul Edwards.

**George J. Trainer, Sr. Owner of New Ford**

County Tax Assessor George J. Trainer, Sr., of Sonora received delivery this week of a new Ford Tudor Sedan from the Sonora Motor Company. This is the second of the new cars to be delivered in this county, the first having been delivered to Henry Sykes, a coupe.

The car was driven here from Dallas by Sam R. Hull of the Sonora Motor Company, being the fourth of the new cars he has brought here from that branch of the Ford Motor Company.

Douglas Cravy was a visitor in Sonora Wednesday afternoon.

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**Utilities Show Room Beautifully Arranged**

Many residents of Sonora have remarked upon the tasteful arrangement of the display room of the West Texas Utilities Company.

The display room is the building formerly occupied by the Dew Drop Inn. The large plate glass window in the front of the building is arranged with six reading, or floor lamps, giving a direct view of the beautiful Hot-Point electric ranges and the Frigidaire electric refrigerators. Centrally located is a showcase displaying electric waffle irons, flat irons, and other electrical appliances.

Dudley Westbrook and Otho Drake are in charge of retail sales here for the Company.

**Injured Man Will Resume His Duties**

Ed Laird, whose injuries from a fall sustained while at work on the West Texas Utilities building here late in March were at first thought fatal, will soon be able to leave the hospital, according to John Dunn, who has charge of the construction.

It was at first thought that Laird's injuries would either prove fatal or incapacitate him for life, and that his hip or pelvis was fractured. He has been in a San Angelo hospital for the past month or so, and is about able to leave and return to his work. He is a valued employee of the West Texas Utilities Company, having been employed by that company for the past eleven years.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bond were in town Wednesday.

**SAM JACOBS**

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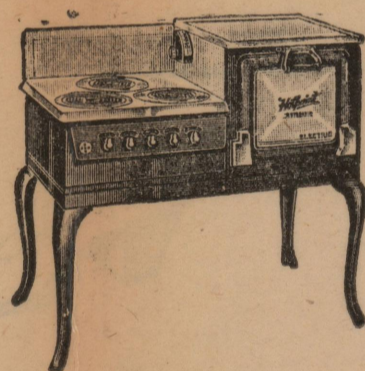
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#### Personal Mention

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Sam Karnes was a visitor in town Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bond were in from the ranch Monday.

Tom Davis was in from the ranch Saturday afternoon.

County Commissioner Joe Logan was in from the ranch Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shurley spent the week-end in San Angelo, returning to Sonora Monday afternoon.

FOR SALE—Electric range with tank and water heater; cost \$200, sell for \$100. Miss H. M. Bennett, 308 South Bishop, San Angelo, Texas 1p

Miss Ada Steen was a visitor in Sonora Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Martin, popular young ranch people, were in from their ranch Tuesday morning, shopping and visiting relatives and friends.

FOR SALE: Four used washstands in A. I. condition. Reasonably priced for quick sale. Hotel McDonald. (4-13-28)

Joe Logan, County Commissioner, and a prominent ranchman of the Eastern part of the County, was here Monday on business. Mr. Logan states that, as far as he has been able to ascertain, he lost no lambs during the cold spell.

Sam Jacobs, local cement contractor, has recently completed a 50,000 gallon water tank for G. W. Stephenson on the Geo. D. Chalk ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Westbrook are making their home at the J. E. Grimland residence until their new home is completed.

"Uncle Johnnie" Johnson was among the "old-line" Democrats who attended the organization meeting last Saturday afternoon.

C. G. Dunklin, mayor-elect, is the proud owner of a new Whippet car, purchased of the Allen Motor Sales Company of San Angelo.

T. J. Cochran of Omaha, Texas, arrived the latter part of last week

to spend several weeks with his daughter, Mrs. G. B. Rankhorn.

Sol Mayer was a visitor in Sonora on Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rector Cusenbary came in from the ranch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rector Cusenbary were here from the ranch Monday.

Mac Cauthorn was among those visiting in town Tuesday afternoon.

W. P. McConnell of McCamey visited friends here over last week-end.

Giles Hill, Jr., was here from the ranch Tuesday on important business.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Shurley were in from the ranch Saturday on business.

Russel Martin, wife and baby daughter, were here from the ranch Tuesday.

Mrs. S. T. Gilmore returned Sunday night from a week's visit in Big Spring.

Clayton Puckett and mother, Mrs. J. M. Puckett, were in from their ranches Tuesday.

J. H. Chipman, wife and baby were in from the ranch Monday, buying ranch supplies.

Mrs. Alis Johnson was in from the ranch Tuesday afternoon, driving her new Whippet sedan.

Miss Niba B. Sinclair, the winsome and charming school mistress, visited in San Angelo last week-end.

Jack Neighbors of San Angelo and Steve Murphy of Sonora were visitors in Del Rio last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Halbert, Miss Allie Halbert and Miss Lena V. Stokes, spent Sunday in San Angelo.

Hazen Wood and Dick Dicken, of the Atlantic Production Co., were here for a short time Monday afternoon.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jacobs, on April 1st, a 11-pound boy. The young man has been christened Clarence.

Mrs. Josie McDonald and Miss Estelle were visitors in San Angelo Thursday.

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