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TWO PIPE LINES WILL TRAVERSE SUTTON COUNTY

The United Producer's Pipe Line Company will start the laying of a ten-inch line from the Yates field to Texas City, a distance of over four hundred miles. The following in part is from the San Angelo Morning Times of June 5th.

This was announced Monday by officials of the Transcontinental Oil Company while inspecting Pecos County producing properties which this company and Mid-Kansas Oil and Gas Company own jointly. The United Producers is the transportation branch of the Transcontinental.

Members of the party expressed the belief that the Yates-Smith field with 195 wells now pinched under proration to not over 52,000 barrels daily is capable of producing a half million barrels daily and estimated that the total recovery will reach one half million barrels. Even the pipe line to be laid by the Transcontinental to tidewater and doubling of the Humble's line from McCamey to Ingleside, materials for which have already been shipped will contribute to handling only a small part of the field's potential yield. The officials, were doubtful in fact, if ever there will be sufficient outlet to take all the available production.

Pro-ration thus necessitated will prevent flooding of the market and at the same time will retard the encroachment of water, which provides the pressure behind the oil. Some of the officials said there is a feeling in oil circles at Tulsa that there will be a better market before the end of the year. Litigation over leases in Pecos County is not affecting production or plans by the Mid-Kansas and Transcontinental for developing their holdings. J. C. Adams, a vice-president and general counsel for the Transcontinental will be in El Paso next week when a suit affecting the company is called in federal court.

PECOS FIELD UNEQUALED

"The Pecos field is the greatest in the world, by my opinion," said John L. Kirkland, one of the Transcontinental directors, who has missed none of the numerous inspection trips which Transcontinental and Plymouth officials have made to West Texas in the last three or four years. Less than sixty days ago most of the Transcontinental officials who were in the party Monday made a trip to Pecos County. The closeness of these visits is interpreted by some to mean that something big is brewing, but whatever it is, if anything, was not divulged.

The Yates-Smith area was probably was of the greatest interest to bankers and others from Chicago, Baltimore, and Louisville, Pittsburgh and points on the Pacific coast who never before had seen the field. The surprising thing to them was the scarcity of derricks considering its potentialities and effect upon the oil industry. Most of the producers are drilled with machines that have only stub derricks or staffs and when a well is completed the machine is removed, leaving only a pipe protruding in the field since the Transcontinental officials were there April 9 was the development of heavy production in Mid-Kansas and Transcontinental No. 19A Yates in section 34 1-2 offsetting the most easterly northwest corner of section 31, over a mile south of other wells. No 19A recently gauged 1,987 barrels in one hour through four 4-inch lines.

Eldorado Baptists to Have New Church

The Eldorado Baptist Church, with a membership of over 225, will start construction at an early date on their new church building, it was announced here Wednesday by Pastor J. L. Ratliff. The building, when complete, will represent an expenditure of approximately \$20,000, Rev. Ratliff said.

The material in the present building will be used in the new structure. The building will be a brick veneer with a basement and two stories. There will be an auditorium 45x80 and fifteen rooms to be used for Sunday school work. The new edifice will be modern in every respect and will have some new equipment.

RETURN FROM TRIP TO DAVIS MOUNTAINS

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sawyer and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Earwood and Mrs. Jim Cauthorn returned Friday night from a trip to Madria Springs in the Davis Mountains near Fort Davis.

Phillips Well Will Be Drilled to 6,000 Feet

The Phillips Petroleum Company is building a derrick 5 miles North of the J. S. Holman ranch house for a six-thousand foot test.

The well will spud within the next two weeks, according to Superintendent J. D. Bradley. Rig material is being moved to the new location.

Mr. Bradley has been drilling oil wells for the past thirty-five years. His company is going to make a thorough test of the different sands, he said.

The well is strictly in wildcat territory, thirty miles from any other test, located just over the line in Edwards County.

His company has several thousand acres out of the Holman, Cusenbary and Cauthorn ranches.

Trainer in New Home by First of July

J. W. Trainer and his valuable assistant, T. O. Goodner returned from Dallas Sunday where they had been to purchase new stocks and the latest in tailoring equipment. They spent almost a week in the market center of the South in an effort to get the best and most up-to-date in their line. The stocks will start arriving within the next fifteen days, Mr. Trainer said. Machinery for the tailoring department has been shipped and should arrive by the latter part of next week.

Work on his building was commenced this week and should be completed in two weeks. J. T. McClelland, local contractor is doing the work. The West Texas Lumber Company of this place was awarded the contract to furnish all materials. The building will be of brick and tile, 21x70, with a 21x25 space in the rear for the tailoring equipment.

Mr. Trainer stated that he will be doing business not later than the 1st of July, and that before that time he will have his cleaning and pressing machinery installed.

Mr. Trainer was the heaviest loser in the fire here Saturday night, which did damage to his stock in the amount of \$15,000.

Woman's Club Get 200 New Books

Fifty-two new books have been purchased for the Sonora Women's Club and should be here by next week, according to Mrs. E. E. Sawyer. The books, a nice selection of fiction and children's books, are the best authors. They are:

Fiction
Ginger Ella, Wintermoon, Skyward, The Far Call, The Bridge San Louis Bay, Kitty, Mother India, We, What Can A Man Believe, Daisy and Daphne, The Lone Scout of the Sky, Nevada, Sand Burn, Impatient Griswold, The Wind, Claire Ambler, Poems and Patriotism, The Passing Throng, The Light and Faith, River Riders, Beauty and the Beast, Deluge, The Bellamy, Foolish Virgins, Barberry Bush, Strawberry Gate, The Golden Cocoon, the Hounds of Spring.

Boy's Books by Appleton
Hold 'Em, Wyedlam, Bases Full, Midshipman, The Medicine Buffalo, Old Hickory Prison; Secretary Hawkins in Cuba, Hillsdale High Champion, Mysterious Guitar, and Barry and Bud.

Children's Books
Humbelina, Little Robinson Crusoe, Kidnapped, The Wonder Books of Bible Stories, Peter and Wendy, Books for Wee Folks by Altemus Little Black Sambo, The Baby Elephant, Peter Rabbit and the old Witch Woman, Uncle Wiggley's Apple Roast, Uncle Wiggley's Ice Cream Party, Uncle Wiggley's Woodland Games, Billie Bunny and Timmie Chipmunk, Billy Bunny and the Friendly Elephant.

This brings the total number of books for the Club to over two hundred. The public is invited to read any of their volumes.

Steel to Arrive Tomorrow for Bank

Four truck loads of lathe arrived here today with foreman A. M. Johnston, who is supervising the work on the new bank building for the Belanz Construction Company of San Angelo. Mr. Johnston expects several truck loads of steel tomorrow and then the work will be pushed to completion. Concrete pouring will start upon the arrival of steel for the ten big piers.

Wilbur Dunn of the West Texas Lumber Company, spent Sunday in San Angelo with his mother.

STOKES MAKING RACE FOR JUDGE OF THIS COUNTY

Sam H. Stokes authorized the News this week to announce him for the office of County Judge of Sutton County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held in July.

Mr. Stokes came to this County before its organization and was instrumental in perfecting local self government for his county. He was the third county and district clerk of this county and served in this capacity for ten years. After that time he refused to be a candidate any longer and his deputy J. D. Lowrey who now holds the office was elected. Mr. Stokes has been very active and progressive ever since he came to Sonora. During the time he was in office, he was considered one of the most careful and efficient clerks in Texas. Well versed in law and especially the land laws of Texas.

Mr. Stokes will attempt to see every voter in the county personally, but in the event it is not possible for him to do this, he asks the careful consideration of all before casting his or her ballot.

We commend this gentleman to your consideration.

Sonora Boys and Girls Return from School

The following boys and girls will either be returning from school or attending summer school:

Joseph Trainer, freshman, T. C. U., will remain in Fort Worth for summer school; Miss Jamie Gardner has returned from Howard Payne College at Brownwood; Duke Wilson, summer school at Schreiner Institute at Kerrville; Ray Glasscock, summer school, Howard Payne; Elizabeth Caldwell, A. B., Southwestern U., returning home; Williams Fields, A. M. College, returns this week.

Ray and Miss M. L. ... attended the graduation exercises at Georgetown where their two sons received their A. B. degrees.

Misses Zella Lee Thorp and Jessie Louise Evans left Monday afternoon for Brownwood where they will attend summer school at Howard Payne College.

William Fields in Car Wreck Friday

Sammy Sanford of Wills Point was killed, and his brother sustained four broken ribs, the result of an unavoidable automobile accident last Friday at about dusk near College Station in William Fields' car.

William had driven his car in front of the show house and was met by the deceased, his brother and another Senior of A. and M. and demanded that Fields take them for a ride. As the custom in schools, underclassmen usually obey their superiors, so William took them for a ride. They had not been riding long and were not driving fast when they ran upon a bridge, and a rough place in the road caused the car to leave the pavement. After the car had left the pavement the second time it collided with the embankment. Sammy and his brother were in the rumble seat and were the only ones in the party who were hurt. An examination of the steering wheel showed that a bolt had been snapped, causing the car to swerve and hit the embankment. Also the wheels were found locked.

Upon hearing the sad news William's father, J. W. Fields, Mrs. Fields, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Perrine, and Mrs. John Fields left immediately for College Station. All the Fields, except Mrs. Fields attended the funeral of young Sanford at Wills Point.

The mother laid no blame whatsoever on any of the boys, and expressed herself as being thankful that she had one son left. Of course the accident was regrettable, but at the same time was unavoidable.

The Fields returned to their home here Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Perrine returning to their home at Wall.

2,150 Mutton Goats Recently Sold

Fayette Tankersley of Mertzon sold 375 steer calves to northern feeder buyers at private terms. S. E. McKnight sold to Jim Cauthorn 1050 mutton goats at private terms for immediate delivery. Jim Thompson also sold 1100 mutton goats to O. Q. Marshall of Rocksprings at terms not announced.

TARVIATING OF HIGHWAYS IS TO BEGIN SOON

Albert Townes, superintendent of the Dozier Construction Company of Austin arrived here this week with a crew of twenty men and a dozen trucks preparatory to the tarviating of 18 miles of highway between Sonora and Eldorado and approximately 30 miles on the Old Spanish Trail East of here.

Mr. Townes is in San Angelo making arrangements for additional equipment and machinery and will begin work a few miles this side of Eldorado on the caliche strip and work towards Sonora. This job will be completed before commencing the tarviating of the Old Spanish Trail.

A week will be required to pitch camp and get the big rock crusher set before the actual work begins.

May Have Public Singing School

A public singing school is being sponsored by several of Sonora's most prominent business men and citizens to be held at the school auditorium every night for ten nights. W. E. Caldwell, manager of the West Texas Lumber Company and J. G. Lloyd, Christian minister, are the two who are most interested in developing local vocal talent.

U. S. Daniels, formerly of Dallas, and who has had twenty years experience in conducting singing schools, is to be employed to teach the school. Mr. Daniels is trying to organize a group of sixteen classes in near-by towns. This number will be divided into four groups, and Mr. McDaniel will devote a week with each group every month.

The expense of the school here will be defrayed by public subscription and donations. Everyone who feels that they would like to contribute to this worthy cause should get in touch with either Minister Lloyd or Mr. Caldwell.

The first meeting night will be Monday at 8:00 p. m.

Sewer Work to Be Completed Soon

Work on the Sonora \$40,000 sewer system will be completed before the first of July, probably by the 15th according to Mr. Louderslagen, Engineering Company of Dallas who has the contract.

The disposal plant south of town is being finished this week. A little more ditching is to be done before the job will be complete.

Connections from residences to the mains are being made, and it is believed that more than half of these will be made before the work is done. To date no city ordinance has been passed compelling the people to do away with their out houses.

Angelo Wool Sales Below Average

At the wool sale held Wednesday at the Wool Growers Central Storage Company warehouse, approximately 166,000 pounds of 12-months wool was offered for sale, it was disclosed Wednesday night. Although no definite prices were quoted for the sale, it was understood that the prices ranged about 40 cents, and a few cents under the price that has generally been commanded by wool in recent sales.

The sale was brought to a close at noon Wednesday, and private bids were carried on in the afternoon. No eight month clips were offered for sale, it was stated. John Allison was the heaviest purchaser, buying 100,000 pounds of the 12 month clip. Allison was buying for Adams and Leonard of Boston. Studley and Emory of Boston, purchased 40,000 pounds; J. M. Lea, bought 18,000 pounds for Draper and Company of Boston; and J. S. Ligonston, buying for the Colonial Company, of Boston, purchased 8,000 pounds.

According to all pioneer wool men and ranchmen of this section, no cause could be given for the slump in the bidding and the prices paid. All wool dealers were reported as looking forward to a banner year this season in the wool market.—Standard

Miss Guila Lowrey has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Mans Hoggett of Mertzon.

Brick for Long Bldg. Being Made Here

31,000 standard size cement and sand brick are being made in Sonora by W. E. Wallace for the Long building. Mr. Wallace has his plant working to full capacity of four to five thousand bricks daily and will have them all ready by the time they are needed on the job, he said.

The front will be 21 feet wide built of mica brick. The walls will be of solid light white brick.

This speaks well for Sonora and Mr. Wallace in that the brick are made in Sonora and will effect a saving of the amount that would be paid for freight from San Angelo to this city.

The Long building will house the E. S. Long barber shop in the basement and the Style Shop on the above floor, and will be ready for occupancy by the first of July.

Long's has the contract for this. Roy Smith a brother of Mrs. Long's has the contract for this structure.

State Will Grade Road in Edwards

The fifteen miles of bad road between here and Del Rio in the Holman pasture will be graded and put in good condition, it is learned here this week.

The State is now ready to grade this piece of road with the consent of the owners of the Holman ranch. The grading of the road and fencing would cut Mr. Holman's pasture in two parts, thus cutting stock off from watering places. It is understood that the Holmans have no objection to the grading of the road provided provisions are made for pumping water from the water tank on the ranch across the road to the dry side of the pasture. The cost of doing this is estimated at \$1200. It is understood that the State Highway Commission is to go ahead with the work.

40,000,000 Flies from 303 Traps One Catch

A six-week catch from 303 traps in Menard county netted 5,033 quarts or 1, 258 gallons or 40,265,040 flies for ranchmen in that County according to O. G. Babcock of this city who returned from there this week where he had been to confer with County Agent Nisbit. The 303 traps cover only one-fourth of the County, and the catch reveal the flies to be mostly of the screw worm variety and a few blow flies. Sheep and goat carcasses are used for bait.

County Agent Summers of Eldorado has a group of 250 traps now in operation in his county adjoining the Menard group on the South. Agent Summers is now making every effort to organize another district. Agent Summers is using horse meat for bait.

Sonora Won from Humble Liners, 9-5

Sonora took the big end of the count here Sunday 9 to 5 with the Kemper Pipe Liners. McCurdy did good work for the locals, but was weak in the last three stanzas when the Liners got most of their runs. He breezed along in fine shape behind the heavy hitting of his team mates.

No game has been scheduled for Sunday but it is the intention of Manager Barnes to match a game with some team that will come here Sunday.

The Sonora Branches will play Miles here on the evening of the 3rd and on the mornings of the 4th and 5th. The Giants are said to be strong contenders in semi-professional baseball, and will be able to mix it with the Sonorans.

New Drug Store Manager Arrives

W. F. McBride and wife of San Angelo arrived the latter part of last week to make their home here. Mr. McBride is the new manager for the Sonora Drug Store which was recently sold to the Orange Cross Chain Association now operating in several West Texas towns.

Mr. McBride is an experienced druggist, and will no doubt make the Sonora Drug Store one of the most successful in this part of the country. Mrs. McBride is assisting her husband in the store.

The News welcomes these good people to our city, and hope for them much success.

FIVE THOUSAND ARE EXPECTED AT BELL HOLLOW

A crowd of five thousand is expected to attend the barbecue at Bell Hollow June 14, according to Alfred Schweining who is in charge of the affair. Eighty goats and sheep together with several beeves are to be served to the great throngs who go there annually to help make merry.

Bell Hollow is situated on the Llano river, twenty-five miles East of here in one of the shadiest places on the river. Many people have already gone with their camping outfits preparatory for the gala day.

In the way of entertainment there will be roping, riding, baseball and other sports. A big platform dance on the night of the 13th and 14th, with one of the best orchestras in Texas will furnish the music for those who like to dance.

A free barbecue dinner and supper on the fourteenth will be served to the crowds with plenty of pickles, coffee and bread.

All Sonora business houses close their doors on that day in order for their employees to be there. People from Eldorado, Menard, Ozona, and Junction will be there in full force.

Candidates will be given an opportunity to speak at this gathering.

Houston Can House Visitors to Convention

Devil's River News, Dear Sir:

Your attention has been called several times to a general misunderstanding throughout your section of the state in regard to the housing situation in Houston during the Democratic National Convention, beginning June 26th. Believing your readers, many of whom contemplate attending this convention, will be interested in knowing just what facilities are available, we ask you to pass on the following information through the columns of your paper.

Despite the size of this city, comparatively speaking, the general impression over the country has been that Houston will not be able to comfortably house those who come to the convention. This situation was indeed a problem when Houston was first selected as the 1928 convention city, but through the cooperation of Houston citizens this problem has been solved.

It is estimated that there are now available housing facilities in Houston apartments and private homes to comfortably house 30,000 persons daily, and other accommodations are being received hourly. These rooms are all within two blocks of transportation, have been inspected and found first class and are available at the call of the housing committee.

Rates will be from \$2 to \$6 per person. All hotel rooms have been assigned delegates, alternates and newspaper correspondents, in accordance with a contract with the Democratic Committee.

Existing tourist camp facilities have been expanded to accommodate 3,000 cars, or 10,000 persons. Two new tourist camps are under construction with facilities for 5,000 cars or 15,000 persons. These camps have running water, bathing facilities and sewerage. Many of them have cabins and tents available.

Therefore the impression that Houston cannot adequately house all visitors during the Democratic Convention is entirely unfounded. Every person who comes to Houston during this gathering, will be properly housed and fed.

In order to save time and secure the best of available rooms, we urge those planning to attend the convention to write the housing committee Democratic Building, Houston, for reservation, and rooms will be assigned immediately. If this is done, the visitor who has written in advance for rooms will be conducted directly to his quarters with very little delay.

It is for the best interests of your readers that they be correctly informed on this subject and we respectfully ask that you deliver this message to them through your columns.

Very truly yours,
Jesse H. Jones

Snake Serum Can Be Obtained Here

Two doses of serum for rattlesnake bites have been received here to Dr. A. G. Blanton. This medicine is good for five years. The Sonora Drug Store will at all times keep a supply of this serum in stock and can be had night or day.

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A MIRACLE

Two tokens of immortality came in my heart today:
A moan of anguish, a hush, a wail;
A wee-man child was gently wafted in
Across the valley of death's shadow.
So frail, so wise, yet knowingless of life;
And there I felt a presence hovering near;
I cannot say if this were heaven or earth;
Angels were keeping watch with tenderness;
What greater miracle can we have than birth?

Came next pale hands serene, a heart grown still,
Faded eyes now closed by the unswerving touch of death;
A life of service claiming its reward of rest;
There steals a holiness over me,
A prayer, a radiance that no one can see,
To know we come from out of the shadow of this valley
And at last return, then on to light eternal;
Beyond it all is the omnipotence of his hand;
What more need we to know of life than this?
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35 YEARS AGO

(From the Devil's River News of November 22 1890.)

Joe Wyatt was in from the ranch Tuesday.

J. Q. Adams and Sons bought from Julius Kahn, 500 muttons at \$2.

All foreign wools have advanced and Australian Merino is very firm at the advance.

Do not forget the meeting of the Sutton County Wool Growers Association on the first Saturday of December.

D. B. Cusenbary returned from San Angelo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. Gurley and family, we are sorry to learn, will leave the latter part of next week for their home on Johnson's Run.

Bring along your marriages, George has got the business down fine.

Max Mayer, late merchant of San Antonio, now of New York, was in Sonora this week. Mr. Mayer is a cousin of our Max, and expressed himself as agreeably surprised with the trading center of the Stockman's Paradise.

Charlie Adams of Sonora was at court last week.

Pabon Bros. did not sell their interest in the Robinson Bros & Cauthorn well to T. D. Newell, as reported in a former issue.

D. B. Cusenbary bought a shipment of fine mares bred to the Norman horse, from Adams Bros. of Runnels County, at \$20 per head and also a fine pair of big gray horses for \$200.

Captain Schreiner, sold this week to northern buyers 2,500 sacks of wool, four, five and six months clip, at prices ranging from 1 to 21 cents, being one half cent over the San Antonio market, and the best sales in West Texas.—Kerrville News.

Capt. John McNichol has returned from Junction City where he qualified for office of surveyor of Sutton County. He brought the certificates for all officers of the county with him. The returns are the same as published a week ago.

A. R. Cauthorn was in Sonora Monday.

Lee Russell, one of Sonora's most popular young men will leave in about ten days for El Paso. Lee has some cattle near there which he will sell and then return to the only town he ever loved.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Word accompanied by their neices, the Misses Jennie and Minnie Kilgore, of Greenville, Texas, arrived last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Word returning from an extended visit to Greenville, the Dallas and San Angelo fairs, and the Misses Kilgore will spend the winter in the healthiest portion of Texas.

Born on Sunday, the 16th, of November to Mr. and Mrs. Devore, a boy. Weight 11 pound.

Wm. Drennan of San Angelo arrived Sunday and accepted a position with Wm. Bevans.

Rev. R. C. Anderson, the eloquent Presbyterian minister of San Angelo will preach at the school house on the 30th inst., the fifth Sunday of this month. He has large congregations at San Angelo, and deserves a full attendance here. All are cordially invited to be present.

L. N. Halbert, the leading lawyer, of Sonora, bought the Will Glasscock residence on the West side. Mr. Halbert's family will arrive next week.

Buy a Proven Automobile. Buy a car that has parts and service elsewhere. Buy a car that sells as many cars as its three nearest competitors put together. Buy the car that has the best service facilities in West Texas for cars selling above \$1,000 Buy a Buick from the Henderson-Ede Company, San Angelo.

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A. & W. Drug Store
J. W. Trainer

McClelland & Vetter New Plumbing Firm

J. T. McClelland, local contractor, now has E. Vetter as partner in the plumbing business. They will cater strictly to that line of work under the firm name of McClelland & Vetter Plumbing Company. Mr. McClelland will continue the contracting business.

Mr. Vetter is an experienced plumber, having been engaged in that line of work for the past fifteen years. Until the last few weeks he was employed by Harrison & Pirtle Plumbing Company.

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What's Doing in West Texas

Fort Worth.—More than one hundred airplanes are expected here June 18, 19, and 20, for an airplane review in connection with the Tenth Annual Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, in Fort Worth. B. B. Buckeridge, Industrial Commissioner of Fort Worth Association of Commerce, is in charge of plans for this event.

The program is incomplete but will include a grand parade at 10 o'clock each morning. The planes take off at 10:01 each day and will fly over the city. In the afternoon there will be stunt flying, parachute jumping and other features.

One of the oldest planes in use will be here, as will the very latest models. It promises to be one of the biggest airplane reviews ever staged in the United States. Still another feature will be a barbecue for the aviators. Already returns indicate at least one hundred planes will be here.

FOR SALE OR RENT—One store building 20x50 on Main Street, also one four-room cottage in East Sonora. See or write J. W. Trainer, Sonora, Texas. It c.

Eight Sonora Scouts at Camp Kickapoo

Eight Boy Scouts left the latter part of last week for Camp Kickapoo, near Menard for the Concho Valley District Scout outing. They are:

Lea Roy Aldwell, Marvin Barnes, John Hull, Jack Pfeister, James Hutcherson, Elwood Dunklin, Willie B. Wilson, Edwin Sawyer. They were accompanied by Roy E. Aldwell, director of the local scout organization.

Miss Lucille Harris of Cuero, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. H. Neill, was accompanied to San Angelo the latter part of last week by Mr. and Mrs. Neill. Miss Harris will attend summer school at Sul Ross State Teachers College at Alpine.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Caldwell and son, James, attended the graduation exercises at Southwestern University at Georgetown Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sawyer and children will leave on the fifteenth for a town near Bangor, Maine, where they will spend the summer.

WANTED—A few ducks. Call Eddie Mayer.



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COURAGE!

J. W. Trainer is showing courage by rebuilding after taking a loss of \$15,000 in the blaze here recently. Mr. Trainer evidently has faith in Sonora as he will spend much more than that in rebuilding and restocking with fresh goods from the market center.

As this is being written, Mr. Trainer, and his able assistant, T. O. Goodner are in Dallas purchasing tailoring equipment and making arrangements for new stock.

Here's hoping you the best of success, Mr. Trainer.

MAKE IT A GOOD ONE

It won't be long now until the big rodeo and race meet July 4th and 5, when thousands of people will be present. It's up to Sonora to co-operate with Manager Barnes and assist him every way possible to make this a gala event—the biggest and best entertainment of this kind Sonora ever had.

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FROM A READER

Since publishing in the News of February 17th, a partial introduction of candidate L. J. Wardlaw to the voters of Texas, there has been many inquiries made as to whether he would and should be claimed by Sutton County as her citizen or would Tarrant County and Fort Fort claim him. Also as to his qualifications and fitness for Governor.

We have his statement that he lived here among us for 23 years, first as school teacher, county judge, successful lawyer and ranchman. It was here in our midst that he and his good wife reared their family of four sons. If there are any voters in Texas who really know Wardlaw, we of Sutton County, are the ones; but as far as laying any claim to him as our citizen, we hasten to plead not guilty. If you, Tarrant County, wish to adopt this wayward son in this hour of greatest need, we not only promise not to raise one finger in protest, but will thank you in advance for your kindness to us.

Now as to his qualifications. In a

general way they are fair. If accompanied by the right motive after having had 20 years continuous "court house" practice, mostly in the criminal courts, we can consider him overschooled in that line.

L. J. has made more and can still make more money in one month than the Governor's office pays in twelve months. Why this great financial sacrifice from a grasping, money-craving lawyer? The ax that he has to grind is not an ordinary one, but a broad axe with a sixteen-inch blade. We, who know him intimately can never believe that it is out of goodness of heart that he offers to serve the people. The criminals of Texas have never known but one more faithful defender, and that was he who granted them full pardons by the thousands after L. J. and others of his calibre had failed to mislead, over-persuade, bribe or bulldoze a jury into voting them an acquittal. The same is a warm friend of L. J. who will get many votes from the farmers and East Texans who read nothing but the Forum. L. J. advocates the enactment of a law that will pay a liberal reward or bounty for the heads of our criminals as though they were predatory animals, wolves, etc. These are the boys who have spread the butter upon L. J.'s bread for more than twenty years, and now they are grieved and shocked beyond expression at this sudden and unexpected changes of heart, if in deed he has a heart.

The other night the Devil sat musing alone, In the midst of his splendid warm fires.

He was trying the difference in the guilt of thieves and all around liars;

When his memory returned to the day of his youth, And his eyes filled with hot boiling tears.

Then he took down a ledger and turned to a page Dated back about ten thousand years.

"I suppose, he exclaimed, as he glanced thru the book— I am doing the best that I can. For my business denotes a continued increase ever since the creation of man.

I have gathered a few divorce crops; I have merchants and lawyers galore;

And I have bound politicians in bundles until the ends of my fingers are sore

I have fiddlers, gamblers, bankers and liars,

And have piled green on Democrats until they would put out fires I have railroad conductors and doctors to spare,

Horse traders and preachers to spend; Republicans, Socialists, anarchists and nigs

With members of all churches to lend;

But there is one class, I am happy to say, Can never gain entrance here, For their souls are so dirty, that I am afraid

They would demoralize hell in a year.

Now, I compare this class to neither human or beast

Nor even the vulchers of the world;

But its the man who is happy to feast on the wreck of some poor, innocent girl, L. J.

Millions of years in the warmest of rooms,

Would not for his slander atone

So I'll give him a match and advise him

To start a hell of his own.

Then he crossed the room with a frown on his face,

And placed the ledger again on his shelf,

Saying: "I am the Devil, and a very bad man,

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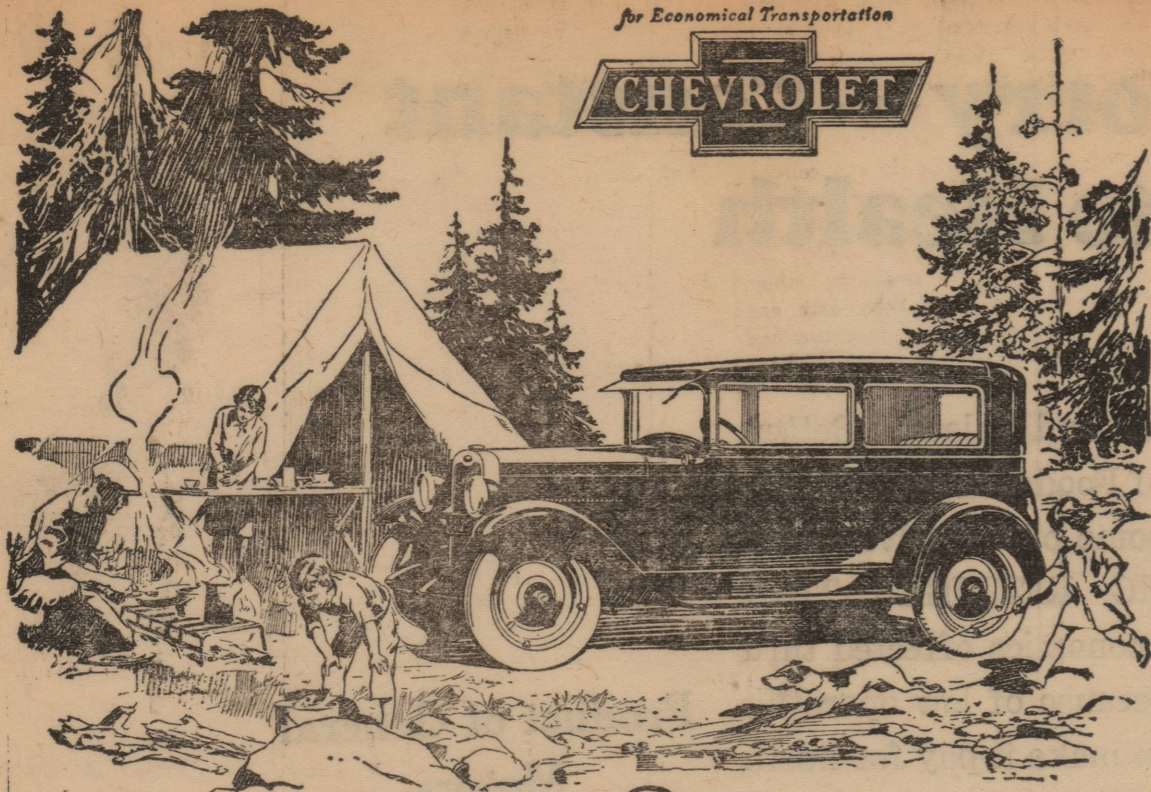
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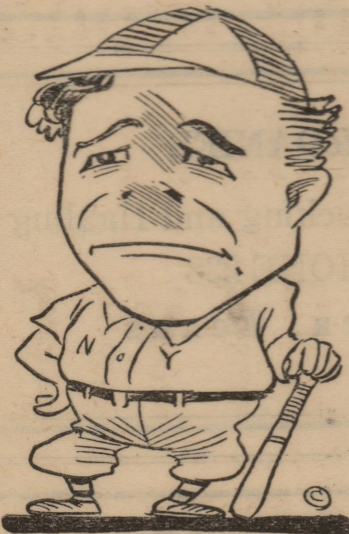
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With Our Neighbors

MERTZON—Ranchmen are facing a shortage in shearing machines and Mexican shearers. Many sheep in this section of the country will go unshorn until about the twentieth of the month. Those who have shorn report good fleeces and are expecting a good price at the sale here—Mertzson Star.

BRACKETT—Champ & Story have been very busy the past few days making preparation for the opening of their Handy Andy store. This new store system is spreading rapidly throughout West Texas, and especially in this section.—Brackett News-Mail.

CAMP WOOD—Forest Hatley has sold his Bull Head ranch, comprising 3200 acres of land to J. A. Sparks at \$7 per acre cash consideration. Lee Young has sold his 1900-acre ranch to Lum Coalson at \$6 per acre. J. E. Robbins sold to C. S. Holcomb his Indian Creek ranch for \$7 per acre. The ranch contained 4,000 acres.—Camp Wood Crony.

OZONA—The Wilson Motor Company of Big Lake and Ozona will be hosts to the people of this section Thursday night at the formal opening of the new Wilson Motor Company building just completed for the Big Lake branch of the Buick agency. Approximately \$285 will be given away in prizes during the evening.—Ozona Stockman.

KERRVILLE—Building operations in the City of Kerrville for the first six months of 1928 will total more than a half million dollars. For the first time in history last year new improvements aggregated more than a million dollars and indications are that this mark will be passed before the end of the year.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

New Music Teacher Here September 1

Miss Elizabeth Francis, an experienced music teacher will be here by September 1st to conduct a music class in piano.

Miss Francis has had several years experience with some of the best musicians in the State, and studied with leading professors of Baylor College. She studied under Miss Maud Mann of Southwestern University at Georgetown, Texas, two summer studies with Reuben Davis of Dallas, and has taught two years since with splendid success. During the past three years she has been assistant in the sheet music department of Thomas Goggan & Co., music store in San Antonio where she has been associated with all classes of music and various teachers throughout the State.

Miss Francis has splendid recommendations from her associates and is vouched for here by O. G. Babcock.

How About Service and Parts? Henderson-Ede Company has \$91,600 in parts, service equipment and service building! Henderson-Ede Company, San Angelo.

Miss Estelle McDonald is attending the Federation of Women's clubs in San Antonio. She will return when the meeting adjourns.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Turney were here from the ranch on business Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Turney says range conditions out his way are in excellent condition.

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 - 2 to 3 — Values to 29.95 in ladies' silk dresses 11.95
 - Special group men's shirts, all sizes 73c
 - 3 to 4— 1.50 to 5.75 table summer silks 1-2 price
Values to 11.00 in group men's shoes 2.95
 - 4 to 5 — Table dress rayons, prints, values to 1.25 49c
 - Boys' shirts, 1.00 values, sale price 69c or 2 for 1.25
- All sale prices cash—no refunds—no approvals—no exchanges—no phone orders—no mail orders.

U. S. CAPITOL

With gnashing of teeth, a howl and a snarl, the first session of the hell-bent Seventieth congress stormed its way into history last week. It died in the arms of twin filibusters. Boulder Dam in the senate and a minor pay bill in the house furnished the fireworks, but both failed to stop the steam roller. Nobody was exactly satisfied when the session ended, but everybody was heartily relieved.

This included President Coolidge, the donor of the bevy of rubber votes. 3 of Mr. Coolidge's "do not choose" approvals bounced back to the white house in the dying hours of the rampage, passed against his will, new laws to add to the 30,000 federal statutes already on the books. But the farm relief veto stuck, just like congress expected it to stick. They said in the cloak rooms that more than a few hard-boiled statesmen who voted for it were right happy, dee down in their mellow hearts that the President did veto it and that the veto couldn't be erased.

All quiet along the Potomac tonight! Sixty-odd years ago, with cannon frowning on the capital, this historic phrase was coined. It rings true today at the close of six months of bloodless political warfare. The late unlamented session of congress was cocked and aimed at the coming contest of the Presidency. Politics was its breath of life, its mainspring and its motive in nearly all it did and failed to do. It will go down in history unhonored and unsung.

Now that the moving men are gone, the gentlemen of the house are beginning to settle down again. The capable servants of the people who administer the laws that congress makes take to the cellar when the legislative cyclone appears. They emerge when it has gone. They are now in evidence again and orderly government once more prevails, uninfluenced by the antics of a political congress. "Let her rip," has been succeeded by "Let's go to work again." Common courtesy and descent regard for the feelings of the other fellow feelings have come back to bide with us a while.

Congress has gone to the conventions and with it has gone its parasite, the lobby. The power lobby, the auto lobby, the railroad lobby, the banking lobby, the telephone lobby, the labor lobby, and their kith and kin are on the way to Houston and Kansas City. Their soft hands have work to do both at Kansas City and Houston. Their shiny silk hats will soon be bobbing galore in the lobbies of the Muehlebach and the Baltimore and other Kansas City hotels.

The work these smelly gentlemen have assigned themselves takes rank with the work they do in Washington. They are the suave, smooth boys who bring pressure on congress to influence legislation for or against their selfish interests. They work in devious ways, some few openly, many in the shadows. What they hope to do at Kansas City and again at Houston is to "influence" the party platforms. They want to make the conventions "safe" for the interests they serve. That is what they get paid for, and sad to relate, they deliver the goods all too often.

One of these big lobbies, knit into the social and industrial life of many States, has been working for months on a "program" it wants to see written into both platforms. They have printed and circulated this document where they believe it will do the most good. Their agents have buttonholed delegates. Their lawyers will seek the ear of the platform committee. Indeed, the coming conventions will be field days for the lobby.

From Kansas City comes reliable word that the forthcoming gathering of Republican clans there is taking a somewhat unexpected form. The stage is being set for the entrance of a candidate who has been in the minds and hearts of many. He hails from Vermont and they call him Cal.

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Mrs. S. T. Gilmore returned the fore part of the week from the Biennial of the Federation of Women's Clubs which is in session at San Antonio. While there she was appointed official hostess to Mrs. Winnie M. Sanger, National State Director of Oklahoma. Mrs. T. A. Williams was official hostess to Mrs. Poppenheer of South Carolina, vice president of the General Federation. Mrs. Williams was also appointed delegate at large. These appointments were made by Mrs. W. R. Potter, State president, and carried with them a special privilege of the Convention, including invitations to all social functions given board members and delegates.

Political Announcements

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

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)
G. W. ARCHER

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

For County Treasurer:
MRS. A. J. SMITH (Re-election)

For County Judge:
ALVIS JOHNSON (Re-election)
SAM H. STOKES

For County Clerk:
J. D. LOWREY (Re-election)

For District Attorney: 83rd. Judicial District:
W. M. DAVIS

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 8:
T. A. BOND (Re-election)
C. W. ADAMS

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
JOE F. LOGAN (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:
C. T. JONES (Re-election)

For Representative 86th District:
W. B. BAKER

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Intermediate B. Y. P. U. 2:00 p. m.

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Intermediate League, 3:00 P. M.

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the public to attend these services.

F. M. Jackson, Pastor.

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Personal Mention

Mrs. Hi Eastland has returned from Temple where she has been for treatments. Her many friends will be glad to know she is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Holmn spent Tuesday in Sonora, the guests of relatives.

Mrs. Maud Dabney, who is in the real estate business in San Angelo, was here several days ago on business and visiting her son, C. S. Keene, proprietor of the City Garage.

—Measure the Clearance of any ar before you buy. West Texas roads are not all highways Buicks are built to meet all conditions. Henderson-Ede Company

J. M. Puckett and wife were here from the ranch Tuesday shipping and visiting.

Ira C. Green was among business visitors here the early part of the week.

B. M. Halbert, prominent rancher, was transacting business in the city Tuesday.

John A. Martin Jr., was in from the ranch Tuesday for supplies.

Clayton Puckett and wife were up from the ranch the fore part of the week.

Virgil J. Powell and wife came in from Big Lake Wednesday where they had been to visit Mr. Powell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Powell 7890 8 parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Powell. They spent a couple of days here visiting relatives before returning to their home in Menard County.

Mrs. H. L. Taylor has been ill this week and confined to her bed.

A. A. Buttery, salesman for the San Antonio Drug Co., and owner of the Orange Cross drug stores in West Texas, was here Tuesday on business.

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Mrs. Edgar and Collier Shurley were shopping in the city Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hill were in from their ranch the fore part of the week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hunt were city this week.

George Murphy, assistant superintendent of the West Texas Utilities Company of this district with headquarters at San Angelo, was here on business Wednesday.

Everett White, editor of the Ozona Stockman, wife and children (s) Stockman, wife and small daughter, were here from Ozona Wednesday afternoon to get a collie pup recently purchased of Hal Hamilton of Rock-springs.

Roy Hudspeth was among business visitors in Sonora the fore part of the week.

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To the Voters of Sutton County:

In offering myself to the voters as a candidate for the office of County Judge of this County, I feel like that my experience in official work in your County, namely District and County Clerk for five terms, and County Commissioner one term gives me a reasonable basis upon which to ask for the position herein mentioned. If I am elected, I shall have no other desire than to serve the people of the whole county and to see that every man and interest has a full hearing and gets an absolute fair deal.

I am opposed to such expenditures of public funds as may result in an increase in the tax burdens of our people. In this I respectfully solicit your support, and in doing so I can make no further promise than that your support will be profoundly appreciated. If I am elected, I will discharge the duties of the office in a business-like manner, fairly and impartially, and to the best of my ability.

Under this statement of facts I will kindly ask every voter to give my application a careful consideration before casting his or her ballot.

S. H. Stokes

Miles.—The Runnels County Bankers Association will meet here in July.

Big Spring.—Final plans have been made for the West Texas Press Association meet in this city June 13 and 14.

Tulia.—Through efforts of the chamber of commerce, postcards showing Tulia scenes will be available here soon.

Mobeetie.—The annual celebration at Old Fort Elliott is scheduled for June 6 and 7.

Silverton.—A toll line is to be constructed from Silverton to Floydada.

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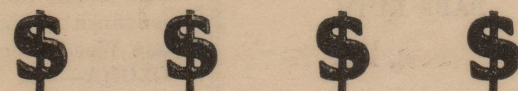
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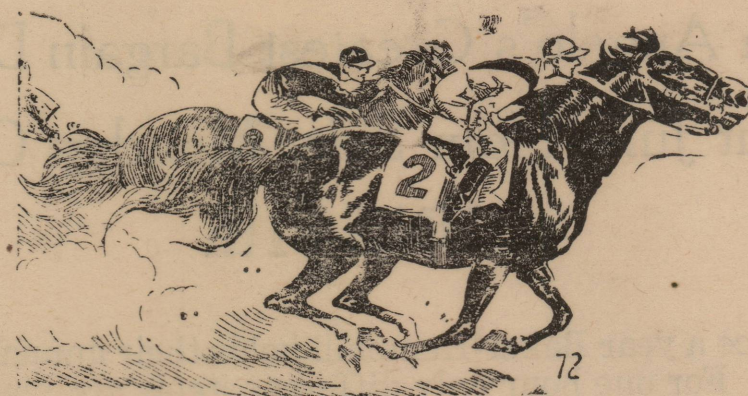


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Orion Hightower, Mrs. Alton Hightower and Jack Sharp left Sunday for San Antonio.

Miss Jamie Gardner who has been attending Howard Payne College returned home the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Perrine of Wall are here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fields. Mr. Perrine is in the road contracting business at Wall.

Miss Ada Steen was in from the ranch Sunday afternoon, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Woodie Martin. Superintendent and Mrs. M. O. Britt left Monday for Austin.

Sterling Baker was here from the ranch the latter part of the week on business and visiting his family.

Geo. H. Neill, assistant cashier of the First National Bank, transacted business in San Angelo the fore part of the week.

Sam Karnes spent Monday in Sonora on business.

Tom Davis was in from the ranch Sunday.

Lem Johnson, foreman of the Aldwell Bros. ranches south of here spent the latter part of the week with his family.

Hilton Turney has accepted a position with the E. F. Vander Stucken store in the dry Goods department. Ray Glasscock will attend summer school at Howard Payne College. O. E. Merriman has also been added to the Vander Stucken personnel, waiting on the grocery trade.

W. F. Luckie, former Sonora resident, was here from San Saba Friday on business. Mr. Luckie says that the San Saba section is in fine shape, and that crops are started.

Ben F. Meckel, one of Sutton's most prominent ranchmen was in from the ranch Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Simmons were visitors in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wilkinson, were among business visitors here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Puckett were here from their ranch Monday. They report over two inches of rain down their way.

Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Thomas and little son, and Mrs. Harry Meckel were shopping in the city Monday afternoon.

Ben F. Mittel was here from the ranch Monday mingling with friends. Louie Stuart was among business visitors in Sonora Monday.

B. Hamilton, junior member of the firm of the Hamilton Grocery, spent the week-end in Kerrville visiting. He attended Schreiner Institute here last year.

G. H. Davis, wife and children were in from the ranch north of town the latter part of last week.

Will You use Your Own Car for tours? Make sure before you buy a car that you can get parts and service throughout the United States. Buick has over 4000 service stations. Henderson-Ede Company, San Angelo.

Portales, N. M.—Capacity of the local cheese factory is to be doubled upon arrival of new equipment.

Mineral Wells—Sam Miller's new president of the Texas Press Association and his city is host to the 1929 State convention.

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Stites Sells Dozen New Chevrolets

Stites Motor Company local dealers for Chevrolets, during the past week sold an even dozen cars to the following:

John Hearn, truck; George Edward Allison, cabriolet; J. W. McDaniel, sedan; Wm. Allison, San Angelo, coupe; Jess Barker, Junction, coupe; Glendon and Barker, Rankin, truck two sedans and a truck and coupe were also sold. Two exchanges were made with the A. and A. Motor Company of San Angelo.

Mr. Stites states that he has a car of chevrolets in San Angelo now and that they will be brought here the latter part of the week.

Since the first of January Stites Motor Company has sold approximately fifty new Chevrolets and several used cars.

Commercial Masons Scored by Pastors

New York, N. Y.—"Those who profess Masonry for business or social reasons only are like Judas Iscariot and sell the divine word intrusted to them for pieces of silver. They should stay out and not defile the ranks," Declared Rev. Dr. Robert Norton, pastor of the St. Bartholomew's Church, at the third annual united church service of twenty six New York State Commanderies of Knights Templar. Dr. Norton deplored the fact that at times some members do not seem to take their membership seriously. "Better a man's tongue be torn out or that he be tied to a stake than he disgrace and profane the sacred word of our Order through ignorance or flippancy," he said.

Sonora Race Meet & Rodeo

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The Biggest and Best Rodeo and Race Meet Sonora ever had. Two Days Racing, Rodeo, Dancing, Baseball, Roping, and other Sports. Lots of Fun for Everybody.

Free Barbecue Both Days

RACING 1st, Day

First Race, 1-4 Mile, Purse \$75
2nd Race, 1-4, 2-year-olds \$75
3rd Race, 6 Furlongs, Purse \$100
4th Race, 3 Furlongs Purse, \$75
5th Race 5 1-2 Furlongs, Stake, \$150 with added money of \$10 to nominate and start.

RACING 2nd Day

1st Race, 1-4 Mile, Purse \$75
2nd Race, 4 Furlongs, Purse \$100
3rd Race, 5 1-2 Furlongs, Purse \$100
4th Race, 3 Furlongs, Purse \$75
5th Race, 1 Mile Novelty, Purse \$160 \$20 at each one-eighth

Jim Caldwell, Secretary in charge All Races to be run under West Texas Racing Association Rules. Water, Stalls and horse feed on grounds.

BRONC RIDING

DAY MONEY — 1st, \$20; 2nd, \$10; 3rd, \$5. Best general average for the two days—1st, \$50; 2nd, \$25; 3rd, \$15 \$3.50 will be paid to each rider daily who mounts.

WILD HORSE RACE

FIRST, \$25; 2nd, \$10; 3rd, \$5. No entrance fee will be charged.

CALF ROPING

DAY MONEY—1st, \$25; 2nd, \$10; 3rd, \$5. Best general average for the two days—1st, \$40; 2nd, \$25; 3rd, \$15. Entrance fee of \$10 for 2 days.

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BUTTER, EGGS and FRESH BARBECUE

Streets to Have 23 New Lights

Five standard ornamenta white-way lights and eighteen brackets for the residential section will be installed here at an early date, according to George Murphy, assistant superintendent of the West Texas Utilities Company, who was here today on business.

Sixty days from now the five standard street lights will be installed. One at the corner of the new bank building, one at the McDonald Hotel, one on the corner at the High-tower & Company store, one each at the corner of the Sonora Motor Company and the San Angelo Telephone Company office.

The brackets will be installed in the most convenient places, Mr. Murphy said, located principally in the residential section of town. The Standard White Way ornaments have a candle power of 500, while the brackets are only 60 c. p.

FOR RENT—One furnished room or two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Call News Office. (2-t-c) M. B.

100,000 Farmers Are Invited to Houston

Houston, June, 8—The plan of the farmers of America, 100,000 strong to march on the Republican convention in Kansas City is futile, Jessie H. Jones, Texas standard bearer in the coming democratic national convention at Houston, has declared, in inviting the farmers, instead, to come to Houston, where they will be welcomed.

M. Jones statement followed receipt of Associated Press dispatches which reported an agrarian political revolution in Illinois and Nebraska and former Governor George W. Fifer of Illinois advised the farmers to voice their protests at both the Houston and Kansas City conventions.

"The demonstrations in Nebraska, Illinois and other Western states by thousands of farmers who feel that they have been betrayed by the Republican party is a clear indication that republican insincerity and broken promises are producing the inevitable results—nothing less than political revolt.

Fortunately, however, there is a better remedy than mere revolt—namely a fresh allegiance to the Democratic party, which is the party of the people, not of the privileged classes—the party which in the recent past has done more in the way of practical legislation in the interests of the farmer than the republican party has done in its whole existence.

Let the farmers turn to the Democratic party and allow it to do what the party of the privilege will never do. Marching on the republican convention at Kansas City will be of no avail. What the American farmer needs is to put his faith in the Democratic party as he did in 1912 and 1916.

The farmers of America should recall the administration of Woodrow Wilson and the legislation enacted by that administration for the benefit of the farmer.

But in the eight years that have passed since the end of the Democratic administration in which the rights of the farmer were considered with as much care and sympathy as those of the other groups, the republican administration has given him promises, only to be broken.

The farmers of America had the promise of such revision in the Democratic party's platform of 1924. They had the performances of the Wilson administration as substantial proof that such promises would be carried out.

But they turned again to the Republican party, and now at the end of four more years they demand, by a near uprising, more promises which they will not get—but little good it will do them. By contrast let them look not to the broken promises of the republican party but the actual performances of the democratic party in their behalf during the Wilson administration.

They will not be actually welcome at Kansas City, because excuses must be made. But we welcome them most cordially to Houston, where a party platform will be written that will insure equal opportunity for all American citizens to sell and buy in fair markets without discrimination or class favors.

We invite them to Houston to help write that platform and we invite them to Washington to help pass the legislation that affords them.

Buick's world most famous valve-in head engine develops more power for its size than any other automotive plant. Henderson-Ede Company.

Personal Mention

Mrs. Jim Cauthorn and daughter, May, accompanied by Allie Halbert, returned Thursday from a several day's visit in Del Rio as guests of Mrs. Cauthorn's mother, Mrs. G. C. Earwood. They report a most pleasant visit with Mrs. Earwood and sisters of Mrs. Cauthorn who were there at the same time.

Rector Cusenbary and wife were here from the ranch the first part of the week.

Ben Cusenbary, prominent young rancher, was transacting business in town Thursday.

"Buzzy" Stokes returned Thursday from Del Rio where he has made arrangements for a building in which to put ten pool tables.

FOR SALE—Two good sheep and goat ranches. Dr. W. W. Beaty, Austin, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam O'Conner of Rocksprings spent several days in Sonora this week attending business affairs and visiting old acquaintances Mr. and Mrs. O'Conner are former residents of this city.

Miss Justine Weatherby of Big Lake is here visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Johnnie Smith and children and Mrs. W. H. Perry were San Angelo visitors Tuesday.

Rev. J. A. Stephen has been several days this week in Waco attending a meeting of the Baptists concerning Baylor University. Rev. Stephen will return Saturday via Austin to visit with his daughter.

Rufas Ward came in this week to spend several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ward. Young Ward has been teaching in the Arlington schools this past year.

G. B. Baker and family were business visitors in town today.

R. T. Baker was in from his ranch East of here today on business.

Mack Cauthorn and John Hamby were business visitors in San Angelo Thursday.

H. E. Juergens, wife and little daughter of San Angelo arrived in Sonora today to spend a few days with Mrs. Juergens father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mayfield.

Mr. Juergens is associated with Mr. Calahan in San Angelo in the automobile business. They sell Lo-omobile, Durant, Star cars and Rug by trucks.

Arrests Made by Finger-Print Expert

Arrests are expected in the burglary of the Harry Hampton store at Best last month when about \$1,000 worth of goods were stolen while the owner of the store was attending the funeral of a relative in San Angelo. J. E. Grimland, local finger-print expert is now working on this, his twentieth case in the last few months, is of the belief that a solution of the robbery will be accomplished.

Mr. Grimland is ordering a finger-

print camera and soon will have one of the best outfits for this sort of work in the State. His first catch after finishing a finger-print school correspondence course was that of a man whom he identified as a wanted criminal when the man walked into the courthouse door. Mr. Grimland has one of the largest rogue galleries in a small town in America. His offices are with Sheriff Hutcherson at the court house.

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