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JURY APPRAISES LAND TO BE USED FOR "Y"

3,040 ALLOWED BENSON AND MURPHY FOR 8.3 ACRES OF LAND

A jury of view's value set on 8.3 acres of land to be used for the Santa Fe "Y" in Sonora was given when Judge W. A. Anderson of an Anglo acted as special judge. Judge Alvis Johnson was disqualified on the grounds that he was interested and because of relationship. T. L. Benson was allowed 3,040 for 7.28 acres of land and Steve and Clara Murphy are to get 1,000 and a galvanized tank for 2 acres.

Judge C. O. Harris of San Angelo, represented the right-of-way committee, and Upton & Upton presented T. L. Benson while Judge James Cornell represented the Murphys.

Each side has ten days from last Friday in which to make an appeal.

Ben Mittel, Frank Snodgrass and D. Green composed the jury.

RIGHT-OF-WAY COMMITTEE WILL NOT ACCEPT JURY'S REPORT

The right-of-way committee will not accept the jury's report, according to a member of that committee. The case will be appealed to county court sometime in the future, it is learned.

It was reported here today that work was progressing on the "Y" at the Benson property.

Cecil Smith May Make Big Four

Cecil Smith Has Fourteen Ponies in Detroit Training for Polo Tournament

Cecil Smith, who trained polo ponies in Schleicher county on the Lyde Meador ranch last fall, returned to Detroit from a trip to Texas last week. He went immediately on his return to Detroit to Harrison Field and put in a full day working ponies and practicing with the stick and ball. Except that he is carrying a little surplus issue just above the belt line, he looks fit and ready for the greatest season of his career.

Although Smith passed up the opportunity to try out for the international because the tryouts conflicted with his Detroit season, he may still have the chance to qualify for the Big Four. Originally the trial matches were scheduled for July but Smith has since been advised by Tommy Hitchcock that if he can visit Long Island in August, he will be in time for the final tryouts. At any rate, it is definitely arranged for Smith to go east in September to team with Harold Talbot, Gerald Baldwin and Rube Williams in a combination that should be good enough to sweep the American Open.

Fourteen of the finest young ponies ever shipped out of the south-east received their first workout in Detroit soil with Smith yesterday. So far as top ponies are concerned, the Freebooters should be no one stronger than last season, as at least half of the group are fit running mates for the members of the Harrison, Grennan and Smith strings. In fact, one of the new ones, Flying Cloud, is in Smith's opinion a better pony than angle B, last year's champion. Angle E is a half brother to Ft. Worth and a son of Kinyard now owned by Tom Henderson. Flying Cloud was raised by Mr. Henderson and trained by Jess Coy who later sold him to northern horse buyers. Flying Cloud is a year old pony and will be used by Smith if he makes the Big Four polo team. Smith, if he makes his team, will be the first Texan to achieve this honor and from all indications, including his seven goal handicap, Smith will win a berth with the International Four. Flying Cloud, so far as it is known, will be the first Texas horse to be used in a Big Four game.

The fourteen horses shipped to Detroit were gathered from the ranches in Schleicher, Sutton, Tom

Mertzon Wool Sold at Good Prices

200,000 Pounds Sold to Northern Buyers at Twenty-seven to Twenty-eight Cents

About half of the 500,000 pounds of 12-months wool offered for sale at Mertzon by the West Texas Wool & Mohair Association was sold at prices ranging from 27 to 28 cents per pound, according to reports reaching here yesterday.

There were about twenty buyers representing northern dealers present for the offering and took 200,000 pounds. S. J. Solis, representing Wright Brothers of Boston, was one of the heaviest buyers.

The Sonora Wool & Mohair Company will offer at a sealed bid sale here June 10th about one million pounds of mostly 12-months wool. This will be the first sealed bid sale ever conducted in Sonora.

Chas. Evans, manager of the Sonora firm, stated that wool started coming into the new warehouse the first of the week. About half the roof is on the building and will be completed about the 8th of next month, just before the sale.

A. M. Fuller Held on Liquor Charge

Sheriff Willis of Ozona Standing Nearby When Gallon of Liquor Was Sold

Ozona, May 28.—An alleged liquor transaction, consummated in the heart of the business section of Ozona during a rush business hour, in which one gallon of whiskey and \$10.50 changed hands, resulted in the arrest of two men.

A. M. Fuller, owner and operator of a motor freight line between San Antonio and Ozona, was arrested by Sheriff W. S. Willis and charged with possession, transportation and sale of intoxicating liquor. Hallie Hubert, local negro shine boy, was charged with possession of liquor for the purpose of sale. Both charges were filed with Justice of the Peace W. M. Johnigan. Fuller's bond was fixed at \$1,500, which he furnished, and Hubert's was placed at \$500.

The alleged sale took place within sight of Sheriff Willis, according to the latter's statement before the justice of the peace. The sheriff stood a short distance away and watched delivery of the package and the transfer of money, he said. Fuller refused to make a statement at his examining trial, but Hubert declared that he bought the gallon of whiskey for a local ranchman, who the day before gave him the money to pay for it and a dollar "for his trouble."

RATE BASIS FOR SANTA FE TO SONORA FIXED

Austin, Texas, May 29.—The Railroad Commission Thursday approved an application fixing the rate basis to apply to and from points on the Panhandle & Santa Fe extension from San Angelo to Sonora, being the old general Orient rate basis of that section. The regular western differential scale is made applicable but no other differentials will be allowed, such as were especially given the Orient for many years and then withdrawn two years ago. Service on the Sonora extension is expected to start about June 15th.

WOOL GROWERS SELL 200,000 POUNDS LONG WOOL

The Wool Growers Central Storage Company sold another 200,000 pounds of twelve months wool here yesterday at prevailing prices. F. B. Brigham for Farnsworth-Stevenson Company of Boston and S. J. Solis for Wright Bros. of Boston were the heaviest buyers.

Today some 600 bags of wool will be offered in a Ballinger pool which will be sold at the compress in Ballinger. The sale is scheduled to open at 10 o'clock today.

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Dr. Albert A. Michelson of Chicago University, world-famous physicist, who turns out to be a musical composer as well.

Begin Monday to Top Del Rio Road

Two-Course Asphalt and Gravel Treatment to Be Given on 22 Miles of Highway

Work will begin next week in topping the Del Rio-San Angelo highway from Sonora to the Edwards county line, a distance of about 22 miles, according to J. F. Dexter, contractor who arrived in Sonora in an airplane Tuesday afternoon. Equipment will be moved here the first of next week, Mr. Dexter said.

A two-course treatment of asphalt and gravel will be given the road, and this should be completed in about sixty or ninety days, it is thought. About fifty men will be employed on the job.

The completion of hardsurfacing of the Del Rio Highway will bring the number of miles of asphalt roads in this county to about sixty-five miles, north, east and south. It is also thought that the Old Spanish Trail from Sonora to the Crockett county line will be hardsurfaced. Bonds for this and a highway to the Edwards county line south toward Rocksprings will be voted soon as the state highway department designates the latter route.

DR. MORELOCK'S ADDRESS WAS INSPIRATIONAL

ROBERT HALBERT, MEMBER OF BOARD, ADDED PARTING WORD OF ADVICE

Seven young ladies and four young men received diplomas from the Sonora high school last Friday evening, as follows: Misses Zella Lee Thorp, valedictorian; Lottie Hull, salutatorian; Dorothy Baker, Mae Cauthorn, class history; Jessie Louise Evans, Faye James, class prophecy; Muriel Simmons. The four young men graduating were: Hilman Brown, Houston Kidd, Seth Lancaster and Sam Logan, class will. Papers submitted by those to

whom honors were assigned were very interesting and entertaining. Supt. M. O. Britt, in a few well chosen remarks dealing principally with the character and high standing of the speaker of the evening, introduced Dr. H. W. Morelock, president of Sul Ross State Teachers College, Alpine, who spoke for forty-five minutes. The doctor prefaced his address by stating he was always glad to address a West Texas audience, that his associations were with the people of the west and that he loved them. For the most part his talk was directed to the graduating class, but the audience came in for its share of inspirational words of cheer and good will.

In the absence of Judge L. W. Elliott, president of the school board, who was assigned the duty of delivering the class diplomas,

Eastern Star Elects Its New Officers

Miss Bertha Eaton Will Install Officers at Regular Meeting in June

The following officers were elected and appointed by the local chapter O. E. S.:

Laura Odum, worthy matron; Joe F. Logan, worthy patron; Manila Trainer, associate matron; J. C. Stephen, associate patron; Edith Babcock, secretary; Bertha Eaton, treasurer; Mayme Awalt, conductress; Jean Westbrook, associate conductress; Juliet Driskell, chaplain; Lucile Hutcherson, marshal; Dona Stites, organist; Mary Lee Hull, Ada; Guila Lowrey, Ruth; Buena Davis, Esther; Della Logan, Electa; Zona Mayfield, warden, and John Lowrey, sentinel.

Officers will be installed at the regular meeting night in June.

Half Inch Rainfall Will Revive Range

From Quarter to an Inch reported in Various Sections of the Stockman's Paradise

Intermittent and scattering rains fell in the county yesterday and last night, ranging from a quarter to an inch. About half an inch fell in Sonora. W. A. Miers reported an inch on his Meckel ranch east of here. G. G. Stephenson reported about half an inch on his ranch west of town, and the Experiment Station's gauge showed about a quarter during the past two or three days.

For the month of May this year ending Friday at noon the Experiment Station had only half an inch. During the past twelve years the month of May has seen an average fall of 3.44 inches; May, last year, 4.99; average for June, 2.78 inches over a period of twelve years.

Goes to Ecuador



William Dawson of Minnesota, one of America's most experienced diplomats, just appointed Minister to Ecuador, where cocoa butter and Panama hats come from.

Lawrence Elected for Another Year

First Year Here in Teaching Animal Husbandry Was Very Successful

At a school board meeting held the latter part of last week, E. R. Lawrence, teacher of animal husbandry in the Sonora schools, was elected for another year. It is understood that Mr. Lawrence will accept the position for next year.

It is planned by Mr. Lawrence to begin his work early this year for the livestock feeding. The boys will feed lambs and goats this fall in addition to baby beef feeding.

At the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show in March Mr. Lawrence's boys captured several prizes in the baby beef classes. In livestock judging the entire class has shown excellent instruction in judging cattle.

Ranchmen are co-operating with Mr. Lawrence and the boys in furnishing calves for feeding. Calves are topped from various herds of fine cattle, and this work will begin early in order to get the advantage of preparing the calves at an early age.

Feed Texas Cattle on Texas Farms

Champion Boys to Be Given Feeder Calves if They Raise Their Own Feed

College Station, Texas, May 29.—Emphasis upon the movement to feed Texas cattle on Texas farms is reflected in announcement just made here by M. T. Payne, state boys club agent of the Extension Service, A. & M. College of Texas, that 4-H Club boys conducting corn or grain sorghum demonstrations in counties traversed by the Pacific Railroad may compete for feeder calves to be given by that railroad at the State Fair of Texas next fall to the most successful club boy feed growers. The champion boy in each of the forty-two counties touched by the railroad will be given a feeder calf provided he has complied with all rules of the contest and has produced enough corn or grain sorghum to feed out a calf.

Thousands of Texas farm boys are already regular 4-H Club feed crop demonstrators. Mr. Payne said, but added that this special contest in certain counties is expected to heighten interest in the work, increase the feed acreage and call increased attention to livestock as a marketing agency for feed.

The work of the contestants will be directed by the county agents who will send certified reports of the records to the Extension Service prior to October 1. Each contestant will be required to have a 10-ear or 10-head exhibit of corn or grain sorghum at the State Fair where the final awards will be made.

The prize calves will be on exhibit at the State Fair and winning boys will draw for them by number. Each winner is to agree to feed his calf out at home under the direction of the county agent.

"MA" AND JIM WILL STUMP TEXAS IN MAMMOTH DRIVE

Austin, May 29.—Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, former governor, and candidate for governor in the Democratic primaries, and her husband, former Governor James E. Ferguson, will carry on an aggressive speaking campaign, they announced today.

After the opening at Belton on June 7, engagements will be filled as follows: Greenville, June 10; Marshall, June 12; Tyler, June 13; Waxahachie, June 14; McKinney, June 17; Jacksboro, June 18; Cleburne, June 19; Waco, June 20; Groesbeck, June 21, and Sonora, June 23.

JACK WARDLAW AND MISS RUTLEDGE MARRY

Miss Gwendolin Rutledge became the bride of Jack Wardlaw Sunday in Marietta, Oklahoma. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Bird, Presbyterian pastor of that city.

Miss Rutledge is the daughter of Mrs. Hugh Rutledge of this city and has a host of friends with whom she is very popular. Mr. Wardlaw is a prominent ranchman of Sutton county, having resided here for several years.

They will make their home at friends in wishing this happy young couple all the joys in life.

They will make their home at Mr. Wardlaw's ranch northeast of here.

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were presented to Miss Zella Lee Thorp and Sam Logan.

"Tonight we launch, where shall we anchor," the class motto was appropriately illustrated with a miniature ship, fully rigged and bearing the one word "Seniors," which occupied a conspicuous place upon the rostrum.

Dr. O. G. Babcock and Coach Ted White gave a violin solo, "Douze Petits Duos," accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Francis at the piano.

Members of the school board occupied seats of honor beside the graduates.

The evening's exercises were opened and closed with prayer by Rev. F. M. Jackson, pastor of the Methodist Church.

LIONS WILL ELECT OFFICERS NEXT MONDAY

NOMINATING COMMITTEE TO REPORT ITS CHOICE FOR ELECTION

Officers for the Sonora Lions Club are to be elected Monday at a regular luncheon at which time the nominating committee will make its report. Those who compose this committee are Alfred Schweining, Dr. J. C. Baker and W. E. James. W. E. Caldwell is president; W. C. Gilmore, vice president; Jack Neill, secretary-treasurer, and M. M. Stokes, tail twister.

J. D. Lowrey presided Monday at which time Mrs. Neill's Mexican pupils entertained the Lions with several songs and dances which were applauded. A feature of the program was the singing of "America" and "The Eyes of Texas" in English.

Secretary Neill said he had been informed from International headquarters that Sonora Lions ranked 17th in nation with new members secured since the first of the year. Nineteen new names have been added to the member list since that time. Robert Hallum was introduced Monday as the latest addition.

E. S. Long will preside Monday. He appointed Izzy Leaman, B. Hamilton and Troy White as program committee.

Davidson's Name Is Put on Ballot

Houston Man "Drafted" for Governor by Greenville Group; Ninth in Race

Dallas, May 28.—Lynch Davidson of Houston today became the ninth man officially in the race for the Democratic nomination for governor. The name of State Senator Clint Small of Wellington also was filed today as candidate for governor. The others are Lieut. Gov. Barry Miller, Dallas; Earle B. Mayfield, Austin, former United States Senator; Dr. C. E. Walker, Grapevine; James Young of Kaufman, former state representative; State Senator Thomas B. Love of Dallas; State Treasurer W. Gregory Hatcher, Dallas, and Frank Putnam, Houston.

Candidates have until midnight Monday night to file. The list already filed includes less than half of those who have announced their candidacies.

Davidson Drafted

Greenville, May 28.—A step to draft Lynch Davidson of Houston as a candidate for governor in the Democratic primaries was made today when L. J. Taggart, prominent Hunt county farmer, sent to Albert Sidney Johnson of Dallas, secretary of the Democratic executive committee, a petition signed by 35 Hunt county residents that the Houstonian's name be filed for that office.

Taggart sent along with the petition a check to cover the fees for registering Davidson's name.

OTTO MUND WEDS; MARRIES BELTON GIRL

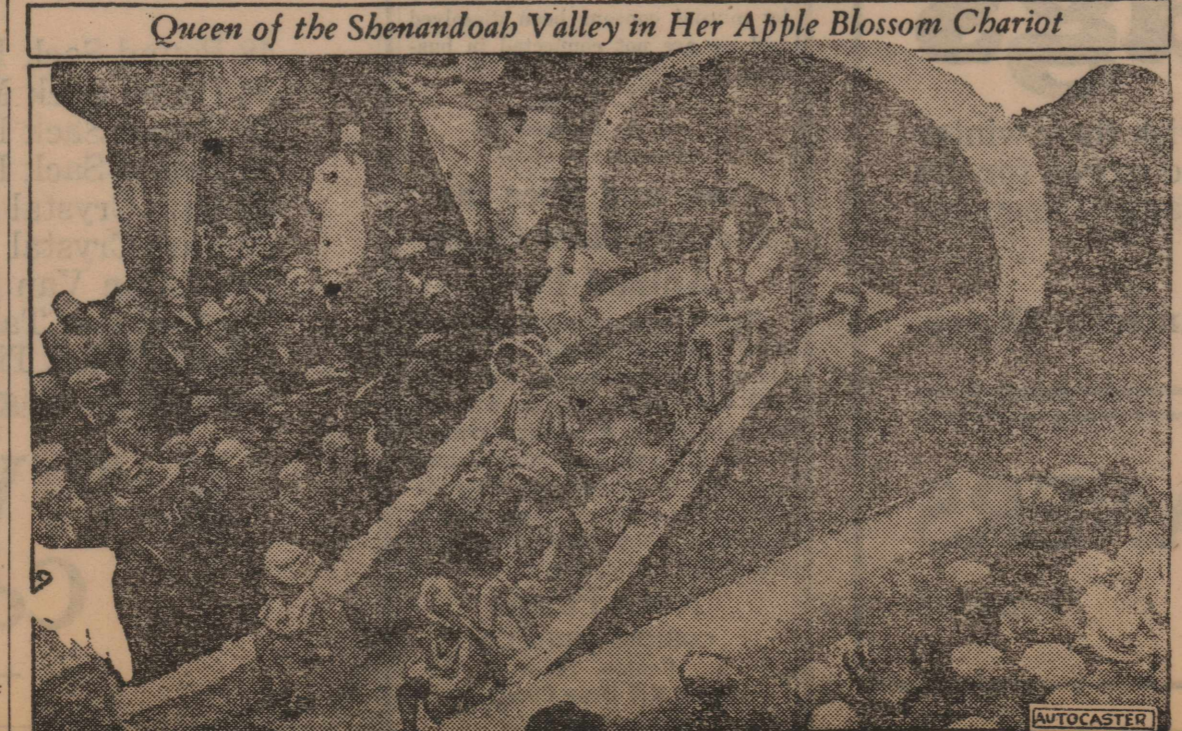
Miss Lily B. Herbert, Belton, became the bride of Otto Mund in Colorado City Sunday morning at eight o'clock, Minister Reeves of the Christian church of that city performing the ceremony.

Mrs. Mund is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Herbert of Belton. Mr. Mund is a young Sutton ranchman and has a host of friends here who wish him and his life-life companion much happiness and prosperity. They are now making their home on Mr. Mund's ranch.

VISIT CARLSBAD CAVERN

Mrs. R. A. Halbert and daughters, Misses Allie and Bobbie Mae, and Harva Jones, Annella Stites, Lottie Hull, Mrs. J. A. Cauthorn and daughters, Misses Mae and Ada, and J. W. Johnson of Oklahoma, left yesterday for a visit to the Carlsbad cavern. They will be gone five or six days.

Plant your dollars at home.



Miss Suzanne Pollard, daughter of Governor Pollard of Virginia, taking the leading part in the famous apple blossom pageant at Winchester, which always ushers in Summer in the beautiful valley of the Shenandoah.

SOCIETY

MISS STOKES HOSTESS TO GIRLS' BRIDGE CLUB

Miss Joanna Stokes entertained the Girls' Bridge Club Saturday afternoon with four tables of bridge. In the four games of bridge, Miss Bonnie Glasscock took high club; Mrs. R. W. Perrine, low, and Mrs. Carol Stephen, high guest. Miss Nan Casbeer was honor guest, and was presented with a gift.

Strawberry shortcake and strawberry ice cream were served to Misses Alice Karnes, Nann Casbeer, Guila Lowrey, Bonnie Glasscock, Estelle McDonald, Mesdames Johnnie Hamby, Lloyd Earwood, Duke Wilson, Jack Earhart, Ernest McClelland, John Fields, Henry Decker, Sam Allison, Dave Locklin, Carol Stephen, R. W. Perrine and Mrs. Alton Hightower.

MRS. LEM JOHNSON ENTERTAINED TUESDAY

Mrs. Lem Johnson entertained her bridge club Tuesday afternoon at her home. Green and pink were the hostess' color scheme.

Mint ice and angel food cake were served to the following club members and guests: Mesdames Robert Halbert, M. R. Miller, A. G. Blanton, J. C. Baker, Paul Turney, Thos. Espy, B. W. Hutcherson, Sim Glasscock, Albert Crowley, Cliff Johnson, Claude Keene, Chas. Evans, Coot Wardlaw, J. W. Trainer, and Misses Guila Lowrey and Alice Karnes.

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METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. M. O. Britt, superintendent. Preaching 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. by the pastor. Good music. The Epworth League will meet at 7:30 p. m. Missionary Society Wednesday, 3 p. m. Mrs. Merton Shurley, pres. You have a cordial invitation to attend these services. F. M. JACKSON, Pastor.

AIR CIRCUS WILL BE FEATURE BRADY JUBILEE

Brady, May 21.—An added feature of this year's July Jubilee entertainment to be held here on July 3, 4 and 5 will be daily aerial exhibitions by a fleet of airplanes according to an announcement by the entertainment committee. The aerial exhibitions are to be given each forenoon during the 3-day celebration in order not to conflict with the horse races during the afternoon.

Brady's new airport is located just north and in close proximity to Richards Park, where the big community jamboree will take place.

Prepare now for the National Clean-up Week.

Forward with Eldorado!

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Taylor were San Angelo visitors Wednesday of this week.

Miss Lillian White, student of Howard Payne College at Brownwood, has returned to Sonora. She is a guest this week of Miss Jamie Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McClelland leave for Ft. Worth next week to accompany their son, John, home. John has been attending Texas Christian University.

Mrs. Will Wilkinson is at College Station attending commencement exercises of A. & M. College, where Jack Allison, former Sonora boy is to get his degree.

Miss Anne Duncan, who for the past several years has taught history in the Sonora schools, left Saturday for San Antonio. She will return in the fall to resume her duties in the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Dare Williams and little daughter, Mary Ann, left Sunday for their home in San Marcos. Mr. Williams is a candidate for county school superintendent, and his friends here wish him success in winning the race.

Mrs. Ben F. Meckel and daughter, Miss Mora Lee, leave tomorrow for Abilene to attend commencement exercises at Simmons University. Mrs. Meckel's daughter, Miss Exa D., is a student of Simmons. They will return next week.

T. C. Cahill, real estate man of Hamlin, was here this morning on his way to Del Rio to attend the Elks convention. Mr. Cahill taught school here about twenty-five years ago, and was later associated with T. L. Benson in the mercantile business.

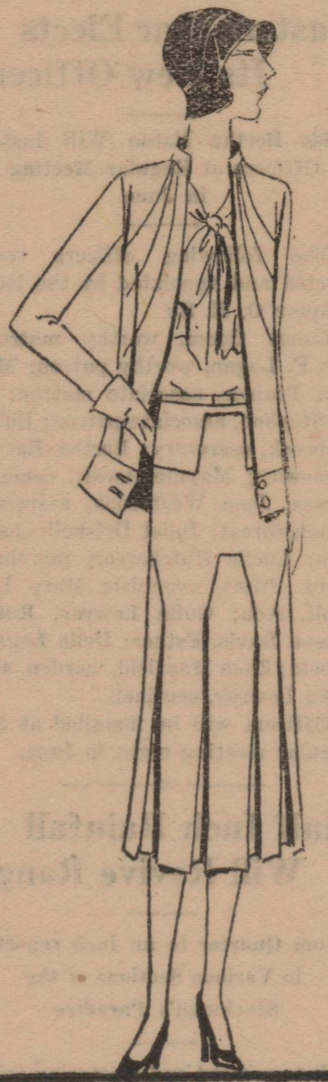
W. L. Aldwell wishes to convey his appreciation to his many friends for their letters, expressions of sympathy and beautiful flowers sent him. He especially appreciates the thoughtfulness of the Parent-Teacher Association in sending him a telegram, expressing their regret of his accident.

Your cleaning and pressing appreciated at any time. J. W. Trainer Cleaners. Adv.

The Very Latest

(By Mary Marshall)

To the young woman who contemplates making some of her own clothes the best advice that can be given is this: "Specialize." Don't attempt to make an evening dress, and a separate skirt, and a blouse and a few articles of lingerie. At least don't attempt to do all these things to start with. A different



technique is required in the making of the various sorts of clothes and you will get better results if you plan to make several blouses, or several simple house dresses to start with.

This year there is need in the wardrobe of every woman of a variety of different blouses and a distinct saving can be achieved if you make these yourself. The lower sketch shows one of the new spring blouses designed by an important French dressmaker.

To wear with a brown suit such as the one of flat crepe shown in the upper sketch it might be made from natural colored pongee. It might also be effectively made from oyster white silk. Two shades of blue or two shades of green would be a good selection for wear with a blue or green suit or separate skirt.

E. F. Vander Stucken returned yesterday from Ft. Worth where he visited with W. L. Aldwell who is in a hospital with a broken thigh bone. Mr. Vander Stucken stated that Mr. Aldwell was doing well, but would be about two months before he would be able to come home. Mrs. Vander Stucken accompanied her husband far as San Angelo where she visited with her son, Emil, young attorney of that city.

Frank James, who graduates from A. & M. this week, will be home Sunday to spend the summer.

Ray Glasscock, Howard Payne student and football star, arrived in Sonora Thursday night from Brownwood.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The business interests that have heretofore existed between us have by mutual consent been dissolved and we are not connected in business in any way.

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Cromwell Nutt 2 Stamps Irion County as District's Most Promising Area

Cromwell No. 2 Nutt, Irion county's latest well, is a producer of high gravity, sweet oil at the rate of 100 barrels every 24 hours. The well's performance, upholding earlier indications when it headed repeatedly when swabbed, was one of the outstanding events of the week in the West Texas Uermian Basin and stamps Irion county as one of the district's most promising areas. Other wells in this pool which is about thirty eight miles from Eldorado, showed some water and showed a decline in production. Cromwell No. 2 Nutt makes no water and appears to have settled to a steady output of 100 barrels daily.

Five cars of oil from Cromwell's Nos. 1 and 2 Nutt have been shipped to the San Angelo Refining Company, bringing \$1.03 per barrel. Oil from No. 2 Nutt tested 39.2 gravity at the well.

MRS. E. E. STEEN INJURED IN CAR WRECK

Mrs. E. E. Steen suffered bruises about the face and thigh Monday when the car in which she and Woodie Martin and family were riding collided with a car about midway between here and Eldorado. The accident occurred when the other car tried to pass Martin's car and a truck on a sharp curve. Other occupants in the Martin car were not injured.

About a \$150 damage was done to Mr. Martin's Essex coach. The party driving the car that collided with Mr. Martin paid the damages.

Send your clothes to local cleaners.

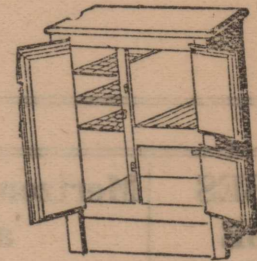
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W. A. Miers reported an inch rain on his ranch near town Thursday. About a half inch fell in town.



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- No. 2 Can Van Camp's Peas 11c
- 2-pound Box Table Salt 8c
- 3 Rolls Toilet Tissue 22c
- 3-pound Package Swans Down Cake Flour 38c

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—SINCE 1890—

Prizes for 4-H Club Members

Boys Who Prove Most Successful Will Be Given Various Prizes

College Station, Texas, May 22.—Texas 4-H Club boys who prove the most successful this season will find a comprehensive list of prizes in store for their effort, M. T. Payne, state boys club agent, Extension Service, A. & M. College of Texas, has pointed out. In all the prize list shows twenty-seven trips to the International Livestock Exposition in Chicago next fall, two trips to Washington next summer, a trip to the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show at Ft. Worth next spring and a radio set. Most of the 16,000 4-H Club boys in Texas are eligible to compete for these awards, made annually in the late fall on basis of yield, profit, history of demonstration and effect in the county where conducted.

County agents have charge of the 4-H Club work in the various counties, nominating the candidates for the state contests. Boys who make profits of less than \$100 are not eligible for consideration.

Donors of the prizes cited are as follows: Santa Fe Railroad, 19 Chicago trips to champion boys

living in counties it traverses; Chilean Nitrate of Soda Educational Bureau, six Chicago trips to champion corn and cotton club boys in East Texas, and three \$50 county and district prizes; Armour and Company, Chicago trip to champion baby beef feeder; Swift and Company, trip to Fort Worth to pig club champion; East Texas Chamber of Commerce, Chicago trip to state winner among forestry 4-H Club boys; Texas Bankers Association, two Washington, D. C. trips; Radio-Victor Corporation, radio set to individual club boy making best record in Texas for the season.

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Squill Kill Drug Company
Barnesville, O.

Menard Has Largest Fly Trap in World

Trap Will Hold 10,000,000 Flies; Is Experimental and Practical

A giant fly trap, the largest in the world, is in operation in Menard county, according to O. G. Babcock, United States entomologist who has been stationed here for a number of years. The trap is rectangular shape, eight feet square at base and sixteen feet high, resting on solid concrete. It is large enough that an entire cow or horse carcass can be placed inside.

D. C. Farmer, entomologist stationed at Uvalde, originated the idea, Mr. Babcock said. The trap is for experimental purposes, yet is said to be practical. The purpose of the trap is three-fold: first, catch flies; second, breed maggots; third, breed parasites of fly maggot.

Mr. Babcock said that the trap will hold 716 gallons of flies, 8,000 to the gallon, or about 10,000,000 flies.

Studying Goat Lice
During the past ten years Mr. Babcock has been making a special study of the goat lice. His data, collected for several years, is in manuscript form in Washington. Information on the goat lice will be distributed in about three months. It will come from A. & M. College. Credit for the pamphlet will be given to the Experiment Station here, Mr. Babcock said.

STATE VETERINARY TO BE LOCATED AT ANGELO

Through the efforts of the Livestock Sanitary Commission a state veterinarian is to be located at San Angelo by the first of June. This veterinarian, according to Judge J. A. Whitten, chairman of the commission, is Dr. Lawrence Lewis, a very competent man. Dr. Lewis is a physician of wide experience having worked with diseases in all kinds of livestock. He will serve the stockmen of this district free of charge.

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E. C. Dinwiddie of Washington D. C., head of a new insurance company which will take only teetotalers as risks.

A. & M. to Give Valuation Course

Factors in Determining Land Values in Short Course at A. & M. College

College State, Texas, May 22.—Discussion of the more important economic and physical factors that determine land values will feature the program of the first soil and land valuation short course to be held at the A. & M. College July 8-10. This new short course, announcement of which has just been made, will be conducted primarily for the benefit of land appraisers though it should prove of interest, Dr. J. O. Morgan, vice-dean of the school of agriculture, who will have charge of the short course, has announced, to every man who is interested in land types, qualities, values and management. Discussions will be conducted by members of the school of agriculture, the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and the Extension Service of the college.

Judge M. H. Gossett, president of the Federal Land Bank, Houston, will deliver the principal address at a banquet Wednesday evening, July 9. Wednesday afternoon will be given over to a field trip on which several farms in the vicinity of the college will be studied from the standpoint of appraisal. Thursday afternoon will be devoted to discussion of problems of land appraisers.

The course will be open to any mature person interested in soils and land values, Dr. Morgan has announced.

SCHLEICHER COUNTY CENSUS COMPLETE

Census work in Schleicher county was completed last week. The population of the town including Mexicans and negroes is 1,404, an increase of about 200 over last year's population. Precinct No. 1, with 151 farm and ranch ownerships, has a population of 1,025; precinct No. 2, 45 farm and ranch ownerships, population 175; precinct No. 3, 47 farm and ranch ownerships, population 241, and precinct No. 4, 57 farm and ranch ownerships, population 328. Total population of the county 3,173, an increase of 1,322 over the population in 1920.

Max Leaman, who has been attending Texas University, arrived the latter part of last week for a visit with his mother and brother.



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Experiment Station Begins New Project

Range Management and Stocking Methods New Experiment at Sub-station

Range management and stocking methods, a new project started at the Experiment Station, will determine income from ranges that have been overstocked and from those that have been conservatively stocked. W. H. Dameron, superintendent of the station, reported Thursday while in town on business. Growth of desirable and undesirable vegetation can also be determined from the two methods. This experiment will necessitate the work of a botanist, animal husbandryman, chemist and economist. Feeds from both pastures at various seasons of the year will be analyzed, Mr. Dameron said.

Norman Tate, farm and ranch economist, who spent about five years in this part of the country, has all his information complete and pamphlets are now ready to come off the press. This economic literature can be obtained by writing to the Department of Farm and Ranch Economics, A. & M. College, College Station.

Mr. Dameron reported a ninety per cent lamb crop out of the station's 400 grade ewes, and 75 per cent from the flock of 250 registered Rambouillet ewes.

Mr. Dameron shipped by express a four-year-old stud Rambouillet ram to P. W. Dunkle at Denton. This is the third shipment to go to the Denton section.

The station sells annually about 80 head of registered Rambouillet rams at an average price of about \$55 per head. About 70 registered Angora billies also sell annually at about \$40 each.

The station realizes a gross income of \$12,000 each year which helps in defraying expenses, such as buildings, feeding, etc. The state appropriates the same amount.

McKnight Buys Steer Yearlings

Fifty Dollars Per Head Paid for 180 Steer Yearlings; Delivery Soon

S. E. McKnight, prominent cattleman, purchased recently 100 head of steer yearlings from J. S. Holman at \$50 per head. These steers were topped out of 175 head. E. C. Garvin, local commission man, made the deal.

Mr. McKnight also bought 80 head of steer yearlings from Ben F. Meckel at \$50 per head. Delivery on the Meckel steers will be made about the tenth of June.

SANFORD TRAINER GETS KNEE BADLY CUT ON ROCK

Sanford Trainer, small son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Trainer, sustained an ugly gash on one of his knees this week when he fell, his knee cap striking a sharp rock. Several stitches were taken in the child's knee. It is not thought that blood poison or lockjaw will result from the wound. He was given lockjaw serum, and Dr. Blanton believes that the lockjaw stage has been passed.

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Southern Beauty



Miss Marguerite Scott of Atlanta, chosen as personal page to the President General of the Confederate Southern Memorial Association at the session at Biloxi, Miss.

Fifteen Boy Scouts to Camp Connellee

Frank Holliday Will Accompany Scouts to Big Gathering Near San Angelo

Sonora Boy Scouts are busily planning another ten-day period at Camp Connellee where almost the entire troop attended last year. The camp will be pitched sixteen miles northwest of San Angelo near Carlsbad. Frank Holliday, assistant Scoutmaster, will accompany the boys to the camp. Sim Glasscock will carry the boys' supplies to the camp.

Assitant Scoutmaster Frank Holliday has already stated that he will be there for the entire time. Roy Aldwell will also attend, and it is hoped that Scoutmaster John Eaton who was such a popular favorite in the camp last year will also be able to go with the troop.

A great program is being arranged, similar to the one last year but better in many respects. According to the Scout headquarters, Camp Connellee offers a program of activities not to be excelled in the southwest, and the staff is of the best men available, men trained for years in the management of boy's camps and fully qualified to make the ten-day stay in camp a profitable and happy one for the Scouts.

Chief White Horse, who provided a great part of the campfire treats last year, will be back again with his Indian costume, songs and dances. Brice Draper will be the camp director. Many other Scout leaders will be there to lend their assistance in making the camp a superior one.

Camping is the "high spot" of the year's program, and it is hoped that every Scout in the entire council will have a chance to enjoy the program of Scoutcraft activities that is being planned.

ANGELO WOOL SOLD AT 25-CENT PRICE

The sale in San Angelo Friday afternoon of 100,000 pounds of eighth months' wool at 25 cents a pound by the Wool Growers Central Storage Company was one of the first for the short clip season.

Tom Ritchey bought the clip for the Central Texas Trading Company of Lampasas. It was one of the first indications of the price on eighth months' clip this year.—Del Rio Evening News.

G. B. Rankhorn was a visitor in Rocksprings Wednesday for the first time since the cyclone three years ago at which time seventy people lost their lives.

C. T. Turney, 71, Buried Yesterday

Was Former Sutton County Ranchman, and Brother of V. J. Turney

C. T. Turney, aged 71, former Sutton county ranchman, died in Las Cruces, New Mexico, Monday and was buried there Thursday, according to information received by relatives here.

Until 25 years ago Mr. Turney ranched in this county, operating what is now known as the Wilson-Bryson ranch.

Surviving are his wife, one brother, V. J., Del Rio, and twelve children.

Mesdames Sim Glasscock and Thomas Espy, nieces of Mr. Turney, attended the funeral. V. J. Turney, a brother, also was in attendance.

MRS. GILMORE GUEST OF FEDERATED CLUBS

Mrs. S. T. Gilmore, president of the Sixth District P.-T. A. and Federation of Women's Clubs, was in McCamey last week on official business. Friday, she visited the Rankin P.-T. A., and was an honor guest of the Federation of Women's Clubs Saturday. Ten members of the P.-T. A. from Rankin were present at the meeting, she said.

Mrs. Gilmore reports a very active P.-T. A. in McCamey with 104 members. A new grammar school is under construction in that city, she said. McCamey has 1,200 pupils enrolled in both high and grammar schools, and has 35 teachers.

Rankin was chosen for the next annual meeting of P.-T. Associations.

Emil Vander Stucken, San Angelo attorney, was here Wednesday on business and to visit with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken.

Schreiner Wool Sells for 25 Cents

Million and a Half Pounds 12-Months Wool Sold at Kerrville Recently

The sale of a million and a half pounds of twelve-months wool by the Schreiner Wool and Mohair Company of Kerrville at a price said to be 75 cents and better clean basis or about 25 cents a pound in the grease was reported.

This is the largest sale reported to have been made by a warehouse in the state thus far this season. The name of the reported buyer was not learned.

There have been heavy sales of wool all over America during the last few days following the third rise in London wool prices since April 9.—Del Rio Evening News.

MUCH FLY AND WORM MEDICINE SOLD HERE

Four hundred gallons of Fli Flu and 30 gallons of screw worm medicine were sold last month by the Corner Drug Store. R. A. Steen makes the medicine, and during the past few weeks he has been busily engaged in the preparation of the necessity.

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J. S. Holman and wife were in from their ranch south of here yesterday. Mr. Holman reported the Phillips Petroleum oil well drilling at 3,300 feet in shale and lime. The

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Arthur Simmons was here Thursday on business.



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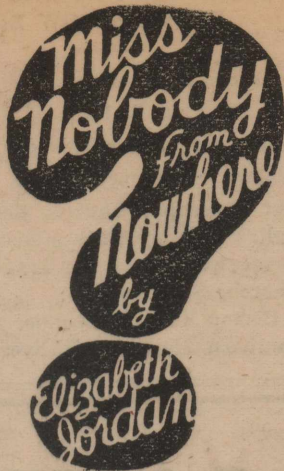
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conceded. "She packed, stole out through that door and along that back corridor to a rear staircase, and probably got away without being seen by any one. But how about her hotel bill? Do you think she'd forget that?"

Miss Adams looked thoughtful. "She might. They do all sorts of queer things when they're not normal."

He had been staring down unseeing at a little writing stand, but now he caught a faint suggestion of penciling on the top envelope of the pile of hotel paper.

"Here's something," he cried, and picked up the envelope. Then his expression changed. It was addressed to Doctor Carrick.

"Where did you find that?" the nurse demanded. She had been standing on the threshold, looking down the hall, but turned back into the room at the sound of his voice.

"On the table, on top of this little heap of stationery. It looked like all the other envelopes, for the name is written on it very faintly, with a hard pencil. I didn't notice it till now."

He felt the envelope. "Lord! I wish I dared to open it," he muttered.

Hamilton hurried from the room. At the hotel office desk he asked for a match and lit his cigarette with careful casualness.

"Has Miss Parsons gone?" he asked as he drew in the first mouthful of smoke.

"Yep; she checked out 'most an hour ago," the clerk told him, and added without rancor; "Women make me tired."

Hamilton rested an elbow on the desk.

"Why?"

"Because they're always changing their minds. That girl said when she came that she was only staying one night. She stayed 3 days. That was all right—the longer the better. But tonight—she had a cot put in her room for a woman friend who was to visit her, and after I'd stirred up a chambermaid and a porter and got everything fixed she changed her mind again and cleared out. She left a dollar for the chambermaid and the porter, though," he added forgivingly, and ended, on another afterthought, "nice girl."

Hamilton put on the hat he had been carrying and descended the hotel's front steps to the street.

"Cab sir," asked the doorman, who knew him.

"Not yet . . . See here, Saunders, Hamilton put a dollar into the man's hand—"did you happen to hear the address Miss Parsons gave her cabman tonight when she left?"

Saunders pocketed the dollar and looked sympathetic.

"She didn't take no cab here, sir," he reported. "It was funny

too, for she usually does. Besides, tonight she was carrying a little handbag and a big bundle. But when I started to get a taxi for her she walked off, shakin' her head."

"Which way did she go?"

"That way," Saunders indicated the side street. His voice sank to a confidential note, for his was an honest nature and he desired to earn his dollar—in part, at least.

"I got the feelin', sir," he said, "that she walked off because she didn't want to give no address here. If that hadn't been it, why would she carry them things? She give me my quarter jest the same, and I'd bet that quarter she took a cab at the next corner."

Hamilton returned to the waiting nurse. It was easy now to piece together the bits of the puzzle. Miss Parsons had experienced another panic, had decided that she was becoming a "case," and had fled to avoid that horror. Of course she would pick up a cab further along the street or take one of the scores of cabs plying up and down the next avenue, only a block away. By this time she might be in Harlem or on a train bound west or south. In any case, she was definitely gone. She was out there somewhere in the darkness. What would become of her? Anything, everything, might happen to her.

He must find her, of course. That went without saying. Even if his interest had been less than it was, he couldn't let her, in her condition, vanish into the unknown. He had not been responsible at first, but now . . .

He made his report to the nurse. "She paid her bill and checked out an hour ago."

Miss Adams nodded.

"She would," she confirmed.

Hamilton's strained nerves snapped.

If it was so certain that she would why the devil didn't Carrick warn me?" he broke out, and immediately apologized again. "Come on, we'll go uptown and talk to Carrick. You don't suppose he has gone to bed, do you?" he asked irritably.

Miss Adams expressed her theory that Doctor Carrick could not have done anything so inconsiderate. It was much more likely, she thought, that the physician might have dropped in at his club on his way home, to have a rubber of bridge with some friends. As a nurse who attended many of his patients she knew something of his habits. She even knew the name of his club, and mentioned it.

(Continued next week)

Theo. Savell was here from his ranch south of town Monday. Mr. Savell reports range in fair condition. He recently leased a ranch in Crockett county and has stocked it.

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"My brother, J. H. Mathews, lives on Cedar Hill ranch at Sterling City, and is very well known there," continued Mathews. "He suffered from stomach and digestive troubles for several years, and was in very bad condition. He lost his appetite; hardly ate enough to keep him going, what he did eat disagreed with him, his food soured and formed gas, and he would be in misery for hours. He would have severe pains in the pit of his stomach; was badly constipated and had to take strong laxatives. He had frequent headaches, and was going down hill every day.

"Argotane was advertised so highly, and so many people had recommended it, he got a bottle and began taking it. He has just taken one bottle and anyone can tell he has improved greatly. His stomach trouble is relieved and all his digestive pains are gone, now he can eat anything he wants without the slightest touch of indigestion. The gas has stopped forming on his stomach and, in fact, his general condition has improved. Argotane has certainly helped my brother and I am glad to give this statement for him for he thinks Argotane is a grand medicine." Genuine-Argotane may be bought in Sonora at the Corner Drug Store.—Adv.

W. T. Hallum, San Diego, California, is here this week, the guest of his brothers, Robert Hallum and Asa Hallum of Camp Allison. This is Mr. Hallum's first visit to Sonora, and he said he was impressed with the town and country.

Veri-Best bread is sold in Sonora, at your grocer's.—Adv.

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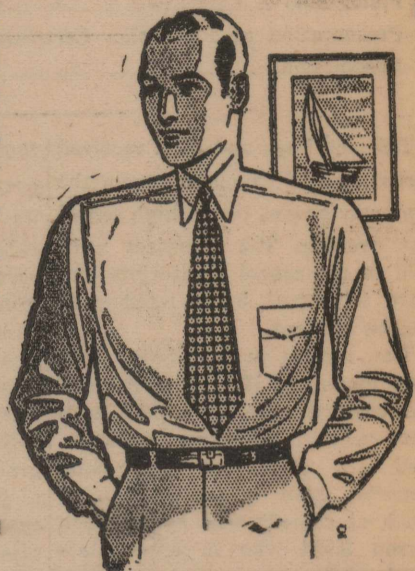
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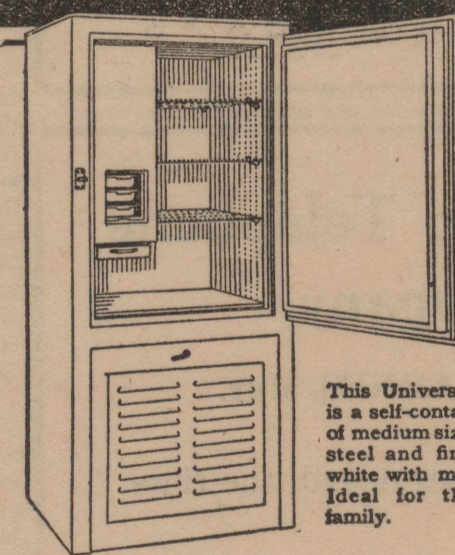
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GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Promotion Exercises Sonora High School

May 22, 1930, 8:30 p. m.

March	
Invocation	Rev. F. M. Jackson
Salutation	Sara Ory
Song—The "Spanish Cavalier"	Seventh Grade
Class History	Herbert Fields
Piano Solo	Nina Roueche
The Wishing Gate	Ches Thorp
Piano Solo	Elizabeth Caldwell
Valedictory	J. T. Shurley
Song—"O Month of May"	Seventh Grade
Address	Rev. F. M. Jackson
Piano Solo	Edwin Sawyer
Presentation of Promotion Certificates	
Benediction	Rev. J. O. McMillon

Thirteen boys and girls received certificates of promotion from the grammar grades to the high school last evening. The exercises were held in the school auditorium and were witnessed by a number of Sonora citizens.

The salutation by Sara Ory, class history by Herbert Fields and the wishing gate by Ches Thorp were very enlightening and delivered in a clever manner. Nina Roueche gave a piano solo. A touch of comedy was added when Byron Kidd who in appropriate words delivered presents to each member of the class. The mementos were emblematic of some peculiar whim possessed by the recipient.

J. T. Shurley in a masterly, school-boy style delivered the valediction, predicating his subject upon the books mastered in the past and those to come when high school duties were assumed. His oration contained many worthwhile thoughts.

Rev. F. M. Jackson, Methodist pastor, delivered the address of the evening. The main thoughts of his subject were built around the trite saying, "Whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well." He spoke of the trials and troubles of the seventh grade in its climb to the present moment and pointed the way to the attainment of the ideals of the graduating senior

four years hence. He spoke of the progress of the Sonora school, of its new building now under construction and congratulated the seventh grade upon having the distinction and honor of being the first of the grammar grades to occupy such a magnificent structure as that which would soon be finished.

Supt. M. O. Britt presented the graduating class with certificates of promotion and admonished them to preserve each one that, when after their high-school days were over, they could at least have two diplomas to show for their diligence in the pursuit of knowledge. He, too, spoke of the new high school edifice, and welcomed the seventh grade into its environs.

Added numbers were piano solos by Miss Elizabeth Caldwell and Edwin Sawyer. Both renditions were heartily applauded.

THREE SERIOUSLY INJURED IN AUTOMOBILE COLLISION

Mrs. F. M. Eddie, of Eldorado, driving a Dodge sedan, collided with a Chevrolet sedan three miles south of Sonora on the Canadian-Del Rio highway Sunday morning. Both Mrs. Eddie and the two occupants of the Chevrolet were seriously injured. An ambulance was called from San Angelo to remove the injured people to hospitals.

CROWDED

Census Figures Show That Everybody Is Moving to Town

(By Caleb Johnson)

Except in a very few, widely scattered and especially favored regions, the farming districts of the United States are losing population.

That is true not only of the strictly agricultural territory, but of the little villages which once were the farmers' trading centers.

All over the United States, the census returns so far completed tell the same story. The little villages of 500 or so are disappearing. Some of them are already down to dimensions of a filling station and hot dog stand. Almost all of them show a decline in population since 1920.

Where have the people gone, who used to live on the farms and in these little country hamlets? To the big cities? All of the big cities show population gains. The biggest cities naturally show the biggest gains. But that does not mean that the farmers of the United States are flocking into Chicago, Detroit, Philadelphia and New York.

They are moving to towns, but to the nearby, growing country towns. For while the very small villages are mostly getting smaller, the trend of census returns to date indicates clearly that the medium-sized country towns, the larger rural communities and the small cities, are all growing. The towns that had a thousand or so in 1920 are now mostly in the 1500-2500 class. Towns of 5,000 ten years ago now have from 7,000 to 15,000 inhabitants as a general thing. One of the most interesting single groups of facts disclosed by census returns as published so far, is the large number of little cities which have jumped into the 10,000 class. And the same holds good all along the line.

We are all moving into town. But that doesn't mean that we are all becoming city folks.

We are moving into town for several reasons. Some of us—a good many of us—are still farmers, although living in good-sized communities. In that respect we are getting to be like the farmers of Europe. Over there the farmer seldom lives on his farm, unless it is a very big farm, in which case he usually lives in a castle or manor house and his tenants, who rent their little farms from him, live in a village which he owns. Farmhouses scattered over the countryside, a mile or three or ten miles apart, are almost unknown in Europe.

The European farmers have always lived in towns, however. They had to live in communities in the old days, for protection against wild beasts and robbers, and they have kept up the habit of community life, going out each day to their farms, perhaps several miles away from their homes. On this side of the Atlantic, however, men started farming before there were towns, and we established the habit of living on the farm in the beginning of our development, and kept on living that way from force of habit, in part, and in part because most farmers couldn't live in any other way and keep on being farmers.

We have talked a lot about the joys of rural life, and there is much to be said for the farm house as a place for a big family to grow up in. But we're not raising such big families, and you never heard the women folks on the farm say very much about how happy they were to be snowed in in winter, mired in in spring, and the teams all too busy to take them to town when the roads did happen to be passable.

The plain fact is, that we have been living on the farms because we had to. We had to until the automobile and its offspring, good roads, came along. Even then the older generation, fixed in its habits, resisted the idea of moving to town, although they all enjoyed getting to town easier and oftener than before. But with the rise of the movies and other entertainment, with the superior shopping facilities which the larger communities could offer, with better churches and better schools in the towns than the strictly farming community could support, and most of all, with a chance for the boys and girls to earn a living in ways which they liked better than farming, and which, for most of them, promised to pay them better than farming, the movement from farm to town began to set in strongly.

In other words, rural life in

Made \$2,500,000



Miss Marion Hollins, former national golf champion, who promoted the Kettelman oil field in California and gets a quarter of the ten million dollars it was sold for.

America is now definitely community life—large town or small city life—for probably three quarters of our population. The census figures don't show with great precision just what proportion of the total population still live in communities having a decidedly rural outlook. The government arbitrarily classes all communities of more than 2,500 as "urban" and all below that as "rural," but we all know of towns smaller than 2,500 which have many metropolitan characteristics and of towns of seven or eight or ten thousand which are still rural in their outlook.

The tendency, however, is toward the same kind of living in the small cities as in the big ones, in the big towns and villages as in the small cities. We not merely dress alike all over the United States, listen to the same things over the radio, see the same movies, read the same magazines and books, eat the same food from the same kind of cans, drive the same kind of cars, but because we live in closer contact with one another we tend to think alike. There is, for example, no longer the difference in point of view between the city dweller and the inhabitant of the small town which used to make it almost impossible for them to understand each other.

Very well, then; we are becoming a nation of community dwellers—have become such, in fact, without noticing the change very much. What are we going to do about it, and, more important, what is it all doing to us?

First off, an increasing proportion of us are becoming fabricators of finished commodities instead of growers of raw materials of commodities. And that certainly means that those who do remain on the farms are bound to get along better than was the case when there was too many growers in proportion to the number of consumers of farm products.

Second, we, as community dwellers, are developing new tastes and wants and making the market for all sorts of manufactured commodities greater than it was. We began to realize, just after the war, that America had become an industrial nation. Now, ten years later, we find that industry is spreading out to the small cities and big towns, that better transportation facilities and the extension of electric power lines are bringing industries into the little communities. And that means that the problem of the wage-earner is becoming more and more important, to larger numbers of people than the problems of the farmer are.

The affairs of the community as such command more and more attention as communities grow larger. Living in crowds has a definite effect upon manners and customs. The pressure of the mass upon the individual has a moulding effect on character. Personal rights have to be subordinated, in many respects, to the rights of the social group.

It would be interesting, if one could do it, to come back to America a hundred years from now, and see what changes have occurred in the American people themselves as a result of the closer-knit community life upon which we, as a people, have definitely and finally entered.

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Arthur J. Moore of Birmingham and Dr. Paul B. Kern of San Antonio, were elected bishops at the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at Dallas Tuesday. Both ministers are former pastors of the Travis Park Church, San Antonio.

Bishop Kern was connected with Southern Methodist University of

Dallas many years before going to San Antonio. He was born in Virginia and received his first degree at Randolph Macon University, later taking a theological course at Vanderbilt. He has served the Travis Park Church since 1926.

Bishop Moore for several years was general evangelist for the Methodist General Conference. His first pastorate was Travis Park Church. He served four years after which he was transferred to the

First Methodist Church of Birmingham, Alabama.

W. H. Anthony, of Austin, accompanied by Judge and Mrs. Atlas Jones, was in Sonora Sunday enroute from Carsbad to Austin.

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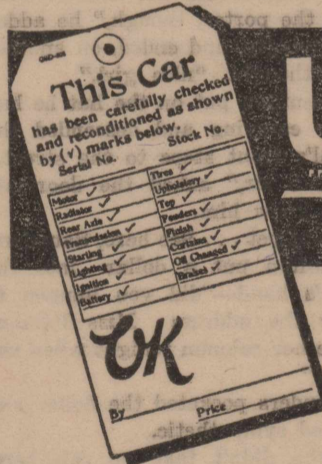
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The Oswego (Ore.) Review runs the following interesting quotation from the American Banker's Magazine, using it as an advertisement:

"No business in any town should allow a newspaper published in his town to go without his name and business being mentioned somewhere in its columns.

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SUCCESS

"You cannot say that any man is successful, so long as he is alive" said the head of one of America's great industries not long ago. He meant that any man might make a blunder which would offset all that had gone before, no matter how successful he had been.

That was drawing it pretty fine, but how many men whom the world regards as "successful" feel that way about themselves? Find the men who feel that they have suc-

ceeded in doing all that they ever hoped or tried to do and you will find the unhappiest men alive. They may have succeeded in their business enterprises, but they have not succeeded in living.

Success means different things to different people, and sometimes the man whom the world pities has succeeded in leading a happier life than has the one whom the world envies. A man who overtakes his ideals is not a success in any true sense of the world. Unless our standards grow steadily higher as we approach them we soon lose the zest of striving to attain them, and in that striving, not in the overtaking, lies happiness, and nowhere else.

It is common misconception that the Declaration of Independence declares happiness to be one of the inalienable rights of humankind. The right which Colonists so boldly claimed was the right to pursue happiness. And the man or woman, who discovers early in life that the nearest approach to happiness, is through a constant endeavor to do the job in hand, as well as it can be done comes nearer to success, not only in his or her immediate occupation but in the broader sense of living a successful life.

POETRY AND LIFE

The announcement that John Masefield has been appointed Poet Laureate of England, succeeding the late Robert Bridges, revives interest in poetry as a means of expression, as well as in the ancient office of Poet Laureate to the King of England.

The earlier Poets Laureate were a kind of glorified royal minstrels, who were supposed to sound the praises of the King on every possible occasion. Naturally, the necessity for being a sort of lyrical "yes-man" did not attract the poets of the highest genius, and there have been few holders of that title whose names are now remembered. But when Queen Victoria appointed Alfred Tennyson as Laureate a new style was set. Tennyson refused to write poetry to order. He did compose some verses in commemoration of events in the life of royalty, but they rank among his poorest work. But Tennyson was the greatest poet of his day, one of the greatest who ever

wrote in the English language, and he gave to the title of Poet Laureate a new dignity.

Tennyson's successor, Robert Bridges, was regarded in literary circles as a first-rate poet, but his work has never had the popular appeal that Tennyson's had. Few of his poems are known at all in America. For that matter, few of John Masefield's poems are now known on this side of the water. The only living English poet whose work has had American popularity comparable with Tennyson's is Rudyard Kipling, and Kipling is now an old man and probably would not have accepted the post of Laureate even if it had been offered to him. And that was out of the question, since the King's appointment was made on the recommendation of the Prime Minister, and the present Prime Minister, Ramsay Macdonald, is at odds with his predecessor, Stanley Baldwin, who happens to be Kipling's brother-in-law.

John Masefield is a different sort of poet. English to the core, he has expressed in his poems a deep sympathy with and understanding of the working classes and the under dogs generally. His youth was spent in poverty, one almost says as a tramp. He served before the mast as a sailor, found himself stranded in New York and earned his bed and board by acting as a porter for a friendly saloon-keeper. Yet his poem, "Reynard the Fox," brought him the instant approval of the English aristocracy. He now lives at Oxford, in the shadow of the historic university, and runs a little theatre where he produces original plays.

In another respect John Masefield differs from the traditional poet; he is a teetotaler. "Inspiration must come from a man's own soul and not from alcohol," he says. He is now 55 years old, during which everything he writes will be eagerly read all over the world.

GEO. TRAINER IS BETTER

Geo. J. Trainer, Sr., Sutton county tax assessor, is gradually improving from a stroke of paralysis he has suffered for four weeks. This week he has been able to sit up some.

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Today and Tomorrow

(By Frank Parker Stockbridge)

SUGAR

Straw and cottonseed may soon supply the world with sugar. Xylose, one of the most widely distributed organic compounds in nature, is found in all vegetable fibers. It is a sugar which does not produce fat when eaten. It was first discovered in 1886 and chemists have been working 44 years to find a cheap way to extract it. Up to recently it cost about a dollar a pound to get it out of the fibers. Under a grant by Congress two years ago the Federal Bureau of Standards has been engaged in chemical research into xylose, and now announce the development of a process which extracts it from cottonseed hulls at a cost of only five cents a pound.

The salvation of the cotton farmer may come through this added byproduct of the cotton seed, tho it will hurt the sugar-grower.

MERGERS

Consolidation of several small enterprises to make a single large one is not confined to manufacturing industries. Senator Arthur Capper, of Kansas, who knows what he is talking about most of the time, says that more than a million acres of Kansas farm lands are now owned by corporations, and that recently one corporation bought thirty farms in the winter wheat region and merged them.

Corporate farming is more of a business enterprise and less of a mode of living than farming by an individual is. According to Senator Capper, these farm corporations hire men who leave their families behind, to go out in the fall and put in the crop. In summer they hire other men to come in and harvest the crop. The rest of the year nobody lives on the big farms.

That seems menacing to the Senator from Kansas. He thinks it will result in depletion of the soil, thru lack of crop rotation, maintenance of fertility and diversification. It is hard to believe that any group of capital engaging in business on a large scale would be so shortsighted as not to take those things into consideration and apply the most modern principles of agriculture to their enterprise.

LONGEVITY

Human life is not getting any longer, according to the men who make a business of studying vital statistics. The average life is longer because a larger proportion of babies live to grow up. Fewer people die in childhood and early life than formerly, but the man who reaches fifty-four, which is the average expectation of life of every new-born baby in America, has no better chance of living to seventy than his grandfather did; not so good, according to some.

Certainly the average life of a President of the United States is shorter than it used to be. Colonel Leonard P. Ayres of Cleveland, one of the world's famous statisticians, points out that Mr. Taft lived longer—72—than any other President since Millard Fillmore, who died 56 years ago. Out of the first eight Presidents, Washington, who died at 67, had the shortest life; John Adams, living to 90, the longest; the others were 85, 83, 80, 78, 73 and 68 at their respective deaths. The average life of the eight was 80 years and a half. The four latest presidents who died averaged only 66 3-4 years of life each; McKinley and Harding died at 58, Roosevelt at 61, Harrison and Wilson each at 67, Hayes at 70, Cleveland at 71 and Taft at 72.

The job of President of the United States is getting harder, for one thing. For another, nearly all men work more intensively and wear out their hearts and nervous systems earlier than men did a hundred years ago.

GASOLINE
The average motorist uses 571 gallons of gasoline a year. Every state now imposes a sale tax on gasoline, ranging from two to six cents a gallon. The highest rates are in Florida, Georgia, South Carolina and New Mexico. That is natural, since those states have the largest highway systems in proportion to population and taxable property values. In Massachusetts, where the tax is only 2 cents and distances are shorter, the average motorist uses only 400 gallons a year and pays \$8 toward highway maintenance and improvement. Last year the total gasoline tax collected in this country was \$449,731,000.

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There are 16 members of the Mutual Building & Loan Association in Sonora, Mr. Hillis stated. Each trip, he said, he secures additional members. His company will be ready to make loans in Sonora this fall. He was here this week to make recommendations for loans. His company will lend 50 per cent of the value of the real estate and building.

In speaking of the congressional race, Mr. Hillis said he had been over almost all this district, and from information gleaned, he felt satisfied that Mayor R. E. Thomson would be elected by a large majority.

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THIRD INSTALLMENT

"Will you tell me exactly what the doctor said, and all he said," she asked at last.

"Of course." He came and stood beside her. "He thinks that you have had some sort of shock, which made you decide to get away from the scene of it whatever it was. He thinks you came to the decision very hastily, for you started with no luggage. Yet when you got here you clearly expected to stay some time, for you went out the next day and bought some things which you had delivered here at the hotel."

"When I came up here to my rooms before dinner I went through everything," she confirmed, "but there was nothing to help me, except some money. It's not much, but I hope it will see me through. Anyway, it's probably all I have in the world, for my clothes show I'm not rich. They're 'good but not gorgeous,'" she grimly paraphrased.

His heart leaped over the small jest, but before he could speak her face darkened and she went on.

"The money won't carry me very far in a New York hotel if I have a long siege—with a trained nurse at night and a physiatrist coming every morning," she pointed out. "Suppose this attack lasts longer than my money does?"

"It won't." He spoke with much conviction that she brightened again. "The Garland's summer rates are still in effect, and they're very reasonable," he went on. "Carrick is too good a chap to send you a big bill."

He was talking against time to keep her panic at bay till the nurse came.

"Oh, what a devilish situation this is!" She turned back to the window, bringing her hands together with an effect of desperation that alarmed him.

"Come now," he urged, "keep steady! A whole lot depends on

that. The more quietly you take it. He agrees that the thing to do is to sit tight, just as you're doing, and let inquiries come from the other end. If your family and friends don't know where you are, they'll have started an investigation by this time, but they're probably doing it very carefully."

She stood still and stared into the darkness. Suddenly she turned back to the room with a little laugh that broke through their seriousness like a gush of a fountain.

"We may discover that I have run away from a husband and six children," she said lightly, but giving him a definite effect of breathlessness and tension. "My innocent babes may be crying for me this minute."

"What a ghastly idea!" he began, and stopped abruptly. As if she had caught his thought she looked at him with sudden intentness; but he was on his guard again and his disarming smile banished any suspicion she might have had. However, the little episode seemed to harden some half-formed purpose, for she went toward the inner door with an air of resolution he called later.

"If you will excuse me," she said, "I'll make some preparations for the nurse. I suppose since she is coming she must be made comfortable. No, please don't go," she added as he turned to take up his hat. "I'd rather you were here when she comes. There's some light literature on the table that may interest you."

She made a hospitable gesture toward the light literature, and disappeared through the door leading into her bedroom.

He selected a magazine, drew an easy chair to the reading lamp, and contentedly sat down. She was only a few feet away, on the other side of the door, and there was something satisfactory in being her sentinel. It wasn't strange that he was immensely interested in

her, he mused. Any one would be interested in a girl in that tragic plight. For a few minutes more he casually thought about her while he turned the pages of the magazine, glancing at pictures and titles.

A title on a page of the magazine he held caught his eye and he began to read, with frequent glances at the closed door and an ear alert for sounds in the inner room. As he had already demonstrated, it was not his habit to do anything by halves. He became attentive to the article he was reading, then interested, and finally absorbed.

"Is this Miss Parson's room?" she inquired. "I'm Miss Adams, the nurse."

"Yes, of course. We have been expecting you."

"Doctor Carrick told me all about the case and gave me full instructions," the nurse went on. "It took some time. Otherwise I could have been here sooner. I suppose she's in her room," she suggested. "Hadn't I better go right in and report?"

Miss Adams gave the door panel a soft but decided tap, and when she received no reply she repeated it without emphasis, calling clearly: "The nurse, Miss Parsons. May I come in?" But when there was no response to this, she turned and cast a questioning glance at the young man.

"Go in," he managed to bring out, and strengthened the order with an imperative gesture.

Plainly Miss Adams was not the type of nurse who accepted orders from every one who chose to give them. She hesitated, and rapped a third time. Still receiving no reply, she turned the knob and entered the bed room, leaving the door ajar behind her. Hamilton remained close to the open door, but he did not look into the room beyond it. Instead he wheeled and stared hard at the opposite wall, tell himself there were a half dozen reasons why the girl in the inner room might not have heard those three decided taps.

Miss Adams reappeared, and now she was obviously disturbed.

"We mustn't assume too much," he said kindly, with an understanding glance at his agitated face. "You said she was frightened, and in such conditions patients do strange things. I've looked out of the window," she added calmly; and again he felt his scalp prick. "There's nothing wrong in the street. Of course she may be somewhere else in the hotel."

He found his voice. "You're perfectly sure she is—'Quite sure,'" Miss Adams smiled austerely. "I've looked in the closet and even under the bed."

"May I look?" "Of course, if you like." Her manner nicely combined with its professional courtesy an intimation that he would be wasting his time, but he pushed past her even before she could move to one side.

The room had the look of having been unoccupied for days. The words of the nurse made him swing around toward her.

"Here's the way she left," she said. He had noticed another door with a bolt on the inside. It led from the bedroom and he had taken for granted that it was part of the adjoining suite and was locked. Now he saw that the bolt had been shot. The nurse held the door ajar, revealing a glimpse of a corridor past its threshold. "Easiest thing in the world," he

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We will not run an ad in this paper next week, but will have a big list of extra specials as usual for Friday and Saturday of each week as in the past. We will run at least one ad each month to keep you familiar with our prices. If you wish to save money visit our store and do your shopping. A partial list of extra specials for—

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

SNOWDRIFT—6-pound bucket	\$1.17
" 3-pound bucket	59c
" 2-pound bucket	41c
" 1-pound bucket	22c
FLOUR—White Fox, guaranteed—48-lb. sack	\$1.60
24-lb. sack	85c
BEANS—Pinto No. 1 Re-cleaned—16 pounds	\$1.00
SUGAR—C. & H. Pure Cane—20 pounds	\$1.00
Limit 20 pounds with one dollar or more merchandise	
COFFEE—That Good Admiration—3-pound bucket	\$1.18
" 1-pound can	43c
COFFEE—Star Cup and Saucer—3-pound bucket	\$1.08
" 1-pound can	37c
Pickles, qt. jar, sour	21c
Pickles, gal. can, sour and dill	68c
Grape juice, qt. bottle	37c
Grape juice, pa. bottle	19c
Tomatoes, No. 2 can, 3 for	29c
Hominy, med. can, 3 for	19c
Peas, Economy, Kurer's No. 2 for	25c
Mustard, qt. jar	19c
Peaches, heavy syrup, No. 2 1/2 can, Sun Kist, Wapco, each	22c
Delmonti or Gold Bar, each	22c
Pears, Bartlett No. 2 1/2 can	25c
Cherries No. 2 can, 3 for	55c
Blackberries, Concho No. 2 can, 2 for	25c
BACON—Wilson's Breakfast, 6 to 7-lb. average a strip	28c
BACON—Sycamore, 30 per cent sugar cured Eng. style	27c
BACON—Wilson's 20 per cent sugar cure Red W, a lb.	26c
Dry Salt Jowls, fine for boiling, a pound	14c
Dry Salt Butts, fine for boiling	
Dried Fruit—Peaches, apricots, Apples, 3 pounds	49c
Raisins, 4-lb. package	39c
Prunes, 4-lb. package	54c
Coffee Duncan Peaberry, 3 pounds	73c
Milk—White Swan, Armour or Caration, 3 large	28c
6 small	26c
Macaroni, vermicelli or Spaghetti, q&q, regular 10c package, 3 for	17c
Soap, laundry, Big 4, P&G or Crystal, 10 bars	35c
Post Bran, Corn Flakes, Rice Crispies, Raisin Bran or Pep, each	11c
SNUFF—Honest or Garrett—6-ounce bottle, 3 for	88c
TOBACCO—Bull Durham, a carton	\$1.45
TOBACCO—Brown Mule, regular 20c plug, each	14c
TOBACCO—Prince Albert—2 cans for	25c
CIGARETTES—Any 15c brand—2 packages for	25c
CIGARETTES—Any 15c brand, a carton	\$1.19

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