

Heart Attack Saturday Ends Life Span of E. E. Sawyer

As Young Man, Made
Good in Herding
of Sheep

BORN IN MAINE

Owned Old Ft. Terrett
Ranch For Number
of Years

"His was a hardy, pioneer spirit which gave him a persevering endurance permitting him to win out where others would have failed . . . in his dealings with his fellow men he was human and generous."

Tribute was paid Sunday afternoon to the character that was E. E. Sawyer, 79, Sutton county ranchman for many years, by the Rev. W. S. Ezell, pastor of the Methodist Church, in a funeral address at the church.

Mr. Sawyer died of a heart attack at seven-thirty Saturday morning while sitting in his chair in the living room of his home which overlooks the courtyard of the county to which he had come thirty-nine years ago. He had risen early as was his custom and a few minutes before had told his son, Wesley, goodbye as he drove off to San Angelo with a party of schoolmates.

Born in Stillwater, Maine
Staunch New England ancestry was Edwin E. Sawyer's. His father and mother, Enos and Frances Sawyer, were natives of Maine. He was born in Stillwater, Maine, May 10, 1855, one of twelve children. As a young man he was in the meat and poultry business in Maine. His first dollar was earned, however, in a sawmill.

Then in 1877, when only twenty-two, he started to "the West," where, he had been told, advantages were numerous for the young man who worked hard and tried to succeed. It was a long, tiresome trip from the New England state and Mr. Sawyer has told friends of how he "ate out of a basket" all of the journey.

Began As Sheep Herder
There wasn't much of a wage paid for shepherding but it was work he wanted and it was sheep herding that he did—in the Banderita section. J. F. Weldon, his employer, sold him an interest in a few sheep for the dollars he had saved after a few months. Sheep were \$3.50 a head then. After a year he took his sheep and, with a Mexican herder, started "on his own." Ten years later he pushed on to Kerr county with his 1,300 sheep.

He prospered. In 1896, when he was forty-one, there were 13,000 sheep in his "stake" rather than the 1,300 of a few years before. They were driven on to Sutton county to the old Fort Terrett Ranch.

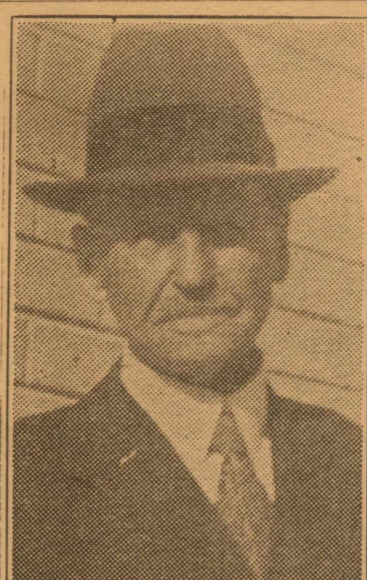
Federal troops had built and used the buildings there. Problems were many but Mr. Sawyer was used to them by now and set about to conquer them one by one. He has told in later years of troublesome marauders who bothered him and his herders on his Sutton county place. Shots were fired at them by the disturbers from a distance. It was during this period of his life that Mr. Sawyer carried a commission as a special ranger.

About 1907 Mr. Sawyer was married to Miss Gertrude Brown of Stillwater, Maine, who died in Sonora about a year later.

Wife and Three Children Survive

In September, 1912, he was married to Miss Mae Clough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Clough of Newport, Vt. Mrs. Sawyer survives him as do two sons and a daughter: Alice Lucille, University of Texas sophomore; Edwin, Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College senior; Wesley, Sonora high school sophomore. A number of nieces and nephews also survive as do these sisters and brothers:

Mrs. Clara Smart, La Grange, Me.; Mrs. Janie Smart, Bangor,



EDWIN E. SAWYER

Me.; Phil Sawyer, Old Town, Me.; Enos Sawyer, Canton, Me., the Rev. Elisha Sawyer, who lives in New Hampshire.

Although his ranch interests, in the main, were sold in 1909 he remained interested in "the West" which he had helped settle and at the time of his death owned a number of ranch properties. Since Jan. 10, 1911, he has been a member of the board of directors of the First National Bank. He was a member of the committee which had charge of the erection of the bank's \$75,000 building.

Interested in Banking Institutions
Mr. Sawyer was president of the First National Bank, Del Rio, twenty-one years, from 1911 to 1932 when it was consolidated with another institution. He was one of the organizers of the Commercial National Bank, El Paso, and was interested in the establishment of the old Citizens' Bank & Trust Company, San Antonio. He resigned as president of the Del Rio Wool & Mohair Co. last year on account of his ill health.

He had a life membership in the San Angelo lodge of the Brotherhood Protective Order of Elks.

Ever interested in the development of this section Mr. Sawyer was always ready to aid in development of Sonora as a community. For many years he contributed of his means to Boy Scout and other civic projects.

At the church service Sunday afternoon, in addition to the music by the choir, "Abide With Me," was sung by Miss Marie Watkins, N. S. Patterson, W. E. Caldwell, Mrs. Preston C. Lightfoot.

Pallbearers at the funeral were: E. F. Vander Stucken, Fred Earwood, Roy E. Aldwell, L. W. Elliott, R. A. Halbert, G. H. Davis, J. D. Lowrey, W. C. Gilmore. Honorary pallbearers were business associates of Mr. Sawyer.

Burial was in Sonora cemetery.

MOHAIR BUYERS ACTIVE IN MANY WEST TEXAS TOWNS

Early Thursday morning no sale had been effected for any of the 800,000 pounds of mohair held by the Sonora Wool & Mohair Co., according to W. J. Fields, Jr., manager of the company.

About 300,000 pounds of mohair were reported in the San Angelo Morning Times Thursday as having been sold Wednesday at 21 cents for grown hair and 37 cents for kid. Sales were said to have been made in Uvalde, Fredericksburg, Mason and San Angelo.

STATION WOMEN HEAR OF PATTERNS AT ELDERADO

Two women from each of Schleicher county's nine home demonstration clubs attended the pattern school Tuesday and Wednesday of last week at the Presbyterian Church in Eldorado.

Miss Barnes of College Station conducted the school. Mrs. W. B. McShan and Mrs. Dale Kimball, both of Station A, attended.

Frank Bond Recovering

Frank Bond who had been ill with influenza is able to be up again.

MANY SUFFER WHEN ARKANSAS TOWN INUNDATED



—Courtesy, Poplar Bluff, Mo., American-Republic

While flood water from half a dozen of the larger rivers recently inundated towns, villages and thousands of acres of farm land in eastern and northern Arkansas the village of Success, Ark., is believed to have been the only town completely isolated by the waters.

The upper left picture shows the village's Baptist Church. At the upper right is a family just out of reach of the water. The lower left view is a street scene in the town of Success. In the picture at the lower right, one may see a family preparing to vacate its home.

Current and Little Black rivers,

west of the town, could not hold the water that poured in from southern Missouri. Many rural families abandoned their homes. It was several weeks before some of the flood victims could be returned to their homes and several more will pass before they may be re-established on their farms.

(More Flood News Pictures on Page Seven)

Ballinger Players Cross Bats With Station A Sunday

Ellis Parts, San Angelo, Defeats Sonora League Entry By Tune of Seven to Five

The crack of a bat against horsehide will be heard in league baseball competition for the first time in Sonora Sunday afternoon at three when Station A Sonora ball players engage the Ballinger Concho Basin entry in diamond combat.

Smarting under a 7 to 5 defeat at the hands of Ellis Parts, San Angelo, in San Angelo Sunday the local team is expected to make a "come back" Sunday in their first home game.

Failing to continue like they started the game Sunday cost the Station A Sonora players their contest in San Angelo. Both Duke and Breed were jerked by Ellis Parts before the sixth inning, after Sonora had secured five runs to their opponents' two.

Welch then began work for the San Angelo team and struck out nine of the first eleven men facing him. White, left-handed "artist" for the Station boys, was removed in the fourth when his pitching became wild. Smith finished the game.

Only three hits were made by Sonora while Ellis Parts' eight included a home run by Welch, San Angelo pitcher. In the eighth, according to Scorer Nance, Ellis Parts made four runs as a result of three hits mixed with Sonora (Continued on page 8)

Edgar Glasscock Arrived Home Thursday from Kerrville where he is a student at Schreiner Institute.

He will spend the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Glasscock. Mrs. Glasscock and her son, Elwood, went there for him Wednesday.

In Business For Self
Leasing the shop at the Sutton Motor Co., Marion Batson began mechanical servicing work there Wednesday morning. He has been in charge of similar work at McKnight Chevrolet Co. Before that he was a partner in the Sutton Motor Co. with the present owner, C. C. Smith.

Christmas in April For Station Players

Business Men Offer Free Gifts For Baseball Efforts

Santa Claus, in the form of Sonora business firms, will visit Station A Sonora baseball players who accomplish certain things in the Sunday game with Ballinger or, if they do not occur in that game, in the first home, league game in which they do occur.

The prizes and firms giving them, also announced in a display advertisement in this issue, are:

First home run, \$2.50 in merchandise, Sonora Electric Company; first 3-base hit, year's subscription to The Devil's River News; first single hit, \$1 worth of barber work, Corner Barber Shop; first Sonora man home, automobile oil change, J. T. Penick & Son; first 2-base hit, car wash and grease, Sutton Motor Co.;

Second home run hit, dinner for two, Club Cafe; first Sonora assist, any \$1 lish bait, Gilmore Hardware Co.; Sonora man driving in first run, \$1 worth of beer, Dutch Lunch Room; first Sonora man to catch fly ball, shampoo and tonic, Long's Barber Shop; each man in first Sonora double play, \$1 worth of merchandise, Hamilton Grocery.

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Mrs. Eastland Better

Mrs. H. Eastland who has been ill for several days is better.

Workers at Humble Station to Be Lions' Guests at Station A Tuesday Evening

An order has been given the Parent - Teacher Association at Humble Station A for 100 dinners to be served Sonora Lions and Station A and Station B guests Tuesday evening.

There will be no noon luncheon of the club that day, it was announced at the meeting this week. It is planned that Sonora Lions will leave about 3:30 in the afternoon. A baseball game is to be arranged between Sonora players and men of the two stations. George E. Smith and W. J. Fields, Jr. are to arrange this feature.

John Eaton, president-elect, and W. E. James, secretary, were selected as delegates to the district convention of Lions Clubs in Laredo May 3 and 4. The support of the club has been pledged to San Angelo in its efforts to secure the

next convention. Last year the Tom Green county city lacked only one vote of securing this year's meeting. H. V. Stokes, recently endorsed as candidate for district governor, and W. R. Cusenbary, first vice-president, and George H. Neill, past president, indicated that they would likely attend the convention.

Three members of the Eldorado club told of that club's play, "Mama's Baby Boy," to be presented there tonight. The Eldorado guests were Ernest Hill, the Rev. A. J. Quinn and Forrest Alexander.

Dr. Joel Shelton who recently became a Sonora resident was introduced as a new member. Guests for the luncheon were: Hillman Brown, Jack Pfister, Bill Skeeters, Dallas, and M. C. Puckett, San Angelo.

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Three Seniors and Two Juniors "Make" Honor Roll Group

Wesley Sawyer and Nora Gilliam To Be "Lion" and "Lioness" For Next Six Weeks

For the next six weeks it will be "Lion" Wesley Sawyer and "Lioness" Nora Gilliam for the work of those two high school students during the last six weeks has won for them the distinction offered periodically by the Lions Club.

Nora is a sophomore, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gilliam. Wesley, a junior, is the son of Mrs. E. E. Sawyer.

Honor roll students in both the high school and the elementary school were announced last week by R. S. Covey, superintendent, and the teachers of the two schools.

Wesley Sawyer's average for the period was 93. That of Nora Gilliam was 91 1/4. Other boys and girls who had superior averages were:

Louise Briscoe 93 1-3, Jimmie Gwynne Langford 95, Robby Jo Wyatt, 93, Frances Ezell 95 1/4, Rena Glenn Shurley 93 3-4, Jo Nell Miers 94 3-5.

Web Elliott 92 3-4, Robert Allan Simmons 94, Garland Slaughter 92, and Richard Vehle 94 3-5.

The complete honor roll for the two schools is as follows:

Seniors: Joseph Logan, Dorothy Penick, Winnie Mae Trimble; Juniors: J. O. Mills, Wesley Sawyer;

Sophomores: Nora Gilliam, Lillian Kring, Emmalou Logan, Joyce (Continued on page 8)

Babcock Gets 2nd in Half Mile Run

Three Sonora Pupils Place in Scholastic Events

Stepping fast enough to be a serious threat to the winner, Kenneth Babcock, of the Sonora high school track squad, flashed across the tape in the half-mile run in San Angelo Saturday to win second place.

The time of the winner, Stanley of Winters, was 2:10. O. P. Adams, coach, declared that the finish was the best of the meet and that the margin between the winner and Babcock was a very slight one.

Mr. Adams and Babcock will go to the regional meet in Abilene tomorrow where Babcock will be entered in the half mile run. It is believed by many that Babcock will be able to outrun the boy who defeated him Saturday in San Angelo at the district seven, region two, meet.

Other Sonora entries in the San Angelo meet which was won by San Angelo, Robert Lee, Eden and (Continued on page 4)

School Board Names Fifteen Teachers for 1935-36 Year

Mexican School Building Work to Be Completed on Schedule, It Is Believed

Selection of teachers to instruct Sonora and Sutton county children next year and discussion of improvement projects under way were the chief subjects of the meeting of the school board Thursday night of last week.

After election returns were canvassed the board declared R. A. Halbert, Joe F. Logan and Mrs. Merton Shurley as entitled to board positions for the next three years. They were given their commissions after taking the oath of office.

Instructors for the various schools next year are:

High school: F. T. Jones, principal; Miss Annie Duncan, history and librarian; N. S. Patterson, English; Miss Johnnie Allison, mathematics and Spanish; Miss Florence Langford, home economics; O. P. Adams, science, and coach of athletics.

Elementary school: Preston C. Lightfoot, principal; Miss Rena McQuary, history and geography; Miss Madeline Lee, second grade; Miss Pauline Davis, first grade.

Mexican school: Miss Jamie Gardner, first grade and acting principal; Miss Harva Jones, second and third grades; Mrs. Ethel Grimland, primary.

Owensville school: Miss Calla Mae Love.

Pecan Springs school: Mrs. L. E. Stockard.

Selection of instructors for the third and fifth grades of the elementary school was not made. Action was deferred also on the matter of selecting teachers in special positions such as those now held by Mrs. Gertrude Reming and Miss Gertrude Babcock.

Work on the Mexican School building, started Jan. 22, is practically on schedule and it is believed that the new brick building will be completed well within the allotted time—120 working days.

Painting of the exterior of the present Mexican school building is nearly completed. Relief labor and paint furnished by relief agencies are being used.

Construction is under way on a sidewalk from the west side of the school campus to the west end of the elementary building. It will extend to the boys' basement door and will connect with the walk on which the drinking fountains are located. The new walk will be a four-foot one to within thirty feet of the building, then eight feet and around the building it will be five feet wide.

Another sidewalk to be started soon will begin at the automobile entrance to the campus and extend to the superintendent's home.

Materials for the sidewalk construction are partially furnished by the relief agency and the remainder by the board. Supervisory work, done by Ted Schultz, is the board's responsibility.

METHODIST TO HAVE PRE-EASTER SERVICES 2 DAYS

Services meant to instill the spirit of Easter into those who attend have been planned for tonight and Saturday night at eight o'clock at the Methodist Church, according to the pastor, the Rev. W. S. Ezell.

The Reverend Mr. Ezell urged at the Sunday morning service that all who attend the service tonight should not eat the evening meal.

At the special Easter service Sunday morning an anthem will be sung by the choir and special musical numbers, arranged by Miss Marie Watkins, will be given. The night service will be at eight.

Miss Nan Karnes, Mrs. Vernora Marion and daughter, Lunetta, and Miss Lillie Marie Smith were in San Angelo Monday. Mrs. Sam Karnes and daughter, Anne Marie, who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Drake, returned home with them.

Bragging on your kin is bad; bragging on yourself, worse.—Dean E. V. White (CIA).

When you get a bad habit, trade it off for a good one.—Dean E. V. White (CIA).

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Local Men's Father Died Last Monday

John A. Bingham Was Ranchman in Uvalde Section for Years

Death as a result of a paralytic stroke suffered Wednesday morning of last week Monday morning ended the life of John A. Bingham, a native of Uvalde county, who had been a ranchman there for many years.

Mr. Bingham was the father of Ed Bingham who is employed on the Roy Hudspeth Ranch. Another son, Leonard, lives here. Mr. and Mrs. Bingham and their children, Charles and Marjorie, went to Uvalde Monday afternoon for the funeral.

Mr. Bingham was born in Uvalde county Aug. 18, 1858. Besides his wife, who is 71, he is survived by five daughters and five sons. Two daughters are dead. The children are:

Mrs. Bertie Jones, Waxahachie, N. M.; Mrs. Martha Mannard, Uvalde; Mrs. Nora Carter, Big Foot, Texas; Mrs. Anna Laura Neill, Uvalde; Mrs. Maggie Vaden, Fort Worth; Ed and Leonard Bingham, both of Sonora; Marion, of Dalhart; John Bingham, Jr., Leakey; G. G. Bingham, Uvalde.

Never applaud yourself for what another does.—Dean E. V. White (CIA).

PERSONALS

Mrs. Arthur Carroll was in San Angelo Monday.

Mrs. Rose Thorp and daughter, Zella Lee, spent Tuesday in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Maddox of Crane visited friends at Station A last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schwiening and daughter were San Angelo visitors Monday.

Miss Annella Stites left Sunday for Houston to accept a stenographic position.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Davis and children are spending a vacation period in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hightower and baby son, Richard Lee, were in San Angelo Monday.

H. V. Stokes returned Sunday from Fort Worth where he spent several days on business.

Mrs. T. C. Murray and Miss Alice Nichols spent Saturday and Sunday in Fort Stockton visiting relatives.

Mrs. Edith Bond who has been visiting relatives here left Wednesday afternoon for her home in San Antonio.

Pat Cooper who has been attending A. & M. College arrived Wednesday night to spend Easter holidays here.

Mrs. Lee Labenske and Miss Mildred Labenske returned Monday from San Antonio and Austin where they had been on business.

Louie Trainer, student at T.C.U., arrived home Thursday to spend the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Trainer.

Mrs. Bob Muckelroy who has been visiting her husband here for several days left Wednesday for her home in San Angelo.

Mrs. Ernest McClelland and daughter, Raymie Jo, Mrs. Henry Decker, Mrs. J. C. Bridge and Mrs. Theresa Friend spent Tuesday in San Angelo.

John Hull, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hull, arrived Wednesday from College Station, where he is a student at A. & M., to spend the Easter holidays here.

DEPOSITORY NOTICE

The State of Texas, County of Edwards.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Edwards County, Texas at the regular May term, A. D. 1935, will select a depository for the funds of said county for the remainder of the current two-year term.

Any banking corporation, association or individual banker of Sutton county desiring to bid, shall deliver to the County Judge of said County, at or before 10 o'clock a. m. on the first day of the regular May Term, A. D. 1935, of said Court, same being the 13th day of May, A. D. 1935, a sealed proposal stating the rate of interest offered on the funds of said county and said bid or proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check, payable to Mrs. Cora Rogers, County Treasurer of Edwards County, Texas, in amount of One Hundred Forty Dollars, (\$140) as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder, and that if his bid is accepted will enter into the bond required by law. In the event of the failure of the banking corporation, association or individual banker selected as such depository, to give said bond, the amount of such certified check shall go to said Edwards County as liquidated damages.

Said Commissioners' Court is authorized by law to reject any and all bids.

Given under my hand this 10th day of April, A. D. 1935.

J. L. Johnson, County Judge, 24-3tc Edwards County, Texas.

Chopin Discussed At Music Club

Mrs. Edgar Shurley Hostess To Club Group

The Sonora Music Club met Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Edgar Shurley. The life of Chopin was discussed. Short incidents in his life and works were given in answer to roll call.

Mrs. N. S. Patterson, Miss Marie Watkins, Miss Thelma Rees, Miss Gertrude Babcock, Mrs. Shurley and Miss Wilma Hutcherson gave piano numbers from Chopin.

Plans were made for Music Week which will be the first week in May.

Members attending were: Mesdames O. G. Babcock, W. E. Caldwell, Preston C. Lightfoot, W. R. Nisbet, N. S. Patterson, and the Misses Jamie Gardner, Thelma Rees, Elizabeth Francis, Marie Watkins, and Gertrude Babcock.

Guests included Mrs. Maysie Brown, Miss Johnnie Allison, Miss Florence Langford, and Miss Wilma Hutcherson.

FINAL TRAINING COURSE SESSION HERE SUNDAY

The fourth and concluding session of the Scoutmasters' training course, begun here several weeks ago, will be conducted Sunday at the Scout Hall from two to seven.

It had been planned to conclude the course last Sunday afternoon but postponement was effected until this Sunday. About thirty men from Eldorado, Ozona, Station B and Sonora have been attending. The Sunday afternoon program will, in the main, be an outdoors one, men cooking their evening meal.

Jack Stone, assistant Scout executive, Concho Valley Council has been supervising the work of the course and will be here Sunday for the final meeting.

Wiley Post says you can hear radio crooners better in the stratosphere. But there's no law compelling you to go there.—Buffalo (N.Y.) Times.

Texas still heads the states in wool production, but readily yields to Louisiana in wool gathering.—San Antonio Express.

Eastern Star Has Memorial Service

43 Present at Special Meeting Friday Night

Forty-three members of the Sonora Order of the Eastern Star and six visitors from Eldorado were present at the special meeting Friday night in honor of the official visit of Mrs. Gussie Edens, deputy grand matron of the grand chapter of Texas. She was accompanied by Mrs. Horace B. Rees also of Big Lake.

At the meeting of the O. E. S. Tuesday night a memorial service, conducted by the chaplain, Mrs. O. G. Babcock, was dedicated to the deceased brothers, Fred Berger and Ira L. Wheat.

A program was planned during the business meeting for the school of instruction which will be held here May 22.

Mrs. John Fields and W. P. McConnell, Jr. were elected to membership.

The average citizen is one who reads the headline threatening economic disaster and says, "My! My!" and turns to the funnies.—Buffalo (N.Y.) News.

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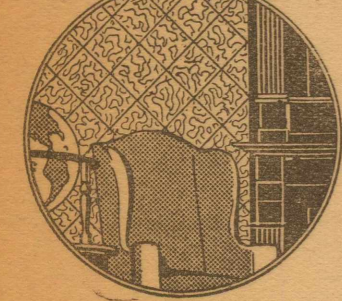
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Former Football Player Gerald C. Mann Likens Grid Work to Art of Statecraft

It seems a far cry from the battle scarred gridiron, where the pigskin is thrown, carried and kicked to the halls of government, but Gerald C. (Jerry) Mann made it.

The present secretary of state under Governor James V. Allred, takes his job as seriously as he did his football. The opposing teams of Southern Methodist University, back in 1925-26 and 1927, will tell you that's saying a lot.

Each year the job of being secretary of state gets bigger. He is charged with the collection of a million and a half dollars in franchise taxes. He must attempt to protect the investing public from being "gypped" by salesmen of bogus stock. He must see that all official documents are filed and properly kept.

In addition to these duties Mann serves as a member of the newly created State Planning Board, a new deal measure which proposes to co-ordinate the forces of reconstruction in Texas.

It's a big order, but the former "Little Red Arrow" isn't complaining. Somebody asked him if there was any point of comparison between statecraft and football.

"Sure," he replied. "The best way

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GERALD C. (JERRY) MANN
Secretary of State

to do both is to shoot hard and fast. Play square. Put team interest above selfish interest."

And that in itself is pretty good philosophy of politics and statesmanship.—San Saba Star.

Rent it with a classified.

"NAPOLEON HOUSE" HONORS DISPUTED

Bitter Battle Waged by Two New Orleans Factions.

New Orleans.—Two old landmarks in New Orleans' Vieux Carre are waging a bitter battle to win the distinction of being erected a century and a quarter ago as refuges for the Emperor Napoleon.

Decision given recently by Historian Stanley Clisby Arthur to a dilapidated, little known place at 514 Chartres street, shorn of its decorative iron work, is being hotly contested by the numerous fans of the long-recognized Girod house at the corner of Chartres and St. Louis street, beautifully proportioned, appropriately fitted and topped by an imposing belvedere.

Arthur claims the Girod house was not built until nine years after the little emperor's death, while Gen. Allison Owen, peer among New Orleans' Creole architects, contends that recently discovered features give the Girod house definite connection with the colorful Bonapartist episode in New Orleans history, when a group of New Orleans' loyalists under the leadership of Dominic You, Lieutenant of pirates, projected an expedition to rescue Napoleon from St. Helena.

The United States commission for the survey of historic buildings apparently has sided with the Girod house advocates because Richard E. Koch, architect supervisor of the government studies, has preserved in photographs and sketch every detail of the architectural beauty of the "favorite."

It seems now as if the local flouters of tradition are making a determined sally against everything having to do with Napoleon in New Orleans.

They recently published an elaborate statement to prove that the famous New Orleans death mask of Napoleon, reposing in a place of honor in the Cabildo museum, along with Doctor Antomarech, the donor, who claimed to have been Napoleon's physician at the time of his death, both are fakes.

Even the names of the Napoleonic streets in uptown New Orleans have suffered from the onslaughts of those who apparently have no respect for the memory of Napoleon. The streets for five blocks on each side of Napoleon avenue were named for the Conqueror's famous battles, but "Berlin street" right next to Napoleon avenue has been changed to "General Pershing."

Scientists Study Magic Mirrors From Old Cathay

Cambridge, Mass.—The strange tales of Marco Polo brought home from far Cathay are equaled by the story told of a group of 2,200-year-old Chinese mirrors, whose "magical" properties are to be investigated by scientists here.

The mirrors, a recent gift to Fogg museum at Harvard university, are supposed to reflect not only what is in front of them, as do ordinary mirrors, but also to show what is at their back.

Rutherford J. Gettens, museum chemist, and Dr. John Norton, of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, will study the supposed phenomenon, as well as several other interesting points about the mirror. Their metallurgical composition will be analyzed to determine whether their unusual brilliance is due to the use of mercury or a polishing agent.

The collection, numbering 42 circular mirrors ranging from three to eight inches in diameter, was given to the museum by James M. Plummer, a Harvard graduate, who is an official in the Chinese customs.

Ohio Man's Onions Tell Him of Future Weather

Westville, Ohio.—Charles F. Rankey, retired farmer, knows his onions—and thereby lies his uncanny ability for forecasting weather a year in advance.

Rankey's formula is: "I take an onion—three inches across—peel out 12 of the cups and set them in a row east to west. Then I place a teaspoon of salt in each cup at midnight New Year's eve, allowing them to lie undisturbed for 12 hours, each hour representing a month."

"When noon comes around the condition of the onion cups indicates the type of weather we will have throughout the year, each cup representing a month."

"A dry cup forecasts a dry month, a damp cup crusting the salt a month of moderate rainfall and one in which water gathers reveals a heavy rainfall."

Bear and Hunter Fight Grim Battle to Death

Kelso, Wash.—The isolated Bar-Inf Island, Alaska, was the stage for a grim tragedy discovered by Curtis Barber of Kelso, employee of a United States government surveying crew on the island.

Barber came upon the skeletons of a giant Kodiak bear and a hunter. Apparently the bear had been fatally wounded by the man. The skeletons evidently had lain beneath a dense forest for many years. No one could identify the hunter.

Many Attend P.T.A. Big Spring Session

Mrs. Gilmore One of Two State Representatives Present

Two hundred and fifty delegates including two state Parent-Teacher representatives, Mrs. S. T. Gilmore of Sonora, and Mrs. J. M. Crain of Claude, attended the sixth district convention of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers in Big Spring last week.

Mrs. Gilmore is state chairman of thrift and Mrs. Crain, fourth vice-president of the Texas organization, in charge of public welfare.

Yearbook awards went to Sonora and Texon, both scoring one hundred per cent, and to Big Lake for ninety-eight per cent.

Poster awards went to two associations in San Angelo and to Sweetwater and Comstock.

The Mother Singers from San Angelo took part in the program, and two San Angeloans, Mrs. Hal P. Bybee and S. G. Boynton, were among the outstanding speakers on the three-day program.

Mrs. Gilmore was the only representative from the local association.

If it is true, as reported, that there is a Doctor of Philosophy running an elevator in Louisville, perhaps he is to be congratulated. Not every Doctor of Philosophy is competent to run an elevator.—Louisville (Ky.) Courier-Journal.

A county thoroughly gassed by Washington propaganda has little cause to worry about a mere Kansas dust storm.—Philadelphia Enquirer.

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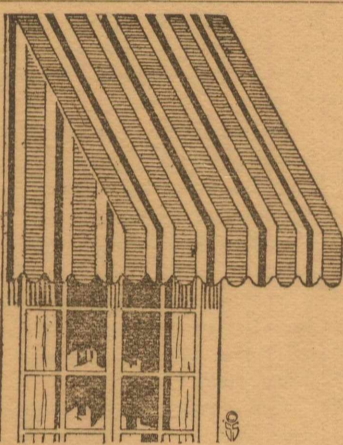
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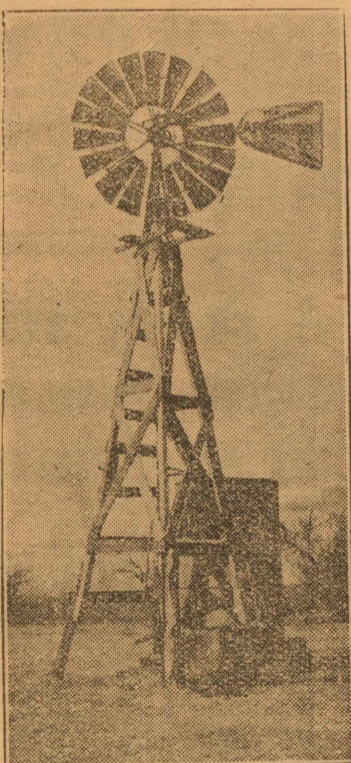
This is another old-style AERMOTOR WIND-MILL on the Ash Farm in Runnels County. It was erected by a Mr. Roper in 1897—the mill was purchased from C. & G. Hagelstein of San Angelo.

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EVEN THE POLICEMAN HAS HIS TROUBLES IN THE CRUISING AUTO

Police radio in many cities, according to report, is confronting three kinds of "interference" that hinders efficient performance in the line of police duty. Curious citizens who crave excitement, criminals who like to be warned of their discovery at work, and a new species of "ambulance chaser" are taking advantage of short-wave radio receiving sets to the disadvantage of police protection. The new "ambulance chaser" is the commercial auto-wrecker who tunes in on accident calls so as to get to the scene post-haste and grab the "job." Sometimes so many of these business-getters are on hand that the police ambulance has difficulty in reaching the injured.

In Toledo, Ohio, one of the cities reporting this kind of trouble, amended that police take over the handling and disposition of all efficiency committee has recommended cars, perhaps letting the tow-in service out by contract, or operating its own service.

San Antonio police, who have also been annoyed by auto wreckers at accidents, are trying to work out a code for their broadcasts which will eliminate these chasers as well as the crowds of curious citizens that collect at accidents, fire or trouble calls. Tampa police already use a code for police broadcasts, having discovered that thieves and other criminals were finding police radio broadcasts an asset in their business. Cincinnati forbids short-wave radios in automobiles, and Atlantic City claims that its new radio cars are operated on a wave length so exclusive that no device yet marketed will pick up the police calls.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

Frio Trappers Get Predatory Animals

Pests Secured By Relief Workers Reduce Farm Losses

Austin, April 18.—More than 2,000 predatory animals, of which 1,674 were coyotes, were trapped by relief clients in Frio county during the past year on projects set up in co-operation with the Bureau of Biological Survey.

Thousands of dollars worth of poultry and farm products have been saved in the county as a result of this project, declared N. H. Nunt, county agent, and many farmers and ranchmen have asked R. T. Barnhart, county relief administrator, to station trappers on their places to continue the program.

The dog pack and coyote-proof fences have pushed coyotes and other predatory animals from the sheep and goat hill country of central Texas down into southwest Texas, where poultry coop raids by preying packs in broad daylight are still not uncommon.

Farmers in Frio county now report they are able to raise their entire crop of turkeys, whereas before relief trappers started their extermination campaign, annual losses amounted to from 25 to 75 per cent. One farmer reported the loss of 300 chickens annually to coyotes.

From the standpoint of value as work relief project, trapping permitted this type of aid to be extended to relief clients living in remote rural districts who generally, because of their isolation, have to take direct relief.

Methodist Sunday School Pupils in Church Program

Ernest Carrol Stephen, Only 2 1/2 Years Old, Regular Sunday School Pupil for 6 Months

A program participated in by nearly every pupil in the Methodist Sunday School Sunday morning formed the church's observance of its annual "Church School Day."

Choir members were older pupils. Piano accompaniment for various numbers of the program was by Wilma Hutcherson, a primary department teacher, and Mrs. N. S. Patterson who plays for Sunday School singing.

Miss Pauline Davis, was in charge of a parade of nursery and beginners' department students led by Ernest Carrol Stephen, 2 1/2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stephen, who has not missed attending for six months.

Among the other pupils who took part in the program were:

Story, Joe Richard Long, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Long; recitation, Billy Wright Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cash Taylor; recitation, "Voice of Spring," Warren Reddoch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reddoch. Warren has not missed attending for the last six months; last year he was absent only two Sundays—on account of illness.

O. L. Richardson, superintendent, told of the origin of "Church School Day." Other numbers on the program included:

Prayer by Adolphe Flores, member of the choir; offertory song by pupils of Mrs. Joe F. Logan, superintendent of primary department; piano solo by Kenneth Babcock, pupil in the young people's division; vocal solo by Miss Marie Watkins of the adults' division; Mrs. O. L. Richardson, talk of the progress of Christianity in Japan; vocal quartet composed of N. S. Patterson, W. E. Caldwell, W. E. James and the Rev. W. S. Ezell.

Mrs. Maysie Brown, in charge of work of the junior department, directed her pupils in a story of Japan, illustrated by pictures which the children explained. Preston C. Lightfoot spoke briefly of the reasons which should guide the United States in maintaining friendly relations with Japan.

Mrs. L. E. Johnson is director of religious education in the Sunday School.

Babcock Gets 2nd—

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Winters, in the order named, were: 100-yard dash—Vehle, Trainer, Elliott.

220-yard dash—Rouche, Trainer, Elliott.

Half-mile run—Logan, Rouche.

Mile run—Martinez.

Nisbet, Logan, Friess Place

Three places were won by Sonora students in the scholastic contests conducted as part of the day's program.

Joseph Logan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Logan, Bobbie Nisbet, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Nisbet, and Mattie Mae Friess, daughter of Mrs. Vida Friess, were the fortunate ones whose ability was recognized by the judges.

Third place in the senior boys' declamation contest was won by Logan while Bobbie Nisbet placed fourth in the typewriting contest. Mattie Mae won third in the junior girls' declamation event.

SONORA BOY SECURES 48-WEEK ENGAGEMENT

Everett James, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. James, and a former resident of Sonora, has completed a deal which will take him on a tour of the United States starting Saturday.

Mr. James was selected as one of eight best musicians in Dallas to form a musical organization to be directed by Fred Hansen. The orchestra has signed a 48-week engagement to play the Warner Bros. chain of theaters. The tour, starting from Dallas this week-end will take the boys through practically every state in the Union.

Louis Daugherty, saxophonist, known to many Sonorans, was one of the eight musicians chosen to make the tour.

Two former relief clients in this county are now full time employees of the federal government as a result of experience gained in these projects.

The NEWS will print it for you.

35 YEARS AGO

Frank Ward the sheepman was in Sonora Tuesday to get a shave.

Caruthers and Allison the commission men moved their office to Dr. Taylor's office, Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Whitehead were in Sonora several days this week visiting friends.

Ranger Jones who is stationed at San Angelo was in Sonora Monday and left with a prisoner Tuesday.

Mode Glasscock returned from Austin Sunday. Mode saw the break of the dam next morning after the flood and said the destruction was terrible.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Halbert were in Sonora Wednesday on business. Geo. Hill of McKavett was in Sonora Tuesday shaking hands with several old friends.

Making of Desserts for Two Servings Quite Practical

Care Needed in Housewife's Use of Warmed-Over Dishes as Part of Menu

Denton, April 18.—The separate preparation of each part of the menu three times a day is too time-consuming for the homemaker. The main hot dishes require special attention every time. It is possible to prepare hot dishes in sufficient quantity to hold some for another meal but warmed over left-overs must be used very skillfully in order not to come into disrepute.

The preparation of desserts can probably be simplified with less sacrifice of quality. Cold desserts do not become less desirable from being held over if carefully covered and kept at a low temperature. The various types of custard, tapioca and gelatin desserts lose nothing by being prepared in sufficient quantity to serve from twice, especially if they appear in different menus or with different sauces or accompaniments.

When making pie for dinner it is possible to make sufficient crust for two desserts. Bake the extra crust into pie shells or tart shells to be filled later with fresh fruit topped with cream or other filling.

Sandwiches having a sweet filling are satisfying for dessert if served with a hot or a fruit beverage. Hot toasted sandwiches with sweet filling and served with a custard sauce are quickly prepared. Fancy breads made sweet and rich can serve as hot bread and as dessert, and also let us keep the cookie jar functioning.

Menus

Breakfast: Sliced oranges, broiled sausage, southern spoon bread, coffee or milk.

Lunch: Toasted minced ham and egg sandwich, celery, pickles, tea biscuits, hot tea.

Dinner: Curried lamb with dumplings, peas and carrots, hot rolls, butter, minute tapioca cream.

Breakfast: Fresh peaches with cream, bran muffins, scrambled eggs and bacon, coffee or milk.

Luncheon: Bacon, lettuce and tomato sandwiches, baked apple, cream.

Dinner: Chicken and macaroni Spanish style, corn a la southern, olives, celery, hot biscuits, butter, jellied fruit, peanut cookies.

Recipes

Tapioca Cream: 1/4 cup tapioca, 1/2 cup sugar, 1/4 t salt, 2 egg yolks, 4 cups milk, 2 egg whites, stiffly beaten, 1 t vanilla.

Have all but 1/4 cup milk hot in top of double boiler. Add tapioca, cook seven minutes, stirring frequently. Beat the yolks until well broken. Add the 1/4 cup cold milk. Pour slowly into the tapioca mixture stirring thoroughly. Add salt and sugar. When thickened slightly from the addition of egg yolks remove from the boiling water. Add the vanilla. Fold in the egg white mixing only slightly. Cool. Serve plain or with whipped cream.

Peanut Cookies: 2 cups brown sugar, 1 cup butter, 2 eggs, 3 cups flour, 1 t soda, 1 t cream tartar, 1 cup chopped peanuts.

Cream the butter. Add sugar and beaten eggs. Mix and sift soda, cream tartar and flour. Combine with the other ingredients. Add the peanuts. Chill the dough. Form into rolls the size desired for cookies. Slice, place on baking sheet and bake 10 to 12 minutes in hot oven.

Sugar Cookies: 1 cup sugar, 1/2 cup butter, 2 eggs, 1 t cream, 2 1/2 cups cake flour, 1 1/2 t baking powder, 1 t flavoring. Mix—follow directions for peanut cookies. Roll out and cut into shape and sizes desired. Bake ten to twelve minutes in a hot oven.

WORD ORIGINS

What Does the Word

"DEFALCATE"

Have to Do with a Sickle?

Latin falx, falcis, means "sickle." Combined with de, "from," "away," it formed defalcate, meaning originally "to cut off with a sickle." A figurative use of this word took on the sense "to deduct," the meaning of the English derivative defalcate: "to cut off," "to take away or deduct a part of," used chiefly of money, accounts, rents, income and the like. In modern use the word has acquired the added sense "to take away, deduct (money) for one's own purposes," that is, "to embezzle money held in trust." (Copyrighted by G. & C. Merriam Co., Springfield, Mass.)

New Interest Rate, Land Bank Loans

Reduced "Price" to Be for Entire Period of Borrowing

Houston, April 18.—A. C. Williams, president of the Federal Land Bank of Houston, has announced today that new loans made by the Federal land bank on and after April 10, 1935, through National Farm Loan Associations will bear interest at the rate of four and one-quarter per cent per annum. Mr. Williams pointed out that this is the lowest rate at which the Federal land bank has ever made loans.

For about two years, the bank has been making loans through National Farm Loan Associations at five per cent with a temporary reduction to four and one-half per cent until July 12, 1933, as provided by the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933. After July 12, 1933, such loans again would have borne interest at the rate of five per cent.

The four and one-fourth per cent rate on new loans made on or after April 10, 1935, will be effective for the entire period of the loans, which will be made on an amortization basis ranging from 20 to 30 odd years, as in the past. Federal land bank loans are made on the basis of first mortgage security on farms and ranches for amounts that may not exceed 50 per cent of the appraised normal value of the land mortgaged and twenty per cent of the appraised value of the permanent, insured improvements thereon.

No change has been made, Mr. Williams said, in the interest rate on new loans by the Land Bank Commission, which rate is five per cent per annum.

Which came first, the blue eagle or the egg?—Indianapolis News.

Now that misplaced stomachs have become a popular malady, why not look into the heads and note the locations of the brains.—Miami Herald.

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THREE OF THESE WERE ASSASSINATED—LINCOLN, GARFIELD AND MCKINLEY, AND ONE—WARREN G. HARDING DIED IN THE PERFORMANCE OF OFFICE.

Pupils of Texas Schools Contest For 25th Time

Austin Competition, May 3 and 4 This Year, Participated in by Best of State

Austin, April 18.—Twenty-five years of service to the public schools of Texas will have been completed by the Texas Interscholastic League May 3 and 4, when one thousand boys and girls will come here to participate in the silver anniversary state meet of the league.

Twenty-five years ago the Texas Interscholastic League was organized at the State Teachers' Association convention. For a quarter of a century boys and girls of Texas who have won the distinction of qualifying for the final state contests in one or another of the forty events sponsored by the league have come to Austin to represent their rural and high schools in athletic, forensic, art, type-writing, English and other events, according to Roy Bedichek, chief of the University Bureau of Public School Interests, which is the state headquarters for the league.

"Many of these boys and girls come to the university after their high school days are over," Mr. Bedichek said. "Of the 25 students who made the university debate squad this year 24 had previously participated in the Interscholastic League debate contests."

"Governor James V. Allred, in presenting the trophies awarded in the state basketball meet recently said that, as a Bowie high school student, he was a contestant in debate and in track and field events of the league. Many distinguished men and women trace their interest in various activities to the stimulus they received from participation in high school interscholastic League contests.

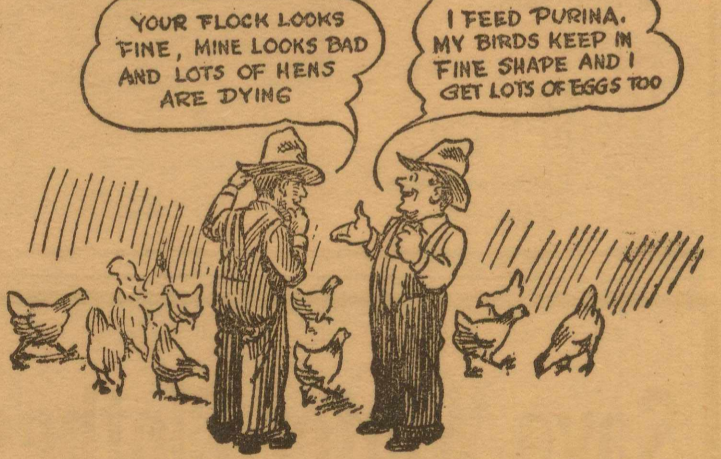
"A distinctive feature of the Interscholastic League contests is that it is a strict 'qualification' meet, every contestant having gone through local, county, district and regional meets in order to qualify. This guarantees that only the most talented product from the schools of Texas shall participate in the state meet."

Contestants in the league state meet will be in Austin two days. Austin citizens are asked to provide rooms for them. Free rooms are to be provided only for actual contestants and their faculty advisors.

W. M. S. in Royal Service Program

Twelve members of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Society met Monday afternoon at the church for a Royal Service program. Those present were: Mesdames J. H. Brasher, Frank Nixon, R. D. Trainer, Alton Cobern, Ban Odum, G. G. Stephenson, Ray Clark, Hilton Turney, H. L. Taylor, Floyd Dungan, Florence Holland and T. L. Harrison.

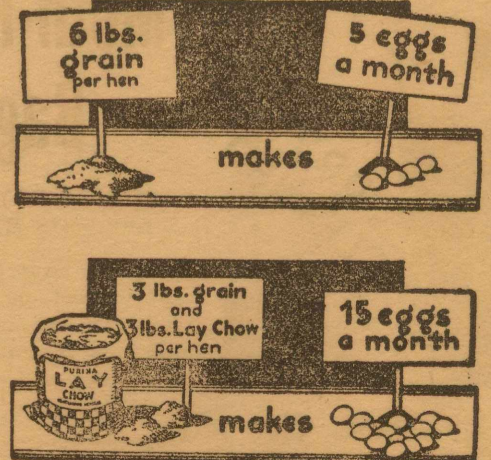
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Future Events

Mrs. Nisbet
Hostess at
Two Parties

Mrs. W. R. Nisbet was hostess at bridge Thursday afternoon and Friday afternoon at her home.

On Thursday Mrs. Sterling Baker received the award for high score and Miss Faye James for second high.

Those attending were: Mesdames E. F. Vander Stucken, S. R. Hull, Sterling Baker, J. A. Ward, Jr., R. A. Halbert, Rip Ward, A. C. Elliott,

Joel Shelton, J. F. Howell, James Yantis, P. C. Lightfoot, N. S. Patterson, Winnie Allwell, Will Wilkinson and Miss Faye James.

On Friday Mrs. Hix Hall won high score favor and Mrs. Maysie Brown second high.

Guests included were: Mesdames Vernon Hamilton, Maysie Brown, Libb Wallace, E. E. Sawyer, J. D. Westbrook, P. J. Taylor, R. D. Trainer, B. W. Hutcherson,

Preston C. Lightfoot, N. S. Patterson, O. G. Babcock, W. D. Wallace, G. H. Davis, Edgar Shurley, Collier Shurley, Hix Hall,

I. B. Boughton, V. L. Corey, W. H. Dameron, O. L. Carpenter, W. C. Warren and the Misses Marie Watkins, Gertrude Babcock, Thelma Rees.

Refreshments of ice cream and angel food cake were served.

Mrs. Brown
Hostess to
Pastime Club

Entertaining guests and members of the Pastime Club, Mrs. Orion Brown was hostess to five tables of forty-two at her home Thursday afternoon of last week.

A salad plate was served with angel food cake and tea to Mesdames Maysie Brown, T. W. Sandherr, T. C. Murray, R. S. Covey, O. P. Adams, W. A. Miers, W. C. Warren, Harvey Morris and G. H. Davis, guests.

Members present included Mesdames B. W. Hutcherson, E. E. Sawyer, J. W. Trainer, W. E. James, W. E. Caldwell, R. D. Trainer, O. G. Babcock, W. D. Wallace, Richard Vehle, Rose Thorp, J. A. Cauthorn.

High scores were held by Mrs. Wallace, Mrs. J. W. Trainer, Mrs. James, Mrs. Murray and Mrs. Miers.

Club Play to Be Given Later

The announcement was made Tuesday that the play, "Patriarch," planned by Thirteen Dramatic Club for presentation April 26 has been indefinitely postponed. A large number of other events planned for that particular time was given as the reason for the postponement.



Sonora Woman's Sister, Miss Nancy Dawes,
Named Outstanding Music Student at CIA

Returning Home This Week
Mrs. Louie Stuart who has been living in Jewett, Texas, for several months with her father is returning this week and will again live on their ranch near Sonora.

Miss Dawes, whose picture is in the center of the lower row of the picture above, is a sister of Mrs. W. T. Hardy who lives at the Ranch Experiment Station where Dr. Hardy, her husband, is a veterinarian.

Denton, April 18.—Because of unusual ability these students stand out in their individual field and are being placed on the college "Who's Who" as representatives of class of 1935. A special section of the yearbook at Texas State College for Women (CIA), to be issued about May 5, will be devoted to them.

Outstanding in leadership at the college is Miss Anne Durrum of Clarksville, who is president of the student government association. In the writing field Miss Jean Thompson of Fort Worth, who is serving as editor of the student newspaper, and Miss Joyce Hunter, Royce City, editor of the college quarterly, rank foremost. Miss Leona Bounds, Celina, was named for the scholarship honor.

In the fine arts, Miss Annabel Hodges, Shreveport, La., stands out in art; Miss Nancy Dawes, Big Spring, in music; and Miss Gladene Parr, Waelder, speech. Miss Lucille Lang, Temple, won the honor in athletics, and Miss Evelyn Martin, Gilmer, in home economics.

Contract Club
Meets With Mrs.
Vander Stucken

Mrs. E. F. Vander Stucken was hostess at her home Tuesday afternoon to the Contract Club.

Included as guests were Mesdames J. D. Westbrook, Collier Shurley, W. R. Nisbet, C. H. Jennings.

Club members participating were Mesdames Lloyd Earwood, S. R. Hull, Will Wilkinson, and the hostess.

Mrs. Shurley and Mrs. Wilkinson held high scores.

PUPILS OF MISS WATKINS
PRESENT ANNUAL RECITAL

Fifteen music pupils of Miss Marie Watkins entertained Thursday night of last week in the high school auditorium when they presented their annual recital.

Those who played were: Kenneth Babcock, Margaret Pearl Smith, Sammie Jeanne Allison, Billy Shurley, Betty Lou Shoemaker, Edith May Babcock, Glen Richardson, O. L. Richardson, Marjorie Davis, Robby Jo Wyatt, J. O. Mills, Emmalou Logan.

The Misses Mary Louise Gardner, Thelma Rees and Gertrude Babcock.

Marriage of
Miss Gretna Smith
in Temple Saturday

A party at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. J. B. Smith, in Temple recently served to announce the approaching marriage of her daughter, Gretna, on Saturday, April 13.

Mrs. Smith was reared in Sonora. Her daughter is the granddaughter of Albert J. Owens and of George Smith, father of George E. Smith, city manager.

Miss Smith was married to Andrew Reid of College Station.

The Temple Telegram had the following account of the announcement party:

The rainbow motif predominated throughout the house which was profusely decorated in lilacs and bridal wreath. Table covers, arranged for five tables of bridge and forty-two, were in pastel shades.

After a series of games, French doors were opened, revealing the occasion of the party, which came as a complete surprise to Gretna's friends. The table, covered with an Irish linen lace cloth, was centered with a miniature bride and bride groom standing on an altar banked with sweet peas and fern.

As a canopy over the couple, was a rainbow at foot of which were gold pots, containing sweet peas. On either side of the altar were candelabra, on reflectors, holding tall tapers in pastel shades.

Just-Us
Club Meets
With Mrs. Long

Mrs. Russell Long entertained the Just-Us Club Monday afternoon at her home with two tables of bridge.

Mrs. W. C. Warren won high score award and Mrs. J. F. Howell low score favor.

Apricot sherbet and cake were served to these members: Mesdames G. H. Davis, Libb Wallace, J. F. Howell, Hix Hall, Edgar Shurley, W. C. Warren, and R. A. Halbert.

Willie Nell Hale III

Willie Nell Hae, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hub Hale is reported improving from an attack of influenza.

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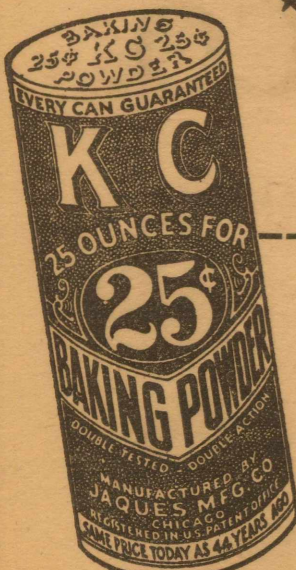
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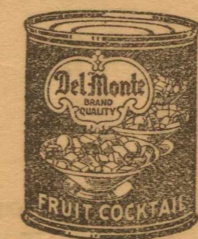
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Washington, April 12.—The aggregate volume of loans by the Home Owners' Loan Corporation up to March 14 reached \$2,506,133.

This represents the refinancing of past due mortgages on 830,315 individual urban homes throughout the country. More than \$51,000,000 has been spent or awarded in contracts to date for necessary repairs on borrowers' homes during mortgage refinancing operations by that institution.

Expenditures for essential repairs and reconditioning are authorized by law to be incorporated in the loans, which, the Corporation emphasizes, are restricted to home owners who were threatened with foreclosure under their original mortgages.

Although the main purpose of repairs was to protect the property against depreciation, the actual work has opened a wide market for labor and construction materials in many communities, and, by its example to other home owners, has assisted the better housing program of the National Government.

REMAINING HIDES TO BE DISPOSED OF AT ONCE

Burying of 10,872 sheep pelts and 12,645 goat pelts, last vestige of the federal government's sheep-cattle-goat buying program in Sutton county will begin Monday.

R. E. Taylor, relief administrator, said Wednesday that that course was necessary because no sale could be effected for the hides. Tanneries are not interested because the pelts are "sun-dried."

A condemnation committee, made up of L. W. Elliott and Dr. J. F. Howell, county health officer, recommended that the hides be disposed of in the "most expeditious manner, according to instructions from C. Z. Crain, director of commodities distribution, and J. A. Morrow, engineer-examiner, Texas Relief Commission."

DISCARDED CLOTH MAY BE USED, HOOKED RUG WORK

The possibilities of using discarded rayon underwear in the making of hooked rugs was explained by Mrs. Gene Lightfoot of Station A in a demonstration to members of the Station A Home Demonstration Club last week.

The rayon may be dyed any suitable color, or colors, and burlap with the design stamped on it, used as a base for the floor piece. Foreign and local cotton markets were discussed by Mrs. Lightfoot and Mrs. W. B. McShan.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Allen and Mrs. Dale Kimball to the members and to one guest—Mrs. E. W. Maddox of Crane.

BAPTIST PEOPLE ATTEND MEETING IN SAN ANGELO

Nine members of the Baptist Church attended the Concho Valley Association Women's Missionary Union in San Angelo Tuesday. The meeting was at the First Baptist Church there.

Devotional services were led by Mrs. A. J. Quinn, wife of the pastor of the Baptist Church at Eldorado. The Rev. A. D. Foreman of San Angelo spoke of methods of work during the morning session. On the afternoon program were: prayer and praise service, playlet, executive board meeting and continuation of methods class of the morning.

Those from here who went there for the meeting were:

The Rev. and Mrs. Frank Nixon, Mrs. R. K. James, Mrs. Will Perry, Mrs. M. S. Davis, Mrs. Lee Holland, Mrs. T. L. Harrison, Mrs. A. B. Shoemaker, Mrs. O. C. Ogden and son, Wayne.

TRAINERS OF BIG SPRING VISITORS HERE SUNDAY

Mrs. Rena Trainer of Big Spring, former Sonora resident, Mrs. Howard Peters, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Trainer, also of Big Spring visited in Sonora Sunday.

Mrs. Jack E. Trainer, daughter-in-law of Mrs. Rena Trainer, has been her guest in Big Spring for several days while enroute from New York City to San Francisco. She will be accompanied from Big Spring by her brother-in-law, George M. Trainer who recently returned from Baton Rouge, La. Mrs. Trainer also had as her guests Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Fred Trainer of Baton Rouge, La., who are now visiting in Douglas, Ariz.

TEXAS ART EXHIBIT TO OPEN HERE WEDNESDAY

The Sonora Art Club is sponsoring the Texas Fine Arts Association Exhibit which will open here Wednesday in the auditorium of the grammar school. A small charge will be made for admission.

Among the collection of paintings to be exhibited will be four by Miss Corinne Spellman, instructor of fine arts at Texas State College for Women, who gave a lecture here last year.

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 7.767 miles of Double Asphalt Surface Treatment from Kimble county line to 29.7 miles east of Sonora on Highway No. 27, covered by S.P. 599 D. & C., in Sutton county, will be received at the State Highway Department, Austin, until 9 a. m., April 30, 1935, and then publicly opened and read.

The attention of bidders is directed to the Special Provisions concerning prevailing and minimum wage rates and hours of employment included in the proposals to insure compliance with House Bill 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas. The prevailing wage rates listed below shall apply as minimum wage rates on this project.

Title of Laborer, Workman, or Mechanic	Prevailing Minimum Per Diem Wage (Based on Eight (8) Hour Working Day)
Pump Operator	\$3.60
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Air Hammer Operator	3.60
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Don't go to the dogs if you are not fit to associate with them.—Dean E. V. White (CIA).

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Aldwell left Wednesday for College Station where they will spend the Easter holidays with their son, Lea Roy, who is a student at A. & M.

Cleveland Jones is spending the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Jones. He will return to Lubbock Sunday where he is a student at Texas Technological College.

Herbert Fields, student at Texas Technological College, Lubbock, is spending the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fields. He will return to school Sunday.

W. S. Evans and son, Billy Sid, and Mr. and Mrs. James Yantis spent Sunday in San Angelo. They were accompanied by Miss Helen Clair Berry, who had been visiting Mrs. Yantis.

Lacey Smith arrived Thursday from Austin where he is a student at the University of Texas. He was accompanied by Charles Herring of McGregor who will spend the Easter holidays with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Huling and children of San Angelo spent the week-end here with relatives. They were accompanied home by Mrs. W. J. Fields, Jr., who visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Weatherby.

Miss Pauline Turney and Miss Ches Thorp, students at University of Texas (arrived Thursday) to spend the Easter holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Turney and Mrs. Rose Thorp.

Mrs. R. C. Vicars, Miss Muriel Simmons and Miss Faye James spent Monday in San Angelo. They were accompanied home by Mrs. W. J. Fields, Jr. and Dewitt Blanton who have been visiting there.

SPECIAL FEATURES FOR FIRE DEPARTMENT DANCE

A "carnival atmosphere" will prevail, according to members of Sonora Fire Department, at their dance in the Scout Hall tonight when Harrison's Texans, of San Angelo, furnish the music.

Special decorations have been arranged and confetti, streamers, big balloons and noise makers will be in evidence during the evening. Clark Wynn, a former member of the orchestra, has returned to add his talent to the group.

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Washington, Va., April 18.—"Squire" John A. Compton of Rappahannock County, Va., and now in the 98th year of his life and 76th year as a Mason, was accorded distinction recently by his brethren.

He was presented a gold button at a meeting of Washington Lodge No. 78, here, of which he is a member, during an official visitation of Dr. Thomas W. Hooper, grand master of the grand lodge of Virginia. Dr. Hooper officiated in the ceremonies.

Mr. Compton is regarded as the oldest Mason in the state.

He has served nearly a half century as justice of the peace in Rappahannock and has never had a reversal of his decisions in any of the cases appealed from his court.

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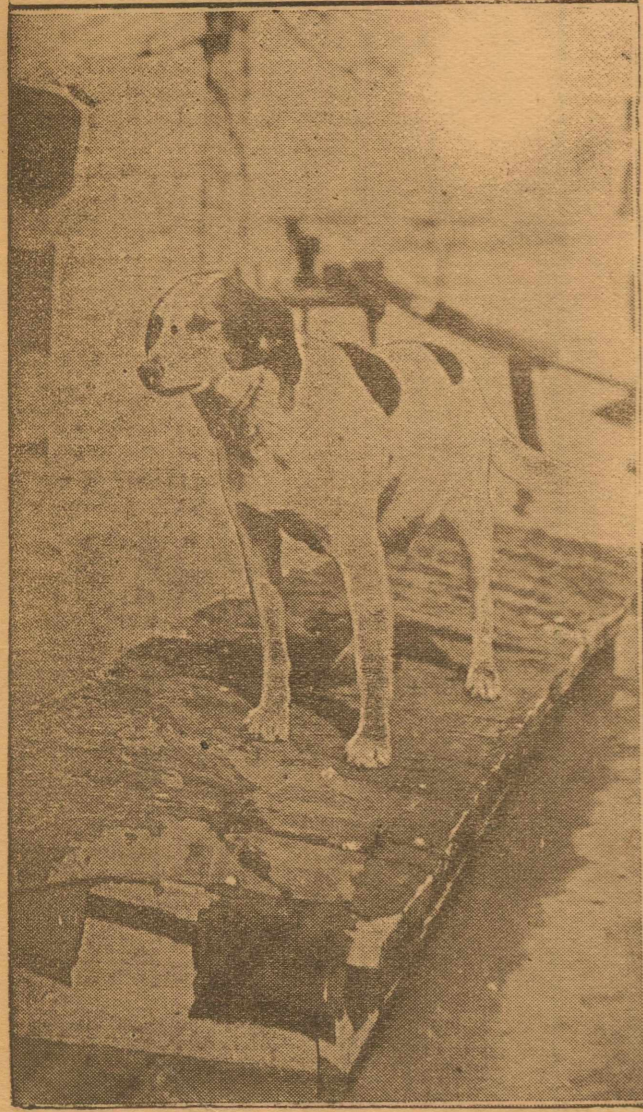
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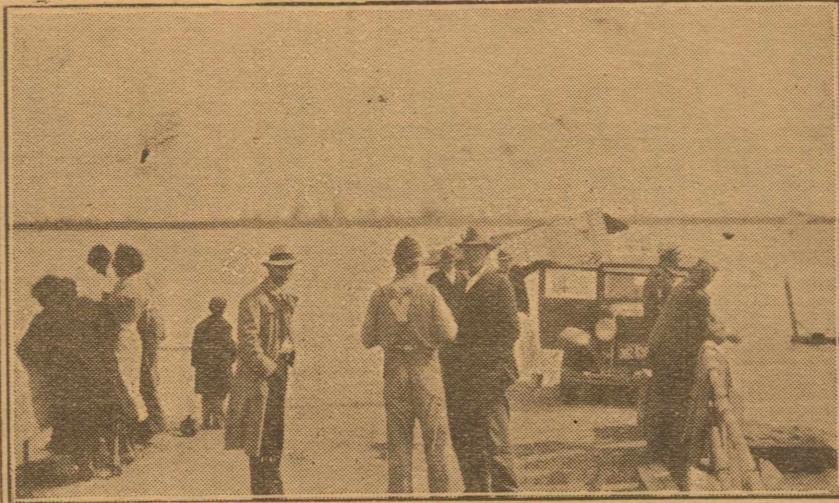
Camera Tells Graphic Arkansas Flood Story

(All pictures, courtesy of Poplar Bluff (Mo.) American-Republic)

"Old Spot," below, decided the old home place wasn't so bad after all and refused to leave when the owners of a farm near Kennett, Ark., decided they might as well "move on."



IT LOOKED LIKE THIS SHORTLY AFTER ST. FRANCIS RIVER BROKE LEVEES



Crowd watching water carrying a small building downstream, at Brown's Ferry, near Holcomb. —Paul Hadley photo.

Hen Lays Eggs in View of Patrons

Lindale, Ga. — "Biddie," a Rhode Island Red, makes it possible for Grocer C. W. Bramlett to brag about selling "the world's freshest egg." Daily the hen enters Bramlett's store here, hops up on an egg crate where customers are being served, and lays an egg. She is a most considerate hen, too, the grocer declares, for she goes outside to cackle.

Excellent 24x40 concrete space half block from Corner Drug Store; large sliding doors; alley entrance. Inquire Devil's River News office.—adv.

When a Deal Meant Something

Herb Kibler, from out Montana way, says that one day he chanced to watch a poker game in the merry days of old, when the stakes were heavy. He saw a player give himself four aces from the bottom of the deck.

He had never seen such brazen cheating, and could not restrain himself from asking another bystander:

"Did you see that?"

"See what?"

"Why, that fellow dealt himself four aces!"

"Well, it was his deal, wasn't it?"—The Editor's Digest, Lions International.



Carl Chase carrying a young pig from his lot to a waiting wagon to be hauled to Kennett, Ark., where nearly every stock pen and larn was utilized.



Customers weren't so plentiful at this service station and general store in the flooded section. Merchandise from the store is being carried out to be taken to higher ground where there's a chance of selling gasoline and lubricants.



Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Armstrong of Holcomb, Mo., living in a tent on the levee as flood waters drove them from their home. They are shown below standing on Brown's Ferry bridge, looking at the remains of their home, washed from its foundations and moved nearly against the bridge. —Paul Hadley Photographs.



Friendly hands help Arthur Terry move his household goods from the clutches of rising flood water, near Kennett. At left: Vernon Presson waited too long to move the contents of his store before flood waters reached it. Volunteer workers are seen carrying merchandise to point of safety in Dunklin county flood.



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Minnows: Louise Briscoe, Claude Thomas Driskell, Katha Lea Keene, Jimmie Gwynne Langford, Margaret Ada Martin, Margaret Sandherr, Robby Jo Wyatt, Frances Ezell.

Sixth Grade: Lillie Owens, Dock Simmons, Rex Hutcherson;

Fifth Grade: Billy Sid Evans, O. L. Richardson, Doris Keene, Doris Meckel, Betty Grace Vehle;

Fourth Grade: Sue Gilliam, Peggy Gilmore, Jamie Trainer;

Third Grade: J. T. Jackson, Edith May Babcock, Juanita Chadwick, Margie Crowell, Alta Pearl Lively, Lois Morris, Patsy Nisbet, Peggy Reming, Betty Lou Shoemaker, Elizabeth Taylor, Edna Lee Wilson;

Second Grade: Sybil Burleson, Marguerite Howell, Billie Cartwright, Lois Whidden, Clifton Clark, Don Nichlos, Edwin Nixon;

First Grade: Sammie Jeanne Allison, Margaret Pearl Smith, Frances Jo Lancaser, Marha Jo Moore, Betty Gene Rankhorn, Gene Cliff Johnson.

Ballinger Players— (Continued from page 1)

errors.

The complete box score of the Sunday game was:

Station A Sonora:	AB R H E
Motley, cf	3 1 0 0
W. McLeod, ss	2 1 0 0
P. McLeod, c	2 1 0 0
Gardner, 1b	2 1 1 0
Ratliff, 3b	4 1 1 0
Hudson, lf	1 0 0 0
Bishop, rf	4 0 0 0
Archer, 2b	4 0 0 1
White, p-lf-p	3 0 1 0
Smith, p-lf	2 0 0 0

Totals 27 5 3 1

San Angelo:	AB R H E
Jobe, 1b-ss	4 1 2 0
Welch, ss-p	4 1 2 0
Jones, 3b	5 0 2 0
Schnarr, c	2 1 0 0
Taylor, cf	3 1 1 0
Koon, lf	3 0 0 1
Tate, rf	3 1 2 0
McKinney, 2b	1 0 0 0
McCullough, 2b	1 1 0 0
Duke, p	0 0 0 0
Breed, p	2 0 0 0
Pratt, 1b	1 1 0 0

Totals 29 7 9 1

McCullough batted for McKinney in the fourth.

Station A Sonora 200 210 000—5
San Angelo 100 110 04x—7

Doubles, White, Tate. Double plays, Jones to Jobe, Welch to McKinney to Jobe, Jones to Jobe to McKinney to Welch. Stolen base, W. McLeod. Sacrifice hits, Welch, Schnarr. Motley, Jobe. Bases on balls, off Duke 2, off Breed 6, off White 4, off Smith 1. Struck out, by Duke 1, by White 5, by Smith 1, by Welch 10. Hit by pitcher, Motley by Breed. Left on bases, Station A Sonora 5, San Angelo 8. Earned runs, Station A Sonora 3. San Angelo 3.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

SCOUT CALENDAR
Tuesday—Troop Meeting

Scoutmasters' Training Course
Sunday, April 21, 2 to 7 p. m.

Council-Wide Rally
San Angelo, April 26-27

TROOP MEETING

The meeting opened with the Scout Oath. After that we went to work on the events for the Concho Valley Council meet April 26.

The Flaming Arrow won first on the events with the Flying Eagle and the Rattlesnake patrols second and third. The winners in each event in order of their places were:

Knot tying—Flaming Arrow, Rattlesnake, Longhorn; Relay Message—Flaming Arrow, Rattlesnake, Flying Eagle; First Aid—Flying Eagle, Flaming Arrow, Rattlesnake; Tent Peg Making—Rattlesnake, Flying Eagle, Longhorn; String Burning—Flying Eagle, Flaming Arrow, Rattlesnake.

It was judged by all as the most successful meeting of the year.

Reggie Trainer.

Lions at Humble— (Continued from page 1)

Two vocal solos were sung by Miss Mary Louise Gardner, with piano accompaniment by Miss Marie Watkins.

W. R. Cusenbary praised the efforts of Nora Gilliam who was selected last week as "Lioness" as a result of her scholastic work during the last six weeks. She was given a Lions pin to wear during the next six weeks.

W. E. James, secretary, read a list of projects which it was suggested the club might adopt and make efforts to secure federal works funds for their accomplishment. These were:

1. Rocksprings highway.
2. Topping of Highway No. 27 to Crockett county line.
3. Widening right-of-way to the Schleicher county line and improvement of highway.
4. Straightening out turns in Highway 30, near the Texas Co. bulk station.
5. Fencing and improving plots of ground now owned by county and lying at different places along Highway 27, which were originally purchased for the purpose of securing caliche.
6. The building of a Boy Scout hut.

Cedar Eradication May Be Undertaken By Relief Forces

Meeting Here Thursday To Get Ideas of Ranchmen of Section On the Proposition

Work of eradicating cedar from pasture land of this section may be gotten under way with either government loan providing the funds or as a direct relief project if plans being furthered this week are adopted.

R. E. Taylor, county relief administrator, called a meeting the early part of the week for Thursday afternoon at three o'clock in the directors' room of the First National Bank. Sixty ranchmen were invited by letter. Discussion of the problem and possibilities of an eradication program were the chief points of the meeting.

Mr. Taylor's action was in response to a letter from Albert O. Hensley, field representative district three, Texas Relief Commission set-up. Mr. Hensley outlined the problem of cedar as a "pest—reducinb year by year the productivity and value of the land." His letter declared:

"Over-stocking of ranges has been complicated by the steady lessening of the relative forage available through the spread of cedar, and much of the money being borrowed for feed loans is necessary, to a certain extent, because of the encroachment of cedar on grazing spaces."

Mr. Hensley asked for a consensus of opinion of ranch people of this section as to the most feasible plan of going about the work of eradication.

Cedar eradication, Mr. Hensley stated, costs from one to two dollars per acre.

A report of the meeting yesterday afternoon and whatever action, if any, the ranchmen believe should be taken will be sent to Mr. Hen-

The club's board of directors will meet at a dinner meeting at Hotel McDonald at 7:30 Monday night.

An invitation in the Tuesday mail told of a group meeting to be held in Sterling City Tuesday night. It will be impossible for the Sonora club to participate inasmuch as arrangements for the party at Station A have proceeded too far to be postponed.

CAMP ALLISON By Mrs. T. C. Thiers

Mr. and Mrs. Waddel were visitors in Sonora Saturday.

H. West Evans was in Sonora Saturday.

Herman Thiers of Sonora visited relatives in the Camp Allison community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Adams of Sonora recently visited Mrs. Adams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Joy.

"Maurice Chevalier kissed Claudette Colbert 134 times in three hours while making a film." Maybe Claudette just isn't a type that stays kissed. — San Francisco Chronicle.

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sley as a basis for his proceeding with some definite plan of going about the work.

JAPAN STUDY CONTINUED BY MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Continuing the study "Methodist Missions in Japan," the Woman's Missionary Society met Wednesday afternoon at the Methodist Church. Mrs. Robert Rees gave a report of the council.

In the business session the date of the bazaar, recently postponed, was set for tomorrow.

Ladies present were: Mesdames W. E. Caldwell, Joel Shelton, J. F. Howell, J. W. Trainer, J. D. Lowrey, W. S. Ezell, H. V. Stokes, J. T. McClelland and C. E. Stites.

Item: "They had a soldiers' bonus march on the seat of the government in 1783." But more lately the bonus marchers have been kicking "the seat of the government."—Miami Herald.

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BAYER'S ASPIRIN, BOX of TWELVE for only 10c	SHIRTS OR SHORTS, your choice—cotton or rayon, 29c value 25c
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