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"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

AS WE SIT AND THINK (Sometimes Just Sit)

Congress has been in session for several weeks, in what is generally termed the "Lame Duck Session," but has not done much toward passing constructive measures. Three weeks hence, March 4th, a new President and several new representatives and senators will be inducted into office, and President-elect Roosevelt has indicated his intentions of calling a special session of congress to meet for relief and economic purposes, but some of the measures being agitated cannot be enacted into law.

Much could be done toward the relief of suffering humanity, but it seems that most everything that is done, results more toward further oppression of the already oppressed and points toward benefitting the rich. Thousands, millions and even billions of dollars have been appropriated the past year for relief purposes, and about all the relief we have been able to discern from it is paying extra taxes every time we turn around, mail a letter, write a check, buy a gallon of gas, box of matches, bar of soap or anything else to add to the relief fund to be distributed among the rich.

We admit there has been a distribution of money thru the RFC to the cities, towns and communities to be spent for improvement purposes among the unemployed, but a check up on the business reveals that less than one per cent of the money appropriated for relief work has been used to relieve the really distressed, while ninety-nine per cent of the money appropriated is being used to help those big financial industries and corporations that are responsible for the existing crisis throughout the country.

Another ninety million was appropriated last week by the National congress for crop production loans the ensuing year, but what of it? To procure a loan from the Government, a farmer must affirm that he has no means of procuring money from any other source with which to support himself and family while cultivating and harvesting a crop, then the amount furnished is inadequate to finance a family while making and harvesting a crop forcing local bankers, merchants or landlords to furnish supplemental credit to renters, but the government refuses to advance the money until the farmer has given a first mortgage lien on his crop, the landlord signs a waiver of his rents until the government is paid, and the local merchants and bankers must sign waivers of their liens until the government is paid in full, thus insuring the government of the payment of interest and principal in full before anyone else can come in for their pay, and often times, when the government gets theirs, there is nothing left for those who really assume the burden of financing the crop.

The bill in part provides that "The production loans will be under the supervision of the Department of Agriculture. Rules laid down by the department last year limited the amount an individual farmer might borrow to \$400 and those to landlords with tenants to \$1,600.

As security for the loan, the department takes a lien on the crop."

The extra appropriations to the Department of Agriculture to look after the distribution and collection of the loans has run as high as five hundred millions of dollars annually. There is ten dollars' expenses to every dollar actually loaned to farmers for crop production purposes, and then the crops produced have but little monetary value. This is not all. The big fellows who direct the expenditure of the crop production loans do but little of the real work while local bankers and volunteer agents throughout the agricultural sections do the greater portion of the work for which they receive no pay at all. Besides the cotton, wheat, oats and other crops usually produced by farmers procuring such loans the surplus crops and serve to hold prices down below profitable production. If the government were to make appropriations to help those in need, why not make them to each farmer make a production for a loan with which to produce more agricultural products to dump on a market that has a low price of

cotton already ginned, or a few hundred bushels of wheat that is already harvested and put in the bins? This would cut production and give those who are able to make crops a better chance to sell their output for better prices, and those farmers who cannot cultivate and harvest crops without governmental aid could continue to work at odd jobs and make the best of the situation they could during the year; and at the close of the season they could offer for sale the cotton, oats, wheat or other products without so much extra work and expense. The land cultivated would be better not cultivated at all than it is to cultivate it at a loss. Over-production always brings ruinous prices and it occurs to us that when the government finances crop production loans without furnishing a market for the products it makes a terrible blunder.

The Texas Legislature has been in session four weeks, and several hundred bills have been introduced. A few emergency measures have been passed, among them one to extend the time in which to register automobiles 60 days. This was done the last day of the registration period and the object in passing the bill was to enable those who have cars and trucks and could not pay the registration fees to continue to use them two more months in order to sell more gasoline, from which the state collects a 4c tax on each gallon sold. It was not so much intended to benefit the people who own the cars and trucks, but to bring more revenue into the state treasury.

Several measures pending before our state legislative body are worthwhile, and should have due and favorable consideration while others are worthless and should not be considered. The general sales tax measure is coming up for much discussion and in all probability will be passed in some form or other, but just at this time it should not be passed. The trend is to pass a general sales tax which will increase the burden on the consumers and relinquish the state ad valorem tax entirely. The small home owners gained a victory last November by adopting the Constitutional Amendment releasing homesteads from the state ad valorem tax up to \$3,000 which was a good measure. But now the cry and demand is to abolish the state ad valorem tax on all property, and pass an act creating a general sales tax to support the state government. When this is done the burden of the state government will be switched right back on the shoulders of the small home owners and consumers and the higher-ups will go free.

The state ad valorem tax is not such a burden upon the people as the local tax. County, school, municipal and improvement taxes are a much heavier burden than the state ad valorem tax. The 42nd legislature, in its last special called session under Governor Sterling, passed one act that was worthwhile when they diverted 1 cent per gallon of the gasoline tax from the state highway fund to the payment of principal and interest on bonded indebtedness voted by counties and districts for the purposes of building state highways. This was a much greater relief than the state ad valorem reducing in many sections.

The abolition of the state ad valorem tax on homesteads up to \$3,000 is some relief and would have more if it had been raised to \$5,000. But this is in no wise going to relieve the tax burden that has been heaped upon the people during the past decade.

The increase in the population of Texas from 1920 to 1930 was 29 per cent, and taxes were increased over three hundred per cent. Bureaus and departments for appointive places in Texas have been increased from about thirty in 1920 to 112, with many duplications. Texas has become one of the most lavishly spending institutions ever recorded in the history of the world. A state as large in area and rich in natural resources as Texas is, should be able to function as one of the most respectable units of governments in the world without an ad valorem tax, and with only an economical tax on industries, natural resources, inheritance and large incomes, but that is not likely

Blizzard Grips State In Record Cold Wave

Perchance it might be of some interest to people living in other parts, who formerly lived here and would like to know, to give the following information.

A blizzard hit these parts about mid-night Monday night or in the early hours of the morning Tuesday, sending the mercury down below the zero point. The temperature fell so dog-gone fast and far we forgot where it started from, and hope we will never experience where it dropped to again. Several reports from 2 to 6 below zero early Wednesday morning, and we don't question their statements. If there had been a thermometer tied to the tail of our night-shirt Wednesday morning when we were wandering around the premises trying to light the reflectors, we believe it would have frozen. People suffered more or less, according to their environments, and livestock suffered greatly. We fear the oat crop is ruined. Many lost their automobiles and trucks and some report losing their farm tractors. Abilene reports a low record for 34 years. Lubbock reports the mercury down 17 below. Several places report a low record for many years. We have a record for the past fifty years stored away in our book of memory, but don't remember ever suffering any worse from cold. If we ever get warm we will be tempted to move to southern Florida where, it is said, winter is unknown. It is reported to cover the greater part of the nation, where cold weather ever visits.

Miss Elizabeth Kelly and Mrs. L. Gerie Hensley, and Mrs. Frank Stephenson of Petersburg, Canada spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hohn of Kerens.

To happen so long as legislators in Austin listen to high-powered lobbyists and capitol rats denuded in our state capitol. The big boys furnish the wherewithal to influence legislators to legislate in their favor, and we little fellows, unorganized, without capitol and representation will always have to pay the bills.

Appeals are being made to our legislatures, both state and national for relief of distressed farms under mortgage. We have studied this question from most every angle, and we doubt seriously if a law can be enacted that will bring any relief. The only solution to this problem that we can find is for the mortgage holders to grant more time in which to pay, or the state and national governments to issue script acceptable to the mortgage holders and loan it to the distressed farmers at a low rate of interest to tide them over until conditions return to normal. This can be done, but will not likely be done unless considerable pressure is brought to bear upon our representatives. Contracts now in force cannot be altered. The Federal government could protect borrowers from the Federal Land Bank by certain process in issuing script to cover interest payments now due, but other loan companies would then be discriminated against, and would come in for consideration. Thousands of farms are now advertised for sale, and are going on the block this spring. The only solution we can see to this problem is for the legislatures in the several states to pass a law granting the owner of the land the privilege to redeem them later if they succeed in raising sufficient money with which to redeem them, but they can never hope to redeem them at the present market prices of agricultural products. Taxes, living expenses and interest rates are too high in proportion to prices farmers have to take for their products. If conditions return to a more normal state within a period of two or three years, and farmers ever learn how to prosper again they can redeem their homes, but so long as conditions remain as they are and have been the past two or three years, there is no hope for recovery.

People are fighting the fight of their lives for courage and trying to work out a solution to the present conditions, but their hopes are on the wane. Unless something is done in the near future suffering is going to become so intense strife is bound to follow and that will only add fuel to the fire.

What's The Matter With Texas

By S. W. Adams

Ill-advised legislation has done more to wreck our state, perhaps, than all other things combined—and this legislation has peaked in oil legislation.

When the state passed its recent proration laws, under the compulsion of influence wielded by men frantic in their distress and without a proper perspective, the Legislature unconstitutionally and foolishly transferred to a board, the Railroad Commission, powers and functions never intended that one board should exercise.

Under this law, an attempt has been made to place legislative, executive and judicial powers in the commission's hands, and the mess they have made of it is painful—aye more, since it would have frozen. People suffered more or less, according to their environments, and livestock suffered greatly. We fear the oat crop is ruined. Many lost their automobiles and trucks and some report losing their farm tractors. Abilene reports a low record for 34 years. Lubbock reports the mercury down 17 below. Several places report a low record for many years. We have a record for the past fifty years stored away in our book of memory, but don't remember ever suffering any worse from cold. If we ever get warm we will be tempted to move to southern Florida where, it is said, winter is unknown. It is reported to cover the greater part of the nation, where cold weather ever visits.

Thru the blustering leadership of certain East Texas men, Commissioner E. O. Thompson has been made virtual dictator of the East Texas field, soon a total his ascendancy to power, an independent pipe line was blown up, and another was cut. This was used as a basis for an appeal for rangers, but the Ferguson Administration stood pat on its policy never to send rangers until the Sheriff asked for them. It did finally succumb to Thompson's importunities, and gave twenty of the Commission's men ranger commissions.

No sooner done than Thompson gave out the interview that he had requisitioned 35 automobiles, with 5000 rounds of ammunition for them, and ten several outfits and two hundred shells loaded with bullets.

Only a real world issue such an interview; only a knave would put every element of war under the noses of long-intimidated and harassed men who had seen day after day, month after month, their property sacrificed to the god of greed protected by a tyrannical arm of the state.

Thompson is volatile; he is dangerous; if he is not recalled to the capitol, and kept at the proper labor of the commission, he will make real what his chief feined—not, bloodshed and possible rebellion will break out; for Texans will not always be long-suffering.

Two incidents this week are reads in the wilderness, indicating which way the wind is blowing.

A well-dressed, well-mannered well-fed man was overheard to say in a local hotel lobby this week: "I have \$250,000 cash salted away. If this sales tax is put on and all ad valorem taxes taken off, I shall invest every cent in farm lands, and create a coal million."

The other recd. There appeared before committee a delegation of rich men from San Antonio area, and their spokesman made an impassioned plea that all employees' salaries be cut, that the tax-burden may be taken off the wealth of Texas.

A Brenham bachelor said to his doctor: "This sales tax? Ah, that's fine. I have several hundred acres of fine black land, and my rents make my money. I buy one pair of shoes for \$5.00 and pay ONLY 15 cents tax. You have wife and three children, two in college and one in high school. You buy five pairs of shoes and pay 75 cents taxes—yeh, this sales tax is fine," and irony hung upon the lips of an honest man.

Legislation is stumbling along. The Senate is not yet measuring up to its supposed dignity. The capitol rats are frantically trying to justify their existence by using the spurious claim that "We turn in more money than we take out." Highway patrol leads with claim that "We collected \$547,930.22 and spent ONLY \$320,843.95." Then there is the percentage rat claiming "It costs only 1.85 per cent to collect this tax," yet all feel that they should be kept in the tax bin. Lawyers, architects, cosmologists—all are down here pleading for legalized private boards which shall make them supreme in their realm, and all plead it will cost the State nothing "for we will collect fees from just our own crowd," and always in their seeking for private gain, they cry out in the name of public health or public protection—hypocrisy and lies are having their perfect work.

J. D. SIMPSON, PIONEER DIES

J. D. Simpson, 71, died at his home here early Tuesday morning, after an illness lasting over a period of several weeks. Mr. Simpson was among the towns oldest from a standpoint of citizenship, coming here 49 years ago, when Santa Anna was in her infancy.

J. D. Simpson installed the first cotton gin in Santa Anna, a very crude affair compared to the improved machinery that is now in use, more than forty years ago. He was a pioneer merchant in Santa Anna, giving up his mercantile interest after a few years, and devoting his time almost entirely to the cotton gin business. He worked at intervals as relief agent for the Santa Fe Railway Company during the early days, but always maintained his home in Santa Anna.

J. D. Simpson was born July 23, 1861 in Rockingham county, North Carolina. He came to Texas in 1882 and lived at Sherman the first two years, coming to Santa Anna in 1884, the year the town started to build. He has made his home here ever since, and has been prominently identified with the progress and growth of the town. He was converted and joined the Methodist Church in 1887, and served his church in an official capacity for several years. He was also a charter member of the Masonic Lodge. He was married March 10, 1889 to Miss Lula Turner. To this union was born 10 children, three of whom, Fay, Jack and Jerry, preceded him in death. The surviving are his widow and seven children as follows: Eugene McKinney, Mrs. Kitty Adams, Fort Worth; Mrs. Sybil Howell, Coleman; Mrs. Hallie Webb, San Angelo; Tom James and Mary Harriette in Santa Anna, and twelve grandchildren.

Mr. Simpson did not live a life of selfishness. He was a friend to all mankind, and especially the needy. Many looked to him for help and always found him more than generous.

The funeral services were conducted at the family residence Wednesday afternoon by pastor Morgan of the Methodist church, assisted by pastor Wingo of the Baptist Church. His remains were laid to rest in the local cemetery, amidst an abundant bank of beautiful flowers, with Hoch Brothers, Undertakers, with the Santa Anna Furniture & Undertaking Company in charge.

CARD OF THANKS

I take this method of extending sincere thanks to the friends of our quick work Thursday morning when my garage burned. I feel your good work saved the church building.

HAL C. WINGO

Buy your drugs at low sale prices at Phillips Drug Co.

WARD SCHOOL FIRST SEMESTER HONOR ROLL

1 B
Mary Joyce Hill, Maurine Seal, Gerald Halmon, Odie Lane Hendrix, Elgean Harris.

3 B
Don Engel.

3 A
Bobbie Joe Cheaney, Tom Robin, Mary John Wade, Mary Field Mathews, Rebecca Jane Harris, Juanita Alexander, Lilly Pearl Niell, G. T. England, Mary Lou Ridings.

Fourth.
G. T. Garrett, Vernon Oakes, Betty Jean See, James Zachary, Joe Bruton Flores, Dorothy Ross, Willyne Ragsdale, Margaret Mobley, Betty Sue Turner, Bettie Ruth Blue, O. L. Cheaney, Jr., Sarah Ridings, Catherine Henderson.

Fifth.
Joyce Hensley, Emma Sue McCain, Jim Tom Lawrence, Ima Niell, Helen Oakes, Billie Burk Pope, Nannie Robbins, Arabella Ragsdale, Dorothy Sumner, Talmage Turner.

Sixth.
Ellen Fay Taylor, Louise Oakes, John Bob Sparkman, Mary Todd.

Seventh.
Carlene Ashmore, Marilyn Baxter, Annette Shield, Doris Spencer, Jane C. Burden, Irene Miles, Mattie John Justice, Pauline Eubank, Helen Martha Zachary.

WARD SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

Ward School Honor Roll for 3 week period ending January 20th.

1 B
Mary Louise Dalton, Mary Joyce Hill, Helen Rae Harris, Maurine Seal, Gerald Halmon, Odie Lane Hendrix, Elgean Harris, J. G. Williams.

1 A
Fern Bradford, Allie Cille Garrett, Maudie Kathryn Ashmore, Jean Mobley, Ruth Morris, Mary Mills, Melba Robbins, Wilma Joy Spencer, Fredna Watkins, Roy England, George Day.

2 B
Robert Weaver, Jeanne M. Heimer, Doris Zenor.

2 A
Gloria Hensley, Emma Kate Parsons, Anna Mae Petty, Doris Belle Turner, Joyce Wade, Beryl Taylor, Norma Lee Forbes, Winston Conley, Billie Bob Garmes, Jack Simpson, Arnold Williams, Eugene Williams.

3 B
Don Engel.

3 A
G. T. England, Lilly Pearl Niell, Juanita Alexander, Rebecca Jane Harris, Mary Field Mathews, Mary John Wade, Tom Robin, Bobbie Joe Cheaney, Mary Lou Ridings.

Fourth.
Charles Wriston, Catherine Henderson, J. T. Garrett, M. K. Baker, Vernon Oakes, Betty Jean See, Joe Bruton Flores, Dorothy Ross, Willyne Ragsdale, Margaret Mobley, Bettie Sue Turner, Bettie Ruth Blue, John Turner, Ruth Brown, O. L. Cheaney, Jr., Sarah Ridings, Billie Pieratte.

Roosevelt Issues Call for Parley With Governors

NEW YORK, Feb. 7. (AP)—Two days after Franklin D. Roosevelt is inaugurated, he will confer at the White House with governors invited from all 48 states over such pressing federal and state problems as mortgage foreclosures, taxation, unemployment relief, better use of land, and reorganization of local governments.

A call for the conference, by which the incoming president will set a precedent in dealing with governmental problems on taking office, was sent out across the nation tonight from Democratic national headquarters.

TEXAS INDEPENDENCE DAY

Texans must keep alive the spirit that resulted in the Texas Declaration of Independence of March 2, 1836.

It devolves upon every school, every civic, social, and patriotic organization in every community that has pride in the heroic history of the State, to hold every year on that memorable date such programs and exercises as will appropriately commemorate the heroic deeds of the forefathers that made possible the glorious privileges and opportunities Texans now enjoy.

March 2nd is to Texas what July 4th is to the Nation, and its importance as an historic holiday should be especially impressed upon the public mind this year in view of the approaching Centennial of 1936. The Texas Centennial Committee, Austin, Texas, will be glad to send those who write for it data upon which Texas Independence Day addresses, papers, and exercises may be based.

GARAGE BURNS

The garage at the Baptist Pastors home here was destroyed by fire Thursday morning. Pastor Wingo had been out to the garage and started a fire in the furnace of the wash house, in one end of the garage, preparatory to warming up some water and oil for his car, and in some way, the garage caught on fire and was destroyed. The car was pushed out and saved.

Fifth.
Joyce Hensley, June Kirkpatrick, Emma Sue McCain, Ima Niell, Helen Oakes, Arabella Ragsdale, Dorothy Sumner, Billie Burk Pope, Nannie Robbins, Talmage Turner, Margaret Mary Weaver.

Sixth.
Juanita Johnson, Ellen Faye Taylor, Louise Oakes.

Seventh.
Carlene Ashmore, Marilyn Baxter, Annette Shield, Doris Spencer, Vesla Evans, Resalie Niell, Jane C. Burden, Irene Miles, Mattie John Justice, Pauline Eubank, Helen M. Zachary, Martha Bell Harvey.

Service and Ideals

Molded into Form

The underlying principles used to guide this bank in its consistent service and development have always been in harmony with and for the best interest of Santa Anna and surrounding communities.

We have endeavored to keep an open mind at all times; to constantly reach out for new ideas and ways of service; to always interest ourselves in the welfare and success of our customers.

Saved money may some day be spent, but spent money never can be saved by the spender. The money you spend which ought to have been saved will circulate until it reaches the hands of some one who does save—then, he will be using the money you'll need.

The best way to save is to open an account with this bank.

The First National Bank

OF SANTA ANNA, TEXAS.

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SOUTH SIDE CIRCLE MEETS MONDAY

The South Side Circle met with Mrs. Roscoe Hosh Monday afternoon, and continued their Bible Study Lessons.

Eighteen ladies were present for the interesting study.

A news release from the T. W. C. Fort Worth, giving out reports on students for the mid-term examinations, very complimentary mentions Miss Kathryn Rose Finney of Santa Anna, who made the honor roll for the first half term.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

W. O. W. TO MEET SATURDAY NIGHT

All members of the Woodmen of World, Mountain Camp No. 43 are hereby notified and urged to attend a meeting at the Woodmen Hall Saturday night, February 11th.

Sale continues with new items each week at especially low prices. Phillips Drug Co.

BANK TO CLOSE MONDAY

In observance of former President Lincoln's birthday, February 12th, this bank will be closed all day Monday, February 13th, it being recognized as National Holiday, and the customers of this bank are requested to arrange your affairs accordingly.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Mrs. R. D. Kirkpatrick and Misses Jettie and Dora spent Sunday with relatives in Ballinger. Mrs. G. A. Shockley left Tuesday for Dallas, where she is buying new merchandise for her store.

Red Bank News

There was only a small attendance at Church and Sunday School Sunday, but we had a large crowd Sunday night.

Those on the sick list this week are Mrs. H. L. Constable, Travis and Peggy Sue Bledsoe and Mrs. J. F. Simmons.

Mrs. Gilliam and daughter Inez spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. H. L. Constable.

Guests in the J. E. McClure home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. V. W. McClure and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Upchurch and Willie and Noble Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Weston visited in the A. W. Cry home Sunday.

Mrs. Ellie Barker was called to the home of her sister in Sonora because of the death of her baby last week.

Mrs. Doris Moore is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Constable.

Those present to celebrate the forty-fifth birthday anniversary of Roy Bledsoe last Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Upchurch, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Carpenter and son, Noble and daughter Willie. The group reported a most enjoyable day.

Mrs. E. D. Weston visited Mrs. W. A. Brandon Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Addie McKissack visited in the Fisk community Sunday afternoon.

Miss Maybelle Gilbreath spent the week-end in Santa Anna.

Liberty News

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Holt visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ford Sunday. Mrs. Carter Duggins is visiting Mrs. Thad Caton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Ragsdale and Miss Fern Ragsdale were the guests of Mrs. J. B. Jones Sunday.

M. and Mrs. William Sheffield were the Sunday guests of Mrs. P. D. Hughes and Miss Pearl Hughes.

Mrs. James Leigh of Sherman visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Holt last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Tackett of Conco d visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Early Thursday.

A large crowd enjoyed the singing at Mrs. Ernest Rhodes Sunday night.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Roy McCandless were Miss Ruth McGahey, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mills and Mrs. Sam Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McClure visited Mrs. J. E. McClure, who has been ill for several weeks, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Taylor and Miss Lonella visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ewing Sunday.

Sunday guests in the Mrs. C. C. Burk home were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Curry, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Woodward of Rockwood and Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Black of Brownwood.

Mrs. A. L. McGahey and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Polk and daughter of Brownwood visited in the E. W. Polk home Sunday.

Miss Ruth Polk visited in Cross Plains Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Duggins were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Duggins Saturday evening.

Hospital Notes

Mr. E. R. Smith of Cross Plains is here for treatment of a badly broken arm sustained when a team ran away with him.

May Ellen, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vinson, is receiving treatment for laryngeal diphtheria.

E. R. Purdy, proprietor of the Purdy Mercantile Co., who was operated Tuesday of last week for ruptured appendical abscess which had caused peritonitis, is reported doing fairly well at this time.

L. A. Simpson is reported doing fairly well following an operation last week for ruptured appendical abscess which had caused peritonitis.

Mr. O. E. Starkey of Rising Star is here for treatment.

Mr. Aubrey Parker returned to his home Monday after receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. Floyd Green of Jayton was operated Monday for gonorrhea.

Mrs. G. B. Gaines of Cross Cut is here for medical treatment.

Mrs. O. A. Welch of Bangs is here for treatment.

Mrs. W. H. Barnett of Whon who was operated recently plans to return home soon.

Mrs. C. J. Patterson of Lawn plans to return home soon following her recent operation.

Mr. A. B. Conard of Lometa was operated last week.

Mrs. Sam Bessley of Ozona was admitted to the hospital Sunday.

Mrs. P. P. Bond was operated Sunday for acute gonorrhea appendix. Her friends wish for her a safe recovery.

Mr. H. O. Cooper of Cross Plains is here for medical treatment.

Mr. W. E. McClellan of Gouldbusk was operated Monday.

Mrs. J. J. Johnson of Locker returned to her home Sunday following an operation.

Mrs. W. H. Filey, Jr. and baby daughter, Gertie Jane, were carried to their home in Coleman Sunday.

Mr. M. D. Eubank was discharged Saturday following medical treatment.

Mr. M. D. Musick returned to his home in Talpa Sunday following an operation.

The following had tonsillectomy operations Saturday: I. E. Haney of Gouldbusk, Mrs. S. J. Boyd of Shields, and Carroll Barton of Rockwood.

Mrs. J. F. Simmons was carried to her home Sunday following treatment.

Mrs. E. M. Simmons of Sayre, Oklahoma, was discharged from the hospital Thursday.

Mrs. John Haynes of Trickham was carried to her home Thursday.

Miss Evelyn Evans was discharged from the hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. Pete Davis returned to her home in Winters Wednesday of last week.

Mr. W. T. Hill returned to his home in Benoit last week.

Mrs. Denby W. Wise was carried to her home in Rockwood last week.

This Woman Lost 35 Lbs. of Fat

Miss M. Kainer of Brooklyn, N. Y. writes: "Have used Kruschen for the past 4 months and have not only lost 35 pounds but feel so much better in every way. Even for people who don't care to reduce, Kruschen is wonderful to keep the system healthy. I being a nurse should know for I've tried so many things but only Kruschen answered all my purposes." (May 12, 1932).

To lose fat SAFELY and HARMLESSLY, take a half teaspoonful of Kruschen in a glass of hot water in the morning before breakfast—don't miss a morning—a bottle that lasts 4 weeks costs but a trifle—but don't take chances—be sure it's Kruschen—your health comes first—get it at any drugstore in America. If not joyfully satisfied after the first bottle—money back.

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SURPRISE BIRTHDAY DINNER
Mrs. J. E. Ford entertained Saturday night with a birthday dinner in honor of her son's birthday.

A regular two course dinner was served with forty-two and other games afterwards.
Those enjoying the most delightful affair of the week were Misses Ozele Daniell, Catherine Rollins, Helen Turner and Messes Edwin Niell, Garland Close Emmet Howard and the honoree Seth.

GIRLS WIN BASKETBALL GAME
Friday, February 3rd at three o'clock the basketball girls and their coach, Miss Hays, went to Buffalo to play ball.
The girls played a good game, defeating the Buffalo girls with a score 49-30.

Friday, February 10, a game with the Whon girls will be played here. A large crowd is expected. Come, support your team!

Friday and Saturday, February 24-25, a tournament will be held at the Coleman armory. The girls and boys also, are working hard so as to win the county championship.

THE AND BOX SUPPER HELD AT HIGH SCHOOL.

Who says that old customs are not coming back? Although the automobile has taken place of the buggy, electricity has taken the place of hand tools, and various other changes among the people have taken place, there is still a group who like box suppers.

Santa Anna High School Auditorium was a place of excitement last Friday night when a ple and box supper was given by the pep squad girls in order to raise sufficient funds for buying sweaters and certificates of awards. There were about thirty-six boxes made of quilt scraps and crepe paper, and about sixteen pies.

These boxes were auctioned off by an expert auctioneer, Mr. Milton Binion, who surprised a few boys when he didn't buy the bid that he was raising the bid every time any one else bid on it. After the boxes were auctioned off a very large angel food cake made by the Home Economics girls was given to Miss June Bond, the most beautiful girl present.

A very interesting program was presented while the boys and girls were enjoying the pie and contents of the quilt boxes. Misses Ernestine Thames and Annie Lee Brown gave readings. Miss Marilyn Baxter and Robert Day sang a song and danced. Miss Lenora Golston gave a dance accompanied by the piano by Miss June Bond. Alton Diserens sang "When It's Sleepy Time Down South."

The proceeds were almost twenty-seven dollars, and the student body was well represented. The pep squad girls certainly thank Mrs. Scarborough and some of the women for helping sponsor the supper.

SENIOR NEWS

Detention has been full this last week, since the seniors who enjoyed the picnic also had the pleasure of enjoying detention for several days.

The seniors have been very studious since they had an extra forty-five minutes to study each afternoon.

The fire chief, Jesse Goen, was elected last Friday morning by the class, and he will attempt to take care of the class if a fire ever occurs.

Senior boys have been busy making dates for the football banquet to be given Friday night. Mary Alice Mitchell, Rebecca Turner and Mildred Boardman are the senior girls who will sing at the football banquet.

JUNIOR NEWS

Juniors have lost another member, Alton Brandon, who withdrew last week.

Two of the four prizes given for the best poster relating to prohibition were awarded to juniors. Lena Jane Barlett won first prize and Ruth Niell, third prize.

Room captains for the fire drills were elected Friday. Virgil Sewell was elected as the Junior room captain.

J. D. Pieratte and John David Harper are junior football boys who will be awarded letters this year.

THE WORLD MOVES ON

Whether we do or whether we don't
Whether we will or whether we won't
The world moves on.

Whether we grin or whether we rail;
Whether we win or whether we fall—
The world moves on.

Whether we work, or whether we roast;
Whether we gripe, or whether we boast
The world moves on.

We've done our best; we've had our say;
We did not shirk. In a better way
The world moves on.

YES OR NO

Did you know that: Scribblers had a "Kid Party" Thursday night?

About \$27.00 was made at the Box Supper Friday night?

Debaters entered a tournament at Ballinger Saturday?

A talk was given before school Friday by Rev. Womack?

The Dramatic Club has been having splendid programs?

Spanish classes are planning a Spanish Supper?

Debaters practice in Brownwood next Wednesday?

The Football Banquet will be held Friday night?

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Floyd and baby left this week for Ballinger where Mr. Floyd works for the West Texas Utilities Company. Mr. B. Thompson, who has been working there, has begun work here.

LETTER RECEIVED FROM REPRESENTATIVE

Mr. J. R. Lock
Principal, High School
Santa Anna, Texas
Dear Mr. Lock:

Your committee letter was received. Through you, I desire to say to said committee and all persons interested, that I am a dry-dry and have a horror of the return of liquor and I shall stand against the return of the liquor traffic to the State of Texas. I am not willing to press the cup to my brother's lips nor to submerge the youth of Texas beneath a flood of wine.

With assurances of appreciation for your interest in this matter and with kind personal regards, I am

Yours truly,
J. W. GOLSON
The above is the reply to a letter sent to Rep. Golson last week.

TOURNAMENT ATTENDED AT BALLINGER

Santa Anna boys team, Lois Crump and Robert Hunter, drew a "by" in the first round Saturday, February 4th at Ballinger and debated the Brownwood girls for practice. The first debate of the tournament was with Abilene team. The Santa Anna boys lost both of these debates, but were complimented on their work. The Santa Anna girls did not debate as two of them were unable to go. The ones attending were Lois Crump, Garland Close, Ted Bradford and Helen Turner.

The extemporaneous speakers who attended the meet are Armenta Ragsdale and Lavada May Armenta won third place and Lavada won fourth.

Others attending were Irene

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GIRLS

By Clifford Oder

Girls are a big mess I should say. Take for instance that loud mouthed Faye. Laughing and talking is her delight, Screaming and shouting with all her might.

Then there's that kitten, So young and so spry, But gosh, what a temper, Oh my! Oh my!

And then there's Mary, Oh, what a fool, Tall as a fence post, And stubborn as a mule.

Oh, yes, there is Fannie, So sweet and so kind, But the goofy little nut, You can't change her mind.

But J. T. says, I'd nearly forgotten, "Christine is one, who's not so rotten."

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BELIEVE IT OR NOT

(Not By Ripley)

Winston Hall's feet are larger than Rex Golston's.

Mary Lee Ford didn't have any candy for fourth period study hall Friday.

Santa Anna boys won the basketball tournament Friday.

Odus Tatum didn't buy Loulse's box Friday night.

Mr. Binion didn't buy June Bond's box Friday night.

KID PARTY

Fifteen jolly Scribblers, Miss

Land and two mothers of Scribblers, Mrs. Merritt and Mrs. Garrett, made a raid on the "Dixie" last Thursday night. There was a plentiful supply of stockings and ice cream cones, but only one and did they have a good time? Yes, they did. Everyone was dressed like kids (children).

Those who enjoyed the party were Lena Jane Barlett, Francine Merritt, Irene Rountree, Emma Jeanne Werner, Mary Lee Ford, Elizabeth Rollins, Rhea and Mildred Boardman, Iva Brannan Sybil Ripley, Beth Barnes, Mary Southern Garrett, Emma John Blake and Nell Bell.

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MENTHOLATUM, 30c size	24c	BABY TALC POWDER, 25c size	19c
EPSOM SALTS 2 lbs.	15c	HOT WATER BOTTLES	49c
5 lbs.	35c	FOUNTAIN SYRINGES	49c
SULPHUR	2 lbs for 15c	Cough Syrup H & H White Pine Co. 50c size	39c
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C. D. BROWN

C. D. Brown, pumper at the City Lake here for seven years, died suddenly at his home north of the Mountain Sunday Morning. The unexpected heart attack took him with practically no pain and little struggle involved. His usual morning tasks were finished, and he had gone into the house when the Death Angel came.

Carl David Brown was born April 2, 1876 at Dodge, Texas. He was converted and joined the Baptist Church there in 1907.

He is survived by his wife, three daughters, one son, and other relatives. The children and their families were here for the funeral as follows: Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Thomas and children of Overton, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lemley and daughter of Humble, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Brown and children of Burkett, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Brown and daughter of Coleman, A. sister, Mrs. A. L. Brown of Bangs, and a nephew, C. E. Brown of Coleman were the out-of-town relatives here. A friend, Jesse Vestal of Overton, was also here.

The funeral service was held in the First Baptist Church here Tuesday afternoon with the pastor, Rev. Hal C. Wingo, in charge. Pall bearers were Messrs. W. T. Pinson, J. D. Whetstone, Earl Frick, Calvin Campbell, Roscoe Hosch, and W. E. Baxter. Interment was in the local cemetery.

Methodist Church

The services for next Sunday will be as follows:

9:45 a. m. Sunday School.
For the morning service, 11 o'clock, the pastor has selected "Happiness" as the subject.
At the evening hour, 7:15 o'clock, the pastor will deliver the second of a series of sermons on the subject, "The Gospel of Jesus Christ, the Son of God."
Special music is promised for both services.

G. A. MORGAN, Pastor.
C. B. VERNER, Supt.

Mrs. J. R. Beamer has returned from a visit in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charlie Bruce of Junction.

Miss Opal Freeman of Cross Plains entered training this week in the Sealy Hospital School of Nursing.

Miss Lorena Childs of Cross Plains spent last week-end in the home of her father, C. L. Childs.

MRS. TURNER ENTERTAINS

Mrs. Frank Turner entertained last Friday evening at her home for her students at Liberty school and other young people of the Liberty community. Music and Forty-Two were enjoyed throughout the evening. At a late hour hot chocolate, pop corn and candy were served to the following guests: Misses Frankie Holt, Lorena Curry, Mattie Lee Early, Ruth and Eunice McGaheny, Mary Singleton and Ruth Polk, Messrs. Maurice and Robert Curry, Rass Rhodes, Harold Howard, William Early, Raymond Singleton, W. L. Campbell, Ellsworth Wells, and E. W. Pok, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Carl L. Childs, Mrs. L. F. Harding, Mrs. James Leigh and Mr. Ernest Rhoads.
The group reported a most enjoyable evening.

W. C. T. U. MEETING

The W. C. T. U. had a fine meeting Wednesday of last week with Mrs. Wallace Kirkpatrick, Mrs. E. H. Wylie led the devotions. Mrs. G. F. Barlett gave an interesting paper on "The Effect of Alcohol on the Body." Mrs. G. A. Morgan discussed its effects "Mentally and Morally." Mrs. Beryl Gilmore sang a solo and Mesdames T. T. Ratliff and Pierre Rowe, a duet.

A rising vote of thanks was given Dr. Sealy for his recent talk on "Alcohol" before the high school.

The Union was much pleased over the poster contest and the public is asked to notice them in the various windows.

The social period was enlivened with some interesting stunts and the hostess served refreshments consisting of chicken sandwiches, olives, and food cake, tea and coffee. There was a large attendance.

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Even the depression has its opportunities.

LIBERTY HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. C. A. Curry was hostess to the Liberty Home Demonstration Club last Thursday. Miss Brent met with us and made an interesting and instructive talk on gardening and the selection of seed to plant.

Almost all the members were present, and there were several visitors. We are always glad to have visitors.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. W. McClure on Thursday February 16.

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CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of expressing our thanks and appreciation to those who were so kind and considerate during the death and burial of our loved one. May God's richest blessings rest upon each of you.
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Plainview News

Mrs. Brown entertained the school children at her home Saturday evening. After several games were played candy "kisses" were served to the merry group. At a late hour everyone reported a wonderful time and bade the hostess goodnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey and daughter Aline of Winters and Mr. and Mrs. Seybold Rowe of the Line Community visited in the Paul Rowe home Sunday.

Mrs. Leo Gassiot visited Mrs. Vernon Roberts Saturday night.

Mrs. Paul Bivins visited Mrs. McDonald Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Copeland and Mrs. E. W. Gober and little daughter spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. J. J. Horner.

Mrs. Annie Rowe visited Mrs. W. L. Alford Thursday afternoon.

Miss Vera Horner spent Saturday afternoon with Misses Ruth and Aline Leady.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bivins visited Tuesday night in the E. W. Gober home.

Mrs. R. E. DeRusha and Mary Lillis visited Miss Ida Gober in Santa Anna Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Henderson entertained Saturday night, honoring a few who have birthdays in February. Several interesting games were played after which sandwiches, cake and hot chocolate were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Smith and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Horner visited in the E. W. Gober home Friday night.

Misses Pauline England and Velma Harris visited Saturday night in the Arthur Sheffield home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rowe visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bivins Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dodgen and children spent Sunday afternoon in the Paul Bivins home.

Miss Jewel McDonald visited Mrs. Mary Lillis DeRusha Monday night.

Guests in the E. W. Gober home Sunday were Mrs. J. L. Gober, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Williamson and son Arville, Mr. and Mrs. Elton McDonald and daughter Gena Dean of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Branigan of Red Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hallford visited Sunday in the C. E. Gilliam home.

Guests in the J. J. Horner home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Loftis, Mrs. S. C. McClurt, daughter Alma and grand-daughter Juanita Riordan and Alvin Hardy, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Casey and little daughter.

Rockwood News

Well it seems as though we had Spring in the Winter and now we are having Winter in the Springtime. Everyone here reports the coldest weather this winter.

The P. T. A. met Friday afternoon at the school house with a fairly large crowd present. Mrs. Jack Bostick and Mrs. Emmett Wood were elected to assign the parts and coach the play to be sponsored by the P. T. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Steward of Lohn were business visitors here Saturday.

Rev. J. D. F. Williams of Fort Worth, Extension Secretary of the Board of Education, spoke to the officers and teachers of our Methodist Sunday School here Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hart visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stafford and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Melvain Sunday.

Misses Curtiss and Marie Gregory and Muriel Tate spent the week-end with their parents at Talpa.

Miss Myrtle McGregor spent the week-end with her parents near Coleman.

Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Swearingen were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stafford.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryan and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hunter.

Mr. Carl Hawkey, who has been visiting here since Christmas, returned to his home in Spur Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Woodward spent Sunday with Mrs. Woodward's mother, Mrs. C. C. Burk, near Santa Anna.

Sunday Mrs. William Estes entertained with a birthday dinner honoring Mrs. Matt Estes, William Estes, and little Joe Fred Estes. Those present for the gala occasion were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Estes, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes and children, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes and children, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Estes, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hodges and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Estes.

Misses James Caldwell and Pauline Ashmore of Santa Anna were week-end visitors here.

Mrs. Nelson Ryan is nursing her father in the Sealy Hospital at Santa Anna.

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My winning personality. Eppie Lowe.
My black eye lashes and eye brows. Mary Oaks.
My geometry book. J. D. Pieratt.
A "Worm." Lillian Bible.
My long curls. Eunice McGaheny.
A handsome young man. Mary Alice Mitchell.
My loud voice. Juanita Riordan.
My driver's license. Bess Inez.

The following dignitaries arrived at our desk this week:
M. and Mrs. J. G. Hardy of the West Port Arthur post announced the arrival of their son, John A. Hardy, Jr. born at Beaumont General Hospital at 10:35 o'clock Saturday night. The baby weighs seven pounds and 14 ounces.
Mrs. Raney will be remembered here as Miss Viola Cramer, daughter of Mrs. B. A. Creamer. Mrs. Creamer is with her daughter in Beaumont.

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