



# SANTA ANNA NEWS



"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

## Signing the Consumers' Pledge Card

AN EDITORIAL

It is not often that this newspaper feels itself duty-bound to publish facts or opinions that are aimed at all its readers. As a general rule, an editorial directly touches only a certain class of readers. One editorial reaches one group, another editorial another group, and, perhaps, some editorials never reach any group at all.

But this is one editorial we would like to burn so deeply into the heart of every reader that its reaction would be felt for years to come.

This is one editorial that should stir a patriotic chord in every bosom, not because of its words or the newspaper in which it appears, but because of the tremendous message it carries.

That message, sounded from Maine to California, and from Florida to Washington, is embodied in three simple words: "Do Your Part."

My part and your part just now is to sign a Consumer's Statement of Cooperation with the NRA, then live up to all that the little pledge card implies.

What does the little pledge card imply? It implies, first of all, that we have a President and an administration that are risking their entire future on one giant program that we have come to know as the NRA. Common sense tells us that if President Roosevelt did not have a sincere conviction that the NRA would benefit the vast majority of his country's citizens, he would never have attempted this most radical experiment in modern history.

If the President and his associates are throwing every ounce of their energies into the depression breach, why should not we, as ordinary citizens, not follow suit, although we can not see all the immediate benefits we eagerly expected?

The NRA is nothing more than an effort to link every resource and every brain in the country into a chain that will break the back of the depression.

Most of the kicks against the NRA have come from those who do not understand its purposes and from those who do not want to do anything unless they are guaranteed some selfish profits. Practically every one who reads these lines belongs to the former class. Those who belong to Class 2 are so scarce and so unpractical that they are not worthy of addressing in this editorial or elsewhere.

Unlike most similar efforts that have been made in this and other countries since the world began, the NRA is organizing the farmer, the rancher, the merchant, the manufacturer, the laborer, the professional man, the housewife, the school child—everyone—under one banner.

In the very near past this country's government attempted to rout the depression by loaning vast sums to the money barons who were in trouble with their finances. That turned out to be very much like pouring money into a rat hole.

The same administration made no effort whatsoever to raise the prices of farm and ranch products by asking one citizen after another to do some pulling on his own bootstraps. Always it was handing money and privileges to the high-ups without observing the down-and-outs except in a casual way.

Roosevelt started with the producer and the laboring man who works in factory and office.

He told manufacturers and middle men that they must forget profits temporarily in an effort to hoist millions of unemployed men and women back into paying jobs. He told merchants from one end of the nation to the other that they must sacrifice now if they expected to gain later; sacrifice profits for the benefit of their employees and their consumers; sacrifice until buying power is on its feet again.

He told producers—men and women who toil on the soil and with the soil—that their interests would be cared for first of all. Not only did he increase buying power by putting hundreds of thousands of new men to work, and by raising the salaries of hundreds of thousands who were already working. . . . he did more.

He said to the cotton farmer: "There is too much cotton. The price can not be raised much as long as a huge crop is in the offing. Plow up part of your crop and I'll pay you a fair price for it." Farmers responded heartily. The plow-up campaign was completed, and checks are coming into West Texas by the hundreds of thousands of dollars.

He said to the wheat farmer: "Reduce your acreage and I'll guarantee you a good price." Who does not know that the various government actions were largely responsible for the wheat advance to 75 cents, \$1 and slightly more in some cases?

He said to the producer of all things agricultural: "All things can not be accomplished at one blow. The evils of our economic system can not be ironed out in a few weeks. But if you, as farmers and ranchers, will support this nation-wide program, simply by signing this Consumer's Statement of Cooperation, and by following the plan behind it, the prices of livestock, cotton, wheat, flour, overalls, shoes, piece goods, cultivators and everything else in common usage will be balanced remarkably soon."

True, cotton is not bringing a million dollars a pound, but it is bringing at least two or three cents more than it would have brought had the NRA program never been started. Cream, eggs and poultry are not bringing profiteer prices, but they are destined to rise in proportion to the farmer's and the rancher's and the store clerk's support of the NRA program.

This is a battle to the death. There is no other way out. If we had been faced with the same conditions in Cuba, or in Spain, or in Italy, or in France, or in Russia, we would have seen one of the most violent physical revolutions in the history of the world. Instead, the temperament of our people, the solidity of our civilization, the spirit of our leaders have made it possible for us to have only a vast economic and social revolution.

This revolution is not against our government. It is against the urge of men known as the depression. Indeed, the government and all its resources are leaders of the revolutionary forces. Will we sit down on the curbstone, pucker up our lips, and say with childish thickheadedness, "I won't sign anything for anybody?" Or will we say, "Yes, Mr. President, I want to get out of this depression as quickly as possible, and I'll do my part?"

This is plain talk. It is plain talk, too, to say that it is the patriotic duty of every man and woman to study the plan through and through before he places his judgment on it. Then, if he, and the majority of other Americans call the plan good and support it tooth and toenail, we shall pull out of this ordeal before many more months have passed.

Hundreds of cards have already been signed in this county. Have you signed yours? —The Scurry County Times.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Carl Ashmore entertained Monday afternoon with a party honoring her little daughter, Maudie Kathryn, on her eighth birthday anniversary. Many lovely gifts were presented to the little honoree by the guests, who enjoyed various games throughout the afternoon. At a late hour cake and ice cream were served to the pleased little girls and boys.

Those who enjoyed the affair were Vernette Stephenson, Fredna Watkins, Maurice and Maurine Seals, Jackie and Gerald Pruitt, Beth Lock, and Wilma Jo Spencer.

### "SPOTTED" ANGELS NERVOUS FROM PICKING COTTON

Mrs. J. S. Forrester, manager of the Community Service Association, fears that a vast bulk of the hundreds of San Angelenos who have been getting relief funds are "spotted."

She relayed a call from R. L. Howard, Wall farmer, for 25 men needed to pick cotton and the call was passed up by those who had been accepting charity.

Likewise, a similar call to the county relief office in the courthouse, from which J. J. Boley, district representative, issued the statement recently that "all who are able are expected to pick cotton at this time," proved unavailing, the county agent's office found.

(San Angelo Morning Times.)

### Wedding Anniversary Is Celebrated Last Wednesday

A host of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Childers Wednesday evening, September 6, honoring them on their thirtieth wedding anniversary.

After arriving, the guests were seated in the living room. With Miss Dorothy Baxter playing the Wedding March, Mr. and Mrs. Childers entered the room as they did thirty years ago, the bride carrying an arm bouquet of rose-buds. Mrs. C. P. Petty gave a formal reading of congratulations to the bride and groom.

Bridge tables were then arranged and all enjoyed the games until eleven o'clock, when a toast of presentation was given by Mrs. W. E. Baxter, and Mr. and Mrs. Childers were presented a gift from the guests.

Refreshments consisted of ice cream and cake arranged with a color scheme of green and white. Plate favors were cards of good wishes.

Guests present were Mrs. J. M. Childers, mother of the groom, Messrs. and Mesdames Rex Goston, Emmett Day, C. P. Petty, W. E. Baxter, G. W. Faulkner, Lemar Brown, J. T. Lawrence, W. A. Childers and son Bill. Mrs. P. P. Bond, Mrs. J. R. Gipson and Miss Fay Childers.

### Valera Girl Killed By Accident

Gene, the little five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dozier of near Valera was killed Monday afternoon at the Dozier home, when an old dilapidated shotgun was fired at her by her little brother, seven years old, who was playing with the gun, according to reports reaching here. The gun was said to be old, and not of any service, but recently had been loaded and the children were playing with it, unaware of its loaded contents, when the thing discharged and blew the little girl's head almost off, and death was instant.

### HOME LOAN BANK HAS MANY APPLICATIONS FOR LOANS

The office of the Home Loan Bank in Coleman has booked 33 applications for loans and forwarded them to the District office in San Antonio for further consideration.

Total loans applied for amount to \$75,470.48. Of this amount \$67,318.71 were to take up mortgages and interest. \$5,051.46 to pay delinquent taxes. \$1,969.98 for repairs. \$1,130.33 for paving assessments. Thirty-three applications for loans have been made, 21 from Coleman, 11 from Santa Anna and 1 from Novice, according to Mr. Newsome, appraiser for Coleman county.

### SEVERAL SUBSCRIBERS RENEWED LAST WEEK

We wish to acknowledge with thanks, that several of our good subscribers came in last week and took advantage of our special offer. If you are a subscriber and have not taken advantage of the special offer for September, look up the offer on the first page of this paper and see if you don't think it worth your attention.

Several farmers received their cotton checks last week for the cotton they plowed up in the summer, and others will get theirs this week. Most farmers have had some cotton ginned, and what we wish to impress upon you is, this establishment certainly needs the money. If you can spare us a few dollars on your subscription it will be appreciated as much as any place you can use it.

### Methodist Church

Sunday School, with departments and classes for all ages, meets at 9:45 a. m.

The subject for the morning hour, 11 o'clock, is "The Example of Jesus with Reference to the Sabbath Law." Special music.

Epworth Leagues at 7:15 p. m. Robert Hunter is leader for the seniors, and Creighton Morgan is leader for the intermediates.

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

The Santa Anna gins are now running almost full capacity and several hundred bales of cotton has been sold here to date.

### Cotton Production Control for Next Two Years Mapped

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9, (AP)—Secretary Wallace said today the farm adjustment administration had decided to embark on a cotton control plan for 1934 which would limit acreage next year to about 25,000,000 acres. The secretary said the plan probably would be announced early next week and that it would include rental payment to farmers who reduce acreage as well as a form of the domestic allotment plan.

It was understood the allotment features would include a virtual guarantee of parity price on approximately half the total crop, the amount being arrived at on the basis of domestic consumption.

Wallace said the president was in sympathy with the plan. Chester Davis, farm administration director of production, said the program decided upon followed closely the plan outlined by government officials at a meeting recently in Atlanta, Dallas and Memphis.

The parity price guarantee, as applied to each cotton producing county, would be almost half its production over the five-year average from 1923 through 1932, since the domestic consumption of the entire production in the five years approached one half.

In turn, county committees would make the allotments to the individual farms on the basis of the production of the land during the period chosen. If a farm raised 100 bales yearly during the period and one man cultivated it, next year he would be assured the parity price on 50 bales, or slightly less.

The average domestic consumption of cotton over the five-year period ending July 1, 1933, was about 5,500,000 bales.

The program, the farm administration has decided to adopt means the virtual control of the cotton crop through a system which would limit the number of bales that might be ginned next year. This idea was strongly advanced last week at the three southern meetings.

### F. O. Pace Hurt In Car Wreck

F. O. Pace is confined in the Central Texas Hospital in Brownwood being treated for severe bruises and broken bones, incurred in an accident east of Brownwood Monday night. Mr. Pace was enroute to East Texas with some loaded trucks, when the party he was with was intercepted by the Highway Commission for being overloaded, and Mr. Pace was reported to be on his way back to Coleman for another truck when the accident happened. He was riding in a car with a stranger, and is said to be seriously and very painfully injured. Details of the accident are lacking here.

Mr. Pace is reported to be responding to treatment and is expected to recover.

### Wheat Growers To Organize

A meeting is called for 2 p. m. Saturday of this week at the Court House in Coleman of the Wheat Growers of Coleman county, for the purpose of organizing a county organization. All interested are urged to attend. County Agent C. V. Robinson also states he will be in Santa Anna Monday afternoon and will talk to the wheat growers in this part of the county if they will meet him at the City Hall at 3 p. m.

### CHRISTIAN REVIVAL POSTPONED ONE WEEK

Miss Annabel Lee, evangelist, will begin a meeting at the Christian church Sunday night, September 24, coming here from San Angelo where she is now in a meeting. She is reputed to be a very interesting speaker, and is having great success wherever she goes. Everybody invited.

### MORE RAIN

This part of Texas received another fine rain Wednesday afternoon. Some sections reported the moisture light, others reported it to be heavy. Here in Santa Anna the precipitation was 1.1-4 inches.

### Luke Trammell Gets 45 Years for Robberies

Coleman County Jury Finds Outlaw Guilty On Two Counts

COLEMAN, Sept. 11 (AP)—Luke Trammell, one of three brothers blamed for a West Texas crime wave in July, was sentenced to a total of 45 years imprisonment today by a jury which convicted him of robbery with firearms in two cases.

He was found guilty of robbing A. D. Baker, Glen Cove farmer, of an automobile July 4. He was given a 25-year sentence in this case and 20 years in another, to which he pleaded guilty.

Dave Trammell, a brother of the defendant, was believed to be at large in this section. Doc Trammell, the third brother, was killed on the Abilene highway several weeks ago by a posse which captured Luke Trammell.

### Four States Vote This Week to Repeal 18th Amendment

29th Straight Win for Foes of Prohibition

Forces favoring repeal of the 18th amendment yesterday swept to their 29th straight victory when Maryland, Minnesota and Colorado voted to ratify the 21st amendment which strikes the pro law from the constitution.

Substantial majorities were returned in Minnesota and Colorado and in Maryland where the repeal movement was pioneered, the prohibitionists were snowed under.

Maine, which passed a state prohibition law in 1851, had voted Monday about 2 to 1 for the proposed 21st amendment. It was the 26th state to enter the repeal column. Thirty-six are necessary under the constitution before an amendment becomes the law of the land.

At least 39 states will have voted on the repeal proposal by Nov. 7. The next states to vote are Idaho and New Mexico. Both have called elections for next Tuesday.

The 26 states besides Maine and the three voting yesterday which have endorsed ratification are: Michigan, Wisconsin, Rhode Island, Wyoming, New Jersey, New York, Delaware, Nevada, Illinois, Indiana, Massachusetts, Connecticut, New Hampshire, Iowa, West Virginia, California, Alabama, Arkansas, Tennessee, Oregon, Arizona, Missouri, Texas, Washington and Vermont.

The Legislature is now in session in the first called special session.

## Board Of Directors Elected For New Santa Anna Bank

Schools Open With Enthusiasm

School opened with much enthusiasm Wednesday morning, September the sixth, with an assemblage of about two hundred students and several visitors in the auditorium.

As an opening feature all sang "Come Thou Almighty King," after which Reverend G. A. Morgan of the Methodist Church, led the invocation. He also gave an address of encouragement.

Another song, "America, the Beautiful," was sung, and then Superintendent J. C. Scarborough gave a talk on "Education." He pointed out the values of acquiring an education by quoting maxims from famous philosophers and educators. Details concerning schedules and other arrangements were also discussed.

Another speaker of the morning was Mr. J. J. Gregg, editor of the Santa Anna News. This year, as he has done for several years, he donated space in his paper for publication of the "Mountaineer."

Enrollment this year is larger than it has been for several years. There are forty-one freshmen, fifty-one sophomores, seventy juniors, and forty-one seniors.

### "Inflation" Urged by Senator Harrison

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12 (AP)—President Roosevelt gripped the recovery reins tightly today, planning with his executive council for a continued upward pull in prices, wages and employment.

As he called in the government chiefs for a report, he heard an urgent recommendation for "rational inflation" from Chairman Harrison of the Senate Finance committee.

The credit and price problems have received particular attention during the last 24 hours, but neither Harrison nor the recovery aides were prepared to state the president's ideas for the immediate future.

### KINDERGARTEN TO OPEN MONDAY

I will open a Kindergarten at my home Monday, September 18. Children between 2 and 6 will be accepted. For further information see or phone me at my home. Red-245. Mrs. Emmet Day.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the new Santa Anna National Bank, now in process of organization held in the Queen Theater Thursday afternoon, the following were elected directors to direct the affairs of the new bank. Burgess Weaver, Ben Yarborough, W. R. Kelley, Clinton Lowe and W. E. Wallace.

W. E. Baxter presided over the meeting, and sixty per cent of the stock subscribed was represented in the meeting.

If nothing interferes and no complications arise, the new bank should be chartered and in operation within fifteen or twenty days.

### TEXAS COTTON IS 68 PCT. OF NORMAL

Austin, Sept. 9, (AP)—The United States department of agriculture today estimated the condition of the cotton crop for Texas as of September 1 at 68 per cent of normal, which indicates a yield of 162 pounds to the acre.

"This yield, applied to the estimated 11,290,000 acres for harvest places the production at 3,815,000 bales of 500 pounds gross weight," the report said.

### STORM DAMAGE IS SET AT \$22,900,000

HARLINGEN, Texas, Sept. 12. (AP)—Property and citrus damage in Cameron county resulting from last week's tropical hurricane was estimated today by Ralph Agar, county tax assessor, at \$22,900,000.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

The library association is pleased to announce that the public library, located at the City Hall, will be open two afternoons in the week, Wednesday and Saturday, from 2 to 5 p. m. One year's subscription 50 cents. Two books issued to one family at each checking. This system furnishes more reading matter in shorter time.

### NOTICE

A. F. and A. M. Lodge meets Saturday night, Sept. 16. Special entertainment. All members urged to be present. Visitors cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Newman of Doole were here Thursday on business and arranged to have the Santa Anna News sent to their home for another year.



**Santa Anna News**  
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER, 15 1933  
E. J. GREGG, Editor & Publisher

Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice, Santa Anna, Tex.  
More space has been sold at the State Fair of Texas for the 1933 Exposition than has been sold in the past three years. It has been announced here by directors in charge of the space and concession departments. One reason for the increase in the demand for space is the Texas Manufacturers Show which will occupy one half of the Main Exhibit Building.

**Printer-Publishers Now Operating Under the NRA**

Monday of this week, September 11th, all the small printer-publishers, said to number 12,000 in the United States, went under the President's National Recovery Act, and are hoping to help bring about better conditions in the country.

Printer-publishers were among the first to sign the blanket code, and offer encouragement to the President in his great undertaking to relieve distress and bring about better times. There is but little we can do without the cooperation of the people in the home towns where we operate. In this connection, we wish to state that, the Santa Anna News plant is prepared to do any kind of printing that is ordinarily done in towns the size of Santa Anna, and many jobs that people have been led to believe by salesmen could not be done by their home town printer.

Our prices under the NRA plan will be the same as before on subscriptions and advertising, and the only change in our job work prices will be the added cost of material, which is very small in most instances. Some jobs will cost a little more, but no printer is allowed under the new code to solicit printing in Santa Anna or do printing to be delivered in Santa Anna for less prices than we charge, and we are not allowed to charge more than a reasonable profit above the cost of material and work, and for the benefit of our customers, if you will take us into your confidence and let us know when you want printing done, if we cannot do the job for you here in Santa Anna, we will have the work done for you in some

other place and guarantee that we can get the work done at a saving to you.

The scale of printing calls for certain prices to be paid for work and all material prices are the same. So there is no excuse for any bank, merchant or other business in town buying their printing from other printers, for you will have to pay the out of town printer the same price or more than you will have to pay us, and besides, the price for work will be kept in Santa Anna. When you send a job out of town, you are contributing to the support of some other town, which is in competition with your own town, and not saving anything for yourself.

If our customers will give us their printing, we can live and support a hired hand and all the money you spend for printing will be spent in Santa Anna. Call us for estimates when you need printing done. We have the same kind of machinery that other printers use, and know, well and good, that we can do your printing as well as any other printer, and under the code of fair competition, we can often save you money on the job for we deliver the job to you at no extra cost for delivery. In the future, please call us and let us estimate your job whether you give us the job or not.

Letter heads, note heads, loose leaf fillers for your bill books, envelopes, bill heads, statements, cards, posters, circulars, in fact, any kind of printing you need can be purchased right here in Santa Anna, and we believe in most instances it can be delivered to you at a saving.

**THREE SHOW POLICY AT FAIR POPULAR**

Dallas, Texas, Sept. 14.—Popularity of the three show policy in the auditorium at the State Fair of Texas is shown in the early purchases of tickets at the Adolphus Hotel Box office, which is now open, it has been announced here by Otto Herold, president of the exposition. Most patrons of the auditorium are buying tickets to all three productions and taking advantage of the discount offered in such purchases.

"Bitter Sweet," will open the auditorium season and will run Oct. 7-12. This will be followed, Oct. 13-17, by "Nina Rosa," Sigmund Romberg's great musical production. "Florodora," will close the season—Oct. 18-22. These three operettas will bring the largest casts to the State Fair which have ever been

presented in the auditorium. Many of the outstanding stars of the musical comedy and opera worlds will be included in these casts. Music for the three operettas will be provided by a twenty-six piece orchestra which is being brought intact from Broadway. This will be the largest orchestra ever to play for a State Fair production in the auditorium. The same orchestra will provide music for all three productions.

**W. C. T. U.**

The Womans Christian Union had a fine meeting with Miss Josie Baxter last Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. G. A. Morgan led the devotions. Miss Kate Lewis of Austin gave two interesting readings, and Miss Verde Lewis rendered several pieces on the guitar. Officers for the coming year were elected. Mrs. G. F. Barlett was elected President; Mrs. H. L. Voss first vice president; Mrs. Seth Risinger second vice president; Mrs. G. A. Morgan third vice president and devotional leader. Mrs. A. L. Oder was made chairman of work through Sunday Schools and Mrs. Paul Van Dalsem secretary-treasurer.

A card from Rev. Frank Norris was read thanking the Union for the five dollars donated to the radio fund.

It was decided to have a special meeting Wednesday, September 20 at the home of Mrs. G. A. Morgan honoring the old ladies who helped in the recent campaign, some of whom got out of sick beds to go and vote.

A very attractive refreshment plate was passed to those present, consisting of salmon croquettes, toasted sandwiches, magic cheese chips, mint krispies, and Indian punch.

**FORMER CITIZEN WRITES ABOUT VALLEY STRONG**

Combes, Texas, Sept. 9, 1933.

Editor of News, Santa Anna, Texas. I will try to give you a true short history of the tropical hurricane which swept the Rio Grande valley last Monday and Tuesday. My family and I were in the center of the storm four miles north of Harlingen in a four-room box house.

Monday morning the wind began blowing from the north. It grew stronger all day until about four o'clock in the afternoon when it reached 75 or 80 miles per hour. From then until about two o'clock Tuesday morn-

ing we had a steady blow from the northeast. When the wind came from due east at about 100 miles an hour it blew out two windows on the east side of our house. Then the wind and water came rushing in on us. I took my wife and three children into the west part of the house where my married daughter and her little baby were. Then a tree about 2 1/2 feet through came crashing across the northwest corner of the house. Then I opened the west door so I would have a way to get the family out if the house should go. We could see fruit, lumber, pieces of house-tops, trees, and other things blowing through the air. There we stood for another nine hours expecting every minute to be thrown out into the wind and solid sheets of water. About ten o'clock Tuesday morning the wind reached its strongest, estimated at 110 miles an hour. It blew at that rate for about an hour and then began to calm a little. Oh, how proud we were! Just how a plain boxed house stood here I cannot explain, but we are thankful to be left alive. As soon as the wind had ceased enough, I went out, and oh, what awful sights there were. Brick buildings were laid flat, men, women and children were crippled and some were in one two, and three feet of water. Some were trapped under houses and in all kinds of shapes. It looks unreasonable to see the amount of damage done with no more than eighteen or twenty lives lost, but many were crippled. And it is bad now to smell the odor as the water goes down. There are chickens, dogs, cows, mules, hogs and other live stock lying dead everywhere under blown down houses, trees, and other things that fell on them. It is yet a horrible sight to look at, but we still have life to be thankful for.

Now, I want to say to those who owe me for groceries bought in 1926 and 1927. I am left without anything except what little we saved in the house and what we had on our backs. Everything outside was completely destroyed. We surely would be thankful if you would help us out. If you can't pay all, send what you can spare. We shall surely appreciate it.

Hoping, Mr. Editor, that you will give me space in your paper for these few lines, I remain  
J. T. Jones,  
Combes, Texas.

Note: Mr. Jones, known around here as "Tap" Jones, formerly lived in the Whom community and operated a store at Whom prior to moving to the Valley. We're glad it's Mr. Jones living in the Valley instead of the writer. Conditions are equally with us, but Coleman County is still our home.

**Two Millions Said Paid Yates Vacancy**

Fred Turner and State Sell to Mid-Kansas Company

Fred Turner, Jr., of Midland and the State of Texas for \$1,000,000 each have sold to the Mid-Kansas Oil & Gas Co. leases on 561 acres of land in the Yates field in Pecos county, most of it proven oil productive, according to reports here yesterday that lacked official confirmation but were believed to be authentic. Mid-Kansas in addition bought one-half the royalty under the land from Turner for around \$500,000, the reports added. The state owns half the royalty.

It was understood that Mid-Kansas had taken over the operation of five tests that had been started on the vacancy strips for Turner and the state by L. R. Sproles of Fort Worth and Ben Oneal of Wichita Falls, receivers for the property, and would complete them but would not drill eight other tests for which locations have been made. Mid-Kansas already had spudded three offsets forced by the new drilling and had made three more locations.

**Deal Denied Closed**  
L. R. Sproles, answering a query by the Associated Press, said at Fort Worth that he had no report of the closing of the deal, but admitted the principals were in Austin conferring. James V. Alfred, attorney general, noted that a suit involving the tracts was pending in district court but stated that nothing had been done about it. Mid-Kansas officials at Tulsa had not been heard from and Turner was not at home and could not be reached for a statement.

Turner and the State own the 561 acres in the Yates field under the decision of the Supreme Court of Texas in the Smith-Turner case last May, six staggered strips along the west side of the big Yates vacancy, scrap file 12341 or section 34 1-2, being held to be vacant, unappropriated school land. Turner had filed on the tracts. The court decision caused the shifting westward of the boundary lines of a number of sections in block

**THE RED & WHITE STORES**  
STORES THAT PLEASE DISCRIMINATING WOMEN  
SEE OUR WINDOWS FOR SPECIAL ITEMS

**SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY-SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 15-16**

SPUDS	Idaho, smooth white, 10 lbs.	35c
GRAPES	Tokays, excellent quality, per lb.	12c
PEACHES	wholesome fruit, No. 10 can	43c
POST TOASTIES	large pkg. each	11c
COCONUT	Baker's Premium, 1/4 lb. pkg.	11c
COFFEE	Sun-Up "Quality Not Can" pound	19c
SALAD DRESSING	Green & White, 8 oz.	9c
SYRUP	Steamboat, gallon can	51c
TOMATOES	Blue & White Full No. 2 can	8c
MUSTARD	quart jars	14c

**National Soap Sale**  
Prices effective September 8-16 inclusive! only! Stock up! Buy now before prices go up!

Lady Godiva	3 BARS 14c 6 BARS 27c
THRILL	3 BARS 14c 6 BARS 27c
White Laundry CLEANSER	3 BARS 13c 6 BARS 25c
WASHO	For dishes and Laundry 1 BOX 19c
GRAPE NUTS	regular package 18c
POTTED MEAT	Red & W 3 cans 13c
PORK & BEANS	Blue & White large can 6c
CHEESE	Longhorn, No. 1 full cream, pound 17c
JOWLS	Salt Cured, per pound 8c
ROAST or STEAK, Forequarter	from home killed heeves, lb. 12c
BOLOGNA	per pound 14c

**194, G. O. & S.F. Ry. Co. survey Hoped Royalties Released**

It had been hoped that the decision would release royalties estimated in excess of \$50,000,000 that have been impounded by litigation and have been growing steadily, but years of additional litigation are in prospect before accountings satisfactory to ownership are affected.

Since the court decision ownership of the 561 acres has been in dispute between Turner and the state. Both sought to recover back runs of approximately 1,900,000 barrels of oil produced by three wells drilled by Mid-Kansas on two of the strips. Turner filed suit at Fort Stockton and the state instituted proceedings at Austin. The wells before the award to Turner and the state were Mid-Kansas Nos. 1 and 3 Smith-Taylor, in the east end of what had been section 33, block 194, G. O. & S. F. Ry. Co. survey, and Mid-Kansas No. 2 Smith-Taylor in what formerly was the east end of section 31, block 194.

The reported purchase by Mid-Kansas from Turner and the state was seen here as settlement of the two suits. It will not cause the release of other funds in escrow, it was believed.

**REPORT OF GRAND JURY, 35TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT**

To Hon. E. J. Miller, District Judge, 35th Judicial District, of Texas.

After having been in session five days, examined some seventy-five witnesses and returned into court 14 indictments, we now beg leave to submit the following report and ask that we be discharged, or permitted to recess, as your honor may think best.

We find conditions in the county, at this time, not far from an average, from the standpoint of law enforcement. We wish to both thank and commend your honor, the district clerk, sheriff's department, and the city officials for their friendly assistance and co-operation during the session.

We have carefully and thoroughly investigated the facts surrounding the killing of Doc Trammell by sheriff Frank Mills, and we are convinced that, under the circumstances existing at the time of the killing, Mr. Mills was fully justified in acting as he did. We have therefore, "No-Billed" Mr. Mills. It is to be regretted that while a series of serious crimes were being committed by these boys, certain persons living in this county, and claiming the protection of our government, harbored and protected these boys, thus making it more difficult for the officers to apprehend them.

Following out the suggestion which your honor made to us at the time we were impaneled, we have carefully investigated

**several men of this town who are now convicted for violating the Liquor Laws of this state, their cases affirmed by the higher courts, and who have never gone to the penitentiary.**

We find that in at least the most, if not all, of these cases those men are still violating the law regularly, and in one or two instances, boldly. We deplore this condition, and feel that during times such as we are now experiencing, with taxes already high, after hundreds of dollars have been spent, and a great deal of work done to secure these convictions, the purpose of the law should not be defeated, by permitting the law to be thus trifled with, thereby discouraging our officials, and encouraging the criminal element in law violations. We do not believe the governor of this state would continue to extend executive clemency in these, and similar cases, were she in possession of the facts in these cases, and knew the public sentiment with respect thereto. We therefore call upon the citizenship of this country to voice their disapproval of this situation, to the end that it may be remedied, if possible. We have not merely guessed or speculated as to whether this condition exists, but have diligently inquired into these cases from county and city officials, as well as reputable citizens of our county, and this report has been fully confirmed. In this connection, we wish to commend your honor for speaking so frankly and courageously on this important subject at the time we were

impaneled, as above stated, Respectfully submitted,  
W. E. BAXTER, Foreman.

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<b>Clip This Coupon</b> 65c Lb. Jar Charmona Cold Cream With Coupon 43c	<b>Clip This Coupon</b> 25c Binder and 100 pages Note Book Paper, Both With Coupon 22c	<b>\$1.00 Peptona</b> Combines Tonic Qualities of Iron and Nux Vomica With Coupon Pt. 79c

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Friday, September 17, 1932

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Get rid of double chins, bulging hips, ugly rolls of fat on waist and upper arms SAFELY and without discomfort—at the same time build up glorious health and acquire a clear skin, bright eyes, energy and vivaciousness—to look younger and feel it—take Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water every morning before breakfast.

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TO SWAP: Five months old horse colt for used car. Ray Owens, Coleman, Texas, Rt. 2, 1p

FOR SALE: Used furniture, household goods, queensware, sewing machine, gas stoves and other items. R. B. Griffith at apartment house.

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FOR SALE: 12 head of work mules, 3 sets of double row planters and cultivators, harness and other equipment, price to sell, see them at my barn. J. E. Watkins.

FOR SALE: Three good, young milch cows, fresh in. C. B. Salce, on the Lancaster farm south of Santa Anna.

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Three inch Racine farm wagon complete with cotton bed. Curtis Collins.

FOR SALE

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- One pair mare mules 16:1 high weigh 1300 each.
One grey mare, 15 high. Weigh 1200.
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One 4 year old blue mare. Weigh 1050.
One 7 year old brown mare. Weigh 1400.
One bay mare weigh 1100 pounds.
One pair buckskin mules, weigh 1000 each.
One brown horse weigh 1100 pounds.
One brown mare weigh 1150 pounds.
One 2 year old steel grey horse, weigh 1000 pounds.
One mare mule. Will weigh 1000 pounds.
One 6 year old bay mare. Weigh 1150 pounds.
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One grey horse. Weigh 1300 pounds.

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The Mountaineer

FOOTBALL GAMES ARE SCHEDULED

At a meeting of the coaches and representatives of schools at Brady last Saturday the football schedules for this season were made. Coach Binlon and Prin. J. R. Lock represented Santa Anna High School. The district was divided into eastern and western halves as in the preceding years. Santa Anna is in the western half and will have to compete with Ballinger, Coleman, and Winters for the championship of this half. Bangs played Class B ball last year but chose to stay in Class C this year.

In this half of the district there is an array of new coaches, only one being carried over from last year, Coach Pratt of Winters. Binlon is new at Santa Anna, Poole at Coleman, Self at Ballinger, and Eby at Bangs. Coach Binlon and Prin. Lock feel that the Mountaineers have an equal chance with other teams in the race this year. Seven lettermen are back around which to build a team. The lettermen are John D. Harper, Dexter Walthall, J. W. Zachary, Scott Wallace, Alton Brandon, J. D. Pieratt, and Max Price. Several reserve prospects are looking good.

The schedule: Sept. 22 — Bangs at Santa Anna. Sept. 29 — Open. Oct. 6 — Coleman at Santa Anna. Oct. 15 — Winters at Ballinger Fair. (conf) Oct. 20 — Open. Oct. 27 — Goldthwaite at Santa Anna. Nov. 3 — Ballinger at Ballinger. (conf) Nov. 10 — Bangs at Santa Anna. Nov. 17 — Open. Nov. 24 — Coleman at Coleman. (conf)

SENIORS HAVE SWIMMING PARTY

Monday night members of the cast of the play, "The Man from Nowhere," enjoyed a swimming party at Lakewood in Brownwood.

The picnic lunch consisted of sandwiches, cakes and watermelon. Those partaking of the entertainment were Robert Hunter, Annie Louise Watkins, Grover Lightfoot, Samuel Everett, Golda Hardy, Thelma Lowe, Irene Rountree, Jim Bob Gregg, John David Harper and Mary Oakes, all in the play, and Louise Wilsford and the chaperones, Miss Land and Mrs. Earl Watkins.

SENIORS ENJOY EXCURSION TO CITY LAKE

Members of the cast of the senior play, "The Man from Nowhere," and other seniors and friends motored to the City Lake Friday night immediately after the presentation of the play.

Here various forms of entertainment were engaged in and lemonade was made. After a short while they returned home. They were chaperoned by their sponsor, Miss Land.

JUNIOR NEWS

Class spirit has started early with the different classes this year, especially with the juniors. This enthusiastic class chose their officers during the home room period Monday with Leon DuBols, president for last year, in charge. The following officers were elected: Class reporter, May Campbell; President, Beth Barnes; Vice president, Holland Cheaney; Secretary, Ernestine Thames; Treasurer, Vernon Ragsdale. Then the president appointed a finance committee as follows: Bess Inez Shiled, chairman, Rex Golston and Mary Alice Lawrence. Leon DuBols was selected as chairman of the entertainment committee and designated Dosh T. McCreary and Kathryn Wylie as competent to serve with him. The pride of the class has always been the records they have made in both scholarship and athletics. Now they have set a new record in size. Seventy juniors registered before the opening of school Wednesday, September 6. This is an enrollment of which any class would be proud. "In numbers there is

GLEE CLUBS ARE ORGANIZED

Glee Clubs for both boys and girls have been organized under the direction of Miss Elsie Harper, the new teacher of music. Work in the Clubs will start this week. A large membership is expected in both clubs this year.

SENIOR PLAY IS GIVEN FRIDAY NIGHT

"The Man from Nowhere," a stirring, fast-moving comedy-drama in three acts by Mabel White, was presented by the senior class Friday night at the high school auditorium.

Leading parts were played by Annie Louise Watkins as Anne Royce and Robert Hunter as Rodney Baxter. The unfavored suitor and crook, Holt, was impersonated by Grover Lightfoot, Mr. Graydon by Jim Bob Gregg, the absent-minded professor by John David Harper, the cranky old maid by Irene Rountree, Dora Pry, the flapper, by Thelma Lowe; Mrs. Craddock by Golda Hardy; Hilda, the Swedish maid, by Mary Oakes; and Mr. Cox by Samuel Everett.

Between-act numbers were furnished by: Sunshine Girls who sang "Cheer Up" and "Have You Ever Been Lonely?"; Mary Joyce Hill and Louise Wilsford, who gave readings; Louise Wilsford, who gave a tap dance and a song and dance stunt; Floye Spencer and Nell Bell, who sang "Ramona" in Spanish; Jesse Goen, who played the accordion; and Lula Jo Harvey, who played the piano.

Miss Olivia Land, sponsor of the class, directed the play. The song and dance stunt was directed by Lula Jo Harvey.

SENIOR NEWS

Proceeds from the senior play, "The Man from Nowhere," were \$26.65. Expenses were \$4.50; thus the profit was \$22.15. This money will be used to help pay the debts of the class.

There are several new members in the senior class this year. They are: Everett Glenn, Ealton Jones, Samuel Hayes, Sam Poseley, Sena Poseley, Augustus Lightfoot, a former member of the class, James Hayes, Helen Dean, Mildred Blanton, Cleo Thompson and Francine Merritt, who was a sophomore here last year.

A class meeting was held Monday morning. Irene Rountree received the election of editor-in-chief of the "Mountaineer." Robert Hunter was elected class reporter, Annie Louise Watkins is vice president, Russell Hale is secretary-treasurer, and John David Harper was re-elected last year as class president for this year.

Does It Pay to Educate a Boy?

George Horace Larimer in Letters From a Self-made Merchant to His Son, asks the question, "Does it pay to educate a boy?" Then, he proceeds to answer it. Does it pay to feed scraps of pork worth six cents a pound into a hopper, and take nice, cunning little pig sausages worth thirty cents a pound out of the other end? Or, does it pay to work a pound of steel worth two dollars into a pound of hair springs worth two thousand dollars? You bet, it pays to educate a boy. Anything that will teach a boy to get the answer before the other fellow gets through biting his pencil pays. A business education will increase the earning capacity of a boy from six hundred dollars to twenty-four hundred dollars a year. That pays, doesn't it? There never was a day when a dollar, taken by itself, stood for so little, and when a man taken by himself, stood for so much, as at the present time. Which is simply another way of saying that anything that will make a boy grow up into a worth-while man pays.

A business education gives a boy the power to think. It gives him the ability to reason. It teaches him how to handle property. It gives him an equal chance with others. It takes him out of the low plain class and puts him on the mountain top. Thus, any way you figure it, an education pays.

There are many kinds of education, and the education should be made to fit the individual. Not everybody can use a University course of study, but everybody — farmer, manufacturer, preacher, doctor, banker, and professional men — needs and can use a business education.

No matter what other type of education a boy may have, business training is essential to his success, because the average boy is definitely business-minded and no matter what his other vocation may be he will find use for a business training.

We undertake to instruct our students in the fundamentals of business building—in organization, in management, and in finances—in advertising, in selling, and in business promotion. The courses we offer will change raw human material into the brain and brawn out of which the nation's great business structure is made.

We invite forward-looking young men and women to write for our annual, which is yours for the asking. Tyler Commercial College and School of Business Administration, Tyler, Texas.

NAME ADDRESS

LAFFERTY FAMILY IN HAPPY REUNION

On Friday, August 25, a wonderful family reunion of the Lafferty family was enjoyed. The scene was in the shade of the trees at the Nettleship ranch on the Colorado river. An ideal fish fry dinner, with all the trimmings was served with a fine family fellowship.

The following relatives were present: Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Nettleship, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lafferty of San Saba, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lafferty and Miss Beulah Lafferty of Los Angeles, Cal., Mrs. Frank Goen and Mr. John Goen and Mrs. Bell White of Santa Anna. —San Saba News

WHY ADJUSTMENT CHECKS MADE UNEQUALLY

COLLEGE STATION—Adjustment payment checks for those growers who qualify under the wheat production control program will be made directly payable to wheat farmers, and no deductions will be required to off-set governmental loan indebtedness, according to officials of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

This decision will make an estimated difference of millions of dollars in the cash payment which will be made available to wheat growers this year. Under the terms of the wheat contracts, growers who agree to cooperate in the governmental program of acreage reduction will receive cash payments of 20 cents a bushel this fall and between 8 and 10 cents late next spring on their individual allotments, less the cost of local administration of the plan. Deduction of sums owed the Government on loans would have reduced greatly the amount of cash to be made immediately available.

The Farm Credit Administration is asking wheat farmers to apply as much as they can of the proceeds from the adjustment payments to their debts to the government, but there is nothing compulsory about it.

There is a legal distinction regarding government indebtedness in the case of wheat adjustment payments as compared with similar payments in the cotton reduction program. The cotton payment checks will be made payable jointly to the grower and to the Farm Credit Administration, with some of the government debt claims subject to negotiation where private interests are involved. In the case of cotton, part of the loan security is destroyed when growers plow under a portion of the crop. The security is not thus destroyed under the wheat plan.

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JAYTON TEACHER DEAD

JOHN POISON IS MISTAKE

The Jayton Chronicle gave an account last week of a very sad death caused by the taking of strychnine thru mistake.

Miss Ada Davis, teacher in the Jayton school, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walton Davis of Jayton, and one of the most highly respected young women in the town, went to the kitchen in the home before retiring at night to take a dose of open-mouth salts. She had worked until late, preparing her school work for the next day. In the dark she accidentally took a dose of strychnine instead of the salts and died a few hours later from the deadly effects.

Miss Davis called for help after discovering she was ill. Doctors were summoned and used antidotes, a stomach pump and all other means they could to save her, but in vain.

The strychnine had been purchased to kill rats, and was in a similar container to the one that contained the salts. This article is published more as a warning to people who keep poison on their premises than for its news value. If you keep poison on your premises, be sure you keep it separated from the family medicines, and the kitchen is not recommended as a place for such things to be stored.

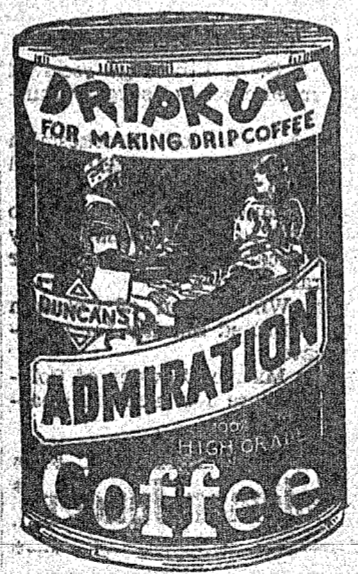
GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Man's Heart Stopped, Stomach Gas Cause

W. L. Adams was bloated so with gas that his heart often missed beats after eating. Adlerika rid him of all gas, and now he eats anything and feels fine. Walker's Pharmacy.

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### LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Miss Velma Oder left Saturday for Cisco where she will attend Randolph College. The faculty and school authorities, although feeling the blow of the recent tragic death of the president, Dr. John W. Tyndall, are forging ahead and trying to carry out his plans and purposes.

Harry Oder, who is working at Woodville, Texas, visited with the homelinks last week.

Miss Minnie Bell McMinn of Abilene is here with her father, W. E. McMinn, who is very ill in the Sealy Hospital.

Miss Mildred Boone and Mr. Leon Halman of Winters visited Mr. and Mrs. Claude Boone Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Lafferty and children left last week for their home in Los Angeles after a several days visit with relatives in and near here. They were accompanied home by Mr. Lafferty's sister, Mrs. Bell White. Miss Beulah Lafferty remained for a longer visit.

Miss Bettie Blue left last Friday for San Antonio where she is taking her vacation.

Mrs. Tom Slade of Gouldbusk was shopping here Monday.

Miss Virginia Champion of Brownwood visited her grandmother, Mrs. Nannie Smith, last week.

Walter Taylor and Elmon Kirby of Tuscola were business visitors here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Lawrence and children spent last week-end in Cross Plains.

Mrs. Willie Butler and Mrs. Tom Cross of Cross Plains spent Monday with Mrs. P. P. Bond and Mrs. J. M. Binion.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Carroll of near Palestine, who have been here for several months for Mr. Carroll's health, plan to return home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shaffer of Sweetwater visited in the Altus Bowden home the first of the week.

Miss Rebecca Jane Harris returned home Saturday following two weeks medical treatment.

H. L. Stewart of Ranger spent last week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Simpson and children spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cleg Gassiot of Pear Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Hayden and son Joplin of Brownwood visited here Saturday.

Miss Jessie Lightfoot who is attending Daniel Baker College visited here Saturday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Childers Sunday were Miss Griffin Atkins of Ballinger and Mr. Fitzgerald of San Angelo.

Miss Louella Chambers received a letter from her brother in Harlingen this week stating the family escaped the hazards of the storm there last week with their lives, but suffered great property loss. Mr. Chambers stated in his letter that the valley fruit crop was practically all ruined, and other property damage was great.

Miss Kathryn Rose Finney left Wednesday for Fort Worth where she is a sophomore in Texas Woman's College.

Those from here who entered Daniel Baker College at Brownwood this week are Misses Helene Faye Todd and Bessie Evans, and Messrs. Gus Morgan, Billie Barnes, and Leon Ward.

Mr. Clovis Fletcher entered Howard Payne College at Brownwood this week.

Mr. A. G. Weaver leaves today (Friday) for Waco where he will be a Junior in Baylor University.

Mrs. Rose Mitchell and son Don of El Paso, who have been visiting in Fort Worth, Mrs. Robert Griffin and children of Fort Worth came Saturday for a visit in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Turner. They were accompanied home by their sisters, Misses Gay, Fay and Helen.

Miss May Blue left Wednesday for Dallas where she is purchasing some fall merchandise.

Myrton L. McDonald of Abilene visited his mother, Mrs. C. P. Petty here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pinto and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McDaniel of Waco spent the week-end with their aunt, Mrs. C. M. Wood and family.

Mrs. C. M. Wood returned recently from a several weeks visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. White and family of Farwell, Texas. Judge Marcus W. Weathered of the Coleman will meet with the Masons in a meeting at the Masonic hall here Saturday night, according to members of the local lodge. The entire membership is urged to attend.

Everyone can master a grief but he who has it. Shakespeare

### WETS WIN HOME STATE OF ANDREW VOLSTEAD

ST. PAUL, Sept. 12 (AP)—The home state of Andrew Volstead, "father" of the prohibition enforcement law, apparently had repudiated the 18th amendment tonight on the basis of incomplete returns from today's special referendum.

Representative reports, in some cases meager, but in other, fairly complete, continued to show a majority for repeal of slightly more than two to one. With 1,675 precincts heard from of 3,693 in the state, the vote stood:

Repeal . . . . . 263,478  
Against . . . . . 124,229

### Liberty News

The Coleman Junction B. T. S. put on a good program at Liberty Sunday. Come again.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Shields visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rhodes Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Early spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Early.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Duggins, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Duggins and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carter Duggins and daughter, and Bill and Otho Howard report a most enjoyable occasion Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Howard honored Mr. S. H. Duggins with a birthday dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Powers visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Howard Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Holt were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walker Stovall Sunday afternoon.

Since it has been found impossible to obtain a bus, the ninth grade will be taught at Liberty as usual.

A number of neighbor men and boys proved "Who is my neighbor?" by helping gather two bales of cotton for Mr. Bob McMinn, who is still at the Sealy Hospital. Mr. McMinn is reported to be a little better now.

Mr. J. A. Early accompanied Mr. Edmond Early to Shields Sunday.

Mr. Dozier and family were members of the Coleman County Burial Association, and were paid one hundred dollars for burial expenses immediately.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

### Hospital Notes

Mrs. Jeff Miller returned to her home in Novice last week much improved following emergency surgical treatment and medical care.

Bobbie Joe Jones of Comanche was a recent surgical patient.

Pete Baxter, Jr. of Coleman recently received medical care.

Master Wayne Thompson of Zephyr received surgical treatment several days ago.

Winston Elkins of Coleman received surgical care recently.

Mr. J. B. Carroll of Tennessee Colony was a recent surgical patient here.

Mrs. T. G. Frick is recovering from major surgery received recently.

Miss Alma Phipps of Winters has returned home after receiving major surgery.

Earl Urbanteke of Rowena received surgical care recently.

Elton Tabor underwent surgical treatment several days ago.

Miss Georgia Frances Barrett recently received surgical treatment.

Mr. Aubrey Fay Murrell of Shields was here for surgical treatment several days ago.

Mrs. Mabel Hedgecoxe of Novice recently received major surgical treatment.

Mr. Winston Hall underwent surgical treatment last week.

Misses Ina and Estelle Bolding of Millersview received surgical care last week.

Mr. William Montgomery of Gouldbusk received medical care last week.

Mrs. J. V. Rogers of Bronte was a medical patient last week.

Mr. S. B. Springfield of Talpa is here for medical treatment.

Mrs. Jim Featherston of Talpa received major surgery last week.

W. R. McMinn of Bangs is receiving medical care.

Miss Vela Bowen of Gouldbusk underwent major surgery last week.

John Earl Box of Rockwood received surgical care last week.

Mrs. H. H. Williams of Coleman received major surgical treatment last week.

Norman Beaman of Coleman underwent minor surgery last week.

Mr. Herman Lange of Ballinger was a surgical patient last week.

Mr. S. E. Campbell of Pioneer was here last week for medical treatment.

Virgil Adams of Burkett is here for medical treatment.

Miss Doris Walker of Coleman received surgical treatment last week.

Mr. J. W. Thomas of Rockwood is receiving medical care.

Mr. Henry Thate of Burkett is receiving medical care.

Mrs. E. W. Davis of Paint Rock was a medical patient last week.

Horace Gibbs of Talpa was here last week for medical treatment.

Mrs. W. H. Joiner of Sanco was here last week for examination and medical treatment.

Mrs. H. E. Metcalfe of Gouldbusk received medical care last week.

Mrs. Rex Golston received major surgery last week.

Mrs. P. D. Miller of Bangs received emergency surgery last week.

Mrs. O. A. Etheridge received major emergency surgery Sunday.

W. N. Rice of Brooksmith was a medical patient several days ago.

Mr. Claude Beeler returned to his home in Cross Plains Sunday after receiving medical care for several days.

Mr. Will Burton of Coleman was admitted Sunday for medical care.

Miss Minnie Crowder of Coleman is here for medical treatment.

**\* Coleman Junct'n \***

The local B. T. S. union went to Liberty Sunday night and presented a program in behalf of the organization of a union.

Mrs. Roy Parker and children visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Odum.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Dunn, Misses Cleo Dunn and Opal Odum were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shamblin of Shields.

Roy Winstead and Lois Crump spent Saturday with Willis Moore.

Lois Crump returned to his home Thursday of last week after having visited for the past month with relatives in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Sewell were Sunday guests in the G. C. Win-

stead home.

Hubert Smith of Bee Branch visited Saturday night with Dale Hatcher.

Miss Lillian Winslett had as her guest Sunday Miss Aleene Ripley.

The County B. T. S. Association met at the local church Sunday afternoon with a large crowd present.

Roy Winstead visited Sunday with Virgil Sewell.

### Leedy News

Leedy defeated Longview in a game here Sunday. The scores were 7-2.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Cannon and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cannon enjoyed eating ice cream in the J. D. Henderson home near Santa Anna Saturday night.

Miss Gladys Wallace spent Saturday night with Miss Helen Parrish.

Arthur Switzer was in Coleman on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Corder enjoyed ice cream at Mr. and Mrs. Everett Parrish's Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Baker, who have been attending Howard Payne College at Brownwood, were at home last week.

Mrs. Henry Fisher and children of Utopia, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tucker, returned home this week.

Mrs. Ardis Shannon and little daughter, Nettie Ardis are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Switzer.

Mrs. Herman Corder was a guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Welch of the Cleveland Community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy and daughters Golda and Alene were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Herring Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Audie Huraph-ries have returned home from an extended visit with relatives near O'Donnel.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Corder were business visitors in Coleman Saturday.

W. A. Stephens has received word from relatives at Edcouch that several brick buildings were laid flat during the recent hurricane, and other damage was done, but no one was hurt. Mr. Stephens moved from there last September.

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The party at the Pete Herring home Saturday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Williams were dinner guests in the Hugh Phillips home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kelley spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Wade near Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Blanton

and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Clem Scott near Lavin Sunday. Miss Mildred Blanton and Misses Evelyn and Thelma Cupps were dinner guests Sunday of Miss Ruth Moore. Several of the Cleveland folks attended the singing at Trib- ham Sunday night.

### SELF CULTURE CLUB

September 22, 1933  
Hostess: Mrs. C. F. Petty  
Time: Four o'clock  
Subject: Romantic Dixie-land  
Leader: Mrs. Bannister.

1. A Survey of Louisiana, Its Romantic History and Resources—Leader.

2. Smoke Over Alabama and Problem of Muscle Shoals—Mrs. Hays.

3. History of the Great Mississippi, Its Service and Widespread Devastation—Mrs. Fry.

4. Points of Interest in Tennessee; Marching Through Georgia—Mrs. Oder.  
Answer Roll Call with Southern Melody or with quotation from Southern writer.

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YOU'LL CHEER THEM AS YOU DID IN "MIN AND BILL"

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THURSDAY SEPTEMBER "BED OF ROSES"  
and FRIDAY 21st — 22nd with Constance Bennett



## OUR PART

### The Flag Goes Up....

This company has subscribed to the National Recovery Act, and accepts the moral and financial responsibilities that are involved.

### The Price of Electricity Comes Down!

Beginning September 1st, the 3 per cent Federal tax on domestic and commercial electric bills will no longer be paid by our customers. Hereafter the tax will be paid by the company.

**This is a Reduction in Your Cost for Electricity.**

....But it decreases our earnings from commercial and domestic use by 3 per cent.... The National Recovery Act also subjects this company to additional operating expenses.... Under the code for the industry which now governs this company, we are re-arranging personnel and working schedules which will result in increased payrolls.

These conditions create new, difficult and costly problems for us, but we approach them willingly, glad to contribute what we can to help the nation to better times.

## YOUR PART

### USE MORE ELECTRICITY

In your business and in your home.  
Your business will be stimulated, your home will become more livable,.... and you will be playing the game.

As always, the real interests of the company and its consumers are identical. That community of interest is the foundation of the policy of the NRA. That spirit will insure its success.

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**Piggly Wiggly Flour — The Kind You All Like**

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**PICNIC HAMS** Fine baked **per pound .10**

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