

SANTA ANNA NEWS

Thirty-Sixth Year

Santa Anna, Coleman County, Texas, Friday, July 7, 1922

Number 27

"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

AT THE CHURCHES

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. D. J. Barnes, Supt.
Preaching 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.
Junior B. Y. P. U. meets at 3:00 p. m.
Mrs. Rude, Leader.
Sunbeam 3:00 p. m. Miss Hilda Harrell, Leader.
Senior B. Y. P. U. 7 p. m., Miss Gertrude Baker, Pres.
Prayer meeting Wednesday night.
J. M. Reynolds, pastor.

Pastor Reynolds is in a revival meeting at Talpa this week, and Rev. W. R. Hornberg of Brownwood will preach at both hours next Sunday.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Great Chapters.
Song Service.
Prayer.
Bible Quiz.
Introduction.—By Leader.
The Purpose of Each of the Writers.—Thelma Martin.
The Prologue of John's Gospel.—Edgar Traylor.
The Eternity of Jesus.—Mary McCorkle.
Jesus the Agent in Creation.—Valma Evans.
Jesus is the Service of Life and Light.—Pearl Traylor.
The Relation of John the Baptist to Jesus.—Mrs. Campbell.
The Relation of the People in the World to Jesus.—Vesta Evans.
The Incarnation of Christ.—Mr. Gregg.
Leader.—Thelma Martin.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. J. Frank Turner, Supt.
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday 7 p. m.
Missionary Society every second Monday in each month. Mrs. J. Frank Turner, President.
Epworth League 6:15 p. m. C. B. Venter, President.
R. A. Crosby, pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bible school 10 a. m.
Preaching morning and evening every Lord's Day with the exception of Second Sunday.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.
All visitors are welcome.—Ed Baxter, Supt. Leon Williams, pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school 10 a. m. J. D. Holt, Supt.
Preaching 11:00 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. 6:30 p. m., Christian Endeavor Society.
A cordial invitation to all to worship with us.
T. W. Davidson, pastor.

Christian Endeavor Program

Presbyterian Church
Topic.—How to Get the Blessings of Freedom. John 8: 31-36.
Leader.—Elizabeth McClellan.
Fighting for Freedom. Judg. 7: 1-8.—Lee Land.
Religious Freedom. Ex. 7: 14-18.—Winnifred Whetstone.
Praying for Freedom. Neh. 1: 1-11.—Tom McClellan.
Using Freedom Aright. 1 Peter. 2: 11-20.

Vocal Duet.—Winnifred and Ethel Whetstone.

Piano Solo.—Ruth Holt.
Choir rehearsal 6:45 o'clock.
Christian Endeavor 7:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Grady Adams was hostess to the Merry Wives Club last Thursday, quite a large number of the members were present, also a few invited guests. Refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served, and all spent an enjoyable afternoon.

Mrs. W. L. Mills was hostess to the Woman's Missionary Union Monday of last week. Just a few members were present, but the meeting was very interesting. Punch and ice cream was served, and the evening was well spent.

A city exchange remarks that some towns spend more time in sounding their slogans than they do in cleaning their streets. Glowing slogans cause the stranger to expect something out of the ordinary, and when he learns his mistake his interest ceases to exist.

Fine words on the wings of wind travel a long way, but a clean street leaves a more lasting impression.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

Sunday School Lesson

(By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Teacher of English Bible in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)
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LESSON FOR JULY 9

DANIEL INTERPRETING NEBUCHADNEZZAR'S DREAM

GOLDEN TEXT—Daniel 2: 47. "The kingdoms of this world are become the kingdoms of our Lord, and of His Christ; and He shall reign forever and ever.—Rev. 11:16.
REFERENCE MATERIAL—Isa. 9: 6, 7; 14: 4; John 18: 33-35.
PRIMARY TOPIC—How God Answered Daniel's Prayer.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Daniel Reveals the King's Dream.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—How Daniel Met a Severe Test.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—God's World-Kingdom: Its Nature and Method.

I. Nebuchadnezzar's Dream (vv. 1-13).

This dream made a tremendous impression upon the king's mind, but he had forgotten its content. He urgently demanded of the wise men that they make known the dream and its interpretation. Because of their failure the king was very furious and commanded all the wise men of Babylon to be slain.

II. The Revelation of the Dream (vv. 14-28).

When the decree was in process of execution Daniel was sought out to be slain. He sought an interview with the king and obtained time. Note:

1. The prayer meeting in Babylon (vv. 14-18).

Daniel was the leader in that prayer meeting. He called his fellows together and most definitely prayed to God. Their lives were at stake; their need was great.

2. Daniel's ascription of praise to God (vv. 19-23).

God heard their prayer and Daniel responded in lofty strains of praise to God.

3. Daniel before the king (vv. 24-30).

Because he had been with the Lord and had obtained wisdom, he was confident before the great king.

4. The content of the dream (vv. 31-35).

Daniel made known to the king that in his dream he had beheld a great image with a head of gold, breast and arms of silver, belly and thighs of brass, legs of iron and feet of iron and part of clay. He beheld the image smitten by a stone and the stone became a great mountain.

III. The Interpretation of the Dream (vv. 36-49).

1. The head of gold represented the Chaldean monarchy with Nebuchadnezzar as its head (vv. 37, 38).

With the accession of Nebuchadnezzar to the throne, the times of the Gentiles began.

2. The breast and arms of silver represented the Medo-Persian power (v. 39).

The Medo-Persian empire was a kingdom inferior to the Chaldean.

3. The belly and thighs of brass represented the Grecian empire under Alexander the Great (v. 39).

4. The legs of iron represented the Roman empire (vv. 40-43).

(1) The two legs represented the eastern and western divisions of the Roman empire. (2) The feet of iron and clay represented the two elements of human government, which inhered in the Roman empire and are present today in all forms of government, namely, absolutism and socialism, or imperialism and democracy. These elements have no coherency.

5. The stone cut out of the mountain (vv. 44, 45).

This is the kingdom of heaven so graphically set forth in the New Testament, for the kingdom of heaven is the kingdom which the God of heaven shall set up. (1) The stone is Christ (Isa. 28: 16; Matt. 21: 42-44). (2) When did the stone strike? The impact of the stone was upon the feet of the columns (v. 34). This shows that it did not strike at Christ's first coming, for the Roman empire was a unit at that time; not even the division of the empire as represented by the two legs had taken place as yet. The stone smiting the feet shows that the stone will strike when the Roman empire shall have been divided up into ten kingdoms. (3) The kingdom of heaven is thus seen to be brought into realization through a great catastrophe. The end is not by gradual and peaceful extension through preaching the gospel, but by a crushing blow. The stone does not fill the earth by crowding the colossus out, neither by securing its submission to God, but destroying it. Gentle dominion shall end in a crash; upon its ruins shall be built the kingdom of heaven. The action of the stone is of judgment, not grace. The text plainly says it is "after" the stone has done its smiting work that it becomes a great mountain and fills the whole earth (see Psalms 2: 5, 6; Zech. 14: 9). Just as the first part of this dream was literally fulfilled, so shall the last part be fulfilled. Messiah's kingdom shall be a real and literal kingdom.

LONGVIEW NEWS

The meeting last week was attended by a large crowd. We would have liked for Bro. Fechner to preach longer for us, but he had to close the meeting Saturday night.

Miss Jessie Stephenson took supper with Miss Ler Lee Casey Friday night.

A happy day was spent on Jim Ned by Mr. and Mrs. Kit Casey, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Griffith, Misses Thelma, Ler Lee and Ouida Casey, Jessie Stephenson, Adrain Griffith, Eunice Strawn and Helen Dean, Messrs. Wade and Arthur Casey, Ernest Stephenson, Manos Strawn and Rodney Dean.

Mr. Clifford Stephenson is at home after being gone a week.

Misses Jessie Stephenson, Eme Lee Bell, Adrain Griffith and Eunice Strawn, Messrs. Raymond Neal, Deril Griffith, and Manos Strawn were visitors in the Long home Saturday.

Mrs. Maggie Steffie is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Stephenson called on Mrs. Coppin Saturday.

Mrs. Neal and children visited Mrs. Oakes and children of Santa Anna Saturday.

Mr. Manos Strawn of Grosvenor spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. Jess Griffith.

Mrs. Lottie Stewart and Mr. Bill Price visited Mr. Clifford Stephenson Sunday.

Mrs. Stephenson and daughter Miss Elsie, took dinner with Mrs. Gardner of the Mayo community Friday. They also spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Lee Boardman.

Mrs. Carrol Thames and Mary Rainey spent Friday in the Neal home.

We were visited by a nice shower Sunday.

Mr. Albert Dean and family called at Mr. Ben Herring's Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Stephenson and children called at Mr. Neal's Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Oakes and family spent Sunday with Mr. Neal and family.

Mr. Vanderford and daughter, Beulah, and Miss Rude of Santa Anna called at Mrs. Stephenson's Sunday.

Mr. W. F. McCain and children called at Mr. Long's Sunday afternoon.

We were intending to have church Sunday night, but on account of the cloud we did not get to have it.

Miss Eunice Strawn returned to her home at Grosvenor Sunday after spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Jess Griffith.

We intend to have a meeting this week if it does not rain it out. The Christian preacher of Santa Anna will hold it.

"Bobbie."

FATS VS. LEANS

Monday evening of this week, one of the most amusing base ball games of the season was played on the local diamond by local talent.

This game was made up by the business men of the town, in which the fats crossed bats with the leans and played the full nine innings to the tune of 7-11 in favor of the fats. (This might not have been the exact score, but was the way we got it).

Roy McFarland pitched for the fats, Grady Adams and Ross Kelley pitched for the leans, each side substituting other players during the progress of the game.

The line-ups were: Harve Melton, Dennis Kelley, Ed Keefe, Will Parker, Roy McFarland, B. W. Wilson, Mike Meyer, Walter Kirkpatrick and Dock Ashley for the fats.

Will Vinson, D. R. Hill, Grady Adams, Will Mills, Willie Gipson, Mr. Humphries, Gene Harvey, Ross Kelley, Leon Williams and Hardy Blue for the leans, with J. M. Weathers of Trickham as Umpire.

The gate receipts amounted to \$56.00 and went into the funds of the Base Ball Association.

A PLAIN CASE OF DUTY

Don't neglect the children. They may not exert any great influence upon the community life of today, but in a few short years they will be directing the affairs of the community while we will be looking on—or will have passed on.

As we train them today, so will they be then. And as they are then, so will we of today be judged.

We cannot escape our duty. It is plain and squarely before us. We may shirk it, and squirm out of it, but in the end we must pay, even in person or in memory.

The child does not come into this world of its own volition, and it should not be left to its own devices.

That which we create we should protect and foster and bring as near to a state of perfection as is humanly possible. Nothing else will suffice in the eyes of Him who created mankind.

The home without children is not without a duty to the children of other homes. They form an integral part of the community, and as such are entitled to the co-operation and encouragement of the remainder of the community.

The child may not say as much in the presence of its elders, but it sees much and remembers much of what it sees and hears.

Thus are its impressions formed, and these are the beacon lights that beckon it on to a life of honor or of ignomy.

"Remember the days of thy youth."

Though an adult today, you were a child once yourself.

There are other children around you.

TOO MUCH AND NOT ENOUGH

Why so much politics in the average country town or small community?

Why so little co-operation in the interest of local advancement?

Find the solution to these two problems, remove the cause, and you will more than justify your presence as a citizen.

Continued co-operation will make any community. Excessive political activity will throttle it.

We can find no fault with maintaining party lines in national and state affairs, but when they are drawn and tightened to include the small home town it has a tendency to destroy the hearty co-operation that is essential to local amity and prosperity.

Neighbors who think first of party ascendancy in time become so engrossed in their political strife they consider little else. Thus the legitimate plans for local improvements are advocated by the party adherents who propose them and are opposed by the members of the opposition party.

One group of active citizens is pulling against another regarding the merits of the questions at issue, while the inactive class stands idly by and watches one bunch smash the other.

Political hatreds and community animosity are thus engendered to the detriment of progressive advancement.

Too much of one and not enough of the other will get us nowhere.

TALKING ABOUT US

(Brownwood Bulletin)

Among the many visitors to Brownwood Tuesday attending the big barbecue and celebration generally, was Editor J. J. Gregg of the Santa Anna News, one of the real live wire newspapers of the central west. Mr. Gregg is a genuine optimist and had much to say in regard to the general industrial outlook in his part of the country, which he says is fine. Editor Gregg was accompanied by L. V. Stockard, C. K. Hunter and Ernest Weaver all representative business men and citizens of the Santa Anna section of Coleman county.

PASS THE "CHEVON"

Now how many of you know any more than you did before?

Well, that is the name of just plain old goat meat. This name was adopted at the Sheep and Goat Raisers Association at San Angelo last week.

From cattle we have steak, from hogs pork, from sheep mutton, from the deer venison, so why should there not be a distinctive name for goat meat? We now have and the name is Chevon. So when you attend the next barbecue show that you are "Hep" to the new word, say "Pass the Chevon."

FRENCH CHILD IS BORN IN AIRPLANE

Paris, July 1.—Madame Georges Breyer, a French woman of Lyons, yesterday achieved the distinction of being the first woman to give birth to a child in an airplane.

Madame Breyer was at a remote seashore resort in Southern Italy when she felt the first warnings of nature. She immediately chartered an airplane for Naples and when 40 miles south of that city, 6,000 feet over the Mediterranean, she gave birth to the child.

Steadying the plane, the pilot drifted slowly to earth and landed near a tourist hotel, where first aid was given. Both the son and mother are doing nicely.

The child will be christened Guynemeyer, in honor of the famous French aviator killed during the war. The mother purchased the airplane as a souvenir.

The question of the nationality of the child is not disputed, as the French law specifies that a child takes his father's name regardless of the place of birth.

A TRIBUTE TO THE COW

A reader of the Democrat-Voice hands in the following tribute to the cow, whose author is unnamed:

"Most potent of all single influences in the building of this, the mightiest nation in all history, is the cow. Her sons drew the plows which first turned the sod of the new world; hauled to market the products of the field and, with slow energy, moved the chattels and household goods beyond the mountains to new homes in the farther West.

"They supplied the beef which is the food of the Anglo-Saxon race that has never been conquered since history began. They pulled the plows of the pioneers who trod the unknown wilds and made of them the farmsteads and cities of our present enlightenment. They gave the clothes and robes to protect the pioneer against the destroying blasts of winter and made commerce possible before the railroad was. They covered the chair upon which we sat, filled the mattress upon which he slept and glued together the furniture he used.

"The old cow is mother of the whole bovine race and foster-mother of half the human race.

"From the roadside weed she manufactures the most nourishing of human foods. She is the ready aid of the farmer, the pet of the rich man and the ever-present help of the poor. She is the economist of the people and the conservator of their resources. She partakes of the grass of the fields and leaves the farmer richer for her presence. As she helped to develop the farm from the wilderness and as she ate of its first fruits, so will she renew the life of the soil and make a greater agriculture possible.

"In all our history the cow has been man's closest friend and benefactor. Upon her products are built the great business interests which center in the stock yards, the creameries, the shoe factories, the harness shops and the mills.

"Take away the cow and our banks would close, our graveyards yawn and the wheels of commerce would cease to turn. Foster and care for her and business flourishes, the fertility of the soil is conserved and she becomes the custodian of the nation's property.—Democrat-Voice.

EMIGRATION IS AT END

El Paso, Texas, June 30.—The greatest emigration of Christian peoples since Moses led his followers out of Egypt is at an end. The arrival last week of 28 cars of live stock, provisions and supplies marks the end of the emigration of the Mennonites from Canada to Mexico. These trains will proceed on to Bustillos, Chihuahua, Mexico, where the main body of the religious sect is situated.

More than 200,000 members of the tribe have made the journey.

During the war the Canadian government refused to recognize the Mennonite tenet of abstaining from warfare. Despite protests of the tribal leaders many of them were drafted into service and forced to fight. This caused much bitterness and the question of migrating was brought up.

Many countries offered them land. Mexico, however, bid the highest and got them. Representatives made more than a dozen trips back and forth and the arrangements were completed.

The Mennonites are excellent farmers and have transformed the dry lands around Chihuahua into a veritable paradise.

They are a thrifty, far-sighted people and merchants are anticipating good business.

TRAMPS ATTACK TRAINMEN

Lubbock, June 30.—Jerry R. Redden of Paris, Texas, Santa Fe freight brakeman, was killed and J. S. Vaughn, conductor of Slaton, received severe knife wounds about the face, when they attempted to dislodge two men from a box car near here late Thursday afternoon.

When the two men were ordered to come out of the box car, wherein they had been locked, the unauthorized passengers attacked the trainmen with knives. Redden died almost instantly. Vaughn was brought to Lubbock and placed in a hospital, where his condition is said to be serious.

The assailants were captured by the section foreman and his workmen, after a short chase and lodged in the jail here. Feeling is running high and the prisoners may be spirited away for safe keeping.

MRS. ELLAN HARROD

Mrs. Ellan Harrod, who has been engaged in the hotel business in Santa Anna for the past several years, died at the local hospital early Wednesday morning after a struggle of several days, lingering between life and death. She was carried to the hospital early last week for an emergency operation for appendicitis after the appendix had ruptured, and her case was considered almost hopeless from the beginning. All that skilled physicians and nurses could do was did but the odds were too numerous to be overcome and death was the result.

Her remains were placed in their last resting place in the City Cemetery late Wednesday evening after an appropriate funeral service conducted by Rev. J. M. Reynolds, in the First Baptist church. A large number of sorrowing friends joined the relatives and accompanied the remains to their last resting place, where the body was nicely placed away beneath a mound of beautiful flowers.

Mrs. Harrod was 46 years of age, a widow, and leaves seven children, 3 grown girls and 4 boys ranging down to 9 years, to mourn her untimely death.

The News joins in extending sympathy to the bereaved.

WILL YOU HELP?

We, the colored people of Santa Anna, are raising money to purchase a house to worship in. We ask the white citizens to help us. We thank you for your liberality.

Geo. V. Cavett, Pastor, Frank Fields, Treasurer, Tommie Snell, Secretary.

Leave amount at either bank or with either of the above named parties.

No. 172
OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE
FIRST STATE BANK

At Santa Anna, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1922, published in the Santa Anna News a newspaper printed and published at Santa Anna, State of Texas, on the 7th day of July, 1922.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$280,047.05
Overdrafts	1,181.96
Bonds and Stocks	2,100.00
Real Estate (Banking House)	17,230.60
Furniture and Fixtures	7,000.00
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand	54,899.88
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	3,896.80
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	10,521.34
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange	959.84
Other Resources—Collection account	1,615.00
Total	\$379,452.47
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	35,000.00
Surplus Fund	20,000.00
Undivided profits, net	15,398.49
Individual deposits, subject to check	219,432.40
Time Certificates of Deposits	5,601.77
Cashier's Checks	4,200.37
Bills Payable and Rediscunts	79,819.44
Total	\$379,452.47

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF COLEMAN:
We, Leman Brown, as president, and P. P. Bond, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
LEMAN BROWN, President
P. P. BOND, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of July, A. D. 1922.
C. W. WOODRUFF,
Notary Public Coleman County, Texas

Correct—Attest:
S. W. CHILDERS,
MILES WOFFORD,
S. H. PHILLIPS,
Directors.

No. 8199.
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF
THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

At Santa Anna, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 30, 1922

RESOURCES	
1. a Loans and discounts, including rediscunts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c)	\$241,738.85
Total loans	241,738.85
2. Overdrafts, unsecured	1,540.48
4. U. S. Government Securities Owned:	
a Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	10,000.00
b All other United States Government securities (including premiums, if any)	5,477.95
Total	15,477.95
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.	5,139.44
6. Banking House, \$7,000; Furniture and fixtures, \$2,500	9,500.00
7. Real estate owned other than banking house	5,000.00
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	17,593.78
11. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks	36,064.70
11. Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in items 8, 9, and 10)	17.46
13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 12)	181.30
Total of items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13	\$ 36,263.46
14. b Miscellaneous cash items	188.15
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer and due from U. S. treasurer	500.00
Total	\$332,942.11
LIABILITIES	
17. Capital stock paid in	40,000.00
18. Surplus fund	40,000.00
19. Undivided profits	17,264.87
c Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	7,497.02
20. Circulating notes outstanding	10,000.00
25. Cashier's checks outstanding	1,719.90
26. Individual deposits subject to check	224,354.36
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits subject to reserve, items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31)	\$245,477.21
32. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)	7,100.00
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, items 32, 33, 34, and 35	\$ 7,100.00
Total	\$332,942.11

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF COLEMAN, ss:
I, C. W. Woodruff, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
C. W. WOODRUFF, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of July, 1922.
PEARL WILBOURN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
B. WEAVER
V. L. GRADY
L. V. STOCKARD
Directors.

PROGRAM AT
Best Theatre

For Week Beginning July 10—
MONDAY & TUESDAY—
"THE ISLE OF ZORDA"
Is a motion picture entirely surrounded by Adventure, mystery, thrills, beauty and sensations. Adapted from Jules Verne's novel "Mathias Sandorf." Don't fail to see this.

WEDNESDAY—
"PROXIES"
A Cosmopolitan Production.

THURSDAY & FRIDAY—
Wm. S. Hart in
"G'MALLY OF THE MOUNTED"
And Lloyd Comedy.

SATURDAY—
"MISTRESS OF THE WORLD"
And Shang High Comedy.

SWIMMING PARTY
A jolly crowd of young people from Santa Anna went to Home Creek last Thursday afternoon, where they had a swimming party. They left Santa Anna in the middle of the afternoon and arrived at the creek in time to have a nice picnic dinner, and then have a good swim. Those who attended the party were: Misses Lucille and Margaret Barnes, Ruth Stephenson, Lucille May, Inez Marshall, Athlea Moon and Messrs. Carroll Kingsbery, Roy Newman, S. D. Harper Jr., Jessie Hunter, Homer Turner, Pat Hosh, Leonard Gipson, Elgean Hensley, Sprout Todd and James Gipson. Mrs. Gipson chaperoning the party.

WHEN MEN ARE WEAK
The gates of the mysterious hereafter open the other day and received former Emperor Charles, of Austria, exiled on the island of Madeira. Charles, before his downfall, was one of the rulers of the earth. Yet a few germs—so small that millions of them could hold a dance on a dime—crept into his system and had him at their mercy. King or slave, rich man, or beggar, all look alike to germs. They are no respecter of person. Watching their havoc, we realize that men are mighty only among themselves, in their own estimation, in their own vanity.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News has been authorized to announce the following candidates for office subject to action of the Democratic primaries in July 1922:

- For Congress, 17th District
W. J. CUNNINGHAM
(Abilene, Texas.)
- For County Judge
S. J. PIERATT
PLEAS WILLIAMSON
L. G. MATHEWS
(Of Coleman County, re-election.)
M. M. WILLIAMS
- For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2
W. M. BELL
G. F. (FRANK) PEARCE
J. D. WHETSTONE
J. M. (MARSHALL) DUGGINS
ALVA C. WOODWARD
JOE B. FLORES
- For Tax Collector
J. C. LEWIS
J. T. RILEY
MARLIN SMITH
- For County Treasurer
MRS. LEILA COLLINS
(Re-election)
N. (NOLAN) BARMORE
B. H. PITTMAN
MRS. S. A. (CLINT) SMYTH
- For Tax Assessor
GEO. M. SMITH
(Re-election)
- For District Clerk
W. E. GIDEON
(Re-election)
- For County Clerk
L. EMET WALKER
(Re-election)
- For Constable (Precinct No. 7)
W. S. (BILL) CONLEY
- For Sheriff
W. R. HAMILTON
(Re-election)
DICK PAULEY
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 2
W. T. VINSON
(Present Commissioner)
J. R. (JOHN) PEARCE
- For Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 7
C. F. FREEMAN

- MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISING**
- 100 pounds Best Cane Sugar, \$6.75 at Marshall's.
 - FOR RENT—Good 7 room house located near school building.—H. W. Kingsbery. 23-ff.
 - FOR SALE—Hay Press, Mowing machine and Buck rake.—John Spencer, Trickham, Texas. 25-3tp.
 - Buy your Sugar from Marshall.
 - THE CITY LAUNDRY Will appreciate your laundry work, 35c per dozen.—Mettie Rountree, Prop.
 - FOR SALE—Good Jersey cow, fresh.—W.H. Gardner. 27-2p
 - Cake Flour, the best made, \$2.00 per sack at Marshall's.
 - 25 Cents for Especially quick service in light hauling. See Dick Jones, or phone 88. 24-4tp.
 - The best groceries for less at Marshall's.
 - PASTURAGE—I have plenty of pasturage for horses and cattle.—H. W. Kingsbery. 23-ff.
 - The best Cane Sugar only \$6.75 per 100 pounds at Marshall's.
 - Clean Cotton Rags wanted at the News office. tf
 - 13lb Cane Sugar \$1.00 at Marshall's.
 - Dr. Hales, Optometrist, of Brownwood will be in our store Tuesday, July 11th. Eyes examined and correct glasses if needed. Service guaranteed. Come early—avoid rushing him.—Mrs. Comer Blue.
 - Try Marshall with that next order for groceries and see the difference.
 - NEED GLASSES?**
Dr. Jones, the Eye Man, at Childers & Co's. store, Saturday, July 15th. Eyes examined, glasses fitted, headache and eye strain relieved.
 - See Marshall's Grocery for casings and inner tubes.

POLAND CHINA MALE
I have at my farm a Registered Big Bone, Poland China male for service. Breed your sows to the best and note the difference.
N. L. BIGGS

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our thanks to all those who administered to our mother and sister during her illness and those who have shown us so many kindnesses we appreciate the beautiful floral offerings.—Miss Bill Harrod, and her other children, Willis Ashley, Mrs. Howard Bronner, Mrs. D. M. Hughes.

THE B. I. CLUB

The B. I. Club met at the home of Miss Lucille Barnes last Friday afternoon and spent a very pleasant afternoon in various kinds of entertainment. Little Miss Beth Barnes delighted them with several of her little readings. Refreshments consisting of Angel Food cake and apricot sherbert were served. The club had as its guest, Miss Margaret Lavender of Coleman. The Club will meet with Miss Blanche Collier next week.

CLARENCE PIPES FOR SHERIFF

I am a candidate for Sheriff. If I am elected, I will enforce the law. I want your vote and your influence and if I am elected I still want your influence to help me enforce the law. Now is the time to clean up—make this county a safe place for your children to live. Good morals and law-abiding people are necessary for the future welfare of the younger generation. I invite your support. I welcome your advice and I will honestly and impartially perform the duties of Sheriff to the very best of my knowledge and ability. If you think I am the proper man, vote for me. I am running on my own merits and not on the demerits of my opponents. Yours very truly,
CLARENCE PIPES,
Candidate for Sheriff.
Mr. Pipes has been living in the County nearly 14 years, has been connected with the Sheriffs office the greater part of the time, has been Constable of precinct No. 1 since Nov., 1920.

In this issue you will find some of the best bargains that have been advertised in these columns this season, profit yourselves by patronizing home trade.

B. F. Richardson was among our pleasant callers Monday and while here renewed his subscription to the News and also the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News.

EXIDE Battery Station

If you have a sick battery, it will pay you to see me before you have work done. I am an experienced man and devote my time to the business. I have a good line of Batteries to furnish while yours is in the shop. Get my prices before you have your battery worked on. Let me take care of your battery. Won't take long to test and water it. I have the best Battery on the market for sale, take old battery in on new one.

TRY ME!

B. M. HAYS

FIRST STATE BANK BUILDING

E. T. MORRISON'S

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
Special Attention to Renovating
TELEPHONE 186 COLEMAN, TEXAS
WE CALL FOR AND DELIVER

J. M. BRADLEY'S PLACE

For Peanuts, Popcorn,
Hamburgers, Cold Drinks
and Candies.
DEPOT STREET

1-4
Off

**CHOICE OF
THE HOUSE**

1-4
Off

JULY CLEARANCE

Wednesday, July 5th to Thursday, July 20th

14 DAYS OF SUPER SAVINGS!

COME TO BROWNWOOD AND SAVE—BUY DURING OUR 14 DAYS JULY CLEARANCE—CHOICE OF \$100,000 STOCK OF FINE DEPENDABLE, QUALITY MERCHANDISE AT—

1-4 OFF

RADICAL—UNUSUAL! THE FIRST TIME IN THE HISTORY OF OUR BUSINESS THAT WE HAVE MADE SUCH A RADICAL, STORE-WIDE, OFFERING THIS EARLY IN THE SEASON. WE ARE GOING TO MOVE MOUNTAINS OF MERCHANDISE, AND HERE YOU WILL FIND the Largest, Best Assorted stock of Merchandise in Brownwood and these good stocks are offered you—YOUR CHOICE—for 14 days at ONE-FOURTH OFF.

Not just a few bargains, not just a few odds and ends, but a STORE FULL of Bargains for each item in stock is yours at 1-4 off. You can buy Men's Clothing, Boys' Clothing, Ready-to-Wear, Silks, Woolens, Summer Dress-Goods, Silk Underwear, Muslin Underwear, SHOES—anything you need to wear that's here is yours at ONE-FOURTH OFF. Everything marked in plain figures.

If you buy \$100.00 worth—YOU SAVE \$25—It's worth a trip

1-4
Off

Hemphill-Fain Co.
BROWNWOOD, TEXAS
Corner Baker and Fisk Streets

1-4
Off

SANTA ANNA NEWS

One year in Coleman county.....\$1.00
Six months in Coleman county.....60c
One year outside of county.....\$1.50
(Payable in advance.)

No subscription taken outside of the county for less than six months.
Advertising rates 25c and 30c per inch.

Local notices ten cents per line for each insertion.
Obituaries, Cards of Thanks and Resolutions of Respect are charged at one-half the regular rate.

J. J. GREGG, Editor and Publisher
Friday, July 7, 1922

Entered at the Post Office at Santa Anna, Texas, as Second Class Mail.

On next Tuesday, July 11, a very important election will be held in Santa Anna, at which election the following proposition will be submitted: "Shall the City Commission of the City of Santa Anna, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of the City of Santa Anna in the sum of Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars, payable and to mature serially within any given number of years not to exceed forty years within the discretion of the City Commission of the City of Santa Anna, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem them at maturity, for the purpose of construction or purchase of water works within the limits of said City of Santa Anna." The election has been ordered several weeks, notice of which has been published in the News for your information. Up to this time we have heard of no protest being made against the proposition, and we hope there will not be, for the proposition that has been worked out by the City Commission is believed to be one of the best moves that has ever been made for real progress on the part of the City. As we understand, about Ten Thousand Dollars of the present outstanding bonds can be retired, and by issuing Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars in bonds or warrants, our indebtedness will only be increased Fifteen Thousand Dollars. Any member of the City Commission will take pleasure in explaining the proposition to any citizen wishing information, and we feel sure that if the proposition is thoroughly understood but very little opposition, if any, will arise if you are not satisfied in regard to the matter, call upon the members of the City Commission and they will gladly explain the same to your satisfaction.

The meek ought to inherit the earth, when you come to think of it. They are the ones who pay taxes without kicking.



BOBBY THINKS OUR SODA

is just the "best ever" and he is not alone in that opinion. There are lots of people who simply cannot pass here without coming in for a glass of the soda experience has taught them is so delicious. Have you tested it yet? If not you have missed one of the joys of living. Don't miss it any longer.
Our Ice Cream is best by test.

HUNTER DRUG STORE
C. K. Hunter, Prop.

STOP THAT ITCHING
If you suffer from any form of skin disease such as Itch, Eczema, Tetter, Ringworm, Crackhands, sore Feet, Dandruff, Falling Hair, Old Sores, or Sores on children, or any other skin disease we will sell you a jar of Blue Star Remedy on a guarantee that if not satisfied we will refund your money.—C. K. Hunter, drug-
75t. 6-31t.

WATKINS PRODUCTS
If you want any articles of the famous J. R. Watkins products write me at Santa Anna or call me when in town. We carry a full line and will be glad to fill your orders by mail or in person. Agents wanted to work some good territory now open.—T. S. Slaughter, Santa Anna, Texas. 21-tf.
LOST—Ladies size gold watch, lost Wednesday May 31, on the Whon road. Finder return to this office for reward. 22-tf

Capt. J. D. Dickson of Brownwood, was in the city this week and paid this office a call while here. Capt. Dickson has an ad in this paper and will be glad to hear from any of our readers who are interested in his line.

Many people live in the objective case. They believe the way to get through the world and reach heaven when they die is to "not" do this and that, and the consequence is they never do anything but criticize those who are trying to do something. If their home town, or their church, depended upon them for advancement neither would get anywhere. They belong strictly to the "don't" and not to the "do" class.

It seems to be quite out of style now for anyone to think of the states in the matter of government, and all that occurs to them is to go to Washington and ask the federal government to make laws for the regulation of everything. Why not abolish state governments entirely and let every state be placed in the position of the District of Columbia? Are we citizens of the state or the United States? And what are we coming to anyway?

Congressman Thomas L. Blanton of Abilene, Texas, will speak here on Thursday night, July 13, at 8:30 o'clock. He will fully explain the many attacks made upon him in Congress and why certain leaders want him out of the House of Representatives. Ladies specially invited. He would like to have every taxpayer present. He will show you how your money is wasted. Congressman Blanton has made a close personal study and investigation of every department and has found the leakages. Everybody come.

We are living in perilous times when civilization it seems is being put to the test. At such a time it behooves those who would lead the world in safe paths and bring about better conditions in society and government to themselves conform more closely to political and social morality. When so-called good citizens try to evade the law and set at naught the rules and ordinances enacted for the government and regulation of their communities, and who disregard the obligations imposed upon them either as public officers or as private citizens, there is little chance of creating a healthy public sentiment or of enforcing laws that many regard as unconstitutional and wholly obnoxious. Let the forces of law and order obey without attempt at evasion the commands of those who have the authority to direct the affairs of the community, and let our public officials cheerfully comply with the statutes enacted for their guidance, and we will have more hope of coming safely through the present crisis. The News is for law and order, and this can only be maintained by adherence to constitutional methods. It depends upon good citizens to lead the way.

The News editor appreciates those who see fit to report to us items of news for our local Round-up. A few of our readers are very thoughtful of local interest and courteous enough to report to us items of local interest, all of which we appreciate. Others are very indifferent toward us and often withhold information that would be of interest to the public, for some unknown reason to us. Now, the News desires to print every news item it can get hold of and while it is of course our business to get the news and give it to our readers as we see fit, we solicit the co-operation of our patrons in gathering items of interest about people of the town and county. We ask that our readers do not draw the conclusion that we do not want to bother with news items, no matter what they are. We want the news and we feel that when an item is phoned in or mailed to the office that the person responsible has conferred a favor on us and it is looked upon as such by the editor, and in no case do we feel that we have been inconvenienced.

To make a good, interesting newspaper, lots of news must appear in its columns and we would like for our readers and patrons to realize that we are always on the lookout for news items and will at all times appreciate them.

AS THE EDITOR SEES IT

Why cuss the warm weather? The Lord made it, and what is good enough for Him ought to be good enough for us.

If we didn't have the warm weather with its bright sunshine we wouldn't have any crops to feed us, and if we didn't have any feed we wouldn't long be here, and if we were not here we would miss all of the wonderful things that are created for our special benefit.

The warm weather is all right—perhaps a little uncomfortable at times, but quite necessary to our material well being.

Make the best of what the Lord gives you and you won't feel like cussing.

In one of our great cities there is a family composed of the parents, one little boy about six years of age, and a baby. The husband is a musician, and it is possible you have listened to his banjo on your Victrola.

Recently a number of friends were invited to a Sunday dinner. When seated at the table the husband quietly raised his hand. A sudden hush ensued. Neither of the parents are over zealous attendants at church, and the husband can even swear like a pirate. The guests were plainly puzzled.

Then a tiny voice was heard, asking God to bless the food, and the parents, and the baby brother, and the friends who were guests of the home.

Levity? You could have heard a pin drop.

Do it now. Make that your rule of life and success will be assured.

Many of the failures in the business world are caused by short sightedness and procrastination. Putting it off until tomorrow means that in many cases it is never done, and it is the things that are not done that cause the receipts to dwindle until a business is eventually wrecked.

It is just as easy to do it today as it is to put it off until the last minute. It is far more pleasant and decidedly more satisfactory.

The world is full of physical and commercial wrecks. The man who is a physical has-been couldn't go to the doctor in time, and the fellow who is down at the heels financially depended upon a tomorrow that never comes.

Do it now.

The bond market is on the toboggan, and the uninitiated are unloading at a sacrifice.

That is what the initiated are looking for. They want bonds, but they want them at a low price.

A bond that is worth buying is worth holding until maturity. If it is not worth holding it should not be bought.

Certain people can only become rich by making other people poorer.

Hold onto your bonds and don't be the goat.

Rain represents the difference between a farm and a desert. In ancient and in modern times the tillers of the soil have been dependent upon moisture laden clouds to bring the rain which sustains plant life. So, too, does the life of business depend upon advertising.

THE SPIRIT THAT WINS

The cultivation of a fraternal spirit has much to do with the success of a local community.

Where the population is limited the indifference or selfishness of a single individual exerts a depressing effect upon others, and this attitude of pessimism in time permeates the whole community. Men and women who really desire to advance the interests of themselves and their neighbors find it difficult to work to advantage when disaffected ones are continually throwing a wet blanket over every new project that is proposed.

Investigation and discussion are both commendable and desirable, but pessimistic remarks and pulling back in the community harness are on a par with a balky horse. They render more or less futile the efforts of those who would push forward to ultimate achievement.

A community of brothers working together in harmony is far better than one of opponents pulling in opposite directions.

"111"
cigarettes

10¢
They are GOOD!

THE BEST CONTRACT MAN'S INGENUITY CAN CONSTRUCT!
Made By a Stock Company 54 Years in The Business, and With Sixty-Eight Million in Assets.

Charging no more than any other company, we will do more. On any contract of ours, limited or unlimited, participating or non-participating, we will pay for loss of sight or use of limbs the face of the policy immediately, suspend your payment of premiums, then pay one per cent per month of face as long as you live, then the amount of the face again at death. If you become disabled permanently from any other cause, we will suspend your payment of premiums, pay you one per cent per month of face of policy as long as you live, then the face of policy at death. Double face of policy for accidental death. For a small sum (far less than any accident and health company charges) we will pay an amount weekly for temporary disability from any cause. If interested write name and address and mail to Capt. J. D. Dickson, Lock Box 252, Brownwood, Texas.

Name
Address
Come to see me when in Brownwood, I am next door to Baxter's Store. Santa Anna people remembers me when in charge of U. S. Relief Station in Brownwood, for drought stricken people in 1918.

FOR 5 WEEKS
Beginning Wed., June 28

We will give you a FREE TICKET to the Best Theatre with each purchase of 10c or more. This ticket is good for the Matinee ONLY.

We want you to trade with us because we know of no reason why you shouldn't.

We believe in Service, and Quality Groceries.

Hunter Bros.
48—"The Home of Good Eats"—48

PAINTS, WALLPAPER, LEAD & OIL
CARRIED IN STOCK
Let us solve your Painting and Decorating Problems. It pleases us to serve you. We do anything in the Paint Line.
JAYNES & SOUDER
Phones 244-226

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Huskison and son, and Mr. Rogers and Miss Easterly of Hamilton visited in the W. E. Faulkner home Saturday night and Sunday, returning home Sunday evening. Miss Christine Faulkner returned home with them for a visit.

Lloyd Burris, one of the sales force of the Santa Anna Mercantile Company, is taking his vacation. Mr. Burris and wife are visiting this week in Hill county, and expect to make a fishing trip before he returns to his work.

EXTRA SPECIAL
For The
HOT WEATHER

WE have about twenty-five Suits made of Mohair, Cool Cloth and Palm Beach, most of them silk trimmed and are the best of tailoring. A man will appreciate wearing these during the next few months, and they are values that sell regular up to \$25.00, for quick selling we offer choice of this lot at

\$12.00

Get yours now, you will find most sizes in the lot.

Santa Anna Merc. Co.
Quality Service

CAUGHT IN THE ROUND-UP

W. R. Kelley and sons, R. D. and V. O., visited the Pioneer oil field Tuesday and report everything looking very good.

J. W. Slough of Goldsboro, District Deputy for the I. O. O. F., will install the officers for the ensuing term at the local Hall Thursday night of this week.

Miss Bettie Blue, Mrs. S. D. Harper and daughter, Miss Ruby left last week for the state of Colorado to spend the summer.

Miss Freddie Miller of Houston is visiting in the J. D. Whetstone home this week.

Dr. Henry Lobestain, son of Mr. Lobestain on the Jim Ned north of town, a young man of many sterling qualities who received his schooling in the Santa Anna school, will locate here in Santa Anna for general practice. His friends will join the News in extending him a hearty welcome to our midst.

Mrs. W. T. Verner had as her guest this week, her cousin, Mrs. Ballinger, of Lubbock.

Among the visitors to Brownwood on Tuesday were C. A. Crump and J. C. Grantham.

Miss Annie Pope and her automobile party that motored to Dallas last week have returned.

The management of the John Tarleton Agricultural College very greatly appreciates the kind treatment and generous hospitality shown the band boys of this college while in your town. The boys report that your people were indeed very kind and good to them.

S. L. Cannon of Whon was a pleasant caller at this office last Friday and while here subscribed for the News.

Ben Vinson had business in Brownwood on Monday.

Mrs. Elmore has returned from a visit to Houston and Galveston. She visited her daughter, Miss Lillian Dalton.

Miss Mabel Harvey who is attending the summer school at Howard Payne College visited home folks last week-end.

Mrs. Eugene Harvey and children attended the picnic at Burkett last Saturday.

Miss Esther Clark of Brownwood accompanied Misses Dorris Gilmore and Mildred Gipson home from Howard Payne, and will be their guest for the fourth of July.

Judge Pieratt went to Talpa on Monday.

E. T. Riley went to Coleman Monday.

C. W. McKinney of Ballinger visited relatives in Santa Anna last week.

J. H. McKinney and wife went to Coleman Monday to visit relatives.

Walter Ransberger went to Coleman Monday on business.

Mrs. N. H. Walker of Christoval returned home after visiting her parents. She was accompanied home by Mr. C. M. Wood, her father.

Mrs. Bettie Radliff of Hillsboro has returned home after visiting in the C. M. Wood home a few days.

Mrs. Edith White returned to her home in Texico after visiting relatives near Santa Anna.

J. Pat Green of Blanket visited friends in Santa Anna. He was accompanied by "Busty" Russell of Wichita Falls.

Doc Keeney of the Lone Star community was doing business in Santa Anna Monday.

Moody Polk and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown, Misses Jewel and Virgie Brown, spent the night Monday and the day Tuesday fishing on Home Creek and report a splendid catch, both of the finny tribe and redbugs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rainbolt and daughter, Mrs. McCall, visited in Coleman Tuesday.

Mrs. Joe McCall of Brady visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rainbolt, in the city this week.

J. W. Parker and family, Mrs. G. W. Faulkner, Miss Grace Ewing and O. C. Petty spent the day Tuesday fishing on Home Creek.

A. L. Williams from out on Trickham route was a pleasant caller at this office Wednesday and while here renewed his subscription to the News and subscribed for the Democrat-Voice through this office.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hazlett returned Monday from an overland trip to western Colorado, where they visited relatives during their vacation. Mr. and Mrs. Hazlett are clerks at the Phillips Drug Store, and will be found at their post of duty in the future.

Col. H. W. Kingsbery was in the city from the ranch on Monday.

L. L. Shield and wife left last week for the state of California to spend the summer.

I. O. Shield and family left last week for the state of Colorado to spend the summer.

Miss Hilda Harrell who is attending the Summer term of Howard Payne College, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Rosa Lee Miricle, visited home folks here first of the week.

Messrs. Jaynes and Souder report they are just about finishing a large job of work, painting and papering for Uncle Henry Sackett in the Burkett community.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Glazier of DeLeon visited in the Jaynes and Souder home last week.

J. T. Pope returned last week from Del Rio, where he carried his son for recuperation in health. Mr. Pope received a letter this week stating that his son was making satisfactory improvement.

Judge S. J. Pieratt was among the candidates to take in the picnic at Valera last week, and get in some personal work in the interest of his candidacy for the office of County Judge.

C. E. Pipes of Coleman, candidate for sheriff, J. C. Lewis of Talpa, candidate for Tax Collector, J. M. Riley of Coleman, candidate for Tax Collector, and other candidates were in town last Thursday, and several were callers at this office.

W. H. Gardner from out on route one was among the callers at this office Saturday.

S. T. Brown has our thanks for calling in Saturday and renewing his subscription to the News.

J. M. Byrd, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Campbell and son, Thos., Misses Dora Kirkpatrick and Clyde Wright went to Blanket last week to represent Santa Anna at the Cumberland Presbyterian Presbytery for this district. They report an interesting meeting and a good time.

Mrs. N. R. Watkins of Lott is here this week visiting her son, J. E. Watkins and family.

Among those that went to Brownwood Tuesday to the 4th of July picnic were: Leman Brown and family, E. Greer and family, J. W. Kizer and family, P. P. Bond and family and their guests, little Pauline Bond and Faustine Butler of Cross Plains, Ford Barnes and family and Mrs. Burgess Weaver, F. C. Woodward and wife, Ben Vinson and wife, W. E. Baxter and family, Dr. Hays and Dr. Lovelady, S. W. Childers and family, Misses Maude and Fay Childers, Misses Bell and Maude Bowers, and about 150 others not counting the editor, L. V. Stockard, C. K. Hunter and Ernest Weaver. Several attended that we failed to get their names and cannot remember them just at this time.

R. D. Moore, Mrs. Moore and daughters, Gladys and Maurine, of Fort Worth are visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Bill Vinson is visiting her sister at San Angelo this week.

J. A. Walker and step-daughter, Miss Maggie Skinner, of Fort Worth are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bradley this week. Mr. Walker is the father of Mrs. Bradley.

Burl Sparkman, one of the sales force at Hunter Bros., is taking his vacation.

The tenant house on the Campbell farm just north of the mountain was destroyed by fire last Saturday evening, together with the contents, consisting of the household effects of W. L. Constable and family. We have not been informed of the origin of the fire, but the house and contents, as we understand, were a complete loss.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Green visited their son, George, and family at Rockwood several days last week and this.

J. G. Williamson and family visited from Saturday to Monday with Mr. Williamson's parents on Home Creek near Whon. Miss Lucille May accompanied them on their visit.

Santa Anna and Coleman county received a fine rain last Sunday night and the crop prospects are greatly improved over that of last week. The drouth had begun to effect the feed crop considerably, but this week finds crops of every description looking fine, and a fair crop is now assured. Cotton had not suffered as the result of the drouth.

PLAINVIEW NEWS

The crops are looking fine after the rain Sunday, and the farmers are all smiles.

Mr. John Newman was called Saturday to the bedside of his father, Mr. Bill Newman. Mr. Newman has been in bad health for some time.

Mrs. Walker and children who have been visiting Mrs. Walker's parents, returned to their home in San Angelo Monday.

Odis Brown called on Everett Parish Saturday.

Several from here attended the picnic at Valera Friday, all reported a nice time and lots of dinner.

Misses Ethel Bowles and Opal Pritchard visited at the C. M. Wood home Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. C. A. Bivins and children took supper with Mrs. Paul Bivins Wednesday night.

Mrs. J. E. Bowles spent Monday with Mrs. T. T. Fowler.

Mrs. J. L. Gober and Misses Esther and Ida Gober called at the C. A. Bivins home Wednesday afternoon.

Helton Fowler of Brown Ranch spent last Thursday and Thursday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Fowler.

Mrs. J. S. Gober, Misses Ida and Esther Gober were the pleasant callers of Mrs. C. M. Wood Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Fowler made a business trip to Coleman Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Dodgen spent Wednesday with J. L. Dodgen, north of town.

Mrs. Paul Bivins called on Mrs. W. L. Alford Thursday afternoon.

Miss Janie Phillips visited Mrs. Paul Bivins Wednesday afternoon.

Howard Fowler visited at Valera Thursday and Friday.

We hope the protracted meeting that is being held at the Plainview school house to be a success. Everybody come and take part.

Messdames M. A. Pritchard, J. E. Bowles, and T. T. Fowler; Messrs. M. A. Pritchard, J. E. Bowles, T. T. Fowler, John May, Amos Taylor and Clarence May attended the Farm-Labor Union meeting at Brown Ranch Saturday.

Messrs. Morris and Harrel Fowler spent the week-end with relatives at Valera.

Misses Bertha Parish and Francis Densman of Live Oak spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Coy Bivins.

R. H. De Rusha and family and George Richardson spent last week on the river. They caught lots of fish, and enjoyed the trip very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Parish of Live Oak, Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Gober is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Tucker Newman, at Live Oak.

Several from Plainview attended the singing at Live Oak Sunday, they enjoyed the singing very much, and also the shower.

Miss Gertrude Fowler came home Sunday from Liberty, where she has been visiting her brother, Elmer Fowler.

Several from Live Oak attended church at Plainview Saturday night.

Quite a number of friends gathered at the home of Mr. T. T. Fowler Sunday. They enjoyed a nice dinner and ice cream in the afternoon.

Miss Lorena Taylor visited at Live Oak Sunday.

Mr. J. E. Bowles happened to the misfortune of getting his arm broken while trying to crank his car.

Ray De Rusha called on Roy Wood Saturday.

Henry Fowler of Brown Ranch is visiting his mother, Mrs. T. T. Fowler.

"Bobbie."

Mrs. Comer Blue returned last week from a several days visit with her mother in Kaufman. Her friend, Miss Hazel Powell accompanied her home for a short visit.

any given number of years not to exceed forty years within the discretion of the City Commission of the City of Santa Anna, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem them at maturity, for the purpose of construction or purchase of water works within the limits of said City of Santa Anna, as authorized by Chapter 1, Title 18, Revised Statutes of 1911, and Amendments thereto and Chapter 9 of the Acts of the 27th Legislature at its Regular Session, and the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas."

The said election shall be held at the First State Bank Building, in the City of Santa Anna; and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said election, to-wit:

S. J. Pieratt, Presiding Judge, J. D. Simpson, Assistant Judge, J. R. Ward and J. T. Garrett, Clerks.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 1, Title 18 of the Revised Statutes of 1911, and the Amendments thereto and Chapter 9 of the Acts of the 27th Legislature, Regular Session, and the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified voters, who are property taxpayers of said city, shall be allowed to vote.

All voters who favor the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words: "For the Issuance of Bonds."

And those opposed shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words: "Against the Issuance of Bonds."

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State regulating general elections.

A copy of this order signed by the Mayor of the City of Santa Anna, attested by the City Clerk of the said City, shall serve as a proper notice of said election.

The mayor is authorized and directed to cause said notice of the election to be posted up at the city hall, and at one public place in each of the voting places of the City of Santa Anna for at least thirty full days prior to the date of said election.

The mayor is further authorized and directed to have said notice of election published in some newspaper of general circulation published in said City, and which notice shall be published once each week for five weeks, the date of first publication being not less than thirty full days prior to the date of the election.

J. O. Martin, Mayor, City of Santa Anna, Texas.

ATTEST: W. E. Baxter, City Clerk. 23-etc.

WILL BELL
Dray Line.
We haul Anything
Phone 114.

Fire and Tornado Insurance
W. E. BAXTER
Santa Anna, Texas

A. C. WOODWARD
INSURANCE LOANS

SCHOLARSHIP FOR SALE
We have several scholarships good for any course in the Tyler Commercial College at Tyler, Texas, for sale and can save you \$10 on a scholarship if purchased at this office for cash. Call and see us—Santa Anna News—11.

"ALWAYS DEPENDABLE"
If You Get Snake-Bit

It's Comforting to Know it Wasn't a Rattle-Snake.

If your house burns, it's comforting to know you have insurance.

In other words, it stands us in hand to eliminate all the elements of "chance" possible in handling our finances.

This fact should make it important to you to know that **THE FIRST STATE BANK IS A "GUARANTY FUND BANK."**

Our officers wish we might have the opportunity of sitting down with you and discussing the various advantages of the Guaranty Fund System as there can be no better protection offered.

The First State Bank
Santa Anna, Texas

Money Never Saves Itself

IF YOU WANT to have money you must do the saving yourself. Money doesn't care who gets it or keeps it. The best way to save money is to have a bank account. Deposit your savings and forget to draw them out. They grow more rapidly than you would think. Soon you will be earning money with money instead of by your daily toil. That is the road successful men travel.

What is your living expense bill per month? Open a checking account and pay ALL of your bills by check. Then you will always know where you stand. It is the SAFE way, decidedly convenient and satisfactory.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK
C. W. WOODRUFF, Cashier