

SANTA ANNA NEWS

Thirty-Fifth Year

Santa Anna, Coleman County, Texas, Friday, December 30, 1921

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"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

AT THE CHURCHES

AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., by the Pastor.
A special request is made by the Pastor for as many of the members to attend the preaching services Sunday as can.

AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Bible School at 10 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
Everybody invited to attend these services.
Our Xmas program was a success and we want to express our thanks to Willie Gipson for the nice tree and Mr. Laws for the beautiful electric lights installed in same. Also, we thank the different committees who, by their efforts, made the occasion a success. Especially do we thank Mayor Martin for "Old Santa Claus" he sent around.

"The church with a welcome."
Leon Williams, Pastor.
Christian Endeavor Program
Topic—Better Christian Endeavor societies; 1 Cor. 15: 57-58.
Leader—Jasper McClellan.
Consecration Meeting.
More Prayer; 1 Tim. 2: 1-3—Louise Boyd.
More Bible Reading; 1 Peter, 2: 1-3—Mary McClellan.
More Consecration, Phil. 3: 7-10—Elizabeth Turner.
More Scriptural Power; 1 Cor. 2: 1—Garland Morgan.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SOCIAL
The Endeavor Society enjoyed a pleasant evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Brown Tuesday, December 27.
Many games were played indoors, then delicious cake and hot chocolate was served to the following:
Misses Gladys Lackey, Elizabeth Turner, Celeste McClellan, Louise Boyd, Vera Oakes and Mary McClellan.
Messrs Garner Morgan, Shield Brown, Tom McClellan, Garland Morgan, Oliver McClellan.
Everyone reports a good time, and hope to repeat this soon.

CHRISTMAS MARRIAGES

Shield-Holder
At one o'clock Sunday afternoon, at the home of the bride's parents, four miles south of town, Miss Pearl Shield was united in marriage to Mr. W. J. Holder of Sweetwater, Texas.
The marriage was a quiet, home affair with several friends attending. Rev. J. M. Reynolds officiating.

Welch-White
At two o'clock Sunday afternoon, at the home of the bride's parents just north of the Santa Anna Mountain, Miss Edna Mae Welch was united in marriage to W. B. White of Bangs. This was a quiet home wedding with several of the neighbors and friends attending. Rev. J. M. Reynolds officiating.
The News extends best wishes.

HOME TALENT PLAY A SUCCESS

The home talent play given by the young people of Plainview community was enjoyed by a large crowd. It is one of the best plays that has ever been presented at Plainview.
\$21.60 was taken in for benefit of Plainview school.
On Friday night, December 30, this play—"The Average Man"—will be put on at Buffalo school, in interest of both schools. We invite you all. Curtain will rise at 7:30. Admission 15c and 35c.
Reporter.

Miss Gordon Owens, one of the employees of the News, is spending the holidays with her mother and family at Rising Star.
Miss Lillian Sandel, primary teacher in the Public School, is spending the holidays with home folks at Huntsville.

THE NEW YEAR

A year is an arbitrary division of time, made for the purpose of enabling us to keep track of the passing events of history.

The beginning of a new year, or New Year's Day, is no more important than any other day, but because it marks the beginning of a new year we are accustomed to make it a special day.

This is the time for reviewing the past, and making plans for the future. We cannot plan intelligently for the future unless we keep in mind what has gone behind.

So, when we come to make our new year resolutions, we must, if we are to act intelligently, spend some little time in looking backward.

What have we done during the past year? And how have we done it? What have been our successes? What have been our failures?

Why did we succeed? Why did we fail?

These are deep questions, but we must meet them and answer them honestly, to ourselves at least, if we are to make the new year better in any particular than the one just ended.

All of us want success, but not all of us will be permitted to achieve it. It is a wise old philosopher who said "It is not within the power of man to command success, Sempronius; but we can do more, we can deserve it."

And during this coming new year we can all of us strive to deserve success in whatever it is that we do.

The effort to deserve success will keep us so busy that we will have little time for wondering if we are nearing success, and if we go at it in the right way we can get so much enjoyment out of the effort to deserve success that it won't matter very much whether we achieve what is regarded as success or not.

What is success, anyhow?
A great many people now believe that success consists not in what we get out of life as in what we put into life. More and more people are believing this every year, and are spending their lives on this basis.

And it is the people of this kind who make the world go forward.

People who live selfish lives, whose efforts are devoted solely to acquiring for themselves without thought of service to others, do not advance the world or any good cause in it.

The success of the selfish man, even if he achieves what may be called success, is a bitter thing. It gives no pleasure to him or to anybody else. He is a man whom nobody loves or envies, or strives to emulate.

The greatest success in the world is to lead a clean, useful life. If a man does this he will be happy and contented, no matter what his work or his station.

And if we make a resolution, on the coming year New Year's Day, to lead a life of this kind during the coming year, there will be no need to worry about anything else. All the other things will take care of themselves.

MRS. CLYDE McLEOD

On Saturday night, December 24, the death angel visited in our city and claimed the spirit of Mrs. Clyde McLeod.

Mrs. McLeod was born July 18, 1893 joined the Baptist church at Shield, in this county, at the age of 15, was married July 17, 1910, died December 24, 1921.

She leaves to mourn her death, a husband, Clyde McLeod, one little daughter five years old, father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smedley, and many other relatives and friends.

The News extends sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Dr. L. P. Allison of Brownwood and Charles Strange of Bangs were visitors in Santa Anna Tuesday, and paid this office a business call while here.

Happy New Year to the school teachers. They are doing better work, perhaps, than they or the people realize.

THE MAIL ORDER BUSINESS

This week the mails have been flooded with catalogs throughout this country from a certain well established mail order house in Texas, advertising a special sale for the next sixty days.

The catalog consists of 120 pages of well prepared descriptive matter, displaying their goods and wares with attractive cuts, etc., and the management of the M. O. house placing special stress in their outlines that this is a special sale of goods in order to clean up their stocks, which, in a measure is correct, but not in the measure they try to imply.

Thousands—and we might say millions of dollars worth of these goods were purchased for this special sale, and aside from a very few leaders, the goods compared to values are priced higher than you will be asked for the same goods at home, postage and transportation charges will make them cost considerable more.

Our home merchants could offset quite a lot of the mail order business by consistent advertising of their merchandise to the home trade. The country is not flush with money, but the people have money to buy their supplies with, and unless they are offered something for that money here at home, naturally, they are going to send it to the mail order house, for the mail order man has offered them merchandise in exchange for their money, and made it possible for them to buy and stay in their own homes.

Thousands of dollars are going from this community to these mail order houses this winter and spring unless there is concerted action on the part of our home merchants to keep the trade at home. The profits made on the purchases made at home are kept at home for home improvements, and only the wholesale cost for the merchandise is sent out of town, but when you buy from a mail order house, the entire proceeds, wholesale, cost of handling, profits and all are spent to build up some other town or place in competition to your own town. Before sending your money to Dallas or some other place, come to see your home merchants and see if he cannot sell you the same goods for less money, and keep the small profits at home to help build up our own town, and give employment to home people.

No community will ever prosper when the citizens order their supplies from out of town merchants. The only way to build up a community is to all work together for the same purpose, and keep the profits at home. We trust our home merchants will put forth an effort to offset the mail order business in this community by advertising their goods. Tell the people what you have to sell and when they come into your place of business the goods, if as represented, are sold and all there is left to do is to wrap them up and collect for them. Unless a special effort is made to keep the trade at home, thousands of dollars will leave this community during the next sixty days for the goods the people are reading about in these catalogs.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend a word of thanks to our neighbors and friends for their assistance during our misfortune in the loss of our home, which was destroyed by fire Monday of this week.
W. L. Mills and family.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends, also the physicians and nurses who assisted us in caring for our loved one during her illness and death.

May you each and every one be spared from a like sorrow is our prayer.

Clyde McLeod and little daughter Katharine.
A. N. McLeod and family.
J. M. Smedley and family.
Prentice Whitehead and family.

Miss Trixie Gay is here from the State University at Austin, spending the holidays with home folks.

EUGENE DEBS IS RELEASED FROM PRISON

ATLANTA, Dec. 25.—Eugene V. Debs, several times socialist candidate for President, was released from Atlanta prison at 11:30 this morning the balance of his ten-year sentence for the violation of the espionage act having been commuted by President Harding.

Debs left an hour later for Washington, the release having been conditioned, he said, upon his reporting to Attorney General Daugherty. He refused to issue a statement or comment in any way on his case. The train upon which he left Atlanta is due in Washington about 7:40 a. m. Monday.

LEGION DENOUNCES ADMINISTRATION

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, Mo., Dec. 25.—Bitterly denouncing the Administration for commuting the sentence of Eugene V. Debs, the Clyde Gustine Post of the American Legion adopted resolutions which were wired to President Harding Saturday night.

The resolution follows:

Whereas, You have seen fit to extend executive clemency to Eugene V. Debs, the arch enemy of the American Government, the American soldier and of American principals generally; convicted on his own testimony of treasonably striking at the very heart of the most important undertaking we have engaged in for more than half a century;

And Whereas, He was fairly tried and convicted before the courts of the Nation of endeavoring to obstruct the selective service law and of using all his power to hinder the Nation in the conduct of war;

And Whereas, He boasted, at his trial, that he defied nothing and retracted nothing;

And Whereas, Some good Americans who offered their lives and served with the American Armies, were convicted of petty infractions of military rule and remain incarcerated;

Be It Resolved, By the Clyde Gustine Post No. 236 of the American Legion officially assembled, that you have broken the faith, that you have struck a telling blow against American ideals and American principles, and have grievously injured the pride of every ex-service man living today, and desecrated the memory of those who gave their lives in the defense of our Nation; our homes and our civilization. The Clyde Gustine Post wishes to condemn, in the strongest terms, any such official act.
(Signed.)
JOHN SICKLE, Commander.

FIRE DESTROYS DWELLING

At 12 o'clock noon, Monday of this week, the home of W. L. Mills in the west part of town caught on fire from undetermined origin and was practically destroyed.

The alarm was turned in and the fire company collected themselves together and was soon on the scene to wage a fight, but the fire had gained such headway it was next to impossible to extinguish it without a total loss. Right at this point it might be well to call the attention of the public to the fact that the Fire Company appreciates the services of the public when assistance is needed, but volunteer help very often mars the progress of the company by doing something unconsciously in trying to help. The Fire boys are drilled in the work and will make better progress in fighting a fire if let alone unless they call for help to move a hose or some obstacle that is in the way. People want to help and do not intend to be in the way or do anything wrong, but the fire boys would better understand each other and do better fighting if they were not interfered with.

Most of the household effects were saved from the fire, but damaged to some extent from being handled in a hurried manner. The loss is somewhere in the neighborhood of \$2000.00 mostly covered by insurance.

THE NEW YEAR AND US

What of the new year?
What of us?

It is more than likely that 1922 will be a momentous year in history.

It will write "success" or "failure" over the arms conference in Washington.

It will probably see the calling of an economic conference for the purpose of stabilizing the finances of the world.

It will give us a clearer insight into the ultimate intentions of the allies relative to the eleven billions of dollars they owe us—whether or not these foreign obligations are to be considered of any greater value to us than mere scraps of paper.

It will see the sentiment of this country crystallizing for, or against the four-ply alliance that has been signed between the United States, England, France and Japan.

It will see this country well on the road to normalcy or facing a long period of business stagnation.

It will see the nations of the world emerging from their misery or crumbling into decay.

It will see humanity again on the verge of triumphancy or prostrate at the feet of destruction.

Much will occur within the year.

These great questions of world import may not be decided by the people of this community, other than such weight as the voices of a few may have among many.

But though we are few in numbers, we yet are not without obligations. A solemn duty confronts us, as a collective community and as individuals.

That duty is to labor toward the restoration of normal conditions in the business world, to foster a greater spirit of patriotism and fidelity to our country, and to lend our aid to the salvaging of such as is left of the civilization of the world.

If the nations of the earth and the peoples of the nations will unite in this work of restoration the year 1922 will pass into history as the one in which the mind of men emerged from transitory darkness to light, emphasizing the determination of humanity to again elevate itself to the higher and nobler plane of enlightened christianity.

Peace be with you and all peoples during the ensuing year.

May we do our part, as we expect others to do theirs.

Dallas, Texas, Dec. 22, 1921.

Editor The News,
Dear Sir:

In your issue of the 3rd inst., there was a short but pungent paragraph to the effect that ex-service men should join the American Legion—get with their buddies and uphold the traditions that they themselves helped to establish, not to stand off and criticize what has happened.

The American Legion is made up of men who fought, or would have fought had they had the opportunity to do so, we are nonpartisan, sectionalism does not enter into our code, and that code is simply to fight for Americanism all the way through—and get it.

The Santa Anna Post is growing, not by leaps and bounds, but a steady growth which means that it is an institution for the betterment of the city, state and country.

The American Legion is still in its swaddling clothes, but it is outgrowing them rapidly, so fast that it is rather "gawky" in spots. That may be the reason for some of the criticism that has been passed our way, but in time this will be forgotten and few will remember the comical child when they see the formidable young giant that demands; "If you live in my country you are going to be an American."

We take this opportunity to thank you for your interest in the Legion, and in extending the seasonal greetings, we are,

Sincerely yours,
DEPARTMENT OF TEXAS,
The American Legion,
ARTHUR J. REINHART,
Department Adjutant.

PEACE TO THE EARTH

Success and Happiness to You

Standing upon the threshold of a new year, when an agonized and crucified world awaits definite results from the arms conference, it is our earnest wish and prayer that success may ultimately crown the efforts of these wise men of nations to the end that lasting peace may come, that suffering and destruction may cease, that happiness and prosperity may return, and that the blessings of the Divine Creator may descend upon all peoples of the land and seas of the earth.

And especially to our friends and patrons, and to all citizens of this community we extend the compliments of the season, with the hope that the new year may bring you peace of mind, health of body, joy of heart, and success in the affairs of life.

In token of our gratitude for the many favors and uniform courtesy extended to us, we subscribe ourselves your humble debtors and well wishers in all that is upright, just and holy:

May you live happily to grace many new years yet to come.

SANTA ANNA MERCANTILE CO. Dry Goods and Clothing	SIMMONS & GREER COMPANY Dry Goods and Clothing, Ready-to-Wear	S. H. PHILLIPS Drug Store
SANTA ANNA GAS COMPANY	BAXTER'S VARIETY STORE	S. W. CHILDERS & COMPANY "THE CASH STORE" Hardware, Furniture and Groceries
POLK BROTHERS COMPANY Gents' Furnishings and Ladies' Ready-to-Wear	R. ROUNTREE & SON Groceries and Feed	W. R. KELLEY & COMPANY Groceries, Hardware and Sporting Goods "THE WINCHESTER STORE"
SANTA ANNA NEWS	TEXAS MERCANTILE COMPANY General Merchandise	McFARLAND & WILSON Groceries

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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, December 30, 1921.

Entered at the post office of Santa Anna as second class mail.

Happy News Year to everybody.

Happy New Year to our enemies. May they soon become our friends.

Happy New Year to the man who turns over a new leaf. May he keep it clean.

Happy New Year to the bill collectors, even if they don't make others happy.

Happy New Year to our advertisers. For they know a good thing when they see it.

Happy New Year to the professional reformers. Their work will never be finished.

Happy New Year to the preachers. May they be shown that their work is appreciated.

Happy New Year to the Irish. May they soon find out just what it is they do want.

Happy New Year to the red-headed girl. She may not know it, but the brunettes envy her.

Happy New Year to the members of congress. May they soon get down to doing something.

Happy New Year to the speeding autoist. And may he reform before he breaks his fool neck.

Happy New Year to our bankers. And may they be willing to renew our note when it falls due.

Happy New Year to Lloyd George, the foxiest and most successful politician in the world today.

Happy New Year to the neighbor's baby who has been cuttin teeth, and may he soon be all right.

Happy New Year to the children. They are the joy of the earth today and its hope for the future.

Jury Lists for County Court.
For the January term of county court the following jurors were drawn:

First week, January 2nd, 1:30 p. m.: R. M. Moneyhun, J. M. Elkins Jr., L. W. Clark, Cecil Gray, D. F. Parker, J. W. Golson, C. D. Baker, L. O. Goodman, G. E. O'Neal, A. W. Box, J. H. Kellett, Ed Featherston, E. E. Tate, S. D. DeBusk, O. E. Beck, J. T. Griffith, J. T. Close.

Third week, January 16th, 1:30 p. m.: R. F. Crum, H. H. Woodriddle, V. L. Grady, C. L. Boardman, C. C. Grady, G. W. Horton, T. E. McDaniel, B. T. Collins, S. R. Hale, C. S. Gardner, E. M. Jones, J. L. Wilkinson, Jno. I. Fowler, L. D. Purvis, B. H. Baker, J. C. Thomas, L. J. Knight, J. H. Moore.

CLOSING NOTICE

Monday, January 2nd, being a legal holiday, the First State Bank and First National Bank of Santa Anna will not open their doors for business.
First State Bank,
First National Bank.

Strayed from the Shield Ranch 6 miles west of Santa Anna, Saturday, December 17, 1 red horse mule 14 1-2 hands, 1 red mare mule 14 hands. Both smooth mouth. Reward for information.—J. W. Cammack, phone 3311. 52-1tp

FOR SALE—Or Trade, a horse and Jersey cow for a better horse. Jersey cows with calves for sale.—H. H. Brown. 52-2tp

Cash and carry, Whiteface flour at \$2.05 per sack.—McFarland & Wilson.

FOUND—A purse between Santa Anna and Coleman. Owner may have same by calling at this office, giving satisfactory description and paying for this ad.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A dandy good horse for driving, riding or work, gentle. Also one second hand buggy and harness. Apply to Mrs. D. F. Rackley.

EDISON PHONOGRAPH

I have a New Edison Phonograph for sale, cash or terms, or will trade for feed. See it at Polk Bros. Store.—J. E. Alfred. 51-1tc

Notice to Stockholders

The stockholders of the First National Bank of Santa Anna, Texas are hereby notified that the regular annual meeting will be held at the offices of the bank at 2 p. m. on the Second Tuesday in January, being January 10, 1922, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting any other business that may come before it.—Burgess Weaver, vice-pres. 50-4t.

NOTICE

There is an Ordinance in effect in the city of Santa Anna prohibiting the shooting of Fire Crackers inside the city limits. All violators will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.—J. O. Martin, Mayor. 51-2tc.

We have one brand new Oakland Sensible Six Roadster, model 34c, to sell at a great bargain, \$1,000 cash.—Raney, May & Garrett. 4t

For Sale—Several close-in residence and business lots in Santa Anna, priced worth the money. See Ben Vinson. 6-3-tf

We have one brand new Oakland Sensible Six Roadster, model 34c, to sell at a great bargain, \$1,000 cash.—Raney, May & Garrett. 4t

Buy your planting seed now, I am taking orders for the famous Kasch, Improved, Pedigreed Cotton Seed, of San Marcos, Texas, see or phone W. L. Alford. 4t

We have one brand new Oakland Sensible Six Roadster, model 34c, to sell at a great bargain, \$1,000 cash.—Raney, May & Garrett. 4t

SONG BOOKS

The 1922 song book by J.D. Voughan are now ready and I can supply you with any number. Single copy 35 cents, 12 for \$3.60 or 100 for \$25. Send your orders to me or leave at Santa Anna News office.—G. W. Bobo, Santa Anna, Texas.

TRESPASSERS NOTICE

No hunting or trespassing of any kind will be allowed on any land owned or controlled by the undersigned.—H. W. Kingsbery, Curtis Collins, S.D. Harper, Will Ferguson, A. U. Weaver, Kelley & Grady, J. T. Newman, Pflugger Ranch, Tom Todd, Mrs. M. E. Chambers, L. D. Boyd, Garrett Ranch. 47-tf

Don't wear clothes with that "Smelly" Gasoline odor. My New De-odorizer takes it out.—E.G. Overby, Tailor and Dry Cleaner. 50tfc

Notice to Stockholders

The stockholders of the First State Bank of Santa Anna, Texas, are hereby notified that the regular annual meeting will be held at the offices of the bank at 10:30 a. m. on the Second Tuesday in January, being January 10, 1922, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting any other business that may come before it.—P. P. Bond, cashier. 51-2tc.

SEWING NOTICE

I will be in Santa Anna a short time and will do dressmaking at Dr. Holland's residence. All kinds of fancy sewing solicited.

For a limited time I will make one-piece dresses out of old coat suits for \$5.00. No children's sewing except boys' blouses. Fifteen years experience. Have your spring silk and serge dresses made before the rush.
Mrs. C. B. Masters. 1tp

FOR RENT—Three rooms. Phone 192, or see Mrs. Mace Blanton. 51-2p

FOR RENT—100 acres of good land third and fourth, four room house, party must be able to furnish self. Phone 3512 or see S. M. Polk, Sr.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Coleman County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Buenita Alderata, Bennetta Alderetta, Thomas Timmins, Francis E. Timmons, Barbra C. Timmons, Wm. Elliot, E. P. Black, Wm. Britton, Wm. Long, James Anderson, James F. Timmons, Barbra C. Timmons, L. H. Dillard, Mary J. Timmons, Angerona Timmons, F. E. Timmins, F. B. Timmins, B. Alderetta, Minerva Anderson, Marthy Humphreys, Augyrony Turner, Mary J. Calhoun, Martha Humphreys, Buneta Alderetta, Bruneta Alderata, A. E. Turner, Manerva Anderson, Benneta Alderetta, Minerva Anderson, Benneta Alderetta, O. Hendricks, E. Shaw, D. McKay, M. L. McKay, Dashiell & Waters, W. B. Dashiell, F. A. Waters, Augyrony Turner, Euphemia I. Halloquist, John Webb, Hanson Turner, Lydia Calcoat, Jas. R. Barrett, A. R. Johnson, D. M. McKay, Gilchrist McKay, Mrs. Eliza M. Timmins, Alma Timmins, Dicie Timmins, Mollie K. Timmins, O. H. Timmins, Bessie Lee Timmins, Inez Timmins, Dushee McKay, Dushee Shaw, Maria, L. McKay, J. G. Hendricks, W. H. Woodley, W. T. Scott, Sarah E. Barker, J. W. Barker, H. P. Hunt, J. J. Brown, W. P. Brown, F. A. Waters, Hanson Turner, E. M. Calcoat, S. H. Turner, N. T. Turner, N. T. Turner, Sarah Hanson Turney, Charles Turney, Emily Turney, Lissy Turney, Ella Spence, Charles Spence, Ella Turney, C. B. Griggs, A. B. C. Griggs, C. F. Harris, Mary Colcote Harris, Henry Evans, Frank B. Timmins, Jr., Andrew A. Jordan, Star & Crescent Coal Co., Joseph Burt, Producers Oil Company, Empire Gas & Fuel Co., and the heirs of the following named deceased persons, to-wit: Buenita Alderata, Bennetta Alderetta, Thomas Timmins, Francis E. Timmons, Barbra C. Timmons, Wm. Elliott, E. P. Black, Wm. Britton, Wm. Long, James Anderson, James F. Timmons, Barbra C. Timmons, L. H. Dillard, Mary J. Timmons, Angerona Timmons, F. E. Timmins, F. B. Timmins, B. Alderetta, Minerva Anderson, Marthy Humphreys, Augyrony Turner, Mary J. Calhoun, Martha Humphreys, Buneta Alderetta, Bruneta Alderata, A. E. Turner, Manerva Anderson, Benneta Alderetta, Minerva Anderson, Benneta Alderetta, O. Hendricks, E. Shaw, D. McKay, M. L. McKay, Dashiell & Waters, W. B. Dashiell, F. A. Waters, Augyrony Turner, Euphemia I. Halloquist, John Webb, Hanson Turner, Lydia Calcoat, Jas. R. Barrett, A. R. Johnson, D. M. McKay, Gilchrist McKay, Mrs. Eliza M. Timmins, Alma Timmins, Dicie Timmins, Mollie K. Timmins, O. H. Timmins, Bessie Lee Timmins, Inez Timmins, Dushee McKay, Dushee Shaw, Maria L. McKay, J. G. Hendrick, W. H. Woodley, W. T. Scott, Sarah E. Barker, J. W. Barker, H. P. Hunt, J. J. Brown, W. P. Brown, F. A. Waters, Hanson Turner, E. M. Calcoat, S. H. Turner, N. T. Turner, N. T. Turner, Sarah Hanson Turney, Charles Turney, Emily Turney, Lissy Turney, Ella Spence, Charles Spence, Ella Turney, C. B. Griggs, A. B. C. Griggs, C. F. Harris, Mary Colcote Harris, Henry Evans, Frank B. Timmins, Jr., Andrew A. Jordan, Star & Crescent Coal Co., Joseph Burt, Producers Oil Company and Empire Gas & Fuel Co., Defendants, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Coleman County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Coleman, Texas, on the 23rd day of January A. D. 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court No. 7th day of December A. D. 1921 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2613, wherein J. T. McIlvain, Fox Johnson and A. W. Box, are Plaintiffs, and the above mentioned Defendants are all and the only Defendants in said suit; said petition alleging that heretofore, to-wit: On the 5th day of December, 1921, Plaintiffs were the owners of and in possession of the following described land and premises, owning, holding and claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit:

FIRST TRACT: Being a part of the B. Alderata Survey No. 273, Abstract No. 1, in Coleman County, Texas, described as follows:

Beginning at the S. W. corner of a 91.7 acre tract conveyed by said J. T. McIlvain and wife to Fox Johnson by deed dated November 29, 1921, of record in the Deed Records of Coleman County, Texas, in Volume 126, page 125, which beginning point is 297.5 vrs. east and 984.8 vrs. north from the S. W. corner of said Alderata survey. Thence W. 1220.8 vrs. for corner. Thence North 881 vrs. to the N. W. corner of the J. T. McIlvain homestead tract. Thence E. 1220.8 vrs. to the N. W. corner of said 91.7 acre tract above referred to. Thence S. along the East line of said 91.7 acres tract 881 vrs. to the place of beginning and containing 190.5 acres of land.

SECOND TRACT: Being a part of the B. Alderata survey No. 273, Abstract No. 1, in Coleman County, Texas, described as follows:

Beginning 297.5 vrs. East and 984.8 vrs. N. from the S. W. corner of Buneta Alderata Survey No. 275 a stake for a corner, which is the S. E. corner of J. T. McIlvain homestead tract and the S. W. corner of this tract. Thence East 587.5 vrs. to corner in West side of a public road. Thence North 881 vrs. with West side of said road to post for N. E. corner of this tract. Thence West with the S. side of a public road 587.5 vrs. to a stake for corner. Thence South 881 vrs. with the East side of J. T. McIl-

lain homestead tract to the place of beginning and containing 91.7 acres of land.

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That afterwards on said 5th day of December, 1921, Defendants unlawfully entered in and upon said premises above described and dispossessed Plaintiffs of said premises and unlawfully withheld from Plaintiffs the possession thereto.

That in addition to their title aforesaid in fee simple Plaintiffs are the owners of said land under the Five Years Statute of Limitation in this: That Plaintiffs and those under whom they claim, have had peaceable and adverse possession of said land and premises, cultivating using and enjoying the same and paying all taxes thereon, claiming under deeds duly registered for more than five years next preceding the 5th day of December, 1921, and Plaintiffs here plead said five years statute of Limitation as further ground of their title to said land.

Wherefore premises considered Plaintiffs pray the Court that the Defendants be cited to appear and answer this petition and that on hearing hereof Plaintiffs have judgement for the title and possession of said land and premises and that the same be divested out of the Defendants and vested in Plaintiffs and that Plaintiffs have their writ of possession and restitution for the same.

Herein fail not but have before said Court, at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Coleman, Texas, on this 7th day of December, A. D. 1921.—W. E. Gideon, Clerk, District Court, Coleman County, Texas. 50-4t

No. 854 Citation on Application for Administration THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Coleman County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for ten days, before the return day hereof, in some newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in Coleman County, Texas, the following notice: THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the estate of Eva C. Burroughs, deceased, Eugene Burroughs, has filed in the County Court of Coleman County, an application for the probate of the last will and testament of the said Eva C. Burroughs, filed with said application and for letters of Administration upon the estate of said Eva C. Burroughs, with the will annexed, which application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in January, A. D. 1922, the same being the 2nd day of January, 1922, at the Court House thereof, in Coleman, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

WITNESS L. Emet Walker, Clerk of the County Court of Coleman County.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Coleman, Texas, this 10th day of December, A. D. 1921.—L. Emet Walker, Clerk County Court, Coleman County, Texas. By V. Rawlins Gillanr, Deputy.

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CAUGHT IN THE ROUND-UP

Miss Edna Bailey is spending the holidays with homefolks here. She will return to her school at Stark-weather, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Vinson and Mrs. Miriam Prickett motored over to Brownwood and spent Christmas day. Mrs. C. E. Edwards of White Mountain, N. M., is visiting relatives here during the holidays.

Mrs. D. M. Robertson and daughter of Temple are visiting during the holidays here with relatives.

J. Nabors of Corsicana is visiting his parents and other relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Nabors celebrated their 49th wedding anniversary at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Woodward, Sunday.

A. L. Stewartson and family of El Dorado are visiting relatives here during the holidays.

Mrs. Thornton, known to most everyone here as "Grandma" Thornton, had the misfortune to fall last Saturday and break a hip bone. It will take her a long time to recover.

J. E. Bury and family of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mobley Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. O. Greer, of Rockwood are spending the holidays with Mr. Greer's parents in this city.

Hon. Finlney Woodruff of Comanche visited his parents here this week.

Mr. Eugene Greer, manager of the Simmons and Greer Company store, made a business trip to Brownwood and Comanche this week.

Miss Ruby Rountree left last Friday morning for Dallas, where she joined her brother and went to Moody to spend the holidays with relatives and friends. Miss Ruby is successfully teaching the Cleveland school this season.

The News is under obligation to Mr. Tom R. Campbell for furnishing us a corrected list of our subscribers on Route No. 8.

J. E. Martin who has been with the Gordon-Wilson Hardware and Furniture Co., of Coleman the past year has accepted employment with W. R. Kelley & Co., of this city. His family will join him here in the near future.

V. A. Kelley left last week for Kirksville, Mo., where he goes to enter a school of Osteopathy. Mr. Kelley was raised in Santa Anna and possesses the qualities necessary to succeed in whatever undertaking he may pursue. We expect to hear of his accomplishing great things for humanity sake in the years that are to come.

Mrs. Lou A. Evans of Killeen is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. G. Sims.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Lewin of Miles spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Voss.

Mrs. J. B. Baker of Brady spent the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Collier.

Mesdames L. D. Terry and T. V. Boss of Abilene and Miss Annie Phillips of Canadian, spent Christmas week here with their parent, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor of Mexia spent the holidays with Mrs. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Perry. Mrs. Taylor was formerly Miss Sadie Perry.

Miss Frankie Adams of Comanche visited in the G. E. Adams home here during the holidays.

Mrs. Comer Blue is spending the holidays with her parents at Kaufman, Texas.

Miss Callie Blair spent Christmas with her parents in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Boler visited in Brownwood Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Cox spent Christmas in Killeen.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Adams of Comanche spent Christmas in the J. D. Simpson home.

Mr. Chas. Eck and family and Mr. J. D. Allen visited in San Antonio during the holidays.

Mrs. Stafford Baxter and children returned last week from San Antonio, where they spent several days with relatives.

J. W. Ashley has sold the Mecca Cafe to one, Mr. Slaughter of Leaday, who will take charge Monday of next week.

Prof. L. D. Borden of Austin, with the State Board of Education, visited in the home of his old friend, L. V. Stockard, last week. Prof. Borden taught the first school in the old rock building here in 1891, and was the first one to introduce the grades in the school. He has many friends here.

Miss Cora Stockard of Terrell and Misses Maude and Mildred Stockard of Houston spent the holidays here with their father, L. V. Stockard and family.

Mrs. E. McDaniel of Austin spent the holidays here with her daughter, Mrs. Ed Bartlett and family.

Coleman and Leeper Gay spent the holidays here with their parents during the holiday vacation at the State University where they are in school.

Miss Ruby Valentine, one of the teachers in the school at Bangs, spent the holidays here with home folks.

Mrs. Frank Adams and little daughter of Brownwood visited Mrs. Adam's parents here, during the holidays.

The News is coming out in a small form this week, due to the fact that the merchants are invoicing and the force also took a little time off for Christmas. We hope to be able to rustle enough business next week to go back to our regular eight page paper and hold up to that standard all through the year.

J. W. Lewis is spending the holidays with his brother and family near Burkett.

Among those to subscribe and renew for the News since our last issue are: Mrs. M. E. Chambers, W. P. Nuckolls, J. D. Holt, H. W. Kingsbery, Lovell Richardson, Mrs. S. G. Caton, Will Shook, W. T. Verner, A. T. Parker, R. M. Stephenson, Dr. W. F. Holland and A. P. Barton.

MERRY XMAS

CHRISTMAS—a happy milestone along the road where friends stop a moment before pressing on into the New Year—a season of rejoicing and hope, of laughter and handclasps and warmth of greeting—a time when we may say to old friends and the new things that lie closest to the heart—when we may speak our appreciation of the happy relationship the years have woven between this Bank and its many friends—when we may join in the glad chorus of a Merry Christmas and A New Year Brimming Over with Happiness and Prosperity to every friend the community over.

The First State Bank Santa Anna, Texas

E. A. Harris and family are back in Santa Anna after an absence of eight months, the same being spent in the State of Arkansas.

The School Board let the contract this week for the erection of a tubular steel fire escape to the public school building. The money was furnished by the citizens, through the efforts of the Parent-Teachers' Association.

City Marshal J. H. Griffith was able to return home from the Hospital Monday, after several days' confinement.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Vinson returned to their home in Rockwood Monday with their son who had been confined in the Hospital for two weeks.

Mr. Oliver, who lives in the east part of town, was carried to the Hospital Wednesday suffering with a severe attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Joe Box Jr. was brought here Tuesday from her home on the Colorado River and placed in the Hospital where she underwent a serious operation.

Karl Wallace and wife of Bangs spent the holidays with their parents in this city.

Mr. J. H. Cherry returned to his home Tuesday after several days' treatment in the Hospital.

Dr. L. O. Garrett and family returned Tuesday from Winsboro, where they spent the holidays with Dr. Garrett's parents. They made the trip overland and report roads in fair condition.

Miss Eudora Garrett is spending the holidays here with her parents during the vacation of the Trinity University at Waxahachie.

Mrs. Avery Collier is spending the holidays here with relatives.

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