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"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

RESULTS OF INTERSCHOOLASTIC LEAGUE MEET, MARCH 23, 1928

Literary Events

DECLAMATION

Rural Senior Girls

1st place, Sallie Sharp, Bowen School.

2nd place, Marie Starnes, Trickham School.

3rd place, Willie Mae Begley, Independence.

Rural Senior Boys

1st place, Floyd Johnson, Brown Ranch School.

2nd place, Leon Fields, Independence.

Rural Junior Girls

1st place, Oleta Fields, Independence.

2nd place, Dorothy Wesley, Burkett.

3rd place, Vera Horner, Junction.

Rural Junior Boys

1st place, Raymond Baxter, Bowen.

2nd place, Trevor Farris, Hardin.

3rd place, Mark Hornsby, Brown Ranch.

Senior High School Girls

1st place, Mary Lucy Shannon, Valera.

2nd place, Alva Davis, Coleman High School.

3rd place, Ima Williams, Rockwood.

Senior High School Boys

1st place, Ralph Edens, Coleman High School.

2nd place, Leon Ward, Santa Anna High School.

3rd place, Vernon Henson, Gouldbusk.

Junior High School Girls

1st place, Martha Dunman, Novice.

2nd place, Helen Thompson, Coleman South Ward.

3rd place, Josephine Dibrell, Coleman West Ward.

Junior High School Boys

1st place, Lynn Riley, Coleman South Ward.

2nd place, Robert L. Hunter, Santa Anna Ward.

3rd place, James Tabor, Gouldbusk.

MUSIC MEMORY CONTEST

1st place, Coleman West Ward.

2nd place, Adeline Candler, Mary Velma McCord and Sarah Byers.

Debate

1st place, Coleman High Team, Hugh Stoup and Francis McKaughan.

Three-R Contest

1st place, Opal Harris, Independence.

Athletic Events

No report on these at present.

EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEECH

Senior High School

1st place, Maurice Curry, Santa Anna High.

2nd place, Clyde Wilkinson, Coleman High.

Ward and Rural

1st place, Harvey Hickman, Coleman West Ward.

2nd place, Carl South, Coleman South Ward.

3rd place, Bessie Evans, Santa Anna Ward.

ESSAY

Class A High School

1st place, Pauline England, Santa Anna High.

2nd place, Verona Griffith, Coleman High.

Class B High School

1st place, Frances Livingston, Talpa.

2nd place, Juanita Bible, Whon.

Ward School

1st place, Norine Gibson, Coleman West Ward.

2nd place, Annie Lupton, Santa Anna Ward.

SPELLING CONTEST

Seniors

1st place, Coleman High Team.

2nd place, Santa Anna High Team.

3rd place, Rockwood Team.

Juniors

1st place, Santa Anna Team.

2nd place, tie, Coleman Junction and Valera.

3rd place, tie, Coleman High and Novice.

Sub-Juniors

1st place, tie, Santa Anna and Junction.

2nd place, Valera Team.

Arithmetic Contest

1st place, Santa Anna Ward Team.

2nd place, Rockwood Team.

3rd place, Novice Team.

4th place, Loss Creek Team.

High Point Individuals

1st place, Carl Flores, Santa Anna Ward.

2nd place, Woodrow Neil, Santa Anna Ward.

3rd place, Frank McCreary, Rockwood.

4th place, Muriel Patton, Loss Creek.

Judge T. P. Perkins of Mineral Wells, candidate for Congress in this district was in the Mountain City a short time Saturday, getting acquainted with the voters and soliciting their support during the campaign. Judge Perkins is advocating a revision in the Federal Reserve Banking Act, which, if understood, would be a popular plank in his platform.

SANTA SCHOOLS MAKE MOST CREDITABLE SHOWING IN COUNTY INTERSCHOOLASTIC MEET

In the county interscholastic meet held at Coleman last week, Santa Anna Schools came in for their usual share of the honors. The following students carried Santa Anna colors into contest with results as noted:

High School Extemporaneous Speaking—Maurice Curry, first place.

High School Essay—Pauline England, first place.

Senior Spelling—Queene Gregg and Pauline Williams, second place.

Junior Spelling—Fred Faulker and William Earl Bagdsdale, first place.

Arithmetic Team—Carl Flowers, Woodrow Neil and Emmet Styles, first place.

Arithmetic, Individual scores—Carl Flores, first; Woodrow Neil, second; Emmet Styles, fifth.

Senior H. S. Declamation—Leon Ward, second place.

Junior H. S. Declamation—Robert Hunter, second place.

Ward Essay—Annie Lupton, second place.

Ward Extemporaneous Speaking—Bessie Evans, third place.

Boys' Tennis Doubles—Joe Christie Barnes and Sparks Whetstone, first place.

Boys' Tennis Singles—Sparks Whetstone, first place.

The winners in the above were invited to lunch with the Lions Club Tuesday, and nine of them responded in person.

VITAL STATISTICS

Births

Reported by Justice of the Peace, J. S. Jones, Registrar for Precinct No. 7, also for Rockwood, Trickham, Shield, Whon and Niwot and the territory in the vicinities of these points.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Douglas, Trickham, March 29, girl.

Josie Billberg, March 8, boy.

Donings Delasco (Mex.) March 11, boy.

John Steward, Rockwood, March 25, girl.

D. A. Lopez, March 17, girl.

Henry Seale, Rockwood, March 24, girl.

Russell Vaughn, Shield, March 26, boy.

H. H. Williams, Red Bank, March 25, girl.

Robt. E. Wright, Rt. 2, March 28, girl.

The following list reported by the City Secretary for the City of Santa Anna only, and includes those reported for the month of March up to Tuesday, March 27.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brannan, boy, J. R. Rainbolt, girl, C. E. Willis, girl.

Deaths

Guane Smith, buried in Cross Plains; Mrs. Molly Mary Childress, buried in Oklahoma; Viola Belle Fortune.

In the future these reports will appear the first issue in each month for all births reported during the previous month.

H. H. Jackson, owner and publisher of the Coleman Democrat-Voice, has purchased a desirable business lot in Coleman and will build a model office building suitable for publishing, printing and office supplies.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE ELECTION

Notice is hereby given of an election to be held at the City Hall in Santa Anna, Texas, for the purpose of electing four trustees for the Santa Anna School District, to succeed the following members whose terms expire: W. J. Mitchell, Mrs. J. R. Pearce, W. F. Barnes and Roger Hunter. The date of the election is Saturday April 7 and C. E. Freeman and A. R. Brown have been appointed as election judges. Any nomination you may wish to make should be filed with the Secretary of the Board, not later than Thursday April 5. By order of the Board, Roger Hunter, Secretary.

GREAT PLAINS HIGHWAY DESIGNATED THROUGH SANTA ANNA

Abilene, Texas, March 26.—The annual meeting of the Great Plains Highway Association, to be in this city May 15 and 16, will be one of the most important and far-reaching road conventions ever held in the United States. At least that is what W. A. Minter, of Abilene, and director for Texas in the association, thinks.

Heretofore the annual meeting of this organization, devoted to sponsoring the Great Plains highway, which has its northern terminus at Regina, Saskatchewan and at present ends at Laredo, Texas, on the Mexican border, have been one-day affairs. Due to the increased interest manifested all along the highway during the past year and on account of one day being too short a period for a business meeting and the entertainment features, this city will stage for the visiting delegates, officials of the association have decided to hold a two-day convention.

Reports being received here indicate, Mr. Minter says, that the attendance this year, will be more than double that of any previous annual meeting of the body.

The local Chamber of Commerce is already working out, in conjunction with executives of the highway association details of the program for the occasion.

The Great Plains highway passes through the province of Saskatchewan, one of the richest and most progressive divisions of the Canadian Dominion, North and South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas and its ultimate southern terminus is Mexico City.

Officials of the Mexican Republic have manifested considerable interest in the road and Chas. W. Kelley, McCook, Nebraska, secretary-treasurer of the association, recently announced that he thought representatives of the Calles government would attend the meeting in this city.

Highway enthusiasts from practically every town along the road are expected to attend the convention.

TO OPEN HELPY-SELFY GROCERY AT COLEMAN

(Cross Plains Review.)

M. A. McGowan, with Ford Barnes of Santa Anna, will open a Helpy-Selfy grocery store at Coleman Saturday of next week. Mr. McGowan who has been with the Helpy-Selfy here, will retain his interest in the Cross Plains Store, but will move to Coleman to manage the store there. He is a successful groceryman with years of experience, and will succeed at Coleman. His father, W. A. McGowan, will be in charge of the store here, assisted by Jim Underwood.

A FLAPPER, A MURDRESS AND A BRIDGE GAME

Velma West, the flapper slayer of her husband, was sentenced to life imprisonment when she pled guilty to the murder of her husband. He was slain by the wife with a hammer after which she dashed to her fine roadster and sped to a bridge party, as if nothing out of the ordinary had happened. To this flapper wife, the small matter of slaying a husband was but a trifle incident—more husbands can be had, if they should be desired. Even a murder could not be expected to detain one who is ready for the bridge game, and poor dead husbands ought to be ashamed that he made it necessary to be killed. Perhaps two full hands of bridge was lost because of the delay, but now a penitentiary will enter, to tone down this flapper a bit. She may find time to reflect and wonder if she really should have killed her husband.

Miles Wofford, Jr. has completed a course in aviation, in an aviation school in Kansas City, and returned home for the time being. He plans to purchase a machine and take to the air soon.

Mr. J. Q. Barnes and family have moved to the Mountain City.

TEXAS COTTON CROP

Cotton ginned in Texas from the 1927 crop, reported March 20, counting round bales as half bales totals 4,227,750 bales as compared with 3,477,788 bales ginned in 1926. In Coleman county, there were 29,059 bales ginned from the 1927 crop, compared with 42,617 in 1926.

THE SPRINGTIME

"Ah, how wonderful is the advent of the spring, the great miracle of the blossoming of Aaron's rod, repeated on myriads and myriads of branches." So wrote the poet Longfellow.

Something seems to revive the heart in the spring time. Old folks to whom life looked drab and dreary, are cheered by the return of the sun and birds, and they grow happy again. Young people are said to fall in love in the spring. Some mating instinct stirs in their hearts, and they break their old habits and form new ones.

Everywhere hope and anticipation prevail. People look forward to the good times of summer. They feel full of activity and arrange for gardens or sports in which their muscles will have a chance to display themselves. It's a great time of year, and people courageously start out on new enterprises. The world is full of confidence and anticipation, and in that mood all of us here in Santa Anna can do more than we previously had thought.

REVIVAL IN PROGRESS AT METHODIST CHURCH

Pastor B. R. Wagner is doing the preaching this week in a Spring Revival at the Methodist church. Reports from the meeting at mid-week are favorable, the crowds and interest are increasing. The pastor is putting his very best into the meeting, and much good is expected to follow.

"DAILY MAIL'S BIG SCOOP"

Gifted with the Jules Verne type of foresight, the news staff of the London Daily Mail has shown a very clever flash of editorial workmanship in its twenty-four page edition dated January 1, 2000, which imaginatively depicts news occurrences as they will be three-quarters of a century hence.

Application of "memory impressions" to store brain cells of students while sleeping; fire fighting from the skies by the use of airplanes; murder by suggestion and by concealed beam rifles, and simultaneous "television" bulletin board service of athletic contests 12,000 miles away, are some of the conception of the reportorial seers as to what will figure most prominently in the functions of the new gathering agencies of the not-so-very-remote period described.

With the strides science has taken since seventy-five years ago, when Jules Verne was a cub reporter, none of these visionary forecasts is beyond the realms of possibility. Some of them would be a bane to human existence, it is true, but others a boon to humanity.

One impressive paragraph from these prophetic flights of imagination ventures that "readers of The London Daily Mail in the year 2000 will be offered a special service in connection with their televisions which will be modified to transmit seaside scenes, sounds and ozone."

This thought especially suggests that we must hand it to the British journalists who have shown the American brand of newspaper enterprise in scooping the press of the world by three quarters of a century.

Hon. R. Q. Lee of Cisco, former president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and candidate for Congress of this district, will spend the afternoon of Thursday in Santa Anna. Mr. Lee is making a great many speeches on the coast in the interest of the oil, farming and reduction in cotton acreage. This is separate from his general good-will and campaign work.

REV. J. M. BORROW ANSWERS FINAL CALL

Rev. J. M. Borrow, retired minister of the U. S. A. Presbyterian church, died at his home here last Thursday night, after a severe suffering for some two or three weeks. Rev. Borrow was born November 5, 1850, and was living in his 78th year. He was a pious minister and teacher, been preaching since he was a young man. He spent fifteen years of his active life in the Indian Territory, later the state of Oklahoma, doing missionary work mostly among the Indians. He lived a life of service and was a good man. He was good natured and well liked by all who came in contact with him. A short funeral service was held at the Presbyterian church here Saturday morning, conducted by Dr. Twitty of Brownwood, assisted by the local pastors. The remains were then carried to Comanche where a final service was held, conducted by Rev. Smith of Winters, Interment was made in Comanche, his former home.

During the fifty years deceased preached, he was pastor of only five churches. McKinney, Henrietta, Wichita Falls, Amarillo, and Santa Anna. He served these stations 35 years and the other 15 years was spent in missionary work. The following loved ones survive: His widow, and the following children: J. A. and James Borrow, Dalhart, Texas; Lloyd Borrow, Dallas, Texas; C. R. Borrow, Canyon; Mrs. Gladys Lee Dallas; Milton and Misses Agness and Bessie of Oklahoma City; Okla. Mrs. Mary Monketh, who lives in the state of Louisiana.

The following out of town people were here for the funeral: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Snodgrass and son, Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard and Miss Spillers of Stacy; Mrs. Paul Powell of Waldrip. The Santa Anna News extends sympathy to the bereaved.

RANFT—Mrs. Della Ranft, 45, died Sunday at her home, 2421 Knight street, surviving are three daughters, Mrs. C. D. Hardy and Miss Christine Ranft of Dallas and Mrs. J. Ralph Sawyer of Spencertown, N. Y.; a son, B. L. Jackson of San Angelo; a brother, Frank A. Bailly of Corpus Christi, and her mother, Mrs. M. E. Bailly of Santa Anna.

The above was mailed to us from Dallas, Tuesday, by Roy L. Jackson. We suppose the item was published in the Dallas News Monday.

It's a great life if you don't believe in everything you see, hear or think or know.

WHAT PRICE GLORY

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FAMILY REUNIONS

Family ties are said not to be as close as they use to be, and yet many families are having reunions where a large number of near and distant relatives are gathered together. Interest in genealogical research is said to be increasing, and many people are anxious to find out who their ancestors were and where they came from, and desire to know the members of one's old family tribe will never disappear. An obstacle in the way of such associations is "created by the scattering of families all over the country. Where a family used to settle down in its home town or near by, the present generation is likely to scatter all over the land and some may go to foreign nations. Yet as people travel more easily than formerly, many may come from distant points when the tribe holds its powwow. It may be said that the tie that binds these distant relatives together is too close, since the people who assemble in an annual family gathering may never meet elsewhere, and may not feel any particular congeniality of temperament. And yet anything rooted so deeply in old traditions as the ties of family relationship, must still be much of a power.

Back in old history, people looked to their families for protection. Tribe fought against tribe and if you were attacked and your safety assailed, your government might not be able to do anything for you, but your kinsmen would rally and beat off the tribe that menaced you.

Those old times of tribal warfare are happily gone forever. But the members of a family tribe now can reflect that they no doubt share certain traits handed down from common ancestors. Hence they should have ideas in common and when they get together they should have important elements of congeniality that run deep in their natures.

NOT THE FIRST-NOR THE LAST

A patient is pressing suit against a plastic surgeon in Chicago. The plaintiff is a lady whose legs had to be amputated following an operation which the defendant is alleged to have performed for the purpose of straightening her underpinning. The surgeon denies that he performed the operation, but the lady is very certain her legs are gone, and she wants somebody to pay her for the damage she has sustained.

She is not the first person to get into trouble trying to undo some of nature's little jokes.

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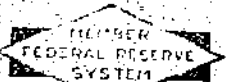
"Come One, Come All; This Rock Shall Fly From Its Firm Base as Soon as I"

With money in the bank you can issue your debt to the world. Dollars are the mace and shield that form your protection.

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THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

TEXAS AND TEXANS

By Will H. Mayer

Flowers Among Editors
Most persons, knowing that Burnet and Marble Falls are only a few miles apart in the same county, would expect a spirit of bitter rivalry between them. And that Editor Faubion and Editor Chamberlain of the Burnet Bulletin would be at each others' throats almost constantly. But, not so; they are good friends, as all editors should be, and recently Editor Faubion took a whole column in his paper to tell what a fine fellow Chamberlain is. Among other things he said Editor Chamberlain "is entitled to all the nice things in this life and a greater crown in the life to come," and that "the name Chamberlain stands four-square for right doing, right thinking, and the moral uplift of humanity." In thus singing the praise of his neighbor, Editor Faubion shows he is a big man with none of the petty jealousies so often found in many men engaged in competitive business.

Stick to Home Enterprises
John E. Cooke, of the Rockdale Reporter, uses almost the entire first column of his paper to preach a fine sermon to his townmen about the way some of them have been treating Joe Stein, the local baker, "whose bread is as good as the best." He says that Stein has been baking bread in Rockdale for 31 years, that he is a good citizen, has reared a large family that he has clothed and fed in Rockdale, that he has supported every worthy enterprise of the community, have voted for every bond issue, paid his taxes, given liberally to local charities, and put his earnings all back into the town; and yet Rockdale people are buying truckloads of bread from out of town bakeries every day—bread that is no better than Joe Stein's bread, for Joe bakes good, honest bread.

Bad Business Policy
Editor Cooke pictures Stein as an almost ideal citizen who puts quality and service into his business, but it seems that a number of Rockdale people had rather help along some other town than to patronize one of their townmen who has shared their struggles for 31 years. The Rockdale man who buys bread out of Rockdale, when he can get as good bread at as good a price as Joe Stein is not only boycotting Stein, but boycotting his own town, and to that extent helping tear it down. Rockdale people are not the only folks guilty of doing such things, and the bakers are not the only business concerns that suffer from such practices. There is too much

disposition in many places to trade away from home for merchandise of all kinds that can be bought as good advantage at home. No town can thrive as it should where this is done. It is ruinous to business and holds back a town's growth.

Court House Records in Church
Gray county recently voted to move the county seat from Delors, a small village off the railroad, to Pampa a thriving railroad city. Pampa has no courthouse, but Pampa citizens have ingenuity to make up for lack of a court building, and so the records were moved to the basement of the Baptist church—a kind of "necessitous admixture of church and county."

Rebuilding Phone Plant
Among the many other news reports showing the growth and development of the thriving Winter Garden town of Carrizo Springs is the statement that the telephone system is being rebuilt, the work to put it in shape to meet the demands of the place requiring about three months. Public utilities seldom reconstruct their plants until driven to it by necessity, and necessity in this case is growth.

First Car Mohair
Hondo has reason to be proud of the fact that it has shipped the first carload of mohair ever consigned out of the town. It shows that the Medina county mohair industry is increasing and that Hondo is becoming a more important marketing and shipping point. A few years ago there were only a few small scattered flocks of goats in the county. Now there are many persons who have nice incomes from goats and mohair. One grower this season has sold something over 4,000 pounds of mohair from which he received \$2,350.

Plainview Poultry Plant
Poultry raisers of Hale, Floyd, Briscoe, Swisher, Motley and Lamb counties are going to erect a plant at Plainview at which eggs will be graded, stored and shipped, provided they can get the farmers of those counties to agree to raise 40,000 hens from which to supply the eggs. This organization will enable poultry and egg producers to get better prices for their poultry products. Local depots will be established in each of the counties to handle and forward supplies to the main plant.

Pretty Lawn Contest
A Slaton reader of this column, who doesn't state in what paper he reads it, has sent me a clipping about Hearn's yard contest and adds that Slaton is ahead of Hearn, for its Chamber of Commerce will give \$100.00 in money and shrubs this year in four con-

tests to encourage beautification of home lawns. Slaton is to be congratulated on having a Chamber of Commerce with eyes for the beautiful and "citizens" who vie with each other in friendly contests to see which can have the prettiest yards.

Graham Water Reservoir
It is a short sighted policy that allows any town to be satisfied with provisions for a water supply barely sufficient to serve its present population. Graham realizes this and will vote on a bond issue of \$250,000 to construct a reservoir to cover about 400 acres of land and with a water capacity of two billion gallons. Graham is also planning to build a \$35,000 memorial auditorium.

Peeco's New Theatre
Theatre buildings are a necessary accompaniment of prosperity for prosperous people want entertainment. Luxurious theatre buildings indicate that the average citizens of the place where it is located are accustomed to luxuries. This is preliminary to saying that Peeco is to have a \$75,000 theatre building with all modern conveniences and to seat 2,000 people. It is not to be built by some over-enthusiastic townsman, either, but by a company that operates a circuit of fourteen West Texas theaters and knows what it is about. This theatre will be a fitting accompaniment of Peeco's \$150,000 hotel now under construction.

Falfurrias Melon Acreage
It is stated that watermelons from some 2,000 acres of land in Falfurrias section will be starting to market about the 20th of May unless some unexpected crop calamity. The vines are now in fine condition and will soon be blooming.

A FLOATING AIRPORT
The United States has just added a new weapon to its equipment for fighting at sea. Money is usually rather expensive in such matters. This weapon cost \$45,000,000—a figure which should establish its importance. It is a carrier of airplanes—a floating airport. It is named the Saratoga and it is now in service with the United States battle fleet in the Pacific off Southern California. A little later it is to be joined by a sister ship, the Lexington. They are the most important and the most spectacular naval vessels of their type that have been created by any nation since the war. Take time to read "A Floating Airport." You will find this engaging story in the Monthly Magazine Section of the Santa Anna News, April 6th.

YOUR 1928 FLOCK

OF PULLETS

By F. W. Kazmeier, Bryan, Texas
It is not too early to be thinking about this important thing, if you want Fall and Winter eggs. It is a mistake to keep too many old hens instead of growing pullets. It is true, that it takes time and money to grow good pullets, however, it does not cost but very little more to grow a good pullet than a poorly bred pullet. The only difference in cost is initial cost of the baby chicks. The cost of feed and labor is a like on both the well bred pullet as on the non-descript pullet.

Many people make a serious mistake, in keeping a too big a part of their flock, consisting of old hens or even young hens. At least 80 per cent of the flock should consist of well developed pullets, and some times we think that 75 per cent is not too high. Pullets will lay when eggs are high in price, and that is early in Winter and Fall. They will also lay just as many later in the year. Many poultry flocks are unprofitable, because too large a number of them predominate in two and three years old hens. The mortality loss is greater among old stock than among young stock. Some have said that pullets are not desirable for breeders, this however, is not true, well matured pullets make the best of breeders. This is just another old idea that has been exploded.

We have found that the same applies to the male bird. Early hatched cockrels make better breeders than two and three year old male birds. Profitable poultry keeping calls for renewing from 50 to 75 per cent of the entire flock each year. Barred Rocks and S. C. R. L. Reds breeds like the Rocks and all

WITHOUT ANY EXCEPTIONS

OF SUCH A MOVE

The happiest man in the world is the one who lets his neighbor tend to their own affairs. And the busiest man in the world is the man who spends his time attending to everybody's affairs except his own. And the dumbest man in the world is the man who gives free advice to his neighbors and thinks they will profit by it. These stiff-necked fellows who continually insist that prohibition won't work, might be cited to the Ten Commandments, which have been long in the way, but have not completely arrived. Senator Borah threatens to go out and raise \$160,000 with which to pay Harry Sinclair for his contributions to the party if the National Republican Committee declines to accept his suggestion

of such a move. Which is so mindful of what Jim Reed once said, "I love Borah. He is so damned honest."
—If the young man at Miami, Fla., who is planning to attempt a journey to Venus in a rocket, would look around him he would see plenty of Venuses.
—Those Sioux Indians from South Dakota who are enroute to Berlin to appear in a circus seem able to take care of themselves. They demanded \$5 each for posing for their photographs in New York City.
—Butchers in Youngstown, Ohio report that they are getting 70 cents per pound for all the legs they can secure for sale. Some of them probably can remember when a few slices of liver were included gratis with a 10 cent phase of steak or bacon.

OTHER BREEDS SHOULD BE HATCHED


EARLIER THAN THE SMALLER BREEDS

like the Leghorns and Anconas. For Fall layers Rocks and Reds and similar breeds should not be hatched much later than last of April to May 15th. There is good money in growing poultry for the broiler and fryer market. Today I was offered 38c per pound for broilers delivered and weighed in New Orleans, or 32cents per pound my weight F. O. B. Bryan. On this basis a two and a half pound fryer would net 30 cents each, which is a profitable price. White Leghorns and Small Breeds
It is true, that produce men are penalizing White Leghorn broilers about 2 cents per pound, but in spite of this, our experience and observation leads us to believe that they are the most profitable from the standpoint of egg production. Leghorns and small breeds, however, should not be hatched before April, if they are hatched before April, they will almost be sure to go into the early Fall moult, which, of course, knocks them out as Fall and early Winter layers. Last year practically all early hatched Leghorn flocks on account of extremely cold weather in December, were thrown into a premature moult.

This week we introduce our new helper and his better Two-thirds or some such amount. Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Breedlove, who came here from Tyler last week to work on the Santa Anna News. Mr. and Mrs. Breedlove are two splendid young people and we feel proud of them for the short acquaintance and take pleasure in commending them to the good people of Santa Anna. At present they are domiciled in one of the apartments at Mrs. H. O. Blair's home.

Other breeds should be hatched earlier than the smaller breeds like the Leghorns and Anconas. For Fall layers Rocks and Reds and similar breeds should not be hatched much later than last of April to May 15th. There is good money in growing poultry for the broiler and fryer market. Today I was offered 38c per pound for broilers delivered and weighed in New Orleans, or 32cents per pound my weight F. O. B. Bryan. On this basis a two and a half pound fryer would net 30 cents each, which is a profitable price. White Leghorns and Small Breeds
It is true, that produce men are penalizing White Leghorn broilers about 2 cents per pound, but in spite of this, our experience and observation leads us to believe that they are the most profitable from the standpoint of egg production. Leghorns and small breeds, however, should not be hatched before April, if they are hatched before April, they will almost be sure to go into the early Fall moult, which, of course, knocks them out as Fall and early Winter layers. Last year practically all early hatched Leghorn flocks on account of extremely cold weather in December, were thrown into a premature moult.

CROSLY Iceball Refrigerator



Your cookstove is your iceman. Makes ice cubes and keeps the icebox cold for less than two cents a day. Nothing to wear out. —It will last for years.

Ask for demonstration

GEO. M. JOHNSON
Santa Anna Telephone Company

PURDY'S DOLLAR DAY!

We expect to make a monthly event out of our Dollar Day Bargains, beginning on the last Friday in each month and running three days; Friday, Saturday and Monday, we are going to offer for sale on these three days values in merchandise so cheap that we are confident you will soon learn to wait for our prices; the wonderful bargains we expect to offer you on these days will not be OLD stock that we want to get rid of, but absolutely new and recently purchased merchandise—we are going to give you some real knockout bargains---we don't mean maybe.

A Few of Our Specials This Week Will Be--

Men's blue apron overalls \$1.50 grade	\$1	Boys' unionalls \$1.35 grade	\$1
Men's khaki shirts \$1.50 grade	\$1	2 1-2 yds 9-4 bleached sheeting Truth brand, 50c grade	\$1
Men's khaki pants \$1.50 grade	\$1	Ladies' ribbed hose, black only 35c value, 5 pairs for	\$1

We will have many other extra good values on display. Come and look them over

Why SO MANY SMOKERS HAVE CHANGED TO CHESTERFIELD

One out of every four, in fact!

WE STATE it as our honest belief that the tobaccos used in Chesterfield cigarettes are of finer quality and hence of better taste than in any other cigarette at the price.

Licgett & Myers Tobacco Co.



... and what's more—**THEY'RE MILD and yet THEY SATISFY!**

FATHER BRANNAN'S POEM

The Montgomery, (Ala.) Advertiser of November 13, 1902.

An impromptu feature of the program of the meeting of the Confederate Veterans was the reading by request of an original poem by Rev. Father Brannan, of Weatherford, Texas. The poem, beautiful in spirit, stirred the hearts of the veterans. The reader was heard with sympathetic attention, and at times throughout the verses was given silent tribute of tears.

The poem, which was written for the occasion, is as follows: In spirit we go back today,

When all of us were young and strong;

When we were proud to wear the gray,

And when we thought that we were wrong;

When every man stood at his post, To do, to dare, and to obey,

To prove he loved his country most, Resigned to give his life away.

'Tis sad, yet sweet, now to recall, The hardships that we underwent;

Far worse than Caesar's when in Gaul,

For often we had not a cent, And haversacks were mighty slim,

And everything was, oh! so blue; It almost made the eyes grow dim,

To find the rations that we drew.

But then it was some recompense, To slip at night among the trees;

And take a turkey off the fence, Or rob a fruitful hive of bees.

And, maybe, we would get a shoat, Oh how I love to bring to mind

If not a chicken, or a goose; If nothing else, a billy goat, Or anything that lay round loose.

The weary march who can forget, So tired, hungry, sleepy, too;

Trudging along in cold and wet, And washday, that was something great,

We'd wash in some stream flowing by; Sit clothesless on the banks and wait,

For shirt and other things to dry.

Our troubles were enough by day, And often they were worse at night.

He could not sleep, he could not pray,

For every soldier got a bite, And often he would have to rise,

And hold his shirt above the blaze;

Their numbers try to minimize, And shorten thus their length of days.

But after all we now delight, To bring once more to memory's door,

The beating drum, the march, the fight,

And comrades brave who've gone before.

The cannons boom, the screeching shell,

The fierce contention on the field,

The bayonet and the "rebel yell," Before which everything would yield,

Oh how I love to bring to mind

Dear old Virginia's many charms;

Her people knightly and refined,

Her lovely streams, her verdant farms,

Her purple mountains, skies so blue,

The old turnpike, the fence of stone;

The clover fields all wet with dew,

And other beauties all her own.

Farewell, dear Richmond, on the James,

Farewell, sweet Valley Shenandoah,

Farewell, grand State, which still proclaims

The valor which was shown of yore,

In silent graves, where now do sleep,

The cold remains of those who died;

When memory shall her vigils keep,

While truth and honor shall abide

The soldier's soldier has no cause To be ashamed of anything,

The world may now withhold applause,

But unborn poets yet shall sing

In glowing language of his name,

Will tell the story of his past,

Will write it on the scroll of fame,

To live as long as time shall last.

But there's one name that's far above

And far away beyond them all;

Whose name we shall always love,

Who kept his grandure in his fall,

Whose fame shall ever amplify,

In centuries that are yet to be,

A name that will not, can not die,

Our great and peerless Robert Lee.

How grand was his majesty soul!

In victory or in sad defeat,

How perfect was his self-control!

How kind his heart, how pure, how sweet,

No monument, however high,

Although it's summit kissed the sky,

Would be too great to testify

The glory which his name implies.

And there's a name which meant success,

Whose fame's eternal as the hills;

The army's hope when in distress,

Whose name shall always be a thrill,

How dazing were his splendid deeds!

In straggle he led them all,

And all the world today concedes

That there is only one "Stone wall."

No braver man was ever born,

He flung the lightning in his path,

Snatched victory out of hope's forlorn

Like to a whirlwind in its wrath,

Jackson and Lee! Fame's synonyms!

Their tombs shall always be a shrine,

Where valor sings her sweetest hymns,

Where history shall their names entwine.

My dear beloved soldier friends,

We soon shall hear the last tattoo,

Which time shall beat as it descends,

To hide us all from mortal view,

But there's a land I hope we'll see,

Where there's no sorrow and no wars;

Where there's an endless reveille,

Which Angels sing beyond the stars.

Good-bye, beloved friends, good-bye,

Our lives are passing fast away,

Like clouds that fleck the lilac sky,

Or moths that round the candle play.

A few more years 'twill be at best,

When all of us who wore the gray,

Will have past, let's hope, to rest,

Awaiting that last judgment day.

Good-bye, once more; a last good-bye,

Together here no more we'll meet,

Our friendship, though, shall never die,

A Soldier's love knows no deceit,

There is a bond as strong as steel,

That binds us as the day to night,

That is, that we shall always feel,

That what we did was for the right.

TWO MILLION RAT TAILS IN 13 COUNTIES

COLLEGE STATION, March 20.—Nearly 2,000,000 rat tails snipped from ravaging rodents killed in thirteen Texas counties in the last two and a half months, testify to the effectiveness of a modern Pied Piper drive being conducted against the rat population of this state.

What the legendary piper of old did with music, however, is being carried on in this instance with traps and poison in the cooperative rodent control work of the Experiment Station and Extension Service of the A. & M. College of Texas and the Biological Survey of the Department of Agriculture.

Tremendous savings is expected to result to farmers and others as the result of the control work since the U. S. Department of Agriculture estimates that one rat will eat or destroy \$2 worth of feedstuff a year.

Acting Director A. B. Comber of the Experiment Station has just received reports showing the tally of rat tails since the middle

of December, 1927, to close of February, 1928 in counties where the work has been under way. The total accounts for 1,917,001 rat tails in the different counties as follows: Navarro, 85,000; Smith, 100,101; Ellis, 213,321; Grayson, 215,000; Fannin, 299,990; Lamar, 259,304; Bell, 315,160; Wood, 130,385 (including snappers); Deming, 162,000 (incomplete count); Grimes, 33,243; (two weeks only); Red River (incomplete); Kaufman, 25,000 (incomplete); Jefferson, 30,500.

State appropriation of \$7,000 a year for the biennium was made by the last Legislature for destruction of rodent pests. This fund, augmented by Federal funds being used to carry on the work, Campaigns being launched in various counties where requested. Co-operation is being given by county agents, chamber of commerce and the schools. Campaigns will be started in Brazos county soon and in other counties as well. Before the work ends Texas is expected to be rid of several million rats.

Miss Inez Marshall, has returned to school in Lubbock.

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"MAKING 100 ACRES OF LAND WORTH \$75,000."

The greatest America and the State of Texas in particular as a land of boundless opportunity is strikingly illustrated in the case of Ludwig Vorauer, an Austrian, who came to the United States fourteen years ago with little money and unable to speak English, starting with a half-acre nursery near Fredericksburg, Texas, he is today the owner of one hundred acres of ideal nursery land, on which he produces about every kind of fruit and vine that can be grown outside a tropical country. He refused an offer of \$75,000 for his one hundred acres. All this in less than fifteen years.

How one man made 400 acres of land worth \$75,000 will be told in the Monthly Magazine, "Section of the Santa Anna News," to be issued April 6th.

There are a number of gasoline saving devices on the market. A pair of comfortable shoes, is the best.

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"THE MOTHER OF TEXAS"

Banjos were ringing in the negro quarters of Judge Wilkerson's plantation on the Mississippi river just below Natchez, Miss., on a certain day in 1816 it was the occasion of the marriage of Dr. James Long to Miss Jane Wilkerson, daughter of the Judge, Wilkerson, a prominent jurist and slave owner. It was the union of two kindred spirits and a union that later had a bearing upon the history of Texas. The blushing girl bride reared in luxury, educated, refined, moving in the highest circles of the polite society of that day, was destined to such adventure that comes to but few men and fewer women; adventures that were born nobly, hardships that were endured uncomplainingly and in which earned for her the majestic title from a number of writers, "The Mother of Texas."

The story of this pioneer woman will appear in the Monthly Magazine Section of the Santa Anna News, April 6th.

Mr. C. C. Cuyger spent week-end in Proctor with his family.

WHAT PRICE GLORY

All Spring Coats and Coat-Suits at One-Half Price



Later numbers Greatly reduced in price.

Lot 1. \$12.75 and \$14.75 dresses at \$9.75

A beautiful line to select from.

Lot 2. \$17.50 and \$19.75 dresses at \$15.75

Plain Hose, \$1.65 values \$1.35. \$2.00 values \$1.65. \$2.25 values \$1.85

Fancy Hose, all colors and styles \$1.95 to \$2.85.

Don't fail to see these wonderful numbers. A beautiful line of Easter Hats at prices to suit any purse.



Mrs. G. A. Shockley

April Opening Event Men's Furnishings

April is the month in which trees and flowers open their buds and blossoms. It is a fitting month for our Opening Event in new Men's Spring Furnishings—showing the new color-effects in the masculine attire.

This event has been planned to give our friends every opportunity to secure the very latest styles in every item of the wardrobe—from hats to hosiery—collars, neckties, shirts, knitsuits, pajamas, etc.

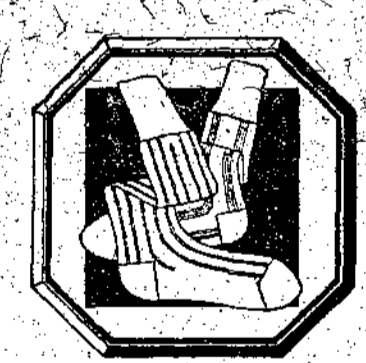


New Hats for Spring

Here you will find a wide range of styles in all the latest shapes and colors.

Choose your Hat to match your suit and to harmonize with your complexion—to please your wife, mother or sweetheart.

\$3 - \$4 - \$5



Fancy Hosiery

The new patterns for Spring are the cleverest ever shown. Vertical stripes give the trim ankle effect.

The correct thing is to select colors that correspond to the ensemble.

Ask your wife or sister—she knows.

50c - 75c - \$1



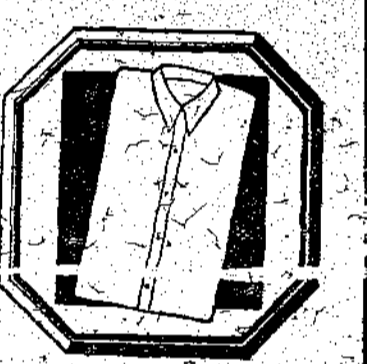
New Easter Styles for Men

Coopers put new factors into Men's Underwear... new designs... new fabrics... new color trims... new style-effects... greater wear... greater comfort... greater per dollar value. Start your Easter outfit today with

Coopers Athletic Knitsuits

and you insure niceties in fit... ease of action... freedom from strain... no ripping... no tearing. Coopers are soft to the touch... cool to the skin... easy to wash... require no ironing. Come in and let us show you Coopers many exclusive features.

Coopers Knitsuits, \$1 to \$5; Coopers Pajamas, \$2.50 to \$10; Coopers Hose, 50c to \$2.50



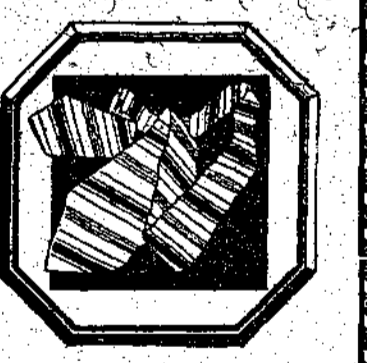
Quality Shirts

Whether you prefer colors attached or detached, you will find here just what you want.

Plain colors and fancy patterns—broadcloths and madras fabrics—all tailored to nicety.

No season has produced a finer line of Men's Shirts.

\$2 - \$3 - \$4



Superb Neckwear

The colors this Spring are more gorgeous than ever—in an infinite variety of patterns.

Here you will find exactly what you have always wanted, at prices you can afford.

Better buy half a dozen ties and wear a different one every day.

50c - 75c - \$1

PARKER BROTHERS DRY CLEANERS MEN'S FURNISHINGS

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SANTA ANNA NEWS
 Entered at the Post Office at Santa Anna, Texas, as Second Class Mail.
J. J. Gregg, Editor and Pub.
FRIDAY MARCH, 30, 1928

Hasn't the progress of teaching the young idea how to shoot evolved wonderfully? For instance pupils used to use a slate and do sums, then they advanced to a tablet and lead pencil and worked examples, now they use a blackboard and solve problems. In English they use to write compositions, then came the essay period and now they write themes. But with all the advancement there came to our desk yesterday a communication for publication with this in it. "One's whom were there was."—Mineral Wells Index.

That party has not yet reached Santa Anna, but "Mr. Well-Wisher, Mrs. Reporter, Miss Please Publish" and a few others have arrived and are constant contributors to our largest container in the office. You know what it is.

TWO DIRTY DAYS

Last Saturday this country experienced a sample of a sand storm, the wind coming from the southwest. Monday it came back from the north and brought with it all the dirt it carried on Saturday, and gathered up a lot more. Just such days are calculated to make one want to move, if we knew where to go.

Clear as Mud

At Kelley Field the students are advised that before they can be qualified as aviation pilots they must indicate that they have in-

herent flying quality. Some of the candidates wanted to know exactly what this trait was, and the technicians explained that "the pilot must possess the mental faculty, selective and instinctive discrimination of the stimuli of the sensor-motor apparatus to harmoniously adjust metabolic changes in physiological and psychological equilibrium in such a manner as to comprehend and complex operation which constitutes the details of piloting. Most of the students don't know what it is yet, but they know that Lindy has it.—Los Angeles Times.

RARE BUSINESS ACUMEN

(If you don't know what "acumen" means look it up.)
 Bill Wise was a good merchant but a little close. One day Bill was sued for \$10,000 and being a canny fellow, he thought he could save on a lawyer's fee by engaging a lawyer who would trade out his fee. He did. The lawyer lost the case and Bill lost \$10,000.
 Bill did not profit by this lesson, for later he was taken seriously ill and again the habit of closeness could not be overcome. So he sent for a doctor who was unable to pay an old account. Bill figured he could collect and get medical aid at the same time, you know, kill two birds with one stone. Bill died.
 Bill's boy succeeded to the business and being very much like his father, traded merchandise for an insurance policy, collected a bad account that way, and later the store burned. Bill's boy is now clerking for a competitor.
 There is a moral to this tale. Think it over. Home Insurance News.

DEBINSKY BROTHERS SHOW HERE MONDAY FOR ENTIRE WEEK

The big feature attraction of the year will again be with us next week for a stay of one solid week, starting Monday, April 2nd, and will be located on the old wagon yard lots.
 The Dubinsky Bros. Stock Company, the famous No. 1 show that has played in this territory many times at Coleman, Brady, and Brownwood, and will be well remembered for the many novelties they always present.
 This season they come back all dressed up with what you cannot call plays but productions, all of them having been received in the larger cities at high prices. Mr. Dubinsky made a special trip to New York City and secured the entire output of the Unity Play Bureau, which they had on the market for the Repertory Field which was done to cater to the theatre goers so as to give them the very latest in comedy and dramas and to have absolutely a new line of plays that have never been presented in this territory. Every one of these plays has special scenic and electrical effects and it has been claimed by most every city that this season the Dubinsky Bros. show is the best that has ever been presented.
 The opening play is the latest eastern success "She Got What She Wanted." A big laughing comedy drama. One well liked.
 Many of the old favorite stage still with the show and the vaudeville between the acts are all new with laughs and different than ever seen before on a novelty nature. The music and the same Moran Ace Orchestra by the young college students that have been with this attraction for some time, with entirely new programs for each performance.
 The tent, as anyone knows, is always well located and comfortable no matter how the conditions are, and the waterproof tent keeps out any inclement weather that may happen to arise during the week.
 The doors are open at 7:00 p. m. Concert at 7:30 and the curtains will rise at 8:00 p. m. sharp every night.
 The prices will be the same as ever, adults 30c and all children not in arms 10c. Monday night is the usual ladies' night and one lady will be admitted free with each adult ticket purchased. Come early and get your choice of the seats.
 Adv.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Sealy Hospital
 Miss Dolly Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ames Taylor, was operated on last Friday at the Sealy Hospital.
 Mrs. L. Somersford of Shick was operated on Monday.
 Mrs. Luther Abernathy of Rockwood is in the hospital for treatment.
 Mrs. Bob White was among those to undergo an operation Tuesday.
 Mr. Richard Flores of Bangs was brought to the hospital Sunday night for an emergency operation.
 Mrs. C. L. Cannon of the Liveoak community was operated on Monday.
 Mrs. George Jones of Cross Plains was operated on last Friday.
 Mr. V. L. Grady is reported recuperating in the hospital after a lingering illness of several weeks, which is said to be a combination of affections very stubborn to overcome.
 A Mr. Barrington of Wham was brought to the hospital Monday for an emergency operation.
 Miss Ida May Lankford, who is in training at the hospital, spent the week-end with homefolks at Rockwood.
 Miss Dessie Krueger, R. N., spent the week-end in Abilene.
 Dr. A. C. Scott Senior of Temple visited the Sealy Hospital in the week.
 Mrs. Anderson, formerly Miss Mitchell, who was one time Superintendent of the hospital, paid the institution a visit last week.
 Mrs. Tom Sessin of Gouldsburg was operated on Monday.

At Queen Theater
 Mon. & Tues. 2nd - 3rd
 WILLIAM FOX presents
 THE WORLD'S GREATEST MOTION PICTURE
WHAT PRICE GLORY



with VICTOR M'LAGLEN - EDMUND LOWE
 DOLORES DEL RIO and a superb cast
 From the story through by LAURINE STALLINGS and MAXWELL ANDERSON
 RAOUL WALSH Production.

What Price Glory an epic of the battle of life, men laugh at death and weep for love. A glimpse into the souls of men. A vision of the world's greatest adventure. One of the outstanding pictures of the season.
 COMEDY in connection

Wed. & Thur. 4th - 5th
 Bebe Daniels
 (IN)
"SHE'S A SHIEK"
 A joyous comedy romance in Beau Geste setting, she loved a man who loved another but she was used to having her own way, so she kidnaps him, takes him out into the desert and tames him. A land-slide of laughs.
 MGM News in connection

Friday 6th
 Tim McCoy
 (IN)
"THE LAW OF THE RANGE"
 A man who asked a woman who dared.

Saturday 7th
 FRED THOMPSON and the Wonder Horse, SILVER KING
 (IN)
"ARIZONA NIGHTS"
 COMEDY and VANISHING RIDER in connection.

OUR STOCK IS COMPLETE

Just Received Our New Easter Hats and Dresses

We have some real specials in Tub Silk Dresses at - **\$3.98**
 Ladies Silk Dresses only - **\$4.98**
 A real good grade Georgette dress at - **\$8.75**

THESE ARE ALL OF THE LATEST STYLES.

MENS SUITS
 The Best to Be Had Anywhere In Town at \$24.75. 4 piece Suits, Others get from \$30 to \$35. For These Suits.
 Buster Brown Shoes For Boys and Girls - Brown Built Shoes For Men and Women. "The Best Shoes Made." Also Humming Bird Hose In All New Colors - The Best and Prettiest Line in Town. Priced at \$1.00 to \$1.95.



\$24.75 Buys a 4 piece Suit

Humming Bird Hosiery



LADIES HATS
 We Have The Prettiest Hats in Town at \$2.50 to \$5.00

FREE! FREE! FREE! Beautiful Decorated Dinnerware
 Save your coupons and with every \$10.00 worth secure a piece of Hand Decorated China Ware. Secure a complete set.

Our Grocery Specials For Saturday

Peaches Libby's, Del Monte Sun-Kist. Per can Large halves, best grade, No. 3 can	19c	Shortening Armour's Wilson's 8 pound pail for only	\$1.04
Bird Seed Forbes quality with cuttle bone, 12-ozs	9c	Peanut Butter Canova 5 lbs	74c
Soap P & G 10 bars	35c	Peas No. 2 can 2 for	25c
Tomatoes No. 2 can 3 for	25c	Coffee Arbuckle's 3 pounds for	94c

MARSHALL & SONS

WANT AD COLUMN

NEED GLASSES

Dr. Jones, the Eye Man, will be at Mrs. Comer Blue's Jewelry Store every Tuesday. Eyes examined, glasses fitted, headache and eye strain relieved.

CHAMPION Dwarf Maize Seed for sale at 5c per pound. Amount limited.—Harry McCain, Whon, Texas. 12-4tp

Used Cars of different makes For Sale at real bargains. Fred E. Coleman, Dodge Dealer at W. C. Ford and Co. Garage. 14-1c

FOR RENT—Two room apartment or rooms with board. Phone 366.

WHEN in need of a new mattress or one cleaned, call 360 for the Santa Anna Mattress Factory, C. B. Garrison. 9-1c

FOR SALE—Oliver typewriter in good condition. R. M. Stephenson. 13-1c

Who wants a new cut down wagon 3 1/4 inch tires, one wheel filled all round, oiled and painted, at Bell Shop.

EGGS from our S. C. White Leghorns at \$1.00 per setting; will trade pullets for cow or pigs.—Mrs. W. A. Standly. 8-1c

U. D. C. Ladies have a number of seats for sale cheap, suitable for seating a tabernacle or arbor. If interested phone 68 or address box 265, Santa Anna, Texas. 10-1c

I am now taking orders for Kasch cotton seed, direct from the Originator, Ed Kasch, and will appreciate an order from you.—W. L. Alford, phone 3412, Santa Anna. 4-

Direct Action Oil Stoves with the Borain Burner which carries a Ten Year Guarantee. Santa Anna Furniture and Undertaking Co.

PLYMOUTH ROCK EGGS From my Bred-to-lay flock, \$1.00 per setting of 15; \$6.00 per 100, guaranteed to be fertile. My flock has been scientifically culled and my male birds are from poultry farms of national reputation for egg production.—J. J. Gregg.

A few Registered Double Standard Polled Hereford bull yearlings for sale at the Gill ranch, Whon, Texas. 11-4tp

Let me repair your Victrola, Phonograph or other talking machines. Will call for and deliver in town. Prices reasonable. Telephone 316.—John Burt. 11-1c

R. W. Sheffield wishes to announce that he has sufficiently recovered from a several weeks spell of sickness that he is now back on the job at his filling station and will appreciate his former friends and customers looking him up when in need of oil and gas. He also solicits patronage from the public in general. 11c

POST NOTICE: The public is hereby warned that no hunting frequenting or trespassing of any kind will be allowed on the W. K. Richardson premises on Home Creek. All violators will be prosecuted according to law when found. Mrs. Richardson 11c

I will have a nice assortment of Pot Plants for Easter, among them will be Easter Lillies and Hyacinths. Have four varieties of Tomato plants now ready. Mrs. J. R. Gibson 11c

Wacona Cotton Seed for planting. A good cotton—none better. \$1.00 per bushel at my farm 9 miles south of Santa Anna. E. P. Rendleman 14-1c

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For Public Service Our big black 4 year old Jack. We want you to come and see us. You will find us on our farm north-east of Santa Anna. 14-4-p Tom Todd.

LOST Saturday evening, March 17, somewhere in Santa Anna, Light Fur Choker, Reward to finder if returned to Mrs. D. J. Johnson. 11c

Two Room furnished apartment to let. Phone 218.

Two furnished rooms for rent. Phone 259. 14p.

Announcement

I have established a sales and service department for

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I also have a number of used cars.

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SELF VALUATION

Without ostentation man should value himself more highly than his worth. It is one of man's faults that he undervalues himself, lacks confidence in his ability and admits to himself that he "can't". It is possible to know thyself, and for man to achieve something worthwhile in this world he must believe in himself for his full worth.

"Swell-headedness" is applied to persons who affect qualities unpossessed. One can't be self-confident without being complacent and presuming. Man may know himself without letting others know he knows himself. That in truth is the secret of success among men.

The higher a man's valuation of himself, the more his compassion and charity for his fellowmen. There is no condescension in his manner because realizing a value in himself he unconsciously seeks out values in others.

One cannot expect the world to count him of intrinsic worth if he himself does not recognize that worth. The valuation which we put upon ourselves cannot be concealed from the world. It becomes so much a part of our thought structure, and our very personality that it plainly manifests itself in our words and acts. Unostentatious self-confidence is a natural expression of personal valuation. Vain boasting is a cloak to conceal natural weakness and failings. He who brags is painfully aware of his shortcomings; otherwise he would be conscious of nothing to boast about.

Self-confidence is the recognition of shortcomings overcome. Boasting is the recognition of shortcomings to be overcome.

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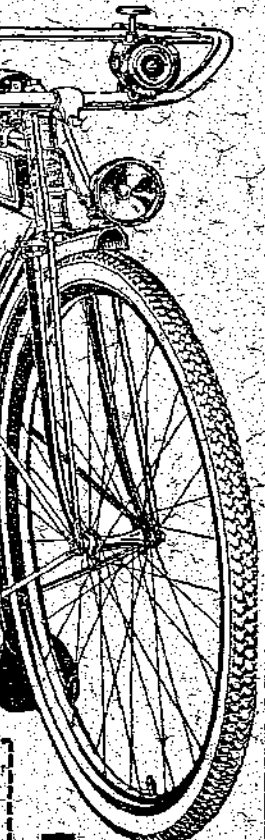
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Tires \$1.50 Each
Guaranteed—Lamps, wheels, equipment. Low prices. Send no money. Use the coupon.

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HOW ARE YOU TODAY?

How often does that friendly question find you full of pains and aches caused by kidney, liver and bladder troubles? Keep your health while you can. Begin taking Gold Medal Haarlem Oil Capsules at once. Hardy Hollanders have used this remedy for over 200 years. In sealed boxes, at all druggists. 3 sizes. Look for the name on every box.

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Specials for Saturday

- Peaches 2 1-2 pound can Sun-Kist or Libby's 19c
- Bird Seed, Sat. only 9c
- Raisins, 15-oz pkg 9c
- Breakfast Bacon Sliced per lb 24c
- Ginger Ale 12-oz bottle for only 16c
- Coffee H & H Brand 3-pound can \$1.33

Elgin Salad Dressing

All Varieties—Packed for Piggly Wiggly—the best you can buy—

- 1-2 Pint Jar 19c Pint Jar 33c
- We will have everything in Fresh Vegetables Our prices will be right.

Bring us your cream—we will appreciate getting to buy it. Will buy Wednesday and Sat.

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"Cleanest Stores in the World"

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fee: County and District \$15.00 Precinct and others 10.00 Cash in advance.

The following candidates have authorized the Santa Anna News to place their names before the public for the respective offices, subject to action of those voting in the Democratic Primaries in July.

For United States Senator: TOM GONNALLY Of Falls County, Texas.

For Congress: R. Q. LEE T. P. FERRINS

For County Judge: C. L. SOUTH (Re-election)

For District Clerk: W. E. GIDEON (Re-election)

For County Clerk: J. EMET WALKER (Re-election)

For Tax Collector: J. C. LEWIS (Re-election) J. J. ROBERTS J. M. McDONALD

For Tax Assessor: L. E. COLLINS (Re-election)

For County Treasurer: MRS. E. K. THOMSON (Re-election)

For Sheriff: W. R. HAMILTON (Re-election) FRANK MILLS H. F. RUCKER

For County Superintendent: MISS MAUD LAWS J. H. KELLETT (Re-election)

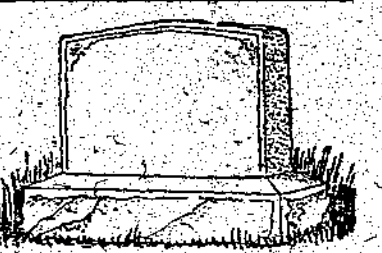
For Commissioner Precinct No. 2: J. S. GILMORE (Re-election) R. E. DERUSHA N. EKARKINSON B. A. MUNGER

For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1: J. B. FLORES (Re-election) A. B. (Alberty) LAUDERMILK H. C. DAVIS

Many Sheep in Albania Next to donkeys the most familiar things in Albania are sheep. Mutton is the favorite meat, and sheepskins are the principal export.

Forced To Sleep In Chair—Gas So Bad

"Nights I sat up in a chair, I had such stomach gas. I took Adlerika and nothing I eat hurts me now. I sleep fine."—Mrs. Glenn Butler. Even the FIRST spoonful of Adlerika relieves gas on the stomach and removes astonishing amounts of old waste matter from the system. Makes you enjoy your meals and sleep better. No matter what you have tried for your stomach and bowels, Adlerika will surprise you.—Walker's Pharmacy.



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Paul Waner
"It's toasted"
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AGRICULTURAL WRITERS TO HAVE BUSY SESSION

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, March 26.—A program of vital bearing upon rural problems that is expected to aid in co-ordinating the activities of agricultural writers of the state is promised for the Texas Agricultural Writers Conference to be held at the A. & M. College of Texas during the nineteenth annual Farmers Short Course July 30 to August 4 this year.

Outline of the program being planned was announced recently following conference between Mrs. J. W. Baird of Dallas, president of the Agricultural Writers Conference, and A. D. Jackson, chief of the division of publications, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, who is in charge of arrangements here for the conference.

It is proposed to have the program include, among other subjects nine particular points of discussion which, it is likely, will be submitted to the conference as a working schedule for the ensuing year. Announcement of speakers and other phases of the completed program is awaiting word from members of the program committee.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By Rev. P. B. Fitzwater, D. D. Dean, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago

Lesson for April 1

JESUS THE SUFFERING MESSIAH

LESSON TEXT—Mark 8:27-38. QUIDDAM TEXT—Whoever will come after Me let him deny himself, take up his cross and follow Me. PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus the Messiah. SECONDARY TOPIC—The Healing of the Blind. TERTIARY TOPIC—The Cost of Being a Disciple. QUATERNARY TOPIC—Jesus Interprets His Messianic Ship.

1. Peter's Confession of Christ (vv. 27-30). Two questions of Jesus provoked this confession. "Who do they say that I am?" (v. 27) and "Whom do you say I am?" (v. 28). Peter's answer was "Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God." (v. 29). Jesus' response was "Blessed art thou, Simon Bar-jona; for flesh and blood hath not revealed this unto thee, but My Father which is in heaven: for thou art Peter, and upon this rock will I build My church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it: and I will give unto thee the keys of the kingdom of heaven: and whatsoever thou shalt bind on earth shall be bound in heaven: and whatsoever thou shalt loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven." (v. 30)

2. Jesus' Teaching Concerning the Cross (vv. 31-33). He charged the disciples not to make public His Messiahship as that would precipitate the crisis. The disciples had much need of instruction as to the nature of the Messiahship which He had in mind.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

Lorena Houston vs. Palma J. Houston, No. 4341. In the District Court, Coleman County, Texas.

THE NEED FOR LOVE

Mothers far better than doctors will understand the almost miraculous recovery of the Denver woman who rallied from what was thought to be a fatal malady when her children reached her bedside. One son she had not seen for 20 years. For two decades her children had not been all together at home.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Thursday afternoon Mrs. J. M. Martin gave a birthday party in honor of her little daughter, Gale.

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While in France with the American Army I obtained a noted French prescription for the treatment of Rheumatism and Neuritis. I have given this to thousands with wonderful results. The prescription cost me nothing. I ask nothing for it. I will mail it to you if you will send me your address. A postal will bring it. Write today. PAUL CASE, Dept. S-345 Brockton, Mass.

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San Antonio Drug Co. 5 Per Cent FARM LOANS BEST-SAFEST-LOWEST RATE Loans written for Thirty-six years, but you may repay in full or in part after five years. See or write E. F. Strange, Bangs, Texas

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

Mrs. Sylvia J. Parker No. 4335 vs. W. J. Hutchins, et al. In the District Court of Coleman County, Texas.

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED

that by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Coleman, Texas, on the 2nd Monday in April, A. D. 1928, the same being the 9th day of April, A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 5th day of March, A. D. 1928, in a suit numbered on the Docket of said Court No. 4335, wherein Mrs. Sylvia J. Parker, et al. are plaintiffs, and W. J. Hutchins, Wm. J. Hutchins, James Spillane, J. L. Compton, Mary E. Compton, Mary Elizabeth Compton, Clifford Stafford Ward, A. J. Ward, John C. Ward, H. L. Faulk, W. J. Crosby, and the unknown heirs of each of the above named persons, deceased, are defendants, the nature of plaintiffs demand being substantially as follows, to-wit:

1. Plaintiff represents to the court that on or about the 15th day of February, 1928, she was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises situated in Coleman County, Texas, to-wit:

Block No. 11, and lot No. 2, in block 26, situated in the town of Santa Anna, in said County and State, and all being in the original town of said Santa Anna, as per map plan of said town on the deed records of Coleman County, Texas, here referred to and made a part hereof.

That on the day said and year first mentioned, said defendants lawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withheld from her possession thereof.

That said defendants are setting up some claim on title to said premises the nature of which is unknown to plaintiff and for that reason cannot be stated, but same is inferior to the title of plaintiff herein.

WHEREFORE plaintiff prays judgment of the Court, that the defendants be ordered to appear and answer as the law directs, and upon hearing hereof she have judgment for the title and possession of said land and premises; her writ of restitution, and for costs and general relief, and will ever pray.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Coleman, Texas, this 5th day of March, A. D. 1928.

WITNESS, W. E. GIDEON, Clerk of District Court in and for Coleman County, Texas.

Workers' Short Lives

The queen bees live from ten to six years; the workers, about six weeks.

The Big Show Is Coming! Santa Anna's BIGGEST FAVORITE THE FAMOUS NO. 1

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SIX BIG DAYS STARTING MONDAY, APRIL 2nd TO SATURDAY, APRIL 7 PRESENTING NEW PLAYS OF INTEREST THAT ARE EVERYTHING IN COMEDY DRAMA

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Important Announcement to every owner of a Model T Ford

ON MAY 25, 1927, when Henry Ford first announced his plans for making a new car, he announced also that he would continue to make parts for the Model T Ford. He said:

"The Model T Ford car was a pioneer. It blazed the way for the motor industry and started the movement for good roads everywhere. It broke down the barriers of distance in rural sections, brought people in these sections closer together, and placed education within the reach of everyone. We are still proud of the Model T Ford. If we were not, we would not have continued to make it so long."

For twenty years the Model T Ford led the automobile industry and it still serves more people than any other automobile. Over one-third of all the automobiles in use today are Model T Fords — an indication of the sturdy worth of the car and its value to people in all walks of life the world over.

The Ford Motor Company will continue to make replacement parts for these cars "until the last Model T is off the road." That is a part of Ford service. That is what Henry Ford meant when he said: "We believe that when a man buys one of our cars we should keep it running for him as long as we can and at the lowest up-keep cost."

Because of this policy a considerable part of the Ford manufacturing plants is given over to the making of parts for the Model T Ford. These replacement parts are made of the same material and in the same way as those from which your car was originally assembled.

Make it a point, therefore, to see the nearest Ford dealer and have him look over your Model T Ford. You may find that a very small expenditure will enable you to get thousands of miles of additional service, and at the same time protect the money you have invested in your car.



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Field Seeds

Just received shipment of field seed from a firm that believes in quality, seeds all tested and re-cleaned.

High grade seeds produce better crops, and you will find the price right.

We have—

- Algeris
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- Ye-Low Dent Corn
- Surecropper
- Mex June Corn
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- Purity Brand Dwarf Yellow Maize
- Fancy Red Top Cane
- Black Amber
- Dorso
- Fancy Feterita
- Fancy Hegari
- White Kaffir Corn
- Fancy Sudan
- Whippoorwill Peas

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INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U.
Baptist Church

Sunday evening 6:15

Subject: What The Bible Cost.

This subject is covered in a new and very interesting manner, in the form of a play. Such topics as "The Price of The Bible," "The Bible is God's Word," "How We Should Read The Bible," "The Languages of The Bible," "The Translations of The Bible," and "The Efficiency of Reading The Bible" will be discussed by the characters listed below:

- Group Captain—Leon Ward.
- John—Clifford Ward.
- Mary—Marjorie Newman.
- Jack—Jack Gregg.
- Ida—Ruby Davis.
- Helen—Annie Lufton.
- Joe—Woodrow Neil.
- Anna—Johnnie Sue Lupton.

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A lot of people who are interested to come and buy advertised goods, should be so pleased by the service of that store, that they will also buy something else, or come again soon. So the profits from that advertising are created not merely by the sale of one lot of advertised goods, but by the advantage of pleasing a lot of people and holding their patronage. This permanent result in building up good will should amount to still more than the profits made on the advertised goods.

Mother!

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"California Fig Syrup" is Dependable Laxative for Sick Children



Even if cross, feverish, bilious, constipated or full of cold, children love the pleasant taste of "California Fig Syrup" and it never fails to sweeten the stomach and open the bowels. A teaspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow. Doesn't cramp or overact. Contains no narcotics or soothing drugs.

Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

JUDGE W. R. ELY A COLEMAN VISITOR SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Tells South Surfacing Contract To Be Let In April or May

(Democrat-Voice)

State Highway Commissioner, W. R. Ely of Abilene was in Coleman Sunday afternoon in consultation with County Judge C. L. South regarding state highways traversing the county. Recently the commission made a demand for 20-foot additional right-of-way for all state designated highways in the county and the matter was discussed Sunday by Judge South and Judge Ely.

Judge South told the highway commission that the demand could not be met except at enormous and unreasonable expense and that he would not consider the proposition. To grant the request would require setting fences back on each side of the highways 10 feet and the removal in some places of houses, filling stations and orchards. Judge Ely said that counties meeting the requirement were being given preference, but that contract for Coleman county surfacing would be let in April or May regardless of the refusal.

During the afternoon the two men traveled and examined the highway to the Colorado river beyond Rockwood. Judge South said Coleman county roads were laid off by a very competent engineer and are in better shape than those in counties that have found it advantageous to meet extra right-of-way requirements.

Judge South believes contracts should be let at the earliest possible date. "The highways are in better shape now than they have ever been in," he said, yesterday afternoon, "and they should receive attention before heavy traffic and high winds exact their annual toll of dirt and form chug holes."

Sorrow a Harriidan

Pleasure is a very maiden; we should go more than half way to meet her, yet seeming not to do so. She be seduced and taken to heart. Sorrow is a predatory harriidan; she will find us out no matter whether we run. Ah! she is a patient woeer for she knows that in the end we are hers.—Isaac Goldberz in the Reflex

ANOTHER GOOD ONE ON HORNED FROG

(Winters-Interprise)

"A True Horned Frog Story" is the title to the following yarn received, says George White of Dallas, with notation that it has been sworn to before a notary public as being a fact. Its author is Marcus Page Exline, senior tiquo at Dallas country club, who offers the testimony of several witnesses to prove his veracity.

While playing golf on the Austin Country Club Golf course and being one of the foursome composed of T. H. Davis, vice-president of the Austin National Bank, Jim L. Bartholemew, cashier, and another member of the Austin Club, it came Mr. Bartholemew's turn to tee off," writes Exline. "He wound up for a lengthy shot, struck at the ball centrifugally and but for

all that, due to bad luck and possibly changing of the wind, seasoned by Jim's tendency to find the rough ball reared by a rough curve semi-circled over the fairway and dropped with finality into the short weeds at the edge of the first fairway—in the rough.

"His negro caddy," continues Mr. Exline, "immediately dashed toward the spot to recover the ball. We saw him stoop and then retreat startled. His speech was incoherent and we rushed over to the spot where he was to learn the cause of the disturbance.

"There was Bartholemew's golf ball alright, but it was moving—decidedly moving with feeble leaps forward! On close examination we found it firmly implanted on the horn of a frog bound south up for a lengthy shot. We all stared in wonderment doubting our complete sobriety.

Mr. Bartholemew pulled the ball from the horns of the frog. Holes pierced in the gutta percha by the creature's horns convinced us that our eyes had not betrayed us.

"There they were—the holes and the witnesses, double proof that it was no fish story, but an authentic frog story, which proves furthermore, that the world is

flat and that golf balls do not have wings."

About all a rolling stone gathers is momentum.

Raising a family costs almost as much as it is worth.

One-half of the world can't see why the other half lives.

Miss Katherine Baxter, Miss Brown, and Miss Lela Peters who are together in Waco, spent the week-end here as the guest of Miss Josie Baxter.

Mr. Bert Donaldson, who has been working with the Gladys Belle Oil Company here has returned to Chaintato, Kansas.

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Moth Proof and Dust Proof Side Opening Size 30x60 Inches

Can Be Used Over and Over Again

Absolute protection for Clothing against Moths, Dust, Vermin and Moisture.

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A beautiful line of Ladies' Hats

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We Buy 'em Cheap-----and-----Sell 'em Cheap

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Look Over Your Old
Refrigerator--
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Garden Hose--
Lawn Mower--
Oil Stoves.

At present
you will find our stock
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Don't Forget
Our prices on Pressure
Cookers, Sealers and Cans
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one in Texas.

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Just received a Big Line of Ice Boxes and Refrigerators. Santa Anna Furniture and Undertaking Co.

Rockwood boys took one of the cups from Coleman Saturday on the track. Vernon Johnson made 14 1-2 points and Jack Williams 13 1-4. Carl Parker of Noxis taking third place.

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Next
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Sizes
1, 2 and 3
at
65c., 75c
and
85c
each

**G. W.
Faulkner**

BEE BRANCH ITEMS

Our Sunday School was well attended Sunday.

Mr. Robert Bullock and family of O'Donnell were visiting in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Moore and family of Coleman spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Keeney and family spent Saturday night and Sunday in the W. M. Hartman home and Mr. Hartman and daughter, Jewell accompanied them home for a weeks visit.

Our School Inspector was out last Thursday and reported favorably on our school.

Miss Jessie Dillard and Mrs. Palmore of Coleman left for Austin last Tuesday to attend a revival meeting.

Don't forget Sister Graunke's regular appointment Saturday night and Sunday, April 1. All are cordially invited.

Miss Alma, Juddy and Albert Griffin and Mr. Jodie Lobstein were out kodaking Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Granad and Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Havner spent Sunday in the Rev. Jodie Dillard home.

Mr. Frank McCary, who is working in Valera, spent the week end with home folks.

SINGER SEWING MACHINE CO. OPENS BRANCH HERE

We wish to announce to the public, we have opened a branch store in the Santa Anna Hotel and will carry in stock a full line of both Electric and Treadle machines and accessories. Singer sewing machines are sold on very reasonable terms, and a card addressed to us will bring a copy of our literature. We also have several real bargain priced used machines. Singer Sewing Machine Co., Santa Anna, Texas.

**CAUGHT
in the
ROUND-UP**

Miss Ethel Jones has gone to Corsicana, where she will visit several days in the home of her brother and other relatives.

Cecil Gilmore is visiting relatives in Hamlin and Amarillo for an unlimited time.

Mrs. N. D. Wylie spent the week in San Antonio.

Miss Lula Volentine is home from the St. Johns Hospital in San Angelo, where she recently underwent an operation.

Mrs. S. H. Phillips and Mrs. Lee Hunter spent the day in Abilene Sunday, visiting Mrs. Phillips daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Gilmore motored to Brady Sunday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. Phipps were here from Coleman Sunday, visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. C. Scarborough.

Mrs. Lois Reeves of Ozona is visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. Hardy Blue, this week.

Mr. Lem N. Chambers of San Antonio, visited his grandmother Mrs. M. E. Chambers a while last Saturday.

Mrs. Comer Blue and Mrs. Jack Ables are spending the week in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shockly were in San Antonio Sunday. Mr. A. P. Shockly of Hamilton, has been visiting his son, George.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McDaniels and Miss Marie Blewett visited in Abilene Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marrow and daughter and Mrs. Edmond Marrow of Stanton are visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Jerry Simpson and son Jackie and Miss Minnie Belle McMinn of Abilene, spent the week end here with home folks.

Mrs. Dr. Giles of Temple is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. F. Crum.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Crum were in Melvin Sunday, visiting their son.

Leston Cozart of Crane City has been visiting his mother in the Trickham community.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Carraway of Goldthwaite spent the week-end with Mrs. Simpson's mother at Trickham.

Mr. Grady Adams has returned from Waco and other points where he attended to business.

Mrs. Georgie Routh visited her sisters in Brownwood Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hughes and children of Brisco, Oklahoma are here visiting the lady's sisters.

Mrs. Curtis Woodward of Stanton is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lackey.

WHAT PRICE GLORY?

This is said to be one of the leading moving picture productions of the season, and is coming to the Queen Theatre next Monday and Tuesday nights. Movie goers will certainly appreciate this production.

Wednesday and Thursday, Bebe Daniels stars in 'She's a Shield'. This is said to be another one of Miss Daniels' best roles and a very popular picture.

Friday, Tim McCoy stars in the 'Law of the Range'. Tim McCoy has only been playing in the movies little more than a year, but has become a very popular star. Millions admire him.

Saturday night, Fred Thompson and that wonder horse, Silver King plays, presenting 'Arizona Nights'. Useless to say more, as Fred Thompson and Silver King always feature a thrilling program and are among the best entertainers.

WHAT PRICE GLORY?

New Furniture Coming In Every Day.

Santa Anna Furniture and Undertaking Co.

Mr. Hugh McKee, of Joshua has returned and expects to secure employment here.

Mr. Robert Basket has gone to Dallas where he is attending to business.

Mr. Jasper Melvain of Rockwood left this week to go to the oil fields near Pecos, where he will work.

Mr. Willie McHorse of Abilene was in town this week-end visiting friends and relatives. He was on his way to San Saba.

Rev. R. E. Briggs has returned to his home in Thurber, after a few days visit with his mother here.

Mrs. Addie Huggans was called to the bed side of her sister-in-law Mrs. J. H. McHorse, near Coleman, the first of the week.

James Caldwell of Rockwood, spent the week end with his mother here, Mrs. Rellie Caldwell.

Miss Rose Alice Melvain of Abilene, visited home folks at Rockwood last week-end.

Misses Mildred McSwane and Freda Miller of Rockwood, visited friends in the Mountain City this week.

Lavern Lackey is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schriber went to May last week-end.

Mrs. W. Z. Champion of Brownwood, spent Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. Smith.

The Farmer's Gin No. 2, which has been located near the Depot is being moved to the corner of the Brownwood road and the road leading through the mountain gap.

Rev. Fred Ross and wife of Coleman were visitors in Santa Anna Monday.

E. H. Wylie and family attended the McReynolds meeting in Brownwood Tuesday night.

Mrs. John Oakes, who was recently operated on has been removed to her home, where she is improving.

Mrs. J. M. Borrow accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Vernon Lee and husband to their home in Dallas Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Underwood have moved to the Borrow home.

E. E. Polk of Abilene was a business visitor in Santa Anna Tuesday and Wednesday. He was accompanied home by Miss Josie Baxter.

Miss Eureka Pleasant, who is attending Simmons University at Abilene was a week-end visitor here.

Mrs. H. R. Layne is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. E. Layne in Abilene this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mills were week-end visitors in the home of Ralph's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mills.

Nothing to Write Up

A Massachusetts groom failed to show up at the church where the bride was waiting, and so, as the saying is, there was nothing for the young reporter to do but to go back without a story. — Detroit News.

VALERA TO HAVE BIG DAY SATURDAY

The Valera Chamber of Commerce, joined by the business men of the city have launched a big day for Saturday of this week. The merchants are offering big bargains for that day, and an Old Fiddler's contest is to be staged for the afternoon. It is announced that the effort will be repeated the last Saturday in each month.

SENIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM Baptist Church April 1, 1928

Subject: "The Power of a Consecrated Life."
Bible Quiz—Ora Lee Neil.
Introduction—James Harvey.
"Jesus Our Great Example"—Oran Traylor.
"Paul, The Peerless Apostle"—Eris Gregg.
"A Life in Line With God's Will"—Grady Lowe.
"What Power Directs Your Life and Mine"—Ephraim Neil.
"Consummation of Consecration"—Johnnie Pearce.
"Christ's Life in Me"—Ora Lee Neil.
Sabbath, let us reconsecrate our lives to Jesus and give Him our very best service.—Group Captain.

"A SANTA ANNA INSTITUTION"

HELDY-SELFY

OWNED AND OPERATED BY FORD BARNES

Saturday Specials

1 Sunbrite Cleanser
3 bars Quick Naptha soap
1 box Ivory Flakes
1 bar Hand Soap
1 Scrub Brush

All for 27c

Turnips and Greens fresh from South Texas good size bunches; bunch **5c**

RADISHS Bunch	3c	COFFEE, Wapco 1 lb. Can	32c
CARROTS Bunch	3c	PORK & BEANS 3 cans	25c
MUSTARD GREENS	3c	ELFOOD Sandwich Spread	
1 Qt. Jar Mustard	19c	1 Jar	24c
1 50c Can TAMALES Very Fine	34c	APPLES Wine-Sap Med. Size	Each 2c
MUSTARD & HORSE-RADISH Glass	11c	LEMONS (Sun-kist quality) Doz.	18c

Dressed Hens and Fryers --- Phone us your orders early

SUNBONNET SUE FLOUR Makes those fluffy light biscuits

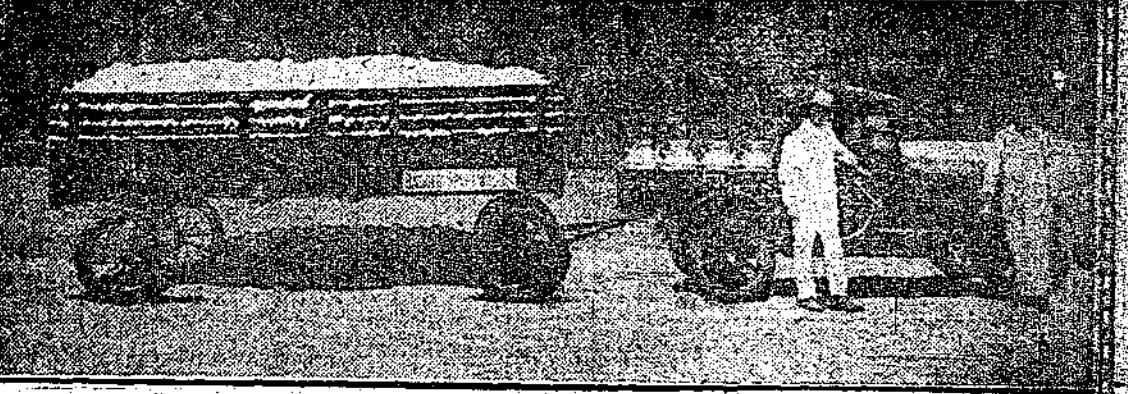
WE PAY CASH FOR YOUR EGGS

OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT

I wish to announce that I have opened my place of business at present in the corner building north of old Shield Hotel, where I will be found until my new building is ready to occupy.

I am wholesale and retail dealer for Cities Service Gas and Oils, and also have a full line of the well known Goodyear tires and tubes. There are none better than Goodyear in tires and tubes. I have the agency for the Hudson and Essex automobile and will be glad to show you and demonstrate to you one of these fine cars.

I want my friends to call and see me and watch for my announcements as they appear from time to time.



I also have an All-Steel Roller Bearing Wagon for all purposes, on Pneumatic Tires. This wagon can be used for team or trailer, and suitable for all purposes that a farm wagon or trailer can be used for. Come in and look this wagon over, for it sure is a dandy.

STAFFORD BAXTER