

# SANTA ANNA NEWS

"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

Thirty-Fifth Year

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## THEY ARE ALL HERE

Last week we made mention of the fact that the editor was making preparations to move his family to Santa Anna, and we are proud to announce they have safely arrived.

Useless to say the editor has been busy to the extent of his working capacity this week, for anyone that has ever been burdened with the unpleasantness of moving, knows what it is to tear up and move, especially where everything is to be handled so many times.

Thursday morning is the first time the editor has been able to get to the office to do any work, and if the paper comes up a little short of your expectations this week, just charge it to our misfortune in having to move and rest assured that nothing short of the best is our aim and will be our pleasure to furnish you with in the future.

At present the editor and family are domiciled in the home recently vacated by Mr. George Bailey and family in the western part of town where we will try to live peaceably and agreeable to our neighbors for the remainder of this year, and our home is always open to our friends and those who are seeking our friendship and neighborly deeds.

## REVIVAL AT BANGS MEETING SUCCESS; SEVENTEEN ADDED

Rev. U. R. Forrest of Stamford is conducting a revival meeting for the Church of Christ at Bangs, and is meeting with great success, according to members of the Brownwood church who attended services in Bangs Sunday. The meeting has been in progress for a week and has resulted in seventeen additions to the church.

The services will continue all this week. Next Sunday there will be a big dinner on the ground with preaching partially all day. A number of members of the Brownwood church of Christ expect to be present at that time and assist in the meeting with personal work.—Brownwood Bulletin.

## COLEMAN GAS FIGHT

Coleman, Aug. 1.—The city commission has refused to grant an increase of 25 cents in rates to the Coleman Gas Company, which is now charging 50 cents per thousand feet. The officials of the company submitted figures showing that the plant's valuation here is \$119,000 and that after paying all expenses and estimating depreciation at 10 per cent the property had shown only a net earning of \$750 in the last year.

The case has been taken before the railroad commission. The industrial rate of 25 cents will not be increased in the program, it is understood.

## PEOPLE OF OUR TOWN



The Inspector goes down to Meet No. 1 every day to see that the Wheels are all on the Pullmans, after which he Tries Out all the Store and Hotel Chairs around town. And whenever he finds an Unsafe Building or Telephone Pole, he Patiently Stands by the hour and Holds It Up!

## CHILDREN SHOULD RECEIVE TRAINING

A good percentage of the children these days fail to receive wholesome home training and this accounts for much of the prevalent malicious mischief throughout the country. Parents also fail to inculcate in their offspring correct ideas concerning property rights of others. They do not teach their sons that it is a crime to steal fruit and melons. They steal these things, and later on their success emboldens them, and they become chicken thieves, auto thieves, etc.etc. But let us go a step farther. Many do not teach their children that there is such a thing as property rights. They permit them to climb into automobiles left standing, and while there they tinker with the steering wheel and other parts, and frequently get the machines out of order. When the owner comes for his machine he finds the steering apparatus out of order, and if he cranks his machine before learning of this he is liable either to get killed or to kill some innocent party. Or, his machine may run wild and crash into other machines, and cause much loss of property. Train your children to refrain from molesting the property of others. These ideas may seem like old fogyism to some, but, if they are observed, there will be a decrease of sorrow in the world. As a matter of fact no one should ever molest property in which he has no interest.

The child should be taught to keep out of standing automobiles.

There is a State law covering this last clause, making it a penalty for anyone to even get in or tinker around a standing automobile.—Stephenville Tribune.

## NOTICE OF BIDS FOR SCHOOL FUND DEPOSITORY

By virtue of authority vested by law in the Board of Trustees of the Santa Anna Independent School District, we will receive bids for depository of the funds of said District for the year beginning September 1st, 1921 and ending the 31st day of August, 1922. All bids must be in writing and securely sealed and must be in the hands of the Board of Trustees not later than the 30th day of August, A. D. 1921. Right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Board of Trustees Santa Anna Independent School District.

T. RICHARD SEALY, Pres.  
E. M. RANEY, Sec.  
DONT BE A KNOCKER

If there is a chance to boom business, boom it. Don't pull a long face and look as though you had a sour stomach. Hold up your head, smile, and look for better things hide your little hammer and try to think well of others, no matter how small you may really know yourself to be. Often a stranger stops in, jolly him, tell him this is the greatest town on earth—and it is. Don't discourage him by speaking ill of your neighbors. Lead him to believe he has at last struck a place where white people live. Don't knock. Help yourself along by becoming popular and push your friends with you. It's dead easy. Be a good fellow and you will soon have a procession of followers. No man ever helped himself by knocking others down. No man got rich by trying to make others believe he was the only man in town who knew anything. You can not climb a ladder of success by tramping on others' corns.

Be good then, and buy from your home merchants.—Contributed in the Blanket Signal.

Mrs. D. C. Dennis and little daughter, LeVern, accompanied the editor to Stephenville last Friday, where they visited friends and relatives there and at Bluffdale for a few days. Mrs. Dennis returning home Tuesday, leaving her little girl for a longer visit with relatives at Bluffdale. Mrs. Dennis has our thanks for courtesies and favors shown us upon our arrival in the city, and we trust that in some way we will be able to repay her for same.—Editor.

## WEEKLY SHOULD UNDERSTAND ITS POSITION

(By D. S. Crawford)

Rapidly coming to the fore is the country newspaper, and one after another the publishers of weekly papers are becoming aware of their position, responsibility, and relation to the community and to the nation.

A few years ago the publisher of a country weekly generally sought to wield a political influence, earned a skinny living, and looked upon his own position in the world largely as a charitable proposition; but he was willing to assume the rôle of martyr for the sake of the standing that running a newspaper gave him.

Now the publisher of a weekly newspaper is assuming a new position. He at last has seen the light, and placed his business on a commercial basis, taken his place as a necessary institution, and the cloak of charity having slipped from his shoulders, he stands forth a real man at the helm of the greatest factor in the business, political and social life of the present age.

The position and relation of the country paper to the public is summed up in very few words: It is the standard bearer of all that is best for community, county, state and nation.

It molds public opinion along the soundest and best lines, for future endeavor, education and prosperity. It not only educates and leads the present generation, but lays the foundation for the economic government of the future. For years it assumed no responsibility other than as an exponent of local matter, leaving the larger field to metropolitan dailies and magazines which, by virtue of their foresight in completely covering the fields of interest, made big inroads into the weekly field. But all this is changing with the new era of the present weekly.

The weekly that now is holding its own and assuming its position with other national powers is not only pushing its own community, but is working with other like publications in educating and fostering an industry that tends to destroy radicalism.

Its first duty is to publish a real newspaper, which must carry matter of interest to all its circulating territory. This, generally speaking, consists of local news; county, state and national news; agriculture and the live stock industry; manufacturing; public enterprises, schools, churches and society; thing of interest to children and parents; material relating to women and home economics; clean sports; the spice of life in humor, which might include cartoons and other illustrations; markets; good sound editorial opinions.

The newspaper that thoroughly covers its field, pleasing all subscribers in one way or another, finds itself a factor and a power for good, far in excess of usual anticipations. This is being proven each new day in some quarter of the United States by the "live wires" in the weekly newspaper game.

Without following this principle the weekly papers will not be able to maintain their place in the procession of progress. The greatest influence for good to the individual and the mass of individuals known as the government is wielded by the country paper. The newspaper which does not recognize these new conditions and standards must sooner or later meet its Waterloo and drop out of sight. On the other hand, instances are everywhere that analytical, progressive, far-seeing publishers are succeeding under present conditions beyond the fondest dreams they entertained but a few years ago.

E. H. Farrow and family left Wednesday for Menard, Eden and other places south on an outing trip. They will be gone several days.

J. V. Ledford has our thanks for becoming a new reader of the News, beginning with this issue.

It's the taste that tells. M. B. Ice Cream. Hunter's Pharmacy. 31-2

## CHINESE AND KOREANS HONEST Business is Conducted by Word of Mouth—Losses Slight

Richard Spillane in the Philadelphia Public Ledger: For commercial honesty the Chinese rank highest among all the people of the earth. A debt is something a Chinese considers a sacred obligation. Another people of the far east deserve respect almost equal to the Chinese in this regard. They are the Koreans.

A gentleman was in the office of Campbell Jackson, manager of the branch bank of the Hong Kong China Banking Corporation in Chemulpo, the principal port of Korea one day when a Korean merchant entered. He wanted to borrow 5,000 yet (normally about \$2,500).

Mr. Jackson told him to go back to the cashier and the money would be given him.

"Is that the way you do business?" the visitor asked.

"Yes," replied Mr. Jackson.

"But doesn't that man have to give a note or have an indorser?" the visitor inquired.

"Nothing of the kind," was the answer. "He simply goes to my cashier, tells him what I said and the cashier will give the money to him and make entry of the loan. That is sufficient. Never in the eleven years we have been conducting this branch of the bank have we had one cent of loss."

"But suppose the borrower dies?" argued the visitor.

"Then his father or his brothers or some relative or his guild or the organization of which he is a member, which is somewhat like an American chamber of commerce, assumes the obligation," Mr. Jackson explained. "The guild and commercial bodies in Korea tax each member a certain amount yearly to liquidate any indebtedness its members are unable to discharge. A merchant who defaults is ostracized. Honor is held above everything in Korea. Honesty is a national characteristic. More than that, it is a necessity to the successful conduct of business, for men will not transact business with dishonest men. This does not mean that Koreans are not sharp traders. They are shrewd bargainers. But once they give a pledge that pledge is held sacred."

What if American chambers of commerce and trade organizations did what the commercial bodies of Korea do!

## BABY CLOTHES

When a man comes home all tired and sore

And finds scattered all over the floor,  
It spoils his rest and makes him mad;  
Makes him sorry that he's dad;  
Because no matter where he goes  
He stumbles over the baby's clothes.

The little boy has gone to bed  
Play is done and prayers are said.  
He had no time to put away  
His clothes for the coming day;  
And so they're scattered all around,  
Dad wonders how they're ever found.

But these lines are not my own,  
They were written with a frown.  
What I really want to say:  
When I came home from day to day  
The greatest joy my heart e'er knows  
Is the sight of baby's clothes.

On the table—on the chair—  
On the floor, or anywhere—  
On the mantle—on the bed—  
In the bathtub, as I said  
Anywhere they look to me  
Like a sign of liberty.

And indeed that's what they are;  
I would not try this realm to bar.  
No picture did I ever see  
So appealing, grand, to me  
So welcome, goodness knows,  
As the sight of baby's clothes.  
—Exchange.

Miss Gorden Owens, a young lady of "twenty-some-odd" summers, who was formerly employed by the editor on the Rising Star X-Ray, and has been working on the Stephenville Empire for the past fourteen months, moved here with us, and will make her home with the editor and family and be one of our trusted employes on the News in the future. She will be known as the "Printing Office Girl" and may try to be the whole "cheese."

## WATSON CHARGES THAT FEDERAL RESERVE HEADS ATTEMPT TO WRECK NATION

Washington, July 21.—"Big Chief" Tom Watson of Georgia has started on the war path. With a grim smile as war paint and a keen edged rhetorical tomahawk, he is after the scalp of the reserve board.

Since the advent of the Georgia fire brand in the senate his colleagues have expectantly awaited the "out-break" of the chief as his clerks call him with affectionate deference.

The "war cry" of the chief was a resolution couched in the bitterest denunciatory terms directing President Harding to "fire" the present members of the board and replace them with "men of affairs" who are not to be servants of Morgan, Standard Oil, packers and other legalized marauders.

"I'm going to camp on their trail like a hungry cyote after a corpulent jack rabbit," declared the chief.

"And the cyote usually gets his meat."

He is typical of the anti-bellum South, erect, immaculate in his tropical suit, boiled shirt and black string tie, he gives a visitor a courtly bow and a hearty hand clasp.

"The criminal and arbitrary deflation of the currency by the reserve board," Senator Watson declared, has cost the American people the amount of the German indemnity, \$32,000,000,000.

"The unscrupulous bunch of scoundrels who compose the board have caused 10,000 business failures, innumerable heart aches among formerly prosperous people, and the suicide of hundreds of citizens who have been reduced to desperation by the infamous policy of the board.

"They have done to America what German u-boats tried but failed to sink that nation into the abyssal degradation of an autocratic subjugation. The atrocious sinking of the Lusitania and the cold blooded murder of 119 Americans was no worse in moral turpitude than has been the criminal policy of the board.

"The outcome, there can be but one—is to get rid of the board. I have dedicated myself to that purpose."

A. J. Allen of Stephenville, Texas, among our good neighbors while the editor and family lived there, pays for the News to be mailed to his address for one year. Thanks Jack, come over to a good town.

Will Stewart and family of Rockwood, E. S. Jones and family of Shield and T. T. Perry and family of Santa Anna, returned last week-end from a ten day's camping trip to San Antonio.

FOR SALE—Titan tractor and John disc plow, will sell or trade. See John Pearce. 31-1tp

## MICKIE SAYS—

DONT NEVER COMPLAIN TO TH' EDITOR THAT HE DONT PRINT ALL TH' NEWS, BECUZ YOU'LL PROBABLY SEE TH' TIME WHEN YOU'LL BE DARN GLAD HE DONT!



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# D. R. HILL & BROTHER

Suit Cases, Trunks  
and Bags

We have this week received a new lot of men's trousers. They are absolutely all wool and made to fit; priced at \$5.00, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.00 and \$8.50.

The boys will soon be needing a school suit. We have received a shipment this week, the prices are almost half what they were last year. They are made with pleated yoke and belt. Priced at \$8.50 to \$12.50, and guaranteed all wool.

We especially want you to see our serge suits for men at \$35.00. Last year this suit would have cost \$55.00 to \$60.00. Other suits in cheaper ones.

Fall shipment of shoes are being received every few days. We now have a nice little stock. The prices are reasonable and everyone knows when they buy a Star 5 Shoe they are assured of reasonable wear for the price they pay.

Shirts, collars and ties at prices to suit your pocket book. Work clothes of all kinds. Ask to see our \$1.75 kahki pants. Unionall for both boys and men. Boys' dress pants. Boys' shirts, etc.

Let us supply your needs in the dry goods line.

## WE APPRECIATE YOUR TRADE

### AT THE CHURCHES

#### At The Baptist Church

Next Sunday the following program will be rendered.

Report of Treas. S. M. Polk.  
Short talks on our finances.  
Address by J. J. Gregg.  
Bro. Stockard presiding.  
The pastor is in Wise county in a meeting.

#### Christian Endeavor Program

Topic:—Thy will be done.—With my pleasures.—Matt. 6: 7-15.

Consecration Meeting.  
Leader.—Hugh Blair.

Golden Pleasure.—Celeste McClellan.

Pleasures of Sin.—Vera Oakes.

Invite the Master.—Elizabeth McClellan.

New Pleasures for Old.—Arnold Davidson.

#### B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Song service.  
Prayer.

Secretary's report.  
Leader of meeting in charge.

Scripture lesson.—Thelma Martin.  
Introduction.—Leader.

Blameless and homeless Christians will render willing obedience.—Manley Reynolds.

Such Christians will work out their salvation in lives of service.—Mrs. Campbell.

The Power is from God.—Clyde Bartlett.

Such Christians will render cheerful service.—Bessie Watkins.

Blameless, if not Perfect.—Opal West.

Light Bearers for the World.—Richard Traylor.

Leader.—David Faucett.

#### FAREWELL SERVICE

Sunday night at the tabernacle, under the auspices of the Baptist church, a farewell service was given Miss Effie Baker, who leaves for Japan during this month.

The tabernacle was almost filled with people who came to bid farewell.

Two of her former teachers, Dean T. H. Taylor and Dr. W. T. Hillsman, of Howard Payne College made splendid address, the former speaking from the standpoint of Christian Education and the latter from the standpoint of the church. Each speaker praised the merits of Miss Baker, who has so unselfishly given her life for the service of her Lord.

Immediately following these addresses the Junior B. Y. P. U. sang a song while three baskets decorated in red and white (color of the Japanese flag) were carried by six small children to the platform. Then Bro. Reynolds in his own loving way presented the shower which had been arranged by the different organizations of the church.

Miss Baker responded with a short talk, thanking the people for their gifts and telling them why she was led to surrender her life as a missionary.

At the close of the meeting Miss Baker and Miss Lena Boyd stood at the front while friends and acquaintances bid them goodbye.

Alta-Vista ice cream, none better, served at our fountain.—Abernathy's Confectionery.

#### FAREWELL SERVICE

A farewell service was given Miss Lena Boyd last Sunday at the Presbyterian church.

Representatives from the various auxiliaries spoke, extending to her the best wishes and pledging their prayers during her absence in the Japan field.

One feature of the service was the presentation of a bag filled with gifts from the church and other friends.

Miss Boyd responded in an appropriate manner thanking her friends for the many courtesies extended her that had made her stay so pleasant.

She left on Tuesday night for San Francisco from which point she will sail for India.

E. H. Farrow returned home Saturday, having been to points in Brown, McCollough, Tom Green, Runnels, Coleman and Concho counties.

R. R. Powell left Saturday night for Abilene where he will visit his daughter, Mrs. E. E. Ware, for several days.

Felton Kelly of Los Animas, Colo. who has been visiting his uncle, E. H. Farrow, left Monday afternoon for Temple where he will visit for a few days with his aunt, Mrs. J. W. Bland, before going to Chicago and other places and returning home to take up his work with the Santa Fe. He formerly lived here and his many friends were glad to see him in our midst again.

#### ECONOMIC TOMFOOLERY

Us Southern people as a rule get our daily menu from tin cans and paper sacks, raise cotton and political thunder, write laws, shout for moral reforms, lambast booze, start an investigation, take a collection—and then when the day of liquidation arrives, there's no meal in the barrel, no hams in the loft, no chickens in the purse, and to relieve their dire needs we petition congress for a loan, and vent our spleens on the government, corporations and the national banks.

And here we go headed for easy street, and a free feed and the political vampires chunk up the fires of hatred, keep us at fever heat, and promise us milk and butter from the government cow, with they hay and bran thrown in to feed her on. In spite of ourselves, folks, we have embraced socialism. Yes, we just sit around like a sick kitten on a hot rock, worshipping at the shrine of federalism, whining and crying for a pension or moving the bones on a political chessboard for a government job, and today thirty five million people get their bacon from Uncle Sam's commissary and out of every dollar that we drop into the government till, ninety cents is for the solace, the feeding, and luxury of the American war rods. Oh yes, we hop out of bed in the early morn at the alarm of a Seth Thomas clock, hook a pretty pair of suspenders to a slick horn button made from Texas cow horns, sewed onto a pair of overalls made away up in New England, wash our hands with Fairy soap in a yankee pan, dry our hands and faces with a cotton towel of Massachusetts weave, and comb our hair with southern cow bones saved in a northern factory—cotton ten cents per pound and bones two dollars per wagon load. Then we sit down and get our knees under a plain pine table, with a sham oak polish, made in Grand Rapids, eat Kansas bacon

and wallop our taters in Chicago gravy, and all cooked on a yankee stove. And bright and early we hike to the cotton patch and hitch a northern jackass to a Moline plow and from early dawn till dewy eve we gee-haw Pete with cotton plow lines of Southern product, and a yankeedoole spin. And then when bed time comes, we get down the dear old family Bible with a union label and Boston print, and we read its holy pages, the meek shall inherit the earth, and only the good shall look God in the face, then we kneel down on a Brussels carpet and shed tears on a mohair cushioned chair of foreign manufacture. Then we unloose California shoe latches and pull the southern calf skins from our tired feet; the hair was chemically slipped and it got its soft, glossy finish in a northern tan yard, lasted on Georgia beechwood, and its beauty and glove fitting and foot ease qualities are the products of a yankee brain shop. And now ere the curtain falls on the southern economic drama, we crawl into bed, lie down on Fall River bed sheets, bleached with Connecticut indigo, and snuggle down beneath a New Jersey wool blanket, manufactured from southern wool clip and thus we roll and tumble and dream and wonder what in the devil and Tom Walker is the matter with conditions down South. And lastly, the final act. We plead with our lawmakers up at the nation's capital to relieve us from the grievous burdens saddled on us by the barons of Wall Street and bloated yankee bondholders. Now don't you go and say that we do not love this old Southland. Yea, God, we love her hills and dales and valleys, worship at the shrine of her great men, who have performed calorous deeds, had a part in the building of this Temple of freedom and have been the champions of human liberty. Oh yes, we honor and revere Southern traditions and we are proud of the fact that we were burgeoned in the loins of Southern sires, and we will scrap any doggone man or sect who would dare to cast reflection on this southern race. But, folks, the yankees have got the bested in a financial deal on the exchange of commodities, for the reason that the southern man's mind does not run to making soap, tanning leather, weaving cloth and mixing dye stuffs and the like, but rather it runs to poetry,

and factory, and that's where the yankees have got us skinned.—Albany News.

FOR RENT—Southeast exposure, large nicely furnished room with bath and sewage. Phone 210. 31-p

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J. J. GREGG, Publisher and Owner

Friday, August 5, 1921

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

There surely must not be many friends to education in our special called session of the Legislature now in session. The people pay tax to keep our state, then elect men to go to Austin to spend all the law will allow them and appropriate the remainder supposed to be to the best interests of the state, but they can always find a graft, greed, penitentiary or some other kind of a darn place to spend the money until it comes to the schools and educational interests of the state, then they hollow economy, where is the money coming from, etc., and such junk as that. In our honest-to-God opinion, there are more than half of those suckers down there trying to "Represent the People?" that ought to be waited upon by the K. K. K. in good fashion, and if they continue their cussedness much longer we would not be surprised to hear that the work had been done. Not a man that has read and tried to keep up with the doings during the special session has ever uttered a compliment or word of praise for any effort they have undertaken. More than Twelve Million Dollars has been appropriated to things that were nothing in importance as compared to the educational needs of the state, then when it comes to educational needs, the poor saps send up a yell for economy. Economy? There are too many legislators in Austin.

Capt. J. J. Gregg of Santa Anna was in the city this week, and of course he wanted all his Stephenville friends to visit him at his new home. He is now a newspaper man, and is trying to make people believe that Santa Anna is the very center of this old world, and the best place on earth for ozone—if one should be short of and in need of it. Gregg is a booster, and one cannot associate long with him without being inoculated.—Stephenville Tribune.

Thanks Mr. Editor, and when you feel like taking a little outing and rest from your labors, just come over to our beautiful mountain city. Situated in the heart of one among the best agricultural and livestock counties in Central West Texas. Drink to your delight and utmost of your capacity of our pure water, look upon our sun-kissed and fertile farms, then go out and take a swim with us in the gorgeous and beautiful waters of Home Creek, and you will agree with us that Santa Anna is the hub and all the rest of the world revolves around us.

Due to the editor having to move this week, we were unable to post up our work for July, get out our bills and make collections, but as soon as this work can be done, we will be presenting bills to the faithful few who have enough interest in the town to patronize the local newspaper.

Mr. J. M. Byrd came to our rescue Thursday with a nice bucket of honey produced on his farm in this county, and turned it in on his subscription to the News. Mr. Byrd is one of our good neighbors and we are pleased to have him become a regular reader of the News.

There is still no law in effect against cutting weeds and swatting flies in Santa Anna, and unless the people get a different move on themselves and rid the town of the weeds, mosquitoes and what is called the common house fly, we need not expect to escape a fever epidemic in our midst. Our City Dads should get busy and see that a more sanitary law enforcement is complied with.

### REMOVAL NOTICE

The Potter Produce Co. have moved from their old stand on West Main street to their new building on the railroad east of the depot.

## CENTRAL WEST TEXAS ODD FELLOWS AND REBEKAH ASSOCIATION

(Brownwood, Bulletin)

The delegates to the West Texas Texas Odd Fellows' and Rebekahs' Association which met in Santa Anna report the 16th annual session one of the most successful and best attended in the history of the order.

The meetings were filled with the spirit of true fraternalism.

Much pleasure provided our meetings by our live wire grand officers, who were so helpful in our work, Grand Master Joseph Murry of San Antonio, Grand President Minnie Dale Brown of Iowa Park and Grand Secretary E. S. Vestal of Dallas.

On the evening of July 27th the Rebekah degree was exemplified by contesting staffs. Stevens Rebekah staff of Brownwood making highest grade won the medal.

A most interesting feature was contesting in the Rebekah individual charges which was well attended and again two Brownwood women won the honors, Mrs. J. H. Stroud in the chaplain charge and Mrs. R. P. Kingston in the unwritten work, both prizes being beautiful.

The officers elected for this term were: Mrs. W. P. Eads of Bangs, President; Mrs. R. R. Kingston of Brownwood, First Vice President; Mrs. Tom Leach, Brownwood, Second Vice President; Mrs. J. D. Visart, Bangs, Secretary; and Mrs. Jim Carter, Comanche, Treasurer.

The loyalty and generous hospitality of Santa Anna will long be remembered by each in attendance. After "God Be With You Till We Meet Again," the Association adjourned in Friendship, Love and Truth.

—A Member.

Hon. M. L. McFarland 1101 Army St. Brownwood, was a pleasant caller at this office Tuesday. Mr. McFarland lived in Santa Anna in the long ago and has considerable interests in Santa Anna which he often calls over to see about. He is a stockholder in the First National Bank of this city, and expressed himself as being well pleased with the manner in which the management of the bank are carrying on the business. Mr. McFarland has our thanks for renewing his subscription to the News while here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dunwoody of Aspermont and A. G. Dunwoody of Anson are visiting their sister, Mrs. C. G. Erwin. Mr. W. A. Dunwoody is the Editor and Chief of the Aspermont Star. He began his newspaper work on the Santa Anna News in the latter nineties and has made good in the newspaper game.

### HARMONY CLUB AUGUST 10

Hostess.—Misses Phillips.  
 Leader.—Mrs. Greer.  
 Roll Call.—Foreign Composers.  
 Life of Lizst.—Mrs. Frank Crum.  
 Duet.

Second Rhapsody.—Lizst: Sybil Simpson and Margret Phillips.

The story of the March.—Edrine Tyson.

Solo.  
 Rackoczy March.—Lizst: Nettie Turner.

The Purpose of the Study of Music.—Mrs. Carl Wallace.

Hark, Hark, the Lark.—Miss Ramsuer.

Coleman, Texas, July 28, 1921.  
 Santa Anna News,  
 Santa Anna, Texas.  
 Gentlemen:

You will find enclosed herewith my personal check for One and 50-100 (\$1.50) Dollars for which please forward me the Santa Anna News for one year beginning with the next issue.

Thanking you for your kindness, I am Very truly yours,  
 Alma G. Brinkley.

Thanks, the above letters are the kind we like to get.—Editor.

North Hall, University of Chicago.  
 Chicago, Ill.

Editor Santa Anna News:

Please mail the News to me at the above address until Sept. 1, when I shall be back in Santa Anna.

Yours truly,  
 C. D. Eaves,

Supt. Schools.  
 Your request is granted.—Editor.

Want to trade for a good second hand wagon. Phone 324. 2t

FREE—Firewood already chopped and piled to give away. Gladys Bell Oil Co. 31

## Marriage Licenses Issued

July 27.—Austin T. Walker and Chessie Thomas.

July 27.—S. A. Anderson and Mrs. L. G. Taylor.

July 30.—Bob Green and Erman Hipsher.

Aug. 2.—W. W. Haywood and Mary Couch.

## Record of Births

Reported to the county clerk:

To Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Polk, Santa Anna, girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Phillips, Talpa, girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Ballard, Coleman, girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Lapsley, Morris Ranch, girl (stillborn.)

To Mr. and Mrs. Chester A. Lawrence, Trickham, boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Mayo, Coleman, boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Row, Coleman, girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Barmore, Glen Cove, twins, boy and girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cornelius, Gouldbusk, girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. Y. B. Johnson, Burkett, boy.

## Deaths Filed for Record

R. O. Kelley to N. H. Blue, 134x99 feet out of block 30, G. C. & S. F. addition to Santa Anna; \$600.00.

J. E. Boog-Scott and S. P. Woodward to B. A. Pessels, undivided two-sevenths interest, part of lots 1-2-3-4 of block 1 (mill and elevator site) original town of Coleman; \$1,000.00.

W. C. Jones to S. H. Spruiell, 55x187 1-2 feet out of block 22, Clow's 1st addition to Coleman; \$6,000.00.

Nora C. Eddings, and husband W. E. Eddings, to B. E. Wester, west half of lot 3 in block 58, town of Santa Anna; \$1,500.00.

Upton Henderson to William Lobstein 326 1-4 acres being part of Hamilton Kegans survey 498; \$12,000.00.

W. H. Grimes to G. W. Willis, lot 18 in block 10, townsite of Novice; \$1,000.00.

Cosden Oil & Gas Co. to Grier M. Gray, oil and gas lease equipment, material, etc., situated on M. Izod survey 172; \$7,000.00.

E. W. Moore to E. W. Campbell, \$1.50 acres contained in Samuel Sprague survey 664; \$7,000 as evidenced by exchange of other land in Floyd county.

E. M. Tisdale to R. L. Todd, east half of lot 3 in block 62, town of Santa Anna; \$4,000.00.—Democrat-Voice.

## BOY DRAGGED TO DEATH BY MULE IN SILVER VALLEY COMMUNITY

Cecil Clifford, 12 years old, whose father has land rented from I. P. Burroughs near Silver Valley, this county while riding a horse and leading a mule to water Wednesday morning became entangled in the rope and was dragged to death. When the boy was missed his father made an investigation and found the mule still running, dragging the lifeless body of his son, the rope being around the boy's neck. The body was not recovered until the mule ran into the barn. The family came here from Nacodoches county a year ago.

LOST—Hood for Studebaker car, on Plainview hill. Finder please return to Faulkner's Blacksmith Shop. 31-p

WANTED—Information concerning suit case left in Santa Fe station, Saturday night, July 30. Reward. Call 2212 or see U. S. Brannon. 31-2-p

Oats or Maize Wanted—Several hundred bushels, will pay cash or trade Jersey cows. H. J. Parker. 31

For Sale or Trade—Terms easy, an 11-room house with sleeping porch; near school building; seven vacant lots, three north of railroad. See H. W. or Howard Kingsbury.

COFFINS AND CASKETS Day or Night Funeral Car in Connection Day Phone 86 Night Phones 167 and 136 The Adams Merc. Co.

Piano For Sale—Have good standard make piano, also player piano brand new, will sell at a bargain, cash or terms, rather than to reship. Write J. W. Dalton, Santa Anna, Texas. 1t

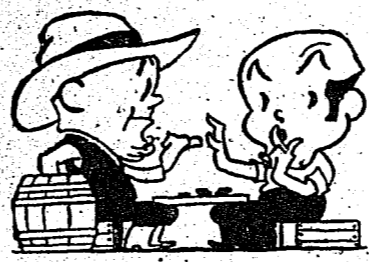
FOR SALE—At a bargain, 6 room house, 2 porches, hall, underground cistern, small shed and chicken house, 5 acres land, in south edge of town—the Murray place. See H. J. Parker. 7-22-tf

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 Daily motor truck service between Santa Anna and Coleman.



Square Yourself With That Girl  
 By taking her a box of these fine chocolates, she will commend your taste and judgment and it may be the means of you finally winning her.  
 Handled exclusively in Santa Anna by  
 Corner Drug Store

## Don't stick with the prunes



MY DAD'S favorite yarn.  
 WAS THE one about  
 THE OLD storekeeper.  
 WHO WAS playing checkers.  
 IN THE back of the store.  
 AMONG THE coal oil.  
 AND THE prunes.  
 WHEN THE sheriff.  
 WHO HAD just jumped his king.  
 SAID "SI there's a customer.  
 WAITIN' OUT front."  
 AND SI said "Sh-h-h!"  
 IF YOU'LL keep quiet.  
 MEBBE HE'LL go away."  
 NOW HERE'S the big idea.  
 WHEN A good thing.  
 HAPPENS ALONG.  
 DON'T LEAVE it to George.  
 TO GRAB the gravy.  
 FRINSTANCE IF.

YOU HEAR of a smoke.  
 OR READ about a smoke.  
 THAT REALLY does more.  
 THAN PLEASE the taste.  
 THERE ARE no hooks on you.  
 THERE'S NO law against  
 YOUR STEPPING up.  
 WITH THE other live ones.  
 AND SAYING right out.  
 IN A loud, clear voice.  
 "GIMME A pack of  
 THOSE CIGARETTES.  
 THAT SATISFY."

YOU'LL say you never tasted such flavor, such mild but full-bodied tobacco goodness. You're right, too, because they don't make other cigarettes like Chesterfields. The Chesterfield blend can't be copied.

Have you seen the new AIR-TIGHT tins of 50?

# They Satisfy Chesterfield CIGARETTES

LIGGETT & MYERS TOBACCO CO.

## Texas News

A man said to have lived in Houston gave several small checks on the Columbus State Bank where he had no deposit. He has not been apprehended.

Kelly Voice, negro, charged with criminal assault and on trial at Gonzales for four days, was given twenty years in the penitentiary.

The railroad commission ordered the Texas Mexican Railway Company to construct an adequate depot building at Alice.

The seawall at Port Lavaca is rapidly nearing completion, more than two-thirds of the work having been finished, with contractors making good headway during the prevailing good weather.

Governor Neff and Adjutant General T. D. Barton have been subpoenaed as witnesses in the trial of John Astor, charged with murder, which starts at Clarendon this week.

The work of completing additional rooms at the Park School and the West Side School in Yoakum is expected to be finished by the opening of the fall term of school.

Nine or ten cars of watermelons have been loaded at Elgin, selling for from \$125 to \$275 per car. The crop is reported as being extremely short this year.

Otto Daniel, chiropractor, who has been serving a fine of one hundred dollars in jail at Lufkin on a charge of practicing medicine without license, as the result of a jury verdict in the county court, was released on bond.

Edna has ginned its first two bales of cotton and the crop generally is several weeks ahead of that in many counties. The price for ginning has not yet been fixed, but it is believed that it will be about 30c, the same as that of Wharton County.

A meeting of citizens of both the town and county has been called to discuss the campaign to be waged for a county bond issue of \$1,400,000 for building good roads in Angelina County. This election will be held next month.

An appeal of cattle breeders of the Southwest for the appropriation of a \$5,000,000 fund to be distributed among live stock producers in order to conserve the breeding herds will be carried to Washington next week by a committee named at Fort Worth Monday, it was announced.

Four men, charged by indictment with betting on ball games and with operating and participating in pools, will be tried in one of the county courts-at-law in Houston. The fifth man charged with a like offense will be tried later. The charge against the men is classed as a misdemeanor.

Roger Edes, county superintendent of roads, has begun resurfacing the Middle Buster state highway on the north county line near Mendoza, and will carry the work to the Travis County line, where it will be continued until the entire road will be in first class shape for travel.

Smith Day of San Augustine is preparing to leave soon for Brazil, South America, to take a herd of registered Jersey cattle and a herd of Duroc-Jersey hogs. T. H. Day, father of Smith, has large landed estates in that country and is stocking them with registered hogs and cattle.

The Freeport Gas Company has material on the ground at Bryan Mound for the erection of a barrel factory. Construction work will begin at once, and when completed the factory will have a capacity of 500 barrels for an eight-hour day. These barrels will be used in shipping asphalt.

An election at Sonora for a special tax of 50 cents on the \$100 for school purposes carried by a little better than three to one in favor of the tax. This guarantees a first class school for nine months, and some much needed equipment and improvements.

Considerable damage by boll weevils and boll worms has been reported in the Robstown district by a number of the leading cotton growers of that section, some of whom estimate that the potential yield has depreciated at least 30 per cent within the past three weeks. A number of growers are spraying their fields with insecticides in an effort to check the ravages of the insects.

The tax rate for Newton School District No. 1 was raised from 50c to \$1 and a road bond of \$200,000 in Precinct No. 1 was voted at an election held recently. Plans have been made for a hard surface road to connect with the highway through Jasper County. Palacios is soon to have its sewer system completed. Work has been progressing rapidly.

A total of thirty-nine indictments were returned against eighteen men by the Tarrant County grand jury last

week. Twenty-two indictments were returned against four men in connection with the alleged operation of gambling houses in Tarrant County.

A small child of Cornelius Loewen, farmer living near Littlefield, died from the results of eating twenty grains of quinine and a green cucumber.

## STATE NEWS

Fire in a tank farm seven miles south of Beaumont last week did damage estimated at \$1,250,000.

The second annual fair of Jim Wells County will be held at Alice, Texas, Sept. 22-23-24, and plans are being made for a big fair.

The Railroad Commission has ordered the Texas Mexican Railway Company to construct an adequate depot building at Alice.

The body of a white boy, about 15 years old, was found near a railroad track at Strawn last week, with the leg cut off and otherwise mutilated.

Officers of the Colorado-to-Gulf Highway Association have started a vigorous campaign to raise money for marking the road from Denver to Galveston.

Preparations are being made by the Granbury Reunion Association for the biggest and best reunion this year in the history of the association, Aug. 17, 18, and 19.

Montague County will face county-wide quarantine and the revocation of its release from a systematic tick eradication unless a county inspector immediately is appointed to assist in cleaning up individual premises under quarantine.

A special election held at Plano last week to vote a bond issue of \$40,000 for the city to purchase the sewage system recently completed by the Plano Sewage Association carried by a vote of 91 for to 32 against the issuance of bonds.

The adoption of a rapid-fire machine gun and the training of a squad of officers to handle such apparatus is a matter that Dallas, chief of police, Elmo Strait, will take up with Police and Fire Commissioner Louis F. Turley at an early date.

Overturning of an automobile due to the breaking of radius rods recently just east of Blanket resulted in very serious injury to Fred Brown who was driving the car. He sustained severe bruises on the head and back and is paralyzed from the waist down.

Taboka has just completed its municipal light plant at a cost of \$32,000, and the city is now engaged in the laying of its six-inch water mains for its recently installed water system, which when completed will be one of the best in that part of the State.

The body of Rev. Drue Cumbit of Breckenridge, one of the victims of the undertow at Green's Bayou recently when a party of B. Y. P. C. delegates to the annual encampment at Palacios went for a swimming party, was found eight miles east of the point of the tragedy late Sunday afternoon.

Notification has been given by the Lone Star Gas Company to the North Texas Gas Company, distributors in towns and cities of North Texas, that effective Aug. 1 gas would be furnished on the basis of 38.14c per 1,000 cubic feet at the city gates instead of on the basis of two-thirds of the adjusted rate to consumer of 67.5c.

Mrs. Harold Clayton, Greenville, captured a negro burglar who was attempting to rob a house. She was awakened by a noise and found the negro in the house. She quickly got her pistol and covered the negro, notified the police station by telephone and held the negro at bay until the police arrived and took him in charge.

The News-Herald of Mexia has bought another linotype machine. The management intends making it an eight-page paper instead of a six-page.

Recent showers have delayed wheat harvest on the South Plains for several days, but have resulted in no damage to crops. Practically all wheat is now in shocks and stacks and not subject to damage by light rains. Row crops were benefited by the showers and are now certain to make heavy yields.

Crowell has voted bonds in the sum of \$100,000 for improvements in the local waterworks plant. The vote on the proposition was more than ten to one in favor of the bond issue.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

## Sunday School Lesson

(By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Teacher of English Bible in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)  
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### LESSON FOR AUGUST 7

PAUL IN CYPRUS AND IN ANTIOCH OF PISIDIA.

LESSON TEXT—Acts 13:1-52.  
GOLDEN TEXT—Ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.—Acts 1:8.  
REFERENCE MATERIAL—Matt. 13:31-33; 23:18-20; Mark 16:15; Luke 24:46, 47.  
PRIMARY TOPIC—Adventures of Paul and Barnabas.  
JUNIOR TOPIC—Saul Silences a Sorcerer.  
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Paul Begins His Missionary Travels.  
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Paul Becomes a Missionary.

This marks the beginning of foreign missions as the deliberately planned enterprise of the church.

I. The Gifts of the Church at Antioch (v. 1).

Young as Antioch, the new religious center, was, she had prophets and teachers. Such are essential to church life. Indeed, they are never absent from the true church. In Ephesians 4:8-12 Paul says that when Christ ascended He gave gifts unto men for the purpose of perfecting the saints unto the work of the ministry.

II. Barnabas and Saul Sent Forth (vv. 2, 3).

While the five ministers were praying and fasting, the Spirit of God commanded them to send forth Barnabas and Saul. The work of evangelizing the world was laid so heavily upon these men that they refrained from eating in order to seek the will of the Lord in prayer. This is the kind of fasting that meets God's approval. From the fact that they were directed to send forth those whom the Spirit called, we learn that the real call to Christ's service comes from the Spirit. The Spirit calls and the church sends the man by sending those who are called. They sent the very best men from the church at Antioch.

III. Preaching the Word of God in Cyprus (vv. 4, 5).

We are not told as to why they first went to Cyprus, but we infer that it was because it was the home of Barnabas. It is most natural that those who have heard good news should go with it first to their kindred and friends. As they went forth they preached the Word of God; not civic righteousness, current history, philosophy, etc. The great need today is Spirit-called and Spirit-filled men preaching God's Word.

IV. Withered by Elymas the Sorcerer (vv. 6-12).

When Barnabas and Saul, by invitation were telling Sergius Paulus of the Word of God, Elymas maliciously sought to turn his mind from the faith. This is the first obstacle they encountered. This opposer is the same one who came to Adam in Eden and to Jesus in the wilderness. He is the enemy of God and man. He now seeks to bar the gospel as it enters upon its career of the conversion of the heathen. Saul denounced him in the most scathing terms, calling him the child of the devil, full of guile and villainy, and pronounced him the enemy of all righteousness, accusing him of perverting the right ways of the Lord.

Happily, the deputy heeded Saul's teaching and believed the gospel. It was in this connection that Saul's name was changed to Paul.

V. In the Synagogue at Antioch in Pisidia (vv. 13, 14).

From Paphos Paul and Barnabas went northward to Perga. From Perga they went into Antioch in Pisidia, where they entered the synagogue on the Sabbath day. Though he was sent to the Gentiles he does not depart from the order of beginning with the Jews. After the usual reading of the Scriptures, upon the invitation of the rulers, Paul delivered the discourse recorded in verses 17-41. This sermon is worthy of careful study. It consists of four parts: (1) Historical (vv. 17-23); (2) apologetic (vv. 24-37); (3) doctrinal (vv. 38, 39); (4) practical (vv. 40, 41). It sets forth the missionary message for all times and lands. Its essence should ever be the same. In this sermon he presented the glorified and risen Christ as the Savior from sin, basing his proof upon the testimony of living witnesses and the inspired Word.

VI. The Effect of the Sermon (vv. 42-43).

Many of the Jews and proselytes requested them to speak to them again. Almost the whole city came to hear the Word of God the next Sabbath. This great crowd incited the jealousy of the Jews. This jealousy could not long be restrained; it broke out in open opposition. This opposition was in turn answered by Paul's rejection of them and turning to the Gentiles.

M. Born suit, \$20 to \$50—Parker Bros.

## NEWS for the BUYERS

We received those new M. Born fall-winter samples this week.—Parker Bros.

FOR SALE—One good wagon, cotton frames and sheet ready to go to field. See or telephone S. M. Polk, Sr. 2tp

The M. Born and Bruner new samples are here. Call and see them.—Parker Bros.

TO EXCHANGE—One Fordson tractor in good repair to trade for work horses.—A. N. McSwain, Rochwood, Texas. 2tp

FOR SALE—Piano in good condition. A real bargain, party leaving town. Phone R 557, Elizabeth Miller, Ave. B. Brownwood, Texas. 2tp

Call and see them. New fall-winter samples.—Parker Bros.

For Sale—One 4-gallon three-quarter Jersey milk cow, 7 years old; she is a dandy; also a good second-hand piano.—H. H. Brown. 7-15-3t-p

You can't beat those M. Born suits for price and quality.—Parker Bros.

They're here. Those fall and winter samples. Parker Bros.

None better for the price—and a few at any price than the M. Born suits.—Parker Bros.

The Musicales, published in Dallas each month which is the official publication of Texas Federation of Music Clubs, gives out in their August issue the name of Mrs. Mike Myer, Santa Anna, Texas, as one of the five members in the entire state, as a committee on Public School music. This speaks well for Mrs. Myer, and she will make good at her work.

W. S. "Uncle Billie" Ellis returned this week from a several weeks' visit with relatives in Alexandria, Ind. Uncle Billie left here several months ago to visit in his former home, and was physically unable to return until this week.

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

NOTICE—We will cut row crops for \$1.50 per acre.—Jno. L. and Irlie Burden. 7-22-3t.

Keep Your Eggs Fresh. Why waste your eggs during the summer month, when you can keep them for a year as good as they were when taken from the nest? Ask the Corner Drug Store.

Cigars, cigarettes and chewing tobacco always fresh.—Abernathy's

Do you know you can roll 50 good cigarettes for 10c from one bag of



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## FISK TIRES

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**TEXAS VERSE**

(Talk of dividing Texas, renewed only recently, has happily subsided. As a result of its indulgence these well-known verses have come from numerous sources. Their patriotic appeal and pictorial coloring warrant their reproduction. The verses were written years ago and were given place in Dixon's "Poets and Poetry of Texas." Mrs. Hamlett lived in Ennis.)

Divide the state! Who dare suggest  
Such act of sacrilege?  
Who from us thus would basely wrest  
Our holiest heritage?  
Bought with a price, it is our own!  
And shall we rend in twain  
What was cemented into one  
By blood of heroes slain?

Divide the state! How then appease  
The blessed names of those  
Who watch with ceaseless jealousies  
Their ashes' long repose?  
Say for which portion Crockett  
fought?  
For which did Travis die?  
For which hath Houston pleading  
brought  
A nation's sympathy?

Say which shall claim Jacinto's  
plains?  
Which own the Alamo?  
To which belong the gory stains  
That wrapped our flag in woe?  
The Rio Grande is our own!  
Exultant, broad and free;  
It sweeps in grandeur and alone  
Right onward to the sea.

The San Antonio waters wide  
Its green and fertile hills;  
San Gabriel its silvery tide  
From crystal streamlets fills.  
The beautiful San Marcos glides  
'Neath azure skies serene;  
And sweet Cibola laughing hides  
Its willow banks between.

The giant Colorado sleeps  
Begrut with flowery meads;  
Salado smiles, Acquilla weeps,  
Lampasas proudly leaps,  
The Guadalupe bends its course  
Beside the loven Leon;  
And Brazos blends his breathings  
hoarse  
With ocean's constant moan.

The Trinity her valley crowns  
With fields of waving green,  
And Angelina darkly frowns  
Beside the lone Sabine.  
Say, shall their names be sundered?  
Their names to Texas dear!  
They were bequeathed us by the dead!  
Shall we that gift foreswear?

Divide the state for which they bled!  
A goddess grand and good,  
And rear upon its base instead.

A puny sisterhood?  
No! 'Tis her broad square-miles that  
make  
Her destiny so great;  
And glory will her soil forsake  
Should we divide the state.

No north, no south, no east, no west,  
Let this our motto be:  
Our state is one. So let it rest  
United, great and free.  
Let one grand center call her sons  
To legislative halls;  
Let one grand voice, in thunder tones,  
Guard well her "outer walls."  
—Lizzie Hamlett, in Dallas News.

**DISCOURAGED**

"Misery loves company" has been as badly overworked as has "The lives of great men oft remind us"—the quotation is not verified—but here is an instance in which Abraham Lincoln is used with good results as an example either to the man who is having hard luck and looking for consolation in the misery of others, or to the individual who wants to quit because things are not going well. The Praetorian Guard is responsible for it. When Abraham Lincoln was a young man he ran for the legislature in Illinois, and was badly swamped. He next entered business, failed, and spent seventeen years of his life paying up the debts of a worthless partner.

He was in love with a beautiful young woman to whom he became engaged—then she died.

Later he married a woman who was a constant burden to him.

Entering politics again, he ran for congress and was badly defeated.

He then tried to get an appointment to the United States land office but failed.

He became a candidate for the United States senate, and was badly defeated.

In 1856 he became a candidate for the vice presidency and was again defeated.

In 1858 he was defeated by Douglas. One failure after another—bad failures—great setbacks. In the face of all this he eventually became one of the country's greatest men.

Are you discouraged? Things not "panning out" right? Maybe it's your fault. Maybe it isn't. But a fat man and a quitter are in the same class—nobody loves either and neither is worth while in a race. Keep plugging along—steadily, happily, determinedly. Lots of people who can now write enormous checks learned the art in night school.—Ex.

**BREAD AND MILK RESTORE TIRED NERVES AND MUCLES**

A good, old-fashioned bowl of bread and milk, says the dairy division of the United States department of agriculture, is the very best restorative at the end of a hard day's work. On

a cold night the bread may be dropped in hot milk, enough to wet it thoroughly, with just a suspicion of salt for flavor. In England's damp climate bread and milk is the first thought after a long tramp or a day in the open. Almost every brain worker, whether student or professor, doctor, preacher, or business man, knows the refreshing tonic of a steaming bowl of bread and milk. Most children like it, and nothing could be better for them at bedtime or for lunch. When the older ones eat pre-cooked crisp breakfast food, baby may have bread and milk for a change. It's good emergency supper, too, for the younger ones, when there is not time for thorough cooking of wheat or oatmeal cereal.

**PRINTER'S INK AS A MEDICINE**

Printer's ink is saving more lives than any other single agency employed by modern health workers, said Edward A. Moore, assistant secretary of the New York state charities aid association, in an address at Rochester, the other day.

Printer's ink is the essential liquor of democracy. Kings hate it. All manipulators of privilege dread it. It is poison to the tyrant of the old world and the boss of the new world. It is the "sine qua non" of liberty to human souls is what light is to human bodies.

It is printer's ink that has scared the food fakery. Only at a good round of printer's ink will the vile carrion flock of unclean birds that fatten on human credulity and ignorance take flight, they that sell plaster of Paris for bread, carpenter's glue for candy, and God knows what vileness for fish, flesh and fowl.

Printer's ink has prevented more tuberculosis than all the doctors have cured. It has spread right ideas of sanitation, upset old mildewed superstitions, opened windows, lured people out of doors, flooded fearsome brains with health and despairing hearts with hope. It has built hospitals to support them. It has prevented epidemics, driven hush-mouthed authorities to activity in remedial measures of cleansing. Cholera and small pox were conquered by it; malaria and yellow fever flee before it.

What people need to know is the truth. The newspaper is the health of the state.

You may cure individuals of their ills in the privacy of the sick room, but to cure the public of its ills you must get into the newspapers.—From essay by Dr. Frank Crane.

W. E. Baxter and family, E. E. Polk and family and W. R. Baxter and family of San Saba have returned from a ten-day's trip to San Antonio San Marcos and other points south. They report an excellent trip and the outing was enjoyed by all. W. E. says he didn't see any place he liked better than Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hill visited their son, J. J. Hill, and family last week.

**This Week's Prices**

**Lot Number One**

125 Ladies' Oxfords and Straps, sizes up to 3 1-2, black and brown Leather. Will make excellent service shoes for children and will out wear. Shoes now selling for \$4.00; your choice. 98c

**Lot Number Two**

100 pairs Misses' and Children's Oxfords and Straps, all leather, Black and Brown, sizes up to 2; values up to \$2.50 your choice for..... 89c Pair

**Lot Number Three**

100 pairs Men's and Women's Tennis Shoes and Oxfords, black and white, mostly large sizes; your choice..... 98c

**Lot Number Four**

75 pairs Boys' Oxfords, sizes up to 5 1-2, all leather goods; will wear, values up to \$5.00 your choice..... \$2.19

**Lot Number Five**

35 pairs Men's Fine White Canvas Oxfords, values up to \$6.00; Goodyear welt and McKay soles; your choice..... \$2.98 Pair

**And These Prices**

Book Fold Percales, Polka Dot and Shirting styles; special for only ..... 11c Yard  
A good grade of Gingham in solid colors and shirting stripes for ..... 13 1-2c Yard  
The new outings ..... 19c Yd.  
Mattress Ticking up from ..... 10c Yd.  
Roma Thread Cotton Checks ..... 10c Yd.

**All This Season's Goods**

40 inch Voiles and Organdies, this Season's prices up to 85c per yard, now selling at ..... 49c Yd.

**Corticello Knitting Yarns**

Just received all the new Colors.

**SIMMONS & GREER CO.**

SHIELD BLOCK

SANTA ANNA, TEXAS

Mrs. George Shockley has gone to St. Louis to market.

Just received a fresh line of Samoset Chocolates, in sizes to suit your pocket book.—Abernathy's Confectionery.

Lost or estrayed from Weaver pasture several weeks back, 4 year old mule with Circle Bar brand on right hip, 14 1/2 hands high, blue horse mule. Reward for information.—E. H. Fowler, Santa Anna, Texas. 36-31p

**For Sale or Trade**  
A good sandy land farm, 456 acres, well improved, located in one and a half miles of the city of Stephenville in Erath county, in less than one mile from the John Tarleton Agricultural and Mechanical College, on highway No. 10, suitable for dairy farming, hog raising, truck farming or many other kinds of farming one might be interested in. Price \$30,000; one-half in cash or good trade, balance, terms to suit at 8 per cent interest.—J. J. Gregg, editor of the News.

**WILL RUN MILL**

Will run corn mill Saturday, Aug. 13th. J. Frank Turner. 31-p

E. M. Raney F. N. May  
J. T. Garrett

**RANEY, MAY & GARRETT**  
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# LOOK FOR IT!

## CAUGHT IN THE ROUND-UP

Mr. Johnson of Rockwood was in town Wednesday.

Mr. Bradshaw of Alabama was the guest of Miss Lois Verner Wednesday. Miss Annie Bell Andrews was in Santa Anna shopping Wednesday.

Miss Minnie McIlvain of Rockwood spent several days here this week.

Burgess Weaver left Thursday for Dallas on business.

J. D. Norwood left for Ballinger the first of the week.

V. L. Grady and E. M. Raney were in Rockwood on business Wednesday.

Pinkney Woodruff of Comanche is here visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Trixie Gay, Mr. and Mrs. Hazlett and Dewey Pieratt spent Sunday at Idlewild.

Leon Todd spent last week at Abilene.

George Ralston has gone to Electra to spend sometime.

Miss Sarah Norwood who spent last week in Ballinger has returned and is the guest of Margaret Phillips.

Mrs. Comer Blue and Ogden Brown have gone to Dallas to spend several days.

Miss Blanche Collier has gone to Brady.

Alv. E. Campbell who has been in Temple to accompany his wife to the sanitarium has returned home.

Miss Johnnie Brannon of Brownwood was the guest of friends and relatives here Sunday.

Willie Gipson has gone to Brownwood, and from there he will drive a party of Howard Payne students to Lampasas to the Baptist encampment.

Miss Mabel Harvey returned from Coleman Wednesday.

Miss Ruby Rountree left for Moody Tuesday.

Jake Barnes, Willie Gipson, Lewis Richardson and Hob Hunter have returned from old Mexico. They returned via San Antonio.

Miss Gladys Lackey is in the sanitarium. She was operated on for appendicitis last week and her many friends are wishing her a speedy recovery.

Bob Gardner is here visiting his father, W. H. Gardner.

Velma Sealy was a Coleman visitor this week and Aubrey Manning and sister returned with her.

Misses Alma Brandon and Lelah Faulkner spent the week-end in Coleman.

Felton Kelly of Los Animas, Colo. is the guest of friends here.

Walter Brandon and son returned from Lometa where they have been visiting relatives.

A. McMasters spent the week-end here. He went to San Angelo Monday.

Jimmie Leigh who has been visiting his parents in east Texas returned Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Perry and daughter, Ione, who have been in San Antonio for some time returned Saturday.

Rusty Rainbolt of Brady is here as the guest of his brother, Boyd.

Misses Kate May and Ruby Vollen-tine and Messrs. Jesse Garrett and John Overby and Mrs. W. O. Garrett have returned from Del Rio.

Mrs. J. O. Mecklin who has been the guest of Mrs. H. O. Blair has returned to her home in Mullin.

Bill Scott, clerk in the depot, returned Friday from the river where he spent his vacation.

Miss Inez Marshall returned Sunday from Killeen, where she has been visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Chas Eck and daughter left Tuesday for San Antonio.

Frank Davis who has resided here for sometime has moved to Coleman.

Forrest Marshall has gone to Post City to visit relatives and friends.

Jack Woodward will leave this week for St. Louis to buy goods.

Miss Mattie Simmons went to Brownwood Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ojeman left this week for Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Baker are the guests of Mrs. Baker's mother, Mrs. W. R. Kelley. They reside in Houston.

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ed, after which ice cream and cake was served to Mrs. Ben Parker, Mrs. W. I. Mitchell, Mrs. G. W. Faulkner, Mrs. Gipson, Mrs. Roger Hunter and the hostess.

### SPLASH PARTY

Tuesday night several couples went to Idlewild where a jolly swim was enjoyed. After this a picnic supper was enjoyed by Arch Hunter, Dewey Pieratt, Edmond Benchoff, Bill Scott, Carrol Kingsbery, Jess Hunter, Harry Caton, Jess Garrett; Misses Ora Mae Harper, Trixie Gay, Annie Lou Parker, Lucille and Kate May, Annie Phillips, Ruby Brannon, Sarah Ramsuer, Ruby Harper, Mr. and Mrs. Bury and son, George.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

Thursday Master Fred Faulkner entertained a party of his friends in honor of his seventh birthday. Games and contests were enjoyed throughout the afternoon and Misses Alma Brandon and Lelah Faulkner served cake and ice cream to the guests. Those enjoying the hospitality of the Faulkner home were: Misses Virginia Black, Beth Barnes; Masters Robert Hunter, A. G. Weaver, Billie Ford Barnes, Vernon Parker, James Gipson, Robertson and Raymond Newman.

Rev. Dawson is conducting a two weeks revival at Liberty, this week and next. May we have a good report to follow.

B. R. Risinger orders his address changed from Santa Anna to Rosewell N. M. for the summer. Any other of our readers who contemplate being out of town for a few weeks and wish to have the News sent to them while away, we will be glad to accommodate you.

Dr. L. O. Garrett returned last Friday from Winsboro, Texas, where he and his family visited last week with his parents. Mrs. Garrett will continue her visit for several more days.

Dr. L. O. Garrett has our thanks for ordering the News mailed to his father, J. D. Garrett, at Winsboro, Texas, for one year.

Miss Mabel Harvey of our city is visiting in Ballinger and San Angelo.

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### SOCIAL NOTES

### EMBROIDERY CLUB

Thursday afternoon the Embroidery Club met at Mrs. W. R. Brandon's. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Roger Hunter, and it was decided that the club should have a picnic Thursday, and three new members were voted in.

After this a social hour was enjoy-