

# SANTA ANNA NEWS

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## Coleman Names C of C Secretary

COLEMAN, Feb. 18—(Spl)—J. E. McDaniel, Farm Security Administration supervisor since 1942, has been named secretary-manager of the Coleman chamber of commerce, according to President Nathan Clett, and the new manager will take over March 4.

McDaniel has made an enviable record while associated with the FSA. This county has a national record on purchasing farms for World War II veterans.

The new security-manager goes into the office with much enthusiasm, and states "we are going to put Coleman on the map." He asks the cooperation of all members. McDaniel plans to start off with a membership drive.

McDaniel attended North Texas Agricultural College. He was engaged in the livestock business, before associating with REA in 1940. His home is Decatur. He is married and has a young son.

## Texas Farm Bureau Meeting In Brownwood

Pending legislation and government rulings, and their relation to the future welfare of agriculture, will be discussed by producers of this area in a meeting to be held at Brownwood on Wednesday, February 27 at 10 a. m. All speech making will be dispensed with and all time will be devoted to round table and group discussions, analyzing agricultural problems and possible solutions.

The meeting is sponsored by the Texas Farm Bureau Federation and discussions will be led by J. Walter Hammond, president, who has just returned from Washington and has first-hand information on the attitude of government officials and members of Congress regarding agricultural issues. Hammond will be assisted by Marvin Carter, organization director, Texas Farm Bureau.

"These matters should be brought to the attention of farmers," Hammond declared. "The welfare of agriculture is necessary to the prosperity of the nation, and farmers are best qualified to determine what is fair and just for agriculture," he said. "Farmers must take part in these meetings and accept their full responsibility if a prosperous agriculture is to be had. Without a prosperous agriculture, we cannot hope for a prosperous national economy. It is most important that in this reconversion period, agriculture—with 25 per cent of the people of the nation—is given the same consideration and opportunities that are extended to other groups in the nation.

All farmers are invited to attend and participate in the discussions at this meeting. Agency officials are also extended an invitation to attend and give farmers the benefit of their knowledge and experience in administering the different programs.

Raymond McElrath of Coleman, member of the board of directors from this district, will serve as chairman. The meeting will start at 10:00 a. m. in the Hotel Brownwood at Brownwood.

Rev. J. D. F. Williams and the following young people attended the sub-district young peoples meeting in Winters Tuesday night: Carlyn Ray, Coyita Griffin, Helen Day, Pauline Little, Betty Lou Williams, Bill Mulroy, Albus Little and John Hardy Blue.

## San Angelo Stock Show Boosters Here Monday

For the first time since 1942, San Angelo will hold its Fat Stock Show and Rodeo, February 28, March 1, 2, 3, and 4.

With more than 1600 entries in all classes in the Fat Stock Show from more than 30 neighboring counties, the 1946 show promises to be successful. Judging will take place on March 4.

February 28 will be San Angelo Day, with the customary parade, and Sunday, March 3 will be the last day of the rodeo. Earl Sellers will be arena director.

Junior Chamber of Commerce boosters from San Angelo passed through Santa Anna on Monday with "Kit" Carson in charge and Bob Paden acting as m. c. The brand new Beck streamliner bus was sound equipped and the boosters invited everyone to attend the show.

Previously the boosters had stopped off at the Coleman Fat Stock Show, and then from here they went on to Brownwood where they spent the night.

Reservations for the San Angelo Show may be obtained by writing the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

## Sunday To Be Membership Day

Membership Day in the Methodist Church will be observed this Sunday, at which time plans have been made to receive into the membership of the Church more than forty persons. Decisions for Christian discipleship and Church membership were secured last week through teams of laymen, who visited in the homes of prospective members.

This number of new members to the Church represents more than a ten percent increase of the active membership on one Sunday. Such an unusual response to the invitations presented is a good indication that the Methodist Church is making real progress in its evangelistic year of the Crusade for Christ, when it expects to add a million members to the Church.

The laymen who participated in the week of Visitation Evangelism were O. L. Cheaney, Hardy Blue, J. Rex Golston, D. D. Byrne, Harry Crew, M. D. Pinkerton, A. D. Pettit and Roy Richardson.

Training classes for children in the meaning of Christian discipleship and church membership will be conducted by the Pastor, Rev. J. D. F. Williams, each Tuesday and Thursday afternoons at 3:30 for the next three weeks.

A special dinner for all new members of the Church received this year and their sponsors will be given at the Methodist Church on Wednesday, March 6. The pre-Easter Revival will begin Sunday, March 31st and continue for ten days, with the Rev. C. C. Sessions, of Waco, doing the preaching, and Rev. Thomas B. Granger of Bangs, leading the singing.

## ED VINSON DIES SUDDENLY

Word came early Tuesday morning that Ed Vinson, formerly of Santa Anna and Rockwood, had passed away suddenly of a heart attack at the business place of his son, J. A. Vinson in Coleman.

Tentative arrangements are that the funeral will be held at the Rockwood Methodist Church at 10:30 a. m. Friday, Feb. 22.

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## Hill Country Firemen Meet

Fire Chief L. A. Welch and Fire Marshall Bryan Unsell attended the Hill Country Firemen's Convention in Mason, Texas, February 12.

The principal speaker was Dr. T. M. Trimble, First Assistant State Department of Education. His topic was fire prevention and safety, and the price Texans pay each year for their negligence.

At a business meeting the following officers were elected for the ensuing year, Henry Findley, president, Menard; Palmer West, first vice president, Eldorado; Fred Key, second vice president, Mason; John M. Hankins, secretary-treasurer, Junction; Rev. J. J. Ray, chaplain, Mason.

Chief Welch reported fine entertainment and barbeque.

The towns comprising the Hill Country Firemen's Association are Ballinger, Bangs, Brady, Coleman, Eden, Eldorado, Junction, Mason, Menard, Miles, Santa Anna, Sonora, and Winters.

## The Lions Roar

At the regular meeting of the Santa Anna Lions Club February 18 a very interesting program was presented. Mr. Elinger, District Highway Engineer, discussed at length the highway program for the coming year.

The following Lions received the International award for getting one new member in January, W. L. Mulroy, M. D. Pinkerton, John Gregg, Arthur Talley, Hardy Blue, Byron Unsell, J. L. Standard, Virgil Priddy, Fairy Williams and O. L. Cheaney.

Neal Oakes, president; Hardy Blue, secretary, and William Brown, membership chairman, received the Lion paper weight, because the Club as a whole achieved their goal of 12 new members in January.

There were 46 Lions present.

## Helen Payne To Receive B. S. Degree

Among the more than thirty candidates for graduation from Southwestern University at the Fall Semester Convocation February 23 is Miss Helen Lillis Payne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Z. Payne of Santa Anna.

Miss Payne will receive the Bachelor of Science Degree with Home Economics as her major subject.

Dr. George C. Baker, minister at the First Methodist Church, San Angelo, will be the Convocation speaker.

## CAPT. WILLIAM MILLS AT WM. BEAUMONT HOSPITAL

Captain William C. Mills, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mills, of Santa Anna, Texas, is at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Texas, for treatment.

Captain Mills entered the army in 1942. He served 21 months in Europe with the 134th AAA and 127th AAA attached to the 29th Division.

He wears the European Theater Ribbon with four battle stars, the Bronze Star for heroic achievement, the English Unit Citation and the Presidential Unit Citation with one cluster. His wife, Lillian, and son, William C., Jr., live at the family home in Santa Anna, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Chet Brokl and daughter, Sheryl of Hopkins, Minn. arrived Monday night for a two weeks visit with Mrs. Brokl's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Parker. Mrs. Brokl was formerly Miss Rachel Parker.

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## Army Announces Death of Former Santa Anna Man

Lt. John B. Lamb, fighter pilot missing in action since April 17, 1945, was killed on that date in Germany, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lamb, 6932 Lovett Street, Dallas, have been notified by the War Department.

Lt. Lamb, who entered the service from Brownwood January 1, 1942, was buried at Ubigan, Germany, on April 18, 1945, by a prisoner of war now liberated, his parents informed The News.

The flier was a native of Santa Anna and a graduate of Santa Anna high school in the class of 1939. He entered Howard Payne and was employed at Dublin's in Brownwood at the time he enlisted in the Army Air Forces.

He received training at Santa Ana, California; Pecos, Texas, and Thunderbird and Williams fields in Arizona.

Lt. Lamb had completed 70 combat missions as a P-38 fighter pilot, and had been awarded the Air Medal with seven oak leaf clusters and the Distinguished Flying Cross.

## Fisher To Be In Brownwood Thurs.

Ralph T. Fisher, Manager of the Social Security Board Field Office in Abilene will be at the U. S. Employment Service Office in Brownwood next Thursday, February 28, at 1:00 p. m.

Mr. Fisher visits Brownwood on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month for the purpose of assisting eligible persons with their retirement or death claims under the Social Security Act, and for the purpose of furnishing information on social security. His next scheduled trip to Brownwood after February 28 will be on March 14.

All persons having business with Mr. Fisher should call promptly at 4:00 p. m. as he will remain at the office for only a short time.

## B. A. Barton Will Be Contested

A suit contesting the will of B. A. Barton, Santa Anna rancher, who died November 12, 1945, was filed Tuesday with the county clerk.

The suit is styled Jim Madison Barton et al vs. A. F. Bailey et al, and was filed by Clay Coggin of Róby, attorney for plaintiff.

Involved in the suit are 1822.5 acres of land and considerable personal property it is understood.

## Whon Baptist Church To Be Full Time Now

Beginning with the First Sunday in March the Baptist Church at Whon will become a full time church. The Rev. W. T. Johnson of Brownwood, who is now the half time pastor, will be the full time pastor.

For the last several years this church has been on the half time basis, but feeling the need for full time work has decided to go to full time again.

Neal Oakes, George Johnson, Dr. E. D. McDonald, and Bill Mulroy attended the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet in Ballinger Friday night.

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## Volunteer Fire Department Is Outstanding Organization

### Jury Gives Watson One Year In Jail

L. T. Watson, charged with assault and battery, was given one year in jail by the jury, in the 119th District Court in Coleman last week. O. L. Parrish was presiding.

Watson, previously charged with murder and given a penitentiary sentence which was reversed by the State Court of Criminal Appeals, is out on bond. A motion for a new trial has been filed, it is understood.

### Col. Standlee Named Dallas Army Surgeon

Col. Earle Standlee, Medical Corps, former Dallas resident and graduate of Baylor Medical School, has been named surgeon for the Eighth Service Command, it was announced by the war department.

Col. Standlee is a native of Stephenville and insofar as is known is the first Texan to hold the post.

He recently returned from three and one-half years overseas where he was chief surgeon of the North African theater of operations. Before that, he was deputy chief surgeon of the theater. He spent six months in England, in addition to service in North Africa and Italy.

He and Mrs. Standlee and their three children, Early, 17; Wanda, 15, and Ronald, 13, expect to leave Washington shortly for their new home in Dallas.

Col. Standlee is a cousin to Mr. T. M. Hays, Sr.

### Young Adult Fellowship Class Is Growing

The Young Adult Fellowship, which has been newly initiated in the local Methodist Church is showing real evidence of permanent place and activity. Two meetings on Sunday morning have already been held. The group is now meeting at the Methodist Parsonage, because of the increase in attendance. Rev. Mr. Williams taught the group on the first Sunday and Mr. A. D. Pettit last Sunday. A permanent teacher and officers will be selected sometime in March.

The Young Adult Fellowship is the program offered by the Methodist Church to meet the needs of young adults in the approximate age bracket of twenty-four to thirty-eight. No definite age limits are set, but these ages are used to suggest the group that this program attempts to serve. As the very name indicates, it is an association that provides Christian fellowship that will give direction and incentive in social life, home and family responsibilities and church and personal religious activities. It will promote study groups, missionary and service projects, social life, and give Christian power that will sustain in hours of disappointment, discouragement and confusion that inevitably arise as life goes on.

A cordial invitation is extended to all young adults, not now actively engaged in some such group, to attend and become active in this Young Adult Fellowship.

Mr. J. M. Lee, who has had charge of the Government wool in Santa Anna, is shipping part of it out to Eastern Mills.

The writer thinks this is the most unselfish and useful organization in our little city. The members work unselfishly and valiantly in any and all kinds of weather putting out fires, without hope of reward of any kind except the personal satisfaction of the members that they are doing something for their community.

Their activities are not confined by any means solely to fighting fires, both within the City limits and over a wide adjacent territory, but they stand ready always to assist in any other worthy cause whether it be first aid to the injured, or be it a fire twenty miles in the country.

The chief states to the writer that their equipment stays ready every hour of the day or night to make any and all calls, whether it be City or country.

The local fire department not only backs up our government with its all out efforts to save lives and property from destruction by fire, but it is also backing Uncle Sam with its money. The department has on hand now several \$100.00 War Bonds, which are paying interest back to them.

So—whether you have a small fire or a large fire, be it one block from the station or 20 miles in the country, this organization can always be found ready to serve you with every member.

FIRE PREVENTION PAYS GREAT DIVIDENDS.

## Coleman Rodeo Ass'n Elects Officers for 1946

Members of the Coleman Rodeo Association met with the Chamber of Commerce last Wednesday night to elect the following officers and directors for the 1946 season: E. C. Edens, president; John Grammar, vice president; Sam T. Cobb, secretary; and F. M. Cavanaugh, treasurer, were elected as officers and C. R. Jeanes, Ralph Duncan, B. B. Nunley, George Beck, W. A. Powell, Harold Kinney, and Theo. Griffis were elected as directors.

The tentative dates set for the Rodeo are July 17-20. More complete details will be taken care of later.

### SCOUT COMMITTEE MEETING HELD IN COLEMAN

Neal Oakes, D. D. Byrne, M. D. Pinkerton and Rev. J. W. Burgett attended the district scout committee meeting at the Scout Hut in Coleman Tuesday night. The object of this meeting was to elect the chairman and the various committees for this district. However, this business was not completed. We will have further news about this later.

Scout Executive Paul Ireland made a most interesting speech on the objects of the Scouting Program and activities for the ensuing year.

### J. J. Gregg III

This week Mr. Gregg is recovering from a very serious heart attack suffered Saturday night. At the present writing he is doing very well but is unable to be out of bed yet.

Misses Vera Horner of Abilene and Glenda Myrl Gober of Santa Anna went to Dallas the first of the week on business. They attended the Beauty Convention while there.



## W. E. Burney Is Candidate For Co. Treasurer

W. E. (Bill) Burney, 31, who resides ten miles south of Santa Anna, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Burney of the Mukewater community, today authorized The Santa Anna News to announce his candidacy for the position of County Treasurer of Coleman County.

Mr. Burney has completed a

high school correspondence course and a bookkeeping course at John Tarleton Agriculture College, and feels he is capable of handling the county treasurer's office in an efficient manner.

He has resided in Coleman county all of his life, having been born and raised at Trickham, with the exception of one year (1929) of that time spent in Pueblo, Colorado. He is also known as the grandson of L. E. Page and Joe Burney, old settlers.

I was a candidate for this office last term and I hope to contact and solicit the vote of each

Coleman county voter between now and the election date," Mr. Burney added, "and your support and influence will be sincerely appreciated."

### Mukewater News

Mrs. Casey Herring

Eva Nell Hibbetts spent Wednesday with Janie Campbell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Herring were guests in the E. R. Cupps home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wagner, F. B. and Viola spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rob of Brady.

Mrs. Clara Haynes spent Saturday with Mrs. Joe Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dean visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Haynes Saturday night.

Miss Ruth Dean visited in Abilene over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Herring were Sunday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cupps.

Miss Hazel Jean Genz spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Rachel Cupps and family.

Mrs. Janie Campbell spent Thursday with Mrs. Ruth Hibbetts and Dorothy.

Mrs. Cordie York spent the week-end in Brownwood.

### SANTA ANNA H. D. CLUB MET LAST FRIDAY

There were 14 women present last Friday when the H. D. Club met in the home of Mrs. Louis Zachary. (Incidentally her home had rooms added some time ago and quite recently a number of interior improvements, making it very attractive).

Miss Ellen Richards and Mrs. Moredock were appointed to attend the chicken tamale school in Coleman February 23 and Ellen was elected to represent the club at the Council to select the delegates and alternates to the district meeting at Ballinger April 18th.

It was voted to recommend the Red Bud and Crepe Myrtle as living memorials to Coleman county men and women in the service. This project being sponsored by the Coleman Garden Club.

Mrs. Zachary, the strawberry barrel and tub garden demonstrator, brought an interesting program on these projects. Mrs. C. W. Stephenson told of the variety of fruits and vegetables to grow for the freezer locker.

The hostess served home made peach ice cream and cake for refreshments.

The next meeting will be March 1st with Mrs. Ola Neill.

### The Wesleyan Service Guild

The Wesleyan Service Guild will meet Monday night, February the 25th at 7:30 in the home of Misses Elsie Lee and Ruby Harper.

### WARD SCHOOL P.T.A. MET TUESDAY

Plans for improving the Ward School building were discussed and a vote of thanks to the Lions Club for their assistance in raising money was passed when the Ward School P. T. A. met Tuesday afternoon. The question of having a parents night or banquet was talked of and left to the Program Committee, headed by Mrs. J. D. F. Williams.

In the absence of the President, Mrs. Pinkerton, Mrs. C. D. Bruce presided and Mrs. Williams' room won the attendance award.

Mrs. Bruce gave a discussion on mental health from the January Parent-Teacher Magazine and stressed the mental and emotional effects on physical health.

### SELF CULTURE CLUB TO OBSERVE FEDERATION DAY

The Self Culture Club will observe their Federation Day Friday at noon with a Latin American luncheon at the home of Mrs. Hardy Blue. Mrs. L. E. Dudley of Abilene, District President of Womens Clubs, will be honor guest and about 25 will be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Williams left last Friday for Ann Arbor, Mich., where Mr. Williams will enter the University of Michigan.

### GARDEN HINTS

Washington's birthday comes this week, so does Arbor Day. It is fitting that trees and shrubbery should be planted on his birthday. Whoever plants a tree or makes two blades of grass grow instead of one becomes a benefactor to mankind. Have an eye for the beautiful when you plant your tree and shrubs and group them accordingly.

In transplanting shrubbery and trees be sure to get most of the roots without bruising if possible. This can be done with an ordinary mattock or spade. A hole should be dug sufficiently large to take all of the roots without doubling them back and deep enough so that with 2 to 3 inches of rich soil in the bottom the plant will stand at the same depth as in the nursery. Evergreens require more care than other trees in transplanting. It is best to use the balling system in transplanting them.

To be sure of success plant trees and shrubs that are acclimated to this region.

Garden Club Member

Mrs. Henry Simmons of Santa Anna accompanied by Mrs. Kate Holmes of Whon were visitors in San Antonio the first of the week where Mrs. Holmes met her son, S-Sgt. L. J. Lovelady, who has recently returned from overseas. Sgt. Lovelady received his discharge from the Army Air Forces Feb. 14, having served 11 months overseas with the 5th Air Force. Sgt. Lovelady wears the Good Conduct Medal, American Defense ribbon, Asiatic-Pacific with 2 battle stars, Philippine Liberation ribbon and Victory Medal. For the present he is making his home at Whon.

Mrs. J. D. F. Williams and Mrs. E. H. Carter attended the Founders Day Tea of the Coleman P.T.A. Friday, Feb. 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Golston were Dallas visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Priddy from Blanket visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Mayo.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton McDonald had as their guests Sunday night Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williamson, Herman Estes and Paul Bivins.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Parker were business visitors in San Angelo Tuesday.

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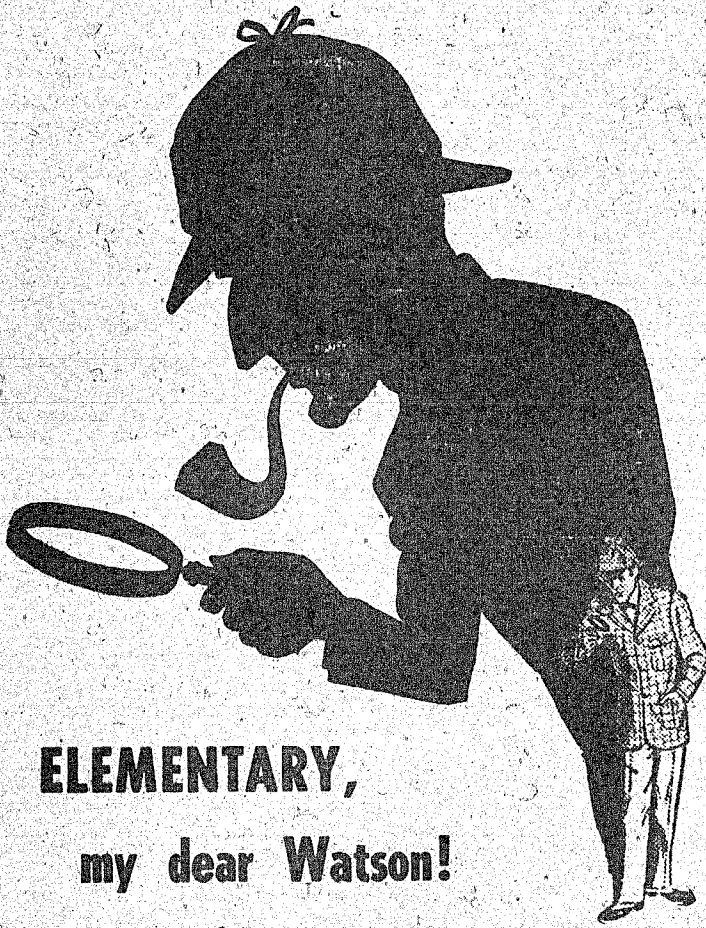
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Word was received here Tuesday night that Mrs. E. A. (Sue) Creamer of Beaumont had suffered a very severe heart attack. Her daughter, Mrs. Juanita Campbell, left early Wednesday morning to be at her bedside. Mrs. Creamer was reared and married and raised a large family here, and their many friends hope for her speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. William Yates and two children and Mrs. Frances Teel and little daughter Wiley Gene, came in last week from San Francisco, California, where William has been serving in the U. S. Navy for several months. The party are temporarily domiciled in the home of the ladies father, Preston West.

M-Sgt. Owen Tom Stacy and wife are in San Antonio this week. M-Sgt. Stacy is reporting to Ft. Sam Houston for further assignment to the Caribbean area, after spending a 90-day furlough at home. He has served seven years in the Air Corps and is making it his career. His wife, Sue, plans to go with him or join him after he reaches his destination.

Tom Kingsbery, just out of the armed services, arrived home last weekend and left the next day to enter Texas A. & M. College. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kingsbery. Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Taylor and family of Brady spent last weekend with Mrs. W. D. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Niell and family of Lubbock have returned to their home after visiting with his mother, Mrs. Ola Niell and other relatives here.

Pvt. Alvin Burden came in last week from Richland, Wash. He and his family left Tuesday night to make that place their home during the remainder of his term of service.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Boss Everett and Mrs. J. E. Bolton were Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Everett and son and little Dubbin Hoffmann, all of Eastland.

The Dan Blake home is undergoing a lot of interior improvements, including repapering and other artistic and modernizing features.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hudler from Monahans and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Eubank and Ronald and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Galloway from Brownwood visited the M. D. Eubank family Sunday.

Mrs. Hattie Shields was a business visitor in Dallas last week.

**Classified**

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<b>SYRUP</b>	Karo Blue Label	<b>.39</b>
	5 Pounds	
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### Political Announcements

The following candidates have paid the announcement fee for the entire term of the 1946 campaign, and this column will run continuously throughout the term. All candidates in this column have announced their candidacy subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July and August of this year.

- For County Judge**  
Leman Brown, Re-election
- For District Clerk**  
T. H. (Sticks) Corder  
Garvey T. Hector
- For Sheriff**  
George Robey, Re-election
- For Commissioner, Precinct 2**  
J. W. Fulton  
Henry W. Simmons  
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Dillard Ellis  
Calvin Shields  
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- For County Clerk**  
George M. Smith, Re-election
- For Supt. County Schools**  
D. E. Lovelless, Re-election
- For Tax Assessor-Collector**  
Al Hintner, Re-election  
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- For Justice of the Peace**  
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### Trickham News

By Mrs. Beula Kingston

Sorry that I forgot to mention in last week's news that Mrs. Homer Goodgion spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Zona Stacy. Pfc. Edward K. (Keith) Featherstone docked at Seattle Feb. 11 and he may be home by now.

Friends of Homer Goodgion's family, W. D. Craig's family and M-Sgt. and Mrs. O. T. Stacy honored them with a farewell party at the school house last Thursday night. Refreshments of a mulligan stew, punch and cookies were served. Mary V. Burney won in the spelling contest.

Homer Goodgion is moving to Santa Anna this week. Mr. Craig has sold out his grocery business here to a Mr. W. K. Bradley of Brownwood. Mr. Craig will be leaving here by Monday the 25. They have not yet decided on further plans in their business life, but will live in Brownwood for the present. We regret to lose the good people from our community and hope they will be happy in their new homes.

M-Sgt. and Mrs. O. T. Stacy left Sunday for San Antonio. He reenlisted in the army for three years and chose the Caribbean area for service. His wife will join him later when he is permanently located.

Mrs. May Rutherford had her son, Bille and family, T. C. and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Whitley and Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Seward with her Sunday. T. C. has just received his discharge from the army.

George Rodgers, formerly of Trickham, but now of San Angelo, has received his discharge from the army.

Mrs. H. B. James visited Mrs. Charlie Thompson Saturday. Mrs. Gene James and infant son were happy to have her

neighbors visit her the past week. Sharrel, her little girl, has been ill with measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bolding and family of Ft. Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Mathews and family of Concord visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. Gray Laughlin, who has owned and operated the water works here for a number of years, sold out to Buck Mitchell last week.

Burford Craig and family and James G. Laughlin and family of Brownwood spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Craig.

Mrs. L. E. Page received a letter from her son, Roland Williams of Grand Prairie, saying he had fallen off a barn, hurt his back and is having to wear a cast or brace for 4 months.

Mr. and Mrs. Delburn Rice will move in the Homer Goodgion house after they leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dockery of Bangs visited in the Elgin Talley home Sunday. Pfc. Gene Talley had a 3-day pass last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Thompson were shopping in Brownwood Monday.

Ruth Dean spent the weekend in Abilene visiting in the M. M. Sheffield home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dean were in Brownwood Saturday evening shopping and visited Mr. John Buse in the Memorial Hospital while there. His condition is still serious.

Misses Estelle, Geneva and Dorothy Stearns spent the weekend with Mrs. Ma James and Mrs. Paul Tackett.

Mr. Charlie James and Mr. and Mrs. Harley Stearns spent the weekend in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Medley and daughter, Mrs. R. C. Stearns of Winchell visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stearns Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Whitley of Amarillo spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Whitley.

Mr. and Mrs. John McClatchey of Coleman attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Oakes of Santa Anna attended church here Sunday and visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lige Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haynes spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Haynes and Nancy Jo.

Visitors in the Homer Goodgion home Sunday were Floyd from Camp Swift, Hayden and family from Olden, George Wheatley from Shields and Bula Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Shield of Bangs spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke and Mrs. Shield.

Mrs. Harry Wilson spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Bill Vaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady McVey's youngest son, Doyme, was taken to the hospital last Thursday having developed pneumonia. He was brought home Sunday afternoon and Monday was improving nicely.

Nancy Jo Haynes, who has been very sick with the measles, is able to be up today.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Grant of Rockwood visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stearns and family Sunday.

Mrs. Clifford Stephenson of Santa Anna spent Saturday afternoon in the Walter Stacy home. Mr. Stephenson is an uncle of Mrs. O. T. Stacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner Colvin of Georgetown surprised the school children here by sending each child and Mrs. Gertrude and Mrs. Talley 2 heart shaped cookies with their names on them with icing and candy. I am sure they were more than grateful to be remembered by Mr. and Mrs. Colvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ford visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. James Ford Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jack Laughlin and son Jackie Ray and Mrs. Flimore Stearns visited Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Stearns Friday and also Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Laughlin.

Mrs. Talmadge McClatchey Jr. visited with Mrs. Clyde Devore of Santa Anna Monday night.

J. H. Martin attended the Coleman stock show Monday. Mr. Martin was superintendent of the dairy division of the show.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Stearns visited with Nancy Jo Haynes Saturday evening.

Mrs. Laverne McClatchey is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McClatchey Sr. and Joel for a week or so.

### Whon News

Mrs. Tom Rutherford Friends and relatives of Pete Cooper are very glad his condition is improved, although he is still in the Waco hospital. We hope he will soon be home again.

Mr. Jim Carter has been vacationing in Oklahoma and other places in Texas and Oklahoma since Saturday. He returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lovelady of Rockwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Etoil Cozart and family last Tuesday night.

Mr. C. E. Renfro returned home from Fort Stockton Monday where he had been visiting since Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bengé received a message Monday afternoon that their sister-in-law, Mrs. Tom Bengé, who has been transferred from the Brady hospital to Temple, condition was much worse. Mr. and Mrs. Bengé left soon for Millersville to make further arrangements for going to Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Byrl Turner and little daughter from Salt Gap spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Schulze and Wilfred Rae.

We are all smiles over the success of our play "The Princess Comes to School" which was put on at the Whon school house last Thursday night, also the box supper after the play. We had visitors from Brownwood, Santa Anna, Trickham and Rockwood, and possibly other places. We want our visitors to always feel welcome to come to Whon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Deal and family and Billie Joyce Cozart spent Sunday in Melvin with Mrs. Deal's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Siler and family.

Mr. Wallace's sister and her friend from Brownwood spent Sunday with the Wallace family.

B.T.U. members from the Calvary Baptist church of Brownwood rendered a program here at the Baptist Church Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lee (Punk) Schulze and son, Darwin of Bangs spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Schulze and son, Wilfred Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Russell of Ballinger were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Russell's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart. Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Cozart and Mr. and Mrs. Russell visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Will Fowler of Brooksmith.

Cpl. and Mrs. Joe Wesley Wise of San Antonio passed through Tuesday afternoon enroute to visit Mrs. Wise parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tisdell of Santa Anna. They stopped and visited Mrs. Earl Cozart for a short time.

Mrs. Anderson and children spent Saturday night with relatives in Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford and children visited Mrs. Tom Cooper in Coleman Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kemp are visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gill and Jimmy.

Flem Bengé entered his calf in the Coleman show Monday.

Rev. Howard Smith returned here Monday after spending the weekend at his church at Tahoka, Texas. He plans to remain here until his baby has completely recovered from pneumonia.

L. J. Lovelady, son of Mrs. Kate Holmes, has arrived home after 8 months overseas duty. L. J. has received his discharge.

Mrs. T. J. Adkins attended the Coleman show Monday. Mr. Adkins accompanied calves to the show for Jimmy Gill.

Mr. Charles and Ernest Holcomb of Brownwood visited their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wallace Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Gus Featherstone of Lohn, Mrs. Runt Brusenhan and baby of Lampasas and Mr. Oscar Carter of New Mexico visited their brother and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carter Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Tyna Black of Brownwood is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Everett Baker and Sonny.

Virgil Tennyson will leave Wednesday, Feb. 20 for his physical exam. in the army.

Glomillion Montgomery, Elvis Ray Cozart, Darwin Lovelady and Leon Carter went to San Antonio Monday.

### Gouldbusk News

Mrs. A. W. Crye

Mrs. John Sparks received a telegram from Washington last week from her soldier husband, saying he had returned from overseas and would see her soon.

Next Saturday night there will be a special program at the Congregational Methodist church put on by 25 students and teachers of the Bible School of Dallas, and on Sunday there will be all day services. Rev. Marvin Sherfield, editor of "The Congregational Methodist Messenger" Dallas, Texas, will preach in the morning and there will be special song services in the afternoon. Dinner will be served by the good ladies of our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Woots Priddy and James Slone spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Priddy of Eldorado.

Elton and Clay Row of Goldsboro visited this week with the Reland Garrett family.

Ben Cheaney of San Antonio and Miss Nancy Cheaney of San Marcos spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cheaney.

Bill Thomas, in the Navy and stationed at Galveston, visited relatives here last week.

Jo Anna Row and Mrs. Reland Garrett gave a birthday party for little Peggy Garrett, who was seven years old. 17 little friends came to wish her Happy Birthday and brought her many lovely gifts. Cake and hot chocolate were served. Each guest having a portion of the lovely birthday cake.

Mrs. Ethel Fay Lawler of Grand Prairie visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Slone Sunday and Miss Rose Slone returned with her to Grand Prairie. Other visitors in the Slone home included Mr. and Mrs. Bob Garrett and Mr. and Mrs. Wan Fenton.

Guests in the A. W. Crye home

this week include Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Underwood, Orland, Calif; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crye of Del Rio, Texas.

On Feb. 28 the Bursleson Bros. of Brownwood will present a vaudeville and music show instead of their regular movie program which they bring to Gouldbusk each Thursday night.

Home Demonstration Club is

having a call meeting this Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Clay Norwood. Miss Hipp, county demonstration agent, is to give new ideas of bread making. A. W. Crye, Delmer Crye and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crye were business visitors to Santa Anna and Brownwood Tuesday.

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Each Night at Nine—Play cast.  
I Dream of You—Billy C. to Jean R.  
Out of My Dreams—Doretha to Pat G.  
When He Comes Home—Eunice to E.  
You Belong to My Heart—Junior C. to Earl Jean W.  
Easy to Love—Arthur Dean to Nell R.  
Sweet and Lovely—Wayne to Donetta.  
Swinging Down the Lane—Boyd and Wanda.

**GUESS WHO**

Sex—Girl.  
Height—5' 4"  
Weight—112 pounds.  
Age—15.  
Class—Junior.  
Hair—Blonde.  
Eyes—Brown.  
Likes—Good looking men, blond hair and blue eyes, ice cream and cherry cokes.  
Dislikes—Deceitful people, hill billy music, onions.  
Happiest moment—End of Geometry period.  
Greatest ambition—To finish high school.

**WHO'S WHO**

Fred Oakes is the Senior boy we have chosen this week. He has brown eyes, brown hair, is 5 feet 8 inches tall, and weighs 140 pounds. He has been attending Santa Anna high school all of his life. His dislikes are snooty people and Plane Geometry, also farm life, definitely. His likes are music, and friendly people. His hobby, or shall I say hobbies, are collecting marbles, music and postcards.

When asked who his favorite teacher was he said, "All of them are my favorites." His favorite subjects are typing and bookkeeping and favorite sports are bicycling, baseball, tennis and swimming. His favorite actor and actress are Clark Gable and Greer Garson. His favorite author, Temple Bailey, and favorite person, Tommy Newman. After school he plans to be a key-punch operator, pianist or pipe organist. He is very undecided, but nevertheless we wish you luck in any work.

We have with us this week that blue-eyed, blond headed Senior, none other than Vernetta Stephenson. She is 5'4", weighs 115 pounds and is 18 years old. She has been going to Santa Anna schools all of her life.

When asked what her dislikes were she replied, "catty people, and corny jokes." Her likes were Math and typing subjects. Mrs.

I. Williamson, swing music, and romance. She is engaged to Gerald Pruitt of Dallas, who is now overseas. After school she plans to work until Gerald comes home. We wish you good luck, Vernetta.

**WONDER WHY**

Wayne Horton had his class ring back one day last week?  
Alice Anna is planning to go to Brady in March? Not with the hope of seeing Jack?  
Marion Dimpleby and Mary Lois are seen talking together about the Caldwell brothers?  
We don't have more tennis courts so all the players could play the 7th period?  
The teachers have gotten so much harder since the Seniors started practicing the play?  
Mrs. Williamson was sick over the week-end? Not because of a "coke" the Senior girls made. (We hope.)  
Vance Cobb has so many names put in the paper for bad conduct?  
His name is never found in it? Bob S. wouldn't ask Barbara Bruce for a date Saturday night?  
Stanley Cobb is so bashful around Kelly Wise?  
Kenneth Vance is wearing a single bangle bracelet?  
W. H. never hears from Eldorado any more?  
Minola is so interested in play practice? Pat you and Reba better be careful!  
Artie Jean was so thrilled when she found a certain compact?  
Donald Ray went with Ann P. instead of Elaine B.? Elaine are you slipping?  
Virginia L., Jean Rowe and Jeanette Eubank had such a good time Saturday night?  
There isn't any thing to put in the Wonder Why?

**GOSSIP**

"In the shade of the old apple tree." Oh, I mean pak "where the love in her eyes he could see," could it hadn't been dark "and the voice that I heard," sound like a noise to me, "like the song of a bird," more like a frog, "seemed to whisper sweet music to me," twern't whispering when I heard it. "I could hear the dull buzz of the bee," passing automobile, "in the blossom as you said to me," gee it's two o'clock, "with a heart that is true" as long as I'm with you, "I'll be waiting for you," until somebody else comes along — "In the shade of the old apple tree." We still mean oak.

We are hoping Betty Ann, Bob Wanda and Boyd enjoyed themselves under it Tuesday night.  
Elaine B. and Olin are having trouble and Johnnie Ethel seems to be the source.  
Hal still can't make up his mind between Ann P. and Tommie Sue. Seems he was seen with one Friday night and the other Sunday.

"There's more in Brooksmith than here," says Reba G., but we don't believe it for she and Bob S. have gotten it down to a fine point, and we wonder if Vance minds. Evelyn seems to be fixing that okay.  
Trouble will come in every sweet romance, and its really come to Boyd and Wanda P. in the form of Doretha C.  
Some very interesting couples were seen Friday night after the party. They were Billy C. and Hazel J., Jerry F. and Virginia

Gees folks, did you see all those Lewellen.  
boxes of candy the gents gave the ladies on Valentine Day? Pat to Minola, Ed to Wanda, Arthur D. to Nell. We hear that Lols H. got one too but we can't find out who from.

Well, Barbara Bruce has Stanley's identification bracelet, again. Lucky girl!

Donnie E. and Rhoda P. were seen in Coleman Friday night.

We hear that Leroy S. took Ann P. home from the party Friday night. Keep up the good work Leroy.

Seems that Billy Mulroy is off his "no women" strike. Eh, Coyita?

Lavelle M. and Jean S. seemed to be having a good time Saturday night. We thought they were being true to the Navy. Seems like Lawanda B. was too.

We haven't heard a thing from James and Ruby this week. Wonder what's wrong?

Play practice is doing okay still as Evelyn knows well with five boys to escort her home Monday night.

Our mama told us there'd be moments like this when we come to the end. Well this is it.

Signed  
Snoop and Scoop  
P. S. Aren't we devils?

**JUNIOR CLASS NEWS**

Week before last the Junior class was deprived of one of their sponsors, Mrs. Arnold. We were sorry to see her go, but her responsibility lies elsewhere. We all think she's the cream of the crop and we know you'll all agree. But we shared a little of her happiness on her last day at school by her everready smile. So to you, Mrs. Arnold and your husband we say "Happy Days" and come see us sometime.

But we are not without another sponsor. We gained Miss Taylor. We hope that she will enjoy us as we are going to enjoy her. For like Mrs. Arnold she has an everready smile. The Junior Class honored Miss Taylor with a party Friday night the 15th of February. Everyone present had a swell time.

**SOPHOMORE NEWS**

The Sophomore Class had a class meeting Monday, February 18, 1946. The meeting was called to order by President Arthur D. Talley. Discussions and plans were made for a class party for Friday night, February 22, at the Ranger building.

Johnnie E. Steward gave an interesting report on the Student Council's plans for a High School Canteen. This, we will be very proud to have.

Sophomores, it's our week to pick up paper again, so let's pick up paper on the day we should. All names are posted on the bulletin board and the day individuals are suppose to pick up.

Again I want to remind you about the absences and tardies. We'll never win at this rate, so how about coming to school for a change?

Reporter

**OUR TEEN CANTEEN**

The only thing definite about our Teen-Canteen is that we are going to have one.

We think we are going to get the building above the bank building for a set price which we think we know, but we aren't sure so we won't say.

The Self Culture Club and the Chamber of Commerce will sponsor the Canteen and incidently they are giving some very excellent backing, for which we thank them very much.

Mrs. Bruce has reported she thought she could manage for a piano and Dr. McDonald said he could get a cold drink box. Other incidentals have been discussed and seem very enlightening, so everyone pull with us and we'll have a Teen Canteen.

**ROVING REPORTER**

Question: Do you have Spring Fever? If so, who is it?

Ruby June H.: Yes, I do! Over a good looking Sophomore. (But that doesn't do any good). (R. P. oh, yeh. If it was not a secret I would tell.)

Arthur Dean Talley: I sure have! Over a very good looking blond. (R. P. I bet her name is Nell Ralstin.)

Wanda Price: Of course and over a Sophomore too!?? Could it be Boyd? (R. P. Why sure, everybody knows that.)

Stanley Cobb: Sure over a brown head, a brown four cent cigar. (R. P. Sure! it's Elaine Burgett.)

Coyita Fae Griffin: Why, yes, over the best good looking senior the world ever saw. (R. P. Sure we know, it's B. M.)

Olin Horton: Sure I do, over a Freshman. I do not know which. Friday night will tell. (R. P. It's nobody but Johnnie Ethel and Elaine Burgett.)

Jeanette Eubank: Could be, you know those Freshman are awful people!! (R. P. Freddie Henderson?)

Dayton McDonald: You're awful nose! But, yes. A tall brunette at T.C.U. But a short one at S.A.H.S. would do.

Jo Evelyn French: Sure I do, but he doesn't go to school.

King Auestad: Naturally, and it's a very good looking Junior girl and she doesn't have a boy friend.

Carlyn Ray: Why, certainly! Over a very handsome boy. His initials are M. C.

Billy Campbell: Are you kidding? I have always got spring fever.

Jean Rowe: Of course! Don't you know who it is? Everyone else does except him!??

Howard L. Lovelady: Sure at least sometimes. Manily a girl in Junior class. (R. P. Sure we know, it's Suz.)

Elaine Burgett: Why certainly. A sophomore boy (but little good it does). (R. P. Sure enough! He will know by Friday night.)

Johnnie Ethel Steward: Certainly. Over a sophomore also and it is doing good. (R. P. Olin Horton?)

Earl Jean Woodard: Why sure, I have had for a long time. It could not be any one except a very good looking Freshman boy. (R. P. Junior Cruger—the name.)

Sarah Frances Moseley: Sure, at least sometimes. Manily a boy in the Junior class. (R. P. Sure we know it's Howard Lee.)

Doretha Fay Casey: Why sure, at least every once in a while, especially a cute Junior boy. (R. P. Nobody else but Pat Gilmore.)

Bob Henderson: You bet I have on the best looking girl in the Junior class.

Betty Ann McCaughan: Look at who wrote the above and you'll know why I have Spring fever.

**PEP SQUAD NEWS**

The Pep Squad for 1946-1947 had a meeting Wednesday, Feb. 13. At the meeting nominations and elections were made for next season's leaders.

Last week we decided we would have three girls and two boys for leaders, but the boys decided they didn't want to be in the Squad, so we elected three girls. They are as follows: Main Leader, Jeanette Eubank; with Johnnie Ethel Steward and Ruby Humphries elected for associate leaders.

The girls will have a try-out, and if they don't suit the Squad we will elect again.

We all hope to have a better Pep Squad for the coming year than we did in the past. We also want to urge all the student body to help us out in the yell.

Come on out, Mountaineers and lets show our team we really

appreciate them.

—Selection.

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### Lesson for February 24

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#### WHAT MAKES A PEOPLE GREAT—RELIGION IN THE HOME

LESSON TEXT: Deuteronomy 6:4-12. MEMORY SELECTION: Every day will I bless thee; and I will praise thy name for ever and ever.—Psalm 145:2.

Home, church, school and the state—these are the four institutions which determine the greatness of a people—and the most influential of all is the home.

What a child becomes under the nurture of the home will determine his interest in the church, his attitude toward school, and eventually his value as a citizen of the nation. How tragic then that we are giving so little attention to our American homes!

The religious life of the home is the most important element of its activity, for it is the determining factor in the life of the child. It is in the home that the child's whole existence centers and from which he receives the repeated impressions, day by day, which determine character and destiny. It is in the home that the parent has the opportunity to demonstrate the reality of the faith professed in the church, and to show the child that Christianity really counts in the ordinary experiences of life.

Three things appear in our lesson as characterizing the religion of the home.

#### I. Worship (vv. 4, 5).

Twice a day the orthodox Jew repeats the words of these verses: namely, at the time of prayer, morning and night. They remind him of his personal relationship to God, and they recall one of God's primary reasons for calling Israel to be his people. They were to be a national witness to the one true God in the midst of the almost universal worship of many gods. They were to stand for monotheism in the midst of polytheism.

So important is the complete devotion of man—and that brings in the whole family—to God that when Jesus was asked what was the greatest of all commandments (see Mark 12:28-31), he named this passage together with Leviticus 19:18.

Nothing should take precedence over the true worship of God in our hearts, and in the hearts of all those we hold dear in our households. The Eternal One, the Source of Life, the All-Powerful One, he is "our God" (v. 4) and he looks to us for complete and constant devotion to him. Let us give it.

#### II. Instruction (vv. 6-9).

It was not enough that these words should be repeated in some regular or formal worship, but they were to be taught to the children in the home with all faithfulness and diligence—and by the parents.

We are far too eager to delegate the teaching of our children to others. In religious matters it is the church and the Sunday school which are responsible. Many parents do not even take their boys and girls to the house of God. They just send them. Mark it well, such parents are delinquent in their duties to God and to their families.

But our vital point is this—it is the business of the home to teach religion, to do it regularly, and to make it a normal and natural part of daily life.

This is a matter of great significance. The faith which we profess in the church must be effectively brought into the home. It is not enough to carry a Bible on Sunday. It should be in use in the home throughout the week; not only in family worship, but in the incidents of daily life.

The family altar has gradually disappeared, and it is regrettable that it has, for the testimony of generations indicates that in family worship some of the most useful men and women of all ages have received the direction of life which made them great for God.

#### III. Remembrance (vv. 10-12).

Israel had a history full of the magnificent mercies of God. In the day when, by his help and blessing they were to be established in their land, they were to recall his blessings and recognize his goodness.

There are few, if any, more powerful incentives to faith and courage living than the remembrance of past blessings. To recall how God made it possible for ordinary men and women to, by faith, subdue kingdoms, quench the fires of persecution, turn back the armies of aliens, become strong in the midst of weakness (read Heb. 11) is to make

Mrs. Lenora James, who is working in Abilene, came down for the week-end and visited with her parents, the Rex Goldstons, and brought little Bill Browning, who visited with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Bell have recovered from an attack of the flu.

W. F. Gipson, Jr. has recently been honorably discharged from the army after about three years service, mostly in the Philippines. He is with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gipson in Coleman. He has had pneumonia since his return but is well now. He served as a chaplain assistant while overseas and is the grandson of Mrs. J. R. Gipson. He was born in Santa Anna and spent his early boyhood here.

Sgt. M. C. Walden is here on an emergency furlough from Okinawa. He came to be at the bedside of his father who has been quite ill at his home in the south part of town. Sgt. Walden hopes to be released from the army soon.

Mrs. Jack Kellog was brought from Ballinger Saturday to the Sealy Hospital, where she will undergo an operation.

Duane Moredock has transferred from the Texas A. & M. College to John Tarleton College at Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Barnes went to Dallas Friday to meet their daughter and her husband. Mr. and Mrs. Terry Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Sanders have just returned from London, England. Mr. Sanders was connected with the American Embassy there.

## Church Notices

### CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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Cumberland Presbyterian Church Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.  
Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening

Preaching Services first and second Sunday evenings. Fourth Sunday morning and evening.  
J. W. Burgett, pastor.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH Church School 10:00 a.m., Mr. Hardy Blue, Supt.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Methodist Youth Fellowship, 5:00 P. M.  
Evening Worship Services, 7:00 P. M.

"I was glad when they said unto me, Let us go into the house of the Lord."  
J. D. F. Williams, pastor

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Sunday School, 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11 a.m., 2nd and 4th Sundays.  
Ladies Auxiliary, Mondays following each 2nd Sunday.  
Choir Practice, 6 p.m. each Friday.  
Ben H. Moore, pastor

First Baptist Church Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Preaching services 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union, 6:30 p. m.  
Preaching Service, 7:30 p. m.  
Prayer Service 7:30 p. m.  
S. R. Smith, pastor.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evangelistic Service 8:15 p. m.  
Thursday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.  
Saturday Night Evangelistic Service.  
You are cordially invited to attend.  
Velma L. Davis, pastor.

one ready for the battles of life. Every family has its dark and rocky days, its experiences which rock one back on his heels in astonishment and fear—and in the Christian family God has always been the answer—the solution to every problem, the provider for every need. Keep such memories fresh in the thinking of boys and girls and they will be ready for the storms of life. Help them to a great faith in a great Saviour and you have given them something more precious than all the riches of all the earth.

Improvements not previously mentioned are the recent paint jobs of both Santa Anna lumber yards. The South Texas Lumber Co. (formerly the Leeper-Curd) and the Burton-Lingo Co. have both had their buildings painted recently—a good advertisement in both cases of the brands of paint they sell.

Hobby Stephenson, who has been in Fitzsimmons Hospital at Denver, Colorado for several months, will have to remain there until June. He was in a very run-down physical condition when liberated from a Jap prison camp. He had been a prisoner nearly three and one-half years. Hobby was born and chiefly raised in Santa Anna. He is a nephew of R. M. Stephenson.

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John Guthrie is in the Sealy Hospital suffering from an accident received when kicked by a horse one day last week. In loading the horse on a trailer he was kicked in the back, serious injury to the ribs and a punctured lung resulting. He was reported to be doing very well Tuesday.


Mrs. W. H. Kingsbery had the misfortune of falling in front of her home Thursday. The fall resulted in a broken wrist, but it is reported that Mrs. Kingsbery is not suffering too greatly.

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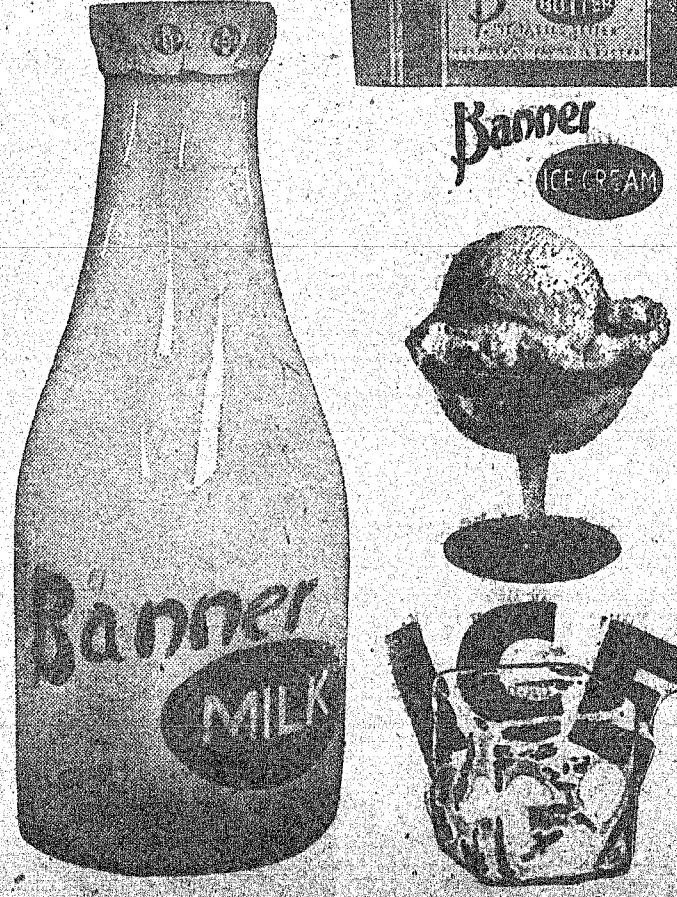
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Santa Anna Gas Co.  
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**Personals**

Alpheus Boardman has resigned his position at the Bank and has accepted the Gulf Agency in Coleman

Oran Henderson spent the week-end here with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mobley have as their guests Mr. Mobley's father and sister, Mr. R. E. Mobley and Mrs. Dot Moore of Cisco.

Judge Leman Brown of Coleman was shopping in Santa Anna Tuesday.

Mrs. Rex Golston, Jr. visited her mother in Killen last week end.

Mrs. E. H. Carter from Fort Worth spent the week-end with her daughter and family, Rev. and Mrs. J. D. F. Williams.

Betty Lou Williams entertained the following young ladies at a slumber party Friday night, Coyita Griffin, Carlyn Ray, Ann Priddy, Elaine Burgett and Ruby June Humphries.

Roy Golston from Temple was in town this week and reported he had met the Sam H. Collier family entering Mexico as he was leaving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Tinkle and Martha from Tulsa, Okla. spent the week-end with Mrs. Tinkle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Boardman.

Webb Golston left Sunday for Dallas where he will enter school.

Mrs. Hallie Bissett left Saturday for Ballinger where she will visit with relatives.

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Mrs. Zetha Thomas visited in Brownwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Barnes returned Tuesday from a visit to the Valley.

J. B. Dunbar, Charles Dunbar and H. D. Jobs from Junction visited with the M. D. Pinkerton family Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Whitley from Amarillo were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Whitley and Mr. and Mrs. Henderson in Trickham Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Upton visited Mrs. Upton's sister, Mrs. W. J. Stacy in Brownwood Sunday.

Myron Pratt has returned to Santa Anna after receiving his discharge from the army.

Mrs. Maxine Devore and Mordine Hill were Coleman visitors Monday.

Mrs. J. Frank Turner was taken to the Sealy Hospital Sunday for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Orr were visiting Mrs. Orr's parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Lindley and Mrs. Zetha Thomas last week.

Mrs. Roy West and Mrs. Hattie Shields were visitors at the Stock Show in Coleman Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Freeman and children visited the Kent Martin family last week.

Miss Ruby Harper has been ill for several days.

Mrs. Gene Hensley returned home Thursday for a few days. She reports that Gene has been promoted to a Lieutenant Colonel.

Mrs. Alma McNutt and her mother visited the Arthur Casey family Sunday.

Mrs. Vera Shields had as her guest over the weekend Mrs. J. E. Hale, who is librarian at Howard Payne College.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Flores and Nancy had lunch with Mrs. Flores' mother, Mrs. T. N. Burton Sunday in Bangs.

James Eubank, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ozro Eubank, left Sunday for Ft. Sam Houston, San Antonio, where he will be inducted into the army.

Mrs. Mattie Lancaster visited relatives in Trickham Sunday.

I. O. Bible from Ponca City, Oklahoma is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Mary Lela Woodward was hostess to the following guests Sunday evening, Miss Betty Douglas, Mesdames Mary Ogle, Maxine Devore, Frances Featherston and Miss Ann Maddox.

Mr. L. W. Hunter, who has been in Brownwood since November with his daughter, Mrs. C. W. Woodruff, has returned home.

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Mrs. A. S. McDavid and her daughter Sue of Brownwood visited last week in the home of Bill McDavid.

It is good news to learn that Jack Kingsbery, who broke his leg some time ago, is able to drive a car and get about.

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