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"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

Hill Country Firemen's Association Here Next Tuesday

The Hill Country Firemen's Association will meet here in Santa Anna next Tuesday, August 21, in their semi-annual convention.

There will be a number of visitors here that day, and it behooves Santa Anna to put on her Sunday duds, clean up the premises and make this old town look as neat and attractive as possible...

A program will be carried out among the visiting firemen and the evenings entertainment will climax the days activities.

Local firemen are making great preparations to entertain their visitors, and the town people are co-operating.

SCHULZE BABY DIES

Little Frances Willen, three months old baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Schulze of Whon, died here Wednesday afternoon from a complication of whooping cough and pneumonia.

Little hope was held for the baby's recovery when brought to the hospital, but a fight between life and death was waged by the physicians and nurses, and all the skill in their power was put into their efforts, but human skill was outweighed by the Powers that Be, and little Frances Willen was called to the Great Beyond.

The remains were prepared by Hosch Brothers of the Hosch Furniture and Undertaking company and carried to Rockwood Thursday morning for burial. The body was interred in the Rockwood cemetery following funeral services at the Baptist church, conducted by Rev. Ed Wilson, former pastor of the Whon Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kelley and son Julian returned Sunday from Ruidoso, N. M. where they visited for two weeks. Horace Turner, Clinton Lowe, and W. H. Ragsdale are fishing on the San Saba river this week.

Santa Anna Ships 102 Carloads of Oats

What may be a surprise to the reading public was brought to light here this week, when it was reported and proven that 102 carloads of oats had been shipped from Santa Anna to other markets this season.

J. E. Watkins, the principal grain dealer for Santa Anna, has bought and shipped 96 carloads of the grain. The first cars brought around \$500 each, the last ones bringing as much as \$1,130. The average will equal about \$750, per car.

This has been a hard year and this is only a light report for this place, but 102 carloads of oats at \$750 per car has brought in quite a bit of cash to be distributed in this community, and most every family profited some from this distribution.

Some of the local business men evidently didn't think that there was that much money in circulation in the county by the way they complain about business. There's a reason. Merchants usually do about as much business as they plan to do, and if they plan but little they get but little, if they plan big business they most always have a big business. People most always get what they go after, and if they don't go after much they don't bring back much. Merchants in other towns are profiting at our expense.

BAN ON NEGROES IN PRIMARIES UPHOLD

SHERMAN, Aug. 13. (AP)—The right of the democratic party of Texas to exclude negroes from voting in its primaries was upheld today by Federal Judge Randolph Bryant. Judge Bryant's decision was handed down in a case brought by John Johnson, Denison negro, who sought to restrain the county democratic executive from interfering with negroes voting in primaries.

SANTA ANNA SCHOOLS TO OPEN SEPT. 10

The Santa Anna News was advised this week that the Board of Education has set Monday, September 10th, for the opening of the schools in Santa Anna. A detailed announcement will appear in these columns later.

Santa Anna Couple Celebrates 55th Anniversary

Last Sunday, August 12, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Crum celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary at their home here, with a large number of relatives taking them by surprise and paying them a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Crum were married in Georgetown, Texas, August 12th, 1879. They have lived in Santa Anna about one-half of their married life, and this is more like home to them than any place they could find.

The following were present. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crum and daughter Blaisie Lou of Melvin, came in about noon. They were accompanied by Miss Nora Lovelace, the only visitor who was not related to the Crum family, but an old friend. Shortly after noon the following came in and spent a portion of the day in a jolly good time: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crum, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Turner and daughter, Miss Mamie, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Turner and two children, Talmadge and Dorris Bell, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brown and daughter, Miss Virgie, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. McClure and son Billie, Mr. and Mrs. John Brown and two sons, William and Jesse, Mrs. G. B. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Polk and children, Mrs. O. B. Phillips of Dalhart and Otho and James of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown and daughter Mary; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ferguson and children, Eugene and Merle; Mr. and Mrs. Emzy Brown, and Mrs. Arch Harbour of Goleman.

A very pleasant afternoon was spent and many good wishes were extended to the venerable old couple, who don't look so very old. Mr. and Mrs. Crum have a good chance to celebrate their Diamond anniversary twenty years hence.

RECEIVES DEGREE

Mrs. J. Frank Turner was among those in the graduating class from Howard Payne College at Brownwood last week who received her B. A. Degree. She, with Mrs. Charles Evans, Mrs. W. B. Spartman, and Miss Dora Kirkpatrick, has attended the summer session, and is to be congratulated for her work.

Complete Returns Compiled On State Primary Election

(From the Austin Bureau of The News.)

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 12.—Eastland County returns were received Sunday by the State Democratic Executive Committee, completing official figures from every county in the State and making the new high record of 1,018,861 votes being cast in a Texas election. That was the vote polled by Presiding Judge W. C. Morrow of the Court of Criminal Appeals, with 1,011,184 for L. A. Woods, State School Superintendent, both unopposed for re-election.

With complete official returns the committee's unchangeable final majority fixed the following majorities for renominated candidates: United States Senator Tom Connally, 171,754; Land Commissioner, J. H. Walker, 299,858; Comptroller George H. Sheppard, 226,335, and State Treasurer Charley Lockhart, 52,901.

Pluralties finally determined were as follows: James V. Allred, for Governor, 55,657; Walter Woodul, for Lieutenant Governor, 169,800; William McCraw, for Attorney General, 29,433; Lon A. Smith, 41,077; Hal S. Lattimore, for Supreme Court Justice, 91,201.

J. E. McDonald lacked 11,198 votes of having a majority for Commissioner of Agriculture but will not have a run-off as Fred Davis, runner-up, withdrew his name. Davis trailed McDonald by 242,004 votes.

State Chairman J. K. Brim said Sunday it was probably the first time complete official returns had been received by a State committee as in the past the telegraph had been frantically used several times to supplement the mail reports and that at Lubbock air transportation came to the rescue of the committee, which finally found an official difference of only 3,333 votes for Mrs. Ferguson over Ross Sterling.

Finals for the candidates with opposition make the official vote as follows: United States Senator.—Connally, 567,139; Bailey 353,963, Fisher 41,422.

Governor.—McDonald 207,200; Allred 298,903; Small 125,324; Hunter 243,246; Witt 62,476; Hughes 58,815; Russell 4,419.

Lieutenant Governor.—Woodul 341,424; Berkeley 75,546; Hornsby 125,000; Johnson 100,861; Moore 171,624; Rogers 73,872.

Attorney General.—Woodward 355,293; McCraw 332,570; Smith 193,186.

State Treasurer.—Waller 107,854; George B. Terrell 249,224; Griffin 77,627; Lockhart 485,796.

Comptroller.—Sheppard 559,545; Patterson 188,219; Tillison 67,682; Clary 77,328.

Commissioners of Agriculture.—McDonald 436,570; Davis 196,566; K. Terrell 136,084; Conley 117,118.

Land Commissioner.—Walker 583,494; Jones 283,641.

Railroad Commissioner.—Pun-dit 226,425; McNeess 75,448; Hatcher 195,409; Johnson 128,193; Smith 269,502.

Supreme Court Justice.—McClendon 234,851; Sharp 280,213; Lattimore 371,414.

Eastland County returns confirmed earlier reports that Congressman Thomas L. Blanton has a majority and will not be forced into a run-off election.

Lions to Hold Joint Meeting

The local Lions Club decided Tuesday to comply with the request of the Lions International and offer to entertain the Lions from Brownwood and Coleman Tuesday, August 28th. Next week has been designated as Inter-City Week, but due to other complications, our visitation week will have to be postponed.

The president, secretary and program committee of the Coleman Club were visitors here Tuesday and pledged their cooperation. Brownwood members will be invited and a worthwhile program will be planned.

Lions are always looking for something to do, and at this time each Club is wanting to know what their neighbor clubs are doing for the good of the country and humanity.

Texas Almanac Started Boosting State As Great Land of Opportunity Back in 1857

(By Mrs. Dorothy John In Dallas News.)

"Texas, Texas! It stirs the heart like the sound of a trumpet. All eyes are now turned toward her..." wrote a traveler in 1846. "Verily it is a land of promise, already teeming with abundance, and rich in almost every blessing which a good and bountiful Providence can bestow."

Equally enthusiastic is the literature going out to the world today luring the tourist to Texas in 1936 to the centennial, and to drive on to Mexico City over the new Pan-American highway. Inducements also are being offered to the stranger to settle permanently in Texas.

This type of publicity has its origin in forms going back at least as far as advertisements for settlers for the thirteen colonies. The existence of early guide books will come as a surprise to many who think that guide books, automobile road maps and folders put out by railroads, hotels and chambers of commerce are purely a development of our progressive modern world.

Texas had her own guide books from the time of the early American immigration into the Mexican province. Austin put out posters in New Orleans to obtain men for his colony at San Felipe de Austin. Later land agents and railroad agents wrote their guide books for the emigrants. Travelers, enchanted with the new Empire State, added their praises. In 1857 the Texas Almanac, containing in addition to the usual almanac material, descriptions of the proceedings of the Texas government, and a section of "Advice to Emigrants," began to be published.

During Mexican Rule After pioneer Austin, during the Mexican rule, there came other "empresarios" or "founders of colonies." Among the first of these were Zavala, Vehlein and Burnet who, in 1830, laud the "munificence" of the Mexican government which allowed a man to obtain land with no other payment than that of surveyor's fees and the cost of the stamp for the deed. No government taxes were required for ten years, either; only "such (taxes) as all enterprising and moral families would naturally impose on themselves for the support of ferries, schools and public worship."

They speak of the high prices in the Mexican markets, which were protected by tariffs as well as actual prohibition of the importation of many commodities; markets duty free to Texas, then a part of Mexico. "What an opening is here for tanners, curriers, morocco, skin and leather dressers, tallow chandlers, hatters, shoemakers, saddlers and harness makers," they remark. "Is not the duty of \$125 on a Spanish calash, or \$292 on a four-wheel carriage an inducement for coach and chaise makers to settle themselves in the beautiful and fertile country west of the Sabine, where they can avail themselves of the advantages the laws and luxurious habits of Mexico hold for their industry?"

Like their successors, these writers speak of the marvelous fertility of the soil where the great staples of cotton, wheat, corn, sugar, rice and tobacco can be grown. Especially proud are they of the "smiling prairies" which "invite the plough" without the grueling task of first clearing with the axe. A mid-century land agent assures his readers, too, that our soil never tires.

Texas Almanac in 1870 Many writers describe the fruits of Texas, both those under culture and the wild varieties discovered by travelers. The Almanac for 1870 tells in some detail of a Mr. Wickland's visit to West Texas in 1856. He says, "Notwithstanding the drought, portions of the country were literally covered with plums and grapevines loaded with the most delicious fruit.... In fact, I went on this tour with nine whites and six Indians, without any provisions and short of ammunition, and we lived four weeks entirely on buffalo and fruits."

A great point is made by all of the salubrity of the climate. Our northers are included in this summary of virtues. Word had spread abroad that Texas was subject to violent wind storms called northers, a phenomenon dangerous to health, even causing death through the bitter cold which they brought on so suddenly. To combat this prejudice all the later guide books declare that these stange storms are really great purifying agents whose electric atmosphere regenerates man and beast. One railroad agent assures the public, too, that when the prairies are settled the northers will moderate.

In 1868 the Almanac informs its readers that many have arrived in Texas seeking better health and especially is this true of the inhabitants around San Antonio. "The native Mexicans used to tell a story in regard to its healthfulness," they add, "which has a regular Yankee smack to it. They said some travelers approaching San Antonio met three disconsolate-looking persons who were hastening away from the city. They asked them what was the matter and where they were going. The three replied that they had met with reverses, that they wished to die, and were going some place where people could die."

The Lawlessness Myth The lawlessness of Texas was another belief of outsiders which had to be disposed of. Bryant, in his railroad guide, "All About Texas," in 1874, tells us that after the Civil War many desperadoes and adventurers poured into Texas so that the calendar of crime was naturally swollen and the good citizens of Texas had to share in the obloquy and reproach. He further informs us that other States have a fine of \$5 for bearing arms, but Texas places a fine of \$25 against it and she enforces it, and confiscates the weapon besides. Kingsbury, another railroad agent, describes in 1887 the town of Beeville in the valley of the Poesta, saying that last week the death penalty was given for the first murder in years.

The early guide books counsel the emigrant to carry from home everything from a fish hook to young fruit trees. Burnet says to bring vegetables and grain seeds, salted provisions, fish hooks, flints, gulleys, awls and grindstones. As there was no surplus food in the country at that time many immigrants had to live on fish and game for a year or more until they were settled. So it was urged that they have a year's provisions, if possible, and also cattle and hogs to stock a farm. All household furnishings and equipment had to be imported, too, or be made on the spot. Frequently immigrants did not build water-proof and warm shelters and so suffered from this last that we find J. De Cordova in 1856 cautioning immigrants to plan for a good shelter for "the females" for they need it, and to remember that this comfort is good for men, too, as "it is no easy task to wrest a home from the wilderness." He tells them to bring warm bedding and clothing, a shelf of books, among them a Bible, should be included. He does not believe merchants and clerks want teachers but not professors and finishes, "to politicians we say remain where you are, we have no room for you!" But by 1881 the Southwestern Immigration Company invited all types of people impartially—the farmer, the grazier, the artisan and mechanic, and the capitalist. For Texas had begun to grow up.

Railroads Factor of Development One of the great factors in her development has been the railroads. In the beginning, they

came early to her borders. Then Cordova (1856) mentions the first in Texas, one thirty-five miles in length operating between Harisburg and Richmond. But for practical uses he prints tables of connecting stage coaches and the water routes. In 1875 Bryant informs us that Texas has 2,000 miles of railroad and 1,500 miles of telegraph. He also gives advice for travelers' conduct, telling them to allow half an hour of extra time so as not to be obliged to rush. In this way they will avoid the possibility of a broken leg crushed in boarding a moving train. His second rule is, "Never be in a hurry to get off the cars, and crowd and push to get ahead. Remember that 'large bodies move slowly,' and the world wasn't made in a minute."

Another suggestion of his reads, "In seeking hotels, remember that the loftiest titles do not always insure the greatest comforts." The great possibilities of Texas as a grazing country are not neglected by these guide books. Much practical information is given about the grasses and water, the breeds of the cattle, sheep and hogs being raised; and how to care for them. De Cordova tells us that "a cow can be raised in Texas at less cost than a chicken in any other place in the United States." W. G. Kingsbury, a railroad agent from San Antonio, writing a guide book for English prospects, has interesting comments on sheep and cattle raising. He took to London in 1878 "specimen samples of the soil, grain and grass from all the counties of the road," that farmers might see for themselves the food possible to be raised for man and beast. In telling of the ease with which cattle can be run in Texas without barns, winter feeding, or fences, he claims that the only expense is the yearly round-up and branding. He goes on to say that previous to 1868-69 hundreds of thousands of cattle were killed annually for their hides and tallow alone.

"While this looked almost to be a sin, it was also a necessity, for the natural increase was so great that the settled portion of the country was being over-run with cattle, there being at one time over 5,000,000 head to a population of less than 800,000." The problem, of course, was being solved by one land drive and by the growth of the railroad system.

The romantic side of cowboy life usually associated with Texas is not much in evidence in the accounts, but they do digress frequently to eulogize at considerable length the range country, "a land where thousands of Labans and Jacobs feed their unnumbered flocks' over pastures as broad as kingdoms."

JUDGE RUNGE SPEAKS HERE

Judge Carl Runge of Mason, candidate for Congress of the new 21st district, spoke here in the interest of his candidacy Wednesday afternoon. Judge Runge was introduced by Emmett Day, Jeweler, who paid a high tribute to the candidate in his introductory remarks.

The judge spoke with length on his qualifications to fill the place, and made a strong bid for votes.

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You Can Bank On This



ICEBERGS ARE ALWAYS FRESH WATER ICE

FREDERICK II WAS NOT KNOWN AS OR CALLED FREDERICK THE GREAT UNTIL AFTER HIS DEATH



THE FUTURE

Putting aside a part of your income now is easier than trying to get along with no income later.

What you save now may prevent a tremendous lot of misery in old age.

Begin saving now. Open an account with us.

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Safe... because it's sound.

Pledge I will think-talk-write... Texas Centennial in 1936! This is to be my celebration. In its achievement I may give free play to my patriotic love for Texas heroric past; my confidence in its glorious that are to be.

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BILL OF RIGHTS

Editorial of the Week

"Read the Bill of Rights and see if you have lost any of your liberties," said the President in his recent radio address to the Nation.

It was his challenge to the people who talk of loss of individual liberties.

The first 10 amendments to the Constitution are the Bill of Rights, guaranteeing liberties to individual citizens. Read them and see if you have lost any of your rights. Here they are:

1. Congress shall make no law abridging freedom of religion, freedom of speech or of the press; the right of peaceful assembly; the right of petition.
2. The right of the people to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed.
3. No soldier shall be quartered in any house without the consent of the owner.
4. The right of the people to be secure against unreasonable searches and seizures shall not be violated.
5. No person shall be deprived of life, liberty or property without due process of law.
6. Those accused of crime shall have the right to a speedy and public trial by an impartial jury.
7. In suits at common law, the right of trial by jury shall be preserved.
8. Excessive bail shall not be required, nor shall there be cruel or unusual punishments.
9. The enumeration in the Constitution of certain rights shall not be construed to deny or disparage others retained by the people.
10. Powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the State respectively, or to the people.

A PAIR

Sitting around the Beta house, they were wrapping lies.

"When I was up in Montana," said one of them, "I saw a mountain lion come right up to me camp one day—it was a fierce beast, but I with great presence of mind, threw a bucket of water in its face and it slunk away."

"Boys," said a man sitting in the corner, "I can vouch for the truth of that story. A few minutes after that happened I was coming down the side of the hill. I met this lion, and as my habit, stopped to stroke its whiskers. Boys, those whiskers were wet."

Advertising doesn't cost—it pays.

ON TEXAS FARMS

The saving of a little feed now may mean the saving of livestock next winter we are told—so watch out for that spark of fire that may cost more property loss than will appear at the moment.

That the loss of grass roots now will mean the loss of soil later when the rains begin to fall is pointed out by Louis P. Merrill, who has charge of the soil erosion work centering around Lindale, Texas.

"Grass is the most effective thing known for retarding the run off of rain water and preventing the washing away of the soil. The fibrous roots of grass and the matted grass blades hold water back so well that nearly all of it soaks into the soil and the little that escapes does so gradually and cannot form streams and carry the dirt off with it," Merrill says.

In four terracing demonstrations conducted by the farm demonstration agent in Red River county in July, 324 acres of land went under the protection of terraces, one-half of which were rented acres formerly in cotton. The county tractor is being called into service. Testimony of farmers who terraced last year is encouraging new terracers because crops are 15 to 20 percent better on terraced land this summer than on unterraced, due to conserved moisture. Red River county is out to break terracing records next fall and winter.

In Fayette county the home demonstration agent gave a demonstration in pickle making—2526 containers of pickles on home pantry shelves resulted. She explained and illustrated the method of canning sandwich spread and forthwith the home demonstration club women put up 600 containers to be used in their children's school lunches.

Pruned and staked tomato vines in the garden of Mrs. W. B. Harkness, pantry demonstrator of the Kaufman home demonstration club, bore heavily; pruned but not staked the production was not so satisfactory; neither pruned nor staked the production was practically naught.

A 30 bushel to the acre yield from corn planted every other row with intensive cultivation designed to kill Johnson grass was obtained by W. F. Green of Mound in Coryell county, contrasting handsomely with the 29 bushel yield of the corn planted on every row on similar land.

One-half acre of strawberries returned \$360 to Dr. J. H. Loving, Brooks county farmer having strawberries for a hobby. Proper

preparation of the soil, barnyard manure and cover crops are the secret of his success. Dr. Loving says that while he can make \$300 profit on half an acre he doesn't fool himself into thinking that he can make \$3000 on five acres.

The record for speed on corn as seed planted, to seed harvested and planted again, is probably held by Texas with Honey June sweet corn as the crop. In Starr county Gorgoria Guerra in March planted his sample of the new sweet corn developed by the Texas Experiment Station. In Rusk county a business man tried to get a sample but wastoo late, it had all been planted. He then offered a dollar for an ear of it sufficiently mature to plant by June 25. On June 23 Mr. Guerra mailed him an ear of corn and received the dollar.

LAMPASAS: The cotton clean-up campaign paid Walter Walker, a farmer in Unity community in Lampasas county, in 1933 and is still paying him, according to W. P. Graham, farm demonstration agent.

In 1933 Mr. Walker signed a cotton contract and was paid cash for plowing under green cotton stalks. This year he was paid again by the increased yield of oats on the land where the cotton was plowed under. Sixty-six bushels per acre were harvested on the land where the cotton was plowed under, while only 40 bushels per acre were harvested off of land that had previously grown grain.

HASKELL: That good seed and green crops turned under give profitable results has been proved on the farm of Paul Frierson of the Midway community in Haskell county, according to R. H. Maxwell, farm demonstration agent.

The yield per acre for the Nor-Tex variety of oats was 60 bushels, the yield for the Spivey variety was 50 bushels, while the yield for the common Texas Red Oats was only 30 bushels per acre.

After harvesting the cotton crop the land was one-way disced and the seed drilled in during October. The Nor-Tex oats were planted on "plow-up" cotton land where there was a good growth of green cotton which served as a green manure crop, but otherwise the land had the same preparation. On 20 acres Mr. Frierson harvested 1,409 bushels of Nor-Tex oats and netted \$380.

Mr. S. W. Childers and mother, Mrs. J. M. Childers and Miss Fave spent Tuesday with Rev. and Mrs. T. D. Moore of Comanche.

Mrs. Othella Croft left this week for Dallas where she is taking a course in Beauty Culture. Miss Odelle Brown is the night operator for the Telephone Company.

Miss Etta Belle Cochran of Newton, Kansas came Thursday morning for a visit with her cousin, Miss Kathryn Rose Penney.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Combes returned Wednesday from the Dallas market where they purchased new merchandise for their store.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Blair and little son of Bownwood spent the week-end with Mrs. H. O. Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Boggus returned Wednesday from a fishing trip to the Llano river. Others in the party were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Vaughn and son of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Carpenter and daughter of San Antonio.

Visitors in the Fred Shuford home of Rockwood Saturday were Dr. Felix Shuford and family of Austin, J. L. Shuford and daughter of Coleman, Dan Shuford and family of Shields, Josh Bryon and family of Rockwood and Mrs. Fred Shuford's mother, Mrs. Vise of Rockwood.

Misses Reba, Annie and Louise Holland, Miss Iris Morse and Mr. Horace Dyer of Gatesville visited in the J. B. Jones and J. J. Gregg homes Sunday night. They were enroute home from the Jones Family Reunion at Leuders where they had spent the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Box and son Frances of Ames and John Dockery of Killeen visited here Tuesday afternoon. They were accompanied to Gatesville by Mr. P. W. Jones, who had visited in the home of his son, J. B. Jones and his daughter, Mrs. G. E. Wilson.

Miss Peggy Brown returned Monday from Artesia, N. M. where she had been visiting her parents while on her vacation.

I. F. NICHOLSON ENJOYS DALLAS VISIT

Mr. I. F. Nicholson of the Shields community was a recent Dallas and Vickers visitor where he visited friends and relatives. Mr. Nicholson has passed his eighty-third birthday and saves most of the eighty-three years were put in at hard toll on the farm, and he is always up early in the morning to greet the sunrise. He is the father of ten living children, six boys and four daughters. They are: John A. Nicholson, Fort Worth; J. D. Nicholson, Palacios; Miles Nicholson of Shields; George Nicholson, U. S. Army; J. P. Nicholson, Shields; Tom Nicholson of Temple; Mrs. E. G. Bishop, Vickers; Miss Cordella Nicholson, Shields; Mrs. Galie Dees, Shields, and Mrs. Eugene Crye, Coleman.

Mr. Nicholson is the grandfather of twenty-one children and is proud of his twenty-two great-grandchildren, majority of whom he saw for the first time on his recent visit to Dallas and Vickers. Mr. Nicholson has a host of friends throughout the state, and would appreciate a card or letter from old and new acquaintances addressed to him at Shields, Texas.

LOCALS

Miss Ruth Niell is spending this week with Miss Beulah Tisdale at Whon.

Howard Welch of Fort Worth came Saturday night for a visit with his sister, Mrs. C. W. Tierney.

Roy McFarland of Brady was a Santa Anna visitor Monday.

Carl Flores left Monday for Tyler where he enrolled as a student in Tyler Commercial College.

J. W. Lewis, Edward Tisdale, and Carl Flores spent Sunday in the CCC Camp at Dublin, and visited Arthur Lewis.

Mrs. Bob Johnson and son Jack of Rockwood were Santa Anna visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Laws of Cross Plains spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Robin.

Miss May Blue left Sunday for the Dallas market to purchase fall merchandise for her store. She returned Wednesday.

Mrs. C. G. Erwin and daughter Charline of Anson spent Sunday visiting in Santa Anna.

J. E. Cathy reports killing a large rattlesnake at his home in the south part of town last Sunday night. Several others have also reported killing rattlers in the community.

Judge John H. Sharp, candidate for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Texas, was a pleasant visitor here last week in the interest of his campaign.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Grantham and son of Howard are visiting relatives here.

Misses Annie Stiles and Mildred Stewardson, and Mrs. Era McClellan left Tuesday for a visit with relatives and friends in Austin, Temple, and Salado.

Misses Florence, Elsie Lee, and Ruby Harper, and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Collins left Wednesday for Eldorado where they are visiting on the S. D. Harper ranch.

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Good Taste Today

By EMILY POST
Author of "Etiquette," "The Blue Book of Social Usage," etc.

MISCELLANEOUS

DEAR Mrs. Post: My young son gesticulates with his knife and fork at table. This habit upsets me terribly but I can't seem to break him of it. Can you suggest any way?

Answer: Would he mind if he saw you do it? If he would, you might copy him—especially if a friend of his is present. If he does not care, then you will either have to deprive him of some small privileges or (and in my opinion better) let him earn a privilege or an award by marks of excellence; 100 meals without doing it once, for instance, would earn something he wants.

My dear Mrs. Post: Ars cards removed from funeral flowers before the flowers are arranged? Or are the names simply written down for a record to use in writing thank you notes?

Answer: They are taken off and a description of the flowers written on the back of each card, for future thanks.

Dear Mrs. Post: I have a new daughter just three days old. My husband was killed two months ago. Under these tragic circumstances shall I announce my baby's birth by sending out cards as we would have done, or do I simply do nothing about it at all? If any announcements were sent to the newspaper, how would it be worded?

Answer: Sending announcements of a child's birth is entirely a matter of personal inclination. In your case it would be best to telephone or write to your intimate friends; they in turn tell others. I mean, of course, that a member of your family will do this for you. To send a baby card tied to your own lack bordered one would emphasize the tragedy very painfully. I wouldn't do it if I were you. The announcement in the newspaper would read: "Daughter of Mrs. John Jones and the late Mr. Jones."

Dear Mrs. Post: When my husband and I happen to be in the room, should we shake hands when a boy friend of my younger sister leaves after having spent the evening in our house? This sister lives with us.

Answer: If your sister's friend is a regular visitor, you would probably look up and, without paying particular attention, say, "Good night, Tom!" If he is a stranger, or some one who does not come to the house often, your natural impulse would be to shake hands with him when he leaves.

Good Taste Today

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DINNER GIVING

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Answer: The items of a properly equipped dinner table include:

1. A tablecloth, or place mats, or whatever is to be the foundation of the setting.
2. A centerpiece, of fruit or flowers, or an ornament complete in itself.
3. A place plate (often called a service plate) marking the center of each place set for each person at table.
4. Flat silver: whichever implements are necessary for the courses to be served, but three forks, three knives and soup spoons, and either fruit spoon or oyster fork maximum amount.
5. Never less than four candlesticks or two candelabra. Two candles are absurdly out of proportion to any table bigger than a card table. (No candles in daylight.)
6. Two dishes of sweets on a rectory table, four dishes on a round or square table.
7. Glasses for whatever you serve. (Never put on glasses or pieces of flat silver, which are not to be used.)
8. Salt cellars and pepper pots between every two places.
9. A napkin on each place plate.

At a family dinner, bread and butter plates are allowed. But never at a half formal dinner party. Convention: I place cards are not very suitable for dinners of less than eight. On the other hand, if you like fancy place cards or favors, there is certainly no reason why you should not set your own table with what you like—especially at Christmas or Thanksgiving, or at a birthday party, or a wedding anniversary, or other intimate dinners. On more formal occasions, plain place cards are best.

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MEETING CALLED TO DISCUSS CATTLE BUYING

Just before going to press, county agent C. V. Robinson called from Coleman and requested us to announce that a meeting is called at the Court House in Coleman for 2 p. m. Saturday, August 18th to discuss the buying of Government Relief cattle, and to appoint committees in each precinct in the county to hasten the work. All interested are urged to attend.

Buy It in Santa Anna.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Coleman

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that an ELECTION will be held in the City of Santa Anna, in Coleman County, Texas, on the 28th day of August, at the City Hall, in Santa Anna, Texas, to determine whether or not a majority of the legally qualified property taxing voters of said city of Santa Anna, Texas, desire the issuance of the General Revenue Bonds of said city; said bonds to be secured by a pledge of the net revenues of the waterworks system of said City of Santa Anna, Texas, as extended, together with a first mortgage on the physical properties constructed with the proceeds of the sale of said bonds; said bonds being in the total amount of \$17,964.00 and being payable \$1041.91 each year for the years 1934 to 1962, inclusive, and a final payment of \$370.65, for the year 1963, said bonds bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum, interest payable annually on September 1, of each year.

A. R. Brown has been appointed Presiding officer for said Election and he shall select 2 judges and 2 clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall, within five days after said election has been held, make due return thereof to the City Commissioners of the City of Santa Anna, Texas, as is required by law.

JOHN O. HARRIS

Earnestly Seeks the Office of
County Judge

He is trustworthy and capable and believes in a square deal for all.

Vote For Him

W. E. BAXTER,
Mayor, City of Santa Anna, Tex.

Final Democratic Primary August 24, 1934

The following will be on the Democratic ticket in the run-off primary election August 24th:

For Governor:
James V. Allred
Tom F. Hunter
Lieutenant Governor:
Walter Woodul
Joe Moore

Attorney General:
Walter C. Woodward
William McCraw

For Congress, 21st District:
Charles L. South
Carl Runge

For Representative, 125th Dist.
J. W. Golsen
Courtney Gray

Dist. Attorney, 35th Jud. Dist.
A. O. Newman
J. C. Darroch

Dist. Attorney, 119th Jud. Dist.
Eugene F. Mathis
W. A. Stroman

County Judge:
John O. Harris
J. H. Kellett

County Treasurer:
Mrs. E. K. Thomson
Hunter Woodruff
Constable, Precinct No. 7:
Mace Blanton
E. A. Harris

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and County and who are resident property taxpayers in said City of Santa Anna shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue said bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF THE GENERAL REVENUE BONDS" and those opposed to the proposition to issue said bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words: "AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF THE GENERAL REVENUE BONDS"

Said election was ordered by the City Commission of the City of Santa Anna by order made on the 23rd day of July, A. D. 1934, and this notice is given in pursuance of said order.

W. E. BAXTER,
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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Box and son Frances of Ames and John Dockery of Killeen visited here Tuesday afternoon. They were accompanied to Gatesville by Mr. P. W. Jones, who had visited in the home of his son, J. B. Jones and his daughter, Mrs. G. E. Wilson.

Miss Peggy Brown returned Monday from Artesia, N. M. where she had been visiting her parents while on her vacation.

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August 17, 1934

The Santa Anna News WANTED ADS

WALKER INDEPENDENT OIL CO. Large Contracts and tank car shipments enable us to sell high grade Motor and Tractor oils at about one half the usual price charged when shipped in drums.

COLEMAN Block east of Court House

MARTHA (For Cleaning Purposes Only) W. C. FORD & CO.

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Good milk cow, fresh in, John West, Home Creek Farm.

FOR SALE OR TRADE: 2 cultivators, 1 planter, 2 work mares, wagon and harness, 2 cows and calves, valued at \$225. R. Harris.

FIGS FOR SALE OR TRADE, Joe C. Barnes, Whon, Texas.

FOUND: Lady's purse. Contains no money, but other articles. Owner may have same by paying 25c for this ad.

Just one more week from Saturday, and the big political campaign comes to a close. The final or closing days of the campaign are drifting into somewhat of a mud-slinging campaign, and usually when it comes to slinging mud, the biggest fabricator and strongest mud-slinger wins.

Mrs. I. Williamson and little son Bill are visiting and looking after business in Bartlett this week. They will visit in the J. D. Bell home while in Bartlett.

Good Package Coffee COFFEE Bright and Early COFFEE TEXAS LARGEST SELLER

Methodist Church

The series of special revival services came to a close last Sunday night. The messages delivered by Rev. W. H. Vanderpool were heart-searching and soul-stirring. Many responded to the appeal to a higher life.

Candidates for membership in the Church will be received next Sunday, the children at the beginning of the morning service and adults at the close. The subject for the sermon at the morning hour is "Beautiful Garments." At the evening hour, 8 o'clock, the subject will be "The General Rules of the Church."

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting next Wednesday evening at 8:15.

G. A. MORGAN, Pastor.

PREPARE CHILDREN FOR SCHOOL BY VACCINATION

Austin, Texas, August 16, 1934. The schools throughout Texas will soon be opening for another term and the Texas State Department of Health urges the parents of school children to see that they are protected against disease in so far as possible. Vaccination against typhoid, diphtheria, and smallpox should be done at once.

School children are exposed to much infection so that where a definite preventative is known parents should take advantage of it. These vaccinations may save days out of school doctor fees, and maybe life itself. More than six hundred children die each year in Texas from diphtheria.

The child should be taken to his family physician at this time for a physical examination to determine if he has any remedial defects. A child with sub-normal eyesight or hearing cannot be expected to do as well in his studies as one that has normal sight and hearing. A dentist should be consulted in regard to the teeth. Any defect found and corrected before school opens will mean much to the child and will have its effect on his school work as well as his physical well being.

Some physical defects of children, such as underweight or malnourishment, show no appreciable present effect. If such a condition is not corrected it may result seriously in later years. No hard and fast rules as to a child's weight at a certain age are available, but parents should see whether or not the child shows some gain each month.

A card from C. B. Rendleman, mailed in Houston, Texas, states he and Mrs. Rendleman are having a good time in Houston, but plan to leave for home soon. Thanks for a renewed invitation to visit in the Rendleman home in Little Rock, Arkansas, when they return home from their vacation.

Mrs. Bertie Bennett and son Paul of Houston visited in J. H. Brannan home last week.

Good Taste Today

By EMILY POST

CONCERNING THE YOUNG

DEAR Mrs. Post: Should a young girl of fifteen pay a party call after dining with strangers, although the hostess' daughter is a schoolmate of hers? And should she leave a visiting card? After such an invitation is there anything a girl of this age can possibly do to return the invitation?

Answer: It would be polite to go to see them, yes. Whether to leave a card or not depends upon the custom of your community. If all young girls have cards, then yes. Otherwise, always best to do as others of your neighborhood do.

My Dear Mrs. Post: I am going to college this fall and would like to know now what is expected of a boy when he invites a girl from out of town to any of the house-parties or dances at school. What share of her expenses is expected from him?

Answer: He should meet her at the station and take her to wherever she is to stay; send her a few flowers, perhaps, to wear at the dance; and he should make what ever agreeable engagements for her that he can. But he does not pay her railroad or her hotel bill—nor that of her chaperone.

Dear Mrs. Post: I am a divorcee. How should my daughter introduce her father's wife to strangers? She stays with them sometimes because both have agreed that she should not be deprived of either her mother or father.

Answer: As her "stepmother."

My dear Mrs. Post: When two boys and a girl (or perhaps two girls and a boy is more usual) walk or go to the movies together, or ride in a car, should the odd person sit between the other two, or is there some other way to better taste?

Answer: When they walk, the girls together, the boy on the curb side of the pavement. In a car or at the movies the boy sits next to the girl whose special friend he is. If he knows both equally well then he sits wherever there is space—next to one or the other or he can perfectly well sit between them.

On the street a man is not supposed to be sandwiched, because he must walk on the curb side of the street. At present this rule is being recognized as rather senseless.

Civil Service Examinations

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examinations as follows: Junior biologist (injurious mammals), senior biological aide (injurious mammals), assistant leader (predatory animal control), \$2,000 a year, Bureau of Biological Survey, Department of Agriculture. Specified education, or education and experience, required. Closing date, September 4, 1934.

Chief economist, \$5,000 a year, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor. Acceptable education and experience in labor economics required. Closing date, August 23, 1934.

The salaries named are subject to a deduction of not to exceed 5 percent during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, as a measure of economy, and also to a deduction of 3 1-2 percent toward a retirement annuity.

All states except Iowa, Vermont, Virginia, Maryland, and the District of Columbia have received less than their quota of appointments in the appointment departmental service in Washington, D. C.

Full information may be obtained from the Secretary of the United States Civil Service Board of Examiners at the post office in any city which has a post office of the first or second class, or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Mrs. G. A. Shockley returned Wednesday from the Dallas market where she purchased her new fall merchandise.

Mrs. John Johnson and son, Simms returned Friday from Port Arthur.

Mrs. Sam Forehand and Miss Kate Harris visited in Brownwood Tuesday.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Fifty-nine persons gathered at the Colorado River Sunday to celebrate the birthdays of Mr. E. F. Cundiff of Meirose, New Mexico and Mrs. George Rutherford of Rockwood. Swimming and conversations were the main pleasure of the day other than eating.

The following reported a most enjoyable day: Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Cundiff and daughter Otella of Meirose, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. Brinson and family of Bangs, Mrs. L. F. Cundiff, Mrs. Etta Cooper and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blain, Mr. and Mrs. Lee McMillon and Dean Ward of Alice, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rutherford and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttrey, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Richardson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith and children, Jim Steward, Miss Pebble Steward, Jim and Fannie Mae Rutherford and Harold Steward of Rockwood, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Richardson and grand-daughter Mrs. Annie Richardson of Santa Anna, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford and son of Whon.

They were joined in the afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Richardson and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Fox Johnson, and Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Gardner and family of Rockwood, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McMillon and family of Gouldbusk, and Mrs. Tom Cooper and family and Mrs. Freeman of Whon.

SEE THE BEAUTIFUL BICYCLE ON DISPLAY AT THE CORNER DRUG CO.

TABERNACLE REVIVAL

Young Rev. Massage of Coleman, assisted by the local force-out in the Line and Liveoak communities, are in the midst of a tabernacle revival this week. The tabernacle was built in Howard Kingsbery's pasture, west of the Kingsbery home. It is lighted by Delco lights, and is an ideal place for a summer revival. The young minister is preaching some splendid sermons, and the services are well worth attending.

Services are held morning and evening.

Vote for Lon A. Smith for Railroad Commissioner. Led his opponent in first Primary over 40,000 votes.

"HALF-PRICE PERMANENTS"

Ten Days Special on \$3.50 Duart Waves for \$1.50. Shampoo included. MABEL CAMPBELL

Drink Water With Men's GOOD FOR STOMACH Water with meals helps stomach juices, aids digestion. If bloated with gas add a spoonful of Adlerika. One dose cleans out poisons and washes BOTH upper and lower bowels. PHILLIPS DRUG CO.

Drink ADMIRATION Coffee because IT TASTES BETTER



"HELLO, DADDY" How're you? I'm just fine! Mamma says can you bring her pork chops when you come home from work? Who showed me how to use our new telephone? It's easy daddy. I just tell the "Number please" girl what your number is and she finds you for me. Please to use the telephone."

Strong men are made by opposition; like kites they go up against the wind—Southwestern Ambassador.

THE RED & WHITE STORES

BREAKFAST FOODS

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, AUGUST 17 AND 18, 1934

- Fresh Fruits - Vegetables GRAPES California Fancy Tokays, 2 lbs. 25c LEMONS Red Ball, Full of Juice, medium, dozen 21c SPUDS Smooth White 10 lbs. 25c CHERRIES R. S. F., Fine for Pies or Preserves, No. 10 can 54c Grape Nut Flakes Reg. Pkg. 2 21c BEANS Small Navies, Quick Cooking, 5 lbs. 29c BEANS Kumer's Cut, Stringless No. 2 Cans, 2 for 25c OATS B & W, with Beautiful Dinner Plate, large pkg. 25c TEA R & W, Fancy Orange Pekoe, 1-4 lb. pkg. 19c CORN FLAKES R & W, Fresh Large 2 for 21c MILK R & W, "It Whips" 6 Small Cans 19c MUSTARD Atlas Brand Quart Jar 14c SOAP White Laundry, "R & W," Regular Bar 25c MACARONI Yankee Doodle Brand, Pkg. 5c

- SYRUP Dixie Best Pure Ribbon Cane, No. 10 Can 63c SALT B & W, 24 oz. pkg. Table Quality, 3 for 10c CERTO For Making Jelly 8 oz. bottle 29c SPINACH Crystal City, A Texas Product, No. 2 can 9c TOMATOES Good Quality, Standard, No. 2 can 9c Coconut Bakers Yellow Label Moist, 1-4 lb. can 13c PEACHES Calif. Choice, Evaporated, 2 lbs. 25c

Your Red & White Stores for Cans, Fruit Jars and Fruit Jar Accessories

MARKET SPECIALS BACON Armour's Dexter, Sugar Cured, Sliced, lb. 23c Franks PER POUND 14c BACON Armour's Best, Smoked Sugar Cured, lb. 19c Steak Fancy Seven, lb. 10c ROAST Fancy Chuck per lb. 10c

"No other electric refrigerator has the Super Freezer... that's why Ours is a Frigidaire '34" Frigidaire's Super Freezer is superior to the freezing unit of other refrigerators because of a combination of three major features. It has automatic ice tray release... the trays slide out of the freezer at a finger touch! It turns itself on—automatically—when defrosting is completed! And, the freezer is centrally located... a feature which not only provides room on both sides of the freezing unit for tall bottles, but which helps account for the fact that the entire food compartment of the Frigidaire '34 has a uniformly cold temperature! The Frigidaire '34 has many additional, fine features too. There are models with adjustable shelves; Lifetime Porcelain inside and out; the Frigidaire Servashelf and—come in and see for yourself! There's a model for every size of family and purse. HERE IS A FRIGIDAIRE THAT USES LESS CURRENT THAN ONE ORDINARY LAMP BULB—LESS THAN ANY OTHER MAKE OF REFRIGERATOR. West Texas Utilities Company

WANTED! RADIATOR WORK RADIATOR REPAIRING—CLEANING AND REBUILDING FREE BLOWOUT WITH EVERY RADIATOR REPAIRED We are Experienced and Equipped to give you a real job at a low price REBUILT RADIATORS FOR EXCHANGE Fords, Chevrolets and Others If you have a radiator that leaks or heats, see us or have your garage man to send it to us and save your motor. WE WELD ANYTHING BOB LEAVELL RADIATOR AND WELDING SHOP COLEMAN, TEXAS

Farm for Sale 99 acre farm, 85 in cultivation, 14 acres in grass, well improved clear of incumbrance, 4 miles Northwest of Santa Anna. See— L. F. HARDING or Mrs S. Ferrell 3143c

Buffalo News

Miss Aurelia Tweedle spent the greater part of the past week visiting Miss Evelyn Evans of Longview. Miss Jeanne Peyton spent Sunday and Sunday night in the D. F. Tweedle home. The death angel has visited in our community and has made many hearts sad. First, by taking our well known friend and loved one, Mr. G. E. Conklin. Mr. Conklin died Wednesday night in a Brownwood hospital following a serious operation. The funeral service and burial rites were held at Mukewater. The second victim to God's death messenger was Mr. E. D. Stephens. Mr. Stephens funeral service was held at Leaday where his permanent home was. The Buffalo School Campus boasts a store now. Mr. Davenport is to be the proprietor of the recently erected store. Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Tweedle and daughter and Miss Jeanne Peyton were business visitors in Coleman Saturday. A new school bus has been purchased by the Buffalo trustees for the purpose of transporting children to and from school. The Methodist pastor at Salem is planning to teach a three weeks singing school at Bings beginning August 13. We hope that many from our community shall be able to attend. The Singing Class begins at 1:30 in the afternoon. One of the best teachers in the South is conducting the school with the aid of the well known bass singer, Merle Brooks. Mr. Normie Chisty has returned home from Hobbs, New Mexico. Mr. Ivan Conklin returned to his home in Oklahoma after a visit with his mother, Mrs. G. E. Conklin.

Whon News

The Baptist revival meeting is being conducted by Rev. Edwin Wilson, pastor of the Lometa church and recent Whon pastor. Rev. Dero Brown of Brownwood is the song leader. The low level of the Colorado river is ample proof of the severity of the drought in this and the counties west of us. The river stopped running last week for the first time, if our memory is accurate, since 1913. Hungry livestock of this section are to be disappointed this year by the failure of one of the most reliable sources of drouth relief. The mesquite beans, which seldom fail to produce a bumper crop during the driest summers, seem to be almost a total loss. Oscar (Senator Blankhead) Lovelady has been doing a rushing business the past several days and has about finished his task of helping the farmers of the community get their applications for exemption certificates signed. Terry Floyd carried the first bale of cotton to Santa Anna last week, selling to Watkins for seventeen cents a pound. Mr. Floyd has since got out a couple more bales, and several others in the community are picking. Mrs. Gordon Lanford of Hebbronville and her two children, Carl and Wanda Lee, are visiting relatives in the community. NOTICE OF MEETING TO ADOPT A BUDGET FOR SANTA ANNA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT. In accordance with House Bill No. 768 there will be held in the Santa Anna High School building at 8:00 p. m. Monday, August 27, 1934 meeting of the Board of Trustees for the purpose of adopting a budget for all expenditures for the fiscal year 1934-35. Any tax-payers of the district may be present and participate in the hearing. Five days notice is hereby given. J. FRANK TURNER, President

J. H. KELLETT for COUNTY JUDGE

Earnestly Requests Your Vote on August 25 10 years teaching experience in Coleman County. 4 years County School Superintendent. Student at law for past 6 years. Application now on file for Bar Examination. World War veteran with 6 1/2 months in France. 40 years of age. Promises honest, faithful, and efficient service if elected.

Hospital Notes

Mrs. H. K. Dillard of Santa Anna is a surgical patient. Mrs. Alyne Price of Coleman was a patient last week. Miss Irene Stiles of Santa Anna was a surgical patient last week. Mr. W. H. Ford of Mercury was a surgical patient last week. Miss Velma Gotcher of May was a surgical patient last week. Mr. J. G. Shelton of Coleman is a patient in the hospital. Mr. Herman Thate of Burkett was a medical patient last week. Mr. Horace C. Slate of Flisk is a surgical patient. Miss Doris Strackbein of Cross Plains was a surgical patient last week. Mr. David Cooper Jr. of Los Angeles, California was a medical patient last week. Mr. W. M. Key of Burkett is a medical patient. Mrs. W. F. Mittel of Glen Cove is a patient in the hospital. Mrs. L. V. Hughes of Rising Star is a patient in the hospital. Master J. C. Merryman of Cross Plains was a medical patient first of this week. Mr. Frank Golsen of Burkett was a medical patient first of this week. Mrs. Gus Gafford of Cross Cut was a medical patient first of this week. Mr. S. M. Robinet of Santa Anna was a medical patient first of this week. Mr. W. D. Jones of Concho is a patient in the hospital. Mary Elizabeth Phillips of Coleman was a surgical patient first of this week. Miss Dorothy Hull of Santa Anna was a surgical patient first of this week. Mrs. L. V. Sheffield of Doole is a surgical patient. Mrs. O. L. Hinds of Winters is a surgical patient. L. G. Jones of Santa Anna was a surgical patient first of this week. Mrs. J. R. Scott of Burkett is a patient in the hospital. Mr. Dennis Neel of Winters is a surgical patient. Alvin Watson Kemper of Cross Plains is a surgical patient. Mrs. M. W. Pritchard of Santa Anna is a patient in the hospital.

VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE CLASSES TO BE LARGE

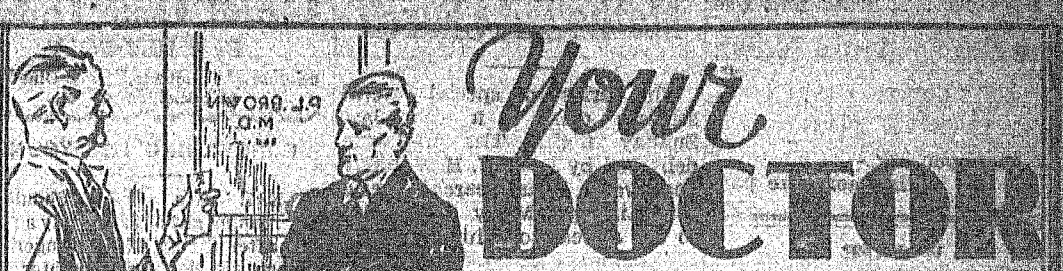
Fifty-five future farmers have said that they would enroll in the Vocational Agriculture classes of Santa Anna High School when school opens in September. It is expected that at least 15 more will enroll when the new term begins, making a total of about 70 future farmers studying vocational agriculture. This will be the largest enrollment in agriculture department since the department was established more than a decade ago. There has been an increasing interest in the course during the past few years due to the fact that more and more farm boys are coming into the school each year and that they feel the need of more knowledge and skill in carrying on the farming program. In a few years some of the boys, who are trained in leadership while taking the vocational agriculture course, will be the farm leaders of this community. Vote for Lon A. Smith for Railroad Commissioner. Led his opponent in first Primary over 40,000 votes. Mrs. A. R. Eckart and Miss Ruby Brannan and Frank Brannan of Dallas, Mrs. Pearl Marshall and two sons, Junior and Jim Bob of Winters, and J. Y. Brannan of Rockwood spent the week end with their father, J. H. Brannan of this city. Mrs. Brannan is visiting a sick sister at Minerva, Texas. Mrs. W. L. Phillips is visiting in San Angelo this week.

Pioneers Could Not Visualize Texas of Today 98 Years Ago

Corstcona, Texas, August 14—Although he had a vision of an empire in Texas, Stephen F. Austin, the great colonizer, could not mirror the Texas that is today. Although his compatriots of the same era of the early 1830's, Green DeWitt, Edwards, and others predicted great things for the undeveloped empire they were founding, they could not foresee the mighty commonwealth of a century later. With dozed perseverance Stephen F. Austin, "Father of Texas," stood by his purpose, including time in prisons, long sojourns among a strange people in a strange country distinguished service in civil life, finally to fall a victim of pneumonia just a short time after he had been made Secretary of State in the Texas Republic by Sam Houston. For three days he had labored in the quaint capitol building at Columbia on the Brazos River. The weather was cold, there was no heat and the fatal disease took hold. His last act was for Texas. His last hours were spent in framing documents for presentation to the United States government which eventually was to result in the annexation of the Republic of Texas. He lay in State at the capitol for two days and was buried on the estate of a sister near Velasco. It is a far cry from the Texas of the days of Stephen F. Austin and the Texas of today. It is this century of progress that the State will celebrate with its great Centennial exposition in 1936. That century of advancement is one of the outstanding events of all history. Then schools were few, the buildings were of log. The children tracked an unmarked wilderness in some cases for miles to reach the little building where one teacher for a period of three and four months taught the rudiments of an education to a mixed assembly of children and grades. Then most of the settlers were along the rivers, because there was no method of transportation save by water, ox wagon or on foot. Then no oil fields, no gas fields, no coal mines, no mighty manufacturing plants dotted the landscape over the broad expanse of the State. One of Austin's colonists, in a letter which has been preserved, even writes that a Bible could not be found in the settlement. From the oppression of a despotic government the colonists rebelled. They were commanded by the former Governor of Tennessee, the bosom friend of Andrew Jackson, General Sam Houston. On the field of San Jacinto the few hundreds of men under General Houston won the sixteenth decisive battle of world history, this on April 21, of 1836. But prior to that on March 2 at old Washington-on-the-Brazos a band of Texans had solemnly declared that State to be a free and independent Republic. They realized in the making of that Declaration they were inviting and most certainly would endure a sanguinary conflict with the enemy. In the conflict intervening bloody battles were fought. As a result Texas has its sacred shrine of the Alamo. It has its Lexington-Gonzales. It has its Goliad. It has its ancient mission and fortress of Reaugh. It has the thrilling events centering around Nacogdoches. Texans of today have a century of romance, a century marked by valient deeds of men and women, a century registering the most phenomenal progress ever recorded by a people to celebrate in 1936. It is in the commemoration of this past, which shall be the outstanding feature of the celebration, that Texas will hold its Centennial of 1936. While it is paying due and proper homage to the founders of our present civilization, it shall also, in this Centennial, accurately portray the progress of the century along material, spiritual, cultural, educational, social and business lines. By contrast will be shown the few rude implements of civilization available in 1836 and how heroic has been the struggle to build from that beginning into the present proud empire State. Vote for Lon A. Smith for Railroad Commissioner. Led his opponent in first Primary over 40,000 votes. Dennis Kelley and Grady Adams left Saturday night for Rockport where they plan to fish for the next few days.

Charles L. South For Congress

In the selection of a Congressional District August 25, Brown County voters must choose between two candidates, Charles L. South of Coleman and Carl Runge of Mason. Both men possess certain qualifications which recommend them to the voters. Judge South from our neighboring city of Coleman, has served for the past two terms as District Attorney of this district, and is well known to Brown County voters; Judge Runge is from the hill county of Mason, and was a stranger here until his ambition to serve the district in Congress brought him into this county in quest of votes. Since West Texas first was settled by sturdy pioneers, Brownwood and Coleman have worked hand in hand for the advancement of this section. Our interests have been common interests, our problems have been of the same nature, and together we have worked to solve them to the best of our ability. When Coleman county was created in 1858, Brown county gave of its people and its territory to form the new county, and the imaginary line which was drawn midway between Brownwood and Coleman never has been a barrier between the people of the two counties. As we view the matter, there could be no conflict of interests between the people of the two counties, or between the cities of Brownwood and Coleman. Agriculturally, we are as one—always have been and always will be. Problems which today confront the farmers and business men of one county are the same as to be found in the other. Quite naturally, we would prefer to have as representative in the new Congressional district a resident of Brown county, should one have offered with training and ability, and with broad enough vision to serve the large district. None having offered, and a candidate being in the field well qualified in every way to give able representation to all sections of the district, it is just as natural that we favor the election of our friend and neighbor, Judge Charles L. South of Coleman. There are many things about the candidacy of Judge South that recommend him to the voters. He is a man of the people, understanding their thoughts, their problems. He went into this campaign without the background of wealth or aristocracy. His necessarily is an economical campaign. Unaided by wealthy supporters, expensive advertising or militant groups and organizations, he took his fight almost single handed to the people and won their endorsement to the extent that he emerged from the first primary with nearly one-third of the votes of the entire district. Judge South knows the people of Brown county, and Brown county knows him and his abilities. He has steadily advanced in public service and usefulness. To say that he will not serve the entire congressional district with ability and credit to those who place confidence in him is not to know the man. His experience as district attorney is the best guarantee that he will adapt himself to the needs of the entire district as Congressman. Without particular training as a prosecuting attorney, Judge South went into office four years ago and by studious application to the duties of the office has served the district well. This same studious nature will be applied to the problems of the Congressional district. That his service has been appreciated by the people he served is indicated in the tremendous vote he received in the three counties in which he has been working. Brown county people are not unappreciative of the Coleman county man. In the July primary, this county gave Judge South the largest vote received by any of the four candidates in any county in the congressional district. He received here more than twice the vote of his three opponents combined, and more than two-thirds of the total vote cast. Few candidates have ever received more favorable consideration at the hands of Brown county voters. Judge South deserved, and no doubt appreciated, the splendid vote he received in this county. We feel that the total vote he received should be increased in



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Liberty News

There was a good attendance at Sunday School Sunday. Every one is invited to attend. Mrs. S. G. Caton was the guest of Mrs. Carter Duggins Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Walker Stovall visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Early Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Scott visited Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Penny Thursday evening. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wright were Mrs. L. V. Cathren of Leuders, Mr. Bob Knox of Burkburnett, and Mr. Sid Knox of Whon. Mr. Weldon Priest and Mrs. Oleta Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stovall Sunday evening. Guests of the E. W. Polk family during the last week-end were Mrs. E. M. Polk and son James K., Mrs. Ola Phillips, Mr. Bob Armstrong, and Mr. Estus

Polk all of Abilene, Mrs. D. D. Burris and sons Charlie and Norwood of Beville, and Misses Eunice McGahey and Pauline Williamson of Santa Anna. Mr. and Mrs. E. Moren of Salem visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moren Saturday. Quite a number of Liberty folks attended the funeral of Mr. Gordon Conklin at Mukewater Thursday. Mr. J. D. Howard and Mrs. Vernon Penny visited Mrs. Leo Scott Monday. Mrs. Frank Short of Mission is visiting in the W. R. McMinn home. Mrs. E. L. Woodward is visiting this week in the home of her children, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Woodward and family of Lamesa and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Morrow of Stanford. Mr. W. L. Day and Miss Ida Mae Day accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Alcorn of Talpa to Tyler this week where they are visiting relatives.

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