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"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

LET 'EM BACK —CLOSE THE DOOR

Why have we so many immigrants in this country? Here is one of the reasons.

Americans, in the great majority, go to foreign countries to spend the money they make here. AND THEY SPEND IT.

Europeans come here TO MAKE MONEY, and they make it and keep it, and eventually much of it goes back to the old countries.

Much gold flowing out, very little coming in.

For years and years a certain class of foreigners who have been unable to make a success in their own countries have flocked into this country in search of work for less than our own people. Every job thus secured puts an American out of work, deprives him of the ability to support his family, makes him a charge upon the community in which he lives.

Allowing foreigners to come to our land was all right as long as there was work for them without discriminating against our own citizens. It is all wrong when there is not enough work to keep our own people busy.

And still they come.

It is true that in recent years our immigration laws have been somewhat restricted, but the tide is still flowing strong. It should cease completely.

We should not for a moment raise a hand against any honest foreigner who has come to us in the past and has taken out citizenship papers. Let them remain and prosper to the extent of their ability. We are all foreigners originally.

But the hordes who are here now and have not become citizens, or made the initial application, might well be sent back to the lands from whence they came.

And close the immigration doors so tight they cannot be opened again without the approval of the American people.

We do not believe in feeding aliens while American citizens starve.

PROHIBITION RALLY

There will be a County-wide Prohibition Rally at First Baptist Church, Coleman, Texas Sunday, January 22, at 3 p. m. Dr. J. W. Hunt, President McMurray College, Abilene, will be the principal speaker. This is a mass meeting for the purpose of organizing the county, and all friends of prohibition are invited to attend. Tell those you meet about it and watch this paper next week for a more complete announcement.

—Contributed

FARMERS SCORE HEAVILY IN FOOD SAVING CONTEST

Graham—Total farm raised food averaged more than \$550 per family in 80 of the 87 Young county farm families recently completing a "Farm Food Saving Contest" conducted by county farm and home demonstration agents in cooperation with local civic organizations. The average value of the pantries full of home grown food was \$217.21 and the meat, dairy, poultry and other products brought the grand total well above the \$550 goal set.

The score card for the contest as worked out by the Young County Board of Agriculture called for two milk cows, two meat hogs, 60 or more hens; enough pasture, grain and roughage for the stock; at least 1-4 acre garden with not less than 18 varieties; a home orchard of at least 8 peach and 4 plum trees, 4 grape and 24 berry vines; 100 containers of meat; 300 containers of vegetables, including 120 leafy, 100 starchy and 80 succulent; 275 containers of fruit; and a yard with permanent walks, sodded lawn, shrubbery screens, foundation plantings about the house, and a rose garden.

W. C. T. U. MEETING A SUCCESS

The All-Day Meeting of the W. C. T. U. which took place at the Methodist Church Wednesday of last week was a decided success in every way.

Despite much sickness there was a good attendance and a most excellent program was carried out in full, with Mrs. Seth Risinger in charge. Rev. P. F. Squyres, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Coleman, and Rev. Hal C. Wingo gave very excellent addresses. Rev. Wingo had just returned from the Dry Conference at Dallas. Mrs. Paul Van Dalsem, Mrs. Urban Voss and Miss Dorothy Baxter gave interesting readings. Jesse Lee Sparkman gave his fine oration on Prohibition, and Mrs. Nettie Mitchell, Mrs. Arch Hunter, and Jesse Goen rendered special musical numbers. The lunch at noon, with Mrs. Haynie Voss as chairman, was more than ample and was very much enjoyed.

Several new members were acquired. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, February 1st, at the home of Mrs. Wallace Klpatrick.

Wallace Harlee was a Co...an visitor Friday.

Id Rat kills ra's and mice only. They go outside to die. Phillips Drug Co.

TEXAS LEGISLATORS NOW IN SESSION

Many Baffling Problems Coming Up

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 9.—The legislature regular session will be called upon to consider many proposals for taxation reforms. It is pointed out in a review of fiscal affairs of Texas and its various political sub-divisions, published in a recent issue of the Semi-Weekly Bond Buyers Bulletin of the University of Texas.

"In keeping with the trend of the times, the State of Texas will enter upon a new era in various matters relating to taxation generally not only of the State, but of its several political sub-divisions, during this new year," the Bulletin says. "The prolonged agitation and complaints against burdensome taxes may resolve themselves into the adoption of revolutionary changes. Whether these changes will, in all respects, make for the ultimate progress and up-building of Texas is something for the future to determine. To carry into effect the theory that all taxation must be just and uniform will invite controversies in the legislature between the various interests to be affected. At this time it would seem that the sentiment is almost overwhelmingly in favor of shifting the burden from the old-established ad valorem basis to possible new sources. In the probable action by the legislature of entering new fields for public income, the corporation interests will likely have their contributions to the support of the State government largely increased. This increase may take different forms. The gross receipts tax system may be applied to some kinds of corporations that heretofore have not been affected. There is apparently a growing sentiment in favor of a State selective sales tax. A great many new tax proposals, some of them of an impractical nature, have been suggested for legislative action. The problem before the legislature is to give the most careful consideration to all the plans for taxation changes and adoption of new methods for bringing money to balance the budget and to obtain results that will be equitable to all who receive the benefits of the State government economically conducted.

"Several State organizations are devoting their best efforts toward bringing about tax reforms and retrenchments in governmental expenditures. The land and realty owner is receiving special attention in these plans with the view that he may be relieved, in part at least, of ad valorem taxes. An important step in this direction has already been taken by the recent adoption of an amendment to the constitution exempting from State ad valorem tax that part of all homesteads to \$3,000 of assessed valuation. It has been estimated that this exemption will reduce the income of the State more than \$7,000,000 annually. Some estimates run as high as \$12,000,000.

"In line with the State's policy of retrenchment in public expenditures, practically all the counties, cities and towns have made the most drastic cut-backs of their budgets for the new fiscal year in all their history. These have been brought about through reductions of tax rates, the lowering of assessed property valuations, the cutting of salaries of public officials and employees, and the general expressed disposition to place these political units on a pay-as-you-go basis. Receiverships of municipalities due to failure to meet bond interest and maturities are remarkably few. In lowering the tax rates, the authorities, in each instance, have had in view the respective bond requirements.

Involved in this general movement for a reduction of the costs of government is the proposal for consolidations of counties and cities, in some cases, of the abolition of many counties and the creating of much larger political divisions of this kind, also the consolidation of abolition of a large number of existing State bureaus and commissions."

Miss Pauline Waller of Mercury is visiting her aunt, Mrs. B. R. Risinger.

Frank Crum, R. P. Crum, and Lester Brown were Coleman visitors Thursday.

VEHICLES USED ON FARM EXEMPT FROM LICENSE

The Court of Civil Appeals at San Antonio has handed down an opinion that motor vehicles used exclusively for farm purposes are exempt from payment of registration or license fees. Vehicles listed as falling in the tax-free class are "farm tractors, farm trailers, farm semi-trailers and implements of husbandry operated upon highways."

The ruling will be of interest to a number of farmers in Coleman county who will be affected by the decision, provided it is final.

"Implements of husbandry," the court held, "is a broad term and must include every machine, tool, or implement used to advance farming interests and prosperity. Those implements were intended by the legislature to cover and include things not described as tractors, semi-trailers or tractors, and must necessarily be objects that could move along the highway. They would include wagons, trucks and other automotive vehicles.

"We conclude that the exemptions in the law were enacted for the purpose of lifting the burdens of taxation from the farmers, who are usually home builders and taxpayers, and of placing such burdens on those who use and wear out the roads and increase the taxation imposed on those who pay the taxes. Without the right to use the highways in all ways necessary to the development of agriculture, the already handicapped taxburdened farmers would have heavier burdens.

"The farmer is extended no extra privilege by the exemption, but it is merely an extension to him of rights earned by his essential services to the state, and the payment of taxes to aid in constructing and maintaining the roads of the state. The exemption was intended for the protection of farms and farmers, and must not be so construed as to defeat and destroy the beneficent purposes for which it was created."

FEWER CORPORATIONS APPLY FOR CHARTERS IN 1932

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 9.—A total of 1,344 new corporations applied for and received charters from the Secretary of State during the year 1932, according to compilations of the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research. However, this is the smallest annual total since 1924, the Bureau's report pointed out.

"Total authorized capital stock was \$38,503,000 a third less than that for the year 1931. Since, according to Texas law, authorized capital stock must be paid in within two years, the reason for this apparent caution becomes evident. This declining capitalization accounts for the increase in the number of firms with authorized capital stock of less than \$5,000 from 512 in 1931 to 626 in 1932. The number of firms with authorized capital stock of \$100,000 or more dropped from 113 in 1931 to only 68 in 1932.

"Of the firms receiving charters in 1931, 487 were organized to do business in some phase of merchandising, and 434 were engaged in the oil industry; 248 were manufacturing concerns, and 191 were firms operating real estate and building businesses.

"Fewer out-of-State corporations sought permits to operate in Texas, as indicated by the decline in the number of foreign permits from 434 in 1931 to 279 in 1932."

INDIAN'S LAMENT

Wife he die.
My ol' hoss done gone bad,
Buy ol' Ford, no good too—
Pride and push no can do.
White man banker no can trust
Take it monies—bank go bust.
Republican stock-market hog
Run it country to the dogs,
Democrat, he Hoover man—
Hoover man, Republican.
No more Democrat by damn—
Guess me vote for Uncle Sam.
—Anonymous

W. A. S. Cobb of Coleman, who lived on his farm southwest of Santa Anna until recent years, was shaking hands with friends on the streets here Tuesday, and says he is feeling fine and enjoying life as well as one could expect.

CHARLEY STEWARD, PROMI- NENT ROCKWOOD CITIZEN BURIED WEDNESDAY

Charley Steward, 47, prominent Rockwood business man, died at his home in Rockwood early Wednesday morning and was buried there Wednesday afternoon. Several from Santa Anna attended the funeral.

The following data was read at the funeral by Rev. Hal C. Wingo, pastor of the Baptist church in Santa Anna, who conducted the funeral.

Charley Steward was born in Brown County, Texas, March 10, 1885, and died January 11, 1933. Age 47 years, 10 months and 1 day. He was married to Miss Eula Sullivian, December 4, 1910. He became a Christian and united with the Baptist church in 1911.

He is survived by his wife, four brothers, Bob, Will, Jim and Reed, two sisters Mrs. Roy Johnson and Mrs. L. V. Staton. Mrs. Staton's home is in Brownwood, but at present is living with her daughter in Phoenix, Ariz. All were present at the funeral except Mrs. Staton. His parents preceded him in death.

The editor has known Charley Steward for several years, had dealings with him, and found him always to be an honorable and upright citizen. We regret to lose such a good friend. His loss to Rockwood community will be keenly felt.

Ward School P. T. A.

For many years parent-teachers associations have stressed the subject of thrift at their January meeting. At the meeting Tuesday this subject was ably handled by Mrs. Weaver, Mrs. Shield and Miss Hays.

Miss McCreary's room gave a program unusually interesting. It was in the form of a radio program and the pupils entertained with songs, readings, piano, violin and accoridian solos. Miss Agnes Hays, home economics teacher, with three of her pupils Misses Fletcher, Bradford and Wylie, exhibited three tables set to show, respectively, how low cost breakfast, luncheon, and dinner may fill the needs of a balanced diet. Miss Hays talk on "How to Prepare a Family Budget" and "Getting acquainted with Money," was interesting as well as instructive.

Parent you are missing helpful programs, discussions and exhibits at our Parent-Teachers meeting. Come to the February meeting and incidentally look about the building at the new coat of paint and general renovations that has taken place.

C. B. Rendleman of Little Rock, Ark., is looking after business matters and mingling with his friends here this week.

Mrs. Frank Mills and children and Miss Seabell Willingham of Coleman visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smedley last Friday.

FORMER PRESIDENT CALVIN COOLIDGE DIED LAST WEEK

The nation, and we might add, the entire world was mourning over the week-end, because of the passing of former President, Calvin Coolidge, who died at his home in Northampton, Mass., last Thursday at noon.

The former president had apparently been enjoying good health, and his death came as a shock to the entire country. His death was due to heart failure and his illness was brief.

His body was carried to his former home in Plymouth, Vt., and buried Saturday afternoon. Mr. Coolidge's parents and one son were buried in the little country graveyard at Plymouth.

The former president was born at Plymouth sixty years ago last July 4th. He was the only living ex-president of the United States.

J. Q. BARNES, SR. DEAD

J. Q. Barnes, 85, often called (Daddy) Barnes here, died Saturday night at the home of his son, D. J. Barnes, in Coleman.

According to data collected from friends here, Mr. Barnes was a native of North Carolina, and came to Texas in early life. He lived in Lott, Falls County for several years, where he raised his family. Since the death of his wife he has lived in Marlin, Waco, Santa Anna and Coleman, making his home during his latter years with his son, where he passed away Saturday night.

He was only sick a very few moments. Apparently, he knew his time had come. He called Mrs. Barnes, his daughter-in-law to his room and told her he was soon going, and extended to her his thanks for her kindness to him, bid her farewell and passed out within a very few minutes. His going was peaceful and he left no doubt as to his resting place in the future.

His remains were prepared and shipped to Lott Sunday night for burial Monday beside his wife who passed on a number of years ago. Mrs. D. J. Barnes of Coleman and W. Ford Barnes of Whon, grand-son accompanied the body to Lott for burial.

Friends who have known Mr. Barnes for several decades refer to him as being a man who always lived clean and uprightly, never mistreated anyone, always spoke words of encouragement to others, and often expressed himself as being ready to go when his Creator was ready to call him to his heavenly home.

SENIOR B. T. S.

Subject—Sin.
Introduction—Queenie Gregg.
Discussion Number One—Where Did Sin Come From? Ozelle Daniel.
Discussion Number Two—What is the Nature of Sin? Jesse Lee Sparkman.
Discussion Number Three—What Are the Effects of Sin? Clemmie Lafferty.

THIEVES OPERATE IN SANTA ANNA

A thief or a group of thieves pilfered their trade here last Thursday night and pulled a number of bold depredations.

Gene Hensley reached for his trousers Friday morning and found they had been disturbed. Upon examination, he discovered his watch was missing, together with 20c in cash, (all he had).

J. Frank Turner and Cecil Walker had similar experiences upon arising from a night's repose. Each lost a watch and possibly other small things of value.

Lee Hunter lost his trousers but later found them. The Burgess Weaver home was entered, a bathrobe and possibly some other items disturbed, but nothing of much value other than a good bathrobe. The robe and a dress taken from the Walker home were found Friday in the west part of town.

The houses were entered, the doors propped open, the clothing searched, watches and small change were taken, and the people at home sleeping in the very rooms that were searched.

It was a pretty smooth piece of work, but a very dirty trick. According to gossip here on the streets this week similar thieving was done in Coleman Friday night and Saturday night, and during the past week reports come from Ballinger, Abilene and several other towns in this vicinity reporting similar jobs.

It occurs to us that jobs of this kind have been put up here most every year sometime during the winter months for several years, and no one has ever been caught. Here's hoping the thieves get dog bit and die before they return to Santa Anna again.

Baptist Church

The pastor is preaching a series of sermons on the Parables of the Savior, and will preach the second sermon Sunday morning on the "Parable of the Pounds." You are invited to hear these. At the night hour the subject will be "The Blessings of Prohibition." This is the second sermon on the liquor question, and you are urged to hear it. The greatest trouble with "dry forces" of America is that they have dried up to where they are afraid to open their mouths on this great subject. We need lots of agitation which will lead to a reconsideration of the whole question. Since liquor is the greatest enemy of God and the human soul we need to wake up to the dangers all about us. "Awake thou that sleepest." "Come thou with us and we will strive to do thee good." We invite all the heart-hungry and sin-sick to worship with us.

HAL C. WINGO, Pastor.

O. T. O'Bar and Frank Mills of Coleman were Santa Anna visitors Monday.

Green & White HATCHERY

to open
Next Week

We will be in Santa Anna next week preparing to open our Commercial Hatchery for the season...

We will occupy a portion of the same building we used last season 1st door east of Santa Anna Gas Co. office.

We will set our first trays Thursday, January 19th, and will appreciate your business. We will give you the best service possible—such as our record in the past will bear us out.

If your flock needs culling or blood taking, we will gladly assist you—FREE OF CHARGE.

Green & White

AGRICULTURE Our Greatest Fundamental Industry

The whole structure of our community life has for its foundation agriculture, upon which the happiness and prosperity of every citizen depends in a large measure.

WHAT ARE YOUR PLANS FOR 1933?

This bank suggests that you include in your program plenty of feed for your livestock, hogs for your own use if not some to spare, dairy cows sufficient for your home needs, a good home garden and plenty of poultry to supply your table and some for the market.

Each family can greatly improve your living conditions by providing plenty of the above mentioned products at home.

Proper determination to take such as you have and make the best of it will add much to the pleasures of the home, where ever you may live.

A friendly service is carried on at this bank.

The First National Bank
OF SANTA ANNA, TEXAS

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MARSHMALLOW ROAST

One of the most happy events of the Christmas holidays was a marshmallow and apple roast given at the new city lake on Thursday night.

A camp fire was built and after roasting of the apples and marshmallows the young people spent several hours playing games and dancing.

Those enjoying this event were Misses Maurice Kirkpatrick, Mildred Boardman, Mary Alice Mitchell, Catherine Rollins, Loreta Latta, Bess Shield, Irene McCreary, Annie Louise Watkins, Bessie Evans, Helen Thompson of Coleman, Messrs. Myrton L. McDonald, Max DuBois, Jewell Hill, Seth Ford, Audas Smith, Clifford Wheeler, James K. Polk of Abilene, Edwin Rollins, Jack DuBois, Billie Barnes, Leon Ward, Robert Dempsey, Weir Routh and Bill Ramsay.

MOUNTAINERS WIN TWO GAMES AND LOSE ONE

The Mountaineers played three practice games of basketball last week tuning themselves up for the County race and for other tournaments that are to be had the next few weeks. Monday afternoon they played Buffalo there in the new gymnasium and won by the score of 32 to 18. The boys were delighted with the gym and came home sad because they have to sit and hold their hands when it is bad weather because no practice can be done outside. Friday night a crew was played at Coleman in the Armory building and the final score was 38 to 26 in favor of our opponents. Saturday night at the same place the boys played a 25 per cent better game than the night before and took Talpa's measure by the score of 35 to 30.

The boys who have borne the most of the work in these games are Leon Ward, Hiram Glenn, Forwards, Clifford Wheeler, center, and Dexter Walthall, Odds Tatum, Scott Wallace, and William Brown, guards. W. R. McMinn, letterman, from 1930 was absent from these games. He is expected back this week to strengthen the team.

The team is to enter a tournament at Coleman this weekend. The games will begin Friday night and last on until Saturday night. The boys would appreciate the presence of a large group of fans to root for them. The following weekend the team will enter the invitational tournament at Daniel Baker at Brownwood.

FIRST PRACTICE DEBATE

Santa Anna will either win or lose her first practice debate Thursday at four o'clock. The experienced debaters (last year's teams), Lillian Bible and Helen Turner, Lois Crump and Robert Hunter will debate Ballinger at Ballinger. The other debaters will go along to take notes.

"We want to have lots of practice debates, and I want you to start out winning so you will not get an inferiority complex," said Miss Land, coach of debating, at last week's meeting of the debating club. Although they have not worked much, the debaters are hopeful about the debate next Thursday, for Ballinger says they are not well prepared either. The entire school is hoping that a black cat does not run across the road this time as it is said to have done previously.

NEW YEAR PARTY

A very delightful party to welcome the New Year had as hostess Miss Bess Shields when on last Saturday evening she entertained at her home.

The attractive entertaining suite was gayly bedecked in holiday color. Dancing and other diversions which prevail when these congenial friends are together gave happy interest until after the New Year arrived. Flutes were given as favors and for refreshments candy was served.

Those present were Misses Mary Alice Mitchell, Mildred Boardman, Irene McCreary, Annie Louise Watkins, Helen Turner, Rebecca Turner, Maurice Kirkpatrick, Thelma Lowe, Mary Oats, Louise Wilsford, Bessie Evans, Evelyn Kirkpatrick, Lillian Bible and Elizabeth Kelley of Waco. Messrs. Jewel Hill, Max DuBois, Myrton McDonald, Audas Smith, Scott Wallace, James K. Polk, Clifford Wheeler, Lois Crump, Edwin Niell, Garland Close, Odds Tatum, Hiram Glenn and Leon Ward.

BASEBALL TEAM ORGANIZED

Already have the baseball girls determined to beat Coleman for there is absolutely no good reason not to. A great deal of enthusiasm was aroused in electing a captain and assistant captain when a meeting was called with Miss Hays in the Home Economics room Wednesday after school. Prudy Watts is captain until she moves, and Floye Spencer, who was captain last year, is the assistant captain.

Anyone under fifteen the first of last September may play, and all competition will be prohibited. So far the following girls make up the team and will play grammar school Tuesday, Emma John Blake, Iva Brannan, May Campbell, Mary Lee Ford, Novella Freeman, Mary Southern Garrett, Mary Alice Lawrence, Minnieola Price, Novella Sharp, Floye Spencer, Prudy Watts, Emma Jeanne Werner and Sarah Williams. High School wishes them victory.

FRESHMAN NEWS

Friday afternoon at three o'clock the Freshmen Class left for the east mountain to go on a picnic. Even though it was misting, there was plenty of eating taking place. Roasted weiners, buns, pickles, apples, oranges and bananas were served after several games had been played. Mrs. Bartlett, the Freshman sponsor, accompanied the class. Mary Lee Combs, the class president, has been out of school for several weeks with scarlet fever. The class hopes that she will return to school soon.

NEW TELEPHONE SYSTEM

To save a busy teacher much time and trouble of running upstairs to call students to the telephone, an extension has been put into the study hall.

It is kept in the north drawer of the library counter. When it buzzes, either librarians or the teacher may answer. The teacher in the office says who is wanted, librarians go tell the student, and the student reports to the office to talk.

This is just another improvement such as Mr. Scarborough has continually been making since he became superintendent of the Santa Anna Schools.

HOME ECO CLUB II & III

Wednesday January 4th the club met with a jolly group of girls, their faces expressing their happy Christmas and pleasant New Year. After all the old and new business was taken care of a program was presented, sponsored by our vice-president, who has prepared all the programs. She seems to know how it is done. The play was about a bachelor who wanted a wife to do his work. After several of the girls had showed their experiments he (Lois Spencer) finally decided on Neewah Turney as the ideal girl for a wife. So Neewah was the lucky girl.

SCRIBBLERITE NEWS

"Ninety cents is lacked for the expenses for the publishing of the special edition," quoted Mildred. This will be taken from the club treasury. The club is very grateful to the merchants who contributed an advertisement to the "Mountaineer."

As a school paper cannot be published, or the special edition wasn't a complete success, the Scribblertes aren't discouraged. Plans for another special edition in the near future are being made.

WEINER ROAST

Celebrating the Christmas holidays last Wednesday night a number of young people went upon the mountain on a weiner roast. The givety that characterized an event of this kind prevailed throughout the evening. Those enjoying this outing were Loreta Smith, Mary Alice Mitchell, Mildred Boardman, Thelma Lowe, Scott Wallace, Myrton McDonald, Audas Smith and Leroy York.

A FRESHMAN'S PRAYER

When I die, bury me deep, Place my English book at my feet. Put my science at my side, Tell Miss Land that's why I died. Lay my Home Eco on my chest. Tell Miss Hays I did my best. Put my algebra on my head, Tell Mr. Lock that's why I'm dead.

GOOD FURNITURE IS A LASTING TRIBUTE TO THE HOME YOU LOVE

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Conditions in the funeral directing profession have rapidly changed in the past few years. The introduction of auto equipment and good roads has widened the scope of activity of the fully equipped funeral directing establishment and where one only went a few miles from home in the past, today a well equipped funeral director is prepared to conduct funerals within a radius of many miles. The day when it was necessary to have an undertaking at every cross roads has passed. In place of this we have establishments that are thoroughly equipped and ones that offer the highest type of service. There is a thought that comes to us we discuss this Firm. Do you realize that furniture, drapes and rugs are things you live with, and they should reflect your good taste and love of beauty? Good furniture is a lasting tribute to the home you love and appreciation of the better things in life--invest in happiness-buy furniture.

PERRY BROTHERS VARIETY STORE PROVES POPULAR WITH THRIFTY SHOPPERS

Located in Coleman, 114 Commercial is One of the Leading Mercantile Establishments of Its Kind--Carry a Complete Line of Household Necessities.

The Perry Brothers Variety Store is one of the largest stocked stores in this section. The stock consists of many specialties and is a store worthy of one's time when out shopping.

To be merely rendering an average service in an average establishment is all well and good but to be able to give a service that is just a little in advance of others is an element that has become a feature of the mercantile life of the community that is indeed something worth while. That is exactly the case with this well-known concern.

Store is replete with the latest type of kitchen utensils, dishes and household hardware specialties and labor saving devices, and many reasonable novelties. Because of the limitation of space we will not attempt even a brief review of the large stock of this concern at this time, but such would not be necessary. This institution has established an enviable reputation for goods of quality, extent of stock and reasonableness of prices that draw trade not only from its home city, but from the surrounding territory for considerable distance as well. It is a pleasure for us to direct your attention to the Perry Variety Store as one of the important features of the community's commercial efficiency. Its management is progressive and public spirited and numbers its patrons by the thousands.

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PEACHES Dried 2 lbs. 17c | BAKING POWDER Can 35c
PORK and BEANS Can 5c | APPLES Winesaps doz 19c
PINEAPPLE B & W, broken slices No. 2 size can, 2 for .25
BEANS No. 2 Can each 10c | PEANUT BUTTER Jar 23c
ORANGES Red Balls doz. 16c | SPUDS 10 pounds 17c
OATS R & W, 55 oz. package, fancy quick cooking or regular package .15
LYE Red and White, full weight, full strength 3 for 25c 12 for 97c
SOAP Special: 3 bars reg. 10c Lady Godiva Toilet Soap, 2 bar Giant R. and W. Soap All for .21c
PRUNES Gallon Can 35c
SOUP Red & White All varieties per can .09
Bacon, Swift's sliced 1b 21c | CRACKERS 2 lb. pkg. 24c
Cheese A1 Wis. cream, 1b 19c | TOMATOES 3 cans for 21c
Roast, beef or pork per lb 10c | Bacon Dry Salt, No. 1 2lb 15c
COFFEE Red & White vacuum packed 2-lb can .67

Specials--Saturday
Men's Three Season Union Suits for 50c
\$1.35 70x80 Bed Blankets . . . \$1.00
\$1.25 Boudoir Lamps \$1.00
\$1.25 Smoking Stands with Electric Lighter . . . \$1.00
Sweaters at 20 percent Discount
Combs Variety Store

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Santa Anna, in the State of Texas, at the close of Business on December 31, 1932.
RESOURCES: Loans and discounts \$377,945.85; Overdrafts 748.91; United States Government securities owned 10,200.00; Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned 6,902.29; Banking house, \$20,000 Furniture and fixtures, \$6,000 26,000.00; Real estate owned other than banking house 16,825.00; Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank 20,813.15; Cash and due from banks 40,181.54; Other assets 8,912.54; Total 508,329.28
LIABILITIES: Capital stock paid in 50,000.00; Surplus 50,000.00; Undivided profits--net 5,279.71; Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding 5,719.74; Demand deposits 224,477.58; Time deposits 14,009.00; Bills payable and rediscounts 158,852.25; Total 508,329.28

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\$1.39
35c
There's no middleman in the Rexall plan; the saving goes to you.
Corner Drug Company The REXALL Store

Mrs. Right: "Did you water the rubber plant, Dora?"
Dumb Dora (Dora Davis): "Why no, ma'am. I thought it was waterproof."
Issy: "I've had such a hard life. At the age of eighteen, I was left an orphan."
Dizzy: "What did you do with it?"
Or an extremely busy night in a chain store, one customer insisted on asking the price of everything he saw, without any intention of buying anything.
"How much does this run about?" he asked, putting his finger on a box of envelopes which had the price plainly marked on it. The exasperated clerk (Arlene Campbell) replied: "Oh, that never runs about--it's stationary."
An Irishman was trying to ride a kicking mule. At last the infuriated mule kicked so high that he got his hind feet caught in the stirrups.
"See here," said the Irishman, "if you're going to get on, then I'll get off."

If You Fail To Find It In Santa Anna—Try These

SEVENTH GRADE NEWS

During the Christmas holidays all of our room had an enjoyable time except those who were sick in bed and could not enjoy the vacation.

We had our Christmas tree on Thursday afternoon at school instead of having it Friday morning.

We were very glad to come back to school January 2. Those that were absent on the day of the Christmas tree got their presents when they returned to school.

Teacher Niell appointed different monitors for the room Tuesday morning.

Several of the pupils in our room are taking declamation, arithmetic, and spelling for the Interscholastic League. Some are taking playground sports and essay.

All the mothers are cordially invited to attend all of the P.-T. A. meetings.

"HELP WANTED"

More big HE men like Scott Besse Evans.

Car riders, Bass Inez Shieff. A lover, with or without a car. Arments Ragsdale.

More ways for boys and girls to make money. Mary Alice Mitchell.

A phisique like Edwin Niell. Annie Lee Brown.

More men like Seth Ford. Catherine Rollins.

More Scribblers to write for the Mountaineer. Editor-in-chief and assistant.

MALE HELP WANTED: TEA AND COFFEE ROUTE MEN—Big reliable national company needs 3 more men immediately. Frequent experience unnecessary but must be physically able and willing to service 200 steady consumers on regular route and work 8 hours a day for about \$37.50 weekly. Write Albert Mills, Route 4, Cincinnati, Ohio.

FOR SALE: Ninety day Red Seed oats at 20c per bushel. Roy Freeman, Santa Anna, Texas. Rt. 2

Who Wants a Beautiful Piano at a Bargain?

We have in this vicinity a splendid upright piano with quiet bench to match, also a lovely Baby Grand in two tone mahogany. Rather than reship will sell either of these at a bargain. Terms if desired. Address: Wm. Brook Mays & Co., The Upright Piano House, Dallas, Texas.

WANTED: Some clean cotton rags. 5c per pound. W. C. Ford & Co.

MATTRESS WORK

If you have mattress work of any kind see me. I will be here a few days longer. Clarence Holland.

GLASSES FITTED

I will be in Santa Anna over Walker's Pharmacy every Tuesday morning, to fit glasses. 2p DR. W. G. WILLIAMS

NOTICE

I hereby give notice that those persons desiring to register automobiles in the Santa Anna community may do so by calling on A. R. Brown at the City Hall in Santa Anna, during the month of January. Please bring your last year's receipt and new light receipt. Cars requiring transfers and all trucks will have to be handled at the Coleman office.

FRANK LEWIS, Tax Collector.

FOR SALE: Registered Jersey Milch Cow. Pet's Pair Jean 66-7314. Champion Class AAA for the state of Texas, giving 461-94 lbs butterfat in 305 days under official test. This cow now fresh and for sale at Gill Ranch, Whon Texas. 3t

FOR SALE: Lightly used single row cultivator and planter, almost good as new. Will sell at one-half price. Would give terms on part. J. J. GREGG.

Yager Shell Pecan Trees for sale or trade. Will trade for wheat, maize, cotton seed, hogs or fat yearlings. All trees 75c F. O. B. Rising Star, Texas. W. E. Hughes & Son.

Pigs, shoats and meat hogs for sale. Joe Matthews.

HAWLINS GILLIAND Attorney-at-Law Office on third floor of Coleman Office building, Coleman, Texas

PLUMBING REPAIR WORK see or call C. O. WATKINS

Coleman Junct'n

Sunday School was held at its regular hour Sunday morning with a small attendance.

Brother Adams of Brownwood was called to preach for us throughout the Associational year.

Miss Velma Dunn was a Sunday guest of Misses Aleone and Nadine Ripley.

There were several families of this community that moved last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jett Parker, Jr. of this community are the proud parents of a baby girl, Patsy Jane, who was born last week.

Miss Lena Moore visited Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Mattie Brooker of Coleman.

They visited Sunday afternoon with Misses Gladys and Asa Pearl Brooks, who live near Bangs.

R. T. S. is progressing nicely. New officers were chosen Sunday night and we are hoping to surpass the preceding year. All visitors and new members are especially invited and appreciated.

Rockwood News

Rev. W. D. Kirkpatrick of Indian Creek filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church here Sunday and Sunday night.

The B. Y. P. U. elected officers for the coming year as follows: President, Fannie Mac Estos; Vice President, Juanita Holland; Secretary, Treasurer, Wreatha Walters; Song Leader, Irma Holland; Pianist, Elizabeth Richardson; Group Captain I Edith Richardson; Group Captain II Dorothy McIlvain; Bible Drill Leader, Bessie Vinson; Sponsor, Byron Holland.

Dennie, small son of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Caldwell, who was bitten by a dog last week, is reported doing fairly well at this time.

Mrs. Roy Johnson and Mrs. Reed Steward of Lohn, Mrs. John Stator of Brownwood, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Steward of Eldorado are here with their brother Charlie, who is very ill. (Note: Word was received Wednesday morning that Mr. Steward is dead.)

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Turner are the proud parents of a son born last Friday morning.

Mr. J. D. Ashmore has returned home from a week's visit with his brother in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Blake Williams and her mother, Mrs. S. T. McIlvain were Sunday evening visitors in the J. C. Ferguson home.

Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Swearingen visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bostick Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Woodward visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Swearingen Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Blackwell and Mrs. Linnie Blackwell were visitors in the Dless Maness home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Lorene Bible spent the weekend with her sister Lillian and her grandmother, Mrs. E. W. Bible, of Santa Anna.

Mrs. Lora Whitfield of Brownwood is here with her sister, Mrs. Charke Steward.

WHAT A SERMON IS

A sermon is not a manufactured product, but a spiritual creation. It is a machine which a man can construct in his sermonic shop, and set running in the pulpit like the electric toys which we see sometimes on the corner of the city streets. A sermon, to be worthy of that name, is an exaltation, a spiritual vapor emerging from the oceanic depths of the preacher's soul. It is an emotion, an efflux, an effluence flowing from an interior fountain hidden in the depths of personality. It is an efflorescence, an out-flowing of beautiful things whose home is in the blood. It need not be eloquent, in fact the wives baking bread, sowers who went to sow, about mustard seed, prodigal boys and erring girls, a man whom robbers left wounded by the roadside, and yet no preaching like unto it has fallen from the lips of man. A sermon is perfume from spiritual roses blooming in the garden of the heart. It is a fruit growing on the Tree of Life. The preacher, if worthy of his sacred office, dies in the act of preaching. He lays down his life for his brethren, and says others though he himself he cannot save. The pulpit is a Golgotha in which the preacher gives his life for the life of the world. Preaching is a great work. To do it as the Master wants it done, the preacher must be a good man, full of the Holy Ghost and faith, hope and love. (Marshall News)

And now Christmas bills are just around the corner, too.

Wells Service Station Has Latest Equipment

In Coleman at Colorado and Feena, is a Firestone 1-Stop Service Station—Features an Excellent Wrecker Service.

The Wells Firestone 1-Stop Service Station in Coleman handles a fine line of gas, oils and lubricants the use of which will greatly prolong the life of your car. These products are to be found at the Wells Service Station and they are prepared to offer the public the best crankcase service or give your car a thorough lubrication.

They operate a modern filling station where the very best of equipment has been installed for the expeditious handling of the trade.

Firestone tires are some of the strongest tires made today, and are offered to the trade in all sizes at this station.

Expert crankcase service is feature of the service at this station. All you have to do is drive in and they will change the oil in your engine in a jiffy. This service is a great accommodation to motorists and aids in keeping the engine in fine condition.

No matter which you are traveling you can drive in here, as they have a two way place at all times.

Authorities Agree That Carbonated Beverages Are Health Protecting

Coca Cola Bottling Co., in Coleman, 117 West St., Is The Home Of Pure Beverages.

The use of carbonated beverages in addition to a social drink is becoming more general all the time as their valuable germicidal qualities are recognized. Assistant Director, William A. Hammond of the Mellon Institute of Industrial Research, University of Pittsburgh, following a study made at the institute, Mr. C. L. Jones, in a paper prepared from this research says: "The germicidal effect is proportional to the use of carbonic gas used;" its tendency is to attract bacteria of the most dangerous as well as the least harmful class, even destroying typhoid germs. The institute points out the value to the public health by a liberal use of carbonic gas. And the Coca Cola Co. of Coleman is very liberal in their charging of the beverages and thus they are very beneficial in use.

The best served drink in the world a pure drink of natural flavors served ice cold in its bottle you can identify even in the dark. Every bottle is sterilized filled and sealed airtight by automatic machines without the touch of human hands—insuring purity and wholesomeness.

Bob Leavel Radiator and Body Works Can Weld Anything In World But A Broken Heart

With Plant in Coleman, 316 Commercial, Bob Leavel Offers A Most Useful Service At Reasonable Prices.

Many articles around the household or barn that you think broken to the extent that it is beyond repair in most instances can be made practically as good as new by an expert welder. This applies to plows, implements, Pumps, Motor Parts and other equipment. Bob's shop is fully equipped and prepared to put the article back in workable order.

Bob's services covers both Electric and Oxy-Acetylene welding and his prices are very reasonable. He has, at a very small charge, saved many people the expense of buying a new article.

This firm specializes on wrecked cars, bent frames, fenders, etc. Do not give that wrecked car away until you consult Bob, his prices are right. This is also headquarters for Auto radiator work. They are first class mechanics in this line. Re-coring of radiators is a very important business and Bob's shop is equipped scientifically to do the work correctly. His men are experts on the work and are well known for promptness. Leaking radiators are expensive and dangerous. They are often the cause of many expensive and serious troubles, such as pistons and cylinders scored, bearings burned out, engine burned up, waste of cylinder oil and gasoline.

When it comes to either welding or radiator work, you will find "Bob Is On The Job." He is a prominent citizen actively interested in home progress.

Ford V-8 Universally Recognized as Greatest Motor Value

M. K. Witt Motor Co. Located in Coleman at 45 Commercial is Sales for the Famous Ford V-8 and Offers a Skilled Repair Service on Ford and Any Other Make of Cars.

The M. K. Witt Motor Co. of Coleman is distributor for the Ford V-8 and also carries a complete line of parts and accessories. They are one of the most metropolitan motor companies of this section. Few cities of a like size in the nation can boast of such modern and up-to-date Ford service. Not only because of equipment, but because they render a most efficient service, this well-known automobile company has become known as the home of the Ford in this section.

When the firm started in business, they started on the principle of careful management and courteous treatment of all patrons, and its business has grown to large proportions.

That the New Ford is universally recognized as the greatest value of the age, is the opinion of the experts as well as the buyers. For service and reasonableness of price, the New Ford reigns supreme.

The management is courteous and accommodating, and will be pleased to show you the advantages of having this wonderful value of the car they have chosen to offer the public of this section.

Some of these paragraphs who have so much to say about "hick towns" must speak from experience.

The poor man has many true friends—he of great riches has a few.

USE MARTIN BRICK CO. CLAY PRODUCTS FOR PERMANENCE

With Main Office in Coleman, on Cottonwood Street, With Plants in Coleman, Richport and Mexia, Martin Brick Co. Are Large Manufacturers of Brick and Tile.

The Martin Brick Co., is truly "A Home Concern" a booster for their home town and progressively in business of manufacturing high grade clay products, featuring Bricks and Tile. They make a specialty of hollow tile for building purposes which render permanent use and fire-proof class and are offered at prices a little more than if built by temporary materials. In buying clay products you are assured of a permanency that does not exist in inferior materials as there is nothing to rot, nothing to rust, and nothing to decay.

As the worlds greatest authorities have approved the recent inventions in all kinds of equipment they have been immediate-

ly adopted by this company, and this, coupled with the maintenance here of one of the most modern and up-to-date plants in this section, is responsible for the very satisfactory service rendered patron over the country and to the fact that every patron of the concern is also a loyal supporter and consistent booster for it.

Nor has the management and associates in the company been satisfied with merely providing for the immediate needs of the people of the section. With a broad vision of the future they have made improvements with the view to a greater expansion of their service and have been most loyal supporters in the movement for a "Greater Home Community."

What we wish to call our readers attention to, however, that is the duty to demand their products, not only because it is superior, but it is a local concern and merits your support.

1933 CHEVROLET CREATING A SENSATION

Located in Coleman on East College Ave. is Holley Chevrolet Co. Sales and Service for the 1933 Chevrolet.

The Holley Chevrolet Company of Coleman is showing a complete line of 1933 Chevrolets.

Economical transportation is one of the most essential features of life in America today and none have so satisfactorily solved the problem as have the group of eminent engineers who are responsible for the chevrolet that is offered by this well known company. They are offering a complete line of new cars that afford greater quality than ever before. Briefly, Chevrolet gives you economical, dependable, satisfactory transportation at a price you can afford to pay. General Motors are so sure of this new line's dependability that they are issuing an

owner's service policy which is very liberal and is proving very popular.

The Holley Chevrolet Company would be a credit to a much larger place and is equipped to handle every feature of the automobile garage business. In their repair service department they give excellent service and repair all makes of cars. They employ only men who are expert mechanics and have real understanding of the engineering principles of the various makes of automobiles. In addition to their expert work you will find that their prices are very reasonable. We wish to compliment them on the efficiency of their service and would ask all of our many readers to visit this popular motor company and ask them to explain in detail the elements of the 1933 Chevrolet.

which were, last year, the highest priced tires on the market. This year the Hicks Rubber Co. are offering these tires at prices that compete with those of any mail order house.

The service department at Hicks Rubber Co. is completely equipped for the changing of any size tire without damaging the rims. Men are employed here who are highly competent, rapid and thorough in the work.

In making this review we are glad to compliment them upon the excellent service, high grade supplies as well as upon the fact that they are rendering a great service to auto owners in giving them authoritative information upon the latest developments in the drift of the times in the circles.

The Star brand needs no comment from us. Just let us advise that they have all sizes on hand. Star tires are manufactured by one of the largest producers in the country, which assures you quality as well as reasonable prices.

Whatever you wish in tires it is well worth your time to consult Hicks Rubber Co. in Coleman.

Coleman Bread & Meat Market Offer Tasty Menus At Great Savings

Located in Coleman, Brings much Trading in Town as People Favor Miles Around Depend On Them For The Cheapest In Meat and Fresh Bread. Management of H. N. Griffin.

The Coleman Bread and Meat Market in Coleman Strikes the keynote in modern life as people do not want to spend all the money they take in for meats and bread but wish to have money left for other pleasures of life. Those who trade here have found that they are able to save much each week on meat and bakery bills and if properly put away it will be being saved net them a handsome sum over a period of time. The prices are a result of lower overhead, close buying, doing a large business and making small profits on each sale.

Such methods deserve commendation of the public, and with such policies and quality of wholesome foods the firm is bound to grow and prosper. Few meat dealers in this section have attained a prominence equal to that of this popular firm for the accommodation of the public. They have an enviable record for cleanliness and sanitation; insisting that everything about their place be in accordance with the most scientific ideas regarding sanitation.

There is no one in this section of the state that keeps more thoroughly abreast of the drift of times in the auto tire field than the Hicks Rubber Co. of Coleman. They are distributors for the famous Star Tires

Tires Selling At Lowest Price In History of Industry

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PIGGLY WIGGLY IN COLEMAN AND SANTA ANNA ARE HOME OWNED STORES

Located in Coleman, 300 South Loncho and on Main Street in Santa Anna, are Food Department Stores that are Home Owned and Operated—Institutions that Have Always Been Ready and Willing to Co-operate with All Propositions that Promised Public Improvement.

The Piggly Wiggly stores are the largest food stores of their kind in the county, doing an extensive business in staple and fancy groceries, meats and fresh fruits and vegetables.

It is important to the citizens of the district, during these times, that we have conscientious firms like Piggly Wiggly who will aid in the reduction of the price of living for the people. The motto of these stores is to "Serve Others As You Would Like To Be Served," and thru this policy they have built up their large and growing business.

Piggly Wiggly handles the highest grade of selective merchandise obtainable and their ever prompt and widening sphere of trade is due to prompt and efficient service.

Here the shopper can select anything he wishes from their shelves of freshly stocked pure foods and groceries. In their line will be found standard and famous brands.

There is no more public spirited citizens in the community than the managers of these stores, Mr. W. P. Stobough and W. H. Thate, and in making this "Trade at Home and Neighboring Town Review," we are pleased to commend them and give their establishments the position they merit.

Owing to the fact that Mr. Stobough and Mr. Thate are working together, buying together, and co-operating with each other, they are enabled to buy quality merchandise at a great saving which they are daily passing on to their customers.

It is a long step from the old fashion "Staple and Fancy Grocery" to the present day "Food Department Store," and we know of no other system that has helped as much to revolutionize the business as has the Piggly Wiggly System. And we wish to again call your attention to the fact that it is "Home Owned and Operated." By trading with these stores you are trading with neighbors interested in your welfare and ones who have local interests at heart.

GORDON HARDWARE & FURNITURE CO. OFFERS COMPLETE AND ATTRACTIVE STOCK

Located in Coleman at 133 Commercial Ave., is Headquarters for All Kinds of Good Hardware and Furniture at The Lowest Prices.

It is without doubt necessary that an immense stock of goods be carried by the hardware dealer who wishes to be successful and keep pace with the demands of his customers. In this present day of hurry and rush the patron demands that his call for a small article be given the same careful attention as though he were buying a cill of hardware.

At this popular establishment of the Gordon Hardware & Furniture Co. in Coleman, particular attention is given this feature. They will be pleased to welcome all patrons. As the Store has a stock that comprises thousands of very necessary articles, it can readily be seen that hundreds of people are continually visiting this concern.

In this mechanical age it is necessary to have a distribution house in every locality to handle the high class specialties of the day. The manager of this house makes a study of all the merchandise adapted to the community and selects the very best lines to offer.

All the departments are carrying the very best lines and Mr. Gordon is continually on the lookout for all that is new for the people of this part of the state.

The goods carried have been found to always be the best quality consistent with the price at which each article is sold, and here you will find standard makes of the world's best manufactures.

In making this review of the progress of the community we are pleased to compliment them and to refer to the establishment to all of our readers.

SANTA ANNA POULTRY AND EGG CO. PAYS HIGHEST PRICES

Located in Coleman at 204 East Pecan, Offers a Valuable Service to the Produce Raisers of This Section.

The Santa Anna Poultry and Egg Company of Coleman, has done much to encourage the agricultural progress of this section of the state. It is the largest and most reliable business of this kind in this section, and an extensive wholesale business in poultry and eggs.

It is because of the excellent service and dependable market afforded by this well known company, that the feature is receiving more attention from the farmers locally.

Another feature of the very satisfactory service of this company is the country and accurate information which comes from their dealings with the producer. The establishment is under the

RAY WRECKING COMPANY SAVING LOCAL MOTORISTS THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS

Located on Overall Street in Coleman, are Giving Motorists the Very Best of Service on Dependable Used Automobile Parts—are Manufacturers of Springs for Cars, Trucks and Tractors—Also Bumpers.

In this review of prominent manufacturers and merchants of our neighboring towns we wish to make special mention of the Ray Wrecking Co. This is not only a well stocked auto salvage place but is also maintaining a manufacturing department where every want of the motor-

public is taken care of in the way of Bumpers or Springs. The next time you are in need of anything in the way of Spring work for either Tractor, Truck or passenger car call on this concern and rest assured that your wants will be taken care of in a satisfactory manner. Remember "What Texas Makes Makes Texas."

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Alvie E. Campbell of Flomot came Tuesday to look after business interests here.

Clyde Dingus and a Mr. Gray of Coleman were business visitors here Tuesday.

Fred Turner and daughter, Miss Fay left Tuesday for an indefinite visit in Lubbock.

Clyde Nettleship of Regency is visiting in the home of his aunt, Mrs. J. F. Goen.

Will Turner of Voss visited in Santa Anna Thursday.

Green McClure of Shields was a Santa Anna visitor Thursday. Mrs. Byron Holland of Rockwood was shopping here Thursday.

Cyrus Horn of Brady, Clyde Lohn of Waldrip and Lewis Lohn of Brady visited in Santa Anna Wednesday.

Frances Brown (Little girl): "Auntie, why do you put powder on your face?"
Aunt: "To make me pretty, dear."
Frances: "Then why doesn't it?"

LIBERTY HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Liberty Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. E. W. Polk last Thursday. Miss Brent met with us, and gave instructions concerning cutting bed construction. The aim of the club this year is that each home shall have a cutting bed.

Almost all the members were present, and enjoyed the meeting.

The next meeting will be held at the home of M. S. E. L. Woodward on Thursday, January 19.

Revival

Now in progress at the Assembly of God Church conducted by Rev. Rewel R. Newby of Fort Worth. The Four Square Gospel being preached.

Good singing and piano and saxophone music will be the feature of each service.

Everybody Welcome!
Come bring your friends.
Services begin each evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Pastor Maurice Evans

Robert Hunter: "Did you yell for help when you were held up?"
Lols Crump: "I started too, but the bandits told me that if I didn't shut up they'd call the police."

"Come on, Joe, I'm gonna try my new outboard motor!"
"Hm-m-m— putting practice, eh?"

\$3.50 Parker Pencil FREE with purchase of Parker Duofold Pen in January. Phillips Drug Co.

Liberty News

On account of the bad roads, only a few were able to attend church services Sunday.

Our school is progressing nicely. A few of the pupils are moving away and others are coming in.

Mrs. G. W. White has moved to the Crenshaw place.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rhodes moved to the place vacated by Mrs. White.

Miss Lonella Taylor spent Wednesday night with Mrs. To Shild.

Guests in the S. H. Duggins home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jammie Duggins of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Howard and Mr. and Mrs. William Sheffield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Howard visited Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Kenney Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Upchurch and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Duggins were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McClure Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Ford visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Holt Tuesday.

Miss Laura McClure is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McClure.

Mesdames Will, Welton, and Roger Holt and Misses Frankie and Virginia Holt visited Mrs. J. D. Holt Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Childs of Santa Anna and Mr. E. E. Polk of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Polk Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Holt and daughters visited Mrs. C. A. Curry Wednesday.

Miss Ruth McGahey visited Miss Ruth Polk Sunday afternoon.

Milligan News

We had a very small attendance at Sunday School Sunday but Rev. Adain filled his appointment in spite of the bad roads.

We are glad to report that little Charles Garland Moore is a little better at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Banks visited in the O. C. Yancy home Sunday evening.

Naomi and Mary Constable visited Earl Brown Sunday.

Carolyn Davis of the Cleveland Community spent Tuesday and Wednesday nights with Irene Banks.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vinson spent Sunday evening in the O. C. Yancy home.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to use this method of expressing our thanks to the members of the Santa Anna Fire Company for their efforts and splendid work in trying to save our little home and contents during the recent fire, and also our fine neighbors for the courtesies extended us while undergoing repairs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Leavelle

COMING!!
January Sale
1-4 to 1-3 Off

BEGINS FRIDAY—Our 15th January sale, Cash sale, carry a saving message all thru the store. It's cleaning up time for fall and winter stocks with us. It's the greatest saving time for you.

A few items listed to give you an idea of the reductions.

1/4 Garza Bleach Sheeting 21c
81X99 Garza ready made sheet 69c
\$29.50 Hart Schaffner suit \$19.98
\$2.98 Suede zipper jacket for \$2.29
\$5. to \$7. Men's Oxford \$3.98
Silks, fancies plains 69c to 99c
29c to 39c worsted prints 18c
Silk hosiery on sale 43c, 69c to 88c
Silk dresses to as high as \$5 \$1.98
Silk dresses to \$20. for \$9.98
Fur trimmed coats \$17.85 for \$9.75
\$10.95 to \$12 tailored coats \$6.95

NO MIRACLES—JUST HONEST, STYLE
RIGHT MERCHANDISE AT HONEST REDUCTIONS. COME FRIDAY OR SATURDAY

Hemphill - Fain Co.
Brownwood, Texas

INTERMEDIATE B. T. S.

SUBJECT—THIRTY YEARS OF PREPARATION

The Life of Christ —Carmilla Flores.
The Birth of John the Baptist. —John Gregg.
The Birth of Jesus —Frances Gregg.
The Story of the Shepherds —Edna Lackey.
The Presentation in the Temple. —Rosalie Niell.
The Wise Men from the East —Vivian Wristen.
The Flight into Egypt —Carson Horner.
The Visit to the Temple at Twelve —Imogene Henderson.

Bid Rat kills rats and mice only. They go outside to die. Phillips Drug Co.

Santa Anna Hatchery
to Open
January 23rd

We will open our Hatchery for custom hatching Monday, January 23. Eggs brought in Saturday before the opening will be received and cared for.

We will exert our very best efforts to give the public a satisfactory hatch.

We can use 3500 eggs each week, and will set our trays each Monday.

See us for future booking of trays.

Santa Anna Hatchery
Lucian Neill, Mgr.

Just Received at

Blue Merc. Co.

New Wash Frocks

We received this week a shipment Marcy Lee

Wash Dresses

the kind with style and color that stays—

\$1.95

Those \$1 Dresses made by Marcy Lee have snapped to them. **\$1.95 and \$1.00**

Come See Our New Wash Dresses

Blue Merc. Co.
HOME OF GOOD MERCHANDISE

Plainview News

Mrs. A. B. Dodgen is visiting in the Albert Dodgen home.

Mrs. Hartford Watson and little daughter and Miss Opal Sharp visited Mrs. Paul Bivins Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gober and little daughter Vada Dell visited Wednesday in the Elton McDonald home.

Mr. and Mrs. Seybold Rowe and daughter Hazel Gene spent Wednesday in the Paul Rowe home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bivins and Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Ratliff visited Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Rowe Thursday night.

Mrs. J. L. Gober of Santa Anna spent Tuesday with Mrs. E. W. Gober.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Smith spent Friday night in the J. J. Horner home.

Mrs. Tracy Ratliff and Mrs. Pierre Rowe visited Mrs. Viola Brushenham last Thursday. Mrs. Brushenham has been real sick. She is with her mother, Mrs. Curtis in Santa Anna.

Mrs. Elton McDonald and daughter Oma Dean visited in the McDonald home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bivins visited in the Marvin Whitley home Tuesday night.

Guests in the Paul Rowe home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Turner, daughter Vera and sons William Bailey and Richard, E. V. Gober and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bivins.

Jewel McDonald visited Mrs. Paul Bivins Thursday.

Mrs. J. J. Horner and daughters Vada and Vera spent Monday in the home of Mrs. Auther Casey of the Leedy Community.

Red Bank News

We are all delighted and glad to see the sun shining again.

We had a fairly large crowd in Sunday School Sunday, and a very good sermon at the eleven o'clock hour. There was also a large crowd Sunday night to hear Brother Rowden preach. We wish him all the happiness possible through the New Year, and pray God's richest blessings on him.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Upchurch have returned from Bedias where they spent the holidays with Mr. Upchurch's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Upchurch spent Saturday afternoon in the Vince McClure home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Constable and son Junior have returned from Cooper, and report a very enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bledsoe and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Barker and children spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Upchurch.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Constable and son Junior spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Upchurch.

Guests in the Vince McClure home Sunday were Miss Zoella McClusack, Miss Maybelle Gilbreth, Brother and Mrs. Rowden and children, and Johnnie Brandon and sons.

No, the people have not spoken. They just shouted it out.

PIGGLY WIGGLY

1/2 COST FOOD BUDGET

SAUSAGE
Pure Pork, Country Made, 2 Pounds
23c

CHOCOLATES Cherry Center
pound box **.15**
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY

FLOUR, Gilt Edge 75c 48 pounds	RAISINS, 25c 4 pound pkg. (special)
FLOUR, Gold Crown 84c 48 pounds	COFFEE, 21c Piggly Wiggly, pound
PEAS, 5c No. 1 can	PEPPER, 29c In bulk, pound

GRAPEFRUIT Seedless
1-2 bushel for **.49**

BACON, 10c Decker's Sliced, pound	PEACHES, 85c Evaporated, 10 pounds
POST TOASTIES 10c package	ROAST, 10c Beef, pound
BEANS, \$2.85 Pintos, sack price	Dripolator, 49c 6 cup size. A closing out price