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"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

High Ranking For 14 Coleman Rural Schools

Fourteen rural schools in Coleman county have received certificates of standardization, the highest rating possible, except affiliation credits, and the phenomenal success has been credited as due to indefatigable work on the part of County School Superintendent J. L. Beard, teachers and trustees. The only reason, it was said, others did not standardize was because they did not have the required eight months term last year. The schools recognized were recently visited by Beard and a state rural school inspector and the recommendation that they be standardized was received and granted by the State Department of Education. The certificates, neatly framed, have been received by the schools.

Schools that have the coveted honors are Coleman Junction, Silver Valley, Comal, Liberty, Feedy, Anderson, Indian Creek, Loss Creek, Valera, Novice, Goldsboro, Talon, Rockwood, and Watts Creek.

SENTENCE OF FORT WORTH COP AFFIRMED

AUSTIN, Texas, March 22.—(AP)—The court of criminal appeals today affirmed the five year sentence given Lonnie Wilkerson, former Fort Worth policeman, when he was convicted on a charge that he murdered Buster Grimsley, a boy.

Grimsley was shot to death when he and several companions were returning balls on a Fort Worth golf course. When tried on the murder charge, Wilkerson testified that he ordered the boys to stop after they had started running from him. When they refused to halt, Wilkerson shot to scare them, he testified, and the bullet ricocheted striking Grimsley and fatally wounding him.

Texas Glass Co. in Hands of Receiver

The Texas Glass Company at Santa Anna has been made defendant in three suits filed in 25th judicial district court here involving \$2750. All three of the suits were filed Thursday, March 16, and in each case plaintiffs pray for judgment, foreclosure of chattel mortgage liens and appointment of a receiver with ample power to protect, salvage and save the properties of the company. The suits were filed by the First National Bank in Dallas which asked for judgment in the sum of \$17,000; the Ajax Finance Co., asking for judgment in the sum of \$15,000 and foreclosure of chattel mortgage, and the West Texas Utilities Company asking judgment for \$750. All of these plaintiffs pray for the appointment of a receiver and foreclosure of their mortgages.

Following the above action, D. L. Pieratte was appointed receiver for the Texas Glass Company, and as soon as the property can be disposed of legally, and title passed, efforts will be made to put the plant in operation.

ROOSEVELT TO BRANCH FARM HOME RELIEF

WASHINGTON, March 22.—(AP)—President Roosevelt's next message to congress will recommend a program of farm mortgage relief and small home mortgage relief including methods of re-financing.

The message from the president will be ready for presentation within a few days. The farm mortgage program will be embodied in a bill that Henry Morgenthau, farm board chairman, is now working on.

In some respects, the plan will follow the Canadian system which provides for debtor relief or cancellation courts.

Monarch Show Boat Co. to be Here

The Original Monarch Show Boat Company will be in Santa Anna one night only, Wednesday, March 29th, presenting the famous play "Ten Nights in a Barroom." This company, according to the advance agent, comes directly from its show boat on a tour of the county in its big tent theatre. Prices are 10c for children and 15c for adults.

ZANGARA DIES IN CHAIR

RAIFORD, Fla., March 20 (AP)—The finale of an assassin's furious drama of bullets that missed President Roosevelt but killed Mayor Anton J. Cermak of Chicago was enacted in the Florida state prison today as Giuseppe Zangara died in the electric chair with a last shout of defiance.

The shadow of death utterly failed to temper the bitterness against all rulers of men that led him to loose a withering fire at the president in Miami the night of Feb. 15.

"Lousy capitalists! Capitalists! All capitalists! Crooks!"—that was the cry of the swarthy immigrant a few moments before 2300 volts of electricity took his life.

Any question as to Zangara's sanity was settled by four physicians who performed an autopsy and reported they found his brain "perfectly normal."

On the brink of death, the assassin maintained, as he had done all along, that he was not a member of any gang but fired at the president on his own initiative.

Mrs. Otis White of Brownwood spent Tuesday in Santa Anna.

Pan-American Medics Favor Beer and Wine

By Jack Bisco, United Press Staff Correspondent DALLAS, Texas, March 21.—

Leaders among the vanguard of delegates to the fourth congress of the Pan-American Medical Association, which convened here today, have taken an almost unanimous stand of welcome for the approaching return of beer and light wine to the United States.

Speaking strictly from their point of view as eminent specialists in a variety of fields of medicine, those questioned by The United Press, with but one exception, indicated that beverages containing 3.2 per cent of alcohol are helpful to the human system.

Said Dr. Charles Dennie, assistant professor of dermatology at the University of Kansas and a nationally recognized medical authority: "The body of the average person can consume as food four ounces of alcohol daily without causing any harmful effects and without causing intoxication—and in many cases as much as eight ounces of alcohol can be consumed daily with like result. I am pleased with the action of congress."

Dr. Joseph Jordan Eller of Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York City, said:

"As a direct result of prohibition, America has become a country of hard liquor drinkers. I am glad to see the return of beer and wine, which I regard as a temperance move. I believe many persons will be satisfied with consumption of these wholesome and harmless drinks and, as a consequence will turn away from alcohol in the heavier quantities."

Dr. Julius J. Valentine, professor of urology, New York Polyclinic Medical School and Hospital, declared:

"The action of congress will make the people happy. Beer and wine won't hurt them, and I'm glad to see it come back."

Dr. Dean Lewis, chief surgeon of Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, offered this comment: "It is the most wonderful thing that could happen. Some people will get drunk, but it will be good for the great majority who don't. Beer and wine of small alcoholic volume is restful. People who live in this fast age need such a tonic."

Dr. Manuel Gomez Perales, official representative of the government of Tamaulipas, Mexico, to the congress and a noted specialist on pediatrics said:

"I think it would have been better if congress had made it 5 per cent. That wouldn't be intoxicating except for the gluttons. Under no circumstances, however, should children be allowed to drink beer or wine of any alcoholic content whatsoever. Don't let them have it until they are fully grown. I hope your laws will provide such a prohibition."

Dr. Albert Solland, radiotherapist for the California General Hospital, Los Angeles, said "it's

Girls' Debating Team Makes Good Showing At Abilene

Helen Turner and Lillian Bible participated in the debate tournament at Abilene last Saturday, March 18th. Their ability as debaters was recognized initially when Mr. Comer Clay of Abilene remarked that he had tried to match the teams as equally as possible and then matched this team of Santa Anna High School with San Antonio. Even though Helen and Lillian did not win, they did make a showing that reflected very creditably on their school. In fact, the San Antonio debaters and coach remarked that they had learned a great many good points from Helen and Lillian during the course of the debate.

The Santa Anna team went into the semi-finals of the consolation debates where they were defeated by Breckenridge.

About twenty schools in this and other sections of the state participated in the tournament. Among them were San Antonio, Lubbock, Midland, Snyder, Rotan, Cisco, Belton, Breckenridge, Eastland and Ballinger.

The coach accompanied the debate teams of Santa Anna High School to Abilene for this practice, which, it is hoped, will be of great assistance to them in the debates of the county Friday night.

Hubert Murrell Buried At Shield Sunday

Hubert Murrell, about 23 years of age, died in the Sealy Hospital here Saturday evening, several days after an operation for ruptured, gangrened appendix and general peritonitis.

Hubert was a splendid young man, numbering his friends by his acquaintances, was one of the leading singers of the county, and a very likable young man.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Murrell of Shield, a young wife of about five months, formerly Miss Dorothy Watkins of Pear Valley, and several brothers and sisters.

The remains were buried in the cemetery at Shield Sunday afternoon, in the presence of a large number of sorrowing relatives and friends.

COMPLETION NO. 7 NOW EXPECTED IN SIX OR 8 WEEKS

Although handicapped by cool weather of the past few days, the pouring of asphalt on highway No. 7 between the Coleman county line and Bangs, is continuing with satisfactory progress being made. About two miles of the asphalt topping has been put down and those in charge expect to have No. 7 paved into Bangs by the end of this week.

With anything like favorable weather conditions, highway No. 7 should be completed and ready to turn over to the state for maintenance within six or eight weeks, according to Leo Ellinger division engineer.

Contractors on highway No. 10 south, a e making rapid progress on the rock base work now nearing completion. The rock base has been completed to Clear Creek and within a few days, the highway from Brownwood to where it intersects the Dull-Brookersmith road will be opened to traffic.

Rock base work on highway No. 7, east, is now well under way. About one-half mile of this project has been completed. The contractors on No. 7, east, are using about eighty men working on two thirty hour shifts weekly. A like number of men are being used on No. 10, south, these working on two eight-hour shifts daily.

Between forty and fifty men are at work on No. 7, west. (Brownwood Bulletin.)

Mrs. W. E. Faulkner of Dallas returned to her home Wednesday after several days visit in the E. P. Ewing home.

the finest thing congress ever did," in commenting upon the forthcoming modification.

One prominent Philadelphia specialist, who refused to permit use of his name, was in definite opposition to the views of the others questioned.

He said he will see "scores of persons drunk from effects of beer and wine." "It's a pity,"

DECLAMATION ELIMINATIONS

Declamation eliminations for precinct no. 2 were held at the high school Friday night, March 17th. Mr. J. C. Scarborough acted as chairman. The order in which the schools won is as follows:

High school senior girls: first place, Juanita Long of Buffalo High; second place, Gladys Greaver of Santa Anna High; third place, Wreatha Walters of Rockwood High School. Senior boys: first place, Leon Ward of Santa Anna High; second place, Ercell Ellis of Rockwood High.

Rural school senior girls: first place, Louise Thompson of Cleveland; second place, O'ra Alice Newman of Leedy; third place, Ruth McGahey of Liberty. Rural school senior boys: first place, Jesse Brown of Leedy, only one contestant in this division.

High school junior girl, Mary Lee Combs of Santa Anna High, only one contestant in this division. High school junior boy, first place, Ted Bradford of Santa Anna High, only one contestant in this division.

Grammar school junior girls: first place, Hazel Marie Evans of Buffalo; second place, Hearthal King of Rockwood; third place, Elizabeth Morris of Santa Anna. Grammar school junior boys: first place, William Mitchell of Santa Anna and Edwin Stinson of Buffalo tied for first place; second place, Douglas Snider of Rockwood.

Rural school junior girls: first place, Josephine Williams of Plainview; second place, Veoma Newman of Line; third place, Dalton Rutherford of Wagon. Rural school junior boys: first place, Quinton McDonald of Plainview; second place, Jesse Fletcher of Leedy; third place, tie between Elsworth Walls of Liberty and Bernice Calloway of Cleveland.

There were no contestants for Grammar school senior girls or Grammar school senior boys.

Dr. Sealy Attends Pan-American Medical Ass'n

Dr. T. R. Sealy left Monday night for Dallas where he attended the Five Day Congress of the Pan-American Medical Association. Distinguished doctors from Mexico and other countries South of the United States met those from all over our own country in the first meeting to be held in an English-Speaking country.

TENNIS MEET

The Interscholastic League of the county met in tennis was held in Santa Anna, Saturday, March 18th. All the representatives of this district were present.

Santa Anna won girls' singles, Bess Inez Shield playing, and boys' singles with Leon Ward playing. Thelma Lowe and Golda Hardy won second place for doubles. Leon Ward and Dexter Walthall won second place also for doubles.

These players did some good playing, and the high school is proud of them. They were well supported, and their playing proved that they were well directed by Miss Hays for the girls and M. Locke for the boys.

Burress Weaver, O. L. Cheaney and R. L. Hunter went to Dallas last Thursday in the interest of the First National Bank. Messrs. Cheaney and Hunter returned Sunday, Mr. Weaver extending his stay until Tuesday.

Mr. Weaver gave out a short interview just before the News goes to press, stating that it is possible for the bank to be re-opened early next week, but considerable effort will have to be put forth before the bank can be re-opened. We trust to be able to announce a full opening without restriction next week, but such largely depends upon the action of the depositors and citizens of Santa Anna during the next two or three days.

GAS TAX BILL SIGNED

AUSTIN, March 21.—Governor Miram A. Ferguson today signed a bill drawn for the purpose of providing for the enforcement and collection of the state's four cent gasoline tax.

The bill becomes effective immediately. The comptroller is given a new bureau to track down evaders of the tax.

House Passes Beer Bill By Chorus "Ayes"

WASHINGTON, March 21.—(AP)—The house voted the final passage of the 3.2 per cent beer and wines bill today.

However, senate adjournment before the vote was taken made it impossible to send the legislation to the president for signature before night as planned.

No record vote was taken on the beer and wines bill today. A short speech against the bill by Sen. Tom Blanton of Texas, preceded shouts of "Aye."

The senate approved the bill Monday afternoon and all that is now needed to legalize 3.2 per cent beer is for Speaker Rainey of the house, Vice-president Garner and President Roosevelt to sign the bill.

However, Mr. Garner is not permitted to sign any bill that has been passed when the senate is in adjournment. He is expected to sign the bill Wednesday morning after which the president will affix his signature to the bill, thus enacting it into law.

NOTE: The bill has been signed, and beer may be sold legally in fourteen states after midnight, April 6. Texas is not one of the fourteen states.

FEDERAL GASOLINE TAX REFINANCEMENT BY CONGRESS SURE

WASHINGTON, March 22.—(AP)—House Democratic Leader Byrns today told newspapermen that the one cent a gallon gasoline tax will be re-enacted at the special session of Congress.

The present gasoline tax expires next July 1.

EASTERN STAR MEETING MONDAY NIGHT

The Order of the Eastern Star had an unusually good meeting Monday evening. Out of town visitors were the Deputy Grand Matron, Mrs. Mary Leathers of Lawn, Mrs. Dr. Bailey and friend Miss Soelberry of Ballinger, and Mrs. Maud Russell of Noice. Following the regular program, and interesting talks by the visitors, refreshments consisting of hot tea and cake were served.

BOY NO-BILLED IN DORMITORY DEATH

FORT WORTH, March 20.—(AP)—Oren W. Sisco of Waco was no-billed by the county grand jury today on a charge of murder in connection with the death of William Turpin at Arlington January 16.

Turpin died of stab wounds received in a dormitory room at the North Texas Agricultural College. Each boy was 18 years old. Sisco, a former student at the college, had been under \$5,000 bond.

Miss Mildred Boone of Winters visited Miss Helen Hall last week.

City Election Next Tuesday Week

There will be an election held at the City Hall Tuesday, April 4th, to elect a Mayor and two City Commissioners. W. E. Baxter, the present mayor and J. Ed Baxter and John Lowe are the present commissioners.

Up to date there has been but little interest manifested in either of the above elections. Mr. J. M. Moran has declared himself a candidate for Mayor, E. P. Ewing has been campaigning for one of the Commission places, but other than that, little has been said.

Several have been approached and solicited to enter the campaign, but for some reason or other, most of them have declined.

The school work and city affairs are very important and whoever is elected to these places of responsibility will find plenty to do, and will have to be accountable to the public for their deeds. The Santa Anna News has no axes to grind, therefore, we have no tickets to offer, but we do urge citizens to give their friendly advice and co-operation to whoever is elected to serve, both city and school.

Boys' Debating Team Defeat Lubbock

Lois Crump and Robert Hunter defeated the boys' team of Lubbock High School in the debate tournament at Abilene last Saturday, March 18th. This is a distinctive achievement for the boys since the Lubbock team is considered one of the strongest in the state.

San Antonio was the first team which the boys debated. Last year San Antonio produced a state championship team, so it was very evident that Santa Anna had great competition from such a school. Despite that fact, Lois and Robert received one of the three votes cast. That speaks very highly of their efforts and ability.

This team of Santa Anna High School debates Ballinger during this week for the consolation championship of the tournament.

METHODISTS ATTEND COUNTY FESTIVAL

Several of the local Methodists attended the All-Day Festival at the Methodist Church in Coleman Tuesday. Representatives of all the churches in the county were in attendance, and reported a very enjoyable day. Those from here were Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Blue, Mrs. Leman Brown, Mrs. T. M. Hays, Jr., Mrs. H. W. Kinnersley, Mrs. C. B. Verner, Miss Ruby Harper, and Mrs. Snerman Gehrett.

Jesse Goen and Louis Pittard visited in Gouldsburg Monday.

Trustee Election To Be Held Here Saturday Week

A trustee election will be held in the Santa Anna Independent School District here next Saturday, to elect two trustees to serve for two years.

The retiring members are Joe Mathews and J. W. Tabor, who, according to information reaching this office, do not care to be re-elected.

The nominating committee appointed by the Board of Trustees recently to canvass the district and recommend two suitable men to take their places, have canvassed the district and recommend the election of J. G. Williamson, and Emmett Day for the responsible vacancies soon to occur on the board.

The election will be held in the City Hall, and those who wish to participate in the election will find the judge and clerks at the City Hall from eight o'clock in the morning until six o'clock in the evening to record your vote.

SANTA ANNA MAN AND CROSS PLAINS GIRL WED

Culminating a romance of several years Miss Noelle McLeod of this place, became the bride of Clifford Switzer, Santa Anna, in Oklahoma Friday night. After a short bridal trip through Southern Oklahoma and North Texas the couple returned here. They will make their home at either Brownwood or Santa Anna.

The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McCord, pioneer residents of this place. She was prominent in social and church circles here for a number of years.

The groom is employed in the mechanical department of a Santa Anna automobile concern.

COLEMAN HIT AND RUN DRIVER SMASHES HORSE

COLEMAN, March 22.—What came very near being a very serious accident happened in this city yesterday afternoon on the street north of the city hall when a gray mare ridden by Howard Stovall, son of J. T. Stovall, farmer living west of Coleman, was struck by a truck traveling in the same direction. Both of the animals rear legs were broken and it was later shot and killed by Leonard L. e, city fire truck driver. The boy escaped injury. The driver did not stop and effort of officers to locate him were futile, though it is believed to have been a Coleman county man.

The boy had just passed the city hall and spoke to several men standing nearby. The truck later passed the city hall and the accident took place two blocks west.

Miss Alella Everett of Dallas is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Everett this week.

Statement

Due to existing conditions, but little can be said relative the banking situation this week. There is a movement on foot and being pushed with all the force the citizens of Santa Anna can use to re-open the bank and we hope to be able to announce a complete re-opening early next week.

The First National Bank
OF SANTA ANNA, TEXAS.

Santa Anna News

Friday March 24, 1933

J. J. GREGG, Editor & Publisher

Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice, Santa Anna, Tex.

The editor was advised to take a few days off, go fishing and try to improve our "disposition."

In this issue of the News you will find a very attractive subscription offer, and if you have a dollar to spare it will pay you to look us up Friday or Saturday and take advantage of our very special offer.

We are expecting several hundred visitors in Santa Anna Saturday, coming here to attend the field and track events of the County Interscholastic League.

The editor put in most of the day last Sunday scanning our exchanges, coming from Garces City on the south to Garson county on the north, from Groesbeck on the east to the western plains on the west, and enjoyed a very pleasant day, reviewing what our fellow editors and publishers are doing.

hearts and minds of the reading public and backing the newly installed Republican administration to the limit.

Several have asked us recently when we were going to do some more "Sit and Think Stuff?"

Several from there went out to the Robertson farm south of town one evening last week with hook and snare in response to a report stating that a den of rattlesnakes had been discovered.

Funny things happen in this country. A Janous picture by Michelangelo, depicting Adam and Eve as natural, minus even the conventional fig leaf, has been barred from the United States.

This is the county where all men are equal—in the breadline.

DIFFICULTIES

Preacher: "Brethren, we must do something to remedy the status quo."

Member: "Brother Jones, what am I to do?"

Preacher: "Dat, my brudder, am Latin for de mess we's in."

TYPE ON WHEELS

LEGISLATIVE NEWS SERVICE OF THE TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION ASSISTANT

AUSTIN—An important factor in the tax situation is to secure legislation that will give some degree of permanence to economic effects during the present period when economy has become a matter about which there is no debate.

To adopt measures temporarily in purpose and character that are equivalent to an admission that the cost of government should return to its former high levels would be a distinct failure to make the most of the present opportunity.

It is necessary to bring expenditures down to the capacity of the people to pay in order that the present unbalanced condition of state and local budgets may be corrected.

Agreement is general among students of government and taxation that the most costly and possibly the most wasteful practices are to be found in local affairs.

Fees of certain officials are fixed under the constitution by State law. Ridiculously high earnings are common, and County Commissioners are powerless to make reductions.

There is a distinct danger that harm may result from too great a liberalizing authority for setting bonds and determining limits of taxation as applied to counties.

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Extreme caution must be exercised in amendments designed to reorganize county government. Elasticity of authority should be in the direction of economy.

These two suggestions constitute the attempt to work out permanent tax relief rather than to be content with temporary measures that do not correct the fundamental causes for the terrific increase in the cost

Presbyrian Church

Rev. B. A. Hodges, D. D. field representative of religious education and University work for the Synod of Texas will preach Sunday evening at 7:30.

Remember that there will be service Sunday morning, in charge of the pastor. Come and bring all the family.

You who so seldom come to church, would you like for your church to die? It would if no one came any often.

Next Sunday is the last Sunday of this church year. Some have been very faithful in attendance and work.

Let us turn our faces toward a good goal next year and strive our utmost to reach it. How many are willing? The will is the help.

M. L. WOMACK, Minister.

Baptist Church

The revival will continue through next Sunday. We invite the general public to attend the remaining services, both morning and night.

Sunday School at 9:45 with congenial classes for all ages. If you do not attend Sunday School elsewhere we give you a personal invitation to come with us.

Brother Squires is bringing us some very helpful messages on fundamental subjects and we are anxious for all the people to be blessed by them.

HAROLD WINGO, Pastor.

Methodist Church

The pastor of the Brownwood district will exchange pulpits next Sunday. Rev. J. L. Evans of Comanche will preach at Santa Anna and the pastor will preach at Comanche.

There will be no evening services. Our people are urged to attend the revival at the Baptist Church.

The young people will meet at 8:30 p. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. G. A. MORGAN, Pastor. C. B. VERNER, Supt.

INTERMEDIATE B. T. S.

The program for Sunday, March 26 is: Love Thy Neighbor as Thyself.

The parts are as follows: A Great Question Answered—Carmilla Flores. The Meaning of the Answer—Ruth Niell.

What Has Our Love Done for Our Neighbors?—Floye Spencer. Are Our Neighbors Still in Need? 1. India. 2. Africa—Imogene Henderson.

3. China. 4. Japan—Mildred Henderson. 5. Latin America—Golda Hardy. 6. In Other Lands—Vivian Wright.

Intermediates! Wake up! Come to the B. Y. P. U.!! We need you and you need us!!

OVERLY GENEROUS

The bill to confer a pension of \$5,000 a year upon Mrs. Calvin Coolidge brings acutely to the fore the matter of pensions for the widows of our presidents.

At the present time there are five of them, and all are believed to be in comfortable financial circumstances and not at all in need of pensions.

Our presidents receive a salary of \$75,000 a year and a generous allowance for the maintenance of the white house. It is hardly conceivable that out of that sum they could not lay aside enough to keep them and their wives for the remainder of their days.

The money which is being paid to the widows of our deceased presidents, who do not need it, would feed many hungry people who can ill afford the burden.

TO THE VOTERS OF SANTA ANNA

On April 4th you will elect a mayor. I want the job. I have only one promise to make. Strict economy in all departments; and will do all I can to help lower city taxes and keep the city on a paying basis.

If you steal a chicken you are a thief. If it is a million, you are a distinguished financier. of government within the past decade. To accomplish these reforms will be no easy matter. Those who are sponsoring them will need the active support of the people.

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Red Bank News

We had a very good prayer service last Thursday night, with Miss Addie McKissack as the leader. Mrs. Roy Bledsoe will lead next Thursday night.

Mrs. Lovd Taylor visited Mrs. E. D. Weston last Monday. Miss Neoma Constable and Mrs. Doris Moore visited Mrs. H. L. Constable last Saturday.

Mr. Roy Bledsoe stayed with Miss Dorothy McClure, who was in the Sealy Hospital, last Thursday and Friday nights. We are very glad that Dorothy was able to be carried home Saturday.

Guests in the Jesse Upchurch home Thursday night were Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter and family and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bledsoe and family.

Miss Maybelle Gilbreath spent the week-end in Brownwood. Miss Addie McKissack visited Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Constable Friday afternoon.

Guests in the Jesse Upchurch home Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Constable and son and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bledsoe and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Theibert Self of the Brown Ranch Community.

Those from this community who attended the funeral of Hubert Murrell at Shild Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bledsoe, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Upchurch, and Mr. and Mrs. Vince McClure.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Constable and son Junior visited in the W. B. Layer home in the Liberty Community Sunday, and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Upchurch, visited in the Waymon McClure home.

W. B. Crews and Delbert Wilson from north of Santa Anna visited Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Constable Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. W. Box moved into our community a few weeks ago. We are very glad to have them with us.

Brother McWhirter will preach for us Sunday. You are welcome to come and worship with us.

Leedy News

Last Tuesday the pupils in Mr. Sheffield's room, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Sheffield and Mrs. J. M. Johnson went to the Santa Anna mountain for a week-end roast and supper.

Immediately after supper we went to the free show. An enjoyable time was had by all present.

Last Friday our junior boys' playground ball team went to Whon for a series of games. Trickham, Concho Peak, Whon and our team played. The first game was between Leedy and Whon. Our team won by a score of 7-11. Trickham was defeated by one score by Concho Peak. Our team and Concho

Classified Advertising

Peak then played for the rural championship of this district. At the end of the ninth inning the score was a tie. We played one more inning and Leedy won by one score.

Friday evening our declaimers were successful in placing for the first contest at Coleman. Jesse Brown, senior boy, won first place without opposition.

Mr. Alice Newman won second place in the senior girls division. Jesse Fletcher, junior boy, won second place. Fleda Perry, junior girl, won fourth place.

We have just received our certificate of standardization from the State Department of Education. This is the first year that the Leedy school has been standardized, and we are proud of the work of our teachers in attaining this standardization.

Everyone enjoyed the party at the home of Ernest Webb Saturday night.

Harvey Perry and family of Shild spent Sunday in the R. Perry home. Carolyn Kingsbery spent the week-end with her grandmother at Coleman.

Woodrow and Lucille Newman visited Eugene and Merle, Ferguson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Webb visited in the Robinett home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Switzer visited in the F. J. Herring home Sunday.

DALLAS MAN KILLS WIFE AND SELF; ILL HEALTH IS BLAMED

DALLAS, Texas, March 22—(AP)—Ill health and two years of unemployment led J. C. Russell, 27, to shoot and kill his wife in their garage apartment today, then kill himself.

The couple have a five year old son.

Right now the safest of all banks are to be found in the small towns.

PLUMBING REPAIR WORK see or call C. O. WATKINS Phone 178

LANKART COTTON Leads all varieties in the fields of the grower at the gins and with the buyer. Again this year it won all nine first premiums at the State Fair at Dallas in competition with all varieties of cotton. Plant Lankart cotton to raise the most of the best. Our seed this year are the best we have ever put out. LANKART BRED SEED FARMS WACO, Texas

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BASKETBALL GIRLS ENTERTAINED

The Basketball Girls of Santa Anna High School were entertained last Tuesday at the noon hour by the Lions Club...

IRENE ROUNTREE WINS ESSAY CONTEST

Irene Rountree, junior, won in essay writing in high school. Irene will represent high school at Coleman, Friday, March 24th.

EXTEMPORE SPEAKING

Extempore speaking elimination was held at high school last Tuesday morning. Armenta Ragdale, a junior, won first place...

PRACTICE IN CHAPEL

The contestants for declamation and extempore speaking have practiced in chapel the past week, and will also practice this week.

YES OR NO

Did you know that: All high school declaimers won first or second place in the eliminations last Friday? The track meet will be held here next Saturday? Our boys' debating team defeated Lubbock last Saturday? Declaimers have been practicing in chapel the past week? History classes are preparing for the League of Nations contest diligently? Irene Rountree won first place in the high school essay contest? Bess Inez Shield and Leon Ward won first place in the boys and girls singles tennis matches?

League of Nations Contest

The history classes studied the League of Nations one day last week, in order to help the students study for a contest to be held, March 24th, in each school that enters the contest.

HOME MAKING DEVELOPMENT

A brief chart of the Development of Organized Training for Home and Family Life. The following chart is adapted from an outline in an Arizona Home Economics News Letter. It is used to show the difference in an 1860 Cooking and Sewing program and a 1933 Homemaking program.

Arts and Science. Arts and science related to the home were introduced. The economic and social importance of the home was given some attention.

5. In 1917-1933 Home Economics or Homemaking now includes training in all phases of home-making with attention centered on needs of the girl in relation to her own home and family life. Full participation in meeting home-life problems best preparation she can have for meeting them in the future.

Do You Want A Good Position?

Most high school students are interested these days in the kind of advanced training which will enable them to secure a good position as quickly as possible, and at small expense.

All this course which we teach have practical value in the business world. The knowledge and skill which you get in the Tyler Commercial College and School of Business Administration will help you to secure a starting position in competition with others who lack this ability.

THE PRODIGALS RETURN

Some things are both serious and funny, tragic and laughable, and the depression is bringing them into the glare of publicity. France, Italy, Switzerland and other foreign countries have been flooded for years with rich Americans who receive their large income from dividends on American investments and live and spend the money abroad.

TOO MUCH BOTTOM

The prohibition department at Washington has instructed its agents to confine themselves to eradicating the source of supply and to cease wasting their time on speakeasies and petty bootleggers.

For a Beautiful and Slender Figure

REDUSAN SALTS
Woman Lost 10 Pounds Fat in 3 Weeks
Improved Complexion and Health
Corner Drug Co.

Liberty News

Rev. Rowden of Red Bank preached here Sunday. Dorothy McClure, who was in the Sealy Hospital last week returned home Saturday.

Plainview News

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Coleman Junction

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WHO PAYS THE TAXES

A statement issued by the railroads of Texas, showing ad valorem taxes state, county, city and independent, for the year 1931, against common carrier trucks and busses and contract carrier trucks, compared with similar taxes levied against the railroads in Texas, reveal the following startling figures.

TOO MANY HAZARDS

President Roosevelt is to begin his traveling by air, a fact which will not cause any great enthusiasm on the part of the people.

AN AMERICAN

Mrs. Matt Estes, who has been in the Sealy Hospital since Sunday for treatment to prevent pneumonia, returned to her home Tuesday night much improved.

QUEEN THEATRE

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
REX BELL in
THE MAN FROM ARIZONA
JUNGLE MYSTERY Serial CARTOON
SUNDAY AND MONDAY
THE THIRTEENTH GUEST with GINGER ROGERS and LYLE TALBOT COMEDY
General Admission 10c and 15c
Special Show WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY THE FOUR MARK BROTHERS in HOOSEFEATHERS. ADMISSION Children 5c Adults 10c FOR THIS SHOW ONLY

Baby Chicks!
Now is the time to get your chicks for fall and winter layers. Leghorn and heavier breeds \$3.50 each Monday and Thursday.
We also have some good started chicks, several days old at a bargain.
Will accept hens, cream or eggs for hatching.
We carry a good line of Starter, Scratch and Growing feed, the cheapest you can find.
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How would you like to get a pound of DELICIOUS ADMIRATION COFFEE FREE!
Special Offer For Friday and Saturday
There are no strings tied to this offer. Just pay for one year's subscription at the regular price and you will receive our gift of one pound of Texas' FINEST COFFEE absolutely FREE.
ONLY 50 Lucky People can get this FREE COFFEE - First Come First Served.
Santa Anna News

Hospital Notes

Baby Earl Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gill Jr. of whom recently received treatment in the local hospital. H. A. Everette of Lometa was a recent medical patient. Glenn and Harmon Hodge, sons of E. V. Hodge of Fry, were recent medical patients. Mr. David Shamblin of Rockwood returned home last week following treatment. Recent tonsillectomies were performed on Emily Grace and Mary Catherine Livingston of Alpine, Mrs. Gordon Holcomb, and Bill Childers. T. R. McCutcheon of Robert Lee recently received medical treatment. Hershell Smith recently underwent an emergency operation at the Sealy Hospital. R. T. Ransberger of Coleman was discharged last week following an operation. Mrs. B. F. Cook of Elida, New Mexico was dismissed this week following an operation. Mrs. E. P. Baines of Nocton was discharged recently following a major operation. Mr. J. D. Row of Gouldsbuck was discharged last week following an operation. W. R. Weaver was dismissed Monday following a serious major operation from which she is recovering satisfactorily. John Earl son of Mr. and Mrs. Clay D. Fox of Rockwood returned to his home last week following treatment of a broken leg sustained three weeks ago while he was playing on a tank dam. Mr. Dan Winice of Cisto was a recent surgical patient in the Sealy Hospital. Patsy Lou, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Murrell of Cisto was a recent medical patient. W. B. Houch of Rock Springs was recently dismissed following medical treatment. Mr. Buck Gray of Olton, Texas was dismissed last week following treatment for gunshot wounds in the left hand. Mrs. Rex Golston returned to her home last week following surgical treatment. Mrs. Will Doyle of El Dorado is convalescing from a serious major operation experienced last week. Mrs. W. B. Watson of whom recently received medical treatment. Mr. Roy Winfrey of Bangs returned home last week following medical treatment. Miss Zeida Riley of Gouldsbuck received medical treatment recently. Woodrow Blackwell of whom returned home Monday following a recent emergency operation for appendicitis. Mrs. N. B. Ruppert of Hazelhurst, Mississippi underwent a serious major operation last week. Mr. T. R. Smith of Cross Plains was a medical patient last week. Mrs. Zollie McGuire of Milford entered the hospital last week and was operated Saturday. Miss Dorothy McClure of Bangs received treatment last week for pneumonia. J. W. Shelton of Talpa is convalescing from an emergency appendix operation suffered last week. Elmer Woods of Gouldsbuck had a major operation last week. Miss Rebecca Turner, who has been in the hospital for x-ray and diagnosis, was carried to her home improved Thursday. Mrs. J. S. Connelly of Cross Plains is a medical patient this week. Napoleon Watson underwent a skin-grafting operation for severe burns sustained last Christmas, Monday. Dots, the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Jones of Coleman was dismissed Friday following a tonsillectomy operation. Frank, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Baucum, had his tonsils removed last week. Willie Beth, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Reid of Regency, was dismissed Saturday following medical treatment. M. E. Howe, of Cross Plains is a medical patient in the Sealy Hospital. Mrs. Matt Estes of Rockwood was a medical patient the first of the week. Collin Price returned home last week following an operation for ruptured gangrene appendix.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. George England are the pleased parents of a son, Jodie Hal, who arrived about three weeks ago. We regret the oversight which prevented our publishing the announcement sooner. Mrs. D. Thornton, Mrs. T. T. Perry and Pat Hosch returned Sunday from San Antonio. Mrs. J. D. Thornton left Wednesday for Story, Arkansas, where she will care for her daughter, Mrs. Minnie Morgan, who has been an inmate of the State Sanatorium in Arkansas for several months. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Campbell of Rosebud were here Sunday for the funeral of Hubert Murrell of Shield. Mrs. Jack Bostick and Mrs. A. S. Hort of Rockwood visited here Saturday. Mrs. Bob Johnson and Mrs. McSwain of Rockwood spent Monday in the Milford, Harris home. G. A. Shuckley returned home Thursday from Hamilton, where he visited for several days. Mrs. D. Durham of Hamilton recently visited her daughter, Miss Edlian, who teaches in the local schools, and other relatives here. Her son, Wayne, took her back to her home. Messrs. Jas. P. and Bill Mitchell of Brownwood were business visitors in Santa Anna Tuesday. Mrs. Chas. McHorse of Coleman was a Santa Anna visitor Monday. Mrs. Sam Collins and daughters Berta Fay and Lavonne, of Coleman were Santa Anna visitors Tuesday. John Franklin Turner, Edson Watkins, Wendell Spackman, and William Ragsdale, who are attending the Texas Technological College at Lubbock, spent Sunday in their homes here. John Franklin had as his guests his sons, T. E. and Ralph Campbell of Lubbock. C. D. Bruce and family of Junction spent the week-end with the lady's mother, Mrs. J. R. Rinker. Mrs. Oscar Williamson and daughter, Mrs. Euphemia Bell returned Monday from Fort Worth. The Stock Show and also a visit with relatives and friends in Sherman and Lovejoy. Capt. Sam H. Collier transacted business in Temple Wednesday and Thursday last week. Mrs. J. C. Lovelady of Rockwood is visiting this week in the home of her son, Dr. R. R. Lovelady. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Ryan of Wallford spent last week-end in the Sam Everett home. Miss Irene McCreary and William Earl Ragsdale returned to Abilene Tuesday where they are students in Simmons University. Audas Smith returned Wednesday, and Miss Loretta Smith will go next Monday. ERNEST LEE WOMACK ADMITTED TO PI GAMMA MU Ernest Lee Womack has been admitted to the organization of Pi Gamma Mu at Trinity University at Waxahachie. This is a National Social Science Honor Society with chapters in leading colleges in the United States. The purpose of Pi Gamma Mu is the inculcation of the ideals of scholarship, scientific attitude and method and social service in the study of all social problems. This is to aid the undergraduate student so that he may go forth and inspire this purpose in the community in which he lives. Students must meet certain standards in order to be eligible for membership. Two full years work in a social science with a high scholastic rating is required, as is also certain other standards. FARM RELIEF BILL PASSES WASHINGTON, March 22 (AP)—The farm relief bill, an integral part of President Roosevelt's emergency program, was passed by the house today by a strong bi-partisan majority. The bill now goes to the senate for passage.

NOTICE OF ELECTIONS: SANTA ANNA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

By virtue of authority vested in the Board of Education, an election is hereby ordered and notice is hereby given, that there will be an election held Saturday, the 1st day of April, A. D. 1933 at the STATE NATIONAL BANK BUILDING in Santa Anna for the purpose of electing TWO trustees. J. S. Gilmore, P. Ewing and G. W. Faulkner are appointed to hold said election. Ordered by the Board of Education in regular session, March 6, 1933. J. FRANK TURNER, Pres. HARRY BLUE, Secretary

BILL TO CUT STATE TAXES IS ENGROSSED

AUSTIN, Texas, March 22 (AP)—The Texas senate today engrossed a proposed constitutional amendment designed to reduce state taxes and expenditures. The proposal would limit state revenues from taxes, licenses and permits and fees to twenty dollars per capita each biennium. Governor Walter Woodward of Coleman is an ally of the resolution. It also would limit municipal expenditures from such revenue to twenty dollars per capita.

WAR ON THE WAY

For many months some of our best citizens have been predicting a revolution in this country, but since the Big Stick has again come into play they are silent as a deaf mute. But not so as regards Europe. Here the sword of Mars hangs by a thin thread that is becoming weaker day by day. Nations consumed with hatred and animosity of each other and are jostling back and forth, paving the earth in their greedy wath. How soon will some significant incident ignite the bomb that is destined to blow off the lid and engulf the world in a war far more devastating than the last one? It is quite possible that foreign governments are defaulting on their war debt payments to the United States because they see war in the offing and want that cash with which to buy munitions of destruction. In the present state of the world no act would be surprising.

MERCHANTS TUESDAY SHOW

The free tickets which have been being distributed by the merchants admitting customers to the Merchants Matinee and night show at the Queen Theatre, have been changed to a 5c admittance fee. The merchants will continue to give the free tickets with a 5c cash purchase, but those using the tickets will be required to pay a 5c admittance fee at the door. This is a much better arrangement than the former and we feel will meet with the general approval of the public.

EDUCATION AND MORALITY

Some people are of the opinion that education has little influence upon morals, but this is a mistake. Education properly planted in the minds of young men and women carries with it a high sense of morality, of right and justice. A proper sense of morality is one of life's greatest assets. When that sense is absent it is an indication that the institution of learning at which the education was acquired was derelict in its duty to mankind. Feeling better already.

Milligan News

We did not have a very large attendance at Sunday School Sunday on account of the funeral at Shield where Mr. Hubert Murrell was buried. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vinson and children and Miss Irene Banks spent Saturday night and Sunday in the Harvey Davis home in the Cleveland Community. Mr. and Mrs. John D. Birmingham of Shield visited in the D. P. Wheatley home Monday. Mrs. W. L. Banks and Sylvia Ruth spent Tuesday of last week with Mrs. J. D. Thornton of Santa Anna. Little Edwin Banks spent last week with his aunt, Mrs. S. T. 3rd of Shield. James Dunn and Ellis Brown visited Cecil and R. L. Banks Sunday. Mrs. J. D. Thornton of Santa Anna took dinner in the W. L. Constable home last Thursday. Guests in the W. L. Banks home Sunday evening were the Margaret Henderson family of Tridham.

THE NEW DEAL

THE NEW DEAL is here—and what a shuffle! There has been more real action in Washington in the past week probably than in any like period in history. And there has been more genuine, whole-hearted co-operation throughout the broad expanse of the land than for the past four years. President Roosevelt has undertaken the most gigantic task that ever confronted a chief executive of the Nation. The firm start on the program and the rapid progress made since the President assumed his unprecedented responsibility has caused a new light of confidence to shine on the eyes of his countrymen. Confidence that marks the beginning of a new day and the end of the hateful thing that was known as the depression. When Franklin D. Roosevelt has conquered the complex problems of an ill Nation and completed his new deal, one thing is certain, he never will be a "Forgotten Man." The doctor has prescribed, and confidence is the medicine that now is purring this country of the tenacious depression. A great leader has arisen and it is up to the people to "beat a charge"—Americans do not know how to "beat a retreat!" (Kerville Mountain Sun.)

M. E. SOCIETY

Time: 3 p. m. Monday, March 27th. Place: Mrs. E. D. McDonald. Hostess: Mrs. E. D. McDonald, and Mrs. T. R. Sealy. Leader: Mrs. Harry Blue. Hymn: "Jesus Calls Us." Scripture: Mark 1:29-31. The Deaconess. Who is She?—Mrs. Tom Hays. Answer roll call with the name of a deaconess. The Story of Lucy Rider Meyer—Mrs. Ollie Weaver. Solo: "The Voice of God is Calling."—Mrs. McDonald. Prayer for Deaconess: Mrs. Morgan. Business. Social Hour. Senator James Hamilton Lewis of Illinois has no respect or sympathy for the occupants of our prisons. He insists upon dumping a lot of high finance and big business crooks in with them.

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Root for the home team. Admiration Coffee is made by a Texas institution, for Texans. It is a product of which Texans may well be proud.



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New Guide Book For Poultry Raisers

An exceptional book full of good chicken sense for the man or woman raising chickens, is to be found in the new PULINA POULTRY GUIDE, just off the press. It's an attractively bound and beautifully illustrated volume of over 100 pages, presenting interest the necessary things a poultry owner wants to know, and needs to know, without having to spend much time searching for them. Stating frankly that no attempt has been made to include all the knowledge there is about poultry, the book nevertheless gives striking evidence that some years of sound experience and information have entered into its preparation. Everyone owning poultry will find in this publication information that will make poultry raising more profitable. Popular breeds of poultry, care of chicks, battery brooding, producing broilers, tips on raising turkeys, winter care of layers, setting eggs in summer, producing quality eggs, egg to egg feeding plan, feeding ducks, raising tame birds, poultry diseases and parasites, care of hens in winter, easy way to cull, poultry sanitation... these are some of the essential subjects skillfully presented in an easy helpful style by men who know poultry for the man or woman who raises poultry. The Guide is priced at fifty cents but for a short time can be obtained by users of Purina Startena from B. T. Vinson at a substantial discount. Exit the lame ducks, without a departing quack.

Mrs. Anna Thomas of whom man spent Tuesday afternoon in Santa Anna.

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PIGGLY WIGGLY FLOUR sale FINEST QUALITY FLOUR. Gilt Edge 48-pound sack .65, Gold Crown 48 lb sack .84, Everlite 48-pound sack .98. The Flour Market Is Strong... Buy Now. BROOMS Nice size Painted handle only .15. SOAP P and G or Crystal White 10 bars for .25. SALT Plain Block .39, Sulphur Block .49, 100 lbs Stock .59. Friends Here is a Big Bargain On Salt. OAT MEAL Big 55-oz package for only .10. WASHING POWDER large 25c size for .10. Our Market Specials SLICED BACON Wilson's Delicior pound .15. HAMS Armour's Star Whole or cut one time pound .12. BEEF ROAST We have bought some stew-ardson f baby beaves. pound .10. We will have Fresh Oysters, also Nice Dressed Hens on SPECIAL. Piggly Wiggly welcomes visitors to Santa Anna for our Track and Field Event. We invite you to visit our store.

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