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"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

County Track Meet To Be Held In Santa Anna

J. M. Binion met with the superintendents and coaches from over the county in Coleman Friday evening of last week, and arranged for the County Track and Field events to be held in Santa Anna this spring.

The literary events will be held in Coleman, Friday and Saturday, March 24-25 and the field events will be held in Santa Anna Saturday.

This event will bring a number of people here from over the county, and will give Santa Anna an opportunity to strut her stuff.

We hope Santa Anna joins in a united effort to make our visitors enjoy themselves while in the Mountain City.

WIFE OF FORMER RESIDENT DIES

Word was received here last week that Mrs. Ray Bechman of Weatherford, had died on January 31, after a 10 days illness from pneumonia. Mrs. Bechman was Miss Lumina Dumas of Coleman before her marriage to Ray Bechman, of this place, in 1904. They moved to Stanton from here, and to Weatherford in 1919.

The Bechman family will be very kindly remembered by many who were living here at that time, and regrets felt that this one had to be taken.

Friends will be glad to learn that B. Thompson is much better after his illness the first of the week.

Frances Louise Adams Wins Honor

Frances Louise Adams, a member of the class of 1932, has won recognition in the public speaking department of Texas University. In the finals of the Wilmot Declamation Contest she was accorded first place over five other contestants in the women's division. In the preliminaries more than fifty students participated.

The subject of Frances Louise's declamation was, "The Present Significance of the United States Constitution."

The "Daily Texan" of Friday, February 24th, says concerning this contest, "The contest, which was concluded with the final elimination Thursday, is the twenty-ninth of its kind, having been originated in 1905 by Dr. E. P. Wilmot. The first prize of \$50 in cash, and \$30 in trade, given by the University Co-op, will be divided equally between the winner of first place in the men's division and the winner of first place in the women's division."

Santa Anna High School is very glad that Frances Louise has attained this success and hopes that she may continue her achievements.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bro. Sidney W. Smith of Abilene will preach at the Church of Christ next Sunday at 11 o'clock A. M. and 3 o'clock P. M. Everybody invited to hear him. Amos Taylor.

Leonard Phillips and family visited in Comanche Sunday.

Coleman County Shares In Gasoline Tax

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 28. Coleman county taxpayers will save more than \$250,000 on their outstanding road bonds through the refunding act of the Legislature last year, according to preliminary figures just compiled by the state highway department.

Gasoline tax revenues are providing the money for this saving, beginning this year. The law sets aside one cent of the four cent gas tax, or more than \$7,000,000 a year. Each month's portion of this income is to be divided in the proper ratio and paid against the maturities of each county for that month.

The ratio is to be set by the new Board of County and District Road Indebtedness. Gibb Gilchrist, its chairman, said that while payments already have begun, the amounts thus far are too scattered to bear any real significance.

The highway department's records show that Coleman county has contributed \$254,869.99 to the construction of designed state highways and bridges since the department was established in 1917. Judge A. O. Newman has given state officials an estimate which covers a longer period, totaling \$565,000. The amount finally approved will be somewhere between the two.

The total expenditures of this type by all the counties of the state, since 1917, total \$90,345,287, according to highway department records. Estimates of county officials are still larger but highway officials believe the ultimate total will be about \$110,000,000. On the basis now set by the legislature, from 12 to 15 years would be required to pay it from the gasoline tax.

The Texas Good Roads Association, which secured these figures from the department, pointed out that in addition to the one cent of the tax which goes to county bonds, another cent goes to the state school fund, leaving but two cents of the tax for its primary purpose—the construction and maintenance of roads.

"Surely the motorists of Texas," the association's statement said, "are entitled to the remaining one-half of this special tax for highways and highways alone, unmolested by any further diversions. It will provide barely enough money to carry on the highway program on a much-reduced scale."

In order to weld the motorists of the state into a unified force for concerted action in their own interest, the association is now engaged in a statewide membership campaign, at a nominal fee. Civic leaders in every county in Texas are being selected to head local campaigns.

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

The Girl Scouts met last Wednesday afternoon at the regular time. We had a good attendance.

Miss Margaret Wylie, our second lieutenant gave us some good exercises. We will continue these each week.

It won't be very long before we will meet at our Scout Hall down town.

SEVENTH GRADE NEWS

We sold candy last week on Tuesday.

The girls and boys went to Coleman Friday afternoon to play baseball. The girls did not get to play. The boys played and Coleman won 7-5.

We are all looking forward to our fourth six-weeks exams. We hope everyone will pass.

Some of the pupils brought ears of corn for a corn test, but the rats got into it and ate it all.

LINE DEVOTIONAL CLUB

The Line Devotional Club met at the School House Friday night for their regular Devotional Study. Songs were sung, and then the program lesson, taken from the eighth chapter of John, was rendered. The part "The Adulterous Woman" was given by Mr. Williams; "The Light of the World," by Dora Davis, and "The Jews Answer," by Mrs. Newman. The Bible Drill which followed was enjoyed by all.

More songs were sung while the program was made out for next time. The meeting adjourned after the benediction by Mr. Williams.



Squires, Of Coleman, Preach In Revival Here

The Spring revival at the Baptist Church will begin Sunday, March 12, and continue for two weeks. Rev. P. F. Squires, pastor of First Baptist Church of Coleman, will do the preaching.

We extend a hearty invitation to the general public to attend this meeting. Services twice daily.

This is call to righteousness, and it is greatly needed at this time. There is pollution and corruption on every hand, and there is only one hope for a cure and that is in a return to God which will correct the evils in every walk of life.

The spiritual minded and prayerful people of the town are urged to begin now to pray for a great revival.

HAL C. WINGO, Pastor.

Coleman Friends Storm Dr. Sealy

Monday evening when Dr. Sealy retired from the Hospital to his home, he was agreeably surprised upon his arrival to find a number of friends from Coleman, who took the doctor and wife by surprise and stormed them with an anniversary party in honor of the anniversary of the doctor's birth. Dr. Sealy, we might add, only has a birthday anniversary every four years, being born on February 29th.

Tables were arranged and most of the party enjoyed a game of "Progressive 42" while others spent a social hour in conversation.

At the suggestion of Dr. Sealy, Judge E. M. Critz and Dr. H. A. Robertson chose sides and engaged in an old-time spelling match. The writer pronounced the words, the hardest we could select from a book taken from the family library, and if you think those Coleman folks are dumb on their spelling, you have another guess coming.

After all had to sit down except Judge Critz and Mrs. McKinney, an old Webster's Dictionary was brought into use, and the most difficult words to be found were selected, but neither would miss until the editor found a complicated word and pronounced it with the wrong sound and articulation just in order to bring the spelling match to an end, which brought the victory spellers to their seats.

After the spelling match a dish of refreshing ice cream was served. Judge S. J. Platt took charge of the assembly, made a short talk and presented the doctor with a number of small gifts as tokens of friendship and good-will from friends. Dr. Sealy commented on each gift and accepted them with words of gratitude from a jovious heart.

Each one present paid a tribute to Dr. Sealy for his faithful and efficient services in the past, and bade him many good wishes for future years.

At a late hour the guests departed for their homes, all of one accord, that the evening had been a pleasant one almost beyond expression.

Those coming from Coleman were Judge and Mrs. S. J. Platt, Judge E. M. Critz, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Wilson, Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Robertson, Mayor J. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. McCulloch, Mr. and Mrs. John F. McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Green, Miss Nellie Green, Mrs. Jane Scarborough, Mr. and Mrs. George O. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Sam T. Cobb, and Jack McClure.

Santa Anna Girls Win Basketball Championship

Monday night, February 27th, the Santa Anna Girls met the Brown Ranch girls in a hard battle for county championship. The victory was won by Santa Anna with a score of 43-37.

Immediately following the game the championship trophy was awarded by Supt. J. L. Beard to the Santa Anna team.

Mrs. Sealy Entertains Advisory Board

Tuesday evening Mrs. T. R. Sealy entertained with a dinner honoring her husband, Dr. T. Richard Sealy. Guests were members of the Advisory Board of the Sealy Hospital.

Following the dinner, the guests enjoyed "Forty-Two" until a late hour. Those who enjoyed the splendid hospitality were Dr. Jason Tyson, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Faulkner, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Woodward, Mrs. J. R. Gipson, Dr. and Mrs. E. D. McDonald, Dr. and Mrs. R. Lovelady, Miss Ruby Harper, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kirkpatrick.

Methodist W. M. S.

The Woman's Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. Sherman Gehrett with Mrs. J. J. Kirkpatrick as assistant hostess, Monday afternoon. An interesting program was led by Mrs. H. L. Voss, with Mrs. E. D. McDonald furnishing special music. An interesting playlet, presenting Scarritt College, was given by Mesdames Golston, Fry, Morgan, Ethridge, and Blue. After the program the hostess served hot tea, apple pie topped with cream, and cheese wafers. An interesting contest, "Jumbled type" closed the enjoyable meeting.

Members present were Mesdames W. H. Thiate, Hardy Blue, Rex Golston, Leman Brown, G. A. Morgan, Roger Hunter, Tom Hays, L. H. Fry, O. A. Ethridge, H. L. Voss, T. R. Sealy, E. L. Todd, H. W. Kingsberry, E. D. McDonald, C. B. Verner, C. O. Sellars and Loyd Burris.

SELF-CULTURE CLUB

Time: 3:30 March 10th. Place: Mrs. Tom Hays. Leader: Mrs. Hardy Blue.

Roll Call: Answer with a brief description of some beauty spot of Texas.

Panoramic View of Texas — Mrs. Blue.

Texas Missions — Mrs. Kirkpatrick.

Texas Wild Flowers — Mrs. Gay

Song: Eyes of Texas.

Further operations on taxpayers' pocketbooks are going to call for resort to anesthetics.

Chisholm Trail Boy Scout News

ABILENE, Texas, Feb. 25, 1933. Dr. R. A. Maddox of Abilene was elected President of the Chisholm Trail Council for 1933 at the recent annual meeting of the Chisholm Trail Council. Other officials to serve with him are Dr. E. P. Bunkley, Stamford, W. Graham Webb, Jr., Albany, Vice-Presidents and Roy Matthews Council Commissioner.

A Krauss of Winters, a real Scouter enthusiast will serve as Finance Chairman for the Council of seven counties and will cooperate with finance chairman of other cities in raising adequate finances for 1933. The Council budget of \$3,085 is the lowest in the history of Scouting in West Texas.

Three new troops are in the process of reorganization in Coleman, A Methodist, Baptist, and combination of Presbyterian and Christian Churches being the sponsors.

The Rotary Troop of Stamford will be chartered in the near future.

There was a good crowd present February 25th at the Anniversary celebration Moran, sponsored by the American Legion. This is a new troop but one progressing nicely. A large crowd witnessed the Boy Scout Program at the Methodist Church Haskell Sunday night, Feb. 26th. On Sunday night Feb. 19th all scout troops of Coleman were represented at the Anniversary Program held at the Methodist Church. The feature of the program was the presentation of an Eagle Badge by Senator Walter Woodward to his son Mac Woodward, President Thos. E. Hayden, Jr. of the Chisholm Trail Council made the principal address. The Anniversary Banquet at Coleman the 16th was attended by one hundred scouts and parents.

Other anniversary programs are expected to be held soon in Haskell, Rule, Baird, Winters, Merkel, Albany and Santa Anna. A Bird House Building Contest, sponsored by the Abilene Unit of the DAR will close March 12th and a large number of boys are expected to enter. Last year practically every prize won was a member of the Boy Scouts of America. This year prizes offered amount to \$12.50.

The Annual May Jamboree will probably be held at Camp Tonkawa May 12-13.

Training Courses for Boy Leaders will be held soon in Haskell, Winters and Albany.

The News regrets very much that a news item of interest to so many was omitted last week through oversight. The item was that Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Baker and daughter, Miss Effie, and Mr. C. M. Grady of Brownwood spent Valentine Day in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wells. Mr. Brown, who has been ill for several weeks, is able to be up part of the time now.

Big Rabbit Drive Thursday, March 9

The Santa Anna News has been requested to announce a community rabbit drive in the Junction community for Thursday, March 9th. All the citizens are requested to meet at the Junction school house at 8 o'clock in the morning to formulate the rules and start out on the drive. Dinner will be served at the school house at noon. All are invited.

TRICKHAM H. D. CLUB

The Trickham Home Demonstration Club met at the Church last Thursday, with nine members present. Mrs. Jess York, our president had been asked to see what a new sealer would cost, and after she reported on the price, motion was made and passed to buy a new sealer instead of fixing the old one. The motion also passed that each member of the club be assessed fifty cents membership fees, and the money used to purchase the sealer. Mrs. Ben Melver is the secretary and treasurer.

The next meeting will be held at the church on March 7.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL P-T. A.

The P-T. A. will meet in its regular meeting Tuesday March 7. The program committee has arranged a very interesting program on "What the Community Owes the Child." Dr. Lovelady will discuss "Play and Its Relation to Health." Rev. G. A. Morgan "The Moral Influence of Play." Through the influence and efforts of former scout master W. R. Kelley, Jr., Mr. Stumway, district scout leader of Abilene, Texas, assisted by Dr. Surfaced, also of Abilene, will present the phases of scout work. All parents who are interested in wholesome recreation for the young life of our community are urged to attend this meeting.

NOT LONG DELAYED

One reason for the tardiness of the political situation which confronts us at the present moment, Mr. Hoover's government is merely carrying on until March 4, when a new government will take over the reins of control. Congress is still in the midst of its law making festivities, with the dying lame ducks exerting a powerful last ditch influence. The public is still uncertain as to the personnel of the next cabinet, as to the policy Mr. Roosevelt will pursue relative to war debts. Industry is up in the air and knows not which way to turn.

With the advent of the new government and the new congress, and with the enactment of legislation necessary for a return to prosperity, we believe a noticeable change for the better will not be long delayed.

AS WE SIT AND THINK (Sometimes Just Sit)

The writer and Capt. Sam H. Collier spent some time in Austin the past week, and while there, the writer visited the Legislature and busied himself at length interviewing members of the House and Senate, concerning legislation pending before the two bodies for action.

We will try to write this article as a matter of news without resorting so much to our personal opinion. The people are keeping posted as much as possible as to what our legislators are doing, and justly so. But many of the bills pending before the legislature will never reach the ears of the public until some of them are enacted into law, others will be defeated, as they should be and will never be brought to our attention.

There are now about 600 measures before the house, some few of them are deserving and should have attention, but the majority of them should be expunged on first reading and consigned to the waste basket for obliteration.

A great protest is being sent up from the consuming public over the state against the passing of a general sales tax in any form, and those who have not yet made their protest should do so at once. The public is justified in demanding that no new or extra tax burdens be shouldered upon us under the present crisis. Our state budget can be balanced by cutting the overhead expenses and such should be done under existing conditions. Furthermore, all measures proposed where the government plans to interfere with legitimate business, should be expunged. Several merchant bills pending that, to our mind, would interfere with legitimate trade and competition in business and are unfair measures. What we mean by government interference is, for the state or national government to set up a business in competition to honorable and legitimate business at a loss to the government and destruction of property owned by private individuals who have invested the earnings and talents for life in business that is needed, and are using their capital and talent for the betterment of mankind and the world at large.

Class legislation should be barred and all people should be allowed to enter into clean and competitive business at their own discretion. There should be no law to bar one man from engaging in a line of legitimate business and permit others. Such laws are class legislation and we are unable to make anything else of them.

Class legislation is being fostered by a state organization of furniture and hardware merchants to prohibit public utilities companies from selling appliances and other merchandise incidental to the welfare and progress of their business. Another bill pending is being fostered by Texas Druggists to prohibit grocery stores and restaurants from selling patented medicines and other such merchandise usually sold in drug stores, and in retaliation to the above mentioned bill, the grocery stores and restaurants have a bill pending to prohibit drug stores from selling tobacco, sandwiches, chili, ice cream and other items not recognized as being item connected with the drug line. There was some talk of offering a bill to prohibit filling stations from selling cold drinks and lunch stands from selling pop corn, but they may never be brought up for consideration.

We could sit and write several pages about what is going on in Austin and Washington, but don't think we would be justified in doing so. We met a number of fine fellows in Austin, and really enjoyed our stay while there, and would be glad to spend more time there while the legislature is in session, but for more reasons than one we cannot afford it. Our 1933 business here demands our time and our finances are too limited to permit us staying in Austin. However, we are keeping an eye on the Capitol and watching the movements of our representatives while there, and our note book will furnish some things of interest for the future.

The Texas Press Association maintains an office in Austin during the legislative term, and the following is Resolution No. 5 from our Tax Advisory Committee. Read it and think.

Resolved, fifth, that it is the sense of this committee that there should be no new tax levies made by the 43rd Legislature to make up existing deficits or to replace the revenue that will be lost because of the Homestead exemption amendments, but that this problem should be solved mainly by the reduction in expenditures for the next biennium, which reduction in the estimation of this committee should not be less than five million dollars per annum; provided, however, that in the event any new system of raising revenue is devised, or any new source of tax revenues is tapped, that such new system of raising revenue or such new source of tax revenues tapped shall not be in addition to but in lieu of existing systems of raising revenues or sources of tax revenues tapped.

Did You Declare Your Independence March 2?

On March 2nd, 1836, as every good Texan knows, Texas declared its independence from Mexico.

How about yourself? Each individual must win his own independence, and no independence is possible without financial independence.

If you haven't yet achieved your financial independence, start working for it today by taking advantage of opportunities offered at this bank.

The First National Bank

OF SANTA ANNA, TEXAS

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J. J. GREGG, Editor & Publisher

What's The Matter With Texas?
By S. W. Adams, Austin.

There are three large and many small hotels in Austin. They are crowded all the time, and legislation is embarrassed, harassed and shackled by these lobbyists; yet no one is wise enough to handle them.

But, the greatest handicap legislation has when it undertakes to inaugurate economy, it is the powerful official lobby, with education leading. The capitol rats, with their cousins rambling every section of Texas, swarm about committees, stalk members, and not only openly plead for more and more tax money, but use every known means of intimidation to get it.

The cry of the tax dodger is: "Property taxes have broken down; we must find new sources of taxes and see that all men pay taxes."
The capitol rats join in and cry, "Give us the sales tax, because it will get the money."
If property taxes have broken down, then private property will crash; for no private right, immune from taxes ever survives. That means that these men here, representing the 10 per cent here, own the wealth of Texas, are crying for freedom from tax burdens, not realizing that they are hastening the day of paternal government, and then we shall have socialism, communism or fascism.

The discerning eye can see down here, as at Washington, the slowly converging forces that will put government in all business which will give us a fascism, regardless of what we think about it. If we want security in job at the expense of security in liberty, all we have to do to have it is to sit idly by and let these forces at work have their way.

One wing down here says, "We are not for the sales tax, except as an expedient—we must balance the budget."
Then we retort, "You would employ the modern constabulary hijacking methods. You know the police, could make much more money if they had the nerve to raid the rendezvous of the rich, but that would be dangerous; they turn to the resorts of the poor, and make their raids. To turn from property tax and income tax to the sales tax is admittedly the course of a government afraid to match its strength with the strength of entrenched wealth—yet, should the dignity and power of the State, raid the Treasury of wealth, it would find thousands of dollars, whereas in the pockets of the masses it will only find pennies."

Texas Legislators are crying for the masses; they are being shoved into legislation for the classes. Only the Weekly Press can cry out NOW, and it must, or penance will become more abject, and our nation will cease to be the charm of the free and the home of the brave.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20. (AP)—Maintenance of sound money and reduced government expenditures were urged before the Senate finance committee today by two of the nation's outstanding bankers as vital steps along the road to better times.
They were Melvin Traylor, Chicago—boomed last spring for the Democratic presidential nomination—and Leonard P. Ayres, Cleveland, who lined up with other national leaders in insisting the budget be balanced and the currency unimpaired.
Traylor gave his views in an executive session of the committee.

Tip on Tax
LEGISLATIVE NEWS SERVICE OF THE TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION, AUSTIN

AUSTIN—Many measures are pending in the Legislature designed to reduce the cost of government. They range all the way from simple resolutions to constitutional amendments. Legislators are giving attention to the problem of local taxation, as it is affected by State Law, and bills are pending whereby local governing bodies will not be hampered in economy efforts by State law and constitutional provisions. The major share of the tax burden is for local purposes, cities, counties, and school districts.

Senator Purl of Dallas has introduced a resolution providing for a constitutional amendment abolishing the fee system, except as to public weighers, notaries public and county surveyors. It is believed that vesting in Commissioners Courts the right to fix salaries for officials who are now compensated by fees would result in great savings to the taxpayers. Other legislation, similar in purpose is being considered.

There seems to be a well-defined purpose to reduce the cost of the State government an average of 25 per cent. The House has already passed the judiciary supply bill, providing for that amount of reduction in salaries of district judges, appellate court judges and district attorneys. The Senate has not acted. Vigorous protests against the reductions have been made before the Senate committee, considering the bill.

Presidents and regents of teachers colleges are reported to be agreeable to a 25 per cent reduction in their budgets.
The House has before it a bill reducing automobile license fees one-third. Passage of this or some similar measure is regarded as certain.
A constitutional amendment introduced by Senator Walter Woodward, would limit the total cost of the State government to \$10 per capita per year. This proposal is unique in that it would compel economy by placing an arbitrary limit on expenditures. Approval of the amendment would place expenditures on the same per capita basis as 1927. In 1925 the per capita cost of State government was \$8.50. The peak was reached in 1930 when the figures were \$14. Last year the per capita was \$12.50.
It is claimed for this amendment that it would provide an automatic check on taxation, which is now virtually without limit. Another claim is that it would compel the discontinuance of bureaus, commissions and departments once their usefulness had passed. Instances of government bureaus and services being discontinued are rare. It is argued that this amendment would require the abolishment of less needed services when necessary for new ones arises.

Good Equipment Is Essential To Good Training

The most important thing in training young people for a useful career (next to that of the faculty) is the physical equipment of the school. This is especially true of the Business College, because much of the training in our business colleges consists of mastery of the latest modern office machines.
The Tyler Commercial College and School of Business Administration maintains modern and up-to-date equipment. High school graduates who are planning a business career will be interested in the type of equipment used by this big school.
The Tyler Commercial College owns its own building, which is a pressed brick construction, 140 feet wide by 135 feet long, three stories high with especially constructed annex on roof for Cotton Cladding. The entire building is especially designed for its permanent home. Unlike the average small business college, this big school does not occupy a few small office rooms up stairs over a garage or drug store without ample space.

We own over three hundred standard make typewriters. Our Banking Department is equipped with fifteen Electric Driven Bank Posting Machines, Adding Machines and Calculators.

So far as is known, it is the only Business College in the United States having a broadcasting station, representing an investment of over \$25,000. Fourteen large, spacious class rooms, equipped with over 1,200 modern double and single desks, large, spacious College Auditorium, with seating capacity of over 2,000.

Office Training Department equipped with the latest office machines, such as Multigraph Mimeographs, Addressographs, Folding Machines, Typewriters, Shorthand Machines, Bookkeeping Machines and a most modern Filing Department in connection.

The School of Radio operated in connection is equipped with all modern equipment for teaching all phases of Radio, including Television. Government licensed Technical Training short wave station in connection. Telegraph and Western Union Departments fully equipped with Motor Generators, Telegraph keys and sounders, especially built Western Union Typewriters, and all modern equipment. Cotton Cladding Department operated the year round, with government approved Samples as a basis for grading and stapling.
Space will not permit a full description of all the equipment of this school. Bear in mind, young people, unless the school you attend has sufficient equipment to efficiently train you, your success will not be what you expect it to be. Write for the current catalog of this school. Achieving Success in Business. It is free. Address the Tyler Commercial College and School of Business Administration, Tyler, Texas.

"Thrill Killer" Indicted Again

ANGLETON, Feb. 20. (AP)—Clyde Thompson, youthful slayer of Tommy Reis, a convicted at the Reprise state prison for murder by the Brazoria County grand jury.
Five months after the bills were returned, District Judge M. J. Munson set the trial date for March 2. Sheriff Jimmy Martin was ordered to call a special venire of 200 men.

HOW MODERN WOMEN LOSE FAT SAFELY

Gain Physical Vigor - Youthfulness With Clear Skin and Vivacious Eyes That Sparkle With Glorious Health
Here's a recipe that banishes fat and brings into blossom all the natural attractiveness that every woman possesses.
Every morning take one half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water before breakfast—cut down on pastry and fatty meats—go light on potatoes, butter, cream and sugar—in four weeks get on the scales and note how many pounds of fat have vanished.
Get a bottle of Kruschen Salts—the cost is trifling and it lasts 4 weeks. If even this first bottle doesn't convince you this is the easiest, safest and surest way to lose fat—if you don't feel a superb improvement in health—superbly energetic—vigorously alive—your money gladly returned.

But be sure for your health's sake that you ask for and get Kruschen Salts. Get them at any drugstore in the world.

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RAISINS Seedless 4 pound package 24c
LEMONS Sun Kist, large, per dozen 17c
BEANS Large Calif. Lima 2 pounds 15c
APPLES Fancy Delicious medium size, dozen 17c
PRUNES No. 1 Medium size California, 2 lbs 15c
Potted Meat, Red & White, 4 cans .15
GELATIN Red & White all flavors, per pkg. 5c
FLOUR Red & White "a real special," 48 lb sack 96c
SYRUP Singleton's Pure Georgia Cane, 10 lb can 49c
MACARONI Yankee Doodle brand, 4 pkgs. 13c
FLOUR Perfection 48 pound sack 65c
CHEESE No. 1 Full Cream per pound 14c
Oats Red & White Quick or Regular Flakes 55 ounce package per package .15
COFFEE Sun-Up Brand per pound 19c
BACON Swift's X Sliced per pound 13c
TOMATOES Blue & White No. 2 cans, 2 for 15c
BACON Dry Salt No. 1 grade, per lb. 6c
SEVEN STEAK per lb 10c
RIB STEW MEAT per lb 8c
Soda Red & White One pound packages ONE PKG 7c THREE PACKAGES 20

Liberty News

Everyone is rejoicing over the good rain which will benefit the growing grain so much.
Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Duggins spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Duggins.
Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Woodward of Rockwood were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Woodward.
The patrons of our school organized a P-T. A. on February 20. Mr. Beard, the county superintendent, gave an interesting and instructive talk. Details of our progress will be reported.
Mrs. Rufus Smith of Concord visited Mrs. J. A. Early Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rhodes entertained a crowd of young folks with a tacky party Saturday night.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McClure were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McClure.
Mr. Horace Early of Brownwood spent the week-end with homefolks.
Mrs. E. L. Woodward was shopping in Coleman Monday.
Miss Ruth Polk spent Tuesday night with Miss Ruth McGahey.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCannless spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mills of the Cleveland community.
Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Russell honored Miss Mattie Lee Early and Mr. Walker Stovall with a birthday dinner Sunday. Guests besides Miss Early and Mr. Stovall were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Early, Horace and Billy Early, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Powers, Mr. and Mrs. George Ethridge, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Howard, Mrs. Leo Scott and baby, Mrs. Oleta Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rhodes.
Mrs. S. H. Duggins visited Mrs. William Sheffield Sunday.

Won't it be just heartrending to see so many lame ducks hobbling around after March 4th?
Well, anyway, the country is not entirely down and out. The football coaches still have jobs.
Parents who once yearned to seem "refined" now have children who are content to seem timesophisticated.
There was one good thing about the longer courtship of old men who are content to seem timesophisticated. It resulted in longer marriage.

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
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Double Development or Money Back!
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Photographs have at last been taken of protons. Ten to one they think the results do not do them justice.

PLUMBING REPAIR WORK see or call C. O. WATKINS Phone 170

Whon News

Sister Blackwell filled her appointment - Saturday night but did not get to preach Sunday because of the rain.

The basketball girls went to Coleman Friday night to play ball with Santa Anna. We were defeated by two scores.

Misses Letha Smith and Leona Rutherford spent Friday night with Miss Ella Mae Avants.

Misses Mattie Zue Featherston and Louise Cooner spent the week-end with Miss Leona Rutherford.

Mrs. W. H. Rutherford of the Rockwood community has been staying with her son, Mr. Sam Rutherford for about a week.

Mrs. Ida Lou Herring, Mr. Harold Kinney, Miss Inez Shields, Mr. Mac Prater, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gill and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shields were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Hunter Wednesday.

Miss Hope Turney spent several days in Santa Anna with her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac McGonal of Iraan returned to their home after spending several days in this community.

Mr. Jimmie Moore of Iraan visited Miss Inez Shields Sunday. Miss Gertrude Hill spent Friday night and Saturday with Miss Lorene Carter.

There will be a program given by the school Friday night March 10. The purpose of this meeting is to re-organize the P. T. A. Mr. Clifton Wright spent Tuesday night with Mr. Ollis Johnson.

There has been quite a great deal of sickness among the little children of this community, but we are glad to say they are better now.

Albert H. Wiggin, New York financier, says 1932 was the turning point. It was, but we turned in the wrong direction.

Getting down to brass tacks we don't blame college professors for writing a lot of stuff nobody can understand. It's the only way they can keep their names in print.

Mrs. Hall Takes Special Course

Mrs. W. A. Hall has just returned from Dallas where she attended the Weichsel three days school of Cosmetology. She had instructions in finger waving under Condos of Chicago, and in Permanent Waving under Paul Rilling of New York.

Classes were held on the Peacock Terrace of the Baker Hotel during the day and at night the Style Show and classes were held in the Crystal Ball Room.

Operators from several states of the south were enrolled in the classes.



The Mountaineer

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SENIOR NEWS

Seniors have ordered the play "High Fliers" which will be given soon.

Jewel White, a senior, has withdrawn from school.

Ruby Williams and Kathryn Creamer won in the spelling elimination last week. Ruby had a perfect paper and Kathryn misunderstood a word.

The order for invitations was sent off this week. (Note from the editor—When you want free work you come to the Santa Anna News. When you have money to spend you send it out of town without giving your home printer a chance at it. J. J. Gregg.)

JUNIOR NEWS

Clemmie Lafferty withdrew from school last week.

Juniors enjoyed a picnic Tuesday afternoon. The sponsor and a few of the members were unable to go. Misses Gay Turner and Odelle Brown chaperoned the group.

JUNIORS HAVE PICNIC

Tuesday afternoon about twenty-four juniors, three sophomores and one senior went to Junction Lake on a picnic. As the sponsor was unable to go, the group was chaperoned by Misses Gay Turner and Odelle Brown.

Pictures were taken, various games played, and some of the most daring waded.

The picnic lunch consisted of weiners, pickles, rolls, and fruit. The class hopes to have another picnic when it will be convenient for the sponsor and the entire class to attend.

SCRAP BOOK STARTED BY HISTORY III CLASS

The American History Class is making a very interesting scrap book on current happenings, however they are putting some geography along with the current events.

The class will probably put this book in the library when it is finished so that the entire school may have use of it.

SPELLERS ELIMINATED

Spelling eliminations were conducted last week for the purpose of selecting those who will represent Santa Anna High School in Interscholastic League. Ruby Williams handed in a perfect paper. Kathryn Creamer did not misspell any words but misunderstood one. These two girls will compose the spelling team.

May Campbell and Sylvia Ann Everett tied for second place, both having splendid papers.

HOME ECO I CLUB

The Home Eco I Club met Wednesday Feb. 23 in its classroom. A very interesting program followed. After the house came to order, the minutes of the last meeting were read. Then a basket ball (bawl) stunt was featured by Lillian Bible and Pauline Ashmore. An old fashioned spelling bee followed in which we were given out words by the president to be spelled backwards.

A relay race came next, the girls were divided into two groups. Each side was given a spoon and some water. The object was to take a spoonful of water at a time and fill a quart jar. The side getting it full first won.

Refreshments of candy and cookies were later enjoyed by everyone.

BASKETBALL NEWS

County basketball tournament of girls' teams was held at the armory in Coleman last Friday and Saturday nights, February 24th and 25th. Eleven teams were represented.

Santa Anna defeated Whon Friday night with a score of 36 to 34. These two teams have been great rivals, and Santa Anna is very happy over the victory. There were many who supported the Santa Anna girls, and they were highly appreciated.

Santa Anna met Novice Saturday afternoon at three o'clock at the armory at Coleman with a victory of 37 to 12. Saturday night Santa Anna met Valera in a battle for the victory which was won by a score of 41 to 10.

Brown Ranch who has been winning over all their opponents is to be reckoned with Monday night at eight o'clock.

These two teams, being the leading teams, will probably have a hard fight. A silver loving cup will be awarded to the winning team.

TRACK PROSPECTS

Track men of Santa Anna High School are working in earnest this week and will continue to do so during the coming weeks in preparation for the county, district and state meets.

It is possible that the team may make the Barnhart invitation meet and the Fat Stock Show meet in Fort Worth. Several dual and triangle meets are likely to be held.

The team this year will be well rounded with most of its strength in field events, dashes, and the possibility of a good relay team. It is hoped that this year's team will make a good record in competition.

SIMMONS CHORAL CLUB TO BE HERE

Members of the Simmons University Choral Club will present a program here on March 30. The admission will be ten cents each and 25 per cent of the amount taken will go to the school.

NEW RULES - REGULATIONS

Some new rules have been made concerning tardies and low department grades. If a student is tardy without an excuse he will have to stay in forty-five minutes after school. If a student makes a falling grade in department, all offices of honor in the school will be taken from him.

DID YOU KNOW THAT:

The juniors had a picnic last Tuesday?

Exams are this week?

The Santa Anna Basketball Girls are to play in finals Monday night for county championship?

The football sweaters have been ordered? Work is still being done on "The Poor Married Man"?

A boys' tennis club has been organized?

Hayburners are better than fuel burners?

Mr. McGaughey of Brownwood invited the debaters team to participate in a tournament Saturday, but they were not able to go?

JOKEs

Mrs. Oakes sent her small boy Todd to town after some matches. He brought back a box. In a moment he heard his mother call "Todd, these matches aren't any good."

Todd readily replied, "Oh, yes, they are, mother, because I tried every one of them on the way home, and they all struck."

Mary Garrett (to Mary Delinger): "Did you ever taste a lemon?"

Mary D: "No."

Mary G: "Well, mother is making some lemon ice cream. Do you want to taste of one?"

Mary D: "Yes."

Mary D took a bite, then looked at Mary G. and said, "How long has your mother had these lemons?"

Mary G: "Oh, about a week."

Mary D: "No wonder they're sour!"

Mr. Combs: "Mary Lee, this meat tastes queer."

Mary Lee: "Well, that's funny. I'll admit I burned it but I applied Ungutline immediately."

James and J. T. were staying at J. T.'s aunt's while their mother was gone. It was nearing Christmas time. J. T. kept on praying for Santa Claus to bring him an aviator's suit. He kept saying it over and over and louder. James finally yelled,

"Hey, J. T. Santa Claus isn't deaf."

J. T.'s answer came back quickly as a flash. "No, but my aunt is."

Edwin Niell: "I have forgotten how far I've read in my book."

Mrs. Niell: "Just look for the place where the clean pages begin."

Garland: "Do you know the difference between a bus and taxi?"

Helen: "No."

Garland: "Fine, we'll take the bus."

Maxie: "No, I didn't take the job. There was no future to it. The owner's daughter was already married."

Two sailors were shipwrecked. "Say, Efram," said one of them, "can you pray?"

"No," said the other. "Well, can you sing a hymn?"

"No."

The first sailor thought hard for a moment. "Well," he said at length, "We'd better do something religious. Let's have a collection."

Mr. S. (in chemistry): "Does anyone know how iron was discovered?"

Russel: "Yes sir, they smelt it."

Mrs. Bertlett: "Who was Thomas A. Edison?"

John W.: "He was the man who invented the phonograph so we would sit up late using his electric lights."

Irene: "What kind of 'knots' can't be tied?"

John: "Not any."

Irene: "What about the mileage on the sea?"

Miss Hays: "I noticed you were talking in class this morning."

Louise W.: "I do not recall it. I must have been talking in my sleep."

Faye Henth: "I've often heard of the fool killer, but have never met him."

Mary B: "It's a very good thing you haven't."

"They stood there in the twilight glow while the western skies turned pink. The crimson sun was sinking low. And we stood there and let it sink." Jesse Guen.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Maurice Bell, formerly engaged in the drug business in Bangs is now associated with the Phillips Drug Company and has moved to Santa Anna with his family. Mr. Bell is a splendid druggist and also a good citizen. We are glad to welcome him to our midst.

Black record, medium ink Paragon ribbon for L. C. Smith, Royal No. 10, Underwood and Remington typewriters, 75c each at the News office.

W. T. Vinson, Ben Parker, G. W. Faulkner and son Fred, visited and looked after business matters in San Angelo Tuesday.

Chic and snappy new wash dresses at Mrs. Shockley's. Don't fail to purchase one.

A very smart line of silk dresses at Mrs. Shockley's. Call and see them.

Burgess Weaver visited his sister, Mrs. R. D. Moore in Fort Worth first of the week.

Subscribe for your periodicals at the News office.

Rev. and Mrs. P. F. Squires of Coleman were business visitors here Monday morning.

Mrs. E. W. Calvert and little daughter of Brownwood visited Mrs. Calvert's sister, Mrs. Hardy Stue, Monday. Mrs. Calvert will be remembered here as Mrs. Lois Reeves.

Miss Velma Sealy of State University, Austin, spent last week-end in the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. R. Sealy. Her mother, Mrs. Sherman Gehrett, Mrs. Minnie B. Pinney and Miss Ruby Harper accompanied her to Brady Sunday where she joined friends from San Angelo and returned to Austin.

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Mrs. W. A. Hall and daughters Miss Helen and Mrs. Claude Boone, and Mrs. E. W. Marshall left Sunday for Dallas, where Mrs. Hall visited the Weichsel School of Instruction, and Mrs. Marshall visited her son Forrest. They returned home Wednesday.

Miss Ruby Vollentine attended the finals in the Willnot Declaration Contest at Austin Thursday night. Her niece, Miss Frances Louise Adams, a freshman in State University was accorded first place in the contest.

Miss Mattie Ella McCreary spent the week-end in Abilene with her sister, Miss Irene, who is attending Simmons University.

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Mrs. Dewey Marshall and daughter June, Mrs. R. J. Marshall, Mrs. J. C. Morris and daughters, Elizabeth and Ruth visited in Coleman Thursday.

Tom Simpson visited in Midland last week.

Your wardrobe is not complete without one of those cute "Flying Cloud" sweaters or sweater suits at Mrs. Shockley's.

With the advent of the new year we should coin a new word. "Depression" has been overworked until it is common.

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Miss Fay Turner is visiting in Fry this week.

Miss Gay Turner visited Miss Mildred Stewardson of Rockwood this week.

New spring hats at Mrs. Shockley's. Prices are very low. Friends will regret to learn that Mrs. Miram Prickett is under the doctor's care, and that she has been ordered to bed for a month. We wish for her a full recovery, and hope that she will be able to continue in business when she is able to be up again.

New spring hats at Mrs. Shockley's. Prices are very low. Mrs. Crews Hardy of Brownwood visited here this week.

C. D. Bruce and Jeff rugate of Junction were in the city Wednesday and Thursday.

Hospital Notes

Mr. J. D. Row of Gouldbusk entered the hospital Monday of last week for treatment.

Mr. C. D. Adams of Shield was operated recently for ruptured gangrene appendix and general peritonitis.

Master Cecil Richardson returned to his home in Rockwood last week following an operation for appendicitis.

S. E. Campbell, principal of the schools of Pioneer, is receiving treatment in the local hospital.

Edward Schoor of Cisco returned to his home last week.

Mrs. J. W. Rice was carried home last week following treatment for pneumonia.

Mrs. Earl Bortright returned to her home last week.

Mrs. H. L. Boyd of Coleman underwent a minor operation recently.

Recent tonsillectomies were E. A. Lancaster of Coleman, Dennis Dempsey, E. V. Shields, Jr. of Brooksmith, Mrs. J. C. Grantham of Menard, and little Miss Vena Bob Dyches of Coleman.

Miss J. Lee Snaat of Cross Plains was a recent medical patient.

Bobbie Jo Robinson of Shield was here last week for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Lynch of Gouldbusk are the pleased parents of a son, Joe Floyd, who was born Wednesday of last week. The mother and baby were carried to their home Saturday.

Mrs. R. V. Lord of Richland Springs, who received treatment last week, returned to her home Saturday.

The condition of E. R. Purdy still remains critical.

Miss Jeail Robbins of Winters was operated Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. O. E. Medley of Mercury was here last week for treatment.

Mr. J. T. Gilbreath of Muleshoe was operated Saturday.

Mrs. O. S. Shelton of Talpa entered the hospital Saturday for treatment.

Dick Ratliff of Brooksmith is here for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Baxter and daughter Dorothy visited in San Angelo Wednesday. They were joined by Mrs. Leon Shield and children, who accompanied them, from Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Donaldson of Burkett are the pleased parents of twin sons who were born in the Sealy Hospital last Friday. The mother and babies were carried to their home Monday. The boys have been named Billie Wayne and Bobbie Lane.

Willie Evans, son of Louis Burney, is receiving treatment this week.

Billie Don, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Baker, received treatment this week.

Mrs. B. F. Cook of Elida, New Mexico, was admitted to the hospital Monday.

The condition of J. N. James of Talpa is reported satisfactory at this time.

Mrs. G. R. Forrester, wife of Rev. G. R. Forrester, pastor of the First Christian Church of Coleman, who had a major operation recently, planned to return to her home Wednesday.

Mr. Collin Price was operated two weeks ago for ruptured gangrene appendix. His condition is reported satisfactory.

Mrs. E. P. Bayne of Novice had a major operation last week. Her daughter, Miss Jo, of Belton, is nursing her.

R. T. Ransberger of Coleman entered the hospital Thursday and underwent a major operation. He is reported resting satisfactorily.

Baby Robert Loyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Smith of Five, was operated Saturday for empyema.

Mrs. R. R. Lovelady is nursing Mrs. D. P. Rockmaker of Coleman this week.

Mrs. D. P. Rockmaker of Coleman underwent a serious major operation Wednesday of last week. Her condition is reported satisfactory at this time. Her sister, Miss Frances Shelley, of New York, came in last week to be with her.

George Bryan, baby son of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Guice of Doole, died recently of pneumonia at the Sealy Hospital.

Presby'rian Church

How often did the master say, "Come." He asked his disciples to tarry in Jerusalem until they were endued with power from on high, then they were to go to the uttermost parts of the world. There are two very forceful words in the Gospel of Jesus Christ. They are GO and COME. We are to come together for the endowment of the Holy Spirit. He is our power. He will guide us into the truth. The Sunday services may turn our feet into paths that will lead us through fruitful fields during the week.

M. L. WOMACK, Minister.

Well, even if we haven't any money, we have "technocracy," whatever that is.

Congress appropriated billions for the relief of the little fellows and the big fellows are getting nearly all of it.

Plainview News

Honor Roll for the third month of school: Primary room, Ernestine England, L. C. Dunn and Gladys Perry; Fifth grade, Voncille Taylor; Eighth grade, Ze Willa Box, Ruth Leady and Josephine Williams.

Misses Alline and Ruth Leady spent Saturday night and Sunday with Misses Vada and Vera Horner.

Little Vada Dell Gober was on the sick list last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Smith visited in the Turney Smith home at Bee Branch last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. W. A. Brandon and son Ellsworth visited in the E. W. Gober home Thursday.

Our basketball boys won over the Line boys with a score of 10-9 Friday afternoon. The girls were defeated by the Line girls 10-4.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Horner and sons William Bailey and Richard spent Friday night with the lady's mother, Mrs. S. C. McNutt of Santa Anna.

Mrs. E. W. Gober and little daughter visited in the Paul Bivins home Tuesday.

Miss Mildred Hatcher of Coleman Junction spent a few days last week with Mrs. Dennis Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Whitley and sons Wayne and Julian visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Williams of the Cleveland community Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bivins visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dodgen Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sheffield visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rowe Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Dodgen visited Mrs. Paul Rowe Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Albert Dodgen and Mrs. Paul Bivins visited in the Milford Harris home Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Mamie Douglass visited her mother, Mrs. M. C. Woods Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Horner visited Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gober Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Rowe and Mrs. Eugene Henderson visited Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Ratliff Sunday.

Guests in the Marvin Whitley home Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sheffield and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bivins.

While pulling johnson grass, Quinnen McDonald sustained a severe cut in the palm of his hand.

Rockwood News

Everybody here was glad to see the fine rain that fell Sunday and Sunday night. It will give the farmers a good season for planting.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes and children spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Estes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moore.

Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Kirkpatrick of Indian Creek spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes. Rev. Kirkpatrick came to fill his regular appointments at the Baptist Church, but it was impractical to try to have services because of the bad roads.

The play sponsored by the P-T-A. was given last Friday night. A large crowd was delighted with the performances of the Comic Characters come to life.

Miss Rosabell Moore spent Tuesday night with her sister Mrs. Sam Estes.

Mrs. J. W. Wise and the J. W. Box family have been visiting relatives in Ozona.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bostick visited Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Woods Sunday.

Mrs. Vera Lovelady visited Mrs. Boss Estes Tuesday.

Life is full of bright spots. You have only to look for them in order to find them.

The League of Nations is to be commended. It is keeping its mouth shut.

Poor old congress is having a heck of a time in balancing the beer.

Coleman Junction

Rev. Adams of Brownwood conducted regular services here Sunday morning, but we were sorry there could be no services Sunday night, due to the rain.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Winstead of Coleman visited in the G. C. Winstead home Sunday.

Rev. Adams visited Sunday in the A. B. Ripley home.

Miss Opal Odom was a Sunday guest of Misses Alcene and Nadine Ripley.

Miss Velma Dunn spent Sunday with Miss Lena Moore.

Mrs. L. F. Hatener and daughter, Aloma visited last Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Ara Ripley Raymond Dunn spent the week-end with relatives at Shield.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ward of Silver Valley visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ward.

Misses Velma Dunn and Lena Moore, accompanied by Willis Moore and Lois Crump, visited Sunday with Miss Mattie Broocoe, of Coleman.

Everyone in the community greatly appreciated the rain.

Dale Hatcher spent Sunday with Roy Winstead.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wilder and family visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilder of Coleman.

We are sorry to report that Collin Price of this community has been seriously ill in the

Baptist Church

We had a small crowd Sunday morning and the night service was rained out. All services at the regular hours next Sunday, with night preaching service beginning at 7:30. The pastor will preach at both hours. Morning subject: "Laborers in the Vineyard" and night subject: "Prerequisites of a Revival."

HAL C. WINGO, Pastor.

TOO MUCH REGULATION

Regulations and still more of them continue to pour forth out of the legislative mill but the silliest of them is a bill now before the legislature to tell a merchant just what he can sell and cannot sell. Next thing one of the nuts down there will put a price on the merchandise and limit the amount a purchaser can secure at any one time. Just such as this has not only disgrusted the people but has made them lose confidence in the integrity and common sense of the legislators as a whole.

They might as well try to regulate how many eggs can be laid or how many green cheese in the market, or mess with some things that have on their calendar (German Progress).

Editor Cookrel could have added: Such fickle statutes are largely responsible for public sentiment and the growing disrespect for law. To maintain respect, the laws must be respectable.

There is one difficulty about putting to death weak-minded persons. It might include too many.

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Positive Relief in RU-NO-MA ONE TRIAL CONVINCES

Turner's Drug Store

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QUALITY AND ECONOMY

Choose for yourself

AND SAVE TIME AND MONEY ON EVERY PURCHASE

FLOUR New car of Gold Crown Flour 48-lb sack **.79**

SYRUP 100 gallons of the finest country sorghum gallon **.39**

OAT MEAL Large package 55-oz size **.12**

SOAP P and G or Crystal White 10 bars for **.25**

BAKING POWDER Clabber Girl none better 2 pounds **.23**

PEACHES Dried fruit is healthful food 5 pounds for **.44**

LOOK We have bought big lot chicken starting feed and all kinds growing mash at **SPECIAL PRICES**

Our Market Specials

OYSTERS The best of the season pint **.25**

CHEESE Full Cream none better pound **.15**

JOWLS Fine for boiling pound **.05**

We will serve White Swan Coffee Saturday. We invite you to try it

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