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## County Baptist Association Held Here

The annual two-day meeting of the Coleman County Baptist Association was held in the First Baptist church here last Thursday and Friday. The session was regarded as one of the most successful held in recent years.

Out-of-town speakers who gave reports and spoke were J. P. Reynolds of Dallas, who spoke for the Baptist Standard; J. J. Kellam of Dallas, who spoke for Buckner Orphans Home; J. C. Hardy, president of Baylor College for Women at Belton, and Thomas H. Taylor, president of Howard Payne College at Brownwood, spoke on Christian Education; and Dr. A. E. Prince, Moderator of the Brown County Association and pastor of the First Baptist Church at Brownwood, who spoke on Co-operative Denominational Work. Instead of the regular Associational Sermon, Dr. J. B. Leavell continued his Morning Revival Services.

In the course of the meeting reports were given on every phase of work sponsored by the Church.

One new church, Love Hill, was admitted to the Association.

The Association voted to send a car of food and clothes to Buckner Orphans Home in Dallas Thanksgiving.

General Officers for the next years work as elected Thursday are as follows: Moderator, P. F. Squyres, Vice-moderator, Hal C. Wingo, Clerk, T. D. Strickland, Treasurer, W. H. McCulloch, and Corresponding Secretary, J. R. McCorkle.

## B. T. S. Elects Officers

New officers for the Coleman County Association B. T. S. as elected at a call meeting last Friday, are as follows: President, Miss Queenie Gregg; Vice-presidents, G. C. Winstead of Coleman Junction and Coleman Davis of Coleman; Secretary-Treasurer, Miss Vada Horner, Santa Anna, Pianist, Miss Mattie Ella McCrery, Santa Anna; Chorister, S. W. Cooper, Coleman; Primary Department Leader, Mrs. J. F. Goen, Santa Anna; Junior Leader, Mrs. Hugh Lewis, Coleman; Intermediate Leader, Lester Newman, Santa Anna; Senior Leader, Mrs. W. W. Williams, Coleman; Adult Leader, Glen Gill of Whon.

### Singing Sunday Afternoon

We have been requested to announce the singing at the Cleveland Methodist Church Sunday afternoon. Every one is invited.

### NATIONAL GUARD CO. BACK HOME

Sometime during the night, Saturday, the Howitzer Co. 142 Inf. Texas National Guard returned from a two weeks encampment at Palacios in the southern part of the State.

The home company was awarded several honors at the encampment this year, as is their usual custom. There were 65 officers and men in the company that attended the encampment, and all returned safe, but their trip was not all like sailing on flowery beds of ease. Saturday night, August 13, the premises received a 12 inch rain, accompanied by a very high wind, which put the men to considerable inconvenience. All tents and equipment were moved indoors, and later set up again for camp.

We are glad to have the men back home and proud also that no mishaps overcame them.

### BANK TO CLOSE SATURDAY

Notice is hereby given that the First National Bank of Santa Anna will be closed all day Saturday, August 27th, the same being Election day.

## SANTA ANNA GOLFERS PLAY WINTERS

Wednesday of last week several of the local golfers went out to Winters and played a friendly tournament with the Winters team. Those from here to enjoy the sport were J. T. Garrett, W. H. Thate, Carl Williams, Virgil Newman, Emmett Day, Buck Wheeler, Hubert Turner, Tom Sealy, Sparks Whetstone, Jodie Baker, Rex Golston, W. H. Ragsdale, Fred Faulkner, Bob Garrett, Norman Hosh, J. M. Binion, Dr. R. R. Lovelady, accompanied by Robert Hunter and Rex Golston, Jr., who went for fun and pleasure. The Winters Enterprise gives the following report on the several matches. Ashburn and Caslisle won over Garrett and Binion 3 up; Newman and Williams won over Payne and Neely 2 up; Shepperd and Bedford won from Day and Lovelady 1 up; Smith and Mack won from Wheeler and Whetstone 1 up; Turner and Thate won from McDaniels and Looney 3 up; Henslee and Maddox won from Sealy and Baker 1 up. Bedford won from Golston 1 up.

## The Revival Season

This is the revival season. Churches in all parts of the Southland, and especially in Texas, are holding special meetings from one to two weeks, in which members are called on to reconsecrate their lives to Christian service, and those who have never confessed faith in Jesus Christ are urged to do so. These meetings will perform and always have performed lasting good. But there would be no need of revival or soulwinning campaigns if those of us who profess to follow a divine Leader would listen to Him more closely between campaigns. Scurry County Times.

A news item received at this office from Southwest Texas State Teachers College, San Marcos, Texas informs us that Miss Florence Niell of this city is one of 113 students of that institution to be awarded her B. A. degree. The baccalaureate sermon is to be preached next Sunday, August 27.

## Election Contest Looms

In the final analysis the responsibility of maintaining a pure and unsullied ballot belongs to the election officials—the men who hand out the ballots, check poll tax receipts, and run the machinery of the election.

It is often too late, after the election, to do anything about it. The time to act is before the fraud is committed. The state democratic executive committee headed by Judge W. O. Huggins of Houston apparently realizes this. In a the personnel of a committee to investigate charges of irregularity in various counties. Judge Huggins said that every precaution would be taken in the runoff election to see that election officials perform their duties according to law.

In some localities it is reported that supervisors will be appointed to see that the law is obeyed.

Whether or not there is any foundation for the charge that there was wholesale illegal voting in the first primary remains to be seen, but in some counties the vote cast so far exceeded the number of qualified voters—73 percent more votes than voters in one county in East Texas—that a thorough investigation should be made by the proper authorities, and every precaution should be thrown around the sanctity of the ballot box on August 27.

Should the various investigations develop evidence of fraud, it is probable that a good many local races in the counties affected will be overturned, and an endless succession of election contests ensue.

No one should be allowed to cast a ballot unless he is a fully qualified voter. Abilene Morning News.

## Santa Anna Public Schools To Open September 12

According to present arrangements, the public schools of Santa Anna will open for the season Monday, September 12. A letter from Superintendent J. C. Scarborough states that full details of the opening will be published next week.

Prof. and Mrs. Scarborough returned last week from Boulder, Colorado, where the Professor passed a successful examination on his work in the western University and was complimented by the faculty on his thesis, an experimental evaluation of the subject, "The Effectiveness of Work-Test Books in Teaching High School Mathematics" and also on his oral examination on all courses pursued.

Prof. and Mrs. Scarborough left Monday for East Texas, where they will visit for a week with relatives before assuming the duties of making preparation for the opening of the schools here.

We expect to have the complete data for the school opening ready for publication in our issue of next week.

## CITIZENS MET IN MASS TO DISCUSS WATER SITUATION

The Mayor and City Commissioners called a meeting of interested citizens in a general mass meeting at the City Hall Tuesday night for the purpose of discussing the water situation.

After a general discussion, it seems the general consensus of opinion was, that the city needs a change in the water system during fires and the Commission was requested to employ the services of a competent engineer to help find a solution to the problem and investigate the possibilities of making the necessary improvements.

The water pressure is sufficient except in event of a fire, but the pressure is too weak during a conflagration without a pump. There might be a pump installed that would relieve the situation, but in our opinion the only solution to the problem is larger water mains, and under the circumstances that would be almost an impossibility.

The City Commission will get busy at once and see what can be done and will exert their every effort to relieve the situation.

The citizens of the town could greatly aid the firemen by staying back out of the way during a fire. Just for curiosity, there are so many people crowd in on the firemen during a fire, they handicap the firemen in their efforts to fight. Several dollars worth of fire hose was run over by automobiles and ruined during the fire that destroyed the Harvey home one morning last week. It seems to us the City could pass an ordinance forbidding any one except the members of the fire company from crowding on the scene of a fire, and not overlook enforcing it, by imposing a fine on every one who violates the ordinance, and pretty soon the firemen would have better protection during a conflagration.

## METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. Morning worship at 11 A. M. Subject: "Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine."

The congregation will worship with the Baptists at the evening hour.

G. A. Morgan, Pastor.

## CARD OF THANKS

For the purpose of thanking the members of the Santa Anna Fire Department and their friends for their wonderful cooperation in helping us save our house and furnishings from the destructive fire.

Sincerely,  
Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Baxter  
Billy and Marilyn

## INJURIES FATAL TO C. O. JENKINS

C. O. Jenkins, about 60, of Bangs, died Saturday afternoon in a local hospital as a result of injuries received in a grist mill explosion at Bangs Saturday morning. Mr. Jenkins suffered internal injuries and a fractured left arm in the explosion and was rushed to the hospital here after being given first aid treatment in Bangs.

Mr. Jenkins was operating an old-fashioned grist mill with granite grinding stones at Bangs. Those who have seen this type mill say the stones became hot when ground too fast and some times explode with the force of dynamite.

Mr. Jenkins was well known in the Bangs section and had lived there for many years. Funeral services were held at Bangs Sunday afternoon. —Daily Bulletin.

## Hard To Handle

A few years ago people were roaring mightily over fast and reckless automobile drivers. They wanted motorists to jog along at fifteen and twenty miles an hour.

Now it is just the reverse. The fifteen or twenty mile driver is cursed more than any one else. He slows down traffic and is a general nuisance on the road, often a menace.

And especially obnoxious to all other motorists is the slow driver who hugs the middle of the road instead of remaining on the right side, or slow lane of traffic. In passing up these middle of the road huggers cars are compelled to swing over onto the left side of the road, in itself another menace.

Numerous states are undertaking to educate the loitering drivers up to a reasonable speed in order that normal traffic may not be impeded, but it is a difficult undertaking. The average slow driver is convinced that he is the only one who is within the law, and he strenuously objects to having his "rights" curtailed.

And as for hugging the middle of the road—well, doesn't the road belong as much to him as to others?

He is a difficult individual to persuade.

## Government In Business

(Stephenville Empire-Tribune)

The printing industry gets a laugh when notices are posted where business men make complaints to government officials about unfair competition. For a long number of years the government has been selling printed envelopes at a price that is nothing short of ridiculous. We believe it would be safe to say that seventy-five per cent of the business firms in Texas buy envelopes from the government even though it is an admitted fact that the practice is unfair and detrimental to the success of one of the largest industries in the country. Uncle Sam will print 200 envelopes for the princely sum of 20c and ship them free of charge from the city of Dayton, Ohio, to any address in the United States. If this printing plant were to print 500 envelopes in Stephenville and undertake to mail them, postal charges would be 35c.

A local business man stated last week that he saved a good deal of money by purchasing his envelopes from the government. The same day we paid this merchant \$4.00 for three items that would have brought no more than 40c had they been sold by Uncle Sam on the same basis he sells printed envelopes. We are just wondering what the reaction would be if the local postoffice stocked groceries, hardware, silk hose auto accessories and other lines and sold them to the public at envelope price levels. We are opposed, first and last, to any plan whereby the government enters the retail field. It is purely socialistic and decidedly unfair when one or two industries are singled out and made to suffer. And listen to this, Mr.

## Great Throngs Attending Revival At Baptist Church

The open air revival in progress at the Baptist church in all probability is drawing the largest crowds of any revival held in Santa Anna in years.

The evangelist, Rev. J. B. Leavell is doing some very effective preaching and the song and devotional services under the leadership of Joe Trussell are very inspiring.

There were more than fifty additions to the church last Sunday, about forty of them being for baptism. The remainder were by letter and upon the promise of letters.

The evening services being held in the open air adds a great deal in comfort to the large throngs attending, and the people seem to be listening to the gospel messages with an attentive ear.

There seems to be a fine spirit of cooperation on the part of other churches and much interest on the part of many who have no church affiliation. Sinners are being brought to repentance and those of an indifferent nature are being reconsecrated to God.

The meeting will continue throughout the week, and will likely close Sunday night, however, this statement has not been authorized by the pastor.

If you have not been attending these revival services, you will find it well worthwhile to attend as many of the remaining services as you can.

## Headed The Wrong Way

Quite a few years ago two bright young lads tired of the old village home and started out to see the country via the freight car route. It offered thrills and adventure.

Their wish was gratified. Thrills were numerous, adventure was a daily occurrence, and both soon became monotonous.

Now these lads, grown to maturity, are professional bums, panhandling on the streets and at kitchen doors, always seeking something for nothing and with the least effort in securing it.

They will die as bums and be buried as such. Tourists traveling over the country tell of thousands upon thousands of just such young lads bumming their way from one section to another. They are well dressed, carry dollars with funds in their pockets, and are just out for a high old time.

It is distressing to the average citizen to see so many of our youth traveling so dangerous a road. It will be even more distressing when we find many of them losing all incentive in life and joining the army of bores. They are headed that way.

## High Rank In Scholarship Pays

Mr. Carl Flores, the highest ranking boy, and Miss Kathryn Rose Pinney, the highest ranking girl, in the 1932 graduating class of the Santa Anna High School have been awarded free scholarships by Randolph College, Cisco, Texas. The young people are being made to realize that not only is there an honor in taking high rank in scholarship, but also that it has a financial value. This should encourage our young people in the high school to do their best, and should have a wholesome effect in stimulating rivalry in attainment throughout our high school.

Success to our young friends in their college career.

Business Man. Every time legislation comes up in Washington to stop this high-handed practice, letters, telegrams and personal messages from all parts of the country pour in with the plea to keep the good work going.



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## Political Announcements

The News is requested to announce the following names listed below, all subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, Saturday, August 27.

**For District Clerk:**  
W. E. GIDEON (Re-election)  
J. B. HILTON

**For Tax Assessor:**  
L. E. COLLINS (Re-election)  
H. M. (Shorty) BROWN

**For State Representative, 125th District:**  
MISS CADDIE REAVES  
J. W. GOLSON

LaGrange - - A six-point pig feeding system got results for Albert Fisher, 4-H club boy of Ammonsville community working with Fayette county farm demonstration agent, W. H. Dupuy. Farmers invited to come over to observe the weighing of his pig asked him to write out his method of caring for the animal when it was found that it had gained 74 pounds in 30 days. The system of finishing pigs for market in six months instead of feeding 18 months to get the same results, as outlined by Albert, consists in having a well bred pig; plenty of green grazing; plenty of fresh cool water; a balanced ration of skim milk, cottonseed meal and corn before the pigs all day long lice and worm control; and good shade.

### RAMBLING (Woodson Record)

"It could be worse," we hear someone say; but "not much" another replies. These statements might have been made down in the storm-ridden districts of the coast before the disaster struck. But now the survivors, who see everything they possessed on earth swept away, even some of their loved ones, know that it is worse. We must not get it into our heads that Fate has dragged us down to the bottom. There is no bottom. However bad things may be they can still grow worse. That may be the reason that hell is called a "bottomless pit"—no hope of ever reaching bottom, an eternal prospect of growing worse and worse.

But let's take stock; let's strike a balance. How does the world stand with us today? "Count your blessings, name them one by one." We are living, the sun is shining, God is overhead; we have friends, if we are a friend; we can see the beauties of Nature, we can hear her voice in myriads of notes, sons; her fragrant odors, taste her ambrosial flavors, feel her refreshing touches; our granaries are full of good things to eat, refreshing showers are reviving our cotton fields, and God is stretching out His arms to us; God fed the children of Israel in a barren wilderness, will He not feed us in a land of plenty, if we trust Him and do His will?

Spending is a child's pleasure; saving is a man's happiness.

### A TIP FOR ECONOMY SEEKERS (This Week's Opinion)

Should a six-year-old child be sent to school?

Upon the answer to that question hangs a saving of several million dollars to the taxpayers of this state. "There never was and probably never will be, a school that can do as much for a six-year-old child as its parents," declares the Bonham Daily Favorite, and concludes: "In our humble opinion, the schools never were intended to be used as nurseries."

"It is a fact," concedes the Texas Outlook, official organ of Texas teachers, "that we are wasting more money in our effort to instruct children prematurely in the public schools than we are wasting in all other school efforts put together."

The state of Texas contributes \$17.50 to the education of each six year old child. Common and independent school districts dig deep in their pockets to add a tremendous sum to the state apportionment. Yet the teachers call this expenditure of effort and money "waste."

Million dollar savings do not grow on trees. Neither do precious, little, six year old boys and girls. If the teachers are right, why not conserve the children and the money, too?

The Bonham newspaper and the teachers' magazine have provided the legislative economy bloc with a valuable tip.

### THE CHRONICLE ON WEST TEXAS (This Week's Opinion)

The Houston Chronicle recently turned West Texas over its editorial knee and administered a sound, rhetorical spanking.

It seems that West Texas voted for West Texas candidates. And that, we are astonished to learn is high political crime and serious economic error.

When administering its rebuke the Chronicle may have had in mind the West Texas vote for West Texas candidates for congressman-at-large. If that be true, we humbly remind the Chronicle that West Texas growth in population created two of the three new Congressional positions; and further, that its "bloc" system of voting appears to have given West Texas an opportunity to name but one of the two Congressmen to whom, in all justice, it was entitled.

West Texas may make a lot of mistakes. It probably does. But so does South Texas and East Texas and North Texas. In any event, a loyalty to self and willingness to fight a just fight—even in the face of almost certain defeat—should not be counted against the people who inhabit the wide spaces of Texas. When the rest of Texas evidences a disposition to play fair with the population living west of the big voting centers, West Texas may be justified in assuming an attitude somewhat less belligerent. Until then, however, it had better stand up on its hind legs and fight—for nobody else is going to fight its battles for it.

### Cross Roads News

Evans Burney has returned to his home at Pueblo, Colorado, after a few days visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Havnes spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hermol Cardor of Live Oak.

Misses Madie Weathers and Mattie Haynes were guests of Miss Novella Sharp Sunday.

Mrs. Clyde Havnes spent Saturday afternoon with Annie Lou Dockery.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Haynes spent Sunday with Fred Haynes.

Mollie Bowden spent Sunday with Mary Ola Dockery.

Willis Burney returned home Saturday from the National Guard Encampment at Palacios.

Mrs. Fred Haynes and daughters visited last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Bowden of Cherokee.

Several families of this community attended the funeral of Mr. Claud Jenkins at Edge Sunday afternoon.

Among the delegates to the State convention of Texas Republicans was one who favored adoption of a resolution thanking the Hoover administration for its influence in bringing about the week's advance in cotton prices. An expression of the sort would run true to Republican form, although unhappy experience should urge a radical departure from it. Prosperity was due to Republican dispensation. The depression was not. All credit for relief legislation

goes to Hoover. The Democratic majority of the House, which is responsible for its passage, deserves no credit at all. Now praise is due the Hoover administration because cotton prices have picked up, despite the fact that reduced acreage and unfavorable weather are said to be the cause of the estimate of greatly reduced production, while no mention is made of the danger done to Southern cotton growers by Government overestimates of production in other years than

this. Our Republican friends should be wise enough not to get out on any more limbs with unwarranted claims of credit. It is too difficult to shinny out of an embarrassing crotch. Ex.

Most of the nations of the world are convinced that Japan needs a good spanking, a famous historian remarks. But the trouble is that so far we have had no volunteers for the mother role.

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Rev. G. A. Morgan

The above is the likeness of Rev. G. A. Morgan, pastor of the Methodist church, who moved here last week from Shreveport, La., exchanging places with Rev. W. T. Gray. The church announcement will be found elsewhere in this paper.

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**FUTURE FARMER FEATS**  
 (By Gladys Whitley)

Cooperative purchase of 16,450 pounds of feed for 2,009 broilers, two gilts, and two dairy cows made possible a saving of \$127.50 by ten members of the vocational agriculture classes of Bryan high school this year who sold their chicks in Houston, cooperatively at a net profit of \$154.10 and have on hand 180 fryars.

Old-fashioned swaping has come into vogue in Wortham. Under the direction of L. J. Young, vocational agriculture teacher, and sponsored by the Lions' Club, a Farmers' Exchange has been established. More than ninety farmers have already listed trades. Here are two of the listed trades: "Good 250 pound Poland China brood sow to swap for cow" and "Will trade permanent wave for 75 to 100 pound pig."

A net profit of \$80.20 from one acre of tomatoes was made by Cecil Stockton, vocational agriculture boy who lives 1-2 miles south of Bogata on the highway to Mt. Pleasant. Cecil's total expense was \$38.12 and his total receipts, \$118.32. Proper preparation of cold frame, care of plants in the cold frame, cultivating properly and at the right time, and keeping the plants pruned are the things responsible for the success of this project.

John Lauderdale, Future Farmer of America from Breckenridge, won first place in the F. F. A. public speaking contests held in Huntsville this month. Other state winners are Bronte, whose 21-piece district band traveled 1300 miles to win its honor; the debating team composed of Charles Richardson and John Rhodes of Mabank; and the Neches officers who presented the best opening and closing ceremony.

Future Farmers of Pilot Point last month sold a car load of 22,300 lbs. and a truck load of 7,600 lbs. of Irish potatoes to buyers in Dallas. They also sold a truck load of 4,500 lbs. to a buyer from Melrose, New Mexico.

In the Hubbard community more than 40,000 cans of vegetables have been canned this season. J. I. Moore, vocational agriculture teacher, has been in charge of this work.

Three hundred colonies of agricultural ants were killed this month by F. F. A.'s of Crawford under the direction of their adviser, M. P. Mathews. Cyanodust shot into the colony cavity with a dust gun was the method used.

Pork production projects, conducted by 11 members of the vocational agriculture classes of the Karnes City high school, show a net profit of \$3.56 for each pig. There were 23 pigs in these 11 projects and the total increase in weight of these pigs was 4841 pounds; at a cost of only 3.8 cents per pound. The summary of the projects follows: Total charges, \$179.06; receipts, \$261.10; net profit, \$82.04; amount paid self for labor, \$77.30; project labor income, \$195.34.

Plainview - - That you can take rags and make beautiful, durable, and practical floor coverings for any part of the home has been proven by Mrs. Earl Hewett of Plainview and Mrs. John Reeves of Hale Center after having attended a one-day rug school, reports Julia E. Kelley, home demonstration agent of Hale County. Four rugs were made by them for display at A. and M. College. They learned to obtain soft harmonious colors by the use of dyes and a proper combination of colors. Their workmanship also has been improved by cutting the rags less than one-fourth inch in width and hooked diagonally, and by use of the hit-and-miss method rather than hooking in a straight line. It takes artistic ability to make an artistic rug and these qualities are being developed by Mrs. Hewett and Mrs. Reeves. Their husbands are side partners in the rug work in their homes. These families are working on rugs now for the Christmas market and are studying to improve harmony, design, and workmanship. A display of these rugs will be held in September and every person having received help in this work through the Extension Service agents will have one rug or mat on display at Plainview when the merchants have their county-wide home products week.

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SALMON Nile Brand tall can	ea.	.10
SALT B. & W. reg. 5c pkg.	3 for	.10
Soap Luna Brand	10 bars	.23
SODA Red & White	1 lb. pkg. ea.	.07
Ice Cream Powder all flavors	3 for	.21
COFFEE Mello Cup	1 pound package .23	3 pound package .67
Toilet Tissue, Blu Kross carton	3 rolls	.23
FRANKFURTERS	per lb.	.13
JOWLS Salt cured	per lb.	.08
PEACHES Red and White, extra Fancy	No. 2 1/2 qt. can	.16
SALT Mott's Ice Cream	5 lb. can	.29
STEAK forequarters home killed	lb.	.10
BACON Dexter sliced	per lb.	.19
ROAST forequarters home killed	lb.	.10

**Cleveland News**

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Perry and family spent Sunday in the W. H. Perry home.

Mrs. Annie Flores spent Monday night with Mrs. C. F. McCormick.

Miss Viola Pritchard spent the week-end with Misses Nell and Shirley Blanton.

Mr. Gid Mathews of Floydada was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Mullis first of the week.

Mrs. M. F. Blanton and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Clem Scott of Lawn Monday and Mrs. Scott returned home with them for a few days visit.

Miss Ruth Marie Moore visited Miss Madge Phillips Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pleman Cruger were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Phillips Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Haynes spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Welch.

Messrs. M. F. Blanton and son, Sid, C. F. McCormick and Calvin Fussel are enjoying a fishing trip down on the coast this week.

Mrs. Jack Stovall accompanied her mother, Mrs. Lofton and niece Miss Dovie Williams of Robert Lee to the Baptist convention in Cross Plains Saturday.

The Baptist revival is now going on at the Methodist church, and everyone is invited to attend.

Graham - - Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Mobley, poultry demonstrators of Young county are meeting the cheap egg problem by carefully planned feeding methods that utilize home grown feeds. Their 150 hens average six dozen eggs per day. The hens eat 14 pounds of grain per day worth 8 cents, 16 pounds of mash worth 13 cents, and 2 gallons of milk worth 4 cents, a total daily profit where less planning and efficiency would leave a loss. In gradually switching from meat scraps to cottonseed meal and milk for protein, it was observed that egg production did not drop.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Perry visited their son, Mr. Harry Perry and family last week.

Miss Beryle Woodard, who has been visiting in the M. F. Blanton home, returned to her home in Lawn Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hibbit spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stube Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perry visited relatives in the Shields community Wednesday.

Mrs. Claude Phillips and Mrs. G. O. Welch visited Mrs. Hugh Phillips, who has been ill from a spider bite, Saturday.

Mrs. C. F. McCormick and Mrs. Jack Stovall were guests of Mrs. Frank Thigpen Tuesday.

Miss Mary Neal Priest spent Friday with Misses Nell and Shirley Blanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Mullis visited relatives in Trickham Saturday night.

Those who visited Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Phillips Sunday afternoon were Mrs. S. A. Moore and daughter Mrs. Mills, Mrs. S. L. Blanton and son, Wiley, Mrs. C. F. McCormick, Mrs. G. O. Welch, and Uncle Charlie Mills.

The party at Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bigham's was enjoyed by a large crowd Saturday night.

Mrs. Floyd Flores of Concord spent the week-end with Mrs. C. F. McCormick.

Misses Nell and Shirley Blanton entertained Miss Beryle Woodard and Bro. Scott with a play party Monday night. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jess Williams, Misses Mary Neal Priest, Frances Thigpen, Ruth Marie Moore, and Madge Phillips, and Messrs. Cecil and Edwin Moore, Davis and Leland Thigpen.

Mr. Weldon Priest visited first of the week with Mr. Alfred Crosby of Valera.

Mrs. Porter Clark visited Mrs. Hugh Phillips Monday morning.



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These farmers coming to town here of late, some of them, at least, look like they are peeved about something. Ask one of them what in the duce he was bemoaning about and he said he was not bemoaning or bewailing about anything, he was so tired he could hardly be out, been heading maize for over two weeks and was not through yet. Well, such as that is calculated to cause one to act a bit down-hearted, alright, but nothing to get sore about. Maybe next year you won't have any maize to head.

Texas legislators, called in extra session should immediately authorize home loan and savings associations of Texas to take advantage of the opportunities now offered by the new federal home loan bank system. Just as member banks of the federal reserve system are required to invest a nominal part of their assets in the stock of the federal reserve banks, so home loan associations are required to invest in the stock of the new home loan bank in order to receive the benefits of the new system. But home loan associations in this state are strictly regulated by law as to the nature of their investments. They must now secure legislative approval of their proposed investment in the stock of the new federal loan bank. There can be no question of the safety or desirability of such investments and they are necessary if Texas home owners are to secure the benefits now offered the country in general through the home loan system. The new system doubtless will actually be getting funds to home owners in a few weeks; many an equity owner over the country will have his home saved for him by the new refinancing facilities provided and many a new home will go up because of the easier credit provided. Unless we have speedy action at Austin this type of relief in Texas will be materially delayed. *Hamilton Herald Record.*

The editor intended to write another "Sit and Think" article this week, but we have already said too much about politics, and who the sam-hill can think of anything but politics this week long enough to write an intelligent article for publication in a creditable newspaper like the Santa Anna News. Of course, if we had no more respect for our readers than some editors seem to have for theirs, we might not be so particular about what we publish, but we think in high terms of our readers and do not want to corrupt their morals by writing a lot of bosh. To some this may sound like bosh and to others it may sound like pure bull, but to most of you it will be good reading.

These combines the wheat growers have are great machines. They raise the seed, plant it, cut it, thrash it, sack the grain, sell it, and spend the money. The farmer gets the rest.

**TREASURY DEPARTMENT**  
Office of the Comptroller of the Currency  
Washington, D. C.  
June 3, 1932.

Notice is hereby given to all persons who may have claims against "The State National Bank of Santa Anna," Texas, that the same must be presented to John A. Best, Receiver, with the legal proof thereof within three months from this date or they may be disallowed.

J. W. POLE,  
Comptroller of the Currency

**BURKETT FOR CONGRESSMAN-AT-LARGE SUBMITS STATISTICS**

West Texas, South Texas and Southwest Texas, by virtue of population increases revealed by the last federal census, are entitled to two or more of the three Congressmen-at-large to be elected this year, according to statistics compiled by the campaign headquarters of Former State Senator Joe Burkett of San Antonio, candidate for Place 3, Congressman-at-large.

Population of 166 West Texas counties increased 38.1 per cent during the ten-year period, while the 88 East Texas counties increased in population by only 14.1 percent.

One hundred and twenty-seven South Texas counties increased their population by 16.9 per cent.

Southwest Texas revealed the greatest gain with 42.8 per cent while Northwest Texas was next with a gain of 33.5 percent. Southeast Texas increased in population by 25.9 percent, while Northeast Texas gained only 5.1 percent.

While these figures show that West, South and Southwest Texas are entitled to much additional representation in Congress, four of the six candidates in the Democratic August primary for Congressman-at-large are residents of Northeast Texas, which gained only 5.1 percent, or 73,301, as compared to the increase of 444,300 by Southwest Texas, 353,117 by Northwest Texas and 290,769 by Southeast Texas.

Burkett, candidate for Place 3, is bidding for the support of South, Southwest and West Texas by virtue of his present residence in San Antonio and his life-long residence in West Texas. Born in Llano County in 1885, Burkett at 18 was editor of the Putnam News and later the Clyde Sun in Callahan County. Following that, he taught in country schools in West Texas while studying law at night. His first political race resulted in his election as district clerk of Eastland county, an office he held for two terms. Having been admitted to the bar during that time, he sought and obtained election to the office of Eastland County Judge, in which he pioneered in the construction of good roads. Success in that office led to his election to be District Judge.

At thirty years of age, Burkett was the youngest district judge in Texas. It was while he held this office that the famous Ranger oil field was discovered and hundreds of cases involving new points of law were tried before him. With few precedents to guide him, the youthful judge "made law" and his decisions were uniformly sustained by the higher courts. Over the protests of more than 300 attorneys in the district, he resigned in 1919 to enter private practice of law. In 1920 he returned to public life upon election as State Representative without opposition. A year later he was chosen State Senator at a special election.

Burkett is the youngest son of J. H. Burkett of Clyde, widely known as the discoverer and propagator of the famous "Burkett Variety" pecan, and is often termed the "Barbark of Texas" because of his outstanding horticultural work in pecan culture.

Burkett has declared in favor of submitting to the people the prohibition question; issuance of additional currency so the masses will not have to pay back with high dollars the debts made when money was cheap; United States guaranty of bank deposits and payments of the soldiers adjusted compensation. He is against cancellation of foreign debts, against meddling in foreign affairs of other nations and against settling labor disputes by federal injunctions.

**TWO OF THE SAME NAME**

(The Denison Herald, Thursday, August 18)

In the campaign which J. H. (Cyclone) Davis is making for the place of Congressman-at-large, it has been recalled that he spent some time in Congress and that while there he disgraced Texas and the South by launching an attack upon the life and character of that matchless leader of the Southern Confederacy, Jefferson Davis. Coming from a Southern congressman who represented a state that had been a part of the Confederacy, the speech was widely quoted in the North and praised by those professional South-batters who

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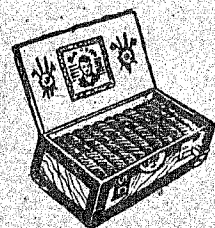
like to traduce the name of the great Confederate leader. It was unfortunate for the South that such a radical and irresponsible politician as Cyclone Davis was permitted to speak in the halls of Congress, for the writers and historians of the North have never given this section a square deal, and when a supposed Southerner spoke in scathing terms of the man who led Dixie through the Civil war, it gave them just the ammunition they wanted.

If the Northern writers at the time had known Cyclone as Texas knows him, they would not have taken him seriously. But

we still hear reverberations of that speech, delivered more than fifteen years ago. The Confederate veterans and Daughters of the Confederacy denounced Davis for his attack upon their beloved chief and asked that he be recalled from Congress. But the poison which he spread had done its work and the virus of sectionalism was intensified by his repudiation of his own country.

The Civil war is past and the country can now see the leaders in a clearer light than they could when their eyes were blinded by partisanship. They now recognize in Jefferson Davis one of

the greatest soldiers and statesmen the country has ever produced, and both North and South have come to accept this doctrine of states' rights as a fundamental principle of our democracy. They almost reached this conclusion too late. The hand of federalism was fast crushing the last vestige of state sovereignty. Naturally, Cyclone Davis, who is opposed to states' rights, resents the memory of the great Southern advocate of the doctrine. But true Southerners will not vote for a man who has attacked their great leader. The two had the same name—but that is the only thing they had in common.



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# We Are at War!

By GENERAL JOHN J. PERSHING

Here's a stirring call to arms that summons the spirit of those half-forgotten days of resolute marching men

(continued from last week)

in artillery technic, in transport, in tactics—it is this officer who receives recognition when the opportunity for active service comes.

So it is in business. In this time of extreme dullness many have sunk back into a kind of lethargy. But the wise business man, like the conscientious officer, is using his present leisure to prepare for the battles to come. He is devising new economies of production and distribution. He is studying the problem of how his product may be varied or made more attractive. He is getting ready to take advantage of the upturn when it comes. He is not accepting gloomy defeatism. He is thinking for himself.

I have touched at some length on the depression because it has so glaringly shown us the folly of carelessly delegating our thinking to others.

It has also thrown a bright cold light on the flaws in our political methods and on our crime problem. During the years of prosperity following the war an underworld of gangsters and racketeers unparalleled in any other civilized nation, grew up and flourished in our cities. The criminals who manned this underworld were of a new type. They were not the masked and shabby plug-uglies who filled the jails in earlier years. They were expensively dressed; they owned machine guns, high-powered cars, and speed boats; they had money in the bank. With this money they were able to establish a relation with corrupt officials and police which seemed to make them immune from prosecution.

Lulled into complacency by prosperity, our citizens passively accepted this poisonous growth with small concern.

Now that our complacency is gone, we begin to study this foul phenomenon more carefully. We see it eating more and more deeply into our national life, infecting politics, extorting tribute from business, threatening our very homes. From my own study, as an individual, I am convinced that prohibition has largely financed this new postwar underworld of ours. Vast profits have drawn multitudes into the bootlegging business, and, once outside the pale of the law, they do not hesitate to turn to racketeering and other forms of crime. Thus a criminal army has been built up which defies the very government itself.

But neither the repeal nor the modification of the prohibition laws will altogether abolish crime. The estimated one million or more men, accustomed to the easy money of bootleg and speakeasy business

and with an utter contempt for law, cannot be thus converted into virtuous, law-abiding citizens overnight. Many will turn to other forms of illegitimate activity. Corrupt officials, deprived of bootleg tribute, will seek new sources of graft.

Our frontier ancestors, when the criminal element got out of control, formed themselves into vigilance committees, rounded up criminals, and strung them up on the nearest tree. Every red-blooded man, when he reads of the criminal activities of our modern racketeers and of their apparent immunity from capture and prosecution, feels a natural impulse to go out and organize a vigilance committee. But action can be taken, under the law, only through the constituted authorities. Any other course would lead to abuses greater than those it might correct.

The ability of the underworld to terrorize society lies in the fact that it is thoroughly organized, while society is not. At present it is more the gang against the individual than otherwise. Why should we not form neighborhood and community committees, so that the gang will find itself confronted with an organized body of men larger and stronger than itself? The more important his position in the community, the greater the obligation of the citizen to join the committee.

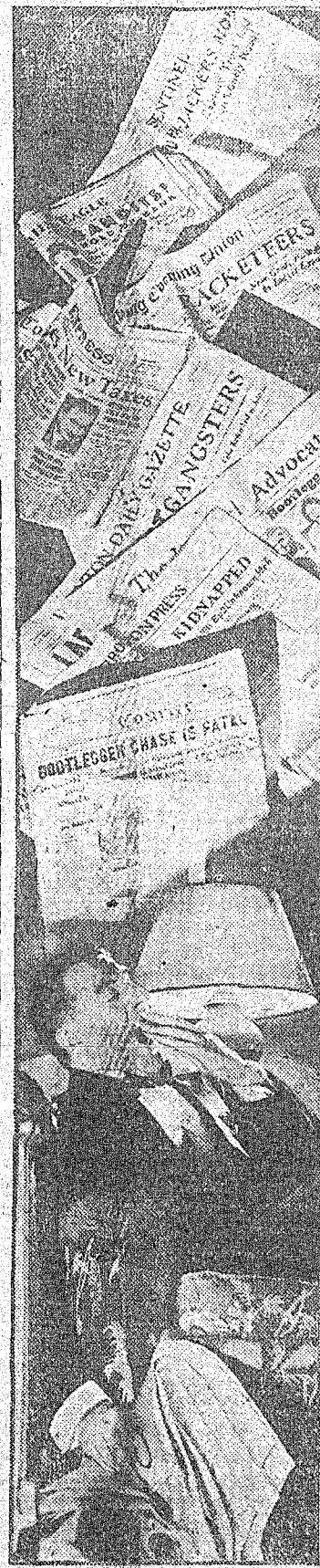
### Can Force Action.

Such committees, made up of substantial citizens, who regard citizenship as a paramount obligation, could force action. Suppose a neighbor of yours gets a kidnaping threat, or a merchant is visited by a gangster who tries to extort tribute from him, or a section of the town experiences a series of hold-ups. If the individual citizen goes to the police station or city hall and fails to get satisfaction possibly because of an alliance between officials and the underworld he is powerless.

But if the neighborhood committee stands ready, at the very first threat of gangster activity within its borders, to take common action against the invasion, the picture changes. The threatened man immediately summons all his trusted friends, who advise with the neighborhood committee. Representing the militant citizenship of its community, it could demand positive action by the police and by the city authorities.

Committees of this kind would be vigilance committees, not in the old sense, but in the sense that they would be ever vigilant in the protection of rights and the performance of civic duties. I would consider it an honor to serve on such a committee myself.

These committees would serve many other purposes beyond the suppression of racketeering. They would present a united front



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against the grafting of officials. They could hold weekly or monthly

meetings to discuss the problems of government. Such meetings would serve to bring out and develop, as no institution we now possess does, new leaders, especially among the young citizens, in every community.

One great aid to crime in America is the veil of anonymity which covers the individual. In any army, every man is accounted for. His name, rank, regiment, and whereabouts are known. If he is wanted, we know where to find him. In America we have no identification. Men can move from city to city, changing their names as they would their coats. They can register as they please at any hotel, with no questions asked. It is a pleasant, easy-going custom, but it puts an insuperable barrier in the way of the police in the detection of crime. The time has come when we must abandon the right to anonymity, as enlightened European countries have done.

Every resident of our country should have an identification card, a small passport with photograph attached. Change of permanent residence should be reported to the police. The card should be shown, if necessary, upon registration at any hotel, or on any other occasion when demanded by the police. The penalties for forging a card or disregarding regulations concerning it should be heavy.

I realize that the inconvenience of the card identification system would be burdensome. But it would be considerably less burdensome than the breakdown of our system for apprehending criminals. The cards would not be a cure-all, but they would be a great help. No honest man could object to a plan which would materially aid in rounding up criminals.

Just as the depression has finally opened our eyes to the magnitude of our crime problem, so has it brought home to us the very extravagant activities of unwise politicians during our prosperity orgy. While the citizens have neglected their public duties, the politicians have quietly but enormously increased the cost of government, locally and nationally. Expenditures of the national government in 1917 were approximately \$700,000,000, exclusive of interest payments on the public debt. In 1931 they had increased to approximately \$2,000,000,000, exclusive of interest payments on the public debt and expenses incident to the World War. The cost of administration of local governments throughout the country increased from \$1,844,000,000 in 1917 to \$7,125,000,000 in 1929. The budget of one of our cities, New York,

for 1932, is greater than the expenditures of the entire national government for 1903. Some of these increases, unquestionably, have been necessary for expansion and for coping with the more complex problems of today. But an alarming portion of them have been with an eye to jobs for the politicians' friends. Unnecessary offices, boards, commissions, have been profligately multiplied.

And now, when our national revenues shrink, there is little done toward applying the logical remedy of reducing expenses. Instead, legislators resort to the vicious policy of increasing taxes, both direct and indirect. Thus the citizen finds himself burdened with the staggering load. But can he, with clear conscience, complain? He cannot. He elected these legislators. He saw them pile up lavish appropriations, and he elected them again. During the boom days the citizen was too busy in speculation himself to worry about the national debt or the local debt.

In the situation that now confronts him, the citizen is groping. What can he do now? What practical action can he take?

He is told to go to the polls and cast his vote, which is an old story to him, but by itself it will not remedy the situation, for too often the candidates of each party are incompetent or corrupt.

There is a great deal more to political duty than going to the polls to vote. A body of uninformed citizens flocking to the polls, prompted only by good intentions, is about as effective as an army made up of untrained men marching to battle.

Year after year, under universal suffrage, there has grown a wider divergence between theory and practice in our political economy.

To perform his civic duties effectively it is no longer enough for the citizen to understand the theory of politics. He must study its practice. That means time, trouble, and hard work. He must study the political forces at work in his own neighborhood, his own ward, his own district. He must go to political meetings, associate with politicians, find out who are the political leaders behind the scenes, drop in at the political clubs, look into the records and alliances of candidates for office.

Even this is not enough, unless there is some organization of non-political citizens to work with united force. Here again the neighborhood committees which I suggested earlier would have their uses. Such committees could compel the respect of the political leader and hold him to an accounting. They could hold meetings and ask candidates to appear before them, address them, and submit to questioning. Moreover, they could and should keep track of the political and financial administration of local and national affairs.

It might be inferred from what I say here that I think there are no good men in politics. On the contrary, we all know many fine men, honest men, able men in politics, but there are not enough of them.

One of our problems is to attract men of higher caliber into public life. Certainly the profession of government is as important as any calling in our nation. Yet it is not even taught in our schools and colleges. We teach political science, yes, but that is a far cry from practical politics. There is no alternative for the aspiring politicians but to learn their high art and profession at the knee of the district leader or ward captain—too often with undesirable results.

Corporations for the conduct of business, education, and charity have multiplied in number and importance in recent years. Service in hundreds of corporations is affording a new discipline for thousands in managing and directing people, and this in turn should be of the highest value toward supporting progress and durability in governmental affairs. But business men too often forget that the government is the most important corporation of all. They passively permit men to occupy public offices to whom they would deny jobs in their own companies. They fail to apply, on election day, the elementary rules they have learned in their business.

### No Time for Shirking.

Business men say that politics is "unpleasant." So is service in the trenches unpleasant, but our citizens do not shirk it when duty calls.

Constitutions and laws do not of themselves guarantee either the efficiency or the permanence of the government. In a government by the people the responsibility of the individual must be as gloriously fulfilled, or failure will be the result.

Make no mistake about it: Our nation is confronted by a crisis as serious as the crisis of the war. We are at war against depression and crime. And, just as to that earlier crisis, we came unprepared. Our unpreparedness in the war cost us untold billions in money and the lives of some of our best men. Our unpreparedness for this battle of peace has also cost us dear.

But in the war, once we were aroused, we made an effort which astonished the world. Just so today the American citizen, once he is aroused to the dangers that menace his country, will, I devoutly hope and believe, gloriously overcome his indifference to the present.

### PREMIUM BALE BRINGS \$4.00

The premium made up for N. J. Buttry last week for bringing in the first bale of cotton this season was furnished this office after the paper had gone to press, thus, it was necessary to omit publishing the list of donors until this week. The following donated to Mr. Buttry, and the total amounts to above \$4.00.

First National Bank; Claude Cole; Frank Crum; Mathews Motor Company; Burton Lingo Company; Blue Bonnet Cafe; Lombes Variety Store; J. W. Farber; J. E. Howard; W. C. Ford & Co.; Piggly Wiggly; Corner Drug Company; J. W. Lewis; Hurray Cafe; B. T. Vinson; J. H. Hicks; Walker's Pharmacy; Behrett Dry Goods Store; Service Cafe; Leonard Phillips; E. J. Overby; Blue Hardware; J. G. Williamson; Santa Anna News; Janner Ice Co.; Leeper Curd Lumber Co.; Phillips Drug Co.; Turner's Drug Store; W. R. Kelley & Co.; Eagsdale Bakery; Lunter Bros.; Purdy Mercantile Co.; West Texas Utilities Co.; and the Farmers Gin donated the ginning, which was not included in the above.

Mr. Buttry is highly pleased with the response the Santa Anna people gave him for bringing in the first bale.

### MR. BUTTRY THANKS CONTRIBUTORS

I wish to express my thanks to the business people of Santa Anna for the premiums donated to me for furnishing the first bale of cotton this season. I assure you that each donation was thankfully received.

N. J. Buttry.



**Plainview News**

Several from this community have been attending the splendid Revival services in Santa Anna the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Buttler from the Cleveland community spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bivins.

Miss Mary Lillis DeRusha is spending this week with Mrs. Farris Williams of Coleman.

Misses Ruth Leady, Allene Healen and Aletha Beaver spent Sunday with Miss Thelma Sharp of Coleman.

Mrs. Leo Gassiot and baby spent several days last week with their mother and grandmother in Silver Valley.

Miss Buna Healen spent Saturday night with Miss Allene Leady.

Mrs. Katie Bivins and baby spent Saturday with Mrs. Nona Rowe.

Mr. R. E. DeRusha attended court in Coleman Monday.

Worlie Wheeler spent Sunday with William Baily Horner.

Miss Ada Lois Newman spent last week-end with Misses Lorette and Glynda Myrle Gober.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bivins visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Williamson near Coleman Thursday night.

Mrs. Paul Rowe and Mrs. Will Dodgen spent Thursday in the home of Albert Dodgen.

Misses Aletha Beaver and Ruth Leady spent Saturday night with Miss Allene Healen.

Mrs. R. E. DeRusha accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Hollingsworth, spent Monday near Coleman in the home of her son.

Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Williamson and son and Mrs. J. L. Gober spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gober.

If free publicity counts for anything, Mr. Waters of the bonus-army is eligible to become a candidate for the presidency.

**How Modern Women Lose Pounds of Fat Swiftly—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—so gloriously 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.

Billie Ford Barnes of San Angelo visited friends here and his parents at Whon last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richardson and family and niece, Kathryn Lawrence, visited Mrs. Richardson's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Shelton of Hamlin last week-end.

Misses LaVerne and Violet Lee Tuck of Brady visited in the W. D. Taylor home last week.

Mrs. M. C. Hargroves visited Mr. and Mrs. Ward Vinson last week.

This presidential campaign is no different from others. Each party is telling the people how it alone can save the country.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

**Milligan News**

We elected new officers and teachers for our Sunday School last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. McWhirter and Donald Otis took dinner in the O. B. Yancy home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Vinson and Miss Mary Banks spent Sunday in the home of their uncle, W. L. Banks.

Clyde Banks, who has been working in Amarillo, is now at home with his parents.

Guests in the Elmo, Eubanks home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Eubanks and daughters, Mildred and Pauline, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Daniels.

Junior Banks of Santa Anna is spending this week in the W. L. Banks home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Constable and Naomi spent Sunday night in the Claud home near May.

Miss Mamie Moore attended prayer meeting here Saturday night.

Mrs. Eubanks entertained her Sunday School class at her home Saturday night. Cake, lemonade, and watermelon were served to the jolly group.

Mrs. J. A. Dunn has been staying with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Pennington, near Fry for several days.

Several from this community attended the Association at Santa Anna Thursday and Friday.

We will meet at the school house Wednesday night and practice singing. Everyone is invited to attend who wishes.

Brother and Mrs. Brown and baby of Brownwood spent Friday night in the Dan Wheatley home.

Mildred and Bryan McDonald spent Monday evening in the W. L. Banks home.

Jewell McDonald is in the hospital suffering from an operation. We wish for her a speedy recovery.

Bill Henry is visiting his parents at Old Glory.

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- BISMA-REX** **50c**

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  - Plain Milk Shake
- 5c** **5c**



**Try this SOOTHING RUB-DOWN**

When you're hot, tired and lame there's nothing like the tingling exhilaration of a rub-down with Puretest Rubbing Alcohol—the athlete's alcohol rub. Instantly it soothes and cools the skin; drives out muscle soreness, stiffness and lameness. It invigorates the entire body instantly. And it does not irritate the skin.

**PURETEST Rubbing Alcohol Compound** **50c**

**DEEP CUT PRICES**

- 75c Duska Cleansing Cream and \$1.00 Face Powder **\$1.00**
- 25c Rexall Cold Cream and 50c Powder **both for 50c**
- 35c Lavender Shaving Cream and 50c Bay Rum **for 50c**
- 50c Rexall Orderlies and \$1.00 Peptona **both for \$1.00**
- 50c Comb and 50c Rexall "93" Hair Lotion **both for .50**

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● The instability, confusion and disorder which unrestrained truck transportation has brought about is responsible in large measure for much of the distress in which all business finds itself today. Texas has moved to find a remedy and all concerned in the welfare of this state and its institutions should cooperate in the effort to restore stability and order to our transportation systems.

The Texas Railroads, in these advertisements, have endeavored to place before the people of this state some of the reasons why the existing laws, regulating motor transportation, should be upheld and enforced.

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Uniform, published, non-discriminatory transportation service rates are essential to the orderly conduct and welfare of business.

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The farmer and agricultural producer must have at his command facilities adequate to transport crops and produce which move long distances in large volume, at low cost, by rail.

2. The railroads build and maintain their own roadways, pay heavy taxes for the support of state and municipal governments and institutions, and expend millions of dollars for payrolls, materials and supplies. Railroad workers are substantial citizens, home owners, and valued members of their communities.

3. Rail transportation is the most efficient and economical in existence for the movement of traffic in volume by land.

4. Texas highways belong to the people and are built and maintained at heavy cost. Their use for commercial purposes is a privilege, not a right. They should be kept safe for general use and not prematurely destroyed by heavy trucks.

5. The stability, security and orderly conduct of business require reasonable control and regulation of all transportation agencies.

**THE TEXAS RAILROADS**

**Red Bank News**

Some in this community will begin picking cotton in a few days.

Mr. E. D. Weston attended church at Shields Sunday.

The W. J. McClure family and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Upchurch spent Sunday in the home of Mr. McClure's father.

Sunday School was well attended Sunday, but there were a few absent who we missed very much.

We were very glad to have the Roscoe Miller family and Misses Ora and Dora Crye from Brown Ranch attend Sunday School Sunday. We hope they will come again.

Dinner guests in the Roy Bledsoe home Sunday were Johnnie Brandon and three sons and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Constable and son Junior.

We regret very much to hear of the death of Mr. Watt Crye's brother, Mr. Henry Crye. We extend to the family our greatest sympathy. May God's richest blessings be with those in sorrow.

We are still having our prayer meeting each Thursday evening. Each and everyone is welcome to come and worship with us. We need your help.

Miss Winnie Carpenter spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Roy Bledsoe.

Miss Wylma Louise Crippens from Watts Creek spent the first of last week with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Constable.

Mrs. E. D. Weston spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Loabsteen.

Little Derward Gale and Ralph Brandon spent Saturday with Jene McClure.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bledsoe, Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McClure and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Upchurch spent Friday on the creek near the Crye home. All reported a most enjoyable time.

We were glad to have Miss Mary Constable at prayer meeting Thursday night.

A Chicago woman who shot her husband says that she will kiss him. But she didn't at the light time.

**Coleman Junct'n**

Brother Fuller of Coleman preached for us Sunday morning. B. T. S. was attended by a large crowd Sunday night. The lesson for next Sunday is "Winning by Healing." It will be an interesting lesson.

Sunday visitors in the C. A. Wilder home were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Odom and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Ducey Green and family, and Mr. and Mrs. S. Green, all of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Odom spent Sunday afternoon in the G. C. Winstead home.

Misses Imogene Ward and Velma Dunn were Sunday guests in the Isaac Sewell home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Dunn and family visited Sunday in Shields in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shamblin. They have visiting them this week Mrs. Dunn's brother and family of Amarillo.

Willis Moore and Hubert Smith spent Sunday with Roy Winstead.

Miss Nadyne Horner of Plainview community spent last week and part of this week with Misses Velma Dunn and Mildred Hatcher.

Dale Hatcher visited Sunday with Everette Grelle.

Miss Opal Odom had as her guests Sunday Misses Lena Moore and Levena Grelle.

Sunday visitors in the L. F. Odom home included Mr. and Mrs. Jett Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Kay Glasson, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ward, and Mr. and Mrs. Ace Seals.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Davis of Coleman visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Jones.

Edward Long spent Saturday night and Sunday with Dennis Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Bird left Sunday for Corpus Christi where they will visit their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams.

It is consoling to know that one out of each eleven people are working for the government. They, at least, have employment even if there is nothing for a lot of them to do.



**HEN LICE EAT UP HALF THE PROFITS**

College Station - - Hen lice took half the profits in the few demonstration flocks infested with these parasites in a recent month in which an investigation of the effect of lice on profits was made by E. N. Holmgreen, poultry husbandman of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service. Flocks having lice made an income above feed cost of 4.43 cents per hen per month, while those free of lice returned 9.42 cents per hen above feed cost. The study was based on poultry flock demonstration records submitted on about 800 flocks by county farm and home demonstration agents. "It is interesting to note that the eggs from flocks free of lice sold for almost 1-2 cents more per dozen," says Mr. Holmgreen, "which indicates that lice control is a part of general food management. The common methods of lice control consist of painting the roosts with nicotine sulphate, or in dusting each bird with sodium fluoride. The former is a little more expensive but less work."

Quannah - - At least 85 per cent of the farm population of Hardeman county is being helped by home demonstrations this year, it is revealed in a recent report by Miss Elsie Phillips, home demonstration agent. Three hundred farm women have improved the diets of their children by making balanced school lunches; 101 have improved the clothing of their children to permit greater freedom of movement; 200 have made foundation patterns to ease the job of making garments at home; nine gardens have been fitted with sub-irrigation systems; and 27 hot beds have been made. Following the lead of 4-H pantry demonstrators the total canning of the county is expected to break all records.

**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Coleman**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Brown County, on the 10th day of August 1932, by District Clerk of said Court for sum of Seven Hundred Seventeen and 97-100 (\$717.97) Dollars and costs of a suit, under a Writ of Attachment Lien, in favor of U. R. Groom in a certain cause in said Court, No. 6045 and styled U. R. Groom vs. Lilly West and, placed in my hands for service, I Frank Mills as Sheriff of Coleman County, Texas, did, on the 11th day of August 1932, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Coleman County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Being all of the undivided interest, and all the right, title and interest of the defendant Lilly West, in and to 640 acres out of B. B. B. & C. Ry Co. Survey Abst. No. 79, Cert. No. 30; 640 acres out of the W. H. Warnock Sur. Abst. No. 1228, Cert. No. 40; 320 acres W. H. Warnock Sur. Abst. No. 1229 Cert. No. 36; 160 acres out of F. M. Evans Sur. Abst. No. 1714, Cert. No. 38; 59 acres out of R. Young Sur. Abst. No. 730, Cert. No. 627; 122 1-2 acres out of Burnett County school Land Sur. Abst. No. 19 Cert. No. 709; 84 acres out of O. N. Vaughn Surv. Abst. No. 1006 Cert. No. 31, and 240 acres out of B. B. B. & C. Ry Co. Surv. Abst. No. 70 Cert. No. 37, including all the undivided interest and all the right and title and interest of the said defendant Lilly West in each and all of the foregoing and above set out surveys of land, irrespective of the number of acres above referred to and levied upon as the property of Lilly West and that on the first Tuesday in September 1932, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door of Coleman County, in the Town of Coleman, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will offer for sale and sell at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the said Lilly West in and to said property.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Santa Anna News a newspaper published in Coleman County.

Witness my hand, this 11th day of August 1932.  
FRANK MILLS,  
Sheriff Coleman County, Texas.

**S. J. R. No. 26. PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932**

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: Section 1. That Section 11, of Article 7, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, as amended by a vote of the people by virtue of Senate Joint Resolution No. 7, passed at the Regular Session of the 41st Legislature, be and the same is hereby amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 11. In order to enable the Legislature to perform the duties set forth in the foregoing Section it is hereby declared all lands and other property heretofore set apart and appropriated for the establishment and maintenance of the University of Texas, together with all the proceeds of sales of the same, heretofore made or hereafter to be made, and all grants, donations and appropriations that may hereafter be made by the State of Texas, or from any other source, except donations limited to specific purposes, shall constitute and become a Permanent University Fund. And the same as realized and received into the Treasury of the State (together with such sums belonging to the Fund, as may now be in the Treasury), shall be invested in bonds of the United States, the State of Texas or counties of said State, or in School Bonds of municipalities, or in bonds of any city of this State, or in bonds issued under and by virtue of the Federal Farm Loan Act approved by the President of the United States, July 17, 1916, and amendments thereto; and the interest accruing thereon shall be subject to appropriation by the Legislature to accomplish the purpose declared in the foregoing Section; provided that the one-tenth of the alternate Section of the lands granted to railroads, reserved by the State, which were set apart and appropriated to the establishment of the University of Texas, by an act of the Legislature of February 11, 1958, entitled, An Act to establish the University of Texas, shall not be included in, or constitute a part of, the Permanent University Fund.

Sec. 2. Said proposed amendment shall be voted on by the electors of this State qualified to vote on Constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State, on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1932.

(A correct copy.)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

**H. J. R. No. 24. PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932**

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 13 of Article 8 of the Constitution of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Sec. 13. Provision shall be made by the first Legislature for the speedy sale, without the necessity of a suit in Court, of a sufficient portion of all lands and other property for the taxes due thereon, and every year thereafter for the sale in like manner of all lands and other property upon which the taxes have not been paid; and the deed of conveyance to the purchaser for all lands and other property thus sold shall be held to vest a good and perfect title in the purchaser thereof, subject to be impeached only for actual fraud; provided, that the former owner shall within two years from date of the filing for record of the Purchaser's Deed have the right to redeem the land on the following basis:

(1) Within the first year of the redemption period upon the payment of the amount of money paid for the land, including One (\$1.00) Dollar Tax Deed Recording Fee and all taxes, penalties, interest and costs paid plus not exceeding twenty-five (25 per cent) per cent of the aggregate total;

(2) Within the last year of the redemption period upon the payment of the amount of money paid for the land, including One (\$1.00) Dollar Tax Deed Recording Fee and all taxes, penalties, interest and costs paid plus not exceeding fifty (50 per cent) per cent of the aggregate total."

Sec. 2. That the foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1932.

(A correct copy.)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

**H. J. R. No. 12. PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932**

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: Section 1. That Section 55, Article 3, of the Constitution of

the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 55. The Legislature shall have no power to release or extinguish, or to authorize the releasing or extinguishing, in whole or in part, the indebtedness, liability or obligation of any corporation or individual, to this State or to any county or defined sub-division thereof, or other municipal corporation therein, except delinquent taxes which have been due for a period of at least ten years."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the electors of this State qualified to vote on Constitutional Amendments at the General Election in 1932.

(A correct copy.)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

**H. J. R. No. 1. PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932**

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: Section 1. That Section 1 of Article 6 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 1. The following classes of persons shall not be allowed to vote in this State, to-wit:

First: Persons under twenty-one (21) years of age.

Second: Idiots and lunatics.

Third: All paupers supported by any county.

Fourth: All persons convicted of any felony, subject to such exceptions as the legislatures may make.

Fifth: All soldiers, marines and seamen, employed in the service of the Army or Navy of the United States. Provided that this restriction shall not apply to officers of the National Guard of Texas, the National Guard Reserve, the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, nor to enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States, nor to retired officers of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, and retired warrant officers and retired enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps."

Sec. 2. That Section 33 of Article 16, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 33. The Accounting Officers of this State shall neither draw nor pay a warrant upon the Treasury in favor of any person, for salary or compensation as agent, officer or appointee, who holds at the same time any other office or position of honor, trust or profit, under this State or the United States, except as prescribed in this Constitution. Provided, that this restriction as to the drawing and paying of warrants upon the Treasury shall not apply to officers of the National Guard of Texas, the National Guard Reserve, the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, nor to enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States, nor to retired officers of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, and retired warrant officers and retired enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps."

Sec. 3. That Section 40 of Article 16, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 40. No person shall hold or exercise, at the same time, more than one Civil Office of emolument, except that of Justice of Peace, County Commissioner, Notary Public and Postmaster, Officer of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, and enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States, and retired officers of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, and retired warrant officers, and retired enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, unless otherwise specially provided herein. Provided, that nothing in this Constitution shall be construed to prohibit an officer or enlisted man of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, or an officer in the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, or an enlisted man in the Organized Reserves of the United States; or retired officers of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, and retired warrant officers, and retired enlisted men of the United States Army, Navy, and Marine Corps, from holding in conjunction with such office any other office or position of honor, trust or profit, under this State or the United States, or from voting at any Election, General, Special or Primary, in this State when otherwise qualified."

Sec. 4. The foregoing Consti-

tutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the next General Election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November.

(A correct copy.)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

**H. J. R. No. 5. PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932**

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 7, of Article 11, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Article 11, Section 7. All counties and cities bordering on the coast of the Gulf of Mexico are hereby authorized upon a vote of a two-thirds majority of the resident property taxpayers voting thereon at an election called for such purpose to levy and collect such tax for construction of sea walls, breakwaters, or sanitary purposes, as may now or may hereafter be authorized by law, and may create a debt for such works and issue bonds in evidence thereof. But no debt for any purpose shall ever be incurred in any manner by any city or county unless provision is made, at the time of creating the same, for levying and collecting a sufficient tax to pay the interest thereon and provide at least two per cent (2 per cent) as a sinking fund; and the condemnation of the right of way for the erection of such works shall be fully provided for."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the 8 day of November, A. D. 1932.

(A correct copy.)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

**H. J. R. No. 26. PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932**

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding thereto Section 3a, which shall read as follows:

"Sec. 3a. When an election is held by any county, or any number of counties, or any political sub-division of the State, or any political subdivision of a county, or any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State and which may or may not include towns, villages or municipal corporations, or any city, town or village, for the purpose of issuing bonds or otherwise, leaning credit, or expending money or assuming any debt, only qualified electors who own taxable property in the State, county, political subdivision, district, city, town or village where such election is held, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be qualified to vote and all electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1932.

(A correct copy.)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

**H. J. R. No. 6. PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932**

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 1-a be added to Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas to read as follows:

Article VIII—Section 1-a: Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) of the assessed taxable value of all residence homesteads as now defined by law shall be exempt from all taxation for State purposes; nothing herein shall apply within those counties or other political subdivision now receiving any remission of State taxes, but upon the expiration of such period of remission this Section shall become applicable within such counties and political subdivisions.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Monday in November, 1932.

(A correct copy.)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

**H. J. R. No. 6. PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932**

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 1-a be added to Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas to read as follows:

Article VIII—Section 1-a: Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) of the assessed taxable value of all residence homesteads as now defined by law shall be exempt from all taxation for State purposes; nothing herein shall apply within those counties or other political subdivision now receiving any remission of State taxes, but upon the expiration of such period of remission this Section shall become applicable within such counties and political subdivisions.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Monday in November, 1932.

(A correct copy.)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

It's against our principles to believe all the nasty things that are said about candidates. We may want to run for office ourselves some day.

**H. J. R. No. 21. PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932**

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 14 of Article 8 of the Constitution of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 14. There shall be elected by the qualified electors of each county at the same time and under the same law regulating the election of State and County officers, an Assessor and Collector of Taxes, who shall hold his office for two (2) years and until his successor is elected and qualified; and such Assessor and Collector of Taxes shall perform all the duties with respect to assessing property for the purpose of taxation and of collecting taxes as may be prescribed by the Legislature."

Sec. 2. That Section 16, of Article 8, of the Constitution of Texas be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 16. The sheriff of each county in addition to his other duties shall be the Assessor and Collector of Taxes therefor; but in counties having ten thousand (10,000) or more inhabitants, to be determined by the last preceding census of the United States, an Assessor and Collector of Taxes shall be elected to hold office for two (2) years and until his successor shall be elected and qualified."

Sec. 3. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State on the next general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1932.

(A correct copy.)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

**S. J. R. No. 23. PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932**

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas, Article 16, be amended by adding thereto another Section, Section 60, which shall read as follows:

"Section 60. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as to authorize a Texas Centennial, commemorating the heroic period of early Texas history, and celebrating a century of our independence and progress, to be held at such times, places and in such manner as may be designated by the Legislature of Texas.

That the Legislature of Texas be authorized to make appropriation for the support and maintenance thereof; provided, that this authorization shall not be construed to make appropriations for any other future exposition or celebration of any kind or character."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the next general election to be held on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1932.

(A correct copy.)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

**ONE THING THAT NEEDS CORRECTION**

Stop if you will, for a few minutes, and watch traffic on any of our artery highways. You will be immediately impressed by the number of trucks, loaded to the top, traveling over these highways. Many are from other states. The roads are full of them.

We cannot help thinking that here is a maladjustment of conditions that should be remedied. Here is a common carrier outfit which uses and abuses, practically without expense, the roads for which the motorists of Texas have been taxed for years. They are enabled by low expense to underbid for service our railroads upon which the prosperity of this country is considerably based.

This problem will get worse from year to year unless it is curbed. Our roads are comparatively new now and the thundering impact of the heavy rigs does not seem to make much difference but as time goes on the roads begin to crumble under the strain so that replacements are necessary it will be too bad.

We favor the trucks and buses being placed on a fair basis with the railroads. If they want to compete with the railroads, let them build their own highways and maintain them. Why should the taxpayer do it? (Exchange.)

The minister who preaches to empty pews is fortunate in a way. Not so many critics to tear him to pieces behind his back.



## Local Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. Wilma Bays are here from Del Rio, visiting Wilma's mother, Mrs. A. F. Bays, who is a patient in the Sealy Hospital.

Mrs. C. W. Terry of Forney, known here as Mrs. Comer Blue, her sister, Mrs. Jack Ables, of Kaufman, and Mrs. Emmett Day and sons who have been visiting in Kaufman, came Tuesday. Mrs. Terry and Mrs. Ables will remain for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Combs left Sunday for the Dallas market. They returned to their home here Tuesday evening.

Mrs. J. R. Bannister and Mrs. R. C. Gay returned Tuesday from Comanche.

The Corner Drug Company will furnish the Election returns Saturday night.

Rev. R. O. Sory of Brownwood was here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schreiber visited Mr. Schreiber's parents in Mason Sunday. It was Rev. Schreiber's birthday, and all his children were home for the occasion.

Mr. G. A. Shockley carried his father, A. P. Shockley, who has been visiting here and in San Angelo, to his home in Hamilton Tuesday. They were accompanied there by Misses Annie Siles, of Santa Anna, and Barbara Baker of Coleman, who visited friends there. They returned here Thursday, accompanied by Mr. Shockley's niece, Miss Lillian Durham, who will teach in the public schools here.

The E. N. Voss family and the Will Mills family are on a fishing trip this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Pifer and twin daughters of Abilene are visiting in the C. B. Verner home this week.

Claus Stovall of Rising Star visited friends here from Friday until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Riley returned to their home here Sunday after an extended trip in Hill County and in Oklahoma, where they visited relatives.

R. M. Stephenson returned to his home here Tuesday from a visit to his old home in Terrell. He reports conditions here much better than there.

Mrs. A. F. Byars of Blanco City is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. J. Johnson, and sister, Mrs. A. L. Bays.

Mrs. James Kirkpatrick and daughter, Jane Martin, of Sinton left Monday for Floresville, where they will visit before going on to their home. They have been visiting in the Mrs. W. B. Mitchell home.

Mrs. R. D. Kirkpatrick and daughters, Misses Jettie and Dora spent Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Will Bartlett, of Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Lovelady of Hamilton are visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Zirkle are moving here this week from Bartlett. Mrs. Zirkle is a sister of Mr. W. H. Thate.

Mrs. Jimmie Simpson of Brownwood was a visitor in the home of her mother, Mrs. Tom Bell, Tuesday.

Mr. M. D. Eubanks and son, Ozro and wife, visited last week with the lady's brothers, Foy and Cliff Williams of Portales, New Mexico.

J. J. Lowery returned this week from Muskogee, Okla., where he has been for several weeks in a U. S. Veterans Hospital for an operation.

The Pleman Cruger family moved here this week from the Cleveland community.

The W. A. Powell family moved to Coleman this week.

Miss Leta Ragsdale returned home Sunday from Belton where she attended the commencement exercises of the Baylor College for Women.

Earl Polk of Fort Worth came Saturday for his mother-in-law, Mrs. Mattie Harper, who will spend the winter in the Polk home there.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hale who have made their home in El Paso for the past year, have returned to our city.

The Usco Huey family moved to Stephenville Monday.

The Corner Drug Company will furnish the Election returns Saturday night.

Miss Evelyn Eubank is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. T. Tiles of Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Chambers and little daughter, Nancy George, of Fort Worth visited Grandma Chambers and Miss Louella Chambers Friday.

Mr. C. A. Lehmann of Oldenburg, Mississippi, came through here Saturday to see Miss Frances Louise Adams for a few minutes. Mr. Lehmann came to Texas to attend the Old Confederates Reunion at Christoval, but the reunion was not held. Miss Adams is the Confederates sponsor.

The Corner Drug Company will furnish the Election returns Saturday night.

Mr. Lehmann has been visiting in the home of his son, in Christoval. He was on his way to Dallas to charter an airplane to take him to Jackson, Miss. He makes both trips in an airplane every year. He was accompanied to Dallas by Mr. Arthur Gulden and daughter, Miss Grace. Lost Bay horse mule, 15 hands, blocky. No brand. Reward.

Guthrie and Grady Miss Rubve Harper and Burgess Sealy left Monday for Mead, Kansas.

Aubry Smith went to Abilene Monday to attend the funeral of Dr. O. H. Cooper, Head of the Education Department at Simmons University, who died at his home in Abilene Sunday and was buried there Monday.

C. E. Combs of Ballinger, President of the Ballinger Lions Club, was a guest of the local Lions Club at the weekly luncheon Tuesday.

For Baby's Stomach Discomfort  
**BABY ELIXIR**  
Soothing and Healing  
TURNER'S DRUG STORE

## Leedy News

We are on our fifth week of summer school. We shall close in a week or two, or when cotton picking begins. The people are cooperating nicely, and we feel sure that they will be glad to have had the summer school in order to have their child in during the cotton picking season.

Sunday school was well attended Sunday. There were 47 present and several visitors. We need the presence of every member in our community so come out and help us.

Bernice Fletcher and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ferguson visited our school Tuesday. We were glad to have them, and we invite all patrons and others to come and visit us.

Quite a number of our people are attending the Baptist revival which is in progress at Santa Anna.

Mr. Singleton, who came to our Sunday School Sunday with our superintendent, Mr. Louis Newman, taught the Young People's Class because of the absence of their regular teacher, Mrs. Howard Kingsberry.

Mr. Louis Lohn and family are visiting in our community. Mr. Lohn was principle of our school for the last three years. The Lohn children are visiting school.

M. M. Sheffield, accompanied by Mr. W. T. Ferguson made a business trip to Abilene Saturday.

Many people of this community attended the speaking in Santa Anna Saturday. Judge C. L. South did the speaking.

Mrs. M. M. Sheffield and Miss Willie Driggers visited the Treasure Cave near Richland Springs Sunday.

Mrs. W. M. Ferguson, who has been ill for almost two months, is better.

## WELL, MAYBE SO, BUT IT SOUNDS LIKE BANANA OIL

COLEMAN, Aug. 24.—How fast a banana tree will grow is no longer a question in this famed West Texas city. It has been solved by County Farm Agent C. V. Robinson.

Before leaving home for Sunday School, Mr. Robinson said he measured one in his back yard. It measured 17 inches. When he returned home he applied the tape line again and it measured 21 inches, and he says Sunday School lasted no longer than usual. The fact that he had been to Sunday School has caused his friends to believe his tale, yet they admit 4 inches in one hour is some growing. San Angelo Morning Times.

The millennium itself will be unpleasant if it involves being bossed by a lot of officials.

## LET'S SWAP

The following "Let's Swap" ads are carried complimentary by the Santa Anna News. Look them over and see if you don't have something to offer for trade. Let's make this a real feature in this paper for the next few weeks.

To trade: Canary birds and potted plants, for farm products. Mrs. Chas. Oakes.

Wheat for fresh country made sorghum syrup. J. T. Baird.

Wagon for good cow; Ford running gear for corn maize or Kaffir corn. C. B. Garrison.

P. & O. 4 disc tractor plow, also John Deer 3 disc tractor plow for Jersey cows, heifers, hogs, pigs, sheep or wood. T. J. Dalton, Gouldbusk.

400 egg incubator for a good cow. Allen Jones, Rockwood.

Good 30-30 Winchester for a light trailer. G. A. Shockley.

A good home in Santa Anna for a farm. R. J. Marshall.

Pigs for feed. J. J. Gregg.

Model T Ford and one Jersey male, 18 months old for what have you. T. T. Ratliff.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Ewing received a telegram Tuesday announcing the birth of a new grandson, born to Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Petty of Houston. Mother and babe are reported doing nicely.

HELP YOURSELF FROM A SMILING SHELF

# PIGGLY WIGGLY

## Our Big Specials for Saturday

**FLOUR** New Car Market High  
Gold Crown 48 lb. **.74**  
Everlite 48 lbs. **.84**

**PEANUT BUTTER** School time is near. Get yours Now 5 lb. pail **.42**

**SOAP** The Large White Bar 7 for only **.25**

**PEACHES** Big Gal. Can The Cheapest price ever sold gal **.33**  
Don't Over Look This Special On Peaches

**SYRUP** Another barrell of that Good Country Sorghum gal. **.35**

Be Sure and Bring Your Bucket

## Our Market Specials

**HAMS** Wilsons Brand Not the Cheap ham Whole or cut one Time lb. **.12**

**ROAST BEEF** Fancy cut from the Fed Baby Beeves lb. **.09**

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WE WILL INSTALL PISTON RINGS AND GRIND VALVES ON ALL MODLE A CARS AND A A TRUCKS FOR \$2.95.

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