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LIONS HOSTS TO HONOR STUDENTS

The Lions Club had as their guests at Tuesday's luncheon, Mrs. J. Edd Bartlett, one of the teachers in High School and some of the winners in contests at the recent county meet in Coleman.

Jesse Lee Sparkman won out in the extemporaneous speaking contest. Miss Ruby Williams was a member of the winning team in the senior spelling contest. Miss Sylvia An Everett was a member of the junior spelling contest winners and Miss Frances Louise Adams was the winner in declamation. Miss Adams will enter "My Home Town" contest at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention in session this week at Sweetwater.

W. M. Bell and Ira Young were initiated into the club as new members.

GOODWILL TRAIN HERE THURSDAY

Thursday at ten o'clock, a Dallas Special goodwill train of business men out from Dallas made a short stop here.

The Dallas party were enroute to Sweetwater to attend the annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Lost "Many Millions"



Percy A. Rockefeller, nephew of John D., told a Senate committee that he won back only \$50,000 of the millions he lost in stocks.

MANY VIEW NEW FORD V-8 HERE PAST WEEK

Quite a few people were treated to a ride in the new Ford V-8 last Friday, in the demonstration car here Friday and Saturday.

Byron Joiner, manager of the Santa Anna Motor Company, was delighted with the appearance and general movement of the new Ford, and states that the local plant will soon have a demonstration car in service here.

MINUTES OF COUNTY CONVENTION

Coleman County Democratic Convention was duly called to order at 2 o'clock P. M. at the Court House at Coleman by F. B. Simmons, Chairman. Leman Brown was nominated as permanent chairman by Geo. Cochran and was unanimously elected, he took the chair and E. M. Critz nominated J. C. Smith, Secretary and was unanimously elected.

Motion by E. M. Critz, seconded by D. L. Snodgrass and unanimously passed to accept credentials of delegates present, which was as follows:-

Coleman No. 1 E - Walter C. Woodard, J. H. Livingston, R. D. Kinney Jr., E. P. Scarborough. Coleman No. 1 N - S. J. Pie-ratt, D. L. Snodgrass, Geo. Cochran, J. C. Smith.

Coleman No. 1 S; J. T. Allen, J. K. Baker, Geo. Sparkman, E. M. Critz, R. V. Wood.

Santa Anna No. 2 N; Leman Brown, A. R. Brown, Tom Sealy, S. W. Childers, Rex Golston, Ogden Brown.

Santa Anna No. 2 S; E. P. Ewing.

Burkett No. 9; J. R. Adams, Wade Golston, A. M. Brown, Hugh Burns, Quinn Harris.

Valera No. 14; Geo. Pauley.

Echo No. 12; J. F. Stewart.

Motion made by J. K. Baker that chairman appoint nominating committee to select delegation to State Convention, same unanimously carried and the chair appointed A. R. Brown of Santa Anna, E. M. Critz of Coleman and J. K. Baker of Coleman on said committee.

Nominating committee reported and placed in nomination the following delegates to the State Convention who were unanimously elected: J. T. Williamson, Coleman; J. C. Smith, Coleman, Tom Sealy, Santa Anna; Ogden Brown, Santa Anna; W. C. Woodard, Coleman; J. K. (CONTINUED ON PAGE 5)

Coleman Woman Is To Receive Degree Earned 58 Yrs. Ago

COLEMAN, May 4 (UP)—When Baylor University's youthful seniors parade to Reeves chapel at Waco next month for their diplomas, Mrs. T. J. White, 75, of Coleman, will march with them to receive a degree earned 58 years ago.

Mrs. White's father, the late Henry Lee Graves, was president of Baylor at Independence in 1847. He resigned in 1851, but returned in 1871 to be president again for a year.

When Mrs. White, as Miss Willie Graves, finished at Baylor in 1874 the school did not grant degrees. She will receive a bachelor of arts degree next month.

Mrs. White was born at Brenham in 1857 and moved here in 1880. Her husband, Judge T. J. White, died two years ago. She has two living daughters, Mrs. E. M. Calder of Coleman and Mrs. C. M. Bellinger of Lubbock. Mrs. White is an active Baptist church worker.

W. C. T. U.

The W. C. T. U. had a very interesting meeting Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Paul Van Dalsen. There was a good attendance. An interesting program was carried out. Several interesting leaflets were read and all read clippings. It was decided to put on a contest to stimulate interest and attendance. The membership was divided into "Come Bringers" and "Go-getters". With Mrs. H. L. Voss captain of the latter and Mrs. R. M. Douglas of the former.

The losers will entertain the winners at the August meeting. Our next meeting will be the annual Flower Mission Meeting and will be held at the C. P. Church, Wednesday June 1st, with Mrs. Goen in charge.

The hostess served delicious refreshments and a delightful social period following the program.

Arch Hunter, Mrs. Dr. T. R. Sealy and Miss Ruby Harper made a business trip to Mead, Kansas, this week, in the interest of the R. A. Harper estate.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Holland of Silver Valley community were pleasant business callers at this office Thursday morning.

"Jesus Paid It All"

* Pine Bluff (Mo.) Clarion: *
* Every editor has received *
* them—the postmaster is not *
* to blame. For instance, *
* there was a man named *
* Tim Short who sent us *
* three notices to stop send- *
* ing his paper, he did not *
* want it any longer. Upon *
* investigating our subscrip- *
* tion list we found Tim was *
* short \$4.50. *
* He never paid a cent, and *
* yet, as a matter of economy *
* to us, he stopped his paper. *
* A few evenings ago we step- *
* ped into a church and Tim's *
* melodious voice rang out *
* clear in a soul-stirring song, *
* "Jesus Paid It All." *
* We might have been mis- *
* taken, but his earnestness *
* impressed us. The next *
* day we sent him a receipt *
* in full, begging his pardon *
* for not knowing that he *
* had made an assignment to *
* the Lord. *
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The Country Has Gone Wet

Yes, this part of the country at least has gone wet this week. Following the fine rains that fell last week, another series fell this week and the country is now wet.

The grain crop that looked two weeks back was going to be almost a total failure, now promises to be an average or better, and prospects for other crops are flattering. Late oats are very promising.

As for cotton and grain sorghums, it is really to plant them, due to the backward spring. Cotton planted two weeks later should come out of it in a hurry, and with fine seasons in the ground it will make some cotton with but little more rain.

Let us urge the planting of feed the remainder of this month and during the month of June. Algeria is recommended very highly for planting.

Our attention has been called to the number of carloads of grain shipped from Santa Anna from the 1931 crop. There were 229 carloads shipped, and at an average price of \$300, brings a net little income of \$68, 700. This is not big money, but it is money, and that amount of it will go a long ways toward putting the country on its feet.

Government was more decent in the old days because people whined less and prowled more.

REVIVAL MEETING

SPECIAL TO SANTA ANNA NEWS

The Central Methodist Church of Brownwood is experiencing a great revival. Since March the 13th, interest has been focused on an old time revival of spiritual power. Each day the revival gathers momentum. Dr. Will Hogg of Chicago has been with the church for the past week. The church at times is unable to seat the crowds. A group of people have been praying for a revival in Brownwood, Brown County, America and the World. The revival will continue through this week.

DOCK BRAND ANNOUNCES FOR OFFICE CONSTABLE

The Santa Anna News is authorized this week to announce the candidacy of J. E. (Dock) Brand for election to the office of Constable of Precinct No. 7, Coleman county, subject to action of the Democratic primaries.

Mr. Brand is well known to every citizen of Santa Anna and the surrounding communities, having held by appointment the office he now seeks for the entire past two years. He was defeated in the 1930 election by only a very few votes. However, Mr. Brand was immediately appointed to the office, due to the removal of the victorious candidate from the precinct before he qualified for the office.

Mr. Brand furnished the News the following statement, in which he asks for the support of his friends:

TO THE VOTERS OF JUSTICE PRECINCT No. 7, COLEMAN COUNTY:

"I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Constable Precinct No. 7.

"If elected, I promise my best efforts in enforcing the laws, by bringing all the law violators to justice, giving special favors to none.

"I will thank you very much for your consideration and vote in the July election.

Respectfully,

J. E. (Dock) BRAND"

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Price presented two very large eggs to the editor last Saturday. One was a turkey egg and the other a hen egg. Each egg contained a double yoke and they were unusually large eggs.

Miss Gray Re-elected To Teach Music By P. T. - A.

The Ward School P.-T.A. met Monday, May 2, with a large number of teachers and mothers present.

Mrs. Verner, the new president of the association, presided at the meeting. From the beginning, everyone—especially the P. - T. A. members—wishes Mrs. Verner much success in her new office.

The P.-T.A. decided to re-elect Miss Louise Gray as public school music instructor for the year of 1932-1933.

—Reporter

LOCAL PEOPLE ATTEND ANNUAL C. C. BANQUET AT COLEMAN

Among those from here who attended the annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce at Coleman Tuesday evening were, Dr. R. R. Lovelady, president of the Lions Club and Lions R. F. Crum, J. T. Garrett, and C. A. Walker. Others were Mr. and Mrs. Leman Brown, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Bond, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Childers, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Golston.

The program lasted until a late hour, and was said to be interesting.

Must Stay in Jail



Tom Mooney, San Francisco agitator, convicted in 1916 of bombing a preparedness parade, has been refused a pardon by Governor Rolph of California.

QUILT SHOW

The Quilt Show put on by the Presbyterian ladies last Saturday was well attended and a success in every way.

Besides the many lordly quilts on display, there were a large number of fine paintings arranged on the walls. These were the works of Santa Anna Artists.

CEMETERY TO BE WORKED NEXT WEEK

The committee working in the interest of the cemetery has requested the Santa Anna News to announce that next week has been designated as Cemetery Week, and people who are interested in getting the cemetery up-kept in getting the cemetery up in better shape and made more beautiful are urged to come any day during the week, bring such tools as are needed to work and help clean up and beautify the premises.

We were not informed as to special days, if any were planned. However, the cemetery needs working and this is sufficient to call your attention to the work. Be there with your hoes, rakes, shovels and such other tools as you have at hand.

Baptist Church

We had a fairly good day last Sunday in spite of the weather disturbances. We hope to have a far better day next Sunday. The pastor will preach at both hours. The morning subject is "The Only Hope in This Hopeless Hour." This will be a plain Bible discussion of the present world economic condition as it relates to spiritual conditions. The subject for the night hour will be "Short Roads from Santa Anna to Hell." This will be a fearless discussion of some prevalent evils that are popular in Santa Anna. Temperature of the building will be determined by your conscience.

We invite the general public to come, but particularly insist that members of the church attend.

B. T. S. at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting at 8 o'clock each Wednesday night. This seems like a time when we should pray.

HAL C. WINGO, Pastor

As We Sit and Think (SOMETIMES, JUST SIT)

We are thinking just now of the general conditions prevalent throughout this country and the much talked of economic situation.

In this representative district, composed of Brown and Coleman counties, we have two candidates for the legislature. Both are good citizens, and, in so far as we know, worthy subjects, but in our most humble opinion, neither of them is capable of going to Austin next January to sit with the general assembly in the making and passing of laws commensurate with the present conditions.

This is not an indictment against the honor or good intentions of either of the candidates, but is just a statement of conditions as we see them.

The writer does not intend this as an announcement of his candidacy for the very responsible place, but is offering it to get expressions from those interested.

We would like to see a candidate in the field with a platform other than to state that "I am a candidate and will appreciate your vote." In fact, we would like to see something like the following in a platform from some candidate with force enough to go to Austin and foster some real, constructive legislation.

I favor the abolishing of all boards, commissions, and bureaus now in existence in this State of a worthless nature and the stopping of salaries and expenses of such boards, commissions and bureaus. In other words, we favor a more rigid economy in government by the abolishing of all useless offices and the reduction of salaries of all to a parity of the present low price levels.

We favor a great reduction in the number of courts and the

simplification of judicial procedure.

We favor the abolishing of state taxes on our homesteads up to \$5,000 and the substituting of graduated income and inheritance tax.

We favor stopping the waste of the tax payers money by curbing the appointive power of the governor and other elective officers, especially the elective board on the Railroad Commission and those appointed with such authority on the Highway Commission. One candidate for governor charges that only 40 per cent of the \$30,000,000 spent the past two years by the State Highway Commission went into the road beds, and the other 60 per cent went to pay expenses of having the work done. He also charges that the department has in its employ 258 workmen and 106 bosses in a single county.

We favor the lowering of all state taxes 50 per cent and county taxes 25 per cent at least.

We favor the reorganization of our penitentiary system, placing it on a self-supporting basis.

We favor a moratorium on real estate loans, district, county, and municipal bonds until values are restored.

We favor transferring the further payment of interest and sinking funds on bonds voted for highway building and liquidating the outstanding bonds from the proceeds of the gasoline tax. Three-fourths of the gasoline tax goes into the state highway funds, and less than one-third of it would liquidate the outstanding bonds and not impair the progress of the road building program.

We favor the repeal of the present truck law, and the payment of a reasonable compensation by commercial trucks for the use of the highways.

We protest the spending of any more of the tax payers' money

to improve, reclaim, put in, bring forth, or in any other way establish more agricultural land upon which to produce more cotton, corn, wheat, rice, or any other crop until such a time that said crops can be sold at a profit.

We favor restricting the planting of cotton to 50 per cent of the cultivated land on any and all farms in the state.

We favor a reimbursement of all state taxes in the 62 counties so badly affected by the drouth of 1930 for the years of 1930 and 1931 and omitting them for the year 1932.

We protest our state and national governments engaging in business in competition with private capital where there is no monopoly.

We favor the encouragement of foreign capital for manufacturing and industrial development so long as said investors respect our anti-trust laws.

We favor abolishing the further expenditure of the tax payers' money to establish state parks and play houses for the rich to enjoy, while the people who pay the bills never see them.

We protest any further encroachment of the Federal Government on our state's rights.

We favor the repeal of worthless laws now on our statutes and the strict enforcement of all laws so long as they are on the statutes.

We will support any feasible and plausible measure that has for its purpose the employment of the unemployed and relieving of distress in our state, even to the extent of issuing state currency to provide necessary credit until values are restored and conditions improved.

If such a platform appeals to you, let us hear from you, for we would not offer for this responsible place without the endorsement of our friends.

J. J. GREGG

Neff Writes Another Chapter to Row, Saying R. R. Commission Has Neither Head, Body, Tail

AUSTIN, May 7.—Pat M. Neff Saturday replied to Chairman C. V. Terrell and Lon A. Smith, fellow-members of the Railroad Commission, in the latest of several chapters of criticism that have been written in the feud between these members of the State's organization, which regulates oil and gas and rail and motor transportation.

Mr. Neff said he has more ammunition and may fire it later. The document was directed both to Mr. Terrell and Mr. Smith as Railroad Commissioners, and the salutation was "Dear Mr. Chairman," with the conclusion of "yours for a free and fearless discussion of all governmental affairs." Mr. Neff charged that the commission as now operating "has neither head, body nor tail." His letter follows:

"I regret that my telegram to you at Tyler was offensive. I did not intend to irritate you. Your statement that you would stay in Tyler holding your court of inquiry, if necessary, the entire summer, and clean out the employees of the Railroad Commission from basement to garret prompted me to make the suggestions in my telegram.

"In reply to my message, you gave to the press a statement that I again was appearing in the role of a critic, and that my suggestions as to the investigation of our employes as to getting drunk, etc., would be by you ignored. Why did it rouse your ire for me to make inquiry as to the sobriety of our employes? Instead of spending the summer in this sweeping investigation, you spent less than a day, quietly folded your tent, gave out your self-laudatory interview and went home. Surely a crusade against lawlessness like that should wake the sleeping patriotism of an Achilles in his tent!"

"Criticisms Constructive"

"Your statement that I do not do my part of the work is invigorating. The records show that I am in the office at Austin more days than you are, and in holding truck case hearings away from Austin I have conducted far more than you have. Not only have I held the hearings, but in every case I have placed in your hands the written testimony. You have not passed to me the testimony in a single case you heard.

"You are correct in your statement that I have been a critic. Why not? My criticisms have been constructive, not destructive. I am no yes member of the commission. Absolute harmony about the State Capitol is not necessarily a good omen. Yes, I have criticized you in public and face to face. If to criticize public officials is treason, then make the most of it.

"I criticized you in 1930 and since severely for permitting a criminal waste of our natural gas to the extent of a billion cubic feet each day. The law gave to the commission the authority to conserve this gas. You failed to do it. Future generations, when the gas supply has been exhausted, will not say my criticisms were unjust.

"2. I criticized you in 1930 for issuing your oil proration orders, because these orders prorated out of business the small oil operators. The Legislature later passed a law in keeping with my criticism.

"3. I criticized you in 1930 because these proration orders were placed by you in the hands of the paid employees of the big oil companies for enforcement. The Legislature thought the criticism just and passed a law prohibiting this practice.

As to Truck Permits

"4. I criticized you in 1930 for the commission's refusal to enforce the pipe line law providing for the ratable taking of oil by pipe line companies. You refused to enforce this law. Why? We had sixteen deputy supervisors in the field with but little to do.

"5. I criticized you in 1930 for issuing some 3,000 truck permits, without any restrictions or regulations as to size of truck or size of load, when the law gave the commission the authority to prescribe both.

"6. I criticized you some months ago for entering an order prohibiting the hauling of cotton over any of the highways of the State, notwithstanding that at the same time you were granting authority to haul all other commodities, under the recent law limiting the weight of truck loads of all commodities, including cotton, to 7,000 pounds.

"7. I criticized you for creating ninety new places and filling them with appointees of your own, thereby adding unnecessarily heavier burdens to the already over-taxed citizens of the State of Texas.

"8. I criticized you because you have made, since you have been chairman, counting new places created and old places filled, 112

appointments in connection with the work of the Railroad Commission. I sought by motion to have all our appointments made by the three members of the commission, the appointees to be notified of their selection by the secretary of the commission, and that no appointment be made by the individual members. You voted against this order.

"It would be interesting to know why you do not record these appointments of the commission.

"With the exception of a few minor places in East Texas, I was privileged to name, of the 112 appointments, only a half-time clerk, a university student. I advised you of the student selected, to see if you had any objections. You consented, and then before my letter could reach his father, you sent the father a telegram advising him that you had made the appointment.

Criticism on Report

"9. I criticized you after our last annual report had been prepared for the printer and had been signed by you, and signed by me, including some recommendations that I saw fit to make in regard to a reorganization of certain departments of the commission, and when you did not like my recommendations, without any conference with me, you directed that the last page containing my name and recommendations be torn out of the report and that the report be printed, as it was printed, without my signature and recommendations.

"10. I have criticized you as chairman of the commission for not having the commission pass on the cases coming before it at the time of the hearings. There are now several hundred cases on the docket waiting for the decision of the commission. A large number of them were heard more than six months ago, a considerable number as long as a year ago, and no decisions made. The commission should pass on these cases when heard and while the testimony is still fresh in mind, but you refuse consistently to pass on contested cases. Litigants before the commission join me in this just criticism of you. Why keep the docket cluttered up with hundreds of undecided cases? When you became chairman, there were less than six undecided cases on the docket.

"11. I criticized you last December when you signed and sent to me for my signature, which of course I did not sign, some 300 truck permits, giving these 300 truck operators permission to haul all the special commodities named in the law from a can of milk to an oil derrick over all the roads of the State of Texas, without a hearing or an investigation as to the liability or responsibility of the applicants, and without any regulations as to the character of the equipment to be used, as the law declares should be done. Why have the law to regulate trucks, if permits are to be issued without restriction as to territory covered or vehicles used?"

High Salaries

"12. I criticized you for having made a contract to pay certain persons \$100 a day, others \$75 a day, and still others \$35 a day, together with all expenses, hotel bills and such, to work for the

commission. The times in which we now live cry out against such governmental extravagance.

"13. I criticized you for appointing and continuing to keep on the pay roll of the State employes who have the habit of getting drunk. One of your appointees pleaded guilty some months to a grand jury indictment charging him with driving a State car while drunk; yet he continues to stay on the pay roll and work in behalf of your reelection. There are others of similar habits on the pay roll. Most of them, however, from a political standpoint, are most excellent appointments.

"For these criticisms and others of a somewhat different nature that may be presented later, I make no apologies to you or to the people of Texas. They were when made and they are now just criticisms. I would have been derelict in my duties, not only as a member of the Railroad Commission, but as a citizen of Texas, if I had not then and did not now enter my solemn protest against gross extravagance in the expenditure of the money belonging to the people of Texas, against such a spineless administration of the State's business, and against turning the Railroad Commission of Texas into a political machine.

"The people of Texas should make it possible to reorganize the Railroad Commission. At present, it has some excellent employes and some efficient departments, but as an organization, on the whole, it has neither head, body, nor tail."

Ruth at Bat



"Babe," the Home Run King, caught a bad cold and had to lay off for a while, to the disappointment of the Yankees.

Goes to Senate



Major John S. Cohen, owner and editor of the Atlanta Journal, appointed United States Senator from Georgia to succeed the late Senator Harris.

Hatchery to Close Saturday

This week we are closing our hatchery in Santa Anna for the season, and, before leaving, wish to express our thanks for the fine business you have given us this Spring, and announce that it is our intention to be with you again next year. We will also make a run during the Fall of this year, and will be glad to have your patronage at that time.

It is our purpose to visit a number of the poultry yards here during the Fall season and test poultry for those who wish to have their fowls blood-tested, and cooperate with you in every way possible for the betterment of your poultry.

We will announce our dates prior to our coming, and be here to serve you in any way we can to help you with your poultry.

We have a few baby chicks left that we would like to dispose of this week. If you need them, come in not later than Saturday.

Until you see us again next Fall, we bid you farewell, and wish you the best of success with the chickens we have either hatched or sold you this season.

Green & White Hatchery

FRI, SAT. and MONDAY SPECIALS

- CUPS and SAUCERS ----- 10c
- SPRING CLOTHES PINS, 6 dozen 25c
- 100-ft. Galvanized CLOTHESLINE - 25c
- AXE HANDLES, 25c Value for only 17c
- ALUMINUM DIPPER, 25c Value - - 15c
- 7- qt. NICKEL-PLATED COPPER TEA KETTLE, Special - - - - \$1.39
- WEEDING HOES, PLOW BOLTS and HARNESS GOODS PRICED TO SELL!
- BLUE HARDWARE**

"Richard, Beware"

is the title of the play
A THREE-ACT COMEDY-DRAMA
High School Auditorium
Thursday Night, May 19th
14 CHARACTERS
BUFFALO COMMUNITY PLAYERS
under auspices of the
Santa Anna High Senior Class
Admission 10c and 20c

A Balanced Program for Safe Farming

The individual farmer has it in his power to greatly improve his own living conditions and assure at least some measure of security and profit by a program of balanced farming.

The experience of the past few years proves that the Southern States, as a whole, are out of balance in their system of agriculture, and something must be done at once if the farmers of the South are to be saved from the most disastrous condition in our history.

Live stock, chickens, feed and home gardens, in addition to the main cash crop, constitute a program of balanced farming that will assure a harvest of rich rewards to the individual farmer, his community and to the South generally.

The First National Bank

OF SANTA ANNA, TEXAS.

OLD RAILROAD QUILTS

After 100 years of service the oldest passenger carrying railroad in the United States will quit business, according to the United Press. It is the Pontchartrain line, five miles long, between Pontchartrain and Milneburg, La.

With its discontinuance, the ancient little locomotive "Smoky Mary," brought from England in 1832, will also go out of commission. It is said that in all of its 100 years of operation no passenger has ever been killed on the line.

Other distinction claimed for the road: It is the only one to operate in its original charter; the first line in the world to use a raised platform for the handling of freight; the only passenger line to operate without dispatchers or trainmasters.

There is also a story to the effect that in the old days it was the custom to attach sails to the train when the wind was favorable, in order to give it added speed and at the same time economize on fuel.—Swiped.

The summer breeze blows thru the trees and welcomes back the bevedez.—Corsicana Sun.

It isn't right to use the camel as the emblem of a "dry" politician. The camel can go nine days without a drink.—Corsicana Sun.

May Rule Britain



Princess Elizabeth, daughter of the Duke of York and granddaughter of King George V., celebrated her sixth birthday recently. Unless a son is born in the royal line Elizabeth may become Queen of England.

MAN LOST 26 POUNDS AND LOOKS 100 PER CENT BETTER

FEELS STRONGER THAN EVER

Just to prove to any doubtful man or woman that Kruschen Salts is the SAFE way to reduce—let us take the letter of Mr. F. J. Fritz of Cincinnati, Ohio, recently received.

He writes: "I've tried extreme dieting, setting up exercises with very little results—but the results from Kruschen are almost incredible. In 3 months I reduced from 205 to 179 pounds and feel stronger than ever—no more wheezing or gasping for breath—friends say I look 100 per cent better."

Bear in mind, you fat man, that there is danger in too much fat—try the safe way to reduce—one-half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water every morning—cut down on fatty meats and sweets—one bottle that lasts 4 weeks costs but a trifle—get it at any drugstore in the world.

Political Announcements

The News is requested to announce the following names listed below, all subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, Saturday, July 30, 1932.

For County Clerk:
L. EMET WALKER (Re-election)
LEMAN BROWN

For County Treasurer:
MRS. E. K. THOMPSON (Re-election)
A. H. BREWER

For County Tax Collector:
MISS JETTIE KIRKPATRICK (Re-election)
FRANK LEWIS

For District Clerk:
W. E. GIDEON (Re-election)

For Public Weigher:
CARL ASHMORE (Re-election)

For County Commissioner:
J. S. GILMORE (Re-election)
CURTIS COLLINS
R. E. DERUSHA

For County Judge:
A. O. NEWMAN (Re-election)
S. J. PIERATT

For Sheriff:
FRANK MILLS (Re-election)
B. F. AUTHUR

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

For District Judge 35th Judicial District:
C. B. CATALAWAY
E. J. MILLER (Re-election)

For District Attorney 119th Judicial District:
W. A. STROMAN
EUGENE F. (Gene) MATHIS (Re-election)

For State Representative, 125th District:
MISS CARRIE REAVES

For County Attorney:
W. B. (Billy) BAKER
J. O. HARRIS (Re-election)

For Constable, Prec. No. 7:
MACE BLANTON

For Justice of the Peace Precinct No. 7:
L. G. (Lester) JONES

THE RED & WHITE STORES

HUNTER BROTHERS | J. L. BOGGUS & CO.
TELEPHONE 48 | TELEPHONE 56

Friday and Saturday Specials

LETTUCE, 2 heads for - 9c | APPLES, Winesaps, ea. - 1c

PEACHES, Red & White, Yellow Cling, 2 1/2 size, each 19c

LEMONS, Sunkist, doz. 19c | ORANGES, dozen - - - - 19c

Ground Coffee 100 Per Cent PURE 1b. **.15**

COMET MACARONI, 3 Packages for only - - - - - 13c

SPUDS, 10 pounds for - 16c | BLACKBERRIES, 2 for 25c

BAKING POWDER, Blue & White, Each - - - - - 19c

TEA, Red & White, 1-4 size .19

CORN FLAKES, Red & White, Each only - - - - - 10c

NILE SALMON, each - - 10c | 22 SHORTS S. S., Box - 15c

MRS. STEWART'S BLUING, 20c Size for - - - - - 17c

Steamboat Syrup, gal. .49

RED BOY SOCKEYE SALMON, only - - - - - 25c

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Whoever borrowed our CHAIN HOIST, JACK and SCREWS is requested to return them at once, as they are needed. tfe
SIMPSON & TURNER GINS

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Someone borrowed my Chain Hoist, and it is needed! Please return it immediately!
J. ED. BARTLETT

BERRIES NOW READY!
My Dewberries are now ready! Drive down and get yours. The price will be much lower this season.
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The Santa Anna Hatchery will set twice each week, on Monday and Thursday, for the remainder of the season.

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Fresh!! H. H. BROWN 3t

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FOR SALE!!! BARGAINS IN



GEO. D. RHONE, Coleman, Tex.

*** Cross Roads News * * Red Bank News * * Coleman Junct'n ***

Mrs. F. E. Wagner visited Mrs. Clark Miller Tuesday afternoon. Those who went fishing this week were Bill Rice, Roy Casey, Bill Lowery, Earl Lindley, Louis Newman and Lewis Burney.

Willis Burney was in Santa Anna Monday evening and joined the National Guard.

Erwin Bowden returned from Cherokee last week.

Mrs. S. M. Bates attended the funeral of her sister at Salt Gap last Saturday.

Mrs. George Haynes visited Mrs. E. S. Haynes Thursday night. Mrs. Herman Carder visited Mrs. George Haynes Thursday.

The Cross Roads and Tricham boys played baseball last Thursday. The Cross Roads team won.

Mr. and Mrs. George Haynes were shopping in Santa Anna Wednesday.

Martin Genz and Loll Ritchie visited Calvin Fussell Sunday. Miss Lela Fussell visited Miss Ruth Bates Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Haynes and attended the play at Cleveland.

Will Haynes, Lewis Burney and Mr. Ritchie visited in the Genz home Saturday evening.

Mabel Bates, Freda and Clara Genz and Drapon Ritchie visited Sybil Tucker.

Miss Lucille Genz spent Saturday night with Miss Ruth Bates. Miss Ruth Bates visited Miss Ruth Genz Sunday.

Jack and H. B. Dockery spent Saturday night with Robert and J. R. Haynes.

The Cross Roads school will close Friday with a community picnic.

The American peanut crop comes from the South, but the crop of peanut politicians is not restricted to any particular section.

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Overnight Service out of Dallas and Fort Worth

We still have prayer meeting on Thursday nights. Mr. Crye led last Thursday night in the absence of Mr. Brown, who was supposed to lead. Mrs. Vence McClure will lead next time.

Rain prevented a very good attendance at Sunday school and church last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brandon, who formerly lived in this community, are now living in the Line community and have united with the Baptist church in Santa Anna.

Miss Laura McClure visited her aunt, Mrs. Lillie Newman of the Cross Roads community the first of last week.

Mrs. Earnest Loagsteen has had a sister from Coleman as her guest this week.

Miss Myrtle Brown spent last week-end with relatives in the Milligan community.

Mrs. Bill Henzie and Miss Earl Brown of Milligan and Miss Mamie Moore of Cleveland visited in the T. M. Brown home one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter visited in the E. D. Weston home Monday.

Among those who attended the play at Milligan Friday night were: Misses Laura McClure, Willie Carpenter, Otha and Era Crye and Messrs. Noble Carpenter, Tom and Oran McClure. We failed to get the names of the others who saw the play.

FOUR THINGS

Four things a man must learn to do
If he would make his record true:
To think without confusion clearly,
To love his fellowmen sincerely,
To act from honest motives purely,
To trust in God and heaven securely.
—Henry Van Dyke

A bookkeeper may hold his job by getting the accounts so balled up that no one else can understand them.
Lots of so-called will power is won't power.—Corsicana Sun.

There was no Sunday school or B.T.S. Sunday or Sunday night as the weather and roads were too bad. We are hoping it is favorable enough to have a large attendance next Sunday.

The Coleman Junction Home Demonstration Club met on last Wednesday. Refreshments were served and most of all the members were present. The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Pearce.

Miss Cleo Dunn spent last week with her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shamblin of Shields.

There was a program and picnic at the school house Friday, which was the closing of school. There was a large crowd of the community there and everyone had an enjoyable day.

There was an entertainment given by Miss Mary Joe Smith last Tuesday night. Several were present, and everyone had a nice time.

A good program will be presented at the church house next Sunday night. Everyone is invited.

Gets \$500 Award



Rolf Lium, who won fame as the "boy pastor" when he preached in a South Dakota church which President Coolidge attended, has been awarded one of 17 graduate fellowships in medical research by Harvard University.

Santa Anna News

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People Would Like to Know Where Their Money Goes

The question most paramount with the people, especially since taxes—state, county, school and city—have soared so high and money is so scarce with which to pay, is "Where Does the Money Go?"

The law requires all corporations, banks, cities, counties and other corporations doing business under permit or otherwise, assessing and collecting taxes, or lending money for interest, to publish a financial statement of the receipts and disbursements quarterly. This law is not mandatory on towns and cities and we question the legality of an incorporated town or village to force collection of taxes where the law, informing the public where their money goes, is not complied with.

"A WINK TO THE WISE IS SUFFICIENT!"

Brady's Low Electric Rate

Despite the assertion of many writers for publications controlled by the power interests that municipal ownership of utilities has been a failure wherever attempted, the City of Brady steps forward to disprove the tried old saying: "One cannot have his cake and eat it too."

Brady citizens own their water and light plant and they also enjoy the cheapest electric rate anywhere in this section of the state. Furthermore, they were given another reduction in rates recently. This rate cut may be considered all the more remarkable in view of the fact that Brady's water and light plant is paying all operating expenses of the city.

During the past year Brady's water and light plant paid a total of \$29,529 into the city's treasury for maintenance. Approximately \$5,000 of this amount was used in building streets, thereby furnishing jobs for the unemployed.

It has been said on good authority that during the twenty years since it was established, Brady's municipal water and light plant has earned more money than the three banks of Brady combined and that today the assets of the plant are greater than the combined capital stock of all these banks.

Without attempting to explain the question of "KWH" or anything else connected with meters, which is Greek to the average man and to all newspaper men, here is an example to prove that Brady can operate her utility plant at a profit and yet give the consumer an extremely low rate. A commercial user of electricity in Kerrville figured his current bill at the new low Brady rates and arrived at a total of \$32.75, whereas, under the Kerrville rates he is charged with \$76.40. This is a difference of \$43.65.

The argument over the relative merits of public and private ownership of utilities has waxed warm for many years. It will continue to rage for years to come. Aside from this, The Sun merely wishes to toss a bouquet to the Brady citizenry who own a paying business and receive added dividends in cheap electric rates.—Kerrville Mountain Sun.

We commend the citizenry of Brady for the successful operation of a municipal utilities plant and the saving of Brady citizens money on their light, power and water bills, but the same is not true in all cities. Most cities and towns operating municipally owned power plants are not so fortunate as the town of Brady. Brady has been exceedingly and very unusually fortunate in getting men of the right type and men who understand the installation and operation of machinery to operate their plant. We congratulate them on their success. The same could be true

in other places if the city officials would exercise the proper judgment in employing men of the right kind.

HOW TRUE! HOW VERY TRUE, MR. SON-OF-A-GUN!

A merchant in San Saba paid the News \$5.00 for an advertisement. The News paid a workman in the shop. This workman paid the dairyman, the dairyman paid the druggist and the druggist paid the original merchant who invited people to buy at his store. Another merchant paid another \$25 to a foreign print shop. That money is gone forever. That merchant is poorer, whether he thinks so or not, and the buying power of this community is crippled by the very individual and institution who insists most that the local newspaper preach "buy at home" and "keep home money at home." It's a funny world.—(Son-of-a-gun in the San Saba News.)

The Comptroller's Report

Did citizens take time to read it, they would find Comptroller Sheppard's annual report for the state's fiscal year ending August 31, 1931, a most interesting document.

It reveals, for instance, that every department of state government spent more money from September 30, 1930 to August 31, 1931, than they did in the previous fiscal year. Legislative expense increased from \$258,951.34 in 1930 to \$707,321.07 in 1931; the judiciary spent \$2,721,340.39 in 1931 as compared with \$2,512,328.39 in 1930; the cost of operating the executive and administrative departments rose from \$911,313.66 to \$1,049,233.66; support of free schools became three-quarters of a million dollars more expensive; it cost approximately \$390,000 more to operate the penal and eleemosynary institutions of the state. Law enforcement and maintenance of the militia increased almost \$60,000, and the comptroller's figures do not reflect the cost of military occupation of the East Texas oil fields; that expense was incurred after Aug. 31, 1931.

We did spend almost six millions less for construction and maintenance of state highways. But since the highway commission gets none of its money from the state's general revenue fund, that lone example of economy will not be reflected in the state's revenue requirements or its tax rate.

In a year when private business was curtailing expenses, cutting corners, reducing overhead and economizing in every possible way, the state government went ahead and spent more money than it did in the fiscal year of 1929-1930. If the reduced costs of supplies and materials is taken into consideration, it becomes apparent that the state actually indulged in a spending spree.

There is ample opportunity for tax reduction in Texas.—Tehule Telegram

The Builder

"Let us rise up and build." Nehemiah 2:18.

By Clayton Rand

Jerusalem was in ruins—its walls were crumbled, its shops closed, its farms abandoned.

Nehemiah was cupbearer to a neighboring king, and full of grief for the city of his fathers, he was granted a commission to rebuild Jerusalem.

A pauper and oppressed people were urged to be up and doing, and with one acclaim they asked, "But, Nehemiah, who will rebuild the walls?"

"You will rebuild the walls," said Nehemiah, "you will rebuild them."

Read this timely chapter from the past! And while we expect the Chamber of Commerce, the City, the Government or a Benign Providence to make repairs, just remember—if the farms and cities are built again, we shall do it.

R. L. Brinson, one of the berry growers of Bangs, was in the mountain city Monday, and called at this office while here to place an advertisement, offering his fine dewberries for sale.

Jim Scott of Junction, former citizen of these parts, spent the week-end here with relatives and informed the editor while here that he contemplates moving back to Santa Anna in the near future.

W. A. Stroman of San Angelo, candidate for district attorney of the 119th district, was in the city Saturday and paid this office a call while here.

H. H. Jackson, owner and publisher of the Coleman Democrat-Voice, was a pleasant fraternal visitor at this office Saturday afternoon.

The WAY of LIFE BY BRUCE BARTON

The Obituary Page

Once I was talking with Kent Cooper about what interests people in the newspapers.

He said: "When a man gets to be about forty-five years old he discovers the obituary page."

I certainly am not a gloomy minded person, but I have always thought more or less about death. The attitude of a large portion of the human race toward it seems to me infantile and silly.

It isn't a pleasant subject but certainly it is an inevitable one. Why dodge and pretend and act like children? Said Caesar: "Of all the wonders that I yet have heard, It seems to me most strange that men should fear; Seeing that death, a necessary end, Will come when it will come."

All of which leads me to remark that there is a certain advantage in discovering the obituary page comparatively early in life. The tragedy is that men never discover it.

I have seen a doddering old millionaire, with one foot in the grave, fighting with a taxi-man over a nickel, or trying to beat down the price of a neck-tie. I once sought a contribution to charity from a millionaire who was well over sixty and notoriously tight. He told all the reasons why he couldn't give up a cent, and as he warmed up to the subject he began to act as if my call were an insult.

Finally I said: "Why are you so mean? Why do you deny yourself pleasures and squeeze every nickel? It isn't your money; it's your children's money, or will be in a few years. Why let them have all the pleasures? Why not have the fun of giving some of it away?"

This rude remark shocked him. I think it started a line of thought that made quite a change in his life.

Moses prayed: "So teach us to number our days that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom." I assume that to mean that, when we get along toward middle life and note by the papers that men of our own age, or a few years older, are dropping off, we ought to stop and take stock.

We ought to say: "As life goes I have maybe ten, fifteen or, at the most, thirty years. Therefore, I ought to quit thinking—How can I be sure to do all things I want to do, see all the places I want to see, and leave behind me a reputation for having been a reasonably good and generous individual?"

It would help if the papers would print at the top of the obituary page every day this quotation from Rousseau:

"The dead take to the grave, in their clutched fingers, only that which they have given away."

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON by REV. SAMUEL D. PRICE D.D.

International Sunday School Lesson for May 15 JACOB AT BETHEL Genesis 28:10-17

Those who think that the Bible is a dull book will do well to learn the action, intrigue, love-making and accomplishments in this portion of the life of Jacob. He had to leave home because he had gained the bitter hatred of his twin brother Esau by reason of the two infamous tricks that he played on him. The favoritism of both father and mother made the plot thicken. Then a real hike was entered upon as a 400 mile journey was undertaken that would lead to Mesopotamia where family relatives would be found.

A few nights out the tired young man camped at Bethel. During the night he was granted a wondrous vision in which he beheld the angels descending from Heaven and returning by

what looked like a great ladder. Jacob was mightily impressed and realized that Jehovah was speaking to him through this manifestation. At once an altar was set up and dedicated with oil and prayer. Turn to the hymn "Nearer My God to Thee," and you find how the author gave a beautiful poetic setting to the events of that night. Such manifestations relate heaven and earth vitally. The spirit world is an actual world and mortals are in intimate relation thereto. The Bible is clear in its teaching of angelology and one of the finest descriptions of their work is found in Hebrews 1:14.

Note that this vision was accompanied with the same promise that had already been granted to Abraham and Isaac. Jacob could see that his descendants were to be a mighty race and have far reaching influence, and this is the glorious record of the Hebrews. Further, this promise was given before the 20 years away from home were entered upon. Jacob in turn was tricked a plenty by his uncle Laban, but in the midst of all the trials he could think back to the promise of God at Bethel.

NOTICE!

I have had my milk cows tested for T.B. and they were found to be clear of all T.B. germs.

I have my milking barn under construction and it will be completed soon.

I appreciate the patronage of my friends and shall continue to give them the best service possible.

I invite and will appreciate new customers at any time.

MRS. L. H. BLEVINS

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Last but not least, one of the most important things is the necessities of life—

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Dr. Oscar K. Rice, research chemist in the Harvard University Laboratory, received the American Chemical Society's annual prize of \$1,000 for the most outstanding achievement in science. Dr. Rice is 29.

MINUTES OF COUNTY CONVENTION

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1) Baker, Coker Coleman; J. P. McCord, Coleman; R. V. Wood Coleman; E. M. Critz, Coleman; S. W. Childers, Santa Anna; H. W. Kingsberry, Santa Anna; Dr. R. F. Line, Valera; F. B. Simmons Coleman; J. B. Dibrell, Coleman.

Motion made by R. V. Wood and seconded by D. L. Snodgrass which unanimously carried to instruct delegates to State Convention to vote for Jed C. Adams for National Committeeman.

Motion was made by J. H. Livingston for delegates to State Convention to be instructed to support delegates to the National Convention with instructions to vote for Hon. John Garner for nomination for president, a substitute motion was made by J. K. Baker to instruct delegates to vote for delegates to National Convention to support the Hon. John Garner as long as his name was before the convention and that their second choice would be for Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt, Senator Walter C. Woodard made a motion to table J. K. Baker's motion and called for a roll call ballot which was had and Senator Woodard's motion carried by a vote of 21 for, to 11 against. Motion was then made and unanimously carried to instruct delegates to State Convention to support delegates to the National Convention with instructions to vote for Hon. John Garner for President.

By motion the convention adjourned sine die.
Secretary J. C. Smith,
Chairman Lemman Brown.

Are You BLUE? Harlingen Doctor Prescribes Remedy—LAUGH WITH THIS "CRYING SOCIETY."

At last—a solution to your troubles!

Pondering over the economic woes of the nation, Dr. F. D. Walsworth, Harlingen philosopher and former active journalist, thinks he has struck upon the answer to it all.

He finds a way of always utilizing spare time, which might be the key to ending unemployment but let Dr. Walsworth tell you about it.

"I have been thinking for some time past that there should be something done to remedy existing conditions.

"After reading the opinions of all the smart, near smart and plumb foolish people who had an opinion to voice, I only found one person who had anything to offer which has proved to be of any benefit.

"Strange to say this report came from a woman. You can't imagine the trouble she had. I wish I could tell you about it as colorfully as she told it to me. But as we are not yet discussing our troubles but remedies for our troubles, I will pass that part.

"After listening to all the bad luck, financial reverses, bad fruit markets and high taxes that this woman had had, I asked what she was going to do about it, and she had an answer.

"She was going home and have a good cry.

"Next day I saw her again and she seemed like a different person. Her spirits were good, in fact almost gay. I rushed over to where she stood on the corner and asked if she had had news of a new oil well or something.

"Her answer was this:

"After I went home and had a good cry I felt so much better. My troubles seem much less and easier to bear. In fact, I am

more optimistic than I have been in weeks. It really seems like a new world I am living in."

"This gave me an idea I am trying to put across to the people of this nation. A good cry really helps things. If crying alone helps a lot, what couldn't be done by all getting together and crying at once. In fact, why not organize a crying society, where we could all get together a couple of times a week and cry together. It is an old adage that misery likes company.

"As the local luncheon societies have dwindled to almost a corporal's guard, on account of their being principally a clearing house for everybody's troubles and a remedy for none, I believe this ought to go over big.

"We could organize with a full set of officers; head crier, town crier; loud crier; sad crier; joyful crier; with regular meetings after every frost, bank failure or tax rate increase.

"We could liven up things a little by giving a small prize at every meeting night to the member who had the best reason for crying at that meeting. We could have special committees to gather at the homes of members with special good reasons for crying to aid and assist him to carry on until the regular meeting night.

"We could have meetings devoted to crying for a special reason, like high taxes, or too much rain, or prohibition, etc.

"We could even go before the equalization board and put on a special rendition for them. I tell you there is no stop to what could be done by a good crying society.

"If you think we ought to organize, call and see the author. He isn't very busy and he has a

lot of reasons for crying he has not even mentioned yet."—Hamilton Herald-Record.

The News publishes the above as a reader, but not as an endorsement. We have too many crying societies already.—Ed.)

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

The codfish lays a million eggs, And the helpful hen lays one, But the codfish doesn't cackle To tell us what she's done; And so we scorn the codfish coy, And the helpful hen we prize, Which indicates to you and me It pays to advertise. —South Side Christian (Omaha)

Planting Seed!

I have a few clean, first year run LANKART COTTON SEED at 50c per bushel. I will bring the seed to Santa Anna or will fill your orders at my home, 5 miles north of Rockwood, in the late afternoons. I also have plenty of ALGERIA SEED, and do not hesitate to recommend it as being the best all-purpose feed I have ever seen grow in Coleman county. Fine, large heads, and the stalks make fine bundle feed. Highly recommended for its drouth resisting qualities. Any orders filled, large or small, at 6c per pound.

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29x4.75-20	5.20	5.04	.91
29x5.00-19	5.39	5.23	1.00
30x5.00-20	5.45	5.29	1.14
31x5.00-21	5.72	5.56	1.16
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30x5	15.45	14.93	\$2.00
32x6	26.50	25.50	3.20
34x7	36.40	35.30	4.35
6.00-20	14.50	14.07	1.02
7.00-20	22.40	21.73	2.55
7.50-20	26.45	25.80	3.90

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The following is a brief account of my experience with ALGERIA in 1931:

I purchased 40 pounds of ALGERIA seed in the Spring of 1931, and planted it on about 9 acres. I intended to plant 5 pounds to the acre, but did not plant more than 4 or 4 1/2 lbs. per acre. The soil was fairly good, but it was planted late. The land was bedded and planted the third week in May. The only rain we had after April 28 was on June 9, until after the feed was harvested. I gathered about 15 tons of heads from the 9 acres. I have never fed a better bundle feed than the bundles cut with a row binder. Stock relish my bundle feed and eat it all. ALGERIA has roots similar to corn, except they grow straight down. I found ALGERIA to be the greatest drouth resister of any of the eight varieties planted in 1931.

Agents are selling ALGERIA seed for 25c, 50c, 75c and some are taking orders for the seed for as much as \$1.00 per pound. I paid a high price for my seed, but, under the circumstances, I will offer it for sale at only 6c per lb.

Several of the merchants have agreed to sell ALGERIA seed for me, and the seed will soon be placed on sale in Santa Anna and Coleman.

We took first and second prizes at the Coleman County Fair last Fall.

J. J. GREGG

SWEET ARE THE USES OF ADVERSITY

EXIT: Twin Beds, Lettuce Sandwiches, Indigestion and Swelled Head

ENTER: A New Life, Neighboring, Sow-bosom and Church

I Like the Depression, Says Henry Ansley

(The author of the following incorrigibly optimistic point of view, Henry Ansley, is a well-known newspaperman of the Panhandle-Plains, on the staff of the Amarillo Globe-News, an original associate of Gene Howe and Wilbur Hawk. Henry does about everything around the shop from writing personals and pungent paragraphs to dining out "on the paper"—and now, "on his friends." A little depression now and then is nothing in his life. He has found a way out. This article is a boil-down of an address he has been delivering, with riotous success, at many places in the Globe-News' circulation territory.—Editor's Note.)

I like the depression. No more prosperity for me. I have had more fun since the depression started than I ever had in my life. I had forgotten how to live, what it meant to have real friends, what it was like to eat common every-day food. Fact is, I was getting just a little nigh hat.

Then—And Now
Three years ago, only one man at the News-Globe organization could be out of town at a time and he had to leave at the last minute and get back as soon as possible. Many times I have driven 100 miles to a banquet, sat through three hours of bunk in order to make a 5-minute speech, then drive the 100 miles back so as to be ready for work the next morning.

Nowadays, as many News-Globe employees as are invited make those trips and we stay as long as we want to. The whole outfit could leave the office now and it wouldn't make any difference.

I like the depression. I have time to visit my friends, to make new ones. Two years ago when I went to a neighboring town, I always stayed at the hotel. Now I go home with my friends, stay all night and enjoy home-cooking. I have even spent the week-end with some of the boys who have been kind enough to invite me.

Time, Neighbors, Clothes
It's great to drop into a store and feel that you can spend an hour or two or three or a half day just visiting and not feel that you are wasting valuable time. I like the depression.

I am getting acquainted with my neighbors. In the last six months I have become acquainted with folks who have been living next door to me for three years. I am following the Biblical admonition, "Love your neighbors." One of my neighbors has one of the best-looking wives I have ever seen. She is a dandy. I am getting acquainted with my neighbors and learning to love them.

Three years ago, I ordered my clothes from a merchant tailor—two and three suits at a time. All my clothes were good ones. I was always dressed up. But now, I haven't bought a suit in two years. I am mighty proud of my Sunday-go-to-meeting clothes. When I dress up, I am dressed up and I don't mean maybe. I like the depression.

The Wife
Three years ago I was so busy and my wife was so busy that we

didn't see much of each other, consequently we sort of lost interest in each other. I never went home to lunch. About twice a week I went home for dinner—at 6:30 o'clock. I never had time to go anywhere with her. If I did go on a party, I could never locate her, since there was always a "blonde" or a "red-head" available I didn't worry much about it.

My wife belonged to all the clubs in town. She even joined the young mothers club. We don't have any children but she was studying—and between playing bridge and going to clubs, she was never at home.

We got stuck up and hifalutin. We even took down the old family bed and bought a set of twin beds—on the installment plan.

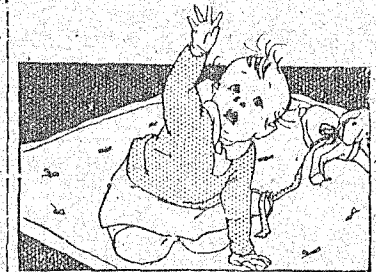
When I would come home at night, if my wife was at home, she would already be in her bed and I would crawl in mine. If she came in first, vice versa.

Beds and Clubs
We like the depression. We have come down off our pedestal and are really living at my house now. The twin beds are stored in the garage and the old family affair is being used. We are enjoying life. Instead of taking a hot water bottle to bed on cold nights, she sticks her heels in my back, just like she did before Hoover was elected.

I haven't been out on a party in 18 months. I have lost my book of telephone numbers. My wife has dropped all the clubs. I believe we are falling in love all over again. I am pretty well satisfied with my wife. Think

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I am feeling better since the depression. I take more exercise. I walk to town and a lot of folks who used to drive Cadillacs are walking with me. I like the depression.

My digestion is better. I have not been to see a doctor in a year. I can eat anything I want to.

Food—and Food
I am getting real, honest-to-goodness food. Three years ago,

we had filet mignon once a week and now we have round steak with flour gravy. Then, we had roast breast of guinea hen, now we are glad to get sow-bosom with the buttons on it.

I like the depression. My salary has been cut to where I can't afford to buy lettuce and spinach and parsley and we can't afford to have sandwiches and frozen desserts and all that damfoolishness which has killed more good men than the World War.

I like the depression. Three years ago, I never had time to go to church. I played golf all

day Sunday and besides I was so damned smart that there wasn't a preacher in West Texas who could tell me anything.

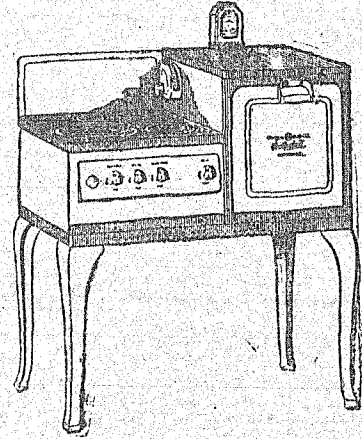
Now, I am going to church regularly, never miss a Sunday. And if this depression keeps on, I will be going to prayer meeting before long. I like the depression.

An Eastern manufacturing firm has forbidden the use of mechanical cigar lighters in its plant, probably fearing that one of them might really work some time.



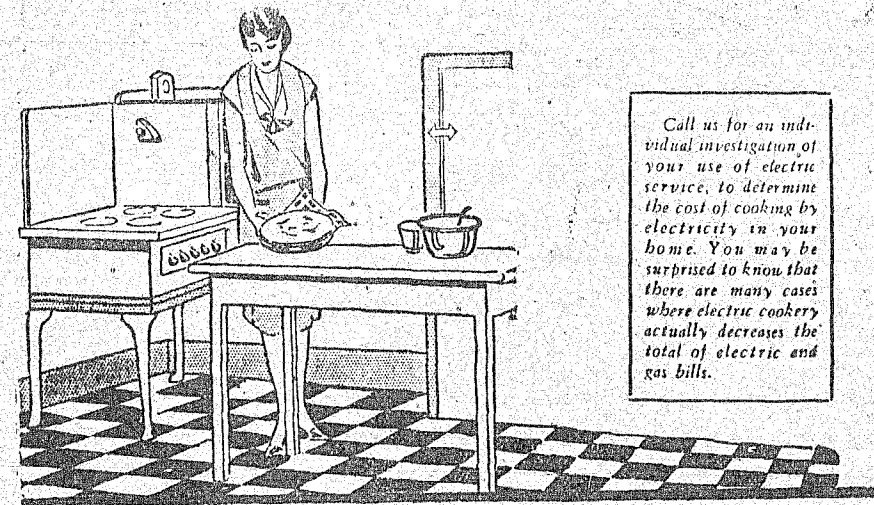
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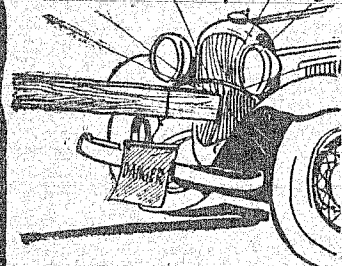
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Angling

No life, my honest scholar, no life so happy and so pleasant as the life of a well-governed angler; for when the lawyer is swallowed up with business, and the statesman is preventing or contriving plots, then we sit on cowslip banks, hear the birds sing and possess ourselves in as much quietness as these silent, silver streams which we now see glide so quietly by us. Indeed, my good scholar, we may say of angling, as Dr. Boteler said of strawberries: "Doubtless God could have made a better berry, but doubtless God never did"; and so, if I might be judge, God never did make a more calm, quiet, innocent recreation than angling.

—Izaak Walton

S-A-H-S

Senior Class Plans To Sponsor Play

The Senior Class of the high school, in order to augment its finances so that it can leave to its beloved Alma Mater some priceless gifts, is sponsoring a play to be given in the high school auditorium, Thursday evening, May 19th, at 8 o'clock. The cast is composed of fourteen people from the Buffalo community, and is directed by Miss Myrtle Graves, a 1926 alumna of S. A. H. S. The title of the production is "Richard Beware." The Senior Class will share with the producers the receipts of the evening. One of the leading characters is Mose, a man of color, relic of the Grubb family. The Three Broadcasters, three old maids, will furnish plenty of laughs.

S-A-H-S

Something About Seniors

- 29. Connie Lowe, although in his first year in the class, has proved himself a very faithful and diligent student.
- 30. Frank McCreary is attending Santa Anna High School his first year, and has made many friends in our school.
- 31. Rankin McIver is also in his first year in S.A.H.S. and our class, but he has shown us that he is an all-around good student.
- 32. Woodrow Niell lettered in football this year, and is a diligent worker in everything he enters.
- 33. Kathryn Rose Pinney is a very quiet and studious girl. Her good conduct and high scholastic attainments have made her an outstanding student of S.A.H.S. within recent years.
- 34. Ruth Polk is a good student. Her winning smile has won her many friends.
- 35. Viola Pritchard is loyal and very helpful to our class and school.
- 36. Edwin Rollins—what a man! Edwin is a swell football player and an all-around good student.
- 37. Curtis Richardson is very studious and full of fun. He has been a member of our class only a year.
- 38. Elizabeth Richardson is an asset to our class. This is her first year here but in that short time she has made many friends.

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Senior Flag Hauled Down by Juniors

Last Monday being Senior Day, the Seniors raised their white and green flag on the flag pole in front of the high school building. "Sr's '32" was written on the flag. It was Senior Day where the Seniors were, but it was Junior Day at Santa Anna High School. About eleven o'clock the Senior flag was hauled down, and at half-past twelve o'clock the pink and green Junior flag was flying at full-mast. The freshmen tried to raise their flag, but their efforts were in vain, for their flag never left the ground. Juniors reigned supreme the remainder of the day, as their flag was not hauled down.

Long live the Junior flag of Santa Anna High School!

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The strangest part of it is that nobody has appealed to the government to pay the taxes.

Senior Day

The Seniors of '32, after a few minutes (?) deliberation backed the "Nearer to Nature" movement by taking Monday, May 9, off from the routine of school, forgot all their troubles, and favored the Colorado river with a visit.

They left at nine o'clock, but not until the Senior flag had been waived to the breeze at half-mast. It was later heard that the flag endured quite a bit of rough treatment at the hands of certain underclassmen, but the Seniors are sure that it would have been kept up had they been there.

After all of the food had been safely packed away in the cars, and Mrs. Bartlett had all the cars "lined up", they were off.

After about an hour's drive, the banks of the Colorado came into view, much to the satisfaction of a few very sore Seniors, (Besse and Maurice for instance) who had already made up their minds to sue the government for ill-kept highways. Maybe a rumble seat, Robert Steward and Donald Williams' driving (with Frances Louise's advice) had something to do with this.

The Colorado seemed to realize that a "storm" was approaching, because it proceeded to rise threateningly, but even this did not keep some of our industrious swimmers from going in swimming. The star swimmer of the day was Alligator Lewis. Even the swift current of the mighty Colorado could not keep this champ from out the "muddy deep". But after the swim came the fun. Nearly every Senior had the privilege of being buried alive. For some few minutes all was quiet, then suddenly it began to rain sand, and our own Annie Wilson arose from her sandy grave and very "undignifiedly" began to sling sand right and left with such ability that even Tarzan the Mighty would have been green with envy.

However, the fight was soon over, and Clay Fletcher came running down the banks with a large snake—ALIVE! There's a brave Senior for you! Screams excited the snake—also Clay—so it (the snake—not Clay) was flung into the river.

Suddenly someone decided he was very hungry (sounds like Carl) and a rush was made back to headquarters where an appetizing meal awaited. And did those Seniors eat! But even after everyone had finished there remained enough olives etc. to have another feast in mid-afternoon.

The center of attraction of the table was a huge pink cake with a doll dressed in cap and gown on top. Annie was the finder of the ring, meaning that she will be the first engaged, and Maurice is to be our multi-millionaire as she found the penny (Right this way, boys! Here's an heiress!) The class appreciates Miss Ruby Valentine's efforts in making this beautiful cake.

Many kinds of entertainment were enjoyed by the dignified (?) bunch, but the one which caused the most fun was a reading by Hettie Fae, which contained quite a lesson in er-"simple" arithmetic.

"Who's Your Friend" caused Ruth and Jesse Lee to have a "fight" (wait a minute) with lemons, and it seems as if Ruth had Jesse Lee climbing trees for protection (quite natural).

About four o'clock the Seniors seemed to be nearly ready to go home (force of habit), so once more we were "lined up". Frances Jones then made the announcement that she was giving a party that night. Then all of the Seniors climbed trees to let Lucille back her car out, and then started the journey homeward.

The party was quite an affair, music and snores filling the night air. Why snores? Because the Seniors were happy, contented, and tired.

Here's to that peppy, big-hearted bunch of '32! Long may they reign!

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THINK!

Laws are not made for the good.—Socrates.

Behavior is the theory of manners practically applied—Mme. Necker.

I never make the mistake of arguing with people for whose opinions I have no respect.—Gibbons.

Speech is the index of the mind.—Seneca.

Every man is a volume if you know how to read him.—Channing.

Manhood, not scholarship, is the first aim of education—Seton

Originality is simply a pair of fresh eyes.—Higginson.

Cooperation is not a sentiment—it is an economic necessity.—Steinmetz.

It is much easier to be critical than to be correct.—Disraeli.

Silence is a true friend and never betrays.—Confucius.

Santa Anna Fails To Win Honors in State Meet May 7

Santa Anna High School failed to win any honors at the State Interscholastic League Meet held in Austin last week-end.

Degees Traylor qualified for the finals of the quarter-mile run but failed to finish among the first four in the final race.

Clifford Wheeler, John David Harper and Ernest Harrod failed to qualify for the finals in their events.

Sherman High School won the meet with thirteen points.

Five state records were broken and one was tied.

Six hundred and ninety-two boys from two hundred and five counties and twenty-six districts were at the State track and field meet. These boys were the best of more than 20,000 boys who took part in county contests.

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Senior Party

After a fully enjoyable day on the river, the Seniors met at the home of Frances Jones Monday night for another good time. Games and music were enjoyed until a late hour when refreshments of sandwiches and lemonade were served. Although the Seniors were all tired from the all-day affair on the river, they were not too exhausted to enjoy the party.

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4-B Club

The 4-B Club, in its meeting May 3, organized a summer club. Thirteen members of the winter club joined and elected these officers: president, Kathryn Rose Pinney; vice-president, Catherine Rollins; secretary-treasurer, Frances Jones; reporter, Helen Turner.

Junior News

The Junior Class had two representatives to go to the Austin meet Friday. Clifford Wheeler entered discus and javelin. Degees Traylor entered the mile run, and was the only one to enter the finals. The boys feel that this has been very educational and beneficial, and we hope next year more boys will represent the Junior class at the State meet.

Nylan Myers, another Junior, also went to Austin, but didn't enter anything.

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JOKES

Test—How do you get down from an elephant?
Answer—You don't. Down grows on geese.

Famous Pronouns of History
I—Mussolini.
WE—Lindbergh.
US—Siamese Twins.
IT—Clara Bow.

PROOF

Mr. Scarborough: "And so we find that heat expands things, and cold contracts them. Can anyone give me an example of this?"

Arthur Lewis: "Yes, sir. The days are longer in summer."

Hey, diddle, diddle, the cat and the fiddle.

The cow gave a test to the moon.

"The little dog laughed—as it true or false?"

Can a dish run away with a spoon?"

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Local Happenings

Dr. T. R. Sealy and Dr. McDonald returned Sunday from Waco where they attended a meeting of the State Medical Association. Dr. Sealy is a Councillor representing this District. More than one thousand doctors from all over Texas were present, and Dr. Sealy reported a very successful meeting.

It means something to the town when its doctors are enough interested in modern medicine to attend these meetings. Wide awake doctors cannot help but be benefited, and in turn help those who place their lives in the hands of the doctors.

Ideal COMMENCEMENT GIFT—"Crimson Dawning"—by Leola Christie Barnes. A lovely and lasting gift. For sale by author. Phone 35.

Ralph Mathews of Brownwood, was in the city Friday, visiting with his brother, Joe, and looking after business matters.

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Mrs. W. K. Hayes of Potter, Texas visited in the home of her niece Mrs. Arthur Talley this week. She says that the strawberries also truck gardens are fine in that section.

See those New Lipstick Handkerchiefs at Mrs. G. A. Shockley's.

Mr. and Mrs. Arond Ragsdale and Miss Myrtle Graves of the Buffalo community were here Monday making arrangements to put on a community play, Tuesday night of next week, at the High School auditorium. The play is a three act comedy farce, with fourteen characters, and is to be under the auspices of the Senior class of the Santa Anna High School.

New \$1.95 Dresses—Batiste, Organdie, and Voile—at Mrs. G. A. Shockley's.

Mark Byrd and sister, Mrs. Eva Bradford of Waco, with their niece, Mrs. Savage of Ft. Worth, spent Mother's Day with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Byrd.

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Mrs. J. D. Thornton is visiting relatives in Arkansas where she expects to remain for several weeks.

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The plant Exchange held last Saturday was quiet a success. The promoters were well pleased with the cooperation received and are planning other exchanges for the future.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hamilton, who moved from here to Brownwood about four weeks back for a temporary place with the Santa Fe Railway Company, moved back to Santa Anna this week.

The Commencement Exercises for the Sealy Hospital School of Nursing has been set for June 2f.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Holland of Rockwood were shopping here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kizer and daughter Mable of Coleman visited in Santa Anna Wednesday.

Miss Essie Jones, a student Nurse in the local hospital, spent last weekend with her parents in Cisco.

See those New Lace Blouses in White and Eggshell at Mrs. G. A. Shockley's.

I. Williamson returned to his home here Monday after spending several months in the U. S. Veterans Hospitals at Kerrville.

Mrs. Mildred Simpson left Monday for Abilene where she will complete a business course.

Dr. T. R. Sealy visited his daughter, Miss Velma, who is attending State University at Austin, for a few minutes last weekend. New Transparent Hats for the Graduate! See them at Mrs. G. A. Shockley's.

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Headline: "Bridegroom's toothache stops wedding." He was fortunate to discover in time that he could not stand pain.

They tell us that today's dollar is worth forty percent more for everything than in 1929. Yes, everything but taxes.

Hospital Notes

Mr. W. L. Gould of Coleman who was brought here for examination this week, returned to his home Wednesday.

Mrs. W. A. Forman of Bangs is convalescing nicely.

Mrs. H. A. Waits of Eden who has been very seriously ill, is now considered out of danger.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Bryant of Rockwood are the parents of a son who was born Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. L. McCaughan is convalescing from a severe attack of pneumonia and peritonitis and expects to return to her home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Zenor, Jr. are the proud parents of a son born last Friday.

Mrs. Edmund Hight of Santa Anna underwent an operation Monday.

Mrs. Melvin Rutland of San Angelo is in the hospital for treatment.

Mrs. O. E. Shelton of Shields underwent a serious operation Monday.

Mrs. I. B. Farmer of Novice returned to her home Wednesday.

Mrs. Amos Griffith of Brownwood had a serious operation Monday.

Mr. A. A. Odum of Winters is in the hospital for treatment.

A Mr. Stark of Doole was here for treatment Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Clenton Lowe had her tonsils removed Tuesday and returned to her home Wednesday.

Bro. F. A. Adain of Coleman did not fill his regular appointment here Sunday because of the rain.

A large crowd enjoyed the good school play given Friday night.

Mrs. D. O. McWorter and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Sherman McWorter spent Saturday night with relatives in Brownwood.

Those who visited in the W. L. Constable home Sunday were Mrs. Iris Crippens of Weaver, Mrs. Bill Lyrie and children of Buffalo, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Constable of Red Bank and Mrs. Emmett Moore and baby of the Cleveland community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dunn were shopping in Santa Anna Saturday.

Miss Irene Banks spent Saturday night with Miss Julie Dunn.

Mrs. J. D. Thornton, Misses Vera Banks, Sybil Vinson and Bertie Peel visited in the W. L. Banks home Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stewardson spent Tuesday in the Dan Wheatley home.

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"Life of Christ" To Be Topic for B. T. S.

The subject for the program to be given by the Senior B. T. S. will be "The Life of Christ."

Our meeting was rained out last Sunday but those members who were on the program last week will have the same parts this week.

First Discussion—Group Capt. Second Discussion—Ozelle Daniels.

Third Discussion—Edythe Pittard. Fourth Discussion—Woodrow Neill.

Fifth Discussion—Ruby Davis. Sixth Discussion—Jesse Lee Sparkman.

Group Captain.

Miss Hall Entertains With Dinner and Theatre Party

Miss Helen Hall entertained Monday evening with an informal dinner and theatre party.

A two course dinner, consisting of chicken salad sandwiches, potato chips, olives frozen salad and ice tea and angel pie with strawberries and whipped cream was served. Following the dinner the group attended a show in Coleman.

The Guest list included Misses Annie Stiles, Odelle Brown, Louise Gray, Gay and Fay Turner, Irene Brown of Loraine, and Lillian Durham.

No woman will ever become vice-president of the United States. There is too much silence attached to the office.

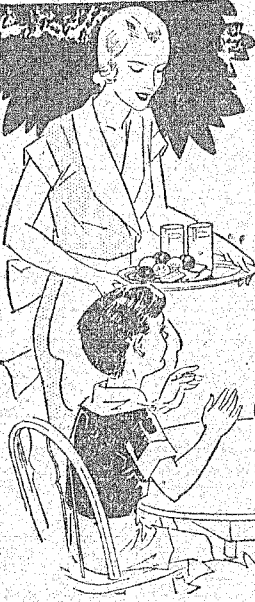
IT WILL SOON BE TIME

It will soon be time for commencement speakers to begin saying: "If you want to make a success of life, boys and girls, begin this very, very minute, or you will stumble over your own vain pleasures and desires." True as it may be, there's plenty of truth in those sentiments, which are repeated under the guise of many words.—Scurry Co. News.

But is freedom so nice when men are free to set up factories enough to kill an industry and make thousands jobless?

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