

# SANTA ANNA NEWS

"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

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## Lions To Have A Special Day At Fat Stock Show

Mayor Baxter Addresses the Club on "Washington" Tuesday Noon

The Lions Clubs from over this part of the country are being urged by the Lions Club of Ft. Worth to visit the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth, Tuesday, March 8th, the same being designated as Lions Day at the exposition. Several of the Santa Anna Lions have indicated that they will make a special effort to attend.

Mayor W. E. Baxter delivered the main address at the weekly luncheon Tuesday, his subject being "George Washington As a Leader of Men." Mayor Baxter made a splendid talk and paid a number of tributes to the life of George Washington.

George M. Johnson was presented a key, as a token of esteem of Lions International, honoring him for his services in procuring new members for the club.

## Octogenarian of Coleman County Dies Saturday

Bill Featherstone Succumbs At His Home Near Trickham

Mr. Bill Featherstone died at his home in Trickham last Saturday night. He had been in failing health for three or four years, but had never been confined to his bed.

Mr. Featherstone was born in Mississippi March 10, 1852, but came to Texas when a tiny baby. His people settled in Hunt County, where they lived for many years. In about 1880 they came to Coleman County.

Mr. Featherstone was married to Miss Rose Robertson, who preceded him in death by about twenty-five years. Several years later he was married to Mrs. Ettie Spencer, who survives him.

The funeral service was conducted by Rev. J. R. McCorkle at Trickham in the Union Church last Sunday. His oldest brother the Rev. Ed Featherstone, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Aspermont, assisted.

He is survived by the following children: Bob Featherstone of Novice, Mrs. Will See of Brownwood, Gus Featherstone of Whon, Mrs. Irene Rice of Brooksmith, Jim Featherstone of Valera, and his youngest daughter, whose name we failed to learn and who lives in California. Two daughters, Mrs. George Seeber and Miss Zue, preceded him in death. Mr. Featherstone was an old trail driver. He is one of the best known men in Coleman County, and has about as many friends as acquaintances. He has always been a leader in the communities in which he has lived.

Mr. Featherstone was not affiliated with any church.

Many friends from Coleman, Rockwood and Santa Anna attended the funeral.

## Farmers' Meeting Postponed Until This Friday Night

The farmers' meeting, which was due to have been held at the Santa Anna high school last Friday night for a discussion of the control of the fowl tick or blue bug, was postponed until tonight due to rain and almost impassable roads.

The meeting will go forward tonight with a large attendance expected. A safe and practical way will be devised for protecting poultry and turkeys of this territory from this damaging pest.

The trouble with most of us in retrenching is that we want to take the "me" out of economy.—(Bonham Daily Favorite).

## Mrs. Ferguson Is Again Running For Governor

Wife of "Farmer Jim" Yields To Request Of Friends To Enter Race

(EDITOR'S NOTE: We publish the following as a matter of news and not because we in any way endorse the candidacy of Mrs. Ferguson.)

"Responding to the written request of more than 400 friends in 200 counties in Texas that I again enter the service of the state and pledging their active support, I hereby announce as a candidate for governor. These friends assure me that there is an urgent demand for my candidacy not only from all former supporters, but from thousands who have heretofore opposed me. They further say that there is a wide-spread dissatisfaction with the present administration of state affairs and that the public is demanding relief from governmental inefficiency and extravagance.

"While I am not anxious to, nor will I enter into any scramble for office, yet I do not feel that any citizen is at liberty to decline to render public service in time of public need. My family having been in the past signally honored I recognize a special obligation to heed the call of the people of Texas if I am needed or wanted in the public service. "I sincerely hope that the contest in which we are about to engage will be conducted on the basis of merit rather than personal antagonism. "Who can best serve Texas" should be the uppermost thought in the minds of the voter when the time comes to cast the ballot in our democratic primary.

"In addition to my connection with and my experience in the governor's office, I shall avail myself of the advice and cooperation of competent friends, of the legislature and my husband in determining a policy that will relieve the present perilous condition of our state affairs.

"In submitting my name as a candidate, I deem it proper to take the people into my confidence and tell them that I am not financially able to make any extensive or expensive campaign and will have to leave myself in the hands of my friends in the various counties of the state. I will go into office again, as in the past, under no promise or obligation to any special interest or faction for past, present or future favors.

"In answer to those who may think that a woman should not hold high station, permit me to call attention of only one term in comparison with the last four administrations of men.

"I repeat that: "Who Can Best Serve" should be the standard of the patriotic and the intelligent voter. At a later date I shall publish my platform for the information of the people, but I will say now that the chief plank will be the material reduction of taxes.

"In the meantime I will appreciate the activity of all good citizens in my behalf.

MIRIAM A. FERGUSON

## Enrollment Rises At University of Texas

Enrollment at the University of Texas has reached a new high record, 6,250, with registration of new students for the spring semester, E. J. Matthews, registrar, has reported.

Despite the depression, the number of students enrolled at the main State university has continually increased, Matthews said. He anticipates, however, a decrease in enrollment for the summer school and during the next fall term.

Matthews said he expected at least 500 new students to register for the spring semester.

To reduce the surplus it might also be well to plow under every third radio crooner.—(Jayton Chronicle).

## Special Edition Next Week

FEATURING AGRICULTURAL TRAIN EVENT

The Special Farm and Home train, operated by the Santa Fe Railway in Cooperation with the Texas A & M College, will be in Santa Anna Thursday March 10th, to spend the afternoon. A special effort is being made to have the schools from over the county to be here during the afternoon, to visit the train, see the exhibits and hear the pro-charge.

To encourage as many to be here as possible the Santa Anna News will feature the coming of the special train in our issue of next week, and we invite the business interest of Santa Anna to join with us advertising the agricultural and livestock special.

Every merchant in Santa Anna is urged to place an advertisement in our columns next week, offering something special for the day, and solicit the public to be here. The purpose of the train is purely educational, and we hope every farmer, stockraiser and business man, interested in agricultural development will meet the special here on arrival and profit by what they have to show and offer. Try to have your copy early in the week, as we are working with a limited force and would like to be out on time. Respectfully, the management.

## Washington Tea Is Held By Ward School P.-T.A.

George Washington's birthday was observed last Monday by the W. Ward School P.-T. A. at the Jodie Mathews home with an informal tea. Mrs. Fred W. Turner and Mrs. W. R. Kelley poured tea, and Misses Mary Lela Woodward, Helen Hall, Gay Turner and Odelle Brown served through out the afternoon.

A course consisting of red, white, and blue sandwiches, cakes, chicken salad, and tea was served to the thirty callers during the afternoon.

The red and white carnations were on the tea tables, which were placed under blue lights.

The only decoration was a picture of George Washington with the flag draped over it placed over the piano and under a special light.

Miss Louise Gray played the piano throughout the afternoon.

Children from the Ward School rendered the following program: Piano solos, Marilyn Baxter, Ruth LaVerne Erick, and Mary Southern Garrett; Violin solo Ruth Lovelady; Reading, Mary Field Mathews; Tap Dances, Annelee Shield, Helen Snook, and Augusta Bond; Virginia Reel, Helen Oaks, Glenda Williamson, June Kirkpatrick, Dorothy Sumner, Ruth LaVerne Erick, James Everett, Burton Gregg, Ray Lovelady, Jr., Talmage Turner, and J. Q. Barnes. Mrs. E. D. McDonald rendered two vocal solos and Mrs. Ford Barnes read an original poem on George Washington.

During the evening there were seven tables of players.

The P.-T. A. feel that they were well repaid, considering the inclement weather.

## F.F.A. Scholarship To Be Awarded By John Tarleton

Stephenville, Feb. 24th.—The Master Future Farmer of America in each chapter of the F.F.A. in the Stephenville and "Heart of Texas" districts will be awarded a scholarship in John Tarleton Agricultural College for 1932 and 1933, according to announcement of Dean J. Thomas Davis.

These scholarships will be awarded on commencement day in each high school, as are regular academic scholarships.

## Federal Court Grants Plea Of Coleman Gas Co.

Defendants Restrained From Interfering With Sale Of Natural Gas

In the United States District Court at Dallas, in a suit brought by the Coleman Gas & Oil Company against the Santa Anna Gas Company, the City of Santa Anna and W. E. Baxter, mayor, and J. Ed Bartlett and J. B. Lowe City Commissioners, an injunction was granted February 17th by Judge William H. Atwell, restraining the defendants and each of them from in any manner interfering with the Coleman Gas and Oil Company in putting into effect a rate of 35c per M cubic feet of gas in the City of Santa Anna; and restraining the defendants from filing any suit, civil or criminal, to interfere with said rate to enforce the rate of 50c prescribed by said City Commission, August 6, 1931; or for attempting to enforce the temporary injunction granted by the state court against the Coleman Gas and Oil Company for putting said rate into effect.

The controversy grows out of the fact that the Santa Anna Gas Company in August and September, 1931 put in a gas distributing system in Santa Anna charging 50c per M cubic feet, in accordance with said ordinance; and the Coleman Gas and Oil Company in disregard of said ordinance lowered its rate to 35c; and the Santa Anna Gas Company attempting to enforce the 50c rate by suit and criminal prosecutions against the Coleman Gas and Oil Company and attempting to force said Coleman Gas and Oil Company to raise its rate to 50c per M cubic feet instituted a civil suit and criminal prosecutions for that purpose. The United States Court holds that under the circumstances that there would be two plants in said city without sufficient patronage to produce a remunerative revenue for both; and that they are entitled to compete for patronage; and to that end reduce the rate below the rate fixed by the City Commission.

Under said holding the people of Santa Anna will continue to get gas from the Coleman Gas and Oil Company at 35c per M cubic feet, the same rate charged by said company to the consumers of natural gas in the City of Coleman.

—Democrat Voice—

## Eastern Star Holds Washington B'day Program and Party

Santa Anna Chapter O. E. S. met in regular order with a good attendance Monday night. After the business session, the group gathered around the fire for a brief study of the constitution and secret work of the order. Following this the social committee was on the floor with some lively contests, carrying out the Washington Bi-centennial spirit. Cards bearing a silhouette of George Washington and the word "Bi-centennial", were passed. Contestants were required to write as many words as possible in a given time, using only letters in the word on the card. Next pennies were passed and, until this contest closed, none of us had ever realized just how much the little copper cent reveals. Study your pennies!

Dainty refreshments, consisting of star shaped sandwiches, hot chocolate and heart shaped cakes were served on beautiful plates of Dresden design. The memorable little hatchet, bearing the inscription "I cannot tell a lie" was used as a plate favor.

The cheerful spirit which prevailed made everyone forget the rain and mud outside. Mrs. Van Zandt and Mrs. Sherman Gehrett are responsible for the interesting program.

—Reporter

## Santa Anna Boy To Enter Calf in Fat Stock Show

William Brown of Vocational Agriculture Class Has Prize Hereford

William Brown, student of vocational agriculture in the Santa Anna high school, is going to enter a baby beef in the San Angelo Fat Stock Show on next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. The animal is a junior and will be in the club division of the show.

The calf, a grade Hereford, has been given special care and has been fed correctly on home-grown feeds by William for the past several months and now has a weight of more than 900 pounds.

William will enter the calf in the Coleman County Show at the Coleman County Fair Grounds, Saturday, February 27th, as a preliminary to the San Angelo Show.

## Mrs. R. H. Taylor Pioneer Woman Buried Monday

Deceased Was 80 Years Old; Had Lived in Coleman County 28 Years

(Delayed from last week)

Friends and acquaintances over the country will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. R. H. Taylor, who died Sunday in the State Hospital in Wichita Falls, and was buried here Monday.

The following data has been furnished this office:

Mrs. Malinda C. Taylor was born January 30, 1851, in Alabama. She was married to R. H. Taylor, January 8, 1868, and came to Texas a few years later. The family lived in Hill county before coming to Coleman county in 1904.

Mrs. Taylor obeyed the Gospel in early life and lived faithful to her trust until affliction rendered her unable a few years ago. Her husband preceded her in death several years, having passed on to the great beyond April 13, 1925. Five children, three sons and two daughters, were born to this union. The two daughters, Mrs. Lonnie Bell Watson and Mrs. Emma A. Henderson, died January 19, 1903 and December 5, 1904, respectively. Two of the sons, W. D. and Amos Taylor, live here in the vicinity of Santa Anna, and another son, R. A. Taylor, lives in Sabinal. There are twenty-nine grandchildren, twenty-eight of whom survive.

Funeral notices announced the funeral to be held at the Church of Christ, but, due to inclement weather, the services were conducted at the W. D. Taylor home and interment made in the local cemetery Monday afternoon. Elder D. D. Rose, of Brownwood, conducted the funeral. Active pall bearers were: R. H. Taylor, Jr., Ray Taylor, Raymond Watson, grandsons, Johnnie Richardson, Glenn Williams and Andy Craig.

Uncle Bob and Aunt Malinda were permitted by the mercy of God to live together and enjoy the companionship of each other sharing in life during the pioneer days the many trials, advantages and disadvantages, for 57 years, or much longer than the average span of life. The world is richer by their having lived in it and Heaven is richer by their presence.

The petroleum industry in Texas pays more than half of the state's entire tax bill, including the four cents per gallon gasoline tax. The oil industry's total state tax bill in 1930, including the gasoline tax, was more than forty-one million dollars.

**ON TEXAS FARMS**

By W. H. Darrow, Extension Service Editor  
A net profit of \$35.20 per acre was made last year by six Bastrop county farmers conducting alfalfa demonstrations on 79 1/2 acres in cooperation with the county agent who reports yields averaging nearly three tons to the acre.

For every dollar's worth of home-grown feed consumed by 75 cows in five dairy herd demonstrations in Goliad county last year their owners received \$1.41 in dairy products.

Contented with inability to sell its cheese, a cheese plant at Abilene in this county, operated by the U. S. Department of Agriculture during the winter, has not been able to fill the demand, although the volume of business has increased 650 per cent.

A cooperative creamery organized last year in Cooke county is said to have handled 59,132 lbs. of butterfat last year and paid members bonuses totaling \$2365.

Community plays and games for adults and children were revived in 339 farm communities in Texas last year.

In 122 counties where home demonstration agents worked last year 10,280 steam pressure canners and 6,474 sealers were purchased by farm people.

It was 73 per cent more profitable to grow hegari than cotton in Tom Green county last year, according to figures furnished the county agent, by Jean Johnson, county commissioner and farmer. Cotton made a net yield of one-third of a bale per acre worth \$5.65, he estimates, while hegari averaged 600 bundles worth \$9.75. Fifty-four club boys made an average of 31 bushels of grain sorghums per acre in 1931 from certified seed and now have 395 hams, three calves and 25 pigs changing it into cash meat products.

Seventy-six farm analyses made last year in the Mesquite community by the county agent of Dallas county revealed, among other things, a shocking lack of hogs. As a result, 75 bred gilts were placed on farms there.

Corn worth 20 cents per bushel on the Medina county market brought 70 cents per bushel fed to 345 hogs in 15 demonstrations supervised by the county agent last fall. Medina county farmers have sold \$3,650 worth of bred sows, gilts and pigs to farmers in other counties for restocking purposes.

Thinning, pruning, and deadening of scrub trees is part of the work reported by 130 farm boys in Angelina county engaged in forestry demonstrations.

Deep fall breaking and good cultural methods enabled twenty Washington county 4-H club boys to make an average of 54 bushels of corn per acre last year on 23 acres for a net profit of \$262.

**MRS. P. STRICKLAND BURIED WEDNESDAY**

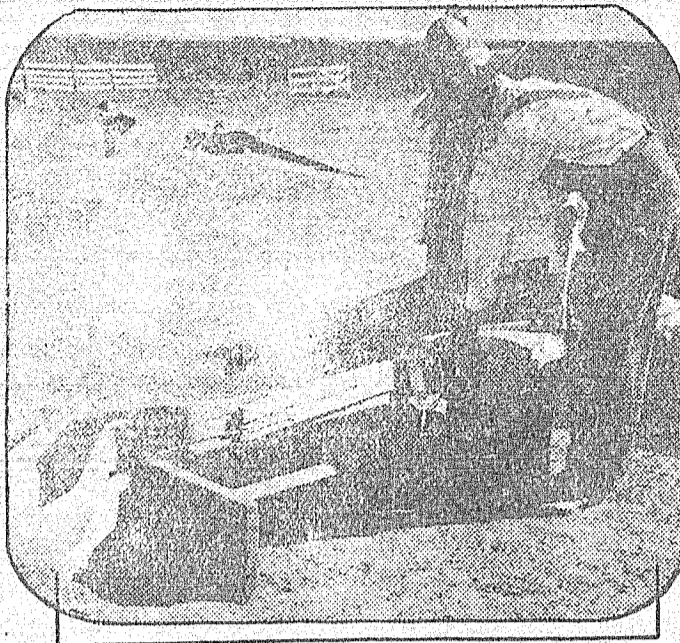
Mrs. P. Strickland passed away at their home on the Dr. L. O. Garrett farm southwest of town Tuesday afternoon. The remains were buried in the Santa Anna Cemetery Wednesday afternoon, following funeral services at the Baptist Church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Wingo.

Mrs. Strickland was born Sept. 1, 1871 and died February 23, 1932, she was living in her 61st year of natural life. She is survived by her husband and four children, three daughters and one son. Two of the daughters are married.

Mrs. Strickland was a good woman in her home, loving and kind as a companion and mother and those who knew her speak of her in very pleasant terms. She lived a home life, very seldom being seen away from her home environments. The family have the sympathy of a large circle of friends in their bereavement.

Up to date every person who has drunk anti-freeze solution has been frozen stiff.—(Sherman Democrat).

**Change in Management Revives Faith in Poultry**



Skim milk is only one of several home-produced poultry feeds that helped M. H. McClarty of Bomarton, Baylor County, to make a profit of almost \$1,000 last year from 92 hens. About to quit the chicken business in disgust in the fall of 1930, County Agent P. C. Colgin induced Mr. McClarty to try a better system for sixty days before selling off the 25 old white leghorn hens and 114 pullets. A change in the ration resulted almost immediately in more eggs from the flock and Mr. McClarty became a poultry demonstrator. He culled in May and August and at the end of the year there were ninety hens in the flock with an average production for the first 11 months of 172 eggs per bird.

The McClartys say the poultry income helped a lot last year and that the demonstration has convinced them that a farm flock can pay very well. Close culling and a good cheap farm-grown ration are 2 of the most important points in securing profits, Mr. McClarty believes. He has also recognized the importance of good housing by recently improving the old poultry quarters and separating chickens and turkeys. The ration used last year consisted of ground wheat, oats, and barley, and skim milk. When milk became scarce in the fall he mixed 10 pounds of cottonseed meal with 100 pounds of mash which was balanced with two to three gallons of skim milk daily.

Airplane wings that can be expanded or retracted to meet varying conditions have been introduced by a Californian.—(Kerrville Mountain Sun)

We are on the upward trend. The price of automobile license plates advanced ten per cent on Monday morning.—(Clarksville Times)

**A CHALLENGE**

With the state "head over heels" in debt, and county and municipal governments experiencing great difficulty in balancing budgets, ways and means to effect new economies in government will very likely play leading roles in the coming state elections.

The Dallas News, observing that Texas is not as progressive as it might be, so far as the state government is concerned, says: "Mossbacks who have not had an idea for twenty years, and empty-headed demagogues should retire permanently from candidates to the darkening shades of private life. Texas needs newer political timber; it desires ideas, not words."

"We of the Southwest sometimes pity the states of the Old South as backward and effete. On the contrary; there are more genuine political reforms taking place in Virginia, North Carolina and Georgia than Texas has dreamed about for the last 20 years. Texas in state politics is a Rip Van Winkle, gone to sleep. It is time for its citizens to wake up, for there is a new world facing us and Texas should have a part in it."

The News' editorial is based on recent reform bills passed by the North Carolina legislature which together with other changes, have reduced the cost of government in that state by \$7,000,000, paid off nearly \$10,000,000 of state debt, and greatly reduced taxes.

Another reason why we personally condemn hoarders is because we are not in position to join them.—(Dallas News)

Three thousand are freed at Reno in six months. But most of them had been a bit too free long before that.—(Dallas News)

**EMBROIDERY CLUB MEETS**

On last Thursday afternoon the Embroidery Club met with Mrs. Jack Woodard. There was a very good attendance, and the afternoon passed pleasantly. The ladies engaged themselves with sewing and conversation.

Delicious refreshments consisting of sandwiches, fruit salad, and tea were served to the following: Mesdames Jodie Matthews, Burges Weaver, Leman Brown, Loyd Burris, Sam Collier, W. H. Thate, T. R. Sealy, S. W. Childers, D. J. Johnson, Dennis Kelley, Comer Blue, Ford Earnes, Lee Hunter, Sherman Gehrett, Roger Hunter, and P. P. Bond.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Sam Colier.

**BABY CHICKS**

We will have Baby Chicks for sale after February 23, and our prices will be right!

We will also have a line of Purina Chick Feeds and will be glad to supply your need

We set our large incubator Monday of each week.

Bring us your eggs!

**Santa Anna HATCHERY**

Evans & Neill, Props.

**Rexall 29th A Festival of Bargains**

**Profits Sacrificed on 200 Items**

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<p><b>FREE!</b></p> <p>To introduce the "Bay Rum Shave", a 25c can of Stag After Shaving Talcum given with every purchase of Stag After Shaving Cream</p>	<p><b>SAVE ON THESE TOILET GOODS!!!!</b></p> <p>Bouquet Ramee Face Powder . . .79</p> <p>Jonteel Cold Cream Face Powder .39</p> <p>Duska Cleansing Cream . . . . .59</p> <p>Almond Cream . . . . .29</p> <p>Quinine Hair Tonic . . . . .79</p> <p>Rexall "93" Hair Tonic . . . . .79</p> <p>Milk of Magnesia Tooth Paste . .19</p> <p>Glycerin and Rose Water . . . . .19</p> <p>Jonteel Cold Cream . . . . .39</p> <p>Jonteel Vanishing Cream . . . . .39</p> <p>Harmony Cocoa Butter Cold Cream . . . . .39</p> <p>Lemon Cocoa Butter Skin Cream .39</p> <p>Lemon Cocoa Butter Lotion . . .39</p> <p>Narcisse Talcum . . . . .19</p> <p>Georgia Rose Body Powder . . . .79</p> <p>Georgia Rose Bath Salts . . . . .49</p> <p>Klenzo Dental Creme, large . . .39</p>	<p><b>FREE!</b></p> <p>With every \$2.00 box of Cara Nome Face Powder will be given a \$1.00 package of Cara Nome Cleaning Cream</p> <p><b>STATIONERY</b></p> <p>Lord Baltimore, lb. . . . .49</p> <p>Lord Baltimore Envs. . . . .49</p> <p>Cascade Linen, lb. . . . .39</p> <p>Cascade Linen Envs. . . . .39</p>
<p><b>CANDY</b></p> <p>Assorted Bars, 3 for . . . . .10</p> <p>Assorted Mints, 3 for . . . . .10</p> <p>Clarine Chocolates, lb. . . . .39</p> <p>Liggett's Chocolates, lb. . . . .79</p> <p><i>Puretest</i> Aspirin Tablets Bottle of 100 . . . . .59</p>	<p>First Aid Sanitary Napkins 29c</p> <p>Rex Mentho (the chest rub) 19c</p> <p>\$2.25 Maximum Hot Water Bottle—guaranteed quality \$1.50</p>	<p><b>Rexall</b></p> <p>Beef, Iron &amp; Wine . . . . .79</p>

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State Certified Cotton Seed any variety at \$1.25 per bushel cash or credit. **W. H. Melton, Agent.**

**COAL** just unloaded a carload, \$10.00 per ton at my warehouse **Taylor Wheeler** 1p.

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**SPECIAL 30x3 1-2 mud chains \$1.50** Mathews Motor Co.

**WANTED!** Woman to do light housework and be a companion to elderly lady. Phone 1502. **MRS. J. S. MARTIN** 2p

**PIGS! PIGS! PIGS!** Some extra good pigs and price is right! Also some nice gilts! **JOE MATHEWS**

**FOR SALE** or Trade—Work horses, mares, mules and fresh Jersey cows. **M. L. Guthrie, 1tc**

**FOR SALE!** At a bargain, one-half ton Model A Ford truck, in good repair. **W. H. RAGSDALE** at the Bakery 1tc

**EGGS! EGGS!** Single Comb Rhode Island Reds. From Coleman County Fair winners. \$1.00 per setting of 15. **DEWEY MARSHALL**

**FOR SALE** Big Millet Seed. Double and Single Dwarf Maize Seed, 3c lb. Jersey Black Giant Cockerels, \$1.00 each. Eggs 50c per setting of 15. Only black chickens with yellow skin. The chickens came from Illinois. **AMOS TAYLOR, Grower** x13p

**FOR SALE** Young Jersey Cow. Fresh. Giving over 3 gallons per day. \$35. **CARROLL KINGSBURY.**

**FOR SALE** Good Jersey Milk Cow. Fresh in. **W. C. FORD** at W. C. Ford & Co. Garage.

Eggs from Master Bred Plymouth Rock Hens at 50c per setting of 15 Eggs. **J. J. GREGG**

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**O. E. S. CHAPTER NO. 247**

Santa Anna, Texas Meets on Monday night following the third Saturday in each month. Visitors Welcome.

The Study Club meets on Friday night, previous to stated meeting night. **Faye Childers, Secretary**



**Cleveland News**

On account of bad weather, Saturday night the party at Mr. and Mrs. Jess Williams was called off.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Blanton and daughters Misses Nell and Shirley had as their guests last Saturday night, Mr and Mrs. Carl Mathews, Miss Lola Pritchard and Mr. Leland Thigpen Miss Iona Phillips and Mr. Cecil Moore, Misses Viola Pritchard and Phillips. Games of "42" were enjoyed by all.

Mr. Loyd Lovelace is sick with the Flu this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mathews spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Phillips and family

Mr and Mrs. Hugh Phillips visited Mr. Manly Blanton and wife Monday.

On account of bad weather Bro. D. D. Rose did not get to fill his appointment Sunday.

**Coleman Junction**

There are several on the sick list this week. We hope they soon recover.

Miss Velma Dunn spent Saturday night with Miss Opal Odom.

We are glad to report that Miss Nadine Ripley, who has been ill, is able to return to school.

Willis and Lena Moore visited in the G. H. Dunn home Sunday night.

Mrs. Hatcher and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Winstead.

Miss Cleo Dunn returned to her home Saturday, after spending the week with Miss Veda Horner.

There was no B.T.S. or Sunday school last Sunday due to the bad weather. We expect to have these services next Sunday and hope to have a large attendance. The subject in B.T.S. will be "Home Missions Imperative". We invite you to attend.

It seems that nowadays every time a Texas pony sticks his foot in a mud hole he brings up oil.—(Guadalupe Gazette-Bulletin)

**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)

**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

**For County Judge:** A. O. Newman (Re-election)

**For Sheriff:** FRANK MILLS (Re-election)

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

**For District Judge:** GIB CALLAWAY

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**CECIL SMITH**

Liberty School and community are sad over the going away of this dear little boy, Cecil, fourteen (14) year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith was sick a little less than two weeks with appendicitis. Death came as a relief after all was done that could be done by kind friends, nurses and doctors.

The funeral service was conducted by Bro. Wingo, the Baptist Minister, at Cleveland Church Friday afternoon February 19, 1932. Bro. Wingo read very beautiful truths from GOD'S WORD that made us feel we had lost Cecil for only a little while and that we will find him again in God's Great Beyond.

Cecil was loved by all the school children, large and small. He was manly and the best good sport. When we review how he "played the game" in life, and know how he met death, so calm and unafraid, we know how he won the greatest fight and conquered the foe most feared.

Throughout his illness he repeatedly refused to say he felt bad or was even sick. After he was convinced he could not get well, he laughingly talked about death as if it were a great adventure. "Another big world where we are supremely happy" without a touch of fear.

It makes us doubly sure, "There is no death, what seems so is transition," that Cecil is growing up under the care of the Lord, and has left our School to join that "happy School, where Christ himself doth rule."

—By one who knew him

The part of the auto that causes the most accidents is the nut behind the wheel.—(Polk County Enterprise).

Jevver notice that along about this time every two years the politicians, from the peanut type to the largest, begin promising reductions in governmental expenses?—(Clarksville Times).

**IN MEMORY**

Beulah Boyd Wright was born at Santa Anna, Texas, November 29, 1885, and died at her home in Artesia, New Mexico, Monday, February 15 at 7:00 A. M. Interment was made in the city cemetery at Artesia Tuesday.

Beulah was born a healthy baby and remained so until she was two years old when her mother died, and she had pneumonia which left her so delicate that she was never able to finish a school term, however she reached the eighth grade when Dr. Long recommended a higher altitude. A friend of hers, Miss Mollie Campbell, was working for a newspaper at Shafter Lake and Beulah went. She was very lonely and homesick, but the big hearted young people of the hospitable west soon made their pleasures enjoyable.

She met, loved and married Roy E. Wright and they seemed to share a mutual love that endured thru the twenty-one years of their married life.

Two bright, beautiful boys were given them, but little Beverly contracted pneumonia and died May 9, 1918.

She was ill only eight days, so we are glad she did not suffer long.

She is survived by her devoted husband and one son, Boyd, eight sisters, seven nieces and three nephews, and two great-nieces.

Many people here knew and loved her, and we appreciate their condolence.

Her Sister.

"Americans seem as averse as ever to accepting \$2 bills," says a treasury report. Name three.—(Corsicana Sun).

Although imbued with lofty ideals and noble desires the W. C. T. U. might do well to declare a "moratorium" on its "questionnairing" of candidates, potential and otherwise, at least until such time as the wheels of commerce are turning again.

**Cave Discovered By Blasting Work**

LANGTRY, Feb. 13—Blasting on the new highway No. 3 grade has revealed a great underground cave which has the appearance of a second Carlsbad Cavern.

Stalactites as large as their bodies rained about investigators who ventured within the yawning entrance.

If you can't do what you like, suppose you try liking what you do, and see what happens.—(Muleshoe Journal).

**EASY, PLEASANT WAY TO LOSE FAT**

How would you like to safely and harmlessly lose 15 pounds of fat in a month and at the same time increase your energy and improve your health?

How would you like to lose your double chin and your two prominent hips and abdomen and at the same time make your skin so clean and clear that it will compell admiration?

Get on the scales today and see how much you weigh—then get a bottle of Kruschen Salts that cost next to nothing and which will last you four weeks. Take one half teaspoonful in a glass of hot water in the morning—cut down on pastry and fatty meats—go light on potatoes, butter, cream and sugar—and when you have finished the contents of this first bottle weigh yourself again.

After that you'll want to walk around and say to your friends, "One bottle of Kruschen Salts is worth one hundred dollars of any fat persons money."

But refuse imitations—safeguard your health—you lose fat SAFELY with Kruschen.

Leading druggists' America over sell Kruschen Salts.

Santa Anna News

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1932

J. J. Gregg Editor and Publisher

Entered at the Post Office at Santa Anna, Texas, as Second Class Mail.

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character of any person or firm appearing in these columns will be gladly and properly corrected upon calling the attention of the management to the article in question.

Last week, due to so much flu in the family and other handicaps, such as we could not control, we left out several items of interest. We say of interest—we mean they were of interest to us, among them being brief comments on those to subscribe and renew their subscriptions to the News. Since our last comments we have received favors from the following: Judge E. M. Critz of Coleman, whose check has visited us annually since we have been in Santa Anna; L. L. Crippen of Coleman, who gets his mail out on a rural route, was here selling pecans recently and left enough to pay for a six-months subscription to the News; Chleo T. James of Fort Line Colorado, accompanied by his father of the Trickham community, was in recently and paid for a year's subscription to the News to be mailed to his western address; Mrs. C. C. Burk, W. R. Stuart and Mrs. C. V. Bull remembered us with renewal subscriptions; R. F. Miller, route 2, is a new subscriber. Curtie Collins and Leonard Phillips are renewals and Bill Harvey is another new one. We acknowledge receipt of each with our thanks and hope you get much joy from reading our paper.

Central Texas, and in so far as we know, the condition has been most general over the state, has been undergoing a severe spell of damp, rainy weather the past two weeks. Some places report a light precipitation and others report several inches. We have no record at hand and are unable to estimate just how much the moisture would measure by inches, but if we were going to make a guess at it, we would say it was the wettest February we have had since old Buck was a calf, and he did last year from age and infirmities. It has been very disagreeable to be out and do up the chores, but other than that, the spell of weather has not hurt. Last summer when the writer was hauling water for about ten head of horses and cows and sixty head of hogs, we decided if we could ever get it started to raining again we never would stop it, but for the present we have plenty.

W. Ford Barnes was up from his farm near Whon the first of the week, looking like a typical farmer. Mr. Barnes states that he has his land broke and is progressing nicely with his farm work, considering the weather. He is doing the milking act to twenty good cows and also has a fine flock of chickens on the premises. However, we imagine the boys have first claim on the cows and chickens, and, no doubt, they come in handy about the place in the early mornings and late afternoons, saying nothing of old Beck and Jude between suns. Joe Christie, who is helping his father farm, was with him.

In this issue of the News will be found a full-page advertisement from L. F. Harding, the Gulf distributor for the Santa Anna district. Mr. Harding is full of appreciation for his good friends and customers and just has to spend a few dollars once in a while to tell them about it through the columns of the Santa Anna News. Read his advertisement, for it contains some valuable information.

"A FRIEND"

Since the time of beginning publishing newspapers, the public has been urged not to send articles to the paper for publication with out signing them.

We have urged contributors several times each year not to send articles to us for publication without signing their signature, still, every week a lot of is consigned to the waste basket without being read, because it comes from some unknown source, signed as "A Friend" or as "Your Friend", or in some other manner.

This week we have a rather lengthy communication that came to us through the mail with postage due, signed "A Friend." You may be a friend alright, but we must know who you are. So in the future sign your name to the articles and then if we do not see fit to publish them, we can return them to you instead of depositing them in the waste basket.

—Editor

Senator Walter Woodward of Coleman, a real "Heart of Texas" man, has also been mentioned as a possible candidate for Governor. It is well known by the close friends of Senator Woodward that he has ambitions. He has been one of the strong characters in the State Senate for some 10 years. And he has been close to the administrations of both Moody and Sterling. If we were going to guess it would be that Senator Walter Woodward will be a candidate two years from now and will also be the Governor of Texas following Ross Sterling. Woodward is a legislator of experience; he is honest, frank and considerate and has the respect and confidence of all men. He has more than once been solicited by his friends to make the race for Congressman from his district. However, he always felt that he could not leave his people in the state Senate. His record there is one of constructive ability and safe, sound leadership. He is a militant democrat and a hard campaigner when he gets on the stump. —(San Saba News)

VOLUME AND TURNOVER

Right now, when merchandising is once more a man's game and merchants are compelled to sell rather than hand the goods over the counter to anxious buyers—is the time to pay particular attention to advertising in order to secure rapid turnovers to offset the smaller margin of profit we have today.

On a declining market, such as exist at the present time, merchandise must move fast or a store will get into difficulties. The public is asking for lower prices and the only way a store can give them lower prices is to increase its volume and the number of times it turns over its stock.

This can be accomplished in only one way and that is by adopting the one proven method which the big successful merchandisers of the country use in securing volume and rapid turnover—newspaper advertising.

Newspaper advertising is the cheapest and most effective means of increasing your volume of business. The flow of trade toward your store will steadily increase if you will but keep the buying public informed of your preparedness to meet its needs. Advertising in your local newspaper will sell the merchandise if liberally and consistently used, but careful consideration must be given to the preparation of your copy.

Store-news advertising should be just as interesting and attractive as any display of an order house, which must of necessity have strong, compelling copy in order to sell goods, on account of the great amount of trouble the customer is put to in buying by mail. With a little time and thought any merchant should be able to produce advertising copy as compelling as that of the mail to attract the public to his store.

Let your home newspaper increase your volume of sales by presenting to the town and country folks regularly as interesting and attractive merchandise bulletins as those of the mail order houses.

Any merchant who will make a careful study of the five leading mail order catalogs and their supplements, as issued, is bound to become a better advertiser and a better merchandiser.—The Sylacauga, Alabama, News.

A DUTY WE OVERLOOK

Police Commissioner Mulrooney of New York, addressing an audience of churchmen recently, expressed the regret that church and community work for boys often ends when the youngsters reach the age of 16, or thereabouts.

"I wish," he said, "that the churches of all denominations would do more to try to direct the boys of the city to wholesome recreation. The Boy Scout troops often seem to lose the boy after he is 16, and it is then that he falls into bad company."

There is a whole lot of truth in this; for the lad of 16 very often finds himself a misfit, and the two or three-year period that he begins at that age can be extremely trying and dangerous time.

At 16 he is no longer—in his own eye, at least—a boy; he is entering manhood, and he is desperately anxious to do the things that men do. But he has not quite got there, as yet. The adult world still looks on him as an unlicked cub, and grown-ups who will treat him as a grown-up are few and far between.

So, feeling himself lost between two worlds, he is likely to have a rather hard time. He starts drifting, and the first group that takes a real interest in him, and treats him as a more or less mature individual capable of making his own choices, is likely to win his allegiance permanently.

And it is right at this point that one of modern society's most terrible bits of wastage comes in. The lad from an underprivileged neighborhood will drift into some uncouth places before he gets his bearings, and if his luck happens to be out he will take root in one or another of them.

So, a little later on, we have another youthful gunman, or another furtive-eyed young loafer with a shady present and a dubious future, or another pool-room hanger-on ready to get into any kind of trouble, that offers itself.

We have discovered, in recent years, that children must be given a chance to get wholesome recreation. But we have not yet learned that this guidance must extend through the first part of young manhood. Commissioner Mulrooney has touched on a point that deserves a lot more thought than we have given it.—(The San Angelo Weekly Standard).

ARE THEY TEACHING ATHEISM?

An accusation has been publicly made that atheism is being taught in Texas Technological College. The charge caused the president, Paul W. Horn, to conduct an investigation. He questioned instructors and students. After so doing he stated that he found no evidence of the teaching of atheism by anybody.

The charge is a grave one and the gentleman who made it ought to prove it to the people of Texas or retract it and apologize to those who are trying to establish a comparatively new institution of learning on a sure foundation.

Texas Tech is a state supported school and the people of Texas believe in a God—a supreme being. They would reluctantly, if at all, enter their children in a school teaching atheism.

Many times words spoken in unguarded moments injure and defame to such an extent that years are required to erase the stain. The matter will likely be settled but will not be forgotten. The man who made the charges will not suffer—the college may.—(Coleman Democrat-Voice).

Frequently editors of community newspapers complain about folks borrowing the newspaper from other readers. Perhaps it is not the best practice in the world, and it does cut down on the revenue of the editor, of course, but I've never had any serious objections to the practice. I want everyone in the community to read my newspaper, even though they have to

borrow it. And they do. Curiously enough, it's the borrower who curses me the loudest. But he's got a right to do that if he wants to. I'd rather that he read and cuss me than not to read at all.—Don Wright in the Crane (Mo.) Chronicle.

Exactly right, brother. This practice, right or wrong, is probably being followed to a greater extent right now than ever before. The borrowers have this editor's permission—yea, blessings—in their practice, provided they don't annoy any of our good pay customers. However, when we get something to use for money around here, or when President Hoover has dug up the "hoarded" money and returned it to circulation among us, we expect the moochers to reform and arrange to have their names placed on our regular list. Come back home, Prosperity—all is forgiven.—(Hico News-Review).

Dallas tells a story of a "town" within the city limits of that metropolitan city in which there are no officers and in which there is no crime. The "town" is within a stone's throw of the business section of Dallas and in hearing distance of the union station. It is composed of poor people who have builded shacks on land owned by the railroads and permitted by those great business institutions because the five or six acres are not needed at the present time. It is said that welfare workers are the only ambassadors to this little community, and policemen are never needed. Back of this there is another story. The railway officials granting permission to live in the district because they are unable to provide shelter elsewhere, require that the permit will be granted only on assurance that the law will be observed, quiet will be maintained and decency practiced. Thus we find a great transportation system engaged in a great welfare program.—(Hamilton Herald-Record).

Don't be ashamed of your business—advertise it.

Advertisement for Kenneth Harlow & Son Grocers. Features include: BERMUDA ONIONS, HARLOW & SON, SHREDDED COCOANUT in the bulk, OATS WHITE SWAN 55-oz. package only .16, CRACKERS 2 lb. box Brown's Soda Wafer .18, LETTUCE, per head 5c || 10c bx. BLACK PEPPER 5c, CARROTS 5c || IDAHO POTATOES, CELERY, Colo. Jumbo 15c || 10 pounds for 15c, CORN Sweet Country Gentleman 3 cans for .25, PRUNES 3 pounds 50-60 .19, COFFEE 4-lb. can BRIGHT & EARLY (GOBLET GLASS FREE) only .84, SALMON Vacuum Packed per can, only .10, WEINERS per pound .10, ROAST From Home Killed BABY BEEF. Per pound .08, CHOICE STEAK Any Cut Per pound .15, CHEESE No. 1 Cream .15. Phone us early for your Dressed Fryers. Come in and look over our Vegetable and Fruit line—it can't be excelled—Just let yourself try us for a while!!!

**ANOTHER YEAR OF LIVE AT HOME**

The production of food for the family and feed for the farm animals, which was so successfully practiced throughout the Southwest in 1931 will probably be continued this year. It is an economic measure that contributes both to the health and pocketbook. Those farm families, who conserved food in cans and jars last year, will continue in the same work in 1932. Their examples will be followed by thousands of others, and the records made in 1931 will be broken with the addition of millions of cans in the pantries of Southwestern farmers.

The work of the home demonstration division of the extension service in the matter of making the farm self-sustaining insofar as food for the family is concerned, is outstanding. It should continue to receive encouragement, for there is yet need for educational programs and demonstrations. The time will come we hope, when canning, preserving and the curing of meats will become of general practice on all farms in the Southwest. That time has not yet arrived. There yet remain thousands of farm families who are ready to welcome the home agent and who will listen willingly to her instructions. It is the plan of Extension Service to reach 85 per year.

The canning of food products on the farms is primarily for the purpose of providing a varied, balanced menu for the farmer and his family. Three appetizing meals a day is not without its influence in making a good farmer better and a poor farmer, good. The money saved by the production and conserving of food for home use is often equal to the amount received from the cotton crop. Thus the work becomes an economic value by contributing to the farm income. —Farm and Ranch.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

**THE STATE OF TEXAS,**

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Coleman County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon H. H. Adams, L. R. Williams, H. T. Owens, composing firm of Trinity Natural Gasoline Company, a partnership, and said Trinity Natural Gasoline Company, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Coleman County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Coleman, Texas, on the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1932, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 10th day of March, 1931, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2275, wherein C. A. Crump is plaintiff, and H. H. Adams, L. R. Williams, H. T. Owens and Trinity Natural Gasoline Company, a partnership composed of H. H. Adams, L. R. Williams and H. T. Owens, are defendants, a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action being as follows:

Suit by plaintiff against said defendants for the sum of \$285.93 being \$65.93 due for casinghead gasoline royalties on an oil and gas lease by C. A. Crump to Roy D. Golston, recorded in Volume 166, page 483, Coleman County Deed Records; also \$220.00, being two years at \$10.00 per year and two years at \$100.00 per year, ending in 1931, rental on 2 acres of land, portion of 39 acre tract occupied during said time by said defendants West of the town of Santa Anna in Coleman County, Texas. Plaintiff prays judgment for said sum of \$285.93, interest and costs of suit.

Herein Fail Not but have before said Court, at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Coleman, Texas, on this 3rd day of February, A. D., 1932.

L. EMET WALKER,  
Clerk, County Court,  
Coleman County, Texas.  
By F. J. LEWIS, Deputy.

**PRESIDENTIAL PROSPECTS**

Homer Price, editor of the Marshall Morning News, writes many of the state's most widely quoted editorials. This distinction is his for the reason he is so thoroughly posted before he commits himself upon an issue.

When Mr. Price pens a political editorial, he writes in a field that is preeminently his own. This is particularly true when he chooses to write upon the Texas phase of national presidential politics. He has the faculty for picking winners. He went Hoovercratic long before the rank and file of Texas voters, and when they counted the ballots they found that Homer Price had been amazingly correct.

Especially interesting, therefore, is anything Homer Price may have to say about the forthcoming presidential campaign in Texas. And here is a recent utterance of the kind: "If John Garner is the nominee for President, he will carry Texas by a 500,000 majority."

In 1928, Homer Price turned to Hoover rather than support a wet Democratic nominee. Yet Homer Price, in making the unqualified assertion quoted here, knew that John Garner voted against submission of the 18th amendment. It is not supposed that Mr. Price has changed the color of his creed. Rather is it to be inferred that John Garner's consistent support of enforcement measures, introduced after acceptance of the prohibition amendment, has made the Texas Speaker of the House acceptable to that great body of Democrats who are dry before they are Democrats. Undoubtedly, Homer Price knows that John Garner is one of the few forceful leaders behind whom the Democratic party can consolidate its scattered strength. Undoubtedly, he knows that John Garner is the obvious compromise candidate.

Under any other leadership than Garner's, it is not improbable that Texas will again shift into the Republican column. On the other hand, Texas' six million people can do much by way of pushing a Democrat through the no-man's land that lies between here and the White House. It isn't so much because John Garner is a Texan that he is a good presidential bet—it's just because John Garner is John Garner, with all that John Garner means and John Garner stands for.

Homer Price thinks John Garner can win. And Homer Price's is an opinion to which party leaders well may lend attentive ears.—(Texas Opinion).

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Coleman County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon May Hannon by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the 35th District Court of Coleman County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Coleman, Texas, on the fourth Monday in March, A. D., 1932, the same being the 28th day of March, A. D., 1932, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the first day of February, A. D., 1932, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 4996A, wherein Robert Hannon is Plaintiff, and May Hannon is Defendant, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows:

That heretofore to-wit: on or about the 15th day of June, 1910, plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married in Coleman County, Texas, and continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 10th day of September, 1910, when defendant abandoned this plaintiff with the intention of permanently separating from him, and plaintiff alleges that they have been separated for more than 10 years.

Herein Fail Not but have before said Court, at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Coleman, Texas, on this 1st day of Feb., A. D., 1932.

W. E. GIDEON,  
Clerk, 35th District Court,  
Coleman County, Texas.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Coleman County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Lela West by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, to appear at the next regular term of the 35th Judicial

District Court of Coleman County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Coleman, Texas, on the fourth Monday in March A. D. 1932, the same being the 28th day of March A. D. 1932, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 20th day of February A. D. 1932, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 5091-A, wherein Fred L. West is Plaintiff, and Lela West is Defendant, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows: Suit for divorce, on the grounds

of cruel treatment, for the custody of Johnnie West, and for all cost of suit, and general relief.

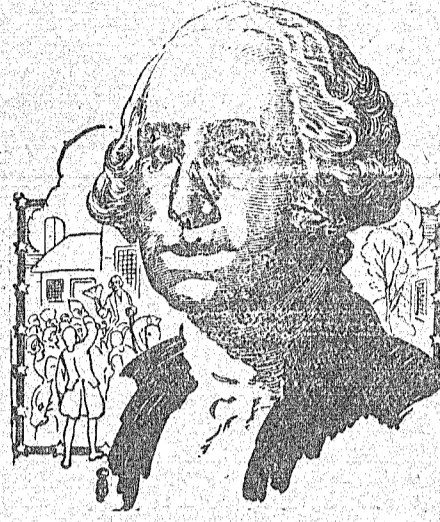
Herein Fail Not but have before said Court, at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Coleman, Texas, on this 20th day of February A. D. 1932.

W. E. GIDEON,  
Clerk, District Court,  
Coleman County, Texas.

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**Freedom**  
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The Mountaineer

## CITIZENS AND SCHOOL

No matter how exalted or how humble a person may be, there is one sacred duty which he owes to humanity and which it is imperatively incumbent upon him to pay. That duty is the protection and fostering of our public school system.

We are living in an age of education and advancing intellectual development, and the human mind that is deprived of the best advantages obtainable will be hampered and hindered at every step in life.

It matters not how bright nor how acute the infantile mind may be, if that mind is denied the advantages of education then the child grown to maturity will be retarded and humiliated because of its intellectual deficiencies. It will be a living monument to the neglect and the indifference of its parents. It will be a mark of shame and a blight upon the community that reared it in its ignorance. It will be an object of pity where it should be one of pride.

## REVIEW OF BASKETBALL SEASON

The basketball season was not as great a success as it might have been but, considering everything, a bit of satisfaction can be had.

The season started with Leon Ward and Rankin McIver at forwards, Grady McIver at center, and Clifford Wheeler and Dexter Walthall at guards. If that team could have been kept together until the end of the season, we could have been right at the top, if not on top, in the county race. When the season closed, only one of these boys was on the team. The flu, failure in courses, and injuries caused all the boys but one to be absent from the team when we played the important game with Shield. During the season twenty games were played with fifteen being won and five lost, which is quite an enviable record. Among the victims of our team were Coleman and Bangs. The team that played the last game of the season was composed of Rankin McIver and Red Harrod, forwards; Nowlin Meyers, center; and Vernon Buse and Edwin Rollins, guards. The boys who played enough to letter this year are: Leon Ward, Rankin McIver, Clifford Wheeler, Vernon Buse, Dexter Walthall, Edwin Rollins and Grady McIver. Since we have no money in the athletic fund with which to buy sweaters, these boys, who are otherwise eligible, will be given the privilege of buying them a sweater.

Prospects for a team next year are reasonably bright. We shall have three lettermen, Leon, Clifford and Dexter, back with two good reserve men, Nowlin and Scott. These five will make a good team.

## CLASS BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT TO BEGIN THIS WEEK

The annual class basketball tournament will begin this week as soon as the weather will permit. Captains have been elected in each class from the 7th to the 11th grade, and interest is beginning to run high. Each class will play every other class once. The team winning the most games will get the loving cup which is awarded from year to year. The junior class team, jammers this year, have won the cup since they were in the 7th grade. They are out to retain it and the other classes are determined that they shall not. Classes, back your team with your presence at the games!

## BOYS' TENNIS CLUB ORGANIZED

To increase interest in tennis playing and to determine who are the best players in school, a tennis club was organized last week. There were 17 boys present at the first meeting. Each player ranked every other player and from those a final ranking was made. Other players may join later. Any player may challenge another who is not more than three places above him in ranking. We soon shall have, through the goodness of our P.-T.A., three good courts and afternoons will see flying tennis balls and swinging rackets until sundown.

## YES OR NO

Did you know that:  
The girls have organized a Tennis Club?  
Freshmen have served the Lions one month?  
Examinations come next week?  
It has rained so much, the flowers think spring is here?  
The P. T. A. has given us new nets for the tennis courts?  
Scribblers are going to use pen names?

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Did you know that Pises means fish? A certain Freshman who is taking Latin has recently found that this Latin word means fish. She had seen it on an almanac many times but did not know what it meant. Thus by studying Latin she has really learned something.

## WASHINGTON'S RULES OF CIVILITY

1. Every action done in public ought to be with some kind of respect.
2. Let your conversation be without malice on envy.
3. Speak not evil of the absent, for it is unjust.
4. Associate yourself with men of good quality.
5. Be not forward but friendly and courteous.
6. Be no flatterer.
7. Let your discourse be brief and comprehensive.
8. Let your actions be manful not sinful.
9. Speak of God reverently. Honor and obey parents.
10. Labor to keep alive in your breast that little spark of Celestial fire called conscience.

## GIRLS' TENNIS CLUB

A tennis club for the girls has been organized. They met last week with Miss Hays as their sponsor. Each girl was ranked by the other members of the club. They may challenge each other to games, which, if won, will place them higher on the list. The girls as they stand now are: Bess Inez Shield, Thelma Lowe, Mary Alice Mitchell, Marian Eeds, Bessie Evans, Frances Louise Adams, Evelyn Kirkpatrick, Mary Bradford, Helen Vinson, Zeldia Ruth Mosely, and Charlotte Mosely.

## BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mrs. Crews Hardy entertained Monday evening with a birthday dinner honoring her sister, Miss Hettie Fae Todd, on the occasion of her birthday. The guests were carried to the dining room where the only light was the glow of the candles. A four-course dinner was served. The menu was: pineapple cocktail, chicken and dressing, creamed peas, baked potatoes, combination salad, hot rolls, cocoa, and cherry pie. After dinner, dancing and merry-making was enjoyed by the following: Misses Kathryn Rose Pinney, Frances Jones, Louise Wilsford, Besse Evans, Thelma Lowe and the honoree.

## MUD

We should not grumble about the mud we are wading through. It means good water storage for crops and gardens. It keeps the dust down and eliminates the spread of flying germs.

## SENIORS STUDYING LAKE DISTRICT

Seniors were invited to hike through the Wordsworth, Coleridge, and Southey country last Friday. They are to begin their trek at Ambleside, by Windermere and visit Fox Howe, Rydal, Grasmere, Kesfick, and Coniston before returning to the nearest railroad station in that part of England.

## CHORAL CLUB

Members of the two girls' Choral Clubs are meeting together twice a week now. Some of the girls were unable to attend regularly and others did not have time for the work, so it was thought best that the two clubs be put together and have one big club. By doing this, the girls will be able to get more practice and learn more songs.

## STUDIO MAN HERE

A studio representative was here Friday to see the president of the Senior class, Annie Wilson, to find out whether the seniors wanted to have their pictures made or not.

The class decided not to have individual pictures made but to wait until later and have a group picture made.

## FRESHMEN!

The Freshmen finished their month's serving for the Lions Club last Tuesday. It has been a profitable enjoyment for us to serve this organization. What are we going to do with our money? Hold it at both ends, and seal it in the middle!!!

Freshmen regret losing Ralph Canon, who is moving to Arkansas. Ralph has been a real worker in all class activities, and we shall miss him. We wish him pleasure and happiness in his new home.

## CELEBRATED DAYS

Feb. 2 Groundhog Day; 7 Birthday of Dickens, 1812, 10 Charles Lamb, 1775; 11 Daniel Boone; 12 Abraham Lincoln; 22 James Russel Lowell; 22 George Washington; 14 Valentine's Day; 27 Henry W. Longfellow, 1807.

## FRESHMAN PROGRAM

Last Friday the Freshmen had a Washington Birthday program. It was hastily prepared, but those taking part proved themselves real sports in preparing papers on Washington's life. The program was as follows: "Washington's Early Life and Career" - Ernestine Thomas. "As President" - Zeldia Ruth Mosely. "Humorous Reading" - Gladys Creamer. "George Washington" - Beth Barnes. "Rules of Civility" - Bobb Hafele.

## "UNLAURELED GLORY"

A title of a poem appearing in the English Illustrated Review, "Home and Abroad," was written by our very own Leola Christie Barnes. New honors come to this dainty, demure lady whose unassuming talents are being internationally recognized. We are proud of her and know that she deserves all honors that come to her.

William Earl Ragsdale was a pleasant visitor from Simmons University during the week-end.

## JOKES

A corpulent teacher was giving a lesson on a canary to a class of small children. Teacher: "Can you tell me what a canary can do that I can't?" Jesse: "Please, Miss, have a bath in a saucer!"  
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Carl F.: (Purchasing a new overcoat) "But I can't wear this. It's three sizes too big."  
Mr. Flores: "Remember, dear, I has got to go over the radiator of the car in cold weather. That's what we have got to consider first."

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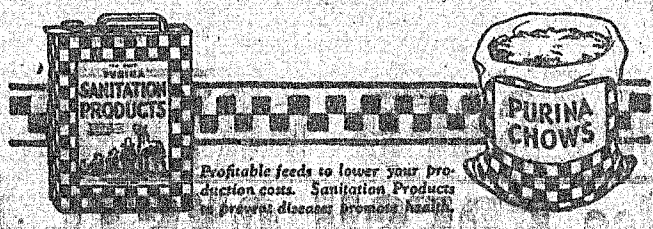
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THIS AND THAT ABOUT THE FOLKS YOU KNOW

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Featherstone of Talpa were supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Forehand Sunday evening...

A petition will be circulated this week, asking the merchants to close their places of business at 6:30 each evening except Saturday...

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. (Sprout) Todd, Jr. of Talpa, announce the arrival of a son Gerald Allen...

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stark and children of Coleman visited in the J. D. Whetstone home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boss Caton spent last Sunday night in the Ewell Jones home at Shields.

A. P. Shockley of Hamilton and F. E. Shockley of Cisco visited their son and brother, G. A. Shockley, here Sunday.

Mrs. Newell Griffin had as her guests this week her father, L. W. Raley, of Rosebud, and her sister, Mrs. B. A. Spillar, of Bay City.

R. T. Rountree of Abilene is looking after business here this week.

Captain S. H. Collier and L. Gene Hensley attended a meeting and banquet of the National Guard in Brownwood Monday night.

NO FISHING IN CITY LAKES!

The State Law forbids fishing for certain fish during the months of March and April. The City Lake being stocked with said fish we here-by serve notice that no fishing will be permitted in either of the City Lakes during said months.

ADDITIONAL SCHOOL NEWS

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Nurse: "On whom are you operating to-day?" Dr. Sealy: "A fellow who had a golf ball knocked down his throat at the links."

J. D.: "You say anything to me, Big Boy, an' I'll make you eat yo' words." Robert: "Chicken dumplings, hot biscuits, an' watermelon!"

Mother: "Why are sitting here when you ought to be in bed?" Winston: "There's a mosquito in my room." Mother: "It has't bitten you has it, darling?"

A mountaineer of one of the small settlements of Texas was arranged with several others for illicit distilling. "Defendent," said the court, "What is your name?"

Mr. S.: "Fellow citizens, I want you to know that I wear no man's collar."

Mr. Lock: "You've told the truth for once. It looks like a boy's size."

"Don't mind, J. W., don't mind," said Christine to her small brother, who had been chastised by their father.

The Ward School P.-T. A. will meet next Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Ward School.

Mr and Mrs. Claud Boone of Harlingen are visiting in the home of Mrs. Boone's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Gollston of Tyler visited here Monday and Tuesday. Roy and Rex were in Brownwood on business Monday.

Miss Ruby Vallintine, of the Ward School faculty, is quite ill with the Flu. Mrs. V. Van Zandt is teaching for her.

E. P. Rendleman was carried to Brownwood Tuesday night in a very critical condition.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kirkpatrick attended the funeral of Mr. Snow in Waldrip Sunday.

Rev. M. L. Womack, who has been in Waxahachie for the past week with his son, Earnest Lee, who has been suffering with the Flu, returned to his home here Tuesday night; but before he could undress, a message came to return and bring his son home to recuperate.

Miss Reba Vinson of Rockwood was in Santa Anna Monday enroute to her home after spending the week end with her sister Ruby Vinson of Brownwood. She also spent last week with relatives in Brady.

W. W. Nelson of Brownwood was here on business Monday.

Mrs. Fred Poteet and little sons of Houston spent last week end in the J. D. Whetstone home.

Mrs. Nettleship returned to her home in Regency Monday, after a ten days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Nora Goen.

Wm. D. Cargill Is Candidate for R.R. Commissioner

Wm. D. Cargill, of Brady, candidate for Railroad Commissioner, passed through the mountain city Monday and paid this office a call while here. Mr. Cargill is making the race for a place on the Railroad Commission on a rather peculiar and unique platform, favoring commercial trucks largely over the different railroads for various classes of hauling.

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NEW BREAKFAST CEREAL DISCOVERED BY TEXAS NEWSPAPER MAN IS GIVEN NATION-WIDE APPROVAL BY EXPERTS

Having discovered a most delectable cereal, George Smith, who publishes the Scurry County Times-Signal at Snyder, wrote the editor of the Publishers' Auxiliary, a nation-wide publication for newspaper men, relating gleefully his new "find".

The letter follows: "Dear Editor Watson: So many requests have come to me from the newspaper fraternity concerning "how" whole wheat cereal is made, following your boxed article in the January 30 edition that herewith is some further data for the benefit of the newspaper boys of the nation.

"Any feed store, anywhere, any place will give you whole wheat coarsely ground. One measuring cup (1 lb.) to three parts of water, salting, should be left to soak over night, then cooking 25 to 30 minutes in the morning to provide a cereal that cannot be touched by any cereal food manufacturer on earth. Use brown sugar to sweeten, with milk or cream.

"While ascertaining facts from various sources, the United States Department of Agriculture referred me to Dr. Francis P. Barr, 1304 Indianola Avenue, Columbus, Ohio, who gave me some

facts that should be broadcast to every point of the compass. Among them were the following: "Ninety-four school children had been fed at a total cost of \$1.05.

"Bernarr MacFadden, famous health advocate, is feeding whole wheat cereal in his New York restaurant at 1c per bowl.

"The Salvation Army, Columbus, Ohio, fed 48 hungry men at a total cost of a trifle over two cents per man, and they were fully satisfied.

"Oberlin University, Oberlin, Ohio, served a three-course whole wheat banquet (with a bushel of wheat) to 150 people at a total cost of \$4.50.

"With the use of whole wheat in any home, heat and energy is generously provided, with mineral substance, vitamins and strength to give us a nation of strong and healthy children instead of a nation of weaklings, following the depression. Any publisher further interested should get in touch with Doctor Barr, whose address is given above. Once a newspaper man tries whole wheat, he will never let up on it.

"Fraternally, GEORGE ("JIMMIE") SMITH, Snyder, Texas"

Trains do not have as many wrecks as automobiles do. It may be that the engineer does not hug the firemen at every crossing.

Lots of men would rather have a political job than earn an honest living.—(Alamo News).

"The good old days" is a phrase that often is heard when someone refers to the fat prices that were received for agricultural products a few years ago and the rapidly increasing stock market values which made paper millionaires out of thousands of citizens. To hear the average citizen talk today, it seems that the general idea of good times is a return to the conditions of three or four years ago. But persons who make a little research into conditions of that time will perhaps recall that at that time the "good old days" didn't mean the booming days of 1928 and 1929, but instead referred to the days before the world war, when prices were low. The "good old days" were when shirts could be bought for six-bits and a pair of good shoes rarely cost over \$5; when cotton sold for 8 cents and eggs were 10 cents a dozen. That was what were called the "good old days" in 1929. Measured by the same standard, we right now are in the midst of the "good old days". Prices are low, and many people whose income is practically the same as it was three years ago have a far better income than they did at that time, measured in actual purchasing power. Wages have come down, of course but not on a par with commodity prices, so the good old days of 1932 are far better than the good old days of 1913. A few years from now, when prices again skyrocket, as they always do, and wages lag behind, as they always do also, people will glance back over the 1931-32 period with its deflated prices and long for the "good old days" and wonder why they didn't recognize good times when they had them and make wise investments or buy good things while they are so cheap.—(Hamilton Herald-Record).

PIGGLY WIGGLY advertisement with various product prices: Our Big Specials for Saturday, POTATOES N. 1 IDAHO LOOK at THIS PRICE 10 lbs. for .12, BANANAS Solid Truck Load. Buy them cheap. doz. .12, SEED POTATOES Planting TIME IS HERE! (Get Our Price), LARD All Brands! 16-lb. 1.04 Piggly-Wiggly makes the price 8-lb. .52, SYRUP Pure Ribbon Cane. We bought Syrup from the farmer. Gal. .64, CRACKERS Big 2-lb. Box Salted. Only .17, CHEESE FULL CREAM Try Our Market. Lb. .14, Sliced Bacon This is the Good grade and not the ends. Pound .16, DRESSED FRYERS FROM THE COUNTRY, Also FRESH OYSTERS CHEAP PRICE!