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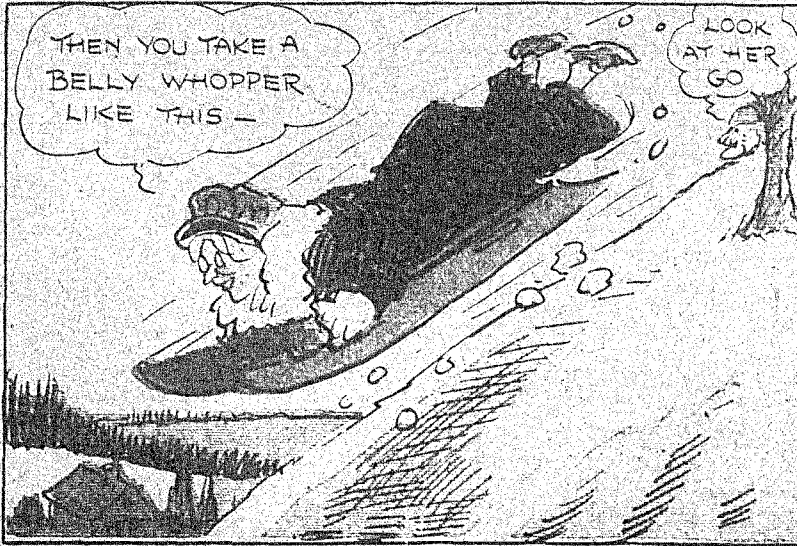
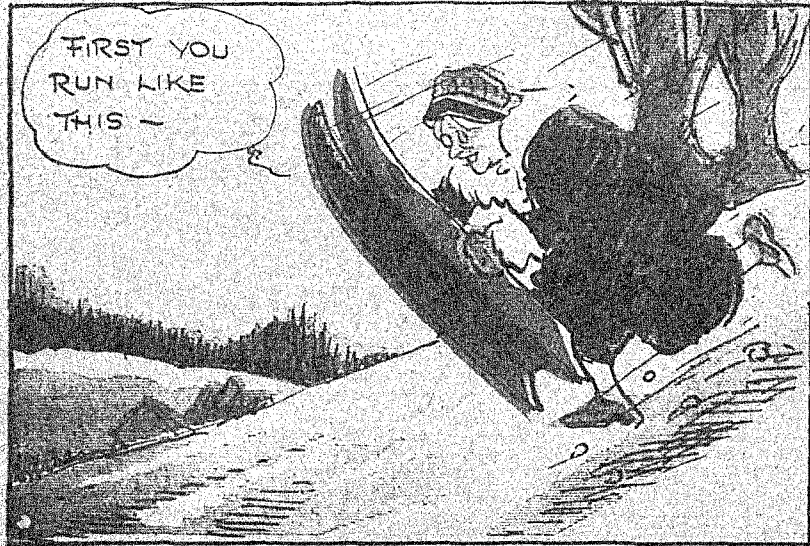
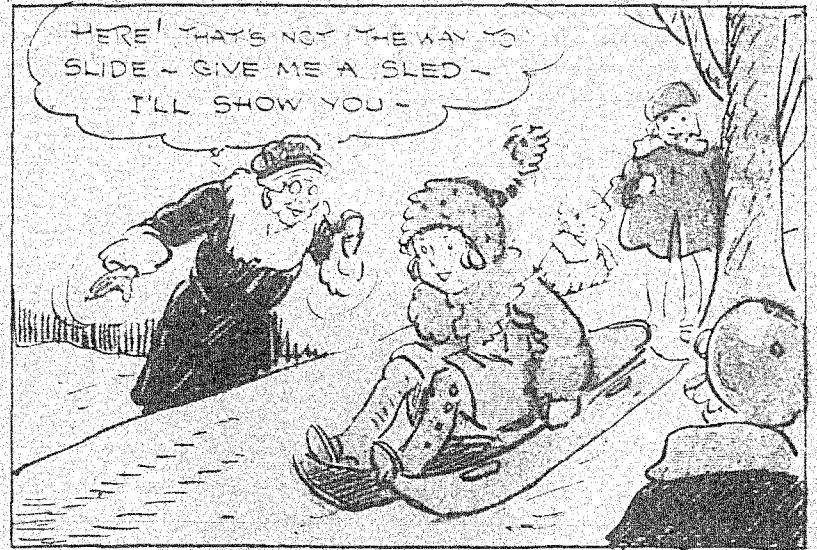
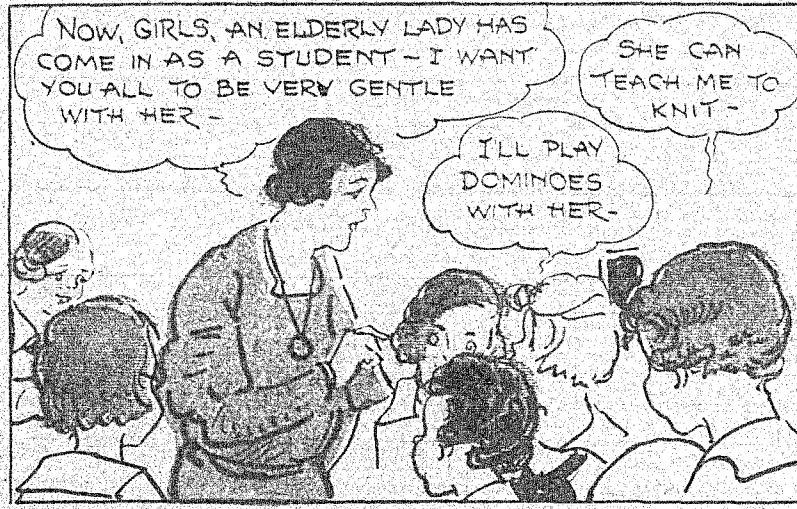
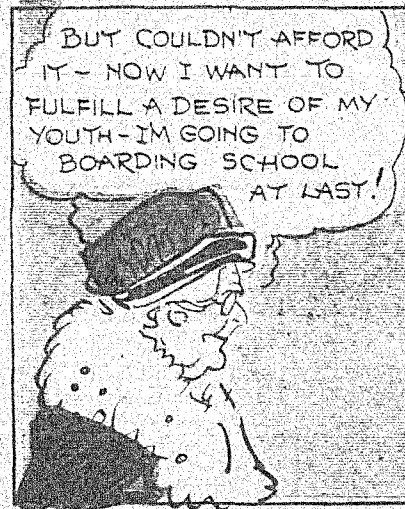
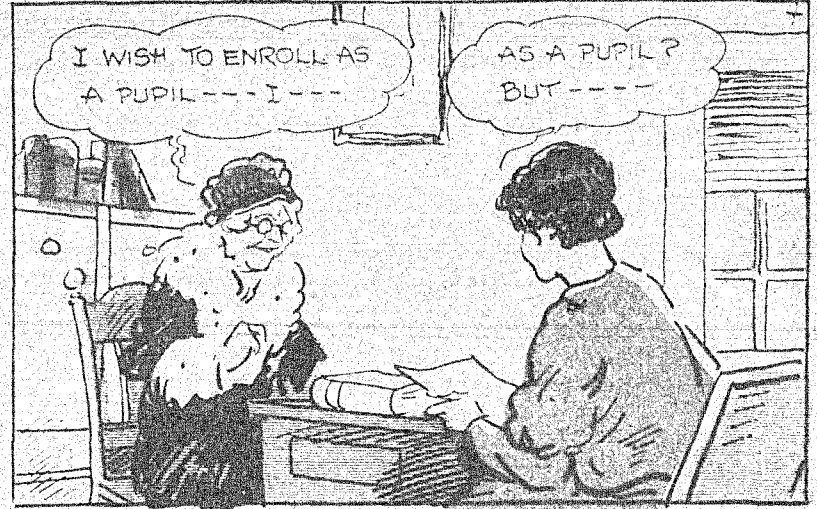
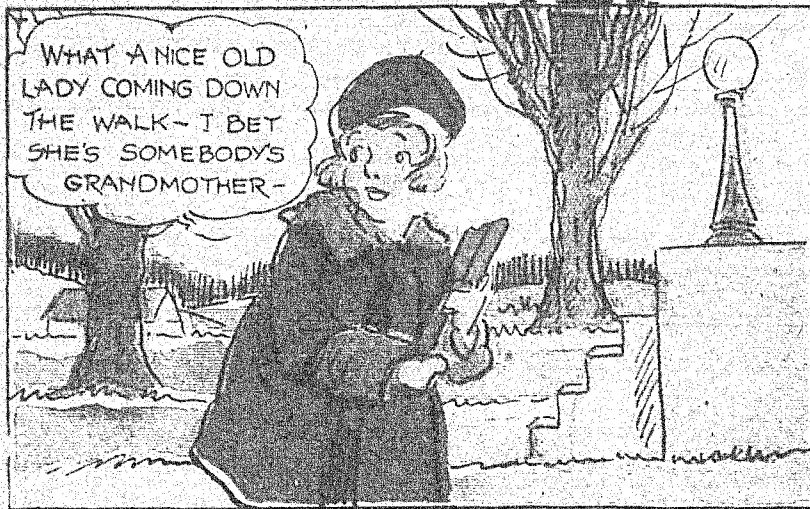
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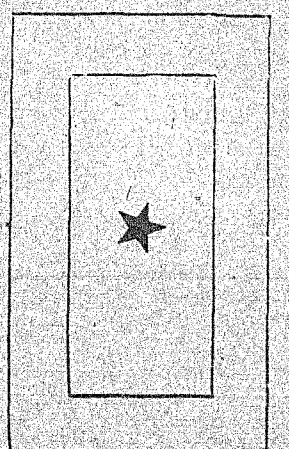
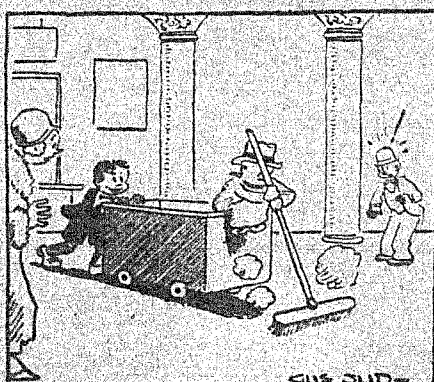
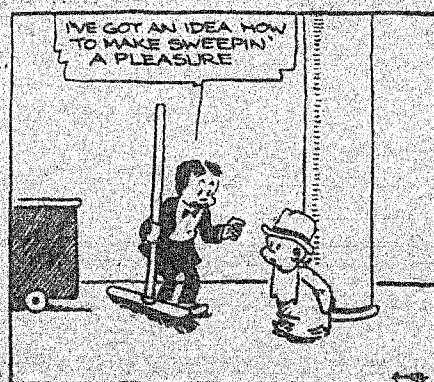
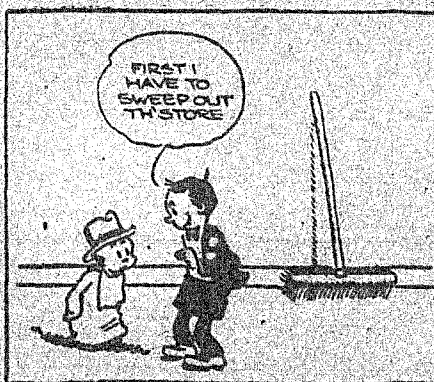
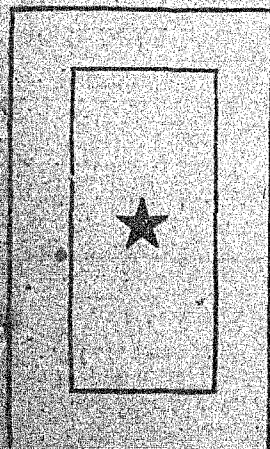
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Business and Pleasure

By Gus Jud



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BLENDING TAX PLAN URGED BY TOM HUNTER

Austin, Texas, Jan. 19. "No one tax will reach all alike; we must have a blended tax system to properly allocate the burden," declared Tom F. Hunter of Wichita Falls...

"If we are to have a sales tax, one third of it should be retained by the counties in order that the county and school real estate tax might be reduced.

"One pipe-line company, in a depression year, showed a net earning of \$20,157,642.42. It paid a 40 per cent dividend. It paid a total state tax that year of only \$471,877.47.

pass the sales tax and abolish the state ad valorem tax and to quit at that would mean that their tax was reduced 25 per cent on the one hand and no increase by reason of the sales tax, because they are not buyers.

"The voting of the constitutional amendment, exempting a \$3,000 valuation on a homestead, was a great victory for the plain people. It contemplates the shifting of that part of their burden to the organized few of wealth that have heretofore evaded their just portion.

"A graduated income tax, levied upon the extreme high bracket is the only tax that they can not pass on to the masses.

"A bill was voted in the legislature Wednesday for a payment of automobile tax for license tags until March 1st. The senate voted to extend the time 60 days and Governor Ferguson expressed a favorable desire to extend the time 90 days.

WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH TEXAS

(By S. W. Adams)

Room 65, Driskill Hotel, Austin

One cannot watch the Legislative mill grind, and then sift the meal thru his hands without concluding that law-making is one of the major troubles in Texas. Our fathers had but one thought when they found their course was contrary to law—they changed their course to conform to law.

I am convinced that Texas would be infinitely better off if the 43rd Legislature would repeal every law passed since 1900, and then adjourn for an even ten years.

Another trouble: The attention of the Legislature and the people has been wholly centered on governmental appropriations—always one crowd crying for more, the rest of us crying for less.

It is useless to cry economy as long as extravagance can be met. Instead of looking for new taxes that extravagance may be continued, cut down the source of taxes, and extravagance will disappear.

The battle royal is on here with the army of the people under cover. The lobbyists of every special interest, not only in TEXAS but in the United States, are here using every device known to lobbyists to put the sales tax over.

Any man who will unselfishly think thru this sales tax proposal will turn it down on every ground save expediency, and when he looks back to 1765 and ahead to 1905, he will flee from it, for as sure as there is a god of industry, this sales tax consummated will destroy the last vestige of universal property ownership, and turn our constitution to naught.

Its proponents plead that we must take the tax burden off the small home, small ranch, and small farm, with sickening regularity; yet in 1930 the United States census reported only 471,378 farm owners in Texas, with 1,243,154 tenant farmers.

More than fifty per cent of these farm owners live in towns and cities, while fifty per cent of the residences in cities are occupied by tenants.

These tenants from time immemorial, paid all taxes, upkeep and profits to the landlord. There was no complaint so long as that was true, but now since only seven per cent of the people own 90 per cent of the real values of America, they have billions in real values that are non-revenue bearing, and they can't pass the tax burden on. That's why the sales tax is proposed in every state in the union now.

Let's look at just two of those lobbyists: At the head of the list, the dean of Texas lobbyists, is Brigadier General Jake Walters, who headed the East Texas military outrage and drew \$625 per lunar month from Texas, drew down at the same time large salaries as counsel, lobbyist etc, for Texas (oil) Company and Pullman Car Company, while doing a lucrative private law practice.

There is H. M. Richter, head of Southwest Settlement and Development Co. He is for the sales tax. His company holds around a million acres of cut-over lands in southeast Texas—and the taxes on these non-revenue bearing lands are burdensome.

When you find these birds with every railroad lobbyist, every light & power lobbyist, every oil and sulphur lobbyist, every special interest, every life and fire insurance lobbyist, lobbying for a bill, the common people can never, in opposing that bill, be wrong.

The big (Only in circulation) dailies are for it. The press bureaus are for it—they are owned by the forces of greed. They have been laying the predicate for this sales tax, for years.

If Texas passes this proposed sales tax, it will have led to the masses. The people were promised relief from the tax burden. Instead they are offered a heavier tax burden, in a different form. The poor are told they may

THE RED & WHITE STORES HUNTER BROTHERS J. L. BOGGUS & CO. SPECIALS FRIDAY AND SATURDAY February 3 and 4. Corn, Standard No. 2 can 8c SYRUP, Steamboat, gal. 53c. Tomatoes, Standard, No. 1 5c MACARONI Yankee Doodle Brand 4 pkgs. 13c. SPUDS Be sure you get No. 1. 10 lbs. 16. APPLES Delicious, medium, excellent quality, doz. 17c OATS Mother's Chinaware or crystalware 55 oz pkg. 23c. DRIED PEACHES, Choice California, 2 lbs for 17c COFFEE Sun-Up Brand 1 pound pkg. 19c. SALT Blue & White, regular 5c size 3 for 10. PICKLES Mountain Brand cut sour, quart jar 15c. POTTED MEAT R & W no cereal extra quality 4 for 15. ROAST, Forequarter, lb. 10c BACON Swift's X lb 12c. SALMON Nile, tall can 9c BACON No. 1 Quality Dry Salt pound 7c. CRACKERS Supreme Salad Wafers. 2-lb pkg. 24.

LORD BALTIMORE PORTFOLIO Back is convenient desk! 50 sheets, 24 matched envelopes. reg. 39c value 29c. Given away! \$1 pkg. of CARA NOME cleansing cream with every \$2 box of CARA NOME face powder. SATURDAYS ONLY! SHARI face powder \$2.50 value for \$1.19. HORTON'S delicious peanut brittle 19c.

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Free! beautiful flacon of SHARI the perfume of the immortals with every purchase of SHARI face powder both for \$1. \$1.25 value for 98c Klenzo Atomizer and 4 oz. bottle MI 31 SOLUTION KLENZO facial tissue Soft, dainty, absorbent 19c. TOILET GOODS. Stag Hair and Scalp Tonic and After Shave Lotion—Both for \$1.00. Rexall Milk of Magnesia Tooth Paste. Large size. .39 Georgia Rose Bath Salts .49 Klenzo Liquid, 20-oz. .49. RUBBER GOODS. Roxbury Ladies' Syringe and Hygienic Powder, Both. \$.98 Lady Fair Gloves, Size 7 to 10, Red, Blue, Jade. .20. Sanitary napkins Soft, absorbent cellulose gives real protection 21c. STAG bay rum shaving cream or 4 for \$1.

Bring your watches and clocks to Mr. Voss to be repaired. Expert Work - Low Prices. Purest Aspirin Paracetol Aspirin is true aspirin when it is prepared and when you buy it. Relieves pain more quickly—safely. MAXIE CHERRIES 33c. KLENZO Dental Creme Cleans your teeth until they glisten. 39c. 4 rolls 25c. SYMBOL Hot Water Bottle 89c. Save with Safety at Corner Drug Co. Your Rexall DRUG STORE.

escape the tax by not buying. Let's meet the Governor's challenge to suggest a better than a sales tax, by demanding that ad valorem taxes shall be equal and uniform, and there shall be an income and an inheritance tax that will increase in the higher brackets.

Pass this sales tax and take off all ad valorem taxes, and, by 1940, farm and city tenancy will have increased until 95 per cent of the people will be living under a rented roof, and home ownership will have dropped to a negligible few.

SEED CATALOG TIME

Whether the seed catalog is a superstition or a bad habit is a much disputed question and worthy of the consideration of the Wednesday Night Debating Club, but that it is as inevitable in January as New Year's Day is indubitable.

Next to a certain mail order house catalog and before the almanac it is the most read of the family shelf of free literature. It might be suggested that it is also the most popular picture book on the sitting room table.

What visions of giant corn stalks, balloon size cabbage, overpopulated potato hills, tender lettuce, dazzlingly beautiful flowers and trim hedges are reared in the mind's eye of dad and mother when the new catalog from the seed company arrives. They pore through its leaves selecting the varieties they will plant in the backyard garden in the spring.

And the kids are not immune from this seed-mania. They

fight for the new seed catalog and thumb through its pages in search of good things to eat and the plants and vegetables they will have in their gardens in the spring. With the seed catalog the kiddies extend the planting, cultivating and harvesting over all twelve months of the year with the best results attained when the garden patches of the grown-up folks are lying idle.

BABY DIES

Little Lynette, 3 year old daughter of Mrs. T. J. Davis of the Cleveland community died at the hospital here Saturday night of diphtheria, and was buried in the Cleveland cemetery Monday afternoon. Rev. Hal C. Wingo conducted the funeral.

Bulk Garden Seed FRESH!! MORE FOR YOUR MONEY. Good Broom 16c. Best Flour \$1.00. Duck Collars \$1.00. Hames \$1.00. Cee-Tee Pliers 20c. Our shelves are filled with Good Bargains that are for you. W. R. KELLEY & CO. We Want Your Business.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Woodward of San Antonio spent the week-end here and Mrs. Woodward remained while Mr. Woodward accompanied his father E. L. Purdy Mercantile Company, was Woodward to Amarillo Monday. Tuesday morning and operated at Abilene for an acute attack of appendicitis. At last report he is recovering and it is thought Mr. and Mrs. Chester O. Sellers, Misses Norine Merrill and

PROGRAM at Queen Theater Fri-Sat. this week Tim McCoy - Western Code CARTOON - COMEDY next week SUN. - MON. - TUES. Penguin Pool Mystery CARTOON - COMEDY WED. - THUR. Thirteen Women CARTOON - COMEDY Admission 10c & 20c

Real Shoe Values! We have arranged two tables of ladies oxfords and straps. Discontinued number; they are good shoes, but offered at cheap prices \$1.05 & \$2.95. If you had rather have style than quality these shoes probably will not appeal to you, but if you really do want a good shoe, one that will give service at a cheap shoe price, be sure to see them. We have a new shipment of "Happy Home" dresses. There may be others just as good—we do not think so. Prints and Broadcloths. Lots of the new puff sleeves. Price \$1.00. Most people know Ely & Walker's Quadriga Prints; Pre-shrunk, absolutely fast color and a finish no other prints have. We have a new shipment and the price is 15c. Other fast color prints. 10c. Again this season we offer you "Red Kap" work shirts. Last year we bought one hundred sixty six dozen of these shirts they must be good. Blue, Gray and Covert Price 50c. Our Merchandise is Dependable and Our Prices are right. Visit Us Often. D. R. HILL & BRO.

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Tyler, Texas are furnishing shelter and other necessities of life to a new boarder that arrived in their home last week. It is a fine baby girl. The mother and baby are reported doing nicely and Roy is expected to recover. Mr. Golston owns the Santa Anna Gas. Co. and is well known here. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lewis moved into their new home Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Markham Henderson and children of Trickham were Santa Anna visitors Tuesday. Mrs. Andrew Shreiber, Mrs. W. H. Thate and Miss Ruby Harpe went to San Angelo Sunday where they met Mrs. S. D. Harper, Jr. and baby of El Dorado who accompanied them home. Misses Mildred and Vera Boone of Winters were the guests of Miss Helen Hall last week-end. Mrs. Cecil Grantham and son returned to their home in Menard Monday. L. E. Collins of Coleman was a Santa Anna visitor Tuesday. Mrs. Marion Flynn of Coleman is here because of the illness of her father, E. R. Purdy, who underwent an emergency operation for appendicitis Tuesday morning. Sunday guests in the Sam Forehand home were Mr. and Mrs. Howell Wells of Brownwood, Mrs. John Harris of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jonsson and child. Mrs. John Harris of Dallas who spent last week in the home of her sister, Mrs. Sam Forehand, left Sunday for Comanche to visit her father. Mrs. J. L. Simms of Salado is visiting in the homes of her brothers, A. T. Stiles and W. M. Stiles. Misses Geneva Atkinson and Geneva Caldwell left Saturday for Cross Cut where they are visiting Miss Atkinson's father. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McCreary left on the bus last Sunday afternoon for Abilene where they will spend two weeks with Mr. McCreary's sister, Mrs. J. E. Jeter. Ed Chambers of Brownwood visited his mother Mrs. M. E. Chambers and sister, Miss Louella Chambers last Sunday.

Coleman Junction Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Dunn visited Saturday night with Mrs. Lucy Shamblyn of Santa Anna. Miss Cleo Dunn spent from Saturday until Monday in Santa Anna. Dale Hatcher was a Sunday guest of Roy Winstead. Miss Ima Griffith of the Longview community visited part of last week with Miss Mildred Hatcher. Miss Lena Moore spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Mattie Broocke of Coleman. The Turney Smith family of this community recently moved to the Bee Branch community. We were sorry to have them leave. Miss Velma Dunn visited Sunday with Misses Aleene and Nadyne Ripley. Hubert Smith spent Sunday night with Lois Crump. Misses Mattie Broocke and Gladys Brooks of Coleman attended Junction B. T. S. Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wilder and family visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wilder of Coleman Sunday afternoon. Sunday School was attended by a small crowd Sunday. We hope to increase our attendance next Sunday. B. T. S. was attended by an average crowd Sunday night. We invite each and everyone back.

WHAT IF All the boys didn't fall in love with Mary Dellinger. Maxie Price didn't talk so loud. Frances Brown talked at all. J. T. Oaks wasn't handsome. Rubye Willis understood algebra problems. Emma John Blake didn't know how to explain problems. W. C. Burden didn't talk without permission in General Science Class. Creighton Morgan wasn't timid. Mary Lee Ford didn't chew gum. Mary Garrett wasn't real friendly. A FRESHMAN FAMOUS SAYINGS "All ye that happy lovers be, Please pray for me." Lois Crump "I am resolved to grow fat, And look young 'til forty." Era Hill. "Oh, if I only had a pair of riding boots." Annie Lee Brown "I came, I saw, I flunked." J. D. Pieratt. "I forgot mine." Leon Morgan "Shore!" Edne Snider. "Well, kid." Vivian Wristen. He who hesitates is old-fashioned.

Liberty News Brother J. R. McCorkle of Coleman filled his appointment here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes and sons, and Mr. Horace Early, Miss Mattie Lee Early and Mr. Bill Early attended the singing at Concord Sunday. Mrs. Emzy Brown and Mrs. S. I. Duggins visited Mrs. Carter Juggins Wednesday. Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Howard were Mr. S. M. Russell, Verna Russell, Mrs. H. F. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Powers, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Early and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Benny. The Liberty and Concord Junior and Sub-Junior teams played basketball last Wednesday. The Concord Juniors and the Liberty Sub-Juniors won. The Liberty students are proud of the silver loving cup they won for their display at the Coleman County Fair. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Childs visited in the E. W. Polk home Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Howard visited Mrs. Leo Scott Thursday. A large group of young folks enjoyed the singing at Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rhodes Friday night. Mrs. Emma Taylor is visiting in the J. W. Taylor home this week.

Plainview News Little Oma Dean McDonald of Santa Anna spent the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. McDonald. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Whitley entertained with a forty-to-sixty Saturday night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Trece "chiff", Mr. and Mrs. Ernest England, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gobert, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rowe and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bivins. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Brandon of Sylvester spent several days last week in the E. W. Gobert home. Guests in the E. W. Gobert home Wednesday afternoon were Mrs. Elton McDonald and daughter Oma Dean, Mrs. J. L. Gobert Mrs. Audrey Williamson and son Arville. Mrs. Arthur Casey and little daughter Deretha Fay, of the Peedy community and Mrs. S. C. McNitt of Santa Anna visited Thursday in the J. J. Horner home. We are glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Smith to move into our community. Misses Vada and Vera Horner entertained the Senior B. T. S. from Santa Anna Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Rowe and son Wendell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rowe. Mrs. Marvin Whitley and son Julian visited Mrs. E. W. Gobert Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bivins visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hartford Watson of Coleman. Joe Lewallen and family and Jodie Rowe and family of Doole visited relatives in this community last week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Johnson and children and Mr. and Mrs. Fred England and baby of Slawton visited in the G. P. England and Albert Dodgen homes last week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rowe visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shelton. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dodgen visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dodgen of Voss last Friday. Mrs. Vernon Roberts visited Mrs. Paul Rowe Sunday night. Miss Velma Harris visited school Friday afternoon.

CARD OF THANKS I wish to thank each and everybody for their many kind deeds and words of sympathy during the sickness and death of my beloved husband. May God bless each and everyone. Mrs. Bessie Mills and children. NOW AND THEN Ernestine Thames misses a question in Modern History. Iva Brannan isn't giggling. Edna Snider fails to make a basketball goal. Spanish One-Class isn't dumb. Alene Healen has something to say. Carmilla Flores isn't prissy. Gus Morgan can't get all of his algebra II problems. Fannie Fletcher abstains from hitting people. Deggs Traylor doesn't sleep in Mr. Binlon's fifth period study hall. Minneola Price acts undignified. Its all right to talk about the forgotten man, but it takes more than talk to fill an empty stomach.

FRANKLIN'S GREATNESS Benjamin Franklin was too long regarded as one of the lesser lights of the American Revolution. In truth, he outshone any of his contemporaries, not excepting Washington, in general all-round ability and intellect. His autobiography should be on the bookshelf, not of every library, but of every home. As an example of courage, modesty and thrift it is unparalleled. Sentiment is turning toward putting Franklin on the pedestal where properly he belongs. The bankers have seized upon his birthday, January 17, as an opportunity for an annual thrift propaganda. And a good thing, too. Thrift is the one thing Americans have to learn if they hope to keep up the high standard of living. "A penny saved is a penny earned," was a saying of Franklin's that has become a classic, and never was a truer one. One should not overlook, however, the most inspiring things about this printer's apprentice who became great. He waded with kings and talked with nobles, and they did him honor. He brought to America respect in Europe at a time when a more volatile ambassador to France might have worked serious injury to the cause of the Revolution. Let us by all means honor Franklin. But more than that let us not forget that Franklin is great.

Every time we hear a financier rave in favor of cancelling war debts we wonder how much of his own money is invested in the debtor nations.

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