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"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

Lions Club Elects Officers For Another Year Tuesday Noon

At the regular weekly luncheon of the Lions Club Tuesday, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, G. W. Faulkner; first vice-president, J. C. Scarborough; second vice-president, Dr. R. E. Lovelady; Sec-Treas., J. T. Garrett; Lion tamer, Sam H. Collier; Tail twister, E. P. Bond; Directors, D. J. Johnson, F. C. Woodward and W. E. Baxter.

Mr. Ed Shumway of Abilene, Scout Executive for the Chisholm trail council of Boy Scouts of America, embracing the following counties, Haskell, Jones, Callahan, Rumsel, Coleman, Shackelford and Taylor, was present and made an interesting talk regarding the boy scout work in this district. A committee was appointed to select and recommend suitable committees to work with the boys and report back to the next meeting.

The Boy Scouts of America is one of the greatest organizations for the development and proper training of the boys in the world, and there are several splendid young boys here who need the training. Let's give them our support.

SEALY HOSPITAL IS CROWDED THIS WEEK

Monday afternoon, the editor took a few moments off and paid the Sealy Hospital a short visit, several friends being there for treatment. The premises were practically covered with automobiles and we found 24 patients in the institution. There are seven graduate nurses and four student-nurses on the job and all were busy. The seventh operation was performed while we were there in the afternoon, without a let up.

DOYLE RUDE DIES AT HOME IN PLAINVIEW TUESDAY

A telephone call from a Mr. Rude Wednesday, conveyed the sad news of the death of Doyle Rude, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Rude, former citizens of this community, who died at their home in Plainview Tuesday morning. It is our understanding the boy died from heart trouble.

Sammie Kirkpatrick, a recent graduate of the Baylor University School of Pharmacy, Dallas, has accepted a position with the Phillips Drug Store. Sammie is a splendid young man and we are proud to have him locate in Santa Anna. A. M. Edmiston left Wednesday for San Angelo where he has employment in the San Angelo Pharmacy.

Mrs. Earl Polk and daughters Earleen and Maxine of Fort Worth came in Tuesday to visit their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Harper.

Revival Closes After Two Weeks

The revival meeting in progress at the Methodist church the past two weeks came to a close first of this week. Pastor Kirkpatrick did some fine preaching and his assistant did fine work among the young people and in the devotional work. There were 30 additions to the church and the membership greatly revived. The town and community were both benefited by the meeting. This being the first revival this season, and the weather conditions unfavorable much of the time, the preacher and his workers labored under considerable handicaps at times, but the meeting was a success.

MRS. ROSS MARTIN BURIED HERE TUESDAY

Mrs. Ross Martin, better known here in Santa Anna as Mrs. W. N. Wilson, recently married to Mr. Martin, was found dead in a small ravine Monday about 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Mrs. Martin left the house about ten o'clock Monday morning, according to information at hand, and when she failed to show up at noon a search was made and her body was found out in the field in a small ravine, breathless. An inquest was held and according to Justice of the Peace, J. S. Jones, there was no evidence to show any act of violence, and in his opinion she came to her death either from an attack of heart trouble or from poison self administered.

The remains were buried in the local cemetery Tuesday, following funeral services at the Cumberland Presbyterian church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. A. M. Pleasant. Beside her husband Mrs. Martin leaves to mourn her death 1 son and three daughters.

Dr. M. E. Davis of Brownwood preached at the Baptist church Sunday in the absence of the pastor, Rev. Sidney F. Martin, who has been visiting for several days in the further western part of the state. His family is also with him on the trip. A telephone message from Brother Martin this week states that he will fill his pulpit Sunday at both hours.

Elder Leon Williams of Donna, Texas, formerly pastor of the First Christian church here, is in the city this week and it is probable that he will accept the pastorate of the church here again. Elder Williams and his family built many ties of friendship during their stay in Santa Anna, all of whom would be glad to welcome them back to make their future home.

J. E. Ford came in last Saturday from Baylor University to spend this week with his parents. He will return the latter part of this week to re-enter the University for the summer session.

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Latest News From The Court House

Marriage License Issued: Edward Martin Silva and Miss Gladys McDermott.

E. P. Cundiff and Miss Fannie Griffin. Webb Karnes and Miss Mamie Longitz.

Fred A. Klapper and Miss Amelia Lee Harding. Ernest Cates and Miss Ida Schoonover.

J. L. Alford and Miss Maybeth Drake. Lewis Barton and Miss Rosa Lee Daniel.

Johnnie Robert Ashcraft and Miss Rose Adella Stokes. H. Blanchard, and Mrs. Margie French Blanchard.

Births Reported: Born to Mr and Mrs.

O. D. Sumner, Coleman, boy. Louis Howard, Coleman, boy. B. L. Davis, Coleman, twin boys. Elmer A. Sikes, Coleman, boy. W. G. Tucker, Valera, boy.

Warranty Deeds Filed: Ralph Robertson to Dr. H. Robertson, Lots Nos. 7 and 8 of Block A, subdivision of Blocks 14, 16 and 17 of W. E. Anderson's Addition to Coleman, also Lot No. 6, of said subdivision; \$1500.00.

J. A. Stobaugh to Willis Barnes, W. 1-2 of Lot No. 3, in Block No. 17, of J. A. Stobaugh subdivision of Farm Blocks Nos. 5 and 6 of Clow's Second Addition to Coleman; \$800.00.

M. M. Stubblefield to Thos. B. Franklin, 62 1-2x125 feet of Farm Block No. 3, of Clow's Second Addition to Coleman; \$2750.00.

John Fiveash to J. O. Daniel, Lots Nos. 11 and 12 of W. E. Barlett addition to Santa Anna; \$850.00.

O. B. Carver to W. O. Garrett, Block No. 30 of King and Gilbough addition to Santa Anna; \$1000.00.

L. G. Tucker to M. L. Lanford, Lot No. 10, of Block No. 2, of the Subdivision of Block No. 15, W. E. Anderson addition to Coleman; \$900.00.

J. A. Trammell to G. M. Sewell, Lots Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, in Block No. 17, original town of Talpa; \$1000.00.

H. G. Switzer to R. L. Cope, part of Block No. 7, of Clow's second addition to Coleman; \$2000.00.

J. M. Crawford Co., to C. H. Shore et al, lots Nos. 1, 2, and 3 in Block No. 14, original town of Coleman; \$37,500.

D. A. Paddelford to L. G. Tucker, Lot No. 10, in Block No. 2, subdivision of Block No. 15, W. E. Anderson addition to Coleman; \$800.00.

H. A. Newson to R. Brooks, part of Blk. No. 29, Clow's Farm addition No. 1 to Coleman; \$500.00.

Oil and Gas Leases Frank Golsen to Barnsdall Oil Co., 32 acres of Subdivision of Isaac Harris Survey No. 164; \$10.00.

L. S. Odom to Roanxa Petroleum Corporation, 54 1-2 acres of D. A. Murdock Survey No. 735; \$699.50.

J. D. Nabours to C. C. Massey, 40 acres of a 160 acre tract of M. Martinez Survey No. 751; \$10.00.

N. B. Conley to Midwest Exploration Co., 17 1-2 acres of North 1-2 of East 1-2 of Block No. 2, Survey No. 656; \$10.00.

Leroy Stockard to Midwest Exploration Co., 44.7 acres of Holden Rhodes Survey No. 561; \$10.00.

J. B. Evans to Midwest Exploration Co., North 30 acres of a 70 acre tract of H. Cocheron Survey No. 656; \$10. J. B. Harris to Barnsdall Oil Co., 38.7 acres of Johnathan Scott survey No. 665, and 35.9 acres of Samuel

J. J. Keeling Is Now Owner of Theatre Here

J. J. Keeling has purchased the Queen Theatre from the Texas Theatre Company with headquarters at Abilene, to whom he sold the business several months ago. Friends of Mr. Keeling will rejoice to learn that he has re-purchased the business and will make several changes in the plans for the future.

SANTA ANNA PEOPLE HEAR GOVERNOR MOODY SUNDAY

Quite a number of Santa Anna people went to Coleman Sunday to hear Gov. Dan Moody speak. Among the number were Mr. and Mrs. W. Ford Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Bond, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Weaver, J. R. Pearce, Dr. Lovelady, Ed Bartlett, W. Mitchell and Scott Thomson.

Governor Moody made a splendid talk to the American Legion. He especially stressed the fact that the purpose for the organization of the American Legion was for service and protection of the American citizen and to preserve liberty and good government as well as to commemorate the patriotism of the American soldier.

Hon. Alvin Owsley was also present and made an excellent address to the Legion. There were a number of other distinguished visitors and officers of the auxiliaries and legions present. Music was furnished for the occasion by the Coleman band.

BOB HARPER DIED AT HIS HOME AT MEADE, KANSAS

S. D. Harper left Saturday for Meade, Kansas, in response to a message relating the serious condition of his brother, Bob Harper, who died, according to a later message, before Mr. Harper reached his bedside.

Deceased spent the winter here with his brothers S. D. and W. B. Harper and their families, and was accompanied home by his niece, Miss Ruby Harper, who was with him when he died. His many friends here will regret to learn of his death.

The Santa Anna News has been requested to announce that Elder Len Dalton of Hamilton will preach at the Primitive Baptist church Saturday night and Sunday. The public is invited to attend.

Miss Virginia Rogers, daughter of Mrs. G. F. Barlett, returned home last week from Kansas City, Mo., where she spent the past year in the Kansas City Art Institute.

J. P. Newman left Monday night for Rockdale, in response to a message relating the sad news of the death of a brother-in-law, Mr. McNeal.

Miss Pearl Wilbourn of Dallas is visiting her sister, Mrs. Burgess Weaver in this city.

Neely Evans Makes Good Record With Santa Anna Hatchery

At the close of the spring season, Neely Evans, manager of the Santa Anna Hatchery, in submitting his report for the season, included the following figures: Eggs set, 41,496; infertile eggs, 4,550; rotten eggs, 1,105; chickens hatched, 30,424. According to his report, Mr. Evans got an 85 per cent hatch from fertile eggs. All indebtedness has been paid off and a balance is now in the bank amounting to \$299.42. The board of directors are contemplating putting in another Ten Thousand Egg capacity incubator the coming season. Another incubator could be operated with but little added expense and for two or three months could be run at full capacity.

MRS. J. P. SPENCE DIES HERE THURSDAY NIGHT

Mrs. J. P. Spence, mother of Mrs. H. L. Voss, died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Voss Thursday night and was buried in the Salem cemetery Friday, following funeral services conducted by Rev. Wadell, pastor of the Methodist church at Bangs.

Mrs. Spence had only lived here a short time, coming here from Miles. It is our understanding she was in bad health and was staying with her daughter taking treatment from the local doctors. She leaves a husband, J. P. Spence, one son, L. T. Spence, two daughters, Mrs. H. L. Voss and Mrs. J. G. Price, and one brother, J. J. Andrews, and several grandchildren to mourn her death. The News joins in extending sympathy to the bereaved.

The True Friend and Trusted Sunday school class went on a picnic Monday with Mrs. Miriam Prickett, their teacher as escort. They hiked to the Yancy home south of town where they held a business meeting. Then they went to the meadow where they toasted waffles and marshmallows. After this they returned to the house where delicious ice cream and cake were served. About 6 o'clock they hiked back to town a tired, but happy bunch. Those enjoying the occasion were Johnnie Sue Layton, Eva Williams, Queenie Gregg, Tommie Tisdale, Velma Ward, Margaret Donham, Eva Lee-Bell, Pearl Yancy and Mrs. Prickett.

Dr. Jason Tyson and W. E. Baxter, and family attended the commencement exercises of T. C. U. at Fort Worth this week. Dr. Tyson's daughter, Miss Annetta, is one of the graduates of that college this year.

Miss Billie Ruth Moore of Coleman and Miss Vera Jeanette Ewing of Waco spent Monday here in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Ewing.

Tom Sealy Victim Of Scarlet Fever

Tom Sealy returned home from Austin last Friday night where he has been attending the State University, took sick Sunday night, and it developed later that he was suffering with scarlet fever. Dr. Sealy quarantined his home and inoculated the other members of the family at once, and it is thought that the further spread of the disease is curbed. Parties at Austin where Tom had been staying were notified at once of his being sick with the fever.

H. O. BLAIR DIES AT OVALO

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Overby were called to Ovalo last Thursday to attend the funeral Friday of the lady's father, H. O. Blair, a former citizen of Santa Anna and a good man. Mr. Blair moved from here to Brownwood about six years ago, later moving to Ovalo. His many friends here will regret to learn of his death.

NOTICE

There will be a special program put on by the members of the Senior B. Y. P. U. Sunday evening at 7:15, in which they will study the book of Estes. All members are urged to be present and those who are not members are cordially invited to attend, as it will do you, as well as us, good, to meet with us.

Lyle Pearce, president.

Wilbourn Weaver who has been attending Baylor University at Waco spent several days here last week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Weaver. He returned to Waco Monday where he will attend the summer session at the university.

W. O. Barnett of Whom was exhibiting a bunch of full grown cockle-burs here Thursday. Mr. Barnett states he fails to find any person who had ever seen such a thing as a new crop cockle-bur before in June. They generally develop in the early autumn.

Cotton Castles

"Cotton castles" are more harmful than air castles because they present the appearance of stability.

The Weaver of cotton dreams think to plant all cotton and sell high. But there are other thousands of dreamers!

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National Radio Audition
Open to Young Singers
in This Country.

America's future generation of vocal stars will be disclosed to the world this Fall as another of the wonders due to radio. Every young man or woman with the gift of song, whether from country, town or city, will have an equal chance.

A nation-wide quest for the best young singers and the opening of the door of opportunity to them has been undertaken by the Atwater Kent Foundation, an institution established for scientific and educational purposes by A. Atwater Kent, the Philadelphia radio manufacturer and sponsor of the Sunday night grand opera hour, broadcast over a network of nineteen stations.

The Foundation has announced plans for a "National Radio Audition" to find by competition the best undiscovered voices in the United States. Prizes aggregating \$17,500, with tuition for a musical education in certain cases, are offered as follows:

The two winners of first place in the National Audition—a man and a woman—will each receive a gold



A. Atwater Kent,
President of Atwater Kent Foundation,
which opens door of opportunity to
undiscovered vocalists.

decoration, \$5,000 in cash and two years' tuition in a leading conservatory.

Winners of second prizes will each receive \$2,000 in cash and one year's tuition.

Winners of third prizes will each receive \$1,000 and one year's tuition.

Winners of fourth prizes will each receive \$500.

Winners of fifth prizes will each receive \$250.

Musical, civic and women's clubs in each community in each state will be invited to hold local contests to select the best young man and best young woman singers of their towns. These winners will then be certified to a state audition, which will be broadcast by a radio station in each state. A state winner of each sex will be chosen and will receive a silver medal.

The next step is a district audition. The young men and women who have won state honors will be taken to a central broadcasting station in one of five districts, where an audition will be broadcast to select the two winners—a young man and a young woman—from that district.

The two winners in each district will receive gold medals and the ten finalists thus selected will be taken to New York for the final National Audition, to be broadcast over a national network of stations. All expenses of contestants in the district and final auditions, including railroad fare, hotel bills, entertainment, etc., will be paid by the Atwater Kent Foundation.

The spirit and purpose of the National Audition are indicated in a statement by A. Atwater Kent, president of the Foundation, who said:

"The discovery of one of those rare voices, of which each generation produces a very few, seems to me an event of profound national importance. Even when such a voice could give pleasure to only a few thousand people in a year it was a national treasure. Now that millions may enjoy it on the same evening through the medium of radio, such a voice has become priceless.

"The National Radio Audition, supported by the Atwater Kent Foundation, is an undertaking to search the entire country for beautiful voices and to offer these singers an opportunity for full development, recognition and reward."

The principal qualifications for contestants are as follows:

Must be over 25 years old; must never have been associated with a professional theatrical or operatic company; must never have been paid principal in any concert held outside their own states; must declare an intention to follow a musical career and must be freed from theatrical or musical contracts.

This limitation permits choir singers to enter the auditions, even though they may have received financial compensation for singing in churches. Other groups from which entries are anticipated are students in musical schools and locally prominent singers in high schools and colleges. Musical organizations in each state are also afforded an opportunity to participate.

Standardizing Eggs and Poultry

(By F. W. Kazmeier, Bryan, Texas)

The price of eggs in our Southwestern country is comparatively low, and the outlook is, that we may expect low prices for several months. Of course, we expect the price to start on an upward grade, however this climb will appear slow to many of us.

The law of supply and demand will always be a determining factor in price of eggs and poultry.

Floods, no doubt have caused the marketing of thousands of chickens that would otherwise have been kept off the market. This factor no doubt contributed to our below the average price on broilers and friers this spring. We may not have this factor to deal with another year.

Consumption

The more eggs people eat, the greater the consumption, the greater the demand and the higher the price of eggs. It stands to reason that the better the eggs the more they will eat, and the poorer in quality the eggs, the less people will eat hence a decreased demand and lower price. For this reason if for no other, a determined fight must be made by all concerned to improve the quality of our market eggs.

To show you that the above assertion is true, we can state the fact, that in Canada, altho the young nation, more has been done to improve and standardize eggs and poultry than in any other country. This fact cannot be denied. The Canadian egg and poultry producers have long ago appreciated the importance of quality.

Quality in Canada does not only mean external appearance of egg, but interior condition as well. That is why in Canada the per capita consumption is 28.1 dozens of eggs. This in spite of the fact that in Canada eggs the year around range all the way from 25 cents to \$1.00 per dozen. This also proves that price of eggs is only a small factor influencing consumption. Take on the other hand our Texas condition. The average farmer here, is little interested in producing quality eggs, especially with reference to interior condition. Even those that make an effort to produce graded eggs, do not place sufficient importance on interior quality. Take our U. S. standard on eggs, which is a great improvement over our old system of marketing eggs, gives actually too much value on appearance of shell and size of eggs. A small egg of good quality it seems to me will do more to increase consumption than a large egg, with a good shell of a poor interior quality. In other words not enough stress has been placed upon producing eggs of high grade interior quality.

Eggs because of the fact that they come in sealed packages permit unscrupulous people to take advantage of the consuming public. For this reason, every body that has the welfare of the poultry industry of our great Southwest at heart, must join hands with those that are making a sincere effort to preserve and improve the interior quality of market eggs.

The Egg As Laid

Is a wonderful food, next to milk probably the most valuable food for the human race. It is true that the feed fed to laying hens does affect the quality of the egg. This is an important fact and in some future article we will discuss it more in detail. In this article we will confine ourselves to helping get people interested in preserving the good qualities of the egg as it is laid.

In Canada in 1926, the average egg consumption per capita was 337 eggs per year. In the United States, during the same period, the average per capita consumption was only 204 eggs. This in spite of the fact that eggs in United States average about 33 1/3 per cent lower in price, than in Canada.

Interior Quality

There is no doubt, that the greatest factor to help increase the consumption of eggs is a high grade interior quality. When you increase consumption, you also increase the price. If Texas Poultry raisers and farmers are interested in getting more for their eggs the first thing to do is to produce a better egg. The first few days after an egg is produced are very important, in order to maintain its interior quality.

At Our Door

The cause of poor quality eggs must be placed at the doors of the farmers and poultry raisers, especially farmers. More than 90 per cent of the nation's egg supply is produced by the farmers, and only a very small percent by commercial poultrymen. For this reason, those of you, that are disappointed in the price of eggs, please remember, you have no cause to complain. The product you are producing is not worth any more.

A few things to remember in pro-

A GOOD LETTER FROM MRS. CHARLEY OAKES

The following is a letter written by Mrs. Chas. Oakes to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Harper. Mr. and Mrs. Oakes are touring the west in quest of bettering Mr. Oakes' condition; sorry to learn there is no hope for his betterment.

El Paso, Texas, May 29

Mr. and Mrs. Harper,
Santa Anna, Texas.

Very dear friends:

This is the third Sunday we've been away from home, and it seems much longer. We spent our first night on the Concho; second on the Pecos; the next at Fort Stockton where there is a spring which flows 60 million gallons water daily. The farms around are irrigated, town supplied and water is shipped out. There is also world's of water left for the many bathers. Chas. enjoyed watching them dive and swim. Next day we reached Alpine near noon. It is a beautiful town surrounded by mountains. He's grown in fifteen years since I saw it. We spent a wretched night 6 miles from Alpine. The wind almost blew down the tent and no one but the baby slept until nearly morning. We spent one night on the road and next day reached Fort Davis, which has the highest altitude of any town in Texas. We camped under the largest cottonwood trees I ever saw. They must be 100 years old. A narrow mountain stream flowed by our camp and irrigated farms about the town. We stayed here one week, but learned that the altitude is too high for Chas. We were advised to consult the best physicians on T. B. in El Paso.

So, we arrived here Friday, and are in the home of a sister whom I have not seen in seven years. Gwen Dolyn is enjoying the visit with her two cousins. The doctors, examining Chas. yesterday, and at his request to tell him the truth and to advise him as to what is best for him, they made this statement: "He will never be any better and a longer stay in the west will be of no benefit." He said if there should be any change at all it would more likely be found at home among his own loved ones and friends. Chas. said that was what he expected as he had very little hopes of ever being better before leaving home. Chas. bears this disappointment bravely, and looks forward with pleasure to a visit with another of my sisters in New Mexico. We plan to leave here in a day or two and after a visit to Artesia will turn our faces homeward.

We love Coleman county best of anything we've seen, and will be glad to be among our good neighbors and friends again.

We shall probably go home by the Plains country as Chas. and I have never seen that part of Texas. The folks have promised us a visit to Juarez across the border tomorrow as we are so near. El Paso is some city, but I don't like the dry climate at all. I like a country where rain falls several times during the year. We haven't had one word from home since we left, and are so eager to hear if all is well and if rains have fallen. I'd like to peep into my garden today, but fear it isn't doing much good unless Paul VanDalsem has hoed it some.

I hope you and Mr. Harper are quite well. You must be just as happy as possible in your late years. That is a joy Chas. and I shall never have, but we are trying to be reconciled to God's will. We can never fully understand why our lives are made so unhappy, yet feel sure it is all for the best. I shall see you soon if we have no serious troubles on return trip. Good wishes to you both.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Chas. Oakes.

President Doumergue of France was "busy" when Andrew Mellon, U. S. secretary of the treasury, called in Paris to pay his respects. That's the way we treat bill collectors over here too.

Some men are "spoiled" when they get too much attention, just as babies are "spoiled," which should remind all of us that we are just grown-up babies.

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2. Gather eggs at least 3 times a day.
3. Provide special coops for broody hens, and confine in the same promptly.
4. Market eggs once a day and at least every other day.
5. Keep in a cool temperature, as close to 50 degrees as possible.
6. Grade all eggs sold on the market.
7. Never offer for sale any eggs you are not certain as to quality or feel in the least doubtful about.
8. Market only clean eggs, produced in clean hen houses and laid in clean nests.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER ORDER OF SALE

WHEREAS, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the County Court of Coleman County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court, on the 4th day of June, 1927, upon the judgment of said Court rendered May 3, 1927, in favor of Texas Mercantile Company, a private corporation, against John R. Scott, Era Scott, H. A. Bronner, Vera Bronner, J. L. Youngberg, Lillia Youngberg, D. M. Hughes, Vertie Hughes and T. J. Harrod, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 4th day of June, 1927, at 10 o'clock A. M. levy upon and seize the property of said Defendants, the following described property as described in said order of sale to-wit:

Lot 18 in Block No. 44, Town of Santa Anna, Coleman County, Texas; according to the map of said town of record in Vol. F, pages 176, 177, Deed Records Coleman County, Texas.

Therefore, by virtue of the authority aforesaid, I will on the first Tuesday in July, 1927, same being the 5th day of said month, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M. at the Court House door in Coleman County, Texas, offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash the above described property, together with all the right, title and interest of said Defendants in and to the same, and will apply the proceeds of said sale as provided in said judgment and order of sale.

WITNESS MY HAND this 4th day of June, 1927.
W. R. HAMILTON, Sheriff, Coleman County, Texas. 24-87c

KNOW TEXAS

In the East Texas timber belt there is annual production of about 1,500,000,000 board feet of lumber.

There are about 17,000,000 board feet of lumber standing in the soft wood forests of East Texas and about half that much hardwood.

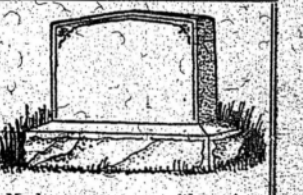
The north end of the East Texas timber belt is well settled. In the southern end of this belt the forests are still heavy and not so many farms are found.

East Texas is adapted to diversified farming and fruit and truck growing, which industry is increasing. Rapid growth of Texas cities creating a market has done much to promote truck growing in East Texas.

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WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

Miles—An up-to-date, 15-room hotel is under erection here. The building is a two-story structure, located in the heart of the town, and is under management of Joe Thelle.

Breckenridge—A conference of oil men in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce territory has been called to meet here at 6 p. m., June 13, for the purpose of more fully co-ordinating efforts, and for taking some definite action on the recommendation for creation of an Oil and Gas Bureau of the West Texas Chamber. Members of the Texas Railroad Commission, the president of the Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association and many other prominent professional leaders will attend the conference. The proposed Oil and Gas Bureau of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce would have for its purpose, "the exploitation, conservation, protection, and development of the Oil and Gas Industry of the West." The advisability of such a bureau will be discussed and decided upon at the Breckenridge meet.

Pyote—Organization of an active chamber of commerce was effected here recently at a mass meeting of the Pyote citizenship. Men from every phase of the commercial and civic life enlisted in membership of the body. Among officers elected were the following: Paul S. Cotner, president; A. J. Sitton, vice-president; and J. J. Ross, secretary-manager.

Cisco—Notable and prominent leaders of West Texas and the state will be in attendance at the Board of Directors meeting of the West Texas C. of C. to be held here June 13. This gathering will mark the first official executive session to be held by the board appointed at the ninth annual convention. Momentous action is expected to characterize the meeting at which a comprehensive program for the year will be outlined.

Dalhart—Cream receipts for the Kaufman Creamery Company, which has been located in Dalhart for the past two years, totaled \$5300.60 for the month of May up to noon on May 27. This amount is more than twice the business of May 1926. More than 450 farmers are patrons of the creamery. The establishment has promoted introduction of several carloads of dairy cattle.

Sweetwater—Sweetwater will be the assembling point for the dis-

tinguished personnel which will make up the motorcade party sponsored by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to the Davis Mountain section of West Texas and to the scenic wonderland of Eastern New Mexico. Cars will gather here July 2, and will proceed with Alpine, Texas and Cloudfcroft, New Mexico, as objective points at which places district West Texas Chamber of Commerce conventions are scheduled. Short stops are to be made at towns enroute, and three days will be spent in side trips to points in the Davis Mountains. One or two days will be spent in El Paso. An exploring party through the famed Carlsbad Caverns will climax and close the trip.

Slaton—Construction is in progress on between fifteen and twenty blocks of street paving in the residence section of the city. When completed, there will be 40 blocks of pavement in Slaton. It is all of brick laid on a concrete base.

McCamey—An emergency fire works system is under completion here, giving McCamey fire protection, which it has needed since the town was first built. Actual proceedings have been started toward building a road to the Yates Oil Field, thereby giving McCamey additional 25 miles of trade territory and giving the town connection with the greatest shallow oil field in the world. Erection of \$200,000 worth of new schools is also under way. All these projects are being sponsored by the chamber of commerce which recently reorganized with the following new officers: Tryon Lewis, W. H. Chiles, J. W. Schooler, G. L. Hildebrand, E. L. Cole. Cole is secretary-manager of the commercial body.

Missionary Study Class

Mrs. A. C. Watson was hostess of the Mission Study class on Monday afternoon. The subject of the lesson was Leadership. The lesson was ably discussed in its many phases by Mesdames A. L. Oder, J. R. Gipson, W. R. Kelley, G. W. Faulkner and others. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Frank Turner. Those present were Mesdames J. R. Gipson, Frank Turner, Clifford Verner, W. T. Verner, A. C. Watson, A. L. Oder, Anna Prickett, G. W. Faulkner, W. R. Kelley, Seba Kirkpatrick and S. L. Weaver. Mrs. A. L. Oder will lead the next month and the subject will be the "Rural Church and the Nation."

The Newspaper's Worth

The editor of a Kansas newspaper called the Clipper at Ashland, recently said in his newspaper: "Did you ever stop to think that the Clipper is the only newspaper in the whole wide world that cares a darn about Ashland?"

The answer is that very few ever did stop to give any thought to that question. It might be applied to any community in the United States. Only a very limited number of people give the home newspaper credit for the interest that it shows in the community where it is published.

Better to emphasize the point; try to imagine what the average community would be without a newspaper. Who would take a stand for community betterment, for public improvements, for public decency, for the development of business, for law enforcement, for rural and city cooperation—in fact, for every enterprise for the good of all the people?

There is no other agency to take the place of the home newspaper. Certainly the grocer, the clothier, the dry goods dealer or any other retail merchant can not do it. None of these is equipped for the task and might not be disposed to take the stand that the home newspaper does, if they were.

The question asked by the Kansas editor might set some to thinking. It's a foregone conclusion that the newspaper in the neighboring community is not doing anything for any community except its own. So the home newspaper is the only institution that has the best interests of the community uppermost, morning, noon, and night. The home newspaper is the mouthpiece through which the community makes its bid for a place among the stars, and it is the one and only agency that is always alert to protect the community and its business interests against the frauds and the humbugs that prey on the small cities and towns.

It's well to think on these things now and then—and remember that the home newspaper every day is performing some unselfish service for the good of the community.

Debts take interest, but they are not even an interesting experience.

Too many of us are willing to make our mark in the world by marking time.

A Difficult Position

If all the things that have been written about the private life of Captain Lindbergh are true, he is little short of being an ideal young man—at least as near the ideal as any mortal can be.

In the first place, we are told that he neither smokes nor drinks, which is decidedly to his credit. He is at once industrious and energetic. He surely is likewise a studious young man, although there is no record of him having won any academic degrees for scholastic feats.

The attributes of industry, energy and application of his mental powers to the task at hand were essential for Lindbergh's triumph was one of skill as well as endurance.

The young Missouri national guard officer comes from good stock. His father was born in Sweden and early in life located in the great northwest where many people of his race migrated. He attended the University of Michigan and represented his district in congress ten years. The boy's mother is a graduate of the University of Michigan and is now teaching in a Detroit high school.

This young man, who was suddenly thrust onto the world's stage, may become its plaything, or he may possess enough moral fibre to emerge from the crucial stage of his career without being tainted. The test he faces now is more severe than the one he successfully passed when he flew over the Atlantic.

Every American is pulling for him and hoping that he will come through without "losing his head." If Lindbergh has the poise and the good sense to accept the flattery of the diplomats and the crowned heads of Europe, to hear the cheers of the common people, to turn down the contracts that would make him a cheap barn-stormer, he will show himself to be a most extraordinary young man.

It is rather an uncommon thing for a plain American youth to become, as if by a magic that rivals the fairytale, the most talked-of person in the world. It is a most difficult position Lindbergh finds himself in, and he has an opportunity to become even a greater hero by holding straight to the line—by exhibiting the same traits of character that enabled him to do the thing experienced aviators said couldn't be done.

WALKING

Because so many more people ride than did before the automobile came into general use, people are frequently reminded that they do not walk enough. They are told that due to the increasing number of automobiles and other forms of rapid transportation, the use of legs has been lessened to such an extent that there appears to be some danger of forgetting their function in the process of locomotion.

Walking has numerous valuable functions, including exercise, diversion and assistance in health maintenance, according to Dr. Hugh S. Cumming, surgeon general of the United States. Walking develops muscles, removes excess weight, improves digestion, stimulates circulation and increases lung capacity.

These are some of the advantages of walking that are advanced by its advocates, but we should not lose sight of the fact that walking is not a panacea for all ills to which man is heir.

Walking has its disadvantages, which may account for its seeming unpopularity. While it promises bodily development and improves health

and may be properly classed as recreation, it is not strenuous and there is not the chance for exciting that other sports offer.

A man or woman may walk over a golf course most of the day, but without the stimulus of the game, would not walk a step; in fact, would use a motor car to go a block.

The vast majority of people treat everyone better than themselves. Appraise them of this fact and they will freely admit it. They gamble with health—which means happiness—relying on their "good luck" on escaping the ills befalling those who refuse to heed the warning signs before it is too late.

Walking has advantages aside from the health standpoint. It takes people from the crowd; it offers opportunity for thinking; it is stimulating and makes the mind more alert and the eye more observant, so that the beauties of nature may better be appreciated, especially at this time of year.

Vacant lots attract rubbish, and so do vacant minds.

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GOOD ROADS AND THE SMALL TOWN

You have heard it said that the day of the small town is doomed on account of good roads and automobiles. This is a false statement. The small town has greater opportunities today than ever before. It is up to the business interests of such towns to solve and put over these problems. If such a town is filled up with a bunch of indolent merchants who do not care whether folks trade with them or not, then such a town is headed for the rocks. The local merchant has a great opportunity before him in the expansion of his trade. There are numerous methods that he can apply to his business that means an increase in sales. It is up to him to do the work. He cannot sit down and expect folks to flock to his place of business because his name is so and so and because he is a citizen of the town, and has been in business a number of years. He must not only have his own interests at heart but must have the town and community in which he resides. He must be for and take an active part in any movement that means for the betterment of same. Trade this day and time is going where it is invited. Competition in all lines of business is too keen for the lazy merchant to sit by and expect folks to run over him with their business. They just won't do it any more. Go after business if you expect it to come this way. Offer inducements.—Ladonia News.

Splitting Legal Hairs

The American Association for the advancement of Atheism is fighting thru the courts to have all chaplain appointments discontinued in the army on the ground that the Constitution provides that no religious test shall ever be required as a qualification for public office.

But the A. A. A. will not win. The "religious test" clause merely provides against possible demonical or sectarian discrimination, and was never intended to prohibit the employment of men and women whose services would include the giving of spiritual counsel. And while it can not be said that the United States is a Christian nation from a legal standpoint, it is such a nation from a practical and historic standpoint; and unreservedly it is a nation whose citizens mainly adhere to religion of some kind. It certainly is not an atheist nation such as would give common consent to the claims of the atheist's doctrine.

The atheists are not so much worried over a violation of the Constitution as they are over their attempts to pry loose religion from its foundation and overturn spiritual ideals. In this they seek to use a technical army regulation as a handle.

It takes all kind of people to make a world, including those who see no good in anything proposed for the improvement of the community.

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W. C. FIELDS. It's a comedy drama—you don't want to miss it.

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Thursday & Friday 16 & 17

TIN HATS

Nagel Windsor War Comedy. COMEDY in connection. Admission 10 and 25c

Saturday 18

THIRTY BELOW ZERO

Featuring Buck Jones. COMEDY in connection. Admission 10 and 25c

TEXAS AND TEXANS

(By Will H. Mayes)

Matagorda County Roads
Matagorda County citizens have voted a \$3,000,000 bond issue with which to build a system of good roads. The sentiment in favor of the bonds and the roads was overwhelming. This means that Matagorda citizens are overwhelmingly progressive, and that they are going to draw immense crowds of people to that section of the coast country. Closely following the bond vote, comes the announcement that a \$700,000 hotel is to be built at Bayside Beach, the new Matagorda Bay resort, by Chicago capitalists who are developing the resort. Also that the resort town is to have a modern electric and ice and storage plant with a roof garden on top of the building. Twenty-four frame cottages are already under construction there to care for the visitors. The people who help themselves are the people who attract capital and enterprise.

Texas Railroad Building

Ten years ago many people were heard to say that railroad building in Texas was about over. They have another guess coming now. It begins to look like there will be more railway construction in the State in the next ten years than in any period in its history. Roads now operating are extending their lines into undeveloped territory. This is especially true in the Rio Grande Valley and the Panhandle. The Texas roads are making money, having cleared more than \$3,000,000 dollars more the first three months of this year than in a similar period last year. Cities, towns and communities with a progressive spirit, whether on lines of new railroad construction or not, are going to profit by all this expenditure of capital building.

Places That Are Growing

I am fairly well acquainted with almost every town in Texas, and find that the towns that have a uniformly good business and that are making any growth worth considering are the towns whose newspapers show active, persistent advertising on the part of the local merchants. Good roads make it so easy to get from one town to another that unless merchants attractively advertise their goods in the local papers the people get in their cars and go to those places that do advertise them. Newspapers from the large cities and towns can now be circulated freely in the smaller places. These carry the messages of the big place merchants attractively displayed, day in and day out, right to the doors of the smaller cities and towns. Unless this competition is met thru local advertising, the business that should be kept at home is largely going to those cities and those stores that seek it through constant advertising. Trade is being centralized in those places that advertise most for it. The only way to meet this is through the methods used by the growing cities—through advertising.

All-Texas Special

Gov. Dan Moody has announced that he will be in the party that will make the "All-Texas Special" good-will tour to the North and East, leaving Texas, June 19. This tour is not to be a spectacular outing, but a trip by Texas business men and capitalists who are hoping to place Texas in the right light in those cities they will visit. It is sponsored by the Texas Daily Press League, an organization composed of newspapers in the small cities of the State. Moody's presence with the party in the fifteen prominent cities to be visited will add prestige to the trip, for Moody has become a well-known national figure. Texas only needs to be rightly presented to the Nation to attract attention to its resources.

Texas Made Cedar Chests

Not long ago I saw in a large furniture store a nice window display of beautiful cedar chests. I asked the furniture dealer where they came from and he gave me the name of a well-known furniture manufacturing city up North. I asked him whether such cedar chests were being made in Texas, and he answered that he did not know, but saw no reason why they should not be, and that he would prefer to handle the Texas made goods if he could get them as nicely made and at as good price. With all the cedar that Texas has, much of it going to waste, it is surprising that a cedar chest from the North is ever sold in the State. A great deal of capital is not needed to start and operate a cedar chest factory.

The Fields Are Calling

There is no good reason why any one should be idle in Texas now. Five thousand berry pickers are needed around Lindale, in Smith county, to save the berry crop. Tomato gatherers and packers are wanted wherever the tomato crop is ripening. Cotton is opening in the Rio Grande Valley. Cantaloupes and watermelons are

ready to be gathered and shipped. The cotton fields, the corn fields and the grain fields are sending out distress signals. Everywhere there is an appeal for labor and the laborers are receiving good wages. The idler in Texas who will not work now, does not want to work, but should be told in an official way that he must labor willingly, or else, work under compulsion on the public roads.

Some High School Building

A few years ago a town of six or eight thousand people that had a high school building that cost \$100,000 had a place that was proudly exhibited to all visitors as a special indication of town enterprise and pride. Big Spring, having landed its hotel enterprise, now announces that it will soon undertake to build a \$250,000 high school building. With the new hotel and such a school building, Big Spring will make visitors from neighboring places "sit up and take notice."

Canning Plants

Wherever vegetables and fruits are grown for market there should be a canning plant to handle that part of the crop that does not find a ready market. Many places in Texas are avoiding waste by having such plants. McAllen has been canning about 3,000 cans of tomatoes a week and is prepared to put up 5,000 cans of produce a day if it becomes necessary. Kosse is packing surplus beans, cabbage, pork, spinach, blackberries and other things. These canneries not only save waste, but they give employment to people who cannot well work in the fields.

Huntsville Road Building

A road to cost \$350,000 is to be built from Huntsville to the Montgomery county line. Walker county used to be noted for its poor, sandy roads, but it is showing the right spirit of enterprise in getting away from these things. The result is that Huntsville is taking on new life. Some Huntsville people can not see things that way, but when Huntsville gets rid of its penitentiary, the old town is going to take on a new growth.

Newspaper Men Will Date Back One Hundred Years

El Paso, Texas, June 6.—Texas newspaper men will turn the clock back 100 years when they go to El Paso in June for the annual convention of the Texas Press Association. Not in El Paso, for this trans-Pecos city of the plains is as bustling, lively and progressive as is Dallas, Houston or the other cities of Texas. But in Juarez, Old Mexico, where the convention will be held at the same time it is in progress in El Paso.

This does not mean that the unofficial sessions will be held in the cafes and bars of the old frontier Mexican town, although these as well as the ancient, adobe federal jail will have Spanish "welcome" signs over their doors. The Mexican part of the program is to be official as all things are in Mexico. General Roman Lopez, commander of the Juarez garrison, will receive the delegates at his headquarters, assisted by the staff of the Juarez brigade, Mayor Antonio Corona will hold a formal reception at the Presidencia and will give the Texas newspaper men the key to the city. He will also deliver an address of welcome and will speak in Spanish at the big barbecue, which is to be a feature of the convention in the historic Tivoli Gardens in Juarez.

The Juarez sights, quaint customs and ancient scenes will not be the only touch of Spain the delegates will see when they come to El Paso. The official headquarters of the convention will be the Hotel Orndorff; worthy successor to the famous, old Hotel Orndorff of frontier cattle and mining days.

This new Spanish hotel on the Plaza of El Paso will be turned over to the newspaper men during the convention by Managing Director, R. Burt Orndorff. From the time they alight from their taxicabs at the Puerto del Sol, which is the main entrance to the hotel, the visitors will think they are in old Spain. Spanish tiled arcades, a grand stairway leading to the beamed and frescoed Spanish Lobby, the Spanish Room, the Spanish Sala, or Lounge, the Tea Room, Espanola and the Crystal Ball Room all resemble a castle of old Spain on the Plaza of El Paso.

Spanish señoritas will usher the delegates to their places in the dining room, bellboys in Spanish costumes will greet them and little señoritas in typical costumes will take them to their respective floors in the elevators. The waitresses will be dressed in native costumes, the entertainers will be native Mexicans in typical costumes and everything will be in the Spanish Renaissance theme of the hotel.

The official slogan for Texas Press Week in El Paso will be "bienvenido," which means "welcome" and a little bit more in Spanish. And this sign

will be over the door of the new Orndorff.

The News editor has all arrangements made to enjoy the convention. Through the courtesy of Hon. Geo. D. Hunter, General Passenger Agent of the Texas & Pacific Railroad system, we have been able to exchange advertising space for transportation and the trimmings will not be so much that we cannot ride the two local banks for money until we can make it back, so on Tuesday of next week we leave for the western city to spend the remainder of the week. Our address during the week will be in care of the Orndorff Hotel, El Paso, Texas, but our whereabouts most of the time will be across the Rio Grande River, in what is known as Juarez, Old Mexico. We may live to tell you something about the trip after returning, but we will have no time to write letters, send post cards or receive telegrams while gone.

Malaria and Mosquito Control Month

The Humanity of the Golden Rule

The human element will always be present. The radio and phonograph bring music to millions of people, but there must be musicians to produce at the central place. What was common labor a few years ago is now the process made possible by the machine. But there must be human power and thought to make the machines. There is no substitute for brain-power.

But these illustrations are in the physical field. They hardly scratch

the surface of the greater element of human aspiration. For no machine can make a home, tho it can make a house. There is no button to press to get human sympathy. Love is not produced from cog wheels. Kindness does not emanate from a vacuum tank. Friendship is not held fast by brake linings. We often miss the main point in life by thinking that happiness is based on physical comfort, when in truth physical comfort is but an incident of happiness.

True happiness comes from within; from the satisfaction, among other things, of having obeyed the Golden Rule. For surrounded by the luxuries of kings, or amid the beauties of mountain, desert or sea, among the crowd or on solitary plain, if one has not the feeling that he has done unto others as he would have others do unto him there can be no real happiness. It is not science or invention, but humanity that holds the world together. It is not the easy bed, but the easy conscience that makes a man happy. And it is our belief that people need to recognize this principle if they expect to give to the world what they owe it, and receive from the world what they believe they have coming.

KNOW TEXAS

Every section of Texas is potential in the production of petroleum and natural gas.

Texas produces larger peach crops than any other state except California

and Georgia.

The sweet potato crop of Texas averages about 6,500,000 bushels a year.

The 1926 wheat crop of Texas was the largest in the history of the state. Texas flour mills produce products valued at more than \$40,000,000 a year.

Texas has great deposits of gypsum which is used as building material and as fertilizer.

Session Closes at State University

Austin, Texas, June 7.—Commencement exercises at the University of Texas were concluded Monday evening, June 6, with the awarding of degrees by President W. M. W. Splawn. Senator Morris Sheppard of Texarkana delivered the annual commencement address Monday evening.

Saturday was Alumni Day at the University with quinquennial reunions of the classes of 1887, 1892, 1897, 1902, 1907, 1912, 1917, and 1922. At the annual meeting of the Ex-Students' Association Tom Connolly of Marlin addressed the members.

Sunday evening the Rev. H. O. Pritchard, general secretary of the board of education of the Disciples of Christ, preached the baccalaureate sermon.

If a man is unable to make an ass of himself in any other way, depend on him to do it with a few drinks of prohibition liquor.



P. T. BARNUM Was Mistaken

That Is if He Said What Is Credited to Him

We believe the biggest mistake that was ever given the label of truth is that people like to be humbugged. If you don't believe it, just try a shady trick on some red-blooded person and let him find it out.

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HOW JIM MADE GOOD
(From Farm and Ranch)

Listen, boys!

Here is a story of a poor boy. He grew up on an East Texas farm in Wood county. It was a good many years ago, and the poorest school in your county is probably better than those were in this boy's community. We will call him Jim, because that was his everyday name. Well, Jim had a great hankering for knowledge, and the few and simple textbooks of the times were mastered. In such homes as his there were few other books than the Bible, and newspapers were likewise scarce. Because it occurred to him that a newspaper office offered some kind of a mysterious contact with the great world of knowledge, Jim quit working as a farm hand and became a printer's devil.

The average farm home of today has more books, more and better newspapers, and in every way more facilities for acquiring knowledge than the most prosperous of those days. Were Jim a boy again today, he would be able to have a large library of free books and several high class papers and magazines for the price of a week's work. It was not so then, and to the ambitious and knowledge-hungry Jim, the great stock of exchanges in the little country newspaper office must have seemed a treasure greater than Lafitte's.

So Jim learned to be a printer, that he might be in reach of reading matter. He borrowed books when he could, and eventually decided to be a lawyer. He became the owner of the little country print shop, and continued to study. Law books were also scarce, and few lawyers had great stacks of sheep-bound volumes such as you see now in nearly every lawyer's office. Attending court at Quitman, where Jim had his home, a great lawyer from another county became interested in the young man's ambitions, and told him that he would lend him books if he would come after them. The great lawyer's home was at Rusk. Look up Rusk and Quitman on the map and you will find that Jim had 65 or 70 miles to go to get those books. That would be a small matter in these days of automobiles, maybe three hours, but Jim didn't even have a horse.

Well, Jim had enough money to buy a railroad ticket to Rusk, so he went for the books. A few days later one of the few travelers who in those days

passed over the roads, overtook Jim, the books slung over his shoulder in a gunnysack. Not having the money to ride back on the train, he was walking and lugging the coveted books on his back. How long do you think it would take you to walk from Rusk to Quitman with a gunnysack full of books over your shoulder? Jim must have wanted those books mighty bad, you think. Well, he did, for he was determined to fit himself for the big jobs of life in his chosen field.

No, this is not a fairy story. Jim was a real boy, and because he had a vision and a determination to make the most of his talents, he became a real man; so real that the people of Texas eventually called him to the biggest job they had. They tried him out as a justice of the peace in his home town, and before came two men quarreling over whether a certain ditch, had been dug according to contract. Jim adjourned court and measured the ditch, which settled the argument. They can still show you the ditch at Quitman. They then tried him out as a district attorney, and his ability and honesty in enforcing the law won him friends over a wide range. And then Texas put him in the governor's chair.

His full name was James Stephen Hogg.

Good Neighbors

A woman in the tenement district of Paris has started a "Good Neighbors" club. She wants to restore old-fashioned neighborliness and friendship among people living door to door. She wants to be able to borrow a spoonful of coffee for the breakfast cup and a teacupful of sugar for supper and have both parties to the transaction feel right about it.

More power to her! All of us feel that the old-time neighbor is fast becoming extinct. As an institution he is losing ground. Communities are getting too much like hotels, especially those in the large cities. The people don't know, and don't care to know who the fellow is that lives next door. We are thankful that this condition is not so pronounced in Santa Anna. But if this neighborhood spirit ever finally vanishes, there's no telling what's to become of us or our nation.

Heroes are born, not made, it is said, but when a man walks the floor all night with his young hopeful, he is inclined to doubt it.

W. R. HENDERSON BURIED HERE TUESDAY AFTERNOON

The remains of W. R. Henderson, 71, were brought to town Tuesday afternoon and buried in the local cemetery, following funeral services conducted at the First Baptist church by Dr. M. E. Davis of Brownwood. The following paper was read at the funeral, which gives a very interesting sketch of the life of Mr. Henderson:

"Born near Meridian, Miss., Jan. 2, 1856. His father who was a soldier in the Confederate Army, moved to Texas in pioneer days directly following the Civil War. When eight years old he settled in Hill county, afterward moving to McClennan county, where he resided all of his life except nine years spent in and near Santa Anna. At the age of 30, he was married to Margaret Legg of Vaughan, Texas, to which union two children were born, one of whom, Roxie Henderson, still survives, the other, Lucy Angeline, dying in infancy. Death severed the marriage tie at the end of 3 years. At the age of 39 he was married to Emma Irene Taylor of Vaughan, Texas, to whom were born three children: Robert, Eugene and Vergil (Mrs. Ernest England), Robert dying at the age of three years. Death again entered Mr. Henderson's home, robbing him of his companion. In 1905 he was married to Mattie Grant of Vaughan, Texas. He is survived by 5 brothers and 1 sister: Joe Henderson, Hillsboro; Ellis Henderson, Floydada; Bob Henderson, West; Jule Henderson, Jonesboro, Ark.; Marvin Henderson, El Paso; Mrs. Ben Gough, Denton. Grandchildren: Katherine Henderson, Gransville; and Ernestine England. He was a member of the First Baptist church in Santa Anna.

Mr. Henderson was a good man and a good citizen. He died at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest England. The News joins in extending sympathy to the bereaved.

NOTICE

Santa Anna, Texas, June 8, 1927.

To the Public:

You may not be able to be present in person at the national reception to Capt. Charles A. Lindbergh at Washington, but for 10 cents you can help make his welcome home the most impressive national reception ever tendered anyone by sending by air mail a personal expression of appreciation of his great exploit that has so redounded to the credit and glory of American aviation.

All mail should be addressed:

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and should carry the air mail postage, 10 cents per half ounce, and the envelope marked "Via air mail only". These letters may be deposited in any postoffice box.

R. L. Mobley, Postmaster.

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Subject: Children and missions.
Leader—Mrs. L. W. Hunter.
The little child—Mrs. Lee Lamb.
In the beginning God—Mrs. Ed Jones.
From cord to cable—Mrs. B. Aldridge.
The coming of W. M. U. children—Mrs. J. E. Watkins.
How to go about it—Mrs. Jim Newman.
Tools—Mrs. Ross Kelley.
Pull up the blinds—Mrs. George England.

CARD OF THANKS

For each act of kindness, each word of sympathy spoken, each token of love shown us during the illness and death of our wife, mother and sister, we wish to express our sincere thanks. We are indeed grateful.

J. P. Spence
L. T. Spence
Mrs. J. G. Price
Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Vess
J. J. Andrews

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank our neighbors and friends for the many acts of kindness and words of sympathy shown us in the hour of sadness in the death of our wife and mother. We also want to thank you for the beautiful flowers. May God bless each and every one of you in our prayer.

Ross Martin
Mrs. J. S. Martin
and her children

Charley Lindbergh overlooked a good bet when he didn't learn to smoke for now he can't sign any cigarette testimonials at so much per sign.

Good rains fell over a portion of the county this week. In the immediate vicinity of Santa Anna several nice showers have benefitted the crops greatly.



NEED GLASSES

Dr. Jones, the Eye Man, will be at Mrs. Comer Blue's Jeweler every Tuesday. Eyes examined, glasses fitted, headache and eye strain relieved.

FARM & RANCH LOANS

Let the Bangs N. F. L. A. build that house that you have long waited for. 5 per cent, 5 to 35 years.

F. E. Strange, Bangs, Texas

CAR greasing, gas, oil and tires—East Side Service Station. 41-tf

THIS is the season you should disinfect your premises, especially your poultry yard and barn yard. Use the Cenol line for better results.—Phillips Drug Store. 24-2tc

FOR LEASE—For term of years, 600 acres of land, 6 miles northeast of Santa Anna, known as the Winn place.—Upton Henderson. 52-tfc

Plymouth Rock Eggs

Guaranteed eggs \$1.00 per setting of 15.—J. J. Gregg, Santa Anna, Tex.

FOR SALE—Some good mules and horses, good horse teams, all kinds of farming implements, planters, cultivators, sweeps, etc., cash or credit.—State National Bank, Santa Anna, Texas. 9-tfc

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CAR washing and greasing at Mathews Motor Company. Price for washing \$1.00 and \$1.25. 17-tfc

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WE invite your attention to the display of Cenol products in our window. Rat killer, fly and mosquito destroyer, fumigators, lice and other insect destroyers and exterminators and sprays.—Phillips Drug Store.

TYPEWRITERS sold, bought, exchanged and repaired; all work guaranteed; agent for Underwood and Royal, rebuilt, sold on easy terms; also Remington and Royal Portables. A full line of Ribbons and Carbon paper.—West Texas Typewriter Exchange, S. Sackett, manager, Pool Bldg., Coleman, Texas. 22-4tc

CAR greasing, gas, oil and tires—East Side Service Station. 41-tf

WANT a milch cow for her feed and attention.—Mrs. W. A. Standly. 23

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Studebaker Special Six touring car in good running order; has five good castings. Will sell on easy terms or will trade.—W. C. Ford & Co. 14-tfc

Furnished room for rent.—C. E. Welch. 19-tfc

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HATCHING Eggs from our flock of M. Johnson Imperial strain, \$2.00 per setting of 15, \$3.50 for 30.—Fred Watkins. 8-tfc

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NOTICE—I have some good horses and mules of most any kind. Will sell them cash or on time. Am going out of business, and will sell them reasonable.—T. M. Hays. 21-tfc

I have two nice houses and lots for sale. Also one business lot priced to sell.—L. W. Hunter. 20-tfc

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LOST—A bracelet at corner of State National Bank. Finder please return to Rachel Cooper, 1516 Concho, Coleman, Texas. Reward. 1tp

FOR SALE—Poland China male pigs, subject to register, bred sows and good milch cows.—W. R. Gardner. 2

FOR SALE—65 acres growing crop, good teams, two row implements, milch cow, chickens, and possession, 6 miles north of Santa Anna.—R. Boardman, Santa Anna, Tex. 24-2p

TWO Jersey Heifers, fresh, for sale.—H. J. Parker. 24-4tc

Baptist Church Notes

Sunday school will begin at 9:45 sharp. We are anxious for all the people to be in Sunday school Sunday. Come and bring the family. If you haven't a family bring some one else. It will do you good to come and study God's word. We had in Sunday school last Sunday 254 and our goal for next Sunday is 350. Visitors are especially invited to come and study God's word with us. We have a place for you.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Sunbeams at same hour.

The B. Y. P. U.'s will meet at 7:15. All are urged to attend, especially the older people are urged to attend these meetings and encourage our young people in this great work for God.

An enlargement campaign will be conducted with the church beginning Sunday at which time all Sunday school workers are urged to assist us in this campaign. We will take the religious census tabulating the results and will enter into a week of intensive training with the officers, teachers and Sunday school workers.

And will be good for all Sunday school and church workers. Come and help us to make this a great week for the Sunday school.

Evening services at 8 o'clock. Good music. All are urged to attend all the services Sunday.

Sidney F. Martin, pastor.

Methodist Church Services

"How to Live the Christian Life" will be the pastor's theme at the 11 o'clock hour. Evangelistic service at the evening hour. A good live Epworth League service at 7:30. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

Seba Kirkpatrick, pastor.

Extracts From Ordinance No. 71 Relative to Driving and Parking Automobiles in Santa Anna

This is to serve notice to the public that the laws relative to driving and parking automobiles and other vehicles are being figured and, in the future all violators are going to have to give an account for same.

It is unlawful to park an automobile or other vehicle on any street or avenue in Santa Anna, except against the curb and at an angle of 45 degrees.

It is unlawful to leave an automobile or other vehicle on any street or avenue in the city limits of Santa Anna for a longer period than three minutes with the motor running.

It is unlawful to turn any corner without driving around the turning point at sections, staying within the clear in event of approaching automobiles or other vehicles.

It is unlawful to park into the curb on any left-hand turn, either at corners or otherwise.

It is unlawful to drive in the business district of the City of Santa Anna, at a faster rate than fifteen miles per hour, and slower if in a crowded place where danger is prevalent.

The public is hereby notified that, in the future the City Marshal will be required to arrest any and all violators of traffic laws in Santa Anna, and bring them before the Mayor for such fines and other punishments as the law may direct.

W. E. RAXTER, Mayor
J. M. MARTIN. 24-2c

The man who believes in himself as a rule believes in his home town also.

Who remembers the day when you could set out a few trees and some flowers without a blue print?

SICKLY, PEEVISH CHILDREN

Children suffering from intestinal worms are cross, restless and unhealthy. There are other symptoms, however. If the child is pale, has dark rings under the eyes, bad breath and takes no interest in play, it is almost a certainty that worms are eating away its vitality. The sure remedy for worms is White's Cream Vermifuge. It is positive destruction to the worms but harmless to the child. Price 35c. Sold by

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To My Friends and Patrons

I have bought the QUEEN THEATRE back. I have been managing this theatre for the Texas Theatre Company for eight months, but could not run it like I can since buying it back. I have been running the theatre in this town 7 years and think I know what the public wants, and it will finally adjust itself back to where we will be proud of the show and pictures we run. I want you all to know you are welcome here, and we appreciate your presence at the Theatre as much as any business firm appreciates your trade.

Patronize the show and let's make the show business a success here again. You will be treated with courtesy and we will do our best to please you all.

J. J. Keeling
Owner and Manager

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Sunday School Lesson

(By REV. F. B. FITZWATER, D.D., Dean, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)
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Lesson for June 12

PETER DELIVERED FROM PRISON

LESSON TEXT—Acts 12:1-17.
GOLDEN TEXT—Many are the afflictions of the righteous; but the Lord delivereth him out of them all.—Ps. 34:19.
PRIMARY TOPIC—God Takes Care of Peter.
JUNIOR TOPIC—God Answers Prayer for Peter.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—How Does God Deliver Us?
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Power of United Prayer.

I. Peter's Imprisonment (vv. 1-4).
1. By whom (v. 1).
Herod, the grandson of the wicked Herod who slew the innocent children of Bethlehem.
2. The reason (v. 3).
It was to gain the favor of the Jews. Herod was not a Jew, but an Edomite, therefore knew that his success was dependent upon his having the good will of the Jews. Herod for the sake of popularity manifested a deep sympathy for degenerate Judaism. It was but the sympathy of the politician. Since the church had developed so as to be a successful rival of Judaism, indeed was already displacing it, he saw an opportunity to curry favor with the Jews by putting forth his hands against it.

II. The Church of God in Prayer (v. 5).
The church was at a crisis. Her situation was most grave. James, one of the brethren of the church, was dead, and Peter, the most prominent of all, was in prison. In this desperate strait they did the wise thing—they betook themselves to prayer. It was a noteworthy prayer.
1. It was unto God, not unto men, or to be heard of men. This is a very common fault today. All true prayer is unto God.
2. It was united prayer.
There is peculiar power in the united prayer of God's people.
3. It was an intensely earnest prayer.
It was more than unceasing prayer; it was the earnest desire of the soul as it stretched itself out toward God.
4. It was definite prayer.
They specifically offered prayer to God for Peter. Their prayer was concentrated, definite and specific.

III. Peter Delivered by an Angel (v. 6-11).
1. Peter sleeping (v. 6).
This shows that he was not greatly disturbed over the matter. The Lord keeps in perfect peace those whose minds are stayed on Him. (Isa. 26:3).
2. Peter leaves the prison (v. 7-10).
A heavenly light shone in the prison. The angel smote Peter on the side; the chains fell off. Peter put on his clothes and passed by one guard after another through the iron gate out into the city.
3. The effect upon Peter (v. 11).
Although the matter was so wonderful to Peter, even outside his consciousness, when he came to himself he was assured beyond peradventure that God had miraculously delivered him from Herod's wicked hands.

IV. Unconscious Unbelief (vv. 12-15).
1. Behavior of Peter and the church (vv. 12-17).
Peter went to the house of Mary and knocked. The knock was answered by Rhoda who was so overjoyed that she forgot to open the gate, and ran in and told them that Peter was at the gate. The disciples were not prepared for such good news, and even accused her of madness. She, undaunted, insisted. They offered as an explanation that perhaps it might be Peter's guardian angel in his likeness. They got more than they expected. Peter rehearsed unto them the Lord's dealing with him, and instructed them to make these things known unto James and the brethren.
2. The behavior of the soldiers (vv. 18, 19).
There was great agitation among them as to what had become of Peter. This was a serious matter since they were responsible for him. Not being able to account for Peter's escape, Herod commanded that they be put to death. After this Herod went down to Caesarea. Here he was adored as God. Because he arrogated this honor to himself, the Lord smote him. Herod died, but the Word of the Lord grew and multiplied.

Life and Death
It is good when the garden of life and the sepulcher of death are linked with Him who was crucified. He makes the garden tenfold richer and more beautiful. He robs the sepulcher of its terror and gloom.—Rev. Alex. Smellie, D. D.

Cynicism
I hate cynicism a great deal worse than I hate the devil; unless, perhaps, the two were the same thing.—B. L. Stevenson.

"Intelligent Youth"

In its report to the 139th general assembly of the Presbyterian church meeting in San Francisco, the board of Christian education said: "With the rising tide of intelligent youth, there is no doubt that the safety of Prohibition is assured."

We are truly glad that somebody has faith in the young generation. While the statement of the board will be taken with a grain of salt by many people, there is good sense in believing that the boys and girls of today—endowed as they are with all modern advantages, with the discoveries of science at their finger-tips, with health and longevity improved, and with an outlook on life never more prosperous—will grow up to be intelligent men and women who will carry on to greater things than we now know.

We hold no brief for the flapperish, sheikish carousals of the night-club. But we do believe this: that whatever mischief the youth gets into today, some older person either made it possible or contributed to it in some way yesterday. In other words, one generation always rests on the foundation laid for it by the previous one.

Live Oak Club

The club members with Miss Brent had a very interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank Crum. Interior decoration was the subject for discussion. From this we got many valuable suggestions. There were ten members present without visitors. Delicious refreshments of punch and angel food cake were served by the hostess. The June meeting will be an all day session with Mrs. Walter Ferguson and canning will be the order of the day.—Reporter.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate Under Order of Sale:

WHEREAS, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Coleman County, Texas, May 17, 1927, by the Clerk of said Court, upon a judgment of said Court rendered May 7, 1927, in cause No. 4112, in favor of J. O. Stephenson, Plaintiff, against J. H. Brannan and H. S. Brannan, Defendants, I did, on the 21st day of May, 1927, levy upon the following described property as the property of said Defendants, described in said order of sale, to-wit: Being 126 acres of land in James W. Henderson Survey No. 364, Abst. No. 375, described as follows: Beginning at a point 970 vrs. N. of the Colorado River and in the center of said Survey No. 364, East and West, said point being the N. W. corner of the tract and N. E. corner of a 105 acre tract out of said Henderson Survey No. 364, heretofore sold by J. H. Brannan to James F. Day. THENCE East with S. line of a 113 1-2 acre tract owned by J. H. Brannan to the East boundary line of said James W. Henderson Survey No. 364, and with boundary line of the John W. Warren Survey No. 365, 712 1-2 vrs. to corner. THENCE South 1000 vrs with East boundary line of said James W. Henderson Survey No. 364, and the West boundary line of the John W. Warren Survey No. 365, to the Colorado River.

THENCE up said river with its meanderings to the center East and West of said James W. Henderson Survey No. 364, said point being the S. W. corner of this tract and the S. E. corner of a 105 acre tract conveyed by J. H. Brannan to said James F. Day. THENCE North 970 vrs with E. line of said 105 acre tract to the place of beginning, and containing 126 acres of land in the James W. Henderson Survey No. 364.

Said judgment being the foreclosure of a vendor's lien upon said land. WHEREFORE, by virtue of said order of sale and judgment upon which the same was issued, I will, on the first Tuesday in July, 1927, same being the 5th day of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. at the Court House door in Coleman, Coleman County, Texas, offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, the above described property, together with all the right title and interest of the said Defendants therein, or which they or either of them had in said land on the first day of January, 1922, or at any time thereafter, and will apply the proceeds of said sale to the payment of said judgment, interest thereon and costs of suit and cost of executing said order of sale, and the balance, if any, remaining will be paid to the said H. S. Brannan.

WITNESS MY HAND this 26th day of May, 1927.
W. R. Hamilton, Sheriff, Coleman County, Texas. 23-36c.

Notice of Election on Closing and Sale of Street

On this 17 day of May, 1927, it is ordered by the City Commission of the city of Santa Anna, Texas, that an election be held in the city of Santa Anna, Texas, on the 20th day of June, 1927, at the City Hall in said city, to determine whether or not the City Commission of the city of Santa Anna shall be empowered and authorized to close and shall close the following described street in the city of Santa Anna, Coleman County, Texas, to-wit: The street conveyed to the city of Santa Anna by Mrs. M. M. Taylor, by deed dated July 17, 1924, of record in Volume 135, page 190, Coleman County Deed Records, described as follows: All that certain lot, tract or parcel of land out of Block No. 27, of King and Gilbough addition to the city of Santa Anna, Texas, as shown by the map plan of said city of Record in Volume 67, page 484 and 435, Deed Records of Coleman County, Texas, and further described by metes and bounds as follows: BEGINNING at the northeast corner of Lot No. 7, in Block No. 27; THENCE South with the East line of Lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, a distance of 423 feet to the Southeast corner of Lot No. 12; THENCE East with the South line of said Block No. 27, 50 feet to the Southwest corner of Lot No. 1, in Block No. 27; THENCE North with the West line of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, a distance of 423 feet to the Northwest corner of said Lot No. 6, in Block No. 27; THENCE West 50 feet to the place of beginning, and for a better and more complete description of said property hereby conveyed reference is here made to a plat of Taylor subdivision of Block No. 27 recorded in Vol. L. B. page 42 of the Deed Records of Coleman County, Texas.

Said property being 50 feet East and West by 423 feet North and South, and having been so conveyed to the said city of Santa Anna for street purposes, and to determine further whether or not the City Commission of the city of Santa Anna shall be authorized and empowered to sell and shall sell said property.

It is further ordered that J. T. Garrett is hereby appointed presiding officer of said election, and he shall appoint an assistant judge of said election, and one or more clerks, and such officers shall conduct said election as provided by the election laws of this State; all qualified voters of the city of Santa Anna shall be allowed to vote at said election; all voters who favor the proposition of authorizing and empowering the City Commission to close said street and to sell said property, and who favor the closing of said street and the sale of said property by the City Commission shall have written or printed on their ballots the words

"For the closing of the street through Block No. 27 of the Kings and Gilbough Addition to the city of Santa Anna, and for the sale of said street."
Those opposing said proposition shall have written or printed on their ballot the words
"Against the closing of the street through Block No. 27 of the Kings and Gilbough Addition to the city of Santa Anna, and for the sale of said street."
A copy of this order, signed by the Mayor of the city of Santa Anna and attested by the City Clerk, shall serve as proper notice of said election. The Mayor is authorized and directed to cause three copies of said notice to be posted at three public places in the city of Santa Anna, for at least 30 days prior to the date of such election, one of which notices shall be posted on the door of the City Hall. The Mayor is further authorized and directed to have said notice of said election published in the Santa Anna News, once each week for 5 successive publications, the first publication to be at least 30 days prior to the date of said election.
W. E. BAXTER, Mayor of the city of Santa Anna, Coleman County, Tex.
ATTEST: GRACE MITCHELL, City Clerk. 21-5c

Buy it in Santa Anna.

Nervous hot flashes
"SOME time ago when in a very nervous, run-down condition," says Mrs. Martha F. Marlow, of Broken Bow, Okla., "I tried numerous remedies to try at least to keep going, but I could not. I was weak and tired—just no good at all. My back ached and I had hot flashes until I was so very nervous I smothered."
"I couldn't sleep and I was never hungry, and I kept getting weaker. I couldn't stand on my feet. This was an unusual condition for me as I had been pretty strong all along. I knew that I would have to do something, and that pretty soon."
"Some friend suggested that I take Cardui, and it certainly was a good suggestion, for after taking one bottle I could tell I was stronger and better. I didn't quit. I kept it up all through the change and did fine. I felt like a different person after I began taking Cardui."
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JUNE IS HERE

June in the past has led us to anticipate some of the rare days that the poets have described. The poets have done well by June. The subject supplies inspiration enough for any maker of rhymes to do his level best. If June behaves as is its custom, it deserves all that the great and the little poets have said about it. Occasionally June shows a rebellious spirit, but so rarely is this true that the exceptions prove the poet's rule of universal praise for June.

This is the month of the year when nature perfects herself. April and May, now and then delightful, are but the preparatory stages. They set the scenery, prepare the seed, give life to the buds and bring out the foliage that provides the background for the lovely flowers that makes June famous.

We may sing peans to June, but the month of brides and roses and sweet girl graduates and other things good to look upon would be a dismal failure without the hearty cooperation of April and May.

TO HOLDERS OF SECOND LIBERTY LOAN BONDS
EXCHANGE OFFERING OF NEW TREASURY BONDS
Notice is given of a new offering of UNITED STATES TREASURY BONDS, dated June 15, 1927, and bearing interest from that date at the rate of 3 1/2 per cent. The bonds will mature in twenty years, but may be called for redemption after sixteen years.
Second Liberty Loan bonds will be accepted in exchange at par. Accrued interest on the Second Liberty bonds offered for exchange will be paid as of June 15, 1927.
Second Liberty Loan bonds have been called for payment on November 15, 1927, and will cease to bear interest on that date. Holders of such bonds who desire to take advantage of the exchange offer should consult their bank or trust company at once. The exchange privilege will be available for a limited period only, and may expire about June 15th.
Further information may be obtained from banks or trust companies, or from any Federal Reserve Bank.
A. W. MELLON,
Secretary of the Treasury.
Washington, May 31, 1927.

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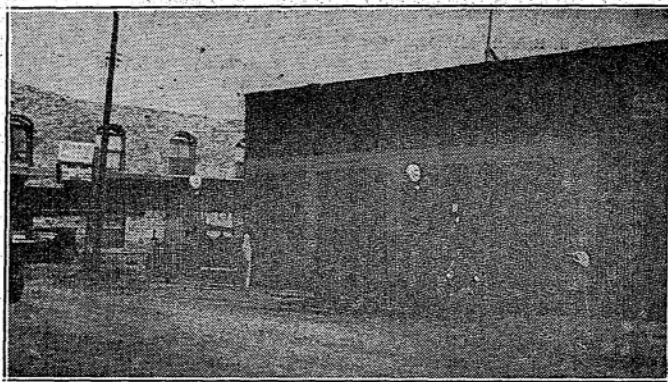

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The year 1926 ushered into being a new business which has been a factor in Santa Anna. This business is the Harding Battery Company, with Leslie Harding in charge. Be it known however, that Mr. Harding not only sells and repairs batteries, but does first class repair work on all makes of cars, sells oils, gas, tires, tubes and all manner of accessories, and has recently added



Harding Battery Company

the wholesale agency for the Gulf Refining Co. The shop where the Harding Battery company is located is situated on the corner just west of the old Shield hotel, known as the Faulkner building, where you will find Mr. Harding with his assistants ready to serve you in the automobile line any way you require service. Telephone 249 when in trouble and your troubles will soon be relieved.

Following Is a List of Firms in Santa Anna Who Solicit Your Trade

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PIGGLY WIGGLY CO. Cleanest Stores in the World	WEST TEXAS UTILITIES CO. Electric Service and Ice	J. L. BOGGUS & CO. Groceries and Field Seeds
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SATURDAY

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Caught in the Round-Up

Aubrey Childers is reported very sick this week with influenza.

Other folk of Abilene is visiting relatives in this city.

Pete Rhem of Rockwood was a Santa Anna visitor Tuesday.

HALF price on hats at Mrs. Shocks' Store.

Miss Roxie Smith of Rockwood was a Santa Anna visitor Wednesday.

Arthur Hall of Rockwood visited in Santa Anna Wednesday.

Dick West and family were visitors in Comanche last week-end.

Raymond McLeod of Brownwood visited in this city Thursday.

Graham Hensley spent last week in Goldthwaite.

Jack Black of Rockwood was in the Mountain City Friday.

R. L. McMinn and family spent Sunday in Trickham.

Miss Letha McIntire of Shield visited in this city Saturday.

Mrs. J. R. Hill of Whon was in this city Saturday.

J. G. Smith of Bangs visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Bible visited in Rockwood Sunday.

Miss Leno Ellis was a Rockwood visitor Sunday.

Mrs. Jake McCreary of Rockwood was a week-end visitor in this city.

We are sorry to report Mrs. J. Burrow on the sick list.

Miss Edna Jones left Sunday for Cameron to attend school.

Joe Box of Abilene was in this city Monday.

E. E. Chambers was a Coleman visitor Sunday.

John Stewardson of Shield was a Santa Anna visitor Monday.

Vance Blake of Brownwood was transacting business here Tuesday.

Miss Jewell Wheeler visited in Abilene Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Forehand and children visited in Bangs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mills have new baby boy born Sunday night.

A big reduction on all Rayon silk underwear.—Mrs. G. A. Shockley.

Sam Forehand has accepted a position with Texas Mercantile Co.

J. A. Rutherford of Rockwood was in this city Monday.

Aubrey Parker spent the week-end in Rockwood.

Miss Johnnie Pearce is in Austin visiting her sister, Mrs. Roy Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Garrett of Brownwood spent the week-end with relatives here.

J. J. Keeling and family spent part of the week in Dallas visiting Mr. Keeling's father and sisters.

Mr. Raymond Bennett of San Angelo was a visitor in the W. E. Ragdale home Saturday and Sunday.

ALL spring and summer dresses at wholesale cost. Don't fail to see the line.—Mrs. G. A. Shockley.

Jimmie Harvey left Monday for Waco where he will attend the summer session at Baylor University.

Mrs. Glover and daughters, Misses Hazel and Vivian of Brownwood visited in this city Saturday.

E. M. Hickman, Curran Pieratt and daughter, Miss Virginia, visited in Stacy Sunday.

Miss Hallie Simpson is at home to spend her summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Simpson.

Will Sealy of Gale, Texas, visited his brother, Dr. T. Richard Sealy and family in this city last week.

Lyle Pearce has returned home for the summer from Simmons University.

Milton Moseley has returned home from Austin where he attended the University the past term.

Mrs. Comer Blue left Sunday afternoon for a visit with relatives in Kaufman and Dallas.

Thomas Campbell who is studying for the ministry at Nashville, Tenn., came in Saturday and will spend the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Campbell.

Miss Frances Rainey of Abilene is visiting her uncle, J. T. Garrett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron England are visiting relatives in Santa Anna and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kirkpatrick and Miss Dora Kirkpatrick were Brownwood visitors Monday.

Miss Elsie Pope of Novice is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. T. Pope this week.

Mrs. S. A. Isbell of Bedias is visiting with her sister, Mrs. J. T. Overby this week.

Miss Eunice Wheeler who attended Simmons University the past term is home for the summer.

Mesdames W. A. Standly, George Ralston and Jno. Rainbolt were visitors in Brownwood Saturday.

Aubrey Parker who has been attending John Tarleton College at Stephenville is home for the summer.

Miss Ethel Whetstone spent Monday night in Coleman visiting relatives.

Fred Crum and family and Clyde Westbrook of Melvin visited in this city Wednesday.

Mr. Ray and son Winford of Moody, Texas, were visitors in Santa Anna this week.

Neal H. McCain orders the next two issues of the Santa Anna News mailed to him at Topeka, Kansas.

Mrs. Oscar Lovelady of Rockwood visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam J. Smith here, last week.

Mrs. Carl Ashmore of Abilene is visiting relatives here and at Rockwood.

Mrs. Dennis Hays has returned to her home in Christoval after a visit with her husband here.

Misses Geneva and Jaines Caldwell of Rockwood, visited their mother, Mrs. Bell Caldwell here last week.

Mrs. J. D. Center underwent a serious operation at the Sealy hospital Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. West and Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Ward spent Sunday on the river.

Mrs. J. A. Ellis spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. R. J. Deal of Rockwood.

Miss Gardie Cheaney left Monday morning for Abilene to attend the National Business College.

Messrs. Hubert Turner and Ogden Brown left Monday for Houston on a short vacation.

Miss Elsie Bible returned home from Brownwood Monday after a week's visit with friends in that city.

Miss Eileen Barnes is visiting her brother J. Q. Barnes and family in Cross Plains this week.

Miss Mattie Ella McCreary left Sunday for Waco to attend Baylor University during the summer.

Billie Ford Barnes returned home Monday after a two weeks visit with his aunt on the farm at Whon.

Rev. J. M. Burrow filled an appointment at Valera Sunday and returned Monday.

Mesdames T. W. Knox and Maggie Owens of Coleman visited in the W. B. Harpe home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Abernathy of Rockwood visited in the Archie Hunter home Sunday.

Miss Ruth Holt left Sunday for Alpine to attend the summer term at Sul Ross College.

Miss Glenda Ford left Monday for Waco to attend the summer term at Baylor University.

Miss Maude Ryan left Wednesday for Alpine to attend summer session of Sul Ross College.

Mrs. C. M. Ford has recovered from a major operation here in the Sealy hospital and was taken to her home in Cross Plains Monday.

Mrs. R. C. West and Mrs. Lupton and daughter, Miss Johnnie Sue, went to Brownwood Monday to place Miss Johnnie Sue in summer school.

L. J. Phipps and wife, Heard Bonner and sister, Una, of Whon visited in the home of their aunt, Monday, Mrs. D. J. Barnes.

Rev. J. M. Burrow requests us to announce he will preach at the Presbyterian church Sunday at 11 a. m. The public is invited.

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One of the best and most courteous meat cutters in the state who is now helping me and will sell you the best Baby Beef, Pork, Sausage, and lunch meat on the market.

DENNIS HAYS

Mrs. P. P. Bond Honors Mrs. J. O. Martin With Luncheon Tuesday

Mrs. P. P. Bond gave a charming luncheon Tuesday at 10 o'clock as a farewell courtesy to Mrs. J. O. Martin, who will soon leave for Abilene where they expect to make their home. The guests were welcomed by Mesdames Bond and Martin and were then asked to register with a good wish for the honoree. The color scheme of pink and yellow was carried out in each detail of the hospitality. Baskets of exquisite pink roses, sweet peas and sunflowers added their beauty to the already attractive entertaining rooms. The dainty miniature maids dressed in the chosen colors, indicated places for the guests at five tables, which were laid with handsome napery and centered with vases of beautiful La France roses.

The delightful menu of grape fruit, cocktail, creamed chicken on toast, potatoes, English peas, beets, tomatoes, hot rolls, pear salad, orange sherbet and angel food cake was faultlessly served in four courses.

Misses Mildred June Bond and Gean Margorie Martin, daughters of the hostess, and honoree gave several piano selections and entertaining readings during the luncheon hour. Covers were laid for Mesdames Ford Barnes, D. J. Johnson, Elmer Easley, G. W. Faulkner, Frank Turner, G. E. Adams, L. O. Garrett, W. R. Kelley, Ben Parker, W. L. Mitchell, Lloyd Burris, Roger Hunter, Jack Woodward, Burgess Weaver, Leman Brown, Sam Collier, I. Williamson, J. O. Martin and P. P. Bond. After luncheon an interesting series of progressive forty-two games were played for two hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Simpson of Goldthwaite visited Miss Maude Cozart Saturday. Miss Maude accompanied them to Trickham Saturday and they spent the night and Sunday with her mother.

Do not mistake flattery for courtesy. Sometimes courtesy from a friend means a good jolt that is helpful.

No doubt a pessimist is all right in his place, but he never goes there until he dies.

Speedy Steno Wanted

"The stenographer we require," ran the ad, "must be fast, absolutely accurate and must have human intelligence. If you are not a cracker-jack, don't bother us."

One of the answers wrote that she noted their requirements, and went on: "Your advertisement appeals to me strongly—stronger than prepared mustard, as I have searched Europe, Alaska, Tropes and Hoboken, in quest of someone who could use my talents to advantage. When it comes to this chip music proposition, I have never found a man, woman or dictaphone who could get to first base on neither fancy or catch-as-catch-can. I write shorthand so fast that I have a platinum point and a waste cooling attachment, a note-pad made of asbestos, ruled with sulphuric acid and stuffed with catgut. I run with my circuit open at all speeds and am in fact a guaranteed, double hydraulic, welded drop-forged and oil tempered specimen of human lightning on a perfect thirty-six frame, ground to one-thousandth of an inch."

"If you would avail yourself of an opportunity of a lifetime, wire me, unless you are fully prepared to pay the tariff for such service, don't bother me, as I am so nervous I can't stand still long enough to have my dresses fitted."

She got the job.—Wall Street Journal.

It is charged that we are paying more attention to our hogs than to our children; but you seldom hear of a hog getting pills stuffed down him before meals, his spinal column cracked, his tonsils jerked, needles stuck in him, his adenoids removed, a Turkish bath, and then told that he's suffering with an enlarged duodecimum-ubiquitibum; you simply turn the omnivorous mammal loose in the mud and he grows fatter day by day in every way.

A nice neighborhood in which to live is just inside your income.

Golf looks like a silly game. The ignorant bystander never knows what you are driving at.

Most everyone can remember the day when golf was just a fad and not a disease.



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