

# SANTA ANNA NEWS

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"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

## Roy Guthrie Takes Own Life Near Trickham

Last Sunday in the late afternoon or early evening, Roy Guthrie, 19 year-old son of Lee Guthrie, committed suicide, by shooting himself through the heart with an automatic pistol. Lee Guthrie lives with his family in Brownwood, and Roy was living on the ranch and looking after the ranch interest in the absence of his father, and his death was a shock to his family and community.

The following note was found on the dresser in the room where he ended his own life:

"To My Dady and Mother:  
"Dear Dady: I feel as tho I am more trouble to you than I am help, so I wish you all many as happy years to come. So all of you pray for me. Tell all of sisters, brother and sweetheart good bye. Your son, Roy."

The above note, fountain pen, his watch and a small kodak picture of a young lady was found on the dresser in the room where the tragic end came.

Mr. Lee Guthrie, the father, was notified by phone Sunday morning that some of his stock were getting out, and he drove to his ranch home, arriving there about noon Sunday. He was out looking after his stock most of the afternoon, when upon his return to the house he found the dead body of his son lying stretched upon a cot with an automatic pistol by his side. Mr. Guthrie raised an alarm and pretty soon Mr. Mayfield and other near neighbors were at his services. A phone call was made for a Justice of the Peace to conduct an inquest, and the writer, accompanied by Deputy Sheriff J. H. Griffith and one

Brush Aldridge, were soon on the way to the Guthrie home. After hearing the evidence and examining the dead body, it is our opinion that Roy met his death from gunshot wound self inflicted.

The Guthries are pioneer citizens of this county, have lived here since shortly after the country began to settle up, and have always been regarded as being among the county's best citizens, and the family have many friends who will join the News in extending sympathy to them in their bereavement.

### MARRIED

F. B. Hill Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Hill out on route 1, just west of town, and Miss Marie Bolton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Bolton, north of town, surprised a number of their friends last Thursday evening by driving out to the Rev. W. T. Davidson home, presenting a duly authorized certificate, and requested the preacher to unite them as one. Their request was granted, and the happy young couple were started out upon the matrimonial voyage of life to share with each other for better or worse, whatever life has in store for them.

The splendid young couple are members of two of our very best families, are young, shrewd, happy and have a host of good friends who will join the News in extending best wishes for a happy and prosperous future.

### TWO GOOD SHOWS IN TOWN NEXT WEEK

An unusual thing for a town the size of Santa Anna will be here next week, when two of the best comedy shows in the Southwest will erect tents in the north part of the business district for

## Contest Is Still Progressing

### Many New Subscribers Added To Our List The Past Week

Our circulation building campaign and voting contest is progressing very satisfactory and many new subscribers are being added to our list. Remember contestants, the time is now growing short and the best way to assure a safe feeling on the final count is to make every day count for something. There are several hundred more people in this country yet who needs to read their home paper and we want them on our list. Don't lose a moment for when you stop

a full week's engagement.

Manville Bros. Comedians, will be here for the week, with a full corps of Dramatic, musical artist and will give a good program each night.

Harley Sadler's No. 2, show featuring Carl Thomas, comedian with comedy and vaudeville will be here with a full corps of players and will show each night under the auspices of the local Post American Legion.

If you enjoy good comedy and vaudeville shows, come to town any night next week.

### WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT

We want every person that lives in Santa Anna to give us your support in our athletics. We are advertising our town by the way you support us in our endeavor. We have good material to have a splendid football team and with the support of the town we can bring out the best in the boys. They are exceedingly

time is passing and the other contestants are going after business. Following is the standing of contestants up to Tuesday of this week:

Miss Ethel Moegli . . . 226,400  
Mrs. C. M. Moseley . . . 111,600  
Miss Alpha Ryan . . . 105,200  
Miss Una James . . . 74,000  
Mrs. Mary Briscoe . . . 18,500  
Mrs. Mary Briscoe failed to get her report to the office in time to come in on this count,

anxious to make the best football team that Santa Anna high school has ever had.

Ballinger comes here Friday, October, Fifth, and the boys are determined to defeat them. We would be glad for every business house to close for the game if it be possible.

Our schedule for this year is as follows: Santa Anna vs. Ballinger here Oct. 5th; Santa Anna vs. Coleman here Oct. 12th; Santa Anna vs. San Saba there Oct. 20th; Santa Anna vs. Brownwood here Nov. 2nd; Santa Anna vs. Ballinger there Nov. 10th. This game isn't definitely settled, Santa Anna vs. Brady there Nov. 29th. We have November 17th open and we are trying to fill it with Goldthwaite.

We are going to have a basketball team this year that Santa Anna will be proud of if all our fellows stay with us and there is no question about that. Box and Moore who are taking care of guards for our football team

will make us two men that will help us defeat all comers.

Give us your support and we will make you proud of the team. Come see us defeat Ballinger.—The Boys.

### BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Chas. A. Loveless of Baird, will be at the Baptist church Sunday and unless other arrangements have been made will preach Sunday morning and night. Come out and hear him.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. P. P. Bond entertained a large number of children last Saturday from 4 until 6 p. m. in honor of her little daughter, Augusta Maurice's 3rd birthday. After indulging in many games that are dear to children, delicious cream and cake was served to the following: Jean Adams, Myrtle Jo and Gene Marjory Martin, Mary Southern, Bill Jack Garrett, Bess and Anna Nell Shields, Annetta Kirkpatrick, Margaret Withers, Marilyn and Billie Baxter, Ben Parker Jr., Mary Adams, Mildred June and Augusta Bond.

### ANOTHER PIONEER GONE

Grandpa, Teague, known as "Uncle James," died at his home in the south part of town Thursday morning at a ripe old age. Mr. Teague was born March 7, 1839, in Cherokee, Ala., came to Texas in 1866. Deceased was a Texas Ranger during the days of the early settlers in this country. He was a member of the Christian church. Funeral services will be held Friday, October 5th, at the residence at 3 o'clock p. m. with Elder Yates of Coleman in charge.

The News will try to have further mention of Mr. Teague in our next issue.

## Cotton Breaks On Government Report

The cotton market Tuesday morning was moving along with a 40 to 60 point raise when the government report on ginnings came in about noon.

This report placed the total ginning up to Sept. 25, at 3,215,394 bales, against 3,866,396 bales ginned at the same date last year. And the government issued another estimate on the total crop production, placing it at 11,015,000 bales, against its estimate of 10,788,000 made on September 1st.

On report of this new estimate of total production sent out Tuesday, the market broke at once, and by closing time at two o'clock had lost over 100 points. However, it has picked up some since the drop, and we have cause to believe that cotton will be selling at 30 cents a pound before thirty days.

### SOCIAL ENTERTAINMENT

Mrs. H. W. Kingsberry delightfully entertained a large number of her friends with an all day party on Thursday, Sept. 20th.

Needle work, music, bridge and eating was the diversion of the day. The guests began arriving at eleven o'clock and promptly at 12:30 o'clock Mrs. Kingsberry in her charming way invited her guests into the spacious dining room where dinner was served in cafeteria style.

Those who enjoyed the hospitality were as follows:

Mesdames Gay, Grady, Phillips, Bond, Leman Brown, Martin, Mobley, Davidson, Rothermel, Fred Turner, Tom Campbell, Kirkpatrick, Williams and Jack Woodward.—Contributed.

# SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK

## For Men and Boys

100 pairs Men's Cotton Work Pants; in double and twisted Cottonades and print checks; a \$2.00 value . . . . . \$1.50 pr.  
A Man's 8 oz. Brown Duck pants, a \$2.50 value . . . . . \$1.90 pr.  
Man's Solid Leather Work Shoes . . \$1.95 pr.  
Men's Scout Shoes, Soft Chrome leather, full Inner and Outer Soles, special, \$2.50 pr.  
Boy's Scout Shoes, all solid leather, Soft Chrome leather. They will wear. . \$2.25 pr.  
Man's Standard weight, elastic Knit Union suit, satisfactory wear, specially priced \$1.25  
Underwear for men; heavy Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, all regular sizes . . . . 75c each  
Men's Heavy Balbriggan Shirts and drawers . . . . . 50c each  
Man's Blue Chambray Work shirt . . . . 85c

Boy's Blue Chambray Work shirt . . . . 75c  
Boy Khaki Shirts, sizes up to 14 . . . \$1.00  
This splendid shirt—2 pocket coat shirt, fine Chambray, light blue and gray, attached collar . . . . . \$1.00  
Men's attached collar shirts, in fast color shirtings, coat style and pockets . . \$1.00  
Hats of quality—Black and White, wide brim and Lalla, a splendid value . . . \$3.00  
Dress Hats for Men—New novelty Shapes, black and colors, special . . . . . \$3.00  
Jno. B. Stetson Hats—No. 1 quality, black and colors San An Mountain Loyals and novelty Shapes . . . . . \$8.50  
New novelty hats for boys—in black and colors, splendid values.— \$2.00—\$1.50—\$1.00  
Boys Dress Shoes—Star Brand, Solid leather, specially priced . . . . . \$2.75 pr.

## Staple Dry Goods

Delhi Dress Gingham—Full standard colors fast, worth 25 cents, special . . . 17 1-2c yd.  
These Staple Gingham, suitable for aprons and house dresses . . . . . 12c yd.  
Extra heavy California Outings, full weight, and quality, special . . . . . 19c yd.  
A splendid quality of Light Outings for underwear . . . . . 17 1-2c yd.  
All standard Calicoes, and flowered Calicoes for comforts . . . . . 12 1-2c yd.  
Extra quality of Bleached Turkish Towelings, special . . . . . 25c yd.  
Yard wide Brown Domestic . . . . . 10c yd.  
32 inch Zephyr Gingham, fast colors, select patterns . . . . . 22 1-2c yd.  
31 inch Shirting Cheviots, special . . . 19c yd.

Mattress Tickings, plain and facies, up from . . . . . 17 1-2c yd.  
Standard Feather Ticking, a special value 35c  
All Wool Serges, 36 inch, all colors, perfect in wear and finish . . . . . \$1.00  
The New Brocaded Crepes; the last word in the Silk World, we have them.  
For Our Shirts—A 56 inch Post Wool flowered for men's and boy's overshirts, 56 inches wide . . . . . \$1.00 yd.

### BLANKETS

Over 300 pairs from the plain Cotton Blankets up to the finest finished in Wool Naps; all the new colors, with the attractive blending in shades. Prices the lowest.

You will readily see the full significance of this wonderful Stock of Goods and the priced Merchandise we are bringing to you from day to day.

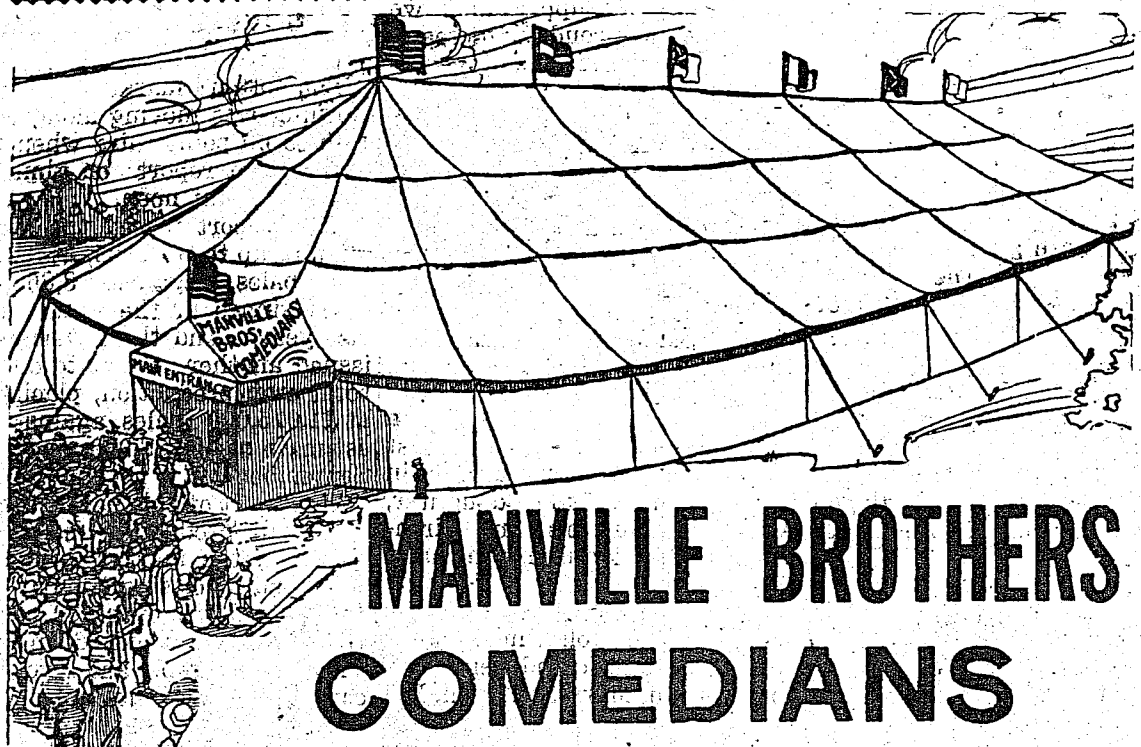
DIRECT BUYING from mills and factories, placing of heavy orders early last Spring accounts for the great crowds that throng the Adams Store from day to day. You too, will be pleased—you too, will find it pleasant and profitable to trade here. This Big Department Store offers you quantity and quality merchandise. Our advertisement of priced merchandise from week to week will prove a BEACON LIGHT to the careful economical buyer. New things all the time. Next week Men's and Boy's clothing, and the new things in Ladie's Footwear for Fall and Winter.

# ADAMS MERCANTILE CO.



# Coming Here Monday Night Santa Anna And All The Week

Largest Show of its Kind Today on the Road



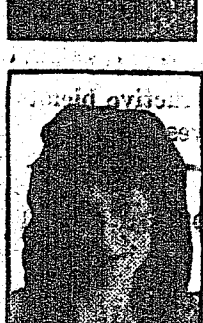
## MANVILLE BROTHERS COMEDIANS

Monster Electric Lighted Tent Theatre  
Located On The Show Lot

**Opening Night** TWO SHOWS IN ONE  
Dramatic & Vaudeville  
One Admission to Both Shows **MONDAY NIGHT**

### BIG OPENING PLAY FOR MONDAY NIGHT "The Masquerader"

A big four-act comedy drama that is new and one of the best produced by the company; clean and moral. The play throughout is full of comedy. Between the acts Big Time Vaudeville Specialties that entertain from rise of curtain until the finale in the last act.



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A Real Metropolitan Company of Players  
25 People; 2 Private Railroad Cars

NEW PLAYS EVERY NIGHT  
Big Time Vaudeville Between the Acts

A SHOW THAT'S WORTH YOUR WHILE

Don't miss our big opening play Monday night if you don't get to see another this year.

DOORS OPEN  
7:15 P. M.

CURTAIN  
8:10 P. M.

Look at the prices for Monday Night

SPECIAL—Cut Out Ladies' Free Ticket For Monday Night  
MANVILLE BROTHERS MONSTER TENT SHOW

Adults  
40c

ADMIT ONE LADY FREE  
This ticket admits 1 Lady Free when presented at main door with 1 paid 40c admission. Without this ticket regular prices will be charged.

Children  
20c

AMERICA'S FOREMOST TENT THEATRE SHOW

## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL Sunday School Lesson

(By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D.,  
Teacher of English Bible in the Moody  
Bible Institute of Chicago.)  
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### LESSON FOR OCTOBER 7

#### ABRAHAM, A BLESSING TO THE WORLD

LESSON TEXT—Gen. 12:1-3; 12:17-18; 22:15-18.

GOLDEN TEXT—"In Thee shall all families of the earth be blessed."—Gen. 12:3.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Being a Blessing to Others.

JUNIOR TOPIC—A Man Who Became a Blessing to the World.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Abraham, a Religious Pioneer.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Abraham, a Religious Pioneer.

#### I. Abraham's Ancestors (Josh. 24:2, 14.)

Abraham's people were idolaters. Very likely as a young man, he himself worshiped idols. Tradition furnishes us with some interesting stories touching his struggle against idolatry. At any rate, his experience was such as to well qualify him to be the head of a people whose God was the Lord. He knew how hopelessly disastrous idolatry was to the morals of the people, and, therefore, would be able to lead them back to God.

#### II. Abraham's Call (Gen. 12:1, cf. Acts 7:2-3.)

God came to him in Ur of the Chaldees and said unto him:

1. "Get thee out of thy country." One is tied to his country with a strong bond. Abraham had lived long enough to have formed strong attachments to his country.

2. "Get thee out from thy kindred." Abraham was not only to leave behind him his native land, but his relatives, as well, even his father's house. Since his kindred were idolaters, he must leave them. Abraham was to become a pilgrim, to be without a home. Even in Canaan, the only land he ever owned, was a burial place.

3. "Into the land that I will show thee." He was not told what or where the land was. He went out not knowing whither he went (Heb. 11:9). While he dwelt in tents during his earthly sojourn, yet "he looked for a city which hath foundations whose builder and maker is God" (Heb. 8:10). And thus he was a typical believer called out from his family and country, and renouncing idolatry, he walked by faith, testifying to his and succeeding generations to the faithfulness of God. It costs to obey God, but there is an abundant recompense.

#### III. God's Promise to Abraham (Gen. 12:2-3; 18:17-18.)

1. The Father of a Great Posterity (v. 2). This has been literally fulfilled. He was not to go out primarily for what he could get, but for what he could do. The minister and missionary forget their own personal blessings in the supreme joy of their converts who are the fruits of their labor. No name in all history equals that of Abraham in its honorable influence. His is the name of honor among Jews, Mohammedans and Christians. They all acknowledge him as father.

2. A Blessing to Others (v. 2, 3). He was not only to become great and to share God's blessings, but to be a blessing to others. He has become a blessing to countless multitudes. This is the prevailing law of the spiritual life—being blessed to be a blessing. Those who respond to this law become the very touchstone of God, so precious that God will bless them who bless them, and curse those who curse them. God makes common cause with His people. So vitally is He one with them that it is a serious thing to mistreat them. To maltreat God's children is to lift the hand against God. No one who goes against Him can prosper. Not only is this so with reference to wilful acts against His children, but neglect or refusal to do good to them. Christ regards all acts for or against them as for or against Him.

#### IV. God Testing Abraham (Gen. 22:2-18.)

Abraham's faith was shown in that he obeyed the call of God and left his land and kindred, but his faith reached its highest point in offering Isaac. For many years, he had waited for the fulfillment of God's promise as to his heir. At last that promise was a reality. Abraham's hope was not the ordinary hope which fills the heart of every father, that his name and work may be perpetuated through his son. A new nation and the world's Savior were to spring up from Abraham through this son. Through this great ordeal, his faith responded enabling him to believe that God would give Isaac back from the dead (Heb. 11:17-19). God tries all His children. The more important, the more severe the trial.

ROOMS FOR RENT—C. E. WELCH.

CORD WOOD, \$2.00 per cord, on Mrs. J. T. Taylor's farm, 5 1-2 miles east of Santa Anna.—J. W. TAYLOR. 3-11.

In all malarial countries the popular remedy is Herbine. People find it a good medicine for purifying the system and warding off the disease. Price 60c. Sold by all druggists.

# STAR

A Real Car

The STAR is a Real Car with standard equipment for a small, all-round service car and sells here at

**\$540**

See them at the Highway Garage for demonstration any time.

**The Highway Garage**

B. W. Newman, Prop.

#### NO "FOR RENT" SIGNS

Santa Anna has little need for signs showing property for rent, for nearly every home is rented before it is vacated. While some who contemplate moving to a new town may be influenced to locate in a place where the "for rent" signs are plentiful, the chances are they would never buy property for fear it might have to stand vacant.

Go into banks and offices and talk with men who are doing things—big things for their town and you will also discover that many of these men just "breezed in" a few years ago and became enamored with the "romance and possibilities" of their town, and stayed and invested their money and put their shoulders to the wheel helping to build the greater town.

WHEAT for Planting, \$1.25 per bushel. Let me tell you about this wheat.—J. E. McClellan. 3

A clear colorless liquid that will heal wounds, cuts, sores and galls is the latest and best production of medical science. Ask for Liquid Borozone, it is a marvel in flesh-healing remedies. Price, 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by all druggists.

Fred Watkins Dray Line

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DAY PHONE 38  
NIGHT 217

#### HOW'S THIS?

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will do what we claim for it—rid your system of Catarrh or Deafness caused by Catarrh.  
HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which quickly Relieves the catarrhal inflammation, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces, thus assisting to restore normal conditions.  
Sold by druggists for over 40 Years.  
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

## SHAPIRO'S

# SELLING OUT SALE

I have lots of Fall merchandise that I am selling at less than wholesale cost.

Special low prices on Gingham, Outings and Canton Flannel.

Come get my prices before you buy.

Ladies Felt Slippers at . . . . . 85 cents pr.

Ladies Cotton Hose, 2 pair for . . . . . 25c.

3 pounds Bats . . . . . 60c.

#### MEN'S HATS

\$3.00 grade . . . . . \$2.45

\$3.50 grade . . . . . \$2.65

#### MEN'S SHOES, WORK OR DRESS SHOES AT REAL BARGAINS

Men's Overall, good grade at . . . . . \$1.14

Blue Jumper to match at . . . . . \$1.14

Men's Kaki Pant, good grade . . . . . \$1.24

MANY OTHER BARGAINS.

## Dr. J. Harris Hales

Optometrist, (Eyesight Specialist) Office and Laboratory, 302 First National Bank, Brownwood, Branch office, Polk Bros. Bldg., Santa Anna, Texas.

I will be in Santa Anna Office EVERY SECOND and FOURTH TUESDAY of each month.

Children's eyes given very special attention.





## MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING

If you expect to buy a gray, blue, or brown serge suit we want you to see the ones we have. They are positively guaranteed to give satisfaction or a new suit of clothes. They are equal in appearance to those you would pay \$35.00 to \$40.00 for in some lines and priced at \$30.00. Other suits as cheap as \$16.50. Boys suits with two pairs of pants and all wool at \$7.75. Little boys suits in Corduroy at \$3.85.

### Largest Sweater Stock in Santa Anna

If you want a Sweater for any member of the family, our store is the place to get it. Pull overs for the boys and all kinds of Coat Sweaters for the little girl and ladies. Prices range from \$1.00 to \$6.50. All kinds of Knit Caps.

### Children's Coats

If you want something real nice in a Coat for the girl size 10 to 16, we have them. We have one dozen all Velour with beaverette collars and some of them with cuffs. They are special values at \$15.75. Others at cheaper prices. We expect by the last of the week to have a new lot ladies dresses in silk and wool priced \$10.75 to \$15.75. Get a pair of Red Goose shoes. With each pair we give a Red Goose, made of rubber, and a nice toy for children. Come to our Store for your fall bill. New Goods being received most every day.

# D. R. HILL & BROTHER

### SINGING CONVENTION HAD GOOD ATTENDANCE

The Eastern District Singing Convention had a large attendance at the Baptist church here last Sunday, and was a successful convention. The dinner was not as plentiful as we would like to have seen, but several of the loyal convention supporters supplied dinner and the convention was a success. Several of our best supporters who have always stayed with us in taking care of conventions were prevented from doing so this time on account of sickness, and others we failed to hear from, but we are thankful as many assisted us as did, and we assure you that we harbor no ill feeling towards any who failed to come out and support the convention. A good singing convention is worth all the trouble and expense they are to any community.

At the business session Henry Smith of Santa Anna was elected President, Hugh Murrell of Gouldbusk, Vice-President, and Prof. G. W. Bobo of Trickham was elected Secretary.

The meeting for the next convention was left open, and the three presiding officers are instructed to secure a home for the next convention and report the same to the Santa Anna News as soon as they have done so.

The Liveoak Class called for the convention but in as much as they entertained the convention last December, they decided to leave the call open for other places if they wished to call for it, which is a very commendable act on the part of the Liveoak class.

The County convention will meet with the Novice class on the Second Sunday in this month, same being October 14th, and we hope to have a real good convention at Novice.

Several out of county singers were with us here Sunday and greatly added to the success of the singing.

### NOTICE TO CONTESTANTS

We appreciate your good work and expect to see to it that each of you are rewarded for your services, but we wish to impress upon all, that we want the business upon the merits of the Santa Anna News and your ability to solicit subscriptions for the paper, and not upon the demerits of any other paper, as we are not fighting any paper, sect, society or organization, but are just publishing a clean, local newspaper and confining ourselves to the legitimate truth.

### WHAT MAKES A COMMUNITY

The word "community" has come into general use of late, and it has an inner meaning that may be hidden to some.

Community comes from a word meaning common. It is a place where people realize that they have common interests, and that they must work together for common ends.

The old time country town hardly did that. It was not, real-

ly speaking, a community. Every man went about his own business. It did not occur to them to pool their interests and join forces, and get things done. So they just drifted along and got nowhere. The modern town begins to progress on that date when it wakes up from just being a town, and becomes a community. Lets have more community in Santa Anna.

800 ACRES; no better on South Plains, sheet water 59 feet, fenced 3 sides, a bargain. Will trade. Good small tract west of Trickham for sale.—Fred W. Turner. 39-1f.

### A CORRECTION

In our local Round-Up column last week we reported Mr. and Mrs. Basil Gilmore to be the proud parents of a fine baby boy, when it should have been Mr. and Mrs. R. C. West. Mrs. West is a sister to Basil Gilmore and Dr. Sealy reported the local to the News.

### MIND YOUR OWN BUSINESS

These are just the words, four in number, and refer directly to the grumbling, growling, fault-finding mischief makers. People who never mind their own business are like the street whiffet dogs, that are always barking, biting, nipping and napping somebody. Can we presume the great Creator made us especially to superintend His universe and to be eternally prying, meddling and seeking to control and direct everybodys affairs,

It is enough to make one indignant to see what pains some people go to ferret out the plans of others, and to start a piece of gossip. They leave their own gardens to grow full of weeds, while they are trying to hold up before everybody the few they pull from their neighbors. Oh, how they toil to rob them of their reputations, their peace, their prosperity and pleasure. They do everything but mind their own business, and bring more misery into families, societies and churches than anything else. They turn the pleasant, loathsome pool; they intrude on ground where angels would fear to tread.

Now, minding one's own business is the best remedy for itching ears that are never satisfied with hearing, and the busy tongue that hurries to speak cruel words.

Minding your own business will turn your attention to self and you will forget to watch so closely the shortcomings of others; will make peaceful homes, happy neighbors and quiet consciences; and you will be able to realize and more fully comprehend the truth spoken in holy writ, "Blessed are the Peace makers."

### WHAT IT REALLY MEANS

Did you ever stop to think what it means when you trade in another town you injure your home town in the same degree that you help the town you trade in? When you help the other town you naturally hurt your town. Therefore play the game safe. Trade at home.

### THE PASSING OF THE OLD TEXAS RANGERS

(By Uncle Dick Sullivan in San Saba News)  
Fifty years ago I was a Texas Ranger,

We carried big guns and feared no danger;  
Had no home and knew no fear  
For I was a Texas Ranger.

I slept at night 'neath the starry sky,  
Lulled to sleep by the Screech Owl's cry;  
By the howl of the wolf and the plaintive loon,  
We were homeless Rangers beneath the moon.

But alas times have passed away,  
Now I am old, my hair is gray;  
My step is feeble, death will soon knock at my door,  
And I will follow my comrades who have gone before.

There were 75 men in our Company,  
And all have passed over but four;  
And I can't keep the tears back  
Because I'll see them no more.

As I sit at night in my humble door,  
With the moonlight streaming across my floor;  
A lone wolf howls so dolefully,  
It's the voice of a Ranger calling me.

And my heart goes out to my comrades gray,  
For he like me has had his day;  
We're old and haggard, we're almost through,  
And the time will soon come for our last Adieu.

### KUHN'S RHMATIC REMEDY

One of the greatest Rheumatic remedies ever sold. Specially prepared for the treatment of Rheumatism, Lumbago or Gout. Every bottle absolutely guaranteed. Local people, have used it and will gladly furnish testimonials. For sale by C. H. Lay, local agent, Santa Anna, Texas. 27-41f.

Relieved Constipation  
"Suffered a great deal from constipation," writes Herbert B. Dow, Portsmouth, N. H., "and never found anything to take the place of Foley Cathartic Tablets." Biliousness, constipation and other digestive disorders quickly relieved with Foley Cathartic Tablets. Do not gripe or nauseate.—C. K. Hunter, druggist.

### FRIENDLY SMILE AND CHERFUL GREETING WORTH CULTIVATING

In town boosting cheerfulness and cordiality have an important part. Too often people permit business cares and worries to cause them to forget the stranger within the gates and the friend who passes by. Many a man has gained a reputation for grouchiness who merely has not thought to be cordial. A smile carries one much farther than a frown. The visitor in a city is favorably impressed if the people he sees on the streets are cheerful and smiling. He at once gains the impression that it must be a good town which has a cheerful people.

The visitor naturally thinks that a city which offers welcome in so conspicuous a way means it. If the people he meets smile and are cheerful he at once realizes that they are a

people worth while and the town one worth looking over. The cordial greeting with an accompanying smile of welcome, helps more than anything else to give people a good impression of a place. The smile attracts and the frown repels. Grouchiness gains nothing for a person. Most people would prefer even the "Cheerful Idiot" to the "Chronic Grouch."

The man who lives on the farm and envies his neighbor in the city because the city is supposed to furnish conveniences in the home should remember that the city man pays very dearly for conveniences, but never owns them. The taxes the city man pays in a few years would provide home conveniences for the farmer and upkeep thereafter would be very little. Do not imagine that there is anything free in the city. In fact, it is

safe to conclude that everything one gets in the city is dear. It takes very little expense for home conveniences on the farm.

Look to the winter food supply. The family which has a good, clean, hard corn for meal, or wheat for flour, hogs and chickens for the winter meat, laying hens for an egg supply, a good milk cow, well fed and cared for, plenty of home canned and dried fruits and vegetables, sirup and vinegar from their own farm, and plenty of good fire wood, will be safe for the winter and need not spend much time worrying. Look over your storage room and your woodpile. How are you fixed?

To get rid of worms in children give them White's Cream Vermifuge. The little sufferers improve at once and soon become healthy, active and robust. Price, 35c. Sold by all druggists.

# GROCERIES!

Just received car of Light Crust Flour. If you have never used Light Crust try a sack—every sack guaranteed to please the most exacting—no higher in price than the

- ordinary flour—the sack ..... \$1.75
- 3 lb. pail Texo Coffee ..... 80c
- 3 lb. pail Health Club Coffee ..... \$1.10
- 3 lb. pail Inglenook Coffee ..... \$1.10
- 3 lb. pail Star Coffee ..... \$1.00
- 1 gallon Jelly ..... 75c
- 1 quart jar Jelly ..... 35c
- 16 oz. jar Jelly ..... 15c
- 1 quart jar Pickles ..... 40c
- Crystal White Soap—the bar ..... 5c
- White Naphtha Soap 10c; Silk Soap ..... 5c

### A Few Specials for Saturday and Monday Only

- Swift Hams, the lb. .... 24c
- The Best Wrapped Bacon ..... 20c
- The Best Salt Pork ..... 15c
- California Pinto Beans, the lb ..... 9c
- 1 can No. 2 Tomatoes ..... 10c
- 1 can No. 2 Corn ..... 10c
- 3 cans No. 1 Pork and Beans ..... 25c
- 1 Gallon California Whole Sour Pickles, 85c
- White Swan Oats ..... 25c
- 5 bars good Laundry soap and one pure Aluminum Sauce pan, all for ..... 35c
- 6 1-2 lb. Crackers, packed in good Bread box all for ..... 95c

# Texas Merc. Co.

### FREE VOTING COUPON

This Coupon will count for 100 votes when signed by a subscriber.

Name of Subscriber .....

Vote for .....

This coupon is void if not voted before Oct. 9th

# 7 PER CENT MONEY

To loan on good farm or ranch property.

F. N. May and J. T. Garrett



**SANTA ANNA NEWS**

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

J. J. Gregg, Editor and Pub.

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Friday, October 5, 1923

**MAKING THE UNFIT FIT**

Intensive military training develops weak men into hardy ones.

During the past summer an experiment was conducted at Camp McClellan, Ala., which has demonstrated the truth of this statement.

One hundred and twenty military training camp students were selected for their physical unfitness for military service. At the end of three busy weeks of military training they were turned out as "potentially capable fighting men."

Investigation showed that there was a remarkable improvement in weight, chest expansion, height, mental alertness and enthusiasm, thus transforming physical defectives into real men. This ought to be an argument for military training for all our boys. Any kind of training that is good for the individual is equally good for our country, and should be encouraged in every way.

**EDITOR'S FIRST DUTY**

The two purposes of a country newspaper are to make money and to serve the community. Making money is put first for the paper that is not making money cannot serve the community, it is bound to be a poor down-at-the-heels affair. You owe it to your community to make your paper make money.

Political parties and prospective candidates are now flooding the mails, especially to the newspapers over the country, with

political dope, (bull) trying to pave the way for the campaign next year. Every mail brings us a new supply, and causes us to have to empty the waste basket about twice as often as would be necessary if such stuff was barred from the mails. The editor has never been solicited to run for any office, and is not aspiring any office, but should we ask for any office it would be for a place in the legislature, and our platform would be very brief. In it would be a clause to oppose the passing of any new laws, and another clause to the effect that we would use our efforts to repeal many of the present laws now on our statutes. If any honorable citizen in this country will come out for representative of this district on this platform next year, the News will support him.

If fifty of our foremost citizens, representing all shades of political and religious beliefs, were to unanimously agree that a certain thing should be done the kicker would find fault with it. It would be wrong because others considered it right. The kicker seldom considers a question upon its merits. In fact, he doesn't do much of any considering at all. He just winds up his kicker, starts it to moving, and never allows it to stop. He will go out of this world as he came in, kicking—and but few will kick over his departure. Have a little of the consideration that he does not possess, and don't name him.

**IN SEPTEMBER**

The public school graduates in June felt themselves able to manage the world. Those who have tried to earn a living are finding that the world does not show them the same sympathy now that it did on commencement night. Their September view is far less roseate than was their June vision. By June of next year they will understand that, while "beyond the Alps lies Italy," beyond the schoolroom lies the world, and the world is a good deal bigger than Italy and the Alps and the school room combined. The graduates who "finished their education" in June may now buckle down to the work of beginning their real

education. It may sound strange to them to talk of "beginning" a thing they have "finished," but this is precisely what confronts them.

**THE CRITICAL PUBLIC**

The man who gets angry about what a newspaper prints about him should return thanks a dozen times each day for what the newspaper knows of him and suppresses. Any fool can find things to print in a newspaper but it takes a wise editor to know the things that should be kept out.

It is generally supposed that newspapers print everything they can find out that is anywhere near fit to print, but that is a mistaken idea. The average country newspaper refrains from publishing many things that might pass as news, because it would reflect on the character or reputation of some individual, and indirectly on his family and the town.

And this reminds us, and we presume other newspapers have noticed it, that if anything happens to get into the paper that does not please some subscriber—and we have known of such cases where the offended person has not, and never had been a subscriber—it does not take long for the person to let the editor know all about it. On the other hand, a newspaper may say all kinds of good things about this same person and throw bouquets promiscuously at the others, yet not once in a hundred times will the compliment be noticed or the editor thanked.

This goes to show that people take too much as a matter of course. A newspaper is expected to speak well of everybody, boom the town, and do a lot of hard work for "the good of the cause," for it cost nothing to run a newspaper—so too many seem to think. It is fortunate that most publishers are public-spirited citizens. They do much without hope of reward on earth, content if they see good accomplished through their efforts.

If people would spend a little less time growling about high prices and a little more time reading the advertisements in the Santa Anna News announcing special values, they would come out better.

And now the latest mathematical calculation is, how many millions of German marks can a fellow buy for an American penny?

**ROCKWOOD ITEMS**

The melancholy days have come—the saddest of the year—October with its ever changing colors and ever present bill collectors is with us.

Farmers are too busy to talk and most all the goods box warmers are absent during the week.

Mr. Atchinson, the genial foreman of the concrete bridge work, spent Sunday with home folks at Merkel, Texas.

Marvin Bowers spent Sunday in Santa Anna with home folks.

Miss Bill Reese of Colorado City spent a few days of last week with Miss McIlvain.

Miss Oderra Gillen who is to be one of our faculty for Rockwood High visited Mrs. H. A. Lawrence last Friday.

Mrs. Fred Shuford entertained the Methodist and Baptist ladies last Thursday. Mrs. Hart won in the drawing contest. A salad course was served to some 25 guests, all agreeing that it was one of the most enjoyable affairs given recently.

Cal Stobaugh and family returned to their home last Monday after a visit with relatives here.

Misses Myrtle, Nellie and Nora Doyle attended singing at Sam Rutherford's Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie King were called to Coleman Tuesday afternoon in response to a telephone message stating the death of one of Mrs. King's cousins.

Lev. Lawrence of Brooksmith was a business visitor here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hall accompanied by Mr. Hall's father and mother, went to Mason on a business trip last week.

Carl Brown of Eldorado was a pleasant visitor here Sunday. **SEPTEMBER MORN.**

**BUSINESS STABILITY**

All the great banks and mercantile surveyors agree that the business of the summer has given evidence of stability.

Summer is not a time of business. The farmers crops are now being harvested—and, what is economically more important—marketed. Entire industries are forced to mark time, and for instance, manufacturers of cotton goods. The hazards of the crop, with a negligible carryover have all summer tantalized the first purchasers of the great southern staple, with the result that the mills have been inactive. Increasing business at the fagend of the summer, however, indicates not only the growth of confidence among manufacturers, but argues the existence of a reservoir of demand which will soon be returned loose.

The same tendencies are seen in other dull lines. A few others, notably the shoe trade, are already enjoying a period of relatives boom.

Firpo says he wants a second whack at Jack Dempsey. Yes, if he could pull down another \$165,000 it would be very nice. Being a pugilist gets some big juicy grapes, but preaching the Gospel to save men's souls and spread joy and gladness throughout the earth still commands a very meager portion of the circulating medium.

A navy aviator is said to have flown 250 miles an hour, thus establishing a speed rate at which it would be possible for a fellow to escape the average bill collector.

**Cut This Out—It Is Worth Money!**  
Send this ad and ten cents to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive a ten cent bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar for Coughs and Colds, and free sample packages of Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Try these wonderful remedies.—C. K. Hunter, druggist.

**PRACTICAL**

In commenting upon County Agents and Home Demonstrators, the San Angelo Standard says:

Farm and home demonstration agents in Tom Green county are the practical educator of this section, conveying to the producers the message that they cannot profit most when they allow their smokehouse to jerate in Kansas City. Bringing the message of diversification, living at home, and co-operation, they are leading the producers of Tom Green "out of the wilderness," so to speak, on to the plains of prosperity. The Brown wood Bulletin, in similar vein, comments as follows on the home demonstration agents work in Brown county:

"This is an age of 'practical education.' And about the most practical education of which we have seen a sample is that which is being carried on through the office of the county home demonstration agent, who is teaching the girls of the rural communities to preserve innumerable farm products which heretofore have been wasted because of a lack of markets. All kinds of fruits and vegetables are being canned in such a way as to be marketable, and if the consumers of the county have an ounce of patriotism and loyalty in their bones, they will provide the market."

And in Nolan county it might be added, when W. C. Calvert was first employed as County Farm Agent, eggs were being imported to supply the home consumption. Now Nolan county ships many cars of chickens, eggs, and turkeys each year, adding appreciably to the county income, in addition to saving the money that was formerly sent out to buy eggs. That one item alone ought to be sufficient to clinch the argument.—Sweetwater Reporter.

Ease the pain of a rheumatic attack by a rubbing application of Ballard's Snow Liniment. It relieves tenderness and strengthens the joints. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 bottles. Sold by all druggists.

**KEEPING THE TAXES DOWN**

Recently there appeared a statement that at the end of the fiscal year a surplus existed in the treasury.

When it was suggested that a reduction of taxes might follow, Senator Reed Smoot of Utah

**When You Think of Groceries**

---You do not think of Groceries alone but you ask yourself where you can get **QUALITY** and **SERVICE** with them.

**Phone Us Your Orders**

Our phone numbers are 48 and 70, and you will receive the quickest possible service and the most **COURTEOUS TREATMENT** from

**Hunter Bros.**

48—"The Home of Good Eats"—70  
P. S. If Phone 48 is busy call Number 70

warned the public that taxes could not be reduced. The Utah Senator is more frank than some other Senators and does not hesitate to speak very plainly.

Senator Curtis of Kansas says there must be found new sources of taxation. He has found one, the billboards, the advertising signs along the highways, as legitimate subjects for Federal taxation.

Instead of cutting down taxes these Senators, and perhaps others, are planning to increase taxes. They want more money to spend. That is what they consider to be their mission to spend money, not to save it.

The man in Congress who advocates saving money is not considered to be a good politician. But the people's attitude on this question is not the same as that of these distinguished men. Progress has been made in putting business into the government, eliminating the duplication of work, reducing the number of useless employes and practicing economies. If the good work is continued as it has commenced, in a little time a reduction in taxes could take place. The majority of the people think they are paying high enough taxes now. They think they are getting too much government and that it is costing them too much. They want to see some plan carried out which will consider their pocketbooks a little and enable them to enjoy just as good government as they have today and pay less for it.

These are old-fashioned notions but they exist and must be reckoned with.—Portland, Me., Press-Herald.

**RUG SALE**

A nice assortment of Gold Seal Congo Rugs, 18x36 inches; while they last for..... 49c

Just received a shipment of Stove pipes, elbows and dampers.

Boys Express Wagons at a price you can't afford to pass up.

Men's underwear in Union and two piece suits. Get our prices before you buy elsewhere.

Bulb Bowls that are very attractive for 50c.

Flower pots, from 15c to ..... 50c.

**Blue Racket Store**

**LOANS**

We have plenty of money to loan on Farms and Ranches. Long terms. Low rate interest. Liberal contract.

Also some choice farms for sale, good terms.

Come to see us, or write us.

**KNIGHT & PEARCE**  
Culp Building Coleman, Texas

**T O T R A D E**

Good Plains Land For Coleman County Property.

**F. N. May and J. T. Garrett**

**DEVOL**

Paint and Varnish Products

Prevent Destruction



Can your furniture withstand the daily damage of living?

Constant use of your possessions brings down on tables and dressers a disfiguring rain of blows. A hundred articles stab, slash, dent, batter and hack till the wood is pitted and marred and the value is gone. Devol Paint and Varnish Products prevent this destruction. They give your furniture a charmed life. Blows are warded off, beauty and usefulness preserved throughout years of use.

**Adams Mercantile Company**



WEEK PROGRAM

At  
**Best Theatre**

Monday and Tuesday, 8 and 9.

**"THE FORGOTTEN LAW"**

A picture worth seeing. CAST: Milton Sills, Jack Mulhall, Cleo Ridgely, Alec B. Francis, Muriel Dana and others. Comedy in connection.

WEDNESDAY only

William S. Hart  
in

**"TRAVELING ON"**

THURSDAY only  
Marion Davies  
in

**"BEAUTY'S WORTH"**

and Comedy.

FRIDAY  
GOOD FEATURE PICTURE

SATURDAY

**"SINGLE HANDED"**

Featuring Hoot Gibson and Comedy.

NOTICE:—Lots of tent shows in town, but don't forget your home picture show. We have to live and this is our home, where we pay taxes and spend our money, so don't forget the picture show will be open.  
**KEELING BROS.**

NOTICE

(Presbyterian Church)  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
11 a. m. a lecture to the young people mostly, but old people are to be included, by Rev. J. N. Burrow.

7:00 Christian Endeavor. Every one invited to attend.

W. O. W. NOTICE

Delinquent Woodman may now reinstate FREE. See me at once for particulars.—J. S. Jones clerk. 19-1f.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Little Miss Queenie Gregg entertained several of her friends and classmates at a birthday party Monday, October 1st, given in honor of her 12th anniversary. There were eighteen present and a number of gifts were received. Refreshments were served at the close of the entertainment and all reported having a nice time.

JUNIOR B. Y. P. U.

Israel's First King.  
Why Israel wanted a King—Queenie Gregg.  
Samuel takes his troubles to God—Garrett Slaughter.  
Saul hunts for his father's asses—Lola Harvey.  
Saul and Samuel meet—Nila Slaughter.  
Samuel guest at the feast—Phoebe Merrel Hefner.  
The talk on the roof—Leon Bartlett.  
Saul is anointed King—Mable Kizer.  
Illustrations—Queenie Gregg.  
Special song—Nell Sue Nabours, Tommie Tisdale.  
Memory work—Hays Hefner.

SENIOR B. Y. P. U.

Devotional Meeting—Coveting Christian Gifts.  
Leader—Fatima Bartlett.  
Bible Drill—Mary McCorkle.  
Introduction—Leader.  
What may a Christian Covet?—Mrs. T. S. Slaughter.  
Spiritual Gifts are from God—Pear Traylor.  
Spiritual Gifts For Service—Thelma Martin.  
God's Gifts Differ—Joe McKay.  
Coveting Gifts For What?—Alta Neil.  
Special Music—Louise Campbell.

Miss Daisy Robin left last week for Bronte, Texas, where she will teach school the coming term.

Mrs. J. B. Wilson claims the distinction of being the champion cotton picker in the country, age compared. Mrs. Wilson reports to the News that she put out three family washings a day last week and picked eleven hundred pounds of cotton. Next.

SUFFERS FROM PTOMAIN POISON

O. C. Petty, mechanic for the Santa Anna Motor company, was confined to his room from an early hour Sunday night to the mid-week suffering with an attack of ptomaine poison. Mr. Petty is unable to account for the sudden attack of ptomaine, which dealt him much misery for several hours, but he responded nicely to medical treatment and is now able to be out again.

Ross Kelley and family returned last Thursday from a several weeks tour of the west. While gone they visited several places of interest in the states of New Mexico, Colorado and others. During the month of August they were in sight of snow many times and often slept under as many as three quilts to be comfortable. They made the trip in a Ford Truck with a small cottage body built on the chassis, which made camping very convenient. They saw many historical buildings of interest as well as other scenes. Mr. Kelley kept a record of the trip and made it very economically.

Notice to Delinquent Tax Payers

The officers do not wish to run anyone to extra expense, but they have their duties to perform, and the law requires them to do certain things at certain times, and if they should fail or neglect to do these things the law requires them to do, they become violators of the law.

Hence all delinquent tax payers who do not pay their taxes by the 15th day of October, they will find that their negligence has cost them some money as it is my duty to file all tax suits by then. I cannot give time, but I give this notice that all may be saved the cost of suit by prompt payment.

T. E. STRONG, County Attorney

The fellow who goes back on his friends can never understand why he has so few

Worry never removes trouble.

PARKER-BOUNDURANT

An interesting wedding of the season was that of Miss Annie Lou Parker and Mr. O. M. Bondurant, which occurred Thursday evening at eight o'clock at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. G. W. Faulkner, Rev. R. A. Crosby officiating.

The home was artistically decorated with queens wreath, roses and ferns. The improvised altar from which the impressive ring ceremony was read, being a profusion of ferns and vines.

The pre-nuptial music was given by Miss Inez Marshall, who gave To a Wild Rose. The bridal party entered to the strains of the march from Lohengrin played by Miss Marshall who played softly during the ceremony.

Miss Ruby Brannan was the maid of honor. She wore a white net dress over pink satin, and carried a bouquet of deep pink roses and queens wreath.

The brides maids, neices of the bride, were Misses Mary Hobson of Dallas, who wore a lovely gown of light and dark rose moire, and Miss Lela Faulkner, charming in a pink and white. Satin and lace gown; both carried bouquets of pink roses tied with bows of tulle.

Little Mary Louise Davis of Dallas, in a white organdie frock, carried the ring, hidden in a gorgeous lily.

Mr. Drury Bondurant, brother of the groom was best man.

The bride entered with the bride groom. She wore an exquisite hand drawn white georgette over Satin. Her veil was of tulle and was arranged with a cover of orange blossoms. She carried an arm bouquet of bride's roses and lilies.

After the ceremony an informal reception was held with Mrs. H. E. Hobson of Dallas, sister to the bride, presiding at the cutting of the bride's cake. Miss Adeline Parker presided over the bride's book.

Brick cream and bride's cake were served.

The out of town guests were Mesdames H. E. Hobson, H. L. Davis and little daughter, Mary Louise, Miss Mary Hobson and Mr. Jim Parker of Dallas, and Mr. Drury Bondurant of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Bondurant left on the train for Abilene immediately after the marriage. She wore a going away costume of brown pique twill with hat and accessories to match.

They will be at home at 726 Cedar Street, Abilene, Texas. — Contributed.

For skin eruption, rash, chafed skin, prickly heat, chigger bites and stings of poisonous insects, Ballard's Snow Liniment is an effective application. It heals quickly. Three sizes, 30c, 60c, and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Have we such an attraction as the "worst gossip in town"? Or have we any gossips at all? Of course you are not expected to name her, because you have troubles enough. But we're not going to say anything more about gossips, because there is nothing left that has not already been said. Out of their own mouths they are named, labeled, and set aside in a class by themselves.

If Christ lived in this town today what would he do? He would muzzle the kicker, convert the gossip, ginger up the do-nothings encourage thrift and enterprise, promote community harmony, commend the booster, cast out the destroyer, and abolish jazz. But Christ doesn't live here, and it's left for you and the rest of us to do the good work.

ROOMS FOR RENT—C. E. WELCH.

Coughs Disturb School Work  
School teachers should give the same advice to children who have coughs as did this Florida teacher. "I recommended Foley's Honey and Tar to the children in my school who had the 'flu' and good results came when ever it was used," writes Mrs. J. Armstrong, Okeechobee, Fla.—C. E. Hunter, druggist.

POST NOTICE  
The public is hereby notified not to trespass in any manner on the Freeman and Haden premises, 8 miles Southwest of Santa Anna, situated on Home Creek, near Milligan crossing. tf

KASH Pedigreed Cotton seed—The Originator of Kash Pedigreed cotton planting seed authorizes me to solicit orders for fall deliveries. If interested see, write or phone 3412.—W. L. Alford. 32-1f.



**If in doubt use CALUMET**  
The Economy BAKING POWDER

the next time you bake— give it just one honest and fair trial. One test in your own kitchen will prove to you that there is a big difference between Calumet and any other brand—that for uniform and wholesome baking it has no equal.

Sales 2 1/2 times as much as that of any other brand

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THE WORLD'S GREATEST BAKING POWDER

Local Advertising

FOR SALE—Buick Roadster, 1922 model, in good condition.—W. C. Ford & Company Garage.

WANT to buy Second-Hand Windmill and Tower. Apply at News office. 40-1f

FOR SALE—My home, consisting of 5 room house and 4 acres of land, gas and city water connections, 2 wells of water on place; could be used for irrigation. Price reasonable.—Mrs. D. F. Rackley, Santa Anna, Tex. 43

BARGAIN—New Ford Coupe.—R. M. Stephenson.

FOR SALE—1000 or 1500 bundles of cane.—Dave Banks, north of town, on W. W. Wheeler farm.

CHICKENS and eggs wanted at Santa Anna Produce Co. Will pay the highest market price.

To My Friends and the Public: I am still representing the Old Reliable Austin Nursery, and will be canvassing in the county this fall. Please hold your orders for me and the same will be appreciated. We sell the best of everything and guarantee satisfaction.—J. C. Alcorn, Bangs, Texas. 40-4f

TWO ROOMS FOR RENT—In west part of town.—Mrs. V. A. Williams. 40-1f

BRING your Eggs to the Santa Anna Produce Company and get 25 cents in cash.

FOR SALE—Three spans good young mules; 500 bales hauled oats.—Miles and Grady. 40-4c

FOR RENT—Two dwellings in west part of town; one with bath and sewage.—T. M. Hays, M. D. 40-2tp

WE pay cash for chickens and eggs and will pay the highest market price.—Santa Anna Produce Co.

FOR SALE—Good dining room Table at reasonable price. Phone 176.

FOR SALE—6 room dwelling house, in southwest part of town, 2 lots price reasonable. For further information see R. B. Renfro, the barber. 27-4c.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—320 acres of land in Devaca, New Mexico. This land is situated in a good apple country and can be irrigated from the river or wells. For particulars see Ed Sanderson. 39-1f.

Notice to Delinquent Tax Payers  
You can save the cost of suit by paying your delinquent taxes before suit is filed by the County Attorney.  
J. C. LEWIS, Tax Collector. 21

LOTS FOR SALE—Lots 10, 11 and 13, Block 32, Banister Addition. These lots are extra large, located just South of school house, and are ideal building sites for parents desiring to move to town to school their children. Will take \$700 for the three, or if sold separately want \$225 each for lots 10 and 11 and \$325 for lot 13.—John R. Banister, Box 221, Houston, Tex. 27-4

FOR SALE—Baled Oats.—W. E. VANDERFORD. 39-1f.



**WRIGLEYS**  
After Every Meal

Have a packet in your pocket for ever-ready refreshment.

Aids digestion.  
Alays thirst.  
Soothes the throat.

For Quality, Flavor and the Sealed Package, get

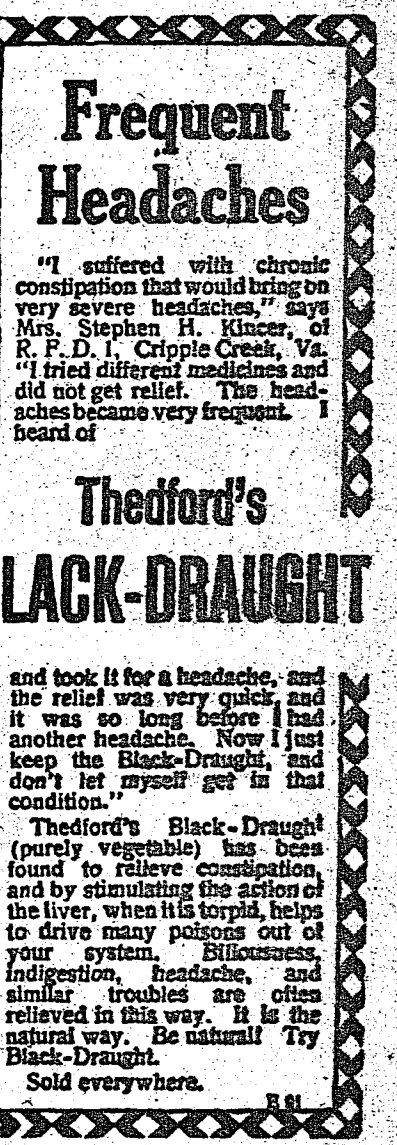
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THE FLAVOR LASTS

To remove bilious impurities in the system and be made internally clean and healthy, you need the fine tonic and laxative properties of Herbine. It acts quickly and thoroughly. Price 60c. Sold by all druggists.

STOP THAT ITCHING  
Use Blue Star Remedy for Eczema, Itch, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Ring Worms, Chapped Face, Poison Oak, Sunburns, Old Sores or Sores on Children. It relieves all forms of Sore Feet. For sale by  
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Fire and Tornado Insurance  
W. E. BAXTER  
Santa Anna, Texas



**Frequent Headaches**

"I suffered with chronic constipation that would bring on very severe headaches," says Mrs. Stephen H. Klauer, of R. F. D. 1, Cripple Creek, Va. "I tried different medicines and did not get relief. The headaches became very frequent. I heard of

**Theodor's BLACK-DRAUGHT**

and took it for a headache, and the relief was very quick, and it was so long before I had another headache. Now I just keep the Black-Draught, and don't let myself get in that condition."

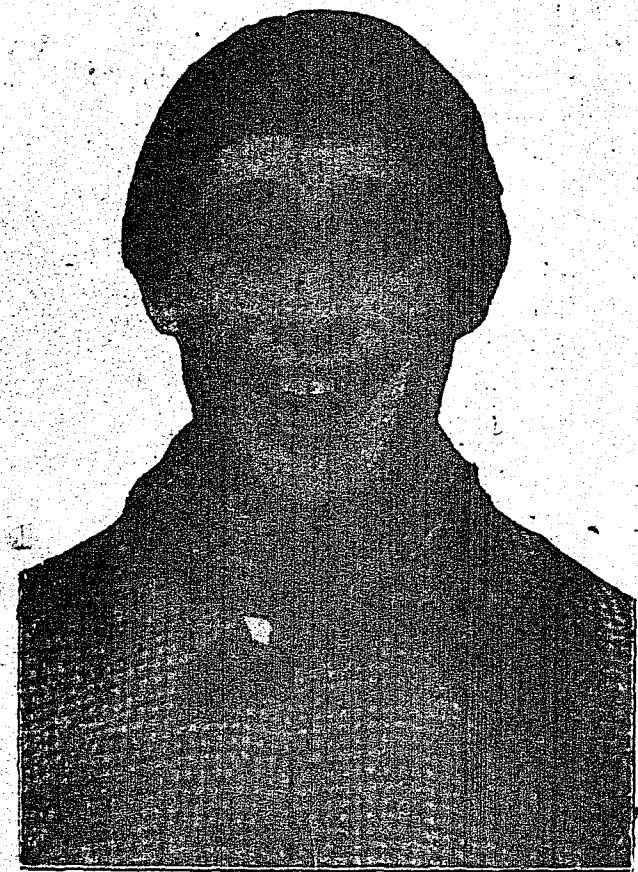
Theodor's Black-Draught (purely vegetable) has been found to relieve constipation, and by stimulating the action of the liver, when it is torpid, helps to drive many poisons out of your system. Biliousness, indigestion, headache, and similar troubles are often relieved in this way. It is the natural way. Be natural! Try Black-Draught. Sold everywhere.

**Look Who's Coming !!**  
MONDAY, OCT. 8 ONE WEEK

**HARLEY SADLER'S NO. 2**  
IN BIG TENT THEATRE

Opening Play "THE COUNTRY BOY" 4 Acts  
Featuring Carl Thomas, Comedian

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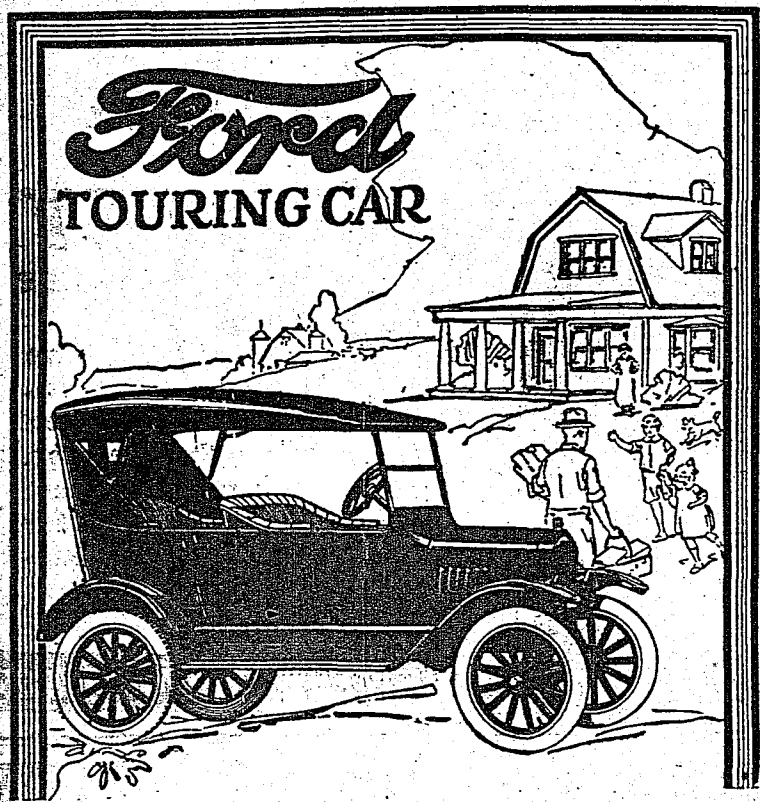
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List of Prizes Given Away by Santa Anna News



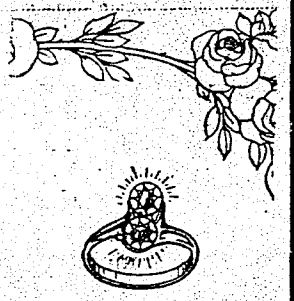
Grand Capital Prize

\$452.00 Latest Model Touring Car

Complete equipped with self-starter and all the latest attachments to make a serviceable pleasure and family car. This car has already been purchased from the

Santa Anna Motor Co.

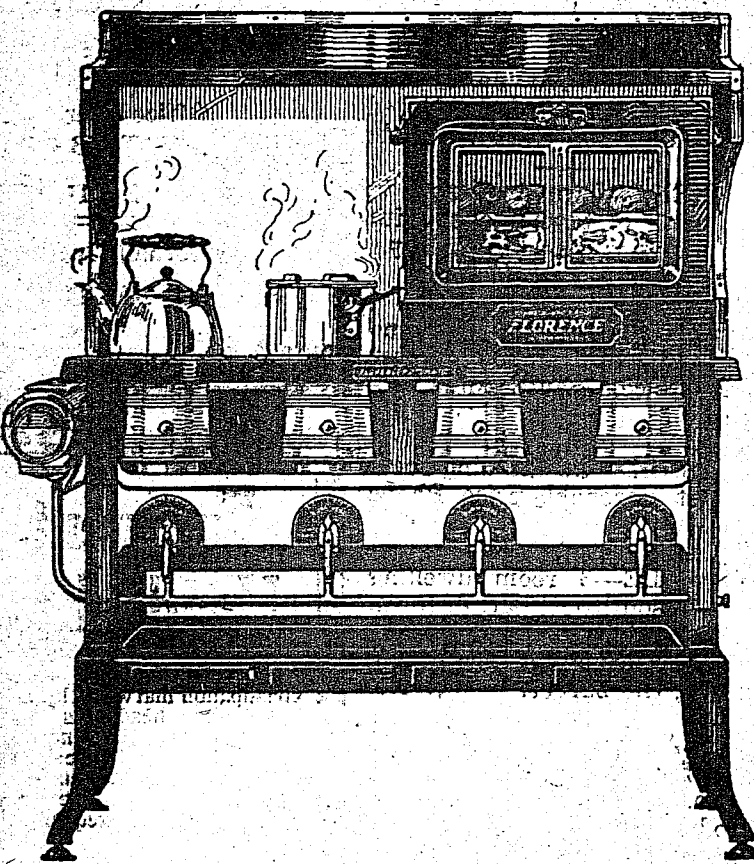
Second Prize \$105.00 Diamond Ring



A perfect cut, sparkling, genuine solitaire, set in a popular 18 Karat Solid White Gold ring, purchased from Mrs. Comer Blue and is now on display at her Jewelry Store in this city for your inspection. Call and see this beautiful and valuable prize, it alone is worth your efforts in this great subscription building campaign.

THIRD PRIZE

\$40 4-Burner Oil Cook Stove Complete



Purchased from and on display at W. R. Kelley & Co., Groceries and Hardware.

Each contestant reporting regularly not winning a prize will receive 10 per cent cash commission.

SCHEDULE OF VOTES

1 year \$1.00	1000 votes
2 years \$2.00	2500 votes
3 years \$3.00	4500 votes
4 years \$4.00	7000 votes
5 years \$5.00	10000 votes
10 years \$10.00	22500 votes
20 years \$20.00	50000 votes

For subscriptions outside of territory add 50 per cent to above in cash and the same number of votes will apply.

High School Football Has Good Prospects

The Santa Anna High School opened the foot ball season this year with Coleman's team on Sept. 21, with a splendid game. The local team lost to Coleman with a margin of only two touch downs. Considering the fact that Coleman has several of their old letter men back on their team, this was a splendid showing. The Santa Anna team has only four of the regular men of last year in the squad, but have some good new material, and are expecting to dish defeat out to the boys from the county seat here on Oct. 12.

The second game of the season was played here on last Saturday with the Brady High Team, which has eight old letter men from last year in their line up. It was a battle royal from the time the ball was kicked off until the final whistle was sounded. The Brady team had us in experience and fought manfully, but could not withstand the furious attacks of the hard driving Santa Anna boys. Although the local boys made only one touch down, they clearly out played Brady in at least three quarters of the game. The home boys goal line was in danger at only one time during the entire game. The visitors succeeded in carrying the ball over the twenty yard line where they were held for downs, during the third quarter. The ball was carried within striking distance of Brady's goal line several times during the game but the local boys through costly fumbles etc., failed to get it over more than the one time. The ball was on Brady's twelve yard line at the close of the game and from every indication would have been carried over for another touch down within a very few minutes. It was a clean game from beginning to end. The visitors are to be congratulated upon their good sportsmanship.

The Santa Anna boys play Ballinger here to-day, Friday, October 5, in the afternoon, and, as has been stated, Coleman here on Oct. 12. We need your support. Come out and assist us in putting things over.

A PARTY

Mrs. Ford Barnes entertained her Expression class Saturday afternoon with a party and private recital. Each member of the class was given the privilege of inviting one friend. After playing various games on the lawn, the following gave enjoyable readings: Edith Lowe, Bernice Turner, Velma Sealy, Mary Harriet Simpson, Eileen Barnes, Queenine Gregg, Eris Gregg, Bessie Evans, Billie and Beth Barnes. After being served refreshing punch and cake, the young guests departed with expressions of having spent a pleasant time.

**LIVERGARD**—the New Laxative Mothers: LIVERGARD is the new Laxative we cannot improve. Safe and best for the Baby, Father, Mother, grandparents, sickly and strong. When the bowels are sluggish, LIVERGARD makes laughing babies of puny ones; keeps old folks young; a bottle today keeps ill away. Children are eager for it, grown-ups praise it. At good drug stores. Write us for free samples.

Lungardia Company, Dallas, Texas For Sale by C. K. Hunter

MUST WORK TOGETHER

No town can grow as it should unless its people work together in its upbuilding. The history of every city that has had rapid and substantial growth will show that united and enthusiastic work of its people had the greatest part in making it grow. In towns where a few live men boost and work the town's upbuilding and many are indifferent and do nothing, the work of city building is exceedingly difficult and the results slow in coming. If all boost and help to build up the town it is an easy matter to make the town push forward.

AUCTION SALE

I will on the 20th day of October, 1923, sell to the highest bidder for cash, all my Household and Kitchen Furniture, Honey Bees, Horses, Mules, Cows and Calves. This sale will be at my farm, seven miles southeast of Santa Anna.—S. M. Polk, Sr. 3t

Ford Motor Company Makes

PRICE REDUCTION

The Lowest Price in the History of Ford Cars

\$230.00

For Chassis

Prices of All Models F. O. B. Detroit, Mich.

- Touring . \$295.00
- Roadster . 265.00
- Coupe . 525.00
- 4-door Sedan 685.00
- Truck . 370.00
- Fordson . 420.00

No change in Lincoln prices.

These very low prices are made possible through the large volume of production and are in conformity with the policy of the Ford Motor Co. in providing the utmost per dollar in transportation

Santa Anna Motor Co.

Lincoln Ford Fordson

NIWAT ITEMS

The farmers have been going on nicely with their cotton picking this week.

Miss Vera Brooks spent the afternoon with Miss Virgie Morgan Saturday.

Miss Eula Baugh spent Sunday with Misses-Virgie and Dimmie Morgan.

Mr. Nolan Parson spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. Elam Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Baugh spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hibbits.

Mrs. Pauline Cupps spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. W. L. Baugh.

Misses Eula Baugh and Lena Crow went to town Saturday on a bale of cotton.

A nice crowd attended Sunday School Sunday.

Dick Baugh, Neva Parson, Byron Moore, Alvin Tussell attended the Fair at Abilene last week.

Virgie and Dimmie Morgan and Eula Baugh got drunk on lemonade Sunday mornig at Mr. Morgan's.

The Brooks girls got their bale of cotton out Friday at noon so they got to quit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bland visited in the Choate home Sunday.

West Texas Dish Washers.

twenty days after the killing of said animal."

The County Attorney of Eastland county is having the above published in the county papers, and serving notice that the law must be complied with. The law is the law, and if it is worthless lets have it repealed.

Weather Changes Cause Sickness

Extreme changes of weather during Fall cause many colds and coughs. For quick relief from throat, chest and bronchial trouble, coughs, colds and croup use Foley's Honey and Tar. Contains no opiates—ingredients printed on the wrapper. Largest selling cough medicine in the world.—C. K. Hunter, druggist.

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR SALE

We have a number of standard Scholarships to Tyler Commercial College, for sale at a reasonable discount. If you are interested in taking a business training in the best Commercial Training School in the world, come in and let us tell you how we can save you some money on a scholarship.—Santa Anna News.

Buy your supplies in Santa Anna and get the best.

A Dollar Jar of Cold Cream

FREE

with every purchase of a dollar box of

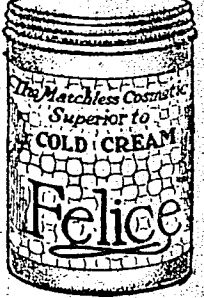
Poudre FELICE de Corday

The Great French Creation

Here is a face powder that will satisfy you every desire, prove it genuine delight to your esthetic sense and bring to you the joy of a perfect complexion, exemplified in a skin as soft and fresh as that of tender youth. And to your further supreme gratification you will find that it STAYS ON—under all conditions—resisting successfully heat, wind and perspiration.

\$2.00 Value for \$1.00

Remember, a BIG dollar jar of Felice Cold Cream, the matchless cosmetic, superior to any product of its kind. Absolutely FREE, with every purchase of a box of Poudre Felice. Don't miss the opportunity to accept this wonderful combination offer.



Every Saturday

at

Corner Drug Co.

JUST OR UNJUST, IT'S THE LAW

Among the several thousand new laws being imposed upon the people and violated because of ignorance of their existence. We find the following in the Criminal Statutes:

"The Criminal Statutes provide that every person engaged in butchering and slaughtering animals must make report to the Commissioners Court at each Regular Term thereof, the number, color, age, sex, marks and brands of every animal slaughtered since the last term of said Court, and same must be accompanied with a bill of sale or written conveyance to him of every such animal. Every such person so engaged must register his name with the County Clerk of the County in which he is so engaged. Every person must execute a bond in a sum of not less than two hundred and not more than one thousand dollars to be approved by the County Judge and same must be filed with the County Clerk, and a failure to do so carries a penalty for such refusal. Said person must keep a record of all cattle slaughtered by him. No person engaged as a butcher can buy any such animals unless the person selling same has the hide of such animal with him for inspection at the time of selling said cattle. The hide of said animal must be inspected by an inspector or magistrate within

**N-R JUNIORS**—Little fits One-third the regular dose. Made of same ingredients, then candy coated. For children and adults.

**CHIPS OFF THE OLD BLOCK**

**HUNTER'S PHARMACY**



**Inspiration**

How eagerly plans for Fall costumes take form when the new fabrics are revealed. Autumn's favored materials seem to reflect the rich and colorful charm of this luxurious season.

Our displays of Fall fabrics feature lustrous silks for modish frocks, woollens in new weaves and colorings, and practical cotton materials for school dresses, house dresses and lingerie.



**NEW FABRICS**  
for Fall Dressmaking

**Accomplishment**

Most homes resemble busy workshops these days. Flying needles and whirring sewing machines are transforming beautiful Fall fabrics into modish costumes. There is double satisfaction in this activity which makes possible frocks of the season's latest styles at such a decided saving. Fine quality materials for every sewing need will be found in our present Autumn displays.



**Sage Reflections on Tricks of Fashions**

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**PLEATS** pursue their straight and narrow way—Knife pleats appear every where—in Sport skirts, panels, sleeves, and collar arrangements. If you don't know what to do with a piece of material just pleat it.

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It's a season of tiers—in sleeves as well as in skirts. A smart finish to any long sleeve consists in circular pieces arranged in tier effect at the bottom of the sleeve. They may extend over the hand or turn back over the sleeve.

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**THERE'S** no excuse for a last year's frock to betray its age when a bit of the new neckwear will entirely transform it. Circular laces, vestees and neckwear are to be found at the neckwear counter.

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Little folks like middy suits with emblems sewed on the sleeves. These emblems are just like the Big folks use—and besides there's just the loveliest new middy braids to go with them.

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**SIDE** Ties on everything—even Kimonos and negliges have become one sided in style, and have a side bow like the new coats. Do see our silk and cotton materials for making these charming negliges.

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**DO** your Christmas Shopping Early—We mean just that—it's not a mistake reprinted from last year's Christmas advertising. For it's the best plan in the world to use the leisure hours to make these so-much-appreciated hand-made gifts you'll like to have ready for Christmas. Our fancy work department is full of new things for just this purpose.

**Silks Take on New Beauty**

If anything were needed to increase interest in Fall frocks the beauty of the Silks Beau Monde now on display would surely serve the purpose. For weaves and colorings seem more beautiful than ever before, and the texture of each silken fabric is a delight to the eye and to the touch.

Satins, brocades, crepes—they all lend themselves perfectly to the long, graceful lines, and drapings which characterize the mode

Priced from ..... \$2.00 to \$6.00 per yd.

**The Right Coat For The School Girl**

It must be an "all-weather" coat—for what matters wind or rain, sleet or snow to the modern girl? We are showing some excellently tailored coats of this type. Made of serviceable smart woollens, they are "up-to-the minute" in style, and practical to the last degree.

From ..... \$7.50 to \$15.50 each

Poirot Twill proves a happy choice for Fall Suit or frock. It tailors bountifully, takes well to the severity of style essential to such costumes, and because of its enduring quality will "hold" its smart lines though long service.

Poirot Twill in an attractive fine weave at \$3.00 per yd.



Burlington Hosiery in fashionable shades is an important detail in Fall costuming. In selecting Burlington hose you are assured of satisfactory wearing qualities as well as beauty of wear and color. Each pair fits perfectly, without a wrinkle over ankle or instep.

Priced \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.00 per pair



**Morning Dresses**

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The art of looking well before breakfast and all through a busy morning—lies largely in the choice of comfortable, becoming dresses. Make them of Utopia gingham or Agatha percale with such trimmings as bias bandings, contrasting pipings, and trimming braids.

UTOPIA GINGHAM ..... 25c yd.  
AGATHA PERCALE ..... 25c yd.

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Serge for school wear. For those cleverly styled dresses which are so serviceable and so becoming to school girls, here is a splendid quality of Storm Serge in Navy, Red, or Blue; priced \$1.25 per yd.

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Merite Trimmings are strikingly original—Do you desire some effective touch to lift that simple frock out of the ordinary into the distinctive? Consider the new Merite dress trimmings. A band at neck or sleeves, a cleverly placed trimming motif here or a beaded ornament there—and the desired effect is achieved with very little effort.

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Crepnge—A New Silcot. You'll see at once the wonderful possibilities of this new fabric. Soft and supple in texture, with a pronounced crepe weave, it is peculiarly adapted to the graceful lines of smart Autumn frocks \$2.50 per yd.

The House of Service

**R. P. CRUM & SON**

Santa Anna, Texas



# Openings

Fall Opening  
Cotton Opening  
School Opening

And now is a mighty good time to open a Bank Account with this bank.

—Your cotton money is as safe in this bank as any place in the world.

**The First State Bank**  
Santa Anna, Texas



## CAUGHT IN THE ROUND-UP

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Caton motored to Brownwood Sunday.

J. M. Morgan orders his paper changed from Rockwood to Santa Anna.

Miss Mae Stockard left last Friday for Waco, where she will visit for several weeks.

T. P. Archer of Buffalo Gap was looking after business matters here Tuesday.

Mr. Bryum, District clerk of Brown county, and wife visited in the Frank Edsall home Sunday.

Misses Ruby Brannan and Ruth Crosby left last week for Dallas where they entered S. M. U.

J. C. Lewis and family of Coleman visited his mother-in-law, Mrs. Whitlow and brother-in-law, Chas. Barnes Sunday.

Mrs. B. F. Rothermel has several carpenters busy building a good home in the east part of street.

Mrs. C. B. Peake and daughter, Mrs. Norcott of Big Springs, visited in the home of Mrs. Peake's sister, Mrs. T. T. Perry Sunday and Monday.

Taylor Curtis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Van E. Curtis of the News force came in from Dallas Sunday and went to work Monday in the Morgan Barber Shop.

Mrs. E. B. Dellinger returned to her home in Dallas last week after a several days visit here with relatives. Her mother, Mrs. W. D. Stephenson accompanied her home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Millhollen went to Priddy, Texas, Sunday to attend the funeral of P. T. Willis. Mr. Willis is an uncle of Mr. Millhollen and reared him to manhood.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Grady left Santa Anna this week, Mr. Grady going to Farwell, Texas, where he has employment and Mrs. Grady going to Topeka, Kan., to visit her parents. They were undecided when they left Santa Anna as to where they would make their future home.

S. H. Phillips attended the Abilene Fair last week.

Mrs. Ernest Overby visited her mother in Brownwood last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Shaw, of Coleman spent Sunday with relatives in Santa Anna.

R. L. Lane has recently built a new addition to his home in the east part of town.

Roy Gardner of Lott, Texas, is now working in the Renfro Barber shop.

L. Emet Walker, County Clerk of Coleman, was in the Mountain city Saturday and paid this office a friendly call while here.

The News is not immuned against mistakes, but when we make such no one is more willing and ready than we to correct them.

Rev. Henry Jangerman and wife left Monday for Chicago where Mr. Jangema will take a three years course in a Theological school.

Hardy Blue opened the penny weight scales at his store Tuesday and found 994 pennies. This was the largest number of pennies the writer ever saw at one time.

Robert Garrett returned last week from the west where he spent several months, spending the greater part of the time in the state of California, and is dispensing drinks at the C. K. Hunter Drug Store.

L. D. Boyd and Henry Jangema returned a few days ago from New Mexico. Mr. Boyd states that he likes Coleman county better than any country he saw except the Pecos Valley. He says the irrigated farms were fine.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Chambers of Wichita Falls and Mrs. M. E. Chambers of Abilene, were surprise dinner guests of Grandma, Mrs. M. E. Chambers Monday at noon.

Mr. Geo. Braner of Rising Star came in first of the week and is now canvassing the country for the next few weeks selling Sayman products. Mr. Braner has worked over this country for several years and enjoys a nice business in his line.

# Your Cotton Money

Your cotton money comes as a reward for many days of toil and effort by you and your family.

The safest and best way to handle the reward is to place it in a good bank, checking it out as you need it, each check being a receipt for the money spent. We solicit your banking business

**THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK**

C. W. WOODRUFF, Cashier

### CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of thanking our many friends and neighbors for their kindness shown us during the illness of our little son and brother. May God bless each and every one of you.  
W. R. McMinn and family.

### NOTICE

A lecture will be given Sunday, Oct. 6, 11 a. m. at the Presbyterian Church by Rev. J. N. Burrow to the young people. Every one invited to attend.

### NOTICE

We extend a special invitation to all boys and girls 9 to 12 years of age, to come to our B. Y. P. U. each Sunday afternoon, 3 o'clock. Come lets learn to do God's will and have a real happy time.  
Mrs. Rude, leader.

Serious Bladder Trouble  
"Could not stand nor sit and was forced to cry out from intense pain," writes Henry Williams, Tarkio, Montana. "The doctors said I had inflammation of the bladder and an operation was necessary. Tried Foley Kidney Pills and improved at once." Get the genuine Foley Kidney Pills.—C. K. Hunter, druggist.

FOR SALE—Jersey Milch cows.—D. J. Weathers, phone Trickham. 39-3tp.

FOR SALE—Six Hound Pup, \$10.00 per pair.—Andrew Jackson, (colored) on Weaver Ranch

TO RENT—2 furnished rooms or would board two school girls.—MRS. CHAS. OAKES. 1tp

BIGS AND NICE SHOATS FOR SALE—H. J. PARKER. 28-tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE for Good Mules, one Reo Car in good condition.—J. E. McClue. 2

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Dray Line.  
We haul Anything  
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FOR SALE—Full Blooded Mammoth Bronze Turkeys, hens \$5.00, toms \$7.00; also a 1917 model Ford racer car \$75.00.—E. D. Smith, Coleman, Texas, rte. 1.

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can be had in numerous brands and in many grades. The quality of your eats depends upon the brands and grades you buy.

## Best Grades Only

are sold at this store. Our customers demand them and we see that they get them.

## When Are You Going

to try trading with us? Others find trading here satisfactory and to their advantage. So will you.

Eggs Saturday 30c in trade. 25 lbs Best Cane Sugar, \$2.40 sack. High Patent Flour \$3.00 per 100. Extra High Patent \$3.35 per 100

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