

SANTA ANNA NEWS

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"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

AT THE CHURCHES

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school 9:45 A. M., D. Barnes, Supt.
Preaching 11:00 A. M. and 8:30 P. M.
Sunbeams 5 P. M.—Mrs. Ed Jones, leader.
Junior B. Y. P. U. 5 P. M.—Miss Mary McCorkle, leader.
Intermediates 7 P. M.—Mrs. O. B. Rude, leader.
Senior B. Y. P. U. 7 P. M.—Miss Elizabeth Walters, Pres.
J. M. Reynolds, Pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School 9:45 a. m., J. Frank Turner, Supt.
Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Epworth League at 7 p. m.
Woman's Missionary Society, business meeting Second Monday at 4 p. m.
Members are expected to be present at all services; a hearty welcome to all friends and strangers.
R. A. Crosby, Pastor.

EPWORTH LEAGUE

Subject—From Darkness to Light
Scripture Readings.
Training Christian Women in Africa—Doris Gilmore.
Things moving at Lubefu—Eugene Hensley.
Bible School in Africa—Roy Newman.
Evangelistic Training Schools—Thula Standley.
Leader—Georgia Gilmore.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday School at 10 a. m., P. VanDalson, Supt.
Preaching next Sunday 11 a. m. and 3:30 p. m., by Rev. Murray Anderson.
A cordial invitation is extended to all.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR

Presbyterian Church
Topic for Sept. 24, 1922.
How can we help Foreign Mission Work? Isa. 6:1-3.
1. (Missionary Meeting)
Leader—Arnold Davidson.
Helping by prayer, II Cor. 1:2-11—Roy Land.
By Becoming Missionaries, Mark 16:15—Bro. Davidson.
By Letter-writing, Rev. 2:1-3—Ere Oakes.
By Opening new Fields, II Cor. 10:14-18—Garner Morgan.
Choir Rehearsal 6:45.
Christian Endeavor 7.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Communion service each Sunday morning at 10:45 o'clock.
Singing each Sunday night.
Prayer meeting each Wednesday night.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bible Study 10 a. m.
Morning service 11 o'clock, subject, "Persecutions."
Evening service 7:45 p. m., subject, "Our Aim."
You are cordially invited to all services.
Leon Williams, Pastor.

SENIOR ENDEAVOR

Christian Church 6:45
Subject—How can we help Foreign Mission work?
Leader—Janita Creamer.
Scripture comments, (Isa. 6:1-8)—By Leader.
Songs—By Society.
Prayer—Eva Freeman.
What is our most out-standing mission work on the foreign fields? Annetta Tyson.
Tell the life story of one of our great foreign Missionaries—Lillian Freeman.
What is there about foreign missions that appeal to you?—Sam Polk.
Why should every Christian be a missionary enthusiast?—By Society.
Roll Call.
Vocal Solo—Madora Kirkpatrick.
Benediction.

Some people gain riches in their dreams and proceed to spend them in their waking hours.

People who worry over little things have no time left in which to accomplish the big ones.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY, MONDAY, 25.

Growth of State and Association Missions.
Hymn—"Bringing in the Sheaves."
Bible Study—Mrs. Pearce.
Hymn—"The Morning Light is Breaking."
Prayer—For Southern Baptist Convention States—Mrs. Tom Cambell.
Gems for His Crown Par. 1—Leader.
Alphabetical Roll Call of States.
Par. (2, 3, 4)—Mrs. McCreary.
Par. (5, 6, 7)—Mrs. Jim Newman.
Par. (8, 9, 10)—Mrs. R. C. Gay.
Par. (11, 12, 13)—Mrs. Slaughter.
Par. (14, 15, 16)—Mrs. Reynolds.
Par. (17, 18, 19)—Mrs. Sparkman.
Complete in Him—Mrs. Allen.
Sentence Prayers.
Dismissal Blest be the Tie that Binds.

MISSIONARY SOCIAL

Monday, Sept. 25th.
Hostess—Mrs. Kingsbery.
Subject—"Family Life."
Leader—Mrs. Bond.
1. Bible Lesson—"Jesus' Criterion of Greatness." (Mark 9:33-37).
2. Our social creed (see information for leaders)—Mrs. Prickett.
4. Hymn 321.
5. Prayer—Mrs. F. Turner.

MOTHERS CLUB

Hostess—Mrs. Leman Brown.
Time—4 o'clock.
Reading—Miss Bowen.
Solo—Miss Syble Simpson.
Paper—"How parents hinder the school work of their children"—Mrs. Bartlett.
Paper—"The development of selfishness in children"—Mrs. G. W. Faulkner.

EPWORTH LEAGUE SOCIAL

On Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Verner opened the doors of their home to the members of the Epworth League and their friends.
Everyone was soon enjoying themselves in the various kinds of entertainment furnished by the hostess. Much excitement and laughter took place over the different games and contests and the "late hour" came all too soon.
A delicious ice course was served, after which those present declared Mr. and Mrs. Verner an ideal host and hostess, and took their leave. Those present were Mrs. R. A. Crosby, Misses Ruby Brannan, Florence Dodgen, Doris Gilmore, Thula Standley Ruth Stephenson, Winnie Todd, Ruth Crosby, Lois Verner, Georgia Gilmore; Messers R. A. Crosby, R. H. Taylor, Elegeane Hensley, George Ralston, Cecil Verner, Roy Newman, Dick West, Cecil Gilmore, Uel Crosby, Odgen Brown, George England.

The News editor would like to see Coleman county join in the movement being put forth in several west Texas counties to get more milk cows and purebred poultry on the farms. Cotton is the main money crop in Coleman county, but cotton and credit generally goes together and makes a bad combination when a short cotton crop is made especially when the price is also short. This year we have a short crop but are getting a fair price for the staple, but the cash received for the crop will be insufficient to run the county until another crop is made without operating on a credit. Where a farmer has a few good dairy cows, a good flock of chickens and manages to bring something to town to sell every week in the year, adopts the pay-as-you-go plan, cotton money in the fall would roll up better deposits in the banks. A checking account at the bank is far better than a charge account at the store. Plenty of milk and butter for home consumption and a few dollars worth of butterfat to sell each week stimulates living at home, so does plenty of eggs and friers. Talk it over with your neighbors and tell us what you think of it.

HONORING MISS KINGSBERY

On Friday, September the 9th, Mrs. Archer Hunter and Miss Kathleen Turner were hostesses at the home of Mrs. Hunter, to a pretty luncheon honoring Miss Kingsbery, a bride of last week. The house was artistically decorated with cut flowers placed here and there throughout the reception suite.
At five o'clock luncheon was announced and the honoree led the guests into the brilliantly lighted dining room where the guests found their places marked with appropriate place cards. A miniature bride in snow white formed the center piece. A two course luncheon was served to the following guests: Mesdames Arthur Turner, Karl Wallace, Lampton Woodward, Archie Hunter, Misses Dot Mobley, Elsie Lee Harper, Florence Harper, Nettie Turner Kathleen Turner and the honoree. Out of town guest was Mrs. Lampton Woodward of Hico, cousin to the bride.

HONOR ROLL

Our new and renewal subscribers this week are:
Miss Jessie Hill, rte 3.
J. C. Newman, rte 3.
S. H. Duggins.
J. O. Owens, rte 2.
J. H. Brannan.
W. W. Forehand, Whon. rte.
W. L. Constable, rte 2.
L. L. Crippins, rte 2.
R. W. McIver, Trickham.
J. W. Townsley, rte 3.

Success does not always come to him who waits. The hustler steps in between and hogs it.
Eight hours constitutes a day's labor—or at least that is what some people are paid for.

AROUND HOME CLOUDS SANDSTORM

The sky gets red.
You can see far ahead
A sandstorm's fixing to light,
Without hesitation
Make hasty preparation,
Fix everything 'up good and tight.
Far off in the distance
With bull dog persistence
Its making its way to your town,
Go phone to your neighbors
To cease from their labors,
And see that their windows are down.
Its getting so near
It is almost here—
Phone your husband to rush to the house,
Tie rocks to your Ford
Stay the top with a board,
All get as still as a mouse.

With a maddening rush
And an unearthly gush
It has come, without a doubt,
Keep your nerves in trim
Summon up pep and vim,
And bear it all like a scout.
The sand blows thru
Like it never knew
There was ever a place to stop,
The houses dances a jig
Whether little or big,
The wind spins it round like a top.

The windmills sail
And they never fail
To pump water all over the place,
Then the stove pipes fall,
And that's not all
They roll round and round thru space.
The windows rattle
There's no time to tattle.
Tired tongues for once get a rest,
Gossip grows old
Fore it ever gets told,
And sneaks back again to its nest.

The storm abates
Thanks to the fates
It can't blow on forever and aye,
We all get to work
No duty to shirk—
Preparing for a storm next day.
There's sand in the hall
There's sand in the wall
It has sifted to places untold,
We'll still be sweeping,
With backache be weeping,
Till the sands of the desert grow cold.
—By Mrs. B. T. Withers
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NEWS TO PUT OUT

SPECIAL EDITION

The News is anxious to serve our advertisers and readers with the very best service possible, and this week we have decided to publish a special edition and print a sufficient number of copies to furnish one to each family in all the trade territory adjacent to this town. We will print 2000 copies of this special edition and have it ready for distribution the second week in October. It will be dated October 13, and we want every business in Santa Anna represented. We have secured the services of Mr. Ray B. McCorkle to assist us in this special edition, and for the next few days he will be among you soliciting advertising and data for feature news. Our advertising rates for this special edition will be 30 cents per inch, and those who have contracts will be allowed the use of their regular amount of space at the contract price if they so wish. Mr. McCorkle being familiar with the Santa Anna country and the people is qualified to give us some feature reading worth while and he has promised to use his best skill in this line. Assist him in any way you can to make this edition of the News a credit to your community. Lets spread it on in good fashion one time. No copy will be accepted for the special edition later than Monday, October, 9th.

PUBLIC SCHOOL NOTES

The most strenuous times of successfully conducting a public school system are the first few days of the school year and the last few or closing days. The mad rush of things of the opening days is past now with the Santa Anna schools, and all are now down to a real business working basis.
The various grades and departments are all full and some are a little crowded, but we feel that we shall be able to survive with the cooperation of a united citizenship—this we feel we have.
The first grade of the Primary Department and the sixth grade of the Elementary Department are the most crowded of all, there being forty-one enrolled in the first and forty-nine in the sixth. The High school department has the heaviest enrollment, according to those in authority, that it has had for several years. There is a total enrollment of one hundred forty-two in this department with thirty-one in the senior class. Indications now are that there will be several more seniors to enroll.
A very interesting and highly profitable department has been added to the high school, namely, Vocational Agriculture. There are sixteen splendid young men in this department who are doing some real constructive and practical work. Each student who takes this course is required to do Home Project work. In other words, he is required to put into practice the things that he is taught in the Agriculture class work. This class is now working on their first class project, which is the erection of a small frame building on the campus.

In conclusion, I wish to ask that all forces give us their full cooperation in making this the most successful year educationally that Santa Anna has ever known. We extend an urgent invitation to parents and others interested to visit school and see what is taking place.
Assuring you that I am here to serve the educational interests of this community, and that I shall be glad to consult with you at all times on community problems, I am,
Respt.,
B. T. Withers,
Superintendent Schools.

Marriage is a sacred institution—at times.
A word and a blow makes many a free show.

A woman has a legitimate right to go through her husband's pockets, for how else could she mend the holes?

COLLEGE BOYS ARRESTED—SEND THREATENING LETTERS

(Brownwood Semi-Weekly News)

A sensation was created in Brownwood late Tuesday by the arrest of two prominent college boys on a charge of attempting to extort money from a citizen through the medium of threatening letters.

About six o'clock Tuesday Chief of Police J. M. Perry arrested Roy White and John R. Dumenil on a warrant charging them with the authorship of two threatening letters sent by mail to Mr. Cameron Marshall, dean of the school of music of Howard Payne College.

The letters, it is learned, demanded money from Mr. Marshall on the pain of bodily injury.

The two young men, on being arrested, were taken before the Justice of the Peace, where they waived examination and gave bond in the sum of \$500 each.

It is learned that both young men admitted their connection with the offense with which they are charged.

As the letters were sent thru the United States mail it is understood that the offense is against the Federal government, being an attempt to use the mails for fraudulent purposes, and that the cases will be transferred to the Federal court.

It is understood that Mr. Marshall received the two threatening letters at different intervals, that he turned each letter as received over to the police department, and that investigation by police led to the arrest of White and Dumenil.

Roy White was a leading player on the last year's Daniel Baker football and baseball teams. He is popular in college circles and was held generally in high esteem. His connection with this affair is a matter of much regret.

Young Dumenil is the son of the oil operator who lost his life a few years ago in an auto accident three miles north of the city. He was recently a high school graduate and a young man generally popular among his associates.

It may be said without reserve that this blight brought upon the lives of two promising boys has its origin in the influences arising from the growth of Klanism. When a secret society can spring up and defy the law and make a spectacular display of its contempt for the courts and the sacred rights of individual citizenship, then it is easy to conceive the result of this example of petty tyranny and persecution upon the minds of the youth of the country, and the evil example it leaves is to be seen here and elsewhere.

RED CROSS NOTES

Miss Overton, Coleman county's Red Cross Public Health Nurse, has just finished two courses of instruction in Home Hygiene and care of the sick, one at Coleman and one at Santa Anna. Twenty three women and girls completed the course and received certificates, 86 being the lowest grade made.

The Veteran's Bureau is at the present time calling particular attention to the following important time limits:

"All applications for vocational training under the veteran's Bureau must be received on or before December 16, 1922. Regardless of how worthy a case a man may be if he fails to apply before December 16 he will not be eligible for training.

"Any disabled person who was discharged previous to August 9, 1921, has only until August 9, 1922, to secure a certificate of injury. It is still true, however, that applications for compensation may be filed at any time within five years after discharge but without a certificate of injury compensation will not be granted until the disability occurred within one year after discharge (except active pulmonary tuberculosis or neuro-psychiatric disease, which cases may be compensable if they develop within two years after discharge).

George E. B. Peddy Chosen

By Anti-Klan Democrats to Make Senatorial Race

George E. B. Peddy was born on a farm five miles from Tenaha, Shelby County, Aug. 22, 1892. His father, a farmer, died two months before he was born. His mother still lives in the farmhouse in which young Peddy was born.

Peddy is the youngest of seven boys. He attended country school in his district and high school at Tenaha until he was 16 years old, working his way through high school.

He entered the University of Texas in 1913, working his way the first year. To finish his college course he borrowed money, all of which he has repaid.

Peddy was active in student affairs and in 1917 was elected president of the Students' Association, the highest student office at the University.

In 1916, while a student at the University, he was elected to the Thirty-Fifth Legislature from his district, including Shelby County.

Served Overseas.

When war was declared, Peddy enrolled for the first officers' training camp at Leon Springs, leaving school to enter camp. He was commissioned a captain at the end of the camp, and resigned from the Legislature when he received his commission. He helped train men for overseas at Camp Travis, and in June, 1918, sailed for France as a casual officer. He later joined the 90th Division and was six months in Germany in the Army of Occupation with this division. He returned with the 90th Division in July, 1919, and was mustered out at Camp Travis.

Peddy returned to the University to complete his course and received his law degree. He took an active part in the gubernatorial campaign that year and campaigned for Robert E. Thomason of El Paso. Peddy moved to Houston in 1920 to practice law and has resided there since that time. He married Miss Gertrude Erwin, a Tennessee girl, in February, 1921, while she was a senior at the University of Texas.

Floor Leader for Suffrage

Peddy is a prohibitionist and a woman suffrage advocate. The first speech he made in the Legislature was in favor of woman suffrage. He was a floor leader for the woman suffrage resolution in the Legislature.

As a leader of the University of Texas student body in the fight against Governor James E. Ferguson preceding his impeachment, Peddy became a Statewide figure in 1917. He returned to Austin on a leave of absence from training camp and, wearing his uniform, led a parade to the capitol as a demonstration against Ferguson.

After the first primary last July, Peddy came out for Ferguson against Mayfield and made a number of speeches for him and was active in other ways in Ferguson's behalf in South Texas. On account of his support of Ferguson, Peddy was asked to resign as president of a Sunday school class of the First Methodist Church of Houston by the superintendent.

The Republicans give full endorsement to Mr. Peddy, and pledged the convention in Dallas who met and nominated Mr. Peddy Saturday they would join the campaign to help elect him.

VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE IN SCHOOL

An improvement has been made in the Santa Anna High school this year by adding a course in Vocational Agriculture. The editor accepted an invitation from Prof. Withers Wednesday to accompany himself and class of 16 boys out to the R. P. Crum poultry farm for a culling demonstration. We are much pleased to see this added improvement to our school work and are glad to have an opportunity to cooperate with the teacher and class in any way we can be of service to them.

The days of courtship are when man is what he isn't.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

Sunday School Lesson

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LESSON FOR SEPTEMBER 24

REVIEW: THE EXILE AND THE RESTORATION

DEVOTIONAL READING—Ps. 66:1-5, 35-50.

GOLDEN TEXT—The Lord hath done great things for us: whereof we are glad.—Ps. 126:3.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Selected Stories Retold.

JUNIOR TOPIC—How God Restored His People.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Leaders in the Restoration of Israel.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Lessons From the Exile and Return.

Two methods of review may be employed to advantage.

1. Character Study. Assign the outstanding heroes of the quarter's lessons to members of the class and have them to report. This assignment must be made the week previous, e. g. Ezekiel, the prophet of God; Daniel, the statesman; Ezra, the teacher of God's word, etc.

2. Summary of Contents. This is a good method at all times. It can be adapted to different grades. The following is a suggested method:

Lesson I. Before Ezekiel was commissioned as a prophet he was given a vision of the Almighty. After that he was given an experimental knowledge of God's word—he ate the book—digested, and appropriated its contents. An experimental knowledge of God's word is essential.

Lesson II. Because Daniel besought the Lord he was able to make known the king's dream and interpret it. "If any man lack wisdom, let him ask of God (Jas. 1:5).

Lesson III. While Belshazzar and his lords were engaged in drunken revelry a mysterious hand recorded Divine judgment. There is a day coming when men shall be judged. Happy is the man who has fled to Christ, for to such there is no judgment (John 5:24).

Lesson IV. Daniel's sterling worth brought him to the front—he was elevated to be prime minister of the Persian empire. Moved by jealousy certain wicked men plotted his downfall. Because of a flawless record in business they trumped up a charge against him on the ground of his foreign religion. Though the king executed the foolish decree Daniel was delivered and his accusers were cast into the den of lions and destroyed.

Lesson V. Though Israel went into captivity as a chastisement of the Lord, in due time He recovered them. God's covenant and judgments are sure. He can move a heathen king to freely fulfill His own good pleasure and purpose.

Lesson VI. In the restoration of the people to their own land, the first thing necessary was the provision of a place for the worship of God. As soon as this work was begun, violent opposition was in evidence. That which God sets out to do shall be completed, though all hell oppose.

Lesson VII. Haman's wicked plot against the Jews was frustrated by Esther's shrewdness and courage. Those who plot against and hate God's covenant people shall be brought to destruction.

Lesson VIII. Through Zerubbabel the people were brought back and established in their own land, but they had gone far away from God. There was now need of a religious leader. Ezra was moved by the Spirit of God to lead them back to fellowship. Because Ezra sought the Lord his way prospered. Success always comes to those who trust God.

Lesson IX. When Nehemiah heard of the distress of his brethren at Jerusalem, he took the matter to the Lord in prayer. Their sorrow and distress was his sorrow and distress. Is any afflicted, let him pray (Jas. 5:13).

Lesson X. When Nehemiah began the rebuilding of the walls of Jerusalem he encountered violent opposition from without and from within. His faith in God moved him to go straight on with the work and he had the joy of seeing the work completed.

Lesson XI. The method used in bringing back the people to God was the word of God. Because God's word was made plain to the people they repented of their sins and rendered obedience to God.

Lesson XII. Malachi as an aid to Nehemiah in effecting reforms pointed out the sins of the people, viz: Base ingratitude, a corrupt priesthood, mixed marriages, robbing God by withholding tithes, etc., pointing to a day of judgment when righteous tributes would be meted out to the wicked and rewards would be given to the faithful.

Beginning the Day.
If any man will come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow Me. For whosoever will save his life shall lose it and whosoever will lose his life for My sake shall find it.

Sing With Grace in Your Hearts.
Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly in all wisdom; teaching and admonishing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing with grace in your hearts to the Lord.—Colossians 2:16.

EDUCATION MAKES BIG RETURN IN MONEY

Let us take a boy who leaves school at fourteen and another who continues his education until he is eighteen, and see how both stand at the age of twenty-six. Will the salary made in twelve years by the boy who left school at fourteen equal the boy who continues his education until he is eighteen? Figures compiled by the United States Bureau of Education shows that at twenty-five years of age, the boy who finished high school is not only getting a larger yearly salary but has made a larger total amount of money than the boy who started to work 4 years earlier. Here is the proof that education pays:

Earning per week of children who left school at 14, end of grammar school.

- Age 14, salary per week \$4.00.
- Age 15, salary per week \$4.50.
- Age 16, salary per week \$5.00.
- Age 17, salary per week \$6.00.
- Age 18, salary per week \$7.00.
- Age 19, salary per week \$8.50.
- Age 20, salary per week \$9.50.
- Age 21, salary per week \$9.50.
- Age 22, salary per week \$11.75.
- Age 23, salary per week \$11.75.
- Age 24, salary per week \$12.00.
- Age 25, salary per week \$12.75.

Total salary till 25 years of age, \$5,112.50.

Earning per week of children who left school at 18, end of high school.

- Age 14, salary per week \$10.00.
- Age 15, salary per week \$10.75.
- Age 16, salary per week \$11.50.
- Age 17, salary per week \$12.00.
- Age 18, salary per week \$12.00.
- Age 19, salary per week \$12.00.
- Age 20, salary per week \$12.00.
- Age 21, salary per week \$12.00.
- Age 22, salary per week \$12.00.
- Age 23, salary per week \$12.00.
- Age 24, salary per week \$12.00.
- Age 25, salary per week \$12.00.

Total salary till 25 years of age, \$7,337.50.

At the age of twenty-five, the high school boy was making \$900 a year more than the boy with only a grammar school education. This is equivalent to 5 per cent interest on \$18,000.

From twenty-five years of age on the salary of the better educated boy will continue to rise more rapidly, for in fact, even at this age the increase in the salary of the grammar school boy has slowed down very perceptibly.

Although the wages paid now are much higher than when these figures were compiled, the comparison remains applicable. Moreover, while the value of high school education is here given in terms of cash salaries, we believe the same principles will hold good on the farm. The farmer with the better-trained mind will not only get more out of life but make a larger farm profits.

Better insist that John go on back to school this fall.—The Progressive Farmer.

FORGIVE US OUR DEBTS

Around the world resounds the cry to cancel debts. In tones varying from the plaintive to the beligerent, the nations are demanding that the obligations they owe be ended.

Russia says she can do nothing until her debts are waived, Germany's industrial future, it is said by Germans is black with the clouds of indemnities with the Versailles Treaty imposed upon it. England, speaking through the mouth of Earl Balfour, demands the cancellation of debts. France is astounded that the United States fails to implore the privilege of marking paid on the bills which that imperial republic owes us.

"Forgive us our debts," pray and demand the nations of the world, but they somehow fail to add "as we forgive our debtors."

The nations are correct in ascribing their governmental ills to their debts. Debts impose upon individuals and countries alike a financial and mental depression which dulls ambition, discourages enterprise and halts progress. Interest and usury are self-rising burdens.

Each nation desires to have its own debts written off. But it shows no signs of writing off those owed to it. The wise financiers in the United States reason that the opportunity for American business in Europe would be immeasurably increased if the debt burden were lifted from the governments of those nations, which in turn could then lift the taxation bur-

den from the struggling peoples. But those same financiers make no suggestion of wiping clean the state of war profits still owed them.

The United States owes the persons who hold its war obligations something more than twenty billion dollars. The United States holds obligations of foreign governments for something less than half of that amount. How willing the United States government would be to forgive the debts owed it if by the same token the holders of all the United States bonds should simultaneously send them to the Treasury Department, marked paid! And how willing too, would be the majority of the individual holders of Liberty Bonds and other government obligations to cancel them if in turn their own several private debts were canceled.

Public and private debts, the world around, if it were possible to set them off against each other, would cancel with comparatively little inequity. But for the United States to cancel its credits and retain its debts is so palpably unfair that the wonder is any nation would dare suggest it. For a holder of a government bond to cancel that credit, and still be obligated for debts he has incurred brings the chain of inequity right down to the individual. Were cancellation of all debts in the world possible, it would bring a year of jubilee. But for the United States Government to cancel the debts of a European power, debts which in the last analysis are owed to each person in the United States, offends all sense of fairness.—Dearborn Independent.

ANTI-KLAN POLITICIANS TO NOMINATE CANDIDATE AGAINST MAYFIELD

The News received the following telegram from Barry Miller of Dallas last Saturday morning: "Will you authorize me to sign your name with other independent democrats to call for convention at Dallas September 16th to nominate an anti-klan candidate to run against the Ku Klux Klan candidate for the United States Senator, Barry Miller." To this request the News gave the following answer: "No sir. I am a Democratic. And have twice already pledged to support the nominee."

The News' editor may be a small potato. He is just a humble citizen and will never be wealthy in dollars and cents. He has never yet violated a solemn pledge to any man. If he were a thief or an outlaw he would be true to his pals. He is a democrat and proposes to be on the square with his fellow democrats.—San Saba News.

Few difficulties are too great to be overcome by the person who says "I Will" and lives up to it.

No. 889
Citation on Application for Probate of Will

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Coleman County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for ten days, before the return day hereof, in some newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in Coleman County, Texas, the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To all persons interested in the estate of Mrs. A. B. Weaver, deceased, Allison U. Weaver, Burgess Weaver and Spencer E. Weaver, have filed in the County Court of Coleman County, an application for Probate of the last will and testament of said Mrs. A. B. Weaver, deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary; it being alleged in said application that said will provides that no bond or other security shall be required of said executors and that no action shall be had in the County Court in the settlement of said estate except to prove and record said will and to return an Inventory, Appraisal and list of claims of said estate; which application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in January A. D. 1923, the same being the 1st day of January 1923 at the Court House thereof, in Coleman, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

WITNESS L. Ement Walker Clerk of the County Court of Coleman County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Coleman, Texas, this 15 day of September, A. D. 1922.

L. Ement Walker Clerk County Court, Coleman County, Texas.
By V. Rawlins Gilliland, Deputy. 38-27

ARE YOU READY FOR A BUSINESS POSITION?

Demand for help: A recent country wide investigation of employment conditions to get information as to the type of help in greatest demand showed the following results:

Out of 2445 advertisements for help 1338 specified a business training and 524 of the remaining 1107 were for positions that office assistants grow into. No other profession can claim one-fifth as great a demand. In fact, this proves that there is a greater demand for business trained men and women than all other trades and professions combined. Are you passing up a Business Training and its wonderful opportunities to become a day laborer, house-maid, department store clerk, telephone operator, factory hand, etc.?

There is a business position awaiting you. Are you ready for it? Can you enter a business office knowing that you can handle a bookkeeper's desk, do the work of a stenographer or private secretary, or hold any one of the specialized places open in the modern business office? The big salaries come to man and woman who can Do One Thing Well. Training is necessary. Have you been drilled in the basic principles of business that will enable you to hold higher-salaried and more responsible positions as the opportunities arise? Unless you know these things, the chances of your success are small.

Make up your mind to train, to start your business education now. Every day that slips by is a loss to you—it puts a good position and a good salary further away from you.

A few months in our institution, the largest business university in America, will give you the training you need. You can never make a better investment than in a business education. You can get here the most thorough, complete and practical courses to be had, in the least time and at the least cost, and our Employment Department will place you free of charge. Fill in and mail coupon for catalogue with full information as to our courses.

Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas.

Name.....
Address.....
Name of paper.....

Every neighborhood should have a community fair. This is one of the greatest agencies for stimulating friendly rivalry in all good work. In this way the biggest achievements of individuals are brought to the attention of all the people. Moreover, the training is cooperation and public service that the people get is developing a community fair prepares them for progressive cooperation along many other useful lines. Farmers who have made a success of a community fair acquire a new pride in themselves and their locality. I know hardly anything else requiring so little effort that is better worth while than the community fair.—The Progressive Farmer.

Expert Car Repairs Costs the Least.

Any one can hang out a garage sign and make a bluff, but only an expert mechanic can keep your car in the pink of condition that gives complete satisfaction.

Bring your car to us for repairs that are 100 per cent satisfactory.

Oil and Gas

Ed Sanderson

Purina Products

UNLOADING CAR TODAY

We have the famous Purina Cow Chow, the best mixed cow feed on the market. Try one sack and you will be a constant user.

We also have Purina Chicken Chowder; the best chicken feed there is.

When in need of feed it will pay you to see us.

GOOD FLOUR

SEED OATS, WHEAT AND BARLEY

Sam Collier

Feed Store

ARE YOU BUYING TO BEST ADVANTAGE?

Hardware constitutes a considerable item of expense in the annual budget of the average family.

It is the aim of this store to make that item of expense in your family as small as possible. To do this there are but two ways—sell only hardware that endures, and keep the price down. We do both.

Why not a new kitchen stove for next winter. The Charter Oak is a wonder when it comes to baking and all around utility. We are quoting a very low price on them.

S. W. Childers & Co.

CITATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Coleman County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded, that by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in Coleman county, Texas, you summon John Johnson, whose residence is unknown to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, in and for the 25th Judicial District at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Coleman at the Court House thereof in Coleman, Texas, on the 23rd day of October, 1922.

The number of said cause being 2706, then and there to answer the petition of Leslie Johnson filed in said court on the 24th day of August A. D. 1922, against the said John Johnson and alleging in substance as follows:
That Plaintiff and Defendant were lawfully married January 1, 1918, and lived together as husband and wife until March 1, 1920. That Plaintiff is a bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas and has been for more than twelve months and has resided in Coleman County, for more than six months. That during the time that Plaintiff and Defendant lived together as husband and wife the Defendant was guilty of excesses, cruel treatment and outrages toward Plaintiff of did render their living together insupportable. Plaintiff prays judgment for divorce and for general relief and for cost of suit.

Herein Fail Not, but have you then and there before said Court this Writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, in Coleman, Texas, this 24th day of August, A. D. 1922.
Attest: W. E. Gideon Clerk District Court, Coleman County, Texas.
By B. H. Pittman Deputy. 35-4c.

CITATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Coleman County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon The Houston Tap & Brazoria Railroad Company, a private corporation; The Houston Tap & Brazoria Railroad Company, an unincorporated joint stock company; W. J. Hutchins, Hutchins Land & Trust Company, a private corporation; The Hutchins Land & Trust Company, a private corporation; Spencer Hutchins, Eva H. Robertson, W. R. Robertson, Frank M. Spencer, F. A. Waters, and the heirs, all of whom are to plaintiff unknown, of the following deceased persons, that is to say, the unknown heirs of W. J. Hutchins, Spencer Hutchins, Eva H. Robertson, W. R. Robertson, Frank M. Spencer, and F. A. Waters, deceased; by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof; in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Coleman County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Coleman, Texas, on the 4th Monday, in October A. D. 1922, the same being the 23rd day of October, A. D. 1922; then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court, on the 5th day of September A. D. 1922, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2712, wherein L. V. Stockard is plaintiff,



Bon Ton Corsets
\$1.00 to \$4.00

Martha Washington
Comfort Shoes



The two items above are ones that any woman will appreciate who wants style and comfort. Martha Washington Shoes are comfortable at the same time they are dressy, because they are made of the best materials obtainable. Once you have worn them you appreciate their comfort and value, and your next pair will again be a "Martha Washington." Anyone who has worn a Bon Ton Corset is a believer in them. We have them for most any figure, and they are priced really cheaper than the ordinary Corset.

For Your Woolen Dress

We have the prettiest French Serges you have ever seen. You will be disappointed if you do not see them before you buy. In Taffetas and Messalines we have some excellent quantities and at prices no higher than you will pay for the cheaper grades. We do not sell you five yards of Gingham at half price and charge you 50c extra on a pair of shoes. Our prices throughout our line are based on a legitimate and reasonable profit. We want your trade, at the same time we want your confidence. We must have a reasonable profit to continue our business, the other fellow must have the same. If he sells you one article less than value you know he expects to get it back some other way. Consider these facts, for facts they are. If you can and will give us your bill we promise you the best Merchandise we can buy for the price you pay, and that your purchases from us must be satisfactory, and that every item you buy from us must be exactly what we tell you it is.

Let Us Make YOUR SUIT

D. R. HILL & BROTHER

3 Big SAMPLE BOOKS

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plaintiffs original petition on file in said cause being here referred to for full statement of plaintiffs cause of action.
Herein Fail Not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
Given under my Hand and Seal of said Court, at office in Coleman, Texas, this 6th day of September A. D. 1922.—W. E. Gideon Clerk, District Court, Coleman County.
By B. H. Pittman, Deputy. 37-4t.

been so free from trouble as it is today.
What Judge Landis can do to baseball other men of ability and fairness can do in the coal, railroad, building and other industries.
The only things required are the authority and the men.

PECANS BLOOM IN FALL
W. J. Millican of the Bend was here Monday checking up on the budding which he did for G. A. Arhelger several weeks ago and while at work in the bottom found some fresh pecan blooms in Mr. Arhelger's orchard. He is now inspired with the thought

of developing a pecan that will bear two crops the same year in this climate. He says that it is the first time he ever saw pecan blooms this time of the year.—San Saba News.
Success to all of your efforts if they are worth it.

TWO WAYS OF KILLING YOUR CAR

The first is by using a sledge hammer.	The second is by simple NEGLECT!
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Either one is highly effective, and both should be scrupulously avoided.
You might just as well use a sledge hammer on your car as to continue running it when it is not in condition.
Please bear in mind that we do all kinds of automobile repair work, promptly, efficiently and economically.

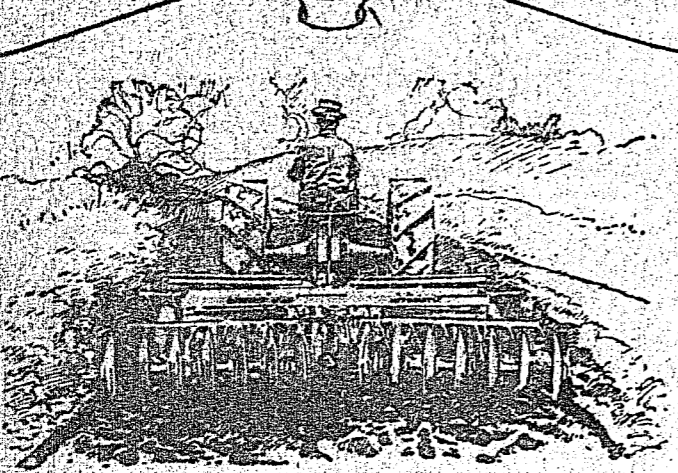
EVANS & WEST GARAGE

Everybody Wants Purity in Groceries

You wonder why we so frequently call attention to the purity of Groceries. We have a special object in doing so. We want EVERY FAMILY in this trading community to know that this store is one of PURE FOODS. We want them to realize that when they want Food Purity there is no place where they are always sure of getting it.

Try Cake and Albatross Flour
Every Sack Pure

MARSHALL & SONS
"The Store That Makes the Prices"



Thorough Soil Preparation Is Easy the Fordson Way

BECAUSE the Fordson has plenty of power and is fast running, Fordson farms are known as the best tilled farms in the community. Good plowing can be followed promptly by good discing because the man who drives a Fordson is soon through with one job and ready for the other. This thorough tillage, of course, results in bigger crop yields.

Because of its scientific design and easy handling qualities, the RODERICK LEAN AUTOMATIC ENGINE DISC HARROW, specially designed for the Fordson, inspires its owners to pulverize thoroughly both before and after plowing.

THE RODERICK LEAN AUTOMATIC is as necessary to economical tractor farming as the special tractor plow. Operated from the tractor seat, it provides easy, thorough soil preparation with the Fordson. Strong for power requirements, flexible for short turning, and adjustable to meet all soil conditions. This is the proper disc for Fordson tractors—the one disc harrow preferred by Fordson owners.

SANTA ANNA MOTOR CO.
Stafford Baxter, Mgr.

Being Power Farming Headquarters, you will always find here, equipment that will do more thorough work with less exertion by the driver

FIND A BETTER WAY

The settlement of the great coal strike assures us that the people will not freeze this winter. For so much we are thankful. But it does not contain any assurances that the same conditions will not prevail a year hence, with all their attendant ills and inconveniences to the nation.

A better way of settling labor difficulties should be found, and that agency should be the congress and the federal government.

The laborer is forced to pay the same high prices for everything he uses as are paid by other people. He therefore is entitled to a wage that will enable him to live in reasonable comfort, educate his children, and lay by a sufficiency for the time when his days of usefulness will be over.

The employer is entitled to the same consideration, as he is required to live under the same high priced conditions. He should be assured a fair profit on his investment.

The great army of consumers, who outnumber these elements many times over, are also entitled to consideration—but seldom receive it. They are the goats in every strike that occurs, the victims who in the end pay the penalty without hope of redress.

There should be no more strikes, but there should be some methods of assuring labor a square deal at the hands of the employing corporations, for without some such protection the laboring man would be crushed and ground to atoms.

Arbitration between labor and capital is hopeless. That has been proven in the past. Neither side seems willing to recede from its demands or to accept a compromise, knowing that any such arrangement simply means a short period of renewed activity and then a return to the merry war.

Congress could authorize and the president could appoint commissions in the several lines of industry whose duty it would be to settle all such controversies with justice to both sides, and at the same time regulate the prices of the commodities in order to protect the consuming public from profiteering.

The brain of one man—Judge Landis—has revolutionized baseball, because that brain is fair and just to all, and from its edicts there is no appeal. And the baseball world has never

SANTA ANNA NEWS

One year in Coleman county.....\$1.00
 Six months in Coleman county.....60c
 One year outside of county.....\$1.50
 (Payable in advance.)
 No subscription taken outside of the county for less than six months.
 Advertising rates 25c and 30c per inch.
 Local notices ten cents per line for each insertion.
 Obituaries, Cards of Thanks and Resolutions of Respect are charged at one-half the regular rate.

J. J. GREGG, Editor and Publisher
 Friday, September 22, 1922.
 Entered at the Post Office at Santa Anna, Texas, as Second Class Mail.

Reports from Paris, France, state that the rapid increase in number of visitors from America who come to study "business" methods is most remarkable. The cause of it seems to be that Uncle Sam has decided that all traveling expenses may be deducted from income tax due the government. The man who pays a small tax cannot make a trip to Europe must pay the full amount due. 'Twas ever thus.

Not a state in the union, nor the government of the United States, is according its citizens protection in the employment of "life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness" guaranteed to every person in the land under the constitution. And yet they get up and fume and foam about "violations of the Volstead law" and want to send men to the penitentiary for taking a drink. Isn't it a burlesque on civilization.—Walters Herald.

Governor Cox of Ohio is of the opinion that America will become a member of the League of Nations within a short time. Had it not been for a bunch of profiteers, and the people who were prejudiced against President Wilson, and intended to crush him if possible, America would have entered into the League of Nations a long time ago, and things would have been different in America today and Europe would have been more hopeful than at the present time. Woodrow Wilson could see it but his enemies would not see it, hence

the turmoil and strife that exists now.—Lubbock Avalanche.

One of the most shameful occurrences in the history of America was the allowing of that chief of slackers and traitors, Bergdoll, to escape from the punishment that should have been meted out to him for his perfidy during the world war. The officers who had him in charge were high up in the army service, but no effort has ever been made to punish them for conniving to effect his escape. When the government is spending millions to put down petty crimes and punish those guilty of minor offenses and at the same time refuses to prosecute government officials for accepting bribes and standing in with arch-conspirators like Bergdoll, is it any wonder that respect for law and love for the country's most sacred institutions are decreasing at an alarming rate.

The dispatches are again recording the wholesale massacre of Armenians by the bloody Turks and the civilized world stands by and permits these innocent women and children to be slaughtered without any attempt to rescue them. Why the Christian nations permit Turkey to exist as an independent government we cannot understand. Its history reeks with the blood of slain millions, and its heartless action in driving the hordes of Armenians into the deserts to starve and die is so shocking to civilized people that its utter extermination would seem to be its just deserts. England and America had it in their power to put an end to these wholesale massacres when the world war was over, but the European nations through jealousy of each other have never been able to agree upon a division of the spoil and so the outrages continue with added horror.

Cotton coming in at the rate of two thousand bales per week, selling at better than One Hundred dollars per bale is stimulating business considerably. The estimates on this year's crop for the Santa Anna territory are

placed at ten thousand bales, which will distribute One Million dollars among the people of this territory. This amount could be doubled each year by adding a few dairy cows and good chickens on the many farms that dot this county. Not only would this serve to double the cash receipts during the year, but brings in the cash every week instead of just a few weeks during the fall season.

The Bulletin can tell a better tale about the results advertising brings than the one narrated above by the Leader. A considerable time back, O. B. Shipp of this community owned a Jersey bull, and the animal got out of his pasture. After diligent inquiry, Mr. Shipp could not hear anything of his bull. Time passed and he finally decided to advertise in the Bulletin for the missing animal. The paper was issued Thursday morning, and Thursday night the bull came back. Of course the bull could not read, and the only explanation that we have for his promptness in responding to the advertisement, is that he must have been endowed to the nth degree with mental telegraphy, and the message came to him through the air.—Burnett Bulletin.

A reader asked us the other day how the result of the election suited us. We told him that we had forgotten that we ever had an election. We look to the future. When the voting is over it is time to think of other things. If the man you voted for and wanted to see elected was defeated, just remember that the fellow who defeated him is your officer and should have your support and cooperation in his efforts to discharge his official duties. But the election is over. Let's turn our attention to the upbuilding of the community, the public schools, good roads, better churches, and we will all be happier and the world better for our having lived in it. Co-operation should be the slogan in community building. With each citizen with his shoulder to the wheel pushing for the betterment of and upbuilding, there is no rea-

son why success should not be attained.—Marble Falls Messenger.

It has been proven over and over again that it pays to advertise, but The Leader pulled a "stunt" Tuesday afternoon that has capped the climax. A Persian kitten had strayed away from home, not that it did not like its home, but simply because it had a mood of adventure and wanted to explore some of the unknown world to it. Accordingly it surreptitiously hid itself in a comfortable place in the owner's automobile, and when they drove down in town, the kitten saw its chance to get out of the car and begin its tour of investigation. Being of a friendly and amiable disposition it soon made friends with parties living in the opposite direction from its erstwhile home, and it proceeded to take another ride in another automobile, and being treated kindly, and liking the adventures so far encountered, it proceeded to remain contented. But the Leader advertised for the self-same kitten, and a few minutes after the Daily was on the streets, the telephone was called into service, and Mr. Kitty was taken back to the home of his first love. It pays to advertise.—Lampasas Leader.

Give unto the needy in proportion as the Lord gives unto you—but don't expect that alone to open the pearly gates.

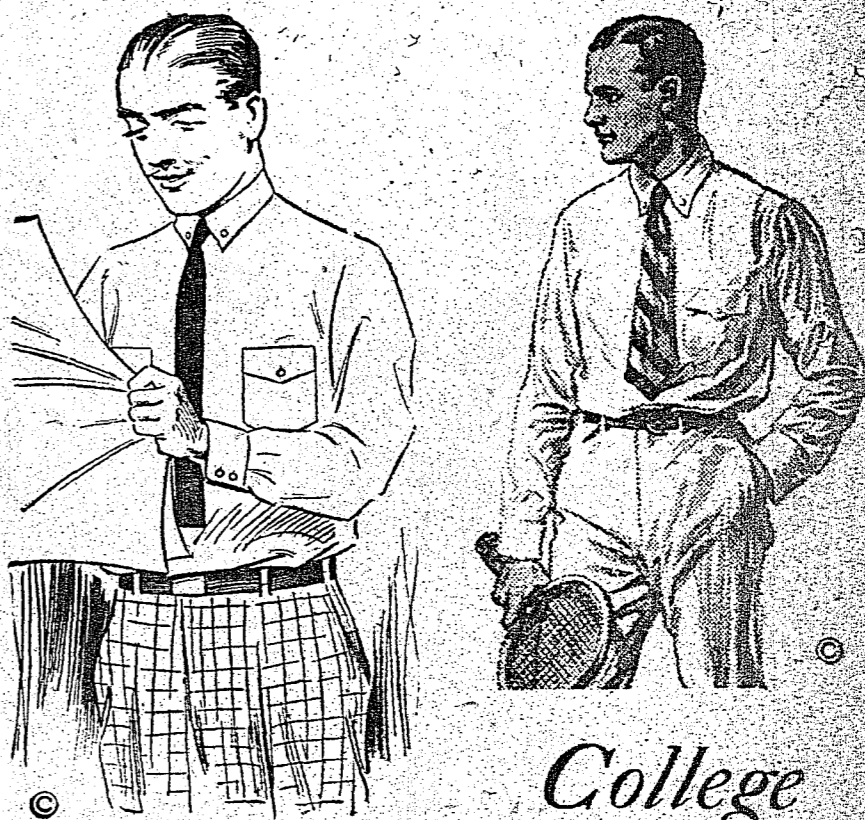
The fellow who is able to give a dollar to charity and doles out a nickle gets credit from the Lord for only the nickle he gives. The poor person who gives more than he or she can really afford gets credit far beyond the amount given.

You may hide your ability to give from human eyes, just as you hide your wealth from the assessor, but the All Seeing One knows of every penny you possess.

The pearly gates are easily opened—and they are just as easily closed.

The lazy man makes many excuses that are unnecessary. Nobody expects anything from him.

Arrow Shirts



Berkeley

A shirt for a day's work—or a day's play and always for a day of ease—made for either student or business man. A good sturdily built Arrow. Has low button down collar, buttoned cuffs, and two pockets.

We have Arrow Shirts in neck-band styles and with collars buttoned down for men and young men who want quality merchandise. We have your size in stock.

PARKER BROTHERS

Santa Anna, Texas

College

men, automobilists, business men, every man in fact who loves solid comfort linked to good values will like

Gordon

an Arrow shirt with smart little attached collars and single buttoned cuffs.

Contrary to general opinion, The sweetest of flattery turns money does not count. We to bitterness when the truth becomes known.

Gossard CORSETS
They Lace In Front

Gossard Corsets are designed to fit every type of figure that's why they are so comfortable, and give such unusual style and wearing service.

\$5.00, \$3.00, \$2.00

Radio Charmeuse for petticoats, bloomerettes and linings, colors blue, pink, lavender, tan and white, the yd.

75c

Storm serge, 40-in. navy, brown and gray, see this for school dresses, at the yard.

79c

TEXAS MERCANTILE CO.

Are putting on a very unique letter contest

GIVING AWAY FIVE PRIZES

VALUED AT
\$18.00, \$8.50, \$3.50, \$2.25 and \$1.00
FOR THE FIVE BEST LETTERS

From anyone telling why they trade with the Texas Mercantile Company.
 Rules of Contest: Use only one side of paper, don't use over fifty words, the letter must reach us not later than Oct. 14th, prize letters will be published in the Santa Anna News Oct. 16th issue, the prizes will be awarded to five giving the best reasons why they trade with us by three disinterested judges. Send in your letter now, no one barred. See prizes in our show window.

Headquarters for
Allen A Black Cat Hosiery

Comfort Cretonnes in a vast assortment of patterns and colors, 36-inches wide at

20c

Cotton bats, pure white cotton at

\$1.00

Khaki cloth for girl's and boy's garments, the yard

30c

Lining Satin, a good dependable quality, coat lining good wearing quality, in the wanted colors, yard

\$1.25

Crepes for underwear, in white, pink, blue, yellow and figured, at

35c

Pure Linen for handkerchiefs sheer and fine, in white, pink, blue and yellow, the yard,

\$1.50

Ladies' Gloves sixteen button French Kid, in black, brown and white, at

\$4.90

BLACK CAT HOSIERY

They are here! Just received \$1200.00 worth of the celebrated Black Cat Hosiery. Every pair of Allen A Black Cat Hosiery, for Men, Women and Children, in Silk, Lisle, Wool and Cotton, has behind it the personal responsibility of the Allen A Company.

Uniform values year in and year out, in style, quality, fit and wearing service. Always full money's worth, price for price, all along the line.

Women's pure silk stockings in black and brown at

\$3.50

Women's silk hose with Lisle tops, black and brown a good serviceable hose, at

\$1.50

Women's pure wool and silk clocked stockings, very high quality, at

\$3.00

Boys' and girls' School Hose, triple knee, reinforced foot, splendid wearing stockings, 50c and

35c

Children's wool stockings in blue and brown, heather mixtures, sizes 6-12 to 10, splendid wearing stockings for the cold days.

Bed spreads, 81x90 inches, white Ripplette, at

\$3.50

Felt Hats, the school hat for the Miss, colors in brown, red and blue, at

\$1.25



Texas Mercantile Co.

The Store For All The People



No. 172
OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE
FIRST STATE BANK

At Santa Anna, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 15th day of September, 1922, published in the Santa Anna News a newspaper printed and published at Santa Anna, State of Texas, on the 22nd day of September 1922.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$289,482.74
Overdrafts	4,595.59
Bonds and Stocks	2,100.00
Real Estate (Banking House)	17,230.60
Furniture and Fixtures	7,000.00
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand	110,739.05
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	3,396.50
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	10,708.25
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange	46,138.68
Other Resources—Collection account	100.00
Total	\$491,991.71

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in	35,000.00
Surplus Fund	20,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	15,568.51
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	7,262.16
Individual Deposits, subject to check	315,480.65
Time certificates of Deposit	15,601.77
Cashier's Checks	1,091.05
Bills Payable and Rediscounts	81,987.57
Total	\$491,991.71

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF COLEMAN:

We, Leman Brown, as president, and P. P. Bond, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

LEMAN BROWN, President
P. P. BOND, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of September, A. D. 1922.
(SEAL) T. M. HAYS
Notary Public Coleman County, Texas

Correct—Attest:
MILES WOFFORD,
S. W. CHILDERS,
S. H. PHILLIPS,
Directors.

Read the advertisements found in our advertising columns each week and they will guide you to the most profitable places in town to do your trading. Merchants advertise their goods because they know they have something to offer worth the money and you will always find some special values advertised in our column. You will always find it profitable to read the ads.

WHY NOT LET HIM HAVE HIS WAY?

God knows I love you, friend, Why not let Him have His way? I am your friend but you have a much better friend, why not accept Him today? This friend is Jesus, He died to save a poor sinner like you, Why not accept Jesus and to Him be true? I know He can save you, for He Saved me from sin, He can save anyone who has been in sin.
—Ora Lee Neill.

TO AID YOUR FEET
We recommend Blue Star for all foot trouble, such as hard or soft corns, bunions, sweaty feet or eczema of the feet, and all skin diseases, such as Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Poison Oak, Old Sores and Sores on Children. Will not stain your clothes and has a pleasant odor.—C. K. Hunter, drug store. 33-7c.

No. 8109
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

At Santa Anna in the State of Texas, at the close of business on Sept. 15, 1922

RESOURCES	
1. Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c)	\$272,791.59
2. Total loans	272,791.59
3. Overdrafts, unsecured	4,508.99
4. U. S. Government Securities Owned:	
a. Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	10,000.00
b. All other United States Government securities including premiums, if any	651.10
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.	10,651.10
6. Banking House, \$7,000; Furniture and fixtures, \$2,500	9,500.00
7. Real estate owned other than banking house	5,000.00
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	57,275.19
9. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks	67,538.04
10. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than item 12)	1,555.00
11. Total of items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13	\$ 69,193.04
14. a. Checks and drafts on banks (including Federal Reserve Bank) located outside of city or town of reporting bank	42.00
b. Miscellaneous cash items	209.05
15. Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer and due from U. S. treasurer	500.00
Total	\$434,322.46

LIABILITIES	
17. Capital stock paid in	40,000.00
18. Surplus fund	40,000.00
19. Undivided profits	\$ 12,296.67
c. Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	2,977.77
20. Circulating notes outstanding	10,000.00
21. Amount due to national banks	493.05
22. Cashier's checks outstanding	310.36
23. Total of items 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25	\$ 808.41
24. Individual deposits subject to check	296,784.85
25. Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve, items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31	\$295,734.85
26. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)	8,100.00
27. Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, items 32, 33, 34, and 35	\$ 8,100.00
28. Notes and bills rediscounted, including acceptances of other banks and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank	30,260.30
Total	\$434,322.46

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF COLEMAN, ss:

I, C. W. Woodruff, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. W. WOODRUFF, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of Sept., 1922.
(SEAL) J. T. GARRETT, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
W. R. KELLEY
V. L. GRADY
B. WEAVER
Directors.

COME TO SANTA ANNA

Santa Anna offers you this season the best opportunities to buy your supplies she has offered in a long time. Her stores are better filled with quality merchandise in abundance than they have been in several seasons and the several buyers for the same number of stores were fortunate to find the markets right when they selected their stocks, as most every item purchased in the early summer for fall delivery made considerable advances. This situation was brought about on account of crop conditions, especially the cotton crop. In May and June the crop was estimated high. The drought last fall prevented farmers from sowing grain and in the spring it was estimated that the biggest cotton crop would be planted that had been for years, and a sixteen million bale crop would not have surprised us, but the all-fired and most generally cursed—God sent—boll weevil destroyed many crops and the drought cut the crop down in the western country, and now if we get a ten million bale crop we will be lucky, if one should term it that way. Manufacturers look forward to prospects and if a bumper crop is in prospect they offer inducement to sell their manufactured goods, and if a short crop is in prospect they know the demand will get the goods at a better price, and furthermore, they are going to have to pay better prices for raw material to replace their stock. Consider these things and then bring your cotton to Santa Anna and receive the highest prices paid for the staple in west Texas. Santa Anna has plenty of buyers and they go after staple. The above is sufficient but that is not all. Come and see.

THE BIBLE

(By W. B. Pinson)
This book contains the mind of God; the way of salvation, the doom of sinners, and the happiness of believers. Its doctrines are holy, its precepts are binding, its histories true and its decisions are immutable. Read it to be wise, believe it to be safe, and practice it to be holy. It contains light to direct you, food to support you, and comfort to cheer you. It is the traveler's map, the pilgrim's staff, the pilot's compass, the soldier's sword and the Christian's principle.

Here paradise is restored, heaven opened, and hell disclosed. CHRIST is its grand object, our good its design, and the glory of God its end. Read and study it slowly, frequently, and very prayerfully. Let it fill your memory, rule your heart, and guide your feet. It is a mine of wealth, a paradise of glory and a river of pleasure. It is given you in life, will be opened at the JUDGMENT and remembered forever. It involves the highest responsibility, will reward the highest labor, and will condemn all who trifle with its sacred contents. Praise the Lord for the dear old book.

WEEKLY NEWS SERVICE

Democratic National Committee (Special Correspondence.)
Washington, Sept. 20.—Two interesting results are found in the latest primaries—one in California and one in Texas.
Hiram Johnson's victory in California is generally regarded as a defeat, inasmuch as his expected and boasting predicted plurality was not half that size, which is construed as eliminating him as a presidential possibility. The decline in the popularity of Senator Johnson on the Coast is said to be due to many causes, but the opposition to him laid great stress upon his dodging the record vote in the Newberry Senate trial.

The second primary result of interest was in Texas when Earl B. Mayfield won the Democratic Senatorial nomination. Republicans have tried to make it appear that Mayfield's victory was an endorsement of the Ku Klux Klan, because the successful candidate had the endorsement of that organization. This is easily refuted by the fact that every other candidate endorsed by the Klan was defeated. The Senatorial fight resolved itself into a choice between Mayfield and ex-Governor Ferguson, and the Democratic voters preferred Mayfield. Endorsement or repudiation of the Klan was not an issue.

Sunday is a day of rest, and sometimes of strutting.

MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISING HELP WANTED

We urge all customers who owe us either notes or accounts to make settlements as early as possible and thereby help us to re-establish our business. We hold all notes and accounts that have been made with us the past year and we will appreciate it very much if you will call at our store to make settlement as soon as you can possibly do so and save us the extra expense of having to go to see you.
NOW IS THE TIME TO RETURN THE FAVOR
POLK BROS.

PAYS BIG DIVIDEND
For Rent or Sale Cheap. If you have a house for rent or sale, paint and paper it, and see results.—Jaynes & Souder. 36-2t
WE DO IT

FORD FOR SALE—Almost good as new, starter equipment, in good repair and worth the money.—J. J. Gregg at the News office.

NOTICE
To all whom I have done plumbing for if not working my guarantee is to make it work.—L. E. McElrath, Tin and Plumbing Co. Phone 343. 36-tf.

R. A. CARROLL, who arranged several weeks back to open up a Plumbing business in the rear of the First State Bank Building, September 1st, notifies us that he has been delayed and will not get here before September 15. 2t

FOR SALE—A few young thoroughbred White Leghorn Roosters. Price \$1.50.—Mrs. W. DuBois.

WANTED—Cotton Pickers, will furnish house to live in.—John West, Santa Anna, Texas.

ESTRAYED—From W.M. Goodwin pasture, near Burkett, one Bay Mare, weight about 950; been gone 3 months. Reward for information.—W. C. Goodwin, Burkett, Texas. 37-3tp.

FOR SERVICE, Registered Jersey Male, cash with service, privileged to return; no credit.—H. J. Parker. 37-4tp.

A FEW OF THE ITEMS FOUND IN OUR STORE

NOTIONS
Safety pins, hair pins, buttons, dress snaps, Elastic, needles, thread, shoe laces, hose supporters, curling irons, combs, hair nets.

DRY GOODS
Overalls, Work shirts, Men's and Ladies' Hose, Underwear, Oil cloth, canvas gloves, handkerchiefs and laces.

HARDWARE
Padlocks, hinges, shelf brackets, tacks, bolts, hammers, hammer handles, hand saws, pliers, wrenches, files, screw drivers, rules, sand paper, shovels, stove pipes, steel traps, and rivets of all kinds.

TINWARE
Dish pans, wash pans, milk pans, dippers, cups, strainers, buckets, pie plates, cake plates, sifters, graters, measuring cups, bread pans, funnels, dinner buckets.

WOODENWARE
Mouse traps, rat traps, cedar buckets, butter molds, clothes pins, brooms and ax handles.

TOILET GOODS
Talcum powder, face powder, toilet water, soap, peroxide, shaving cream, tooth paste, and perfumes.

GLASSWARE
Lamps, lamp chimneys, goblets, butter bowls, Sherbert dishes and all kinds of glassware.

STATIONARY
School tablets, writing tablets, pencils, envelopes, box stationery, ink, writing pens and pen holders.

MISCELLANEOUS
Matches, alarm clocks, toys, china-ware, enameled ware, aluminum ware, kitchen hardware, sporting goods, music, candies, picture frames, sewing machine needles, etc.

For want of space we cannot mention all the items and departments in our store but come in and see for yourself.

BLUE Racket Store

For Breakfast

Order some of our Fresh Boston Beauty Mackerel 15c, two for 25c

We also have a fresh shipment of JAEGER SARDINES. "The best that money can buy." Try a can of this Sardine, and enjoy a real wholesome canned fish, 25c a can.

Our Stock of Groceries and Meats are Always Kept Fresh.

We keep everything for Your Table.

Hunter Bros.
48—"The Home of Good Eats"—48

Sweaters And Suits

Come and see our new line of Cadet Sweaters, have just arrived. We have them for Men, Ladies and Children; they are like the Cadet Hosiery; they are second to none in attraction and quality.

Let us show you our Men's and Young Men's and Boys' Suits. Come in and look at this line and we will show you a surprise in the way of reduced Clothing Prices.

Miles Wofford

FOR SALE—Any part or all of my land in Coleman county.—W. O. Garrett. 30-3tc

LATEST Patterns of Wallpaper; new stock. Let us show you.—JAYNES & SOUDER. 35-4t.

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

TEXAS MERCANTILE CO., have a unique letter contest—read their ad, page 4.

BRING your hides to the Santa Anna Produce company and receive 8 cents per pound. 38-tf

VALUABLE prizes given away by the Texas Mercantile Co.—read ad, page 4.

FOR SALE—Some nice Big type Poland Chinese pigs.—H. J. Parker. 38-tf.

FOR SALE—I have 3 head of mules and farming outfit for sale; will sell and rent good farm of 75 acres. See S. J. Pieratt, Santa Anna, Texas. 35-tf.

LATEST Patterns of Wallpaper; new stock. Let us show you.—JAYNES & SOUDER. 35-4t.

THE CITY LAUNDRY Will appreciate your laundry work, 35c per dozen.—Mettie Rountree, Prop.

LATEST Patterns of Wallpaper; new stock. Let us show you.—JAYNES & SOUDER. 35-4t.

FOR SALE—My house and lot on Mountain Street, modern 5-room Bungalow with bath and sleeping porch, desirable location, will give terms on part if desired.—S. J. Pieratt. See me or Dewey Pieratt at First State Bank. 36tf.

THE QUALITY FLOWER SHOP
French Bulbs, Potted Plants, Cut Flowers, Design Work.
Phone 71
Santa Anna, Texas

CLOSING NOTICE
THE EAST END Grocery Store will be closed Saturday, September 23 until 6 o'clock in the afternoon, observing Jewish New Year.—Mike Meyer, prop.

FINE YOUNG ROOSTERS FOR SALE
I have about 75 pure-bred Plymouth Rock Roosters for sale.—R. P. Crum. 38-tf

HIDES WANTED at the Santa Anna Produce company; 8 cents per pound. 38-tf.

PRICES!

"Quality today as always, is of just as much concern as prices."

"To turn to an institution whose foundation is built on quality is to safeguard the character of the Merchandise you buy."

"This store cherishes a confidence begotten of the ceaseless desire to supply service in Merchandise—That quality which means True Economy."

Shoddy Merchandise, no matter how cheap, is sheer waste. In the long run Quality, price for price, outlast the flimsy, the counterfeit, the ephemeral."

"We give preference to Quality when a slight addition in cost insures a substantial increase in Service Value."

R. P. Crum & Son

COWS THAT FRESHEN IN FALL ARE BEST MILK PRODUCERS

There are varying opinions as to the best time to have cows freshen, but after a thorough study of the records of 10,870 cows in sixty-four testing associations it was found that cows dropping their calves in the fall produce more milk and butterfat. In the sixty-four associations fall freshening ranked first twenty nine times in average milk production; winter freshening ranked first eighteen times; summer freshening ten times; and spring freshening seven times. In butterfat production fall freshening ranked first thirty-eight times, winter thirteen times, summer eight times, and spring seven times. The tabulated results and detailed explanations have just been published in Department Bulletin 1071, "Influence of Season of Freshening on Production and Income From Dairy Cows," by J. C. McDowell.

On an average the cows that freshened in the fall, September, October and November, produced 6,689 pounds of milk, while those that freshened in the winter, summer, and spring produced 6,439, 5,941, and 5,842 pounds, respectively. These fall cows produced on an average 268 pounds of butterfat. Those that calved in winter, summer, and spring made, in order, 258, 236, and 236 pounds. In spite of high feed cost, the fall-freshened cows made more income over feed cost. The winter ones were second, spring third, and summer fourth.

On the basis of individual months, the largest income over feed cost was made by the cows freshening in December, with October second, November third, and January fourth. The cows calving in October ranked first in both milk and butterfat production.

Although the evidence shows conclusively that fall or early winter freshening is desirable in most parts of the country, there are exceptions to the rule. The dairyman who has a steady market for milk at fair prices during all seasons of the year will usually

find it to his advantage to keep the supply fairly uniform from month to month. The percentage of cows that should freshen each month in the year will vary to some extent in different localities and on different farms on the same locality. At present in market milk districts there is usually a surplus of milk in the late spring and early summer, and more cows should be allowed to freshen in the fall.

The bulletin should prove to be a valuable guide for solving the freshening problem on any farm. It may be obtained free by addressing the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

THE SMOKE OF BATTLE IS CLEARED (By J. S. Peacock)

We are taught in the good Book to be at peace with our fellowmen.

Jesus taught His disciples, in His great Sermon on the Mount, to be peacemakers. We are sure that if a man is a Christian he will work, and pray for the peace, and harmony that should prevail among men, and seek to mend the awful strained relations incident to every political commotion.

Why should American brothers become enemies, and sniff, and backbite and bear malice toward each other?

Life is too short, and too important to waste in a malicious encounter, or in an effort to seek vengeance upon some human brother whose imperfections are in reality no greater than ours. If thou neighbor hath sinned against thee, examine thyself, and if thou art perfect, cast a stone.

"For whosoever shall keep the whole law, and yet offend in one point, he is guilty of all." (Jas. 2:10.)

When we look around us, and see how few people there be who strive to make peace between their fellow men, we are astonished. Life is so unpleasant where dissension, and animosity intrudes upon a quiet home, or a peace loving people.

All we gain by wrong doing is

loss; and all we lose by being true, and right is true. Life is but a contest wherein all the brave, and true fight today for what they have lost in the battles of the dead past.

"Never say fall," is the watchword, and now we nail it upon the pillar to remind us that there are other great battles to fight, and "crowns of glory" to win.

"If thine enemy hunger feed him; if he thirst give him a drink: For in so doing thou shalt heap coals of fire on his head." But not overcome of evil, but overcome evil with good." (Rom. 12:20-21.)

WHAT DO YOU THINK?

When you put your thinking cap on after the evening meal, what is the trend of your thoughts?

High prices of everything you use.

Business stagnation.

Political corruption.

Grafting prohibition agents.

Booze scandals.

Divorce in high life.

Murders and robbers.

These are a few of the multitudinous thoughts that flit thru the average mind, with their long trail of dissatisfaction and disgust.

Try a change of thought for a few evenings—something along these lines:

Is the home life what it should be?

Is the proper amount of care and supervision being exercised over the growing children?

Are the best efforts being put forth for the improvement of conditions in the home community?

Does the proper spirit of amity and unity prevail among the business interests of our town?

Are you a booster of the home town, or are you a critic?

Thoughts often come unbidden but it is not difficult to divert them to certain lines if one so desires.

Try it for the welfare of those about you.

It may result in greater peace of mind for yourself.

AS THE EDITOR SEES IT

Yes, it's quite true that women's skirts are coming down. We mean they are to be made longer.

The men don't like it, and many of the women are peeved over the latest decree of fashion. But the longer the dress is the more the dressmaker can charge for making it. Then the manufacturer who makes the goods, and the merchants who sell them all get a crack at the customer in the increased amount of material required.

Still, there is an element of good in almost everything that comes along. Masculine eye strain will be considerably relieved. That will compensate some.

And now another thought pops out. It will hit the optical people, because there will be less demand for long distance magnifying glasses.

Shucks! It's all muddled up any way we look at it.

The only way of escape is to quit looking. But what red blooded man will voluntarily do that.

Too Many People on the Farm

"It is entirely possible to have too many people on the farm, and the problem of today is not to keep all the boys and girls on the farm who are not agriculturally inclined, but to make country life so complete, so full and so satisfactory that the best people can live in the country and let the scrubs move to town," says Dr. Dan T. Gray, director of the Alabama Experiment Station, at a meeting during Farmer's Week at the University of Florida.

Continuing Dr. Gray said, "that the theory of the steady decrease in farm population resulting in agricultural ruin, which is held by many agricultural papers, was incorrect. The migration from the country has been going on since the time of Cicero, and instead of reducing production it has resulted in the greatest pageant of progress the world has ever seen.

"A large farming population increases competition among farmers and causes low-priced products, and for this reason people do not have to live on the farm to benefit agriculture. Those who engage in other industries must consume the farmers' products which will enable farmers to get better prices, give his children a better education, use better machinery, and better utilize man power."

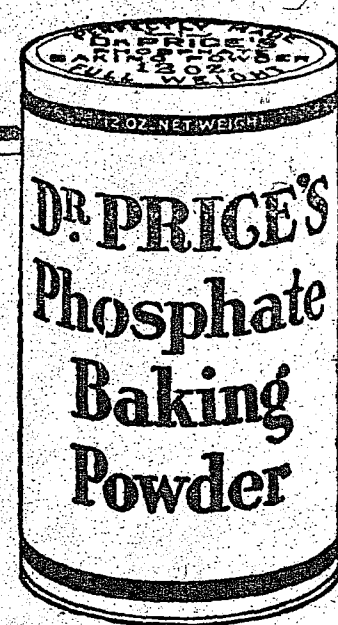
In relating the factors that improve country life and the rural community, Dr. Gray placed the consolidated rural school first, expressing his desire to see such a school in every section in the South where the farm boys and girls may receive a high school education without leaving the family fireside. Second, there must be more work stock to the individual, stating that the civilization of a community can be measured by the amount of work stock found on the farm.

The third point in community improvement is a better development of the social and religious conditions. Leading this community development there should be a country church with a country pastor to minister to the community needs. For social development there should be a community organization to promote community fairs, picnics, fishing parties, baseball teams, and general civic improvement.

HIS ELECTION EXPENSES

This is the story of the election expenses of a Georgia man who was defeated for county commissioner:

"Lost 1,394 hours sleep in thinking about the election. Lost two front teeth and a whole lot of hair in a personal encounter with an opponent. Donated, one beef, four shoats, and five sheep to a country barbecue. Gave away two pairs of suspenders, four calico dresses, five dollars in cash and thirteen baby rattles. Kissed 126 babies. Kindled 14 kitchen fires. Put up 4 stoves. Walked 4,076 miles. Shook hands with 9,508 persons, told 10,101 lies and talked enough to make in print 1,000 volumes. Attended 16 revivals and was baptized four times by immersion and twice some other way. Contributed fifty dollars to foreign missions, and made love to nine grass widows. Hugged 49 old maids. Got dog bit 39 times—and was defeated."—Ex. The Progressive Farmer.



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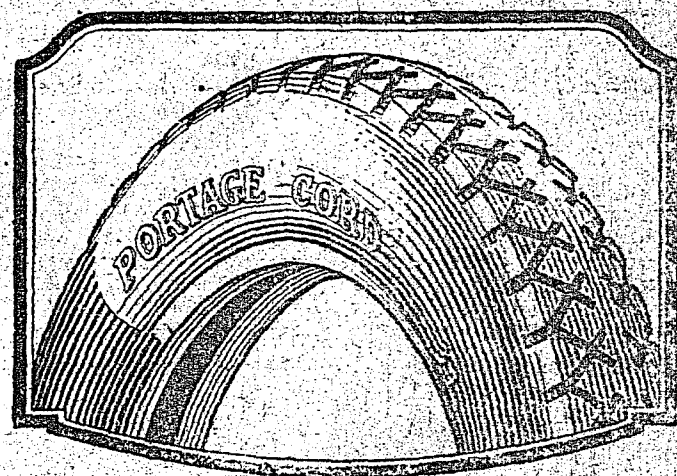
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REMEMBER COMMUNITY IN YOUR WILL

Teach that every citizen should remember the community in his will. Nowadays whenever a man of means dies in our cities, it is almost taken as a matter of course that he will leave something for some public purpose—something for some school or church or library or park. Why should we not have the same spirit in our country communities? If great leaders in the state give their millions to colleges and universities, why should not men of moderate means give their thousands to make their local schools large, better, more beautiful, and more efficient? Among our local schools, churches, and Sunday schools, there is a crying need for more grounds, for buildings, for additions to buildings, libraries, music, picture, equipment, playgrounds and playground equipment, and enlargement and beautification of grounds. The time ought to come when it will be a short of disgrace for a man to die without leaving something for the improvement of the community in which he has lived.—The Progressive Farmer.

Cut This Out—It Is Worth Money. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., 2855 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets.—C. K. Hunter druggist.

Says Prohibition and Tax Laws Making Criminals

St. Louis, Sept. 13.—Prohibition and the income tax law are doing more to make criminals than any other single cause, Victor Miller, police commissioner, declared in an address at a church meeting last night. Mr. Miller caused a sensation recently by declaring that immoral clubs existed at a public high school.

The flagrant violations of the dry law and efforts of persons to evade the income tax laws "can't help but create in the minds of the young and the ignorant a disrespect for law, and that is the beginning of a criminal," he declared. Mr. Miller said the only way prohibition could be enforced satisfactorily was to punish the buyer the same as the seller of forbidden liquor.

**SPEECH OF PAT M. NEFF
BEFORE THE STATE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION**

Ladies and Gentlemen of the Convention:
For the second time I sought, and, by the partiality of my friends won, and now, with grateful thanks accept, at the hands of the democracy of my native state, its nomination for the second highest office beneath the American flag, the governorship of Texas. My heart swells with pride and melts with gratitude as I think of those, who, by their vote of confidence at the ballot box in July, made this hour possible. To you, and through you to my friends scattered throughout the state, I acknowledge myself debtor, to one and all, in the coin of appreciation that can only be fully discharged by the faithful performance of duty.
When, as your Governor, I took the oath of office in the presence of God, mother, wife, daughter, son, and fellow-citizens, I gave my hand and heart to Texas. From that hour to this my constant thought has been the honor of my state, and the happiness of my people. To faithfully and efficiently

meet the welcome obligations of this exalted office, should I for a second time be privileged to assume its duties, will be my highest ambition.
No man who holds the office of Governor could or should be more nor less than obey the mandates and perform the duties imposed upon him by the laws and constitution of his country. The laws therefore will be enforced, property protected, the individual and inalienable rights of man upheld, peace maintained, and the channels of commerce kept open, under the law, by the law, and in accordance with the law, while I am your Governor. The cormorant and the commune, capital and labor, the employer and the employee must, all alike, bow in humble obedience at the feet of the law of the land.
Strange as it may sound to some, I, as your Governor, have not felt called upon to commend every laudable undertaking nor to condemn every worthless enterprise that might here and there in Texas have followers. The law defines my duties. They are responsible and exacting. I alone can discharge them. The remaining five million citizens of the

state have obligations not less binding than mine. They are the ones to ring out the false ring in the true. I am, I must and shall remain the servant of all. The governor of a great people and a great state has no right to get off in the corner of his country, and, with a handful of his constituents, say, "I am for these and against the rest." That I might in the highest, the noblest, and the truest sense render service to all, I have not permitted myself, since I became your Governor, to become a member of, or align myself with, any commercial, social, secret, sectional, racial, or ecclesiastical organization that had even a tendency to separate our people into sects or sections. All men, Christian and pagan, Jew and Gentile, Catholic and Protestant, rich and poor, white and black, those who speak classical English and those who articulate in a foreign tongue, the upper ten and the lower ten thousand, have, one and all, looked alike and fared alike, and shall continue to look alike and fare alike, officially, while your present chief executive is in the Governor's office.
The fight for right is never ended. The poet was wrong when he sang, "Truth crushed to earth shall rise again." Truth, though it possesses the attributes of immortality, will wither and die among its worshippers unless it has able, active, champions and wise courageous defenders. In the battle now being waged in Texas for the vital things of civilization, let the thinking men and women in this state who do things, realize that this is their contest. In this struggle for law and order, for industrial freedom, for civic improvement, for the righteousness that exalteth a Nation, we are going to win. Let no faint heart be discouraged. Wrong may come on prancing nags with fluttering flags, but on the open field of battle beneath the white light of day, right is triumphant.
"Truth forever on the scaffold, Wrong forever on the throne, Yet that scaffold sways the future, and, behind the dim unknown, Standeth God within the shadow, keeping watch above

his own."
Our cause is just. We may not win today; we may not win tomorrow, but the third day is coming when an aroused public conscience is going to roll away the stone that hinders, and from out the grave where truth and justice and honor too long have slept is going to emerge, conquering and triumphant, a prince of peace, proclaiming to our people a new day, a new hope, and a new civilization. Look to this high end, and with a determination to fight on, and on, and on, until the victory is won, I now, in the presence of this splendid assemblage of Democracy's representatives, accept your nomination for Governor, and if your nomination is confirmed at the polls in November, I shall rededicate and reconsecrate my all in service to Texas.

planted in September.
"This will be a disastrous year for many farmers in this section who have no livestock. Our county used to grow 45,000 bales of cotton a year, but the weevil has cut down the production from year to year and this fall we will probably get no more than 12,000 bales."
Mr. Pitts has cut down his cotton acreage one-half since developing a dairy herd from which he retails the milk. He has not found pastures dependable, and puts up enough corn silage to last the year round.
A SEVERE WINTER PREDICTED
A Mexican, 90 years of age, who has all his life resided in Texas, on the lower Rio Grande river, predicts that the approaching winter will be severe, and that heavy freezes will reach the coast. His predictions are based upon the early arrival in that section of the State, of wild geese and other water fowls, which are already beginning to appear in large numbers. He says that only once before in the ninety years of his life, have the fowls appeared so early in the season as this year, and that the winter following was the severest in South Texas ever known—that heavy snows fell in that section and hard freezes reached in the gulf.—Burnet Bulletin.
There you go with that winter stuff again; remember last fall more than a dozen pronosticators predicted a severe winter. Well it may come.
Don't be too hasty in taking offense when people turn the cold shoulder. Find out the reason and correct it.
...
The fellow who wants to kill two birds with one stone generally misses both.
...
"Remember the days of thy youth." You worked hard and received little pay, but now you want a small fortune for doing nothing.
...
To hasten the departure of an unwelcome guest, ask him for a contribution to your favorite charity.

**TWO GOOD COWS \$30
MORE INCOME A MONTH**
When you hear a farmer in a cotton and tobacco country say that the velvet bean is the greatest crop for that section, you may make up your mind that an important change is taking place in the agriculture of the region. The man who placed the velvet bean above the old stand-bys is P. M. Pitts, a farmer of Sumter County, S. C., and the change is being brought about by the dairy cow. Mr. Pitts is so well pleased with the results of a few years of dairying that he says, "I should like to see two good cows on every one-horse farm in Sumter county. It would mean \$30 a month additional to every farm and the feed used in making the milk would hardly be missed. There is many a man who would be happy to have that income, and since the ticks are gone it is easily possible to get it."
"A farmer with a few cows will need to buy very little feed. The grain ration I am using is made up of 200 pounds of velvet beans ground in the pod, 200 pounds of corn and cob meal, and 100 pounds of cottonseed meal. This feed has given just as good results as a mixed feed that cost \$60 a ton. In the winter the cows have velvet bean vines for roughage and pasture on rye

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CAUGHT IN THE ROUND-UP

Miss Pearl Traylor left Sunday for Brownwood to enter Howard Payne College.

Miss Dovey Polk returned to Dallas Sunday after spending her 3 months vacation here with relatives. She will teach in the Dallas Public Schools the ensuing term.

Miss Stella McDaniel left for Belton Saturday where she will teach in Baylor University. Her sister, Miss Edna, left Sunday for Austin where she will teach in the State University.

Miss Mary Shield of Trickham was here Saturday.

Miss Callie Blair spent Sunday in Bangs, guest of Mrs. J. F. Gaines.

Mrs. L. L. Shield visited in Coleman Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Barton of Shield was shopping in Santa Anna Friday.

Misses Lula and Ruby Volentine chaperoned a party of small girls to Coleman Saturday afternoon to witness the "Little Red Riding Hood" play.

Mesdames Perry Staubaugh and Leon Shield of Coleman were shopping in Santa Anna Friday.

Mrs. J. A. Estes of Rockwood was here Thursday.

Mrs. Comer Blue left for Kaufman Sunday to attend the marriage of her sister, Miss Stella Mitchell.

Mrs. R. E. Johnson of Rockwood spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. M. R. Cheatman.

Uel D. Crosby left this week for Dallas to re-enter S. M. U. Mrs. C. Lee Williamson of Coleman was shopping in Santa Anna Friday.

Winefred Wheatstone spent Sunday in Rockwood. "Duddie" Bogus of Eastland is visiting in the J. W. Hosch home this week.

Mrs. S. D. Harper and daughter, Miss Ruby, returned home this week from Palmer Lake, Colorado, where they spent the summer.

The News acknowledges receipt of a letter from Mr. E. Grunewald of Houston, enclosing correspondence between himself and the Ford Motor company, wherein Mr. Grunewald has been trying to interest the Ford Motor company in the glass sand found in the Santa Anna mountain. Mr. Grunewald has communicated with this office several times during the last year, and the News editor is trying to cooperate with him in his efforts to get something big going in Santa Anna.

Helen Dorene is the name of the young lady who made her appearance in the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. I. Davis, who recently moved from this county to Los Angeles, Calif. Mrs. Davis being a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Perry of this city. This is their first born and the announcement states, she arrived on September 10, and weighs 8 1-2 pounds. Sorry to state that a later report informed us that the mother was in a critical condition.

The editor and family had as their guests last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Smith and two daughters, Misses Gladys and LaVern from Rising Star, who were neighbors to us for more than 10 years. Mr. Smith is one of the most successful and progressive merchants of Rising Star, and during the ten years time the News editor published the Rising Star X-Ray Mr. Smith was one of our best advertising customers as well as a good friend and neighbor.

Last week we failed to mention the number of bales of cotton received at the local cotton yard up to that time as was our intention, but we will try not to overlook this important item again. There were, up to four o'clock Thursday afternoon 3175 bales weighed besides the several hundred bales shipped from our platform that were weighed at Rockwood and sold to local buyers here and shipped without reweighing.

L. V. Stockard very kindly remembered the News with the following substantial business last week after the paper had gone to press. Renewal subscription for himself, also his son, Willet who lives in New York, and has the paper sent to Miss Eudine at San Jaun, Texas, Miss Cora at Terrell and Miss Maude at Houston. Mr. Stockard states

that his children can get much more out of the local paper than he can write, and besides, the children all enjoy reading the News.

R. B. McCorkle, a former Santa Anna boy who makes his home in Amarillo and is employed by the Fort Worth Star Telegram, accompanied by his grand-father Uncle Jim Bartlett, paid this office a social call last Saturday morning. Mr. McCorkle began his work in the newspaper game in the office of the Santa Anna News in the year of 1901 under Austin Callan on a salary of \$1 per week and got his pay "perhaps."

Mrs. Belle Whitefield, trained nurse of Ballinger is nursing Mrs. R. R. Lovelady at the local hospital. Mrs. Lovelady's friends will be pleased to learn she is fast recovering.

In a recent election held at Rochelle, over in McCollough county, voting on a \$12,000 bond issue for school purposes, an election carried with only one decenting vote. What about getting rid of the one?

John Dumenil of Brownwood received some serious and almost fatal injuries Wednesday while helping round-up some horses on the Turner ranch, the horse he was riding fell and turned over on him, crushing his body with the horn of the saddle. He was brought to the local hospital and operated on, and it was found he had a ruptured blood vessel from which he was still bleeding. When his abdomen was opened more than three pints of blood was found in his abdomen cavity. His condition at this time is very critical.

Miss Ruby Witten was brought to the local hospital from Lampasas last Saturday and operated on for appendicitis. She is reported resting well at this time. She was accompanied by her mother and brother, Ed Jr.

Leeper and Coleman, sons of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gay, left Monday for Austin to re-enter the State University.

Lieut. Sam H. Collier returned Tuesday morning from Denison, Texas, where he has been doing guard duty. The remainder of the local National Guard company were detained in Denison for an indefinite period.

Bryon England, son of G. P. England west of town, left Monday for Austin where he will take a two years' preparatory course in the State University, after which time he will enter the medical branch at Galveston.

Mrs. W. H. Culver returned to her home at Muskogee, Okla. last week after visiting several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Woodruff.

Miss Hazel Verner left Monday for Brownwood to enter Daniel Baker College. Miss Hazel graduated with great honors in the Santa Anna High school last term, she being the valedictorian of the 1921-22 class.

A. C. Woodward is in the Plains country this week prospecting.

Bob Gardner of Coleman is having a Drive-in filling station built on the corner north of the O. K. wagon yard, which will be a convenient place when completed.

Roy and Guy Rushing of Hearne, Texas, passed through Santa Anna Saturday enroute home from Abilene. They paid the News office a short, but very pleasant visit while here.

Messers Harve Melton, R. T. Stewart, J. Q. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Garrett and Miss Jewell Harris were among those to attend the celebration at Rockwood Saturday evening.

J. Q. Barnes and Miss Jewell Harris spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. T. Ray Garrett.

Messers V. O. Kelley, J. Q. Barnes, Misses Allie Magness and Jewell Harris visited at Rockwood Monday afternoon.

Mr. Wm. Pfluger of Pflugerville, Texas, was in town this week greeting friends and looking after his ranch interest south of town.

Miss Gertrude Baker left Thursday for Emporia, Kansas, where she goes to enter school.

We have been requested to announce the next meeting of the Harmony Club will be on Wednesday of next week at 3:30 p. m., at the school building.

The local Rebekah lodge met Wednesday night in a social meeting. Refreshments were served and several members enjoyed games of "42."

Jack Woodward, wife and little daughter were Rockwood visitors Tuesday.

A Pessimist is a man who wears both belt and suspenders and has faith in neither of them.

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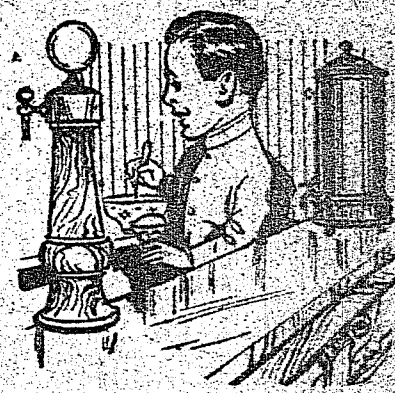
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Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Dillinger and little daughter, Mary, of Dallas, are here this week visiting Mrs. Dillinger's mother, Mrs. W. D. Stephenson.

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