

SANTA ANNA NEWS

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"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

AT THE CHURCHES

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bible school 10 a. m.
Preaching morning and evening every Lord's Day with the exception of Second Sunday.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.
All meetings held for YOU and we want YOU in them.
Every member is urged to be present at the Bible school and church services coming Lord's Day. Let us make this day the biggest day of "Every Member Day."
All visitors are welcome.—Ed Baxter Supt. Leon Williams, pastor.

SENIOR ENDEAVOR 6:30 p. m.

Christian Church.
Leader—Conley Woods.
Songs—By Society.
Lord's Prayer.
Discussion of questions in "Look Out."
Piano Solo—Inez Marshall.
Roll Call—By Secretary.
Benediction.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. D. J. Barnes Supt.
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
Sunbeam 3:00 p. m. Miss Hilda Harrell, Leader.
Senior B. Y. P. U. 6 p. m. Miss Gertrude Baker, Pres.
Junior B. Y. P. U. 3:00 p. m. in Basement of New Baptist Church, Mrs. Rude leader.
Prayer meeting Wednesday night.
J. M. Reynolds, pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. J. Frank Turner Supt.
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
Epworth League 6:15 p. m. C. B. Verner President.
Prayer meeting Wednesday 7 p. m.
Business meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society every second Monday in each month. Mrs. J. Frank Turner, President.
Every body should go to church, with us you will find a warm welcome.
R. A. Grosby, pastor.

EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM

Subject—"Christianity in buying and selling."
Leader—Callie Blair.
Song.
Prayer.
1. By their fruits ye shall know them—Eugene Hensley.
2. God expects a man to be diligent in business—Xuma Meyers.
3. The social Element in Property Values—Georgia Gilmore.
4. Christian Principles in Buying and Selling—Miss Mae Stockard.
5. Solo—Alice Hayes.
6. Benediction.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH U. S. A.

Sunday school 10 a. m. J. D. Holt, Supt.
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
Christian Endeavor 6:00 p. m.
A cordial welcome for you.
T. W. Davidson, pastor.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR

For Presbyterian Church
Better Purpose. Num. 14:20-24. (Decision Day)
Consecration Meeting.
Leader—Mary McClellan.
Beginning a New Life, John 3:1-8—Clifford Lowe.
All for Christ, Phil. 1:18-26—Garner Morgan.
Better Praying, Matt. 17:14-21—Celeste McClellan.
Better life work, Acts 16:1-5—Ivers Parnell.

COLEMAN COUNTY PAYS

5477 POLL TAX
There were 5477 poll tax receipts issued in Coleman county up to Feb. 1st, and 163 exemptions, according to the list furnished us by Tax Collector E. K. Thomson.
Poll Tax paid in Santa Anna, not including exemptions are 461 in North Ward and 506 in South Ward. Estimating 33 exemptions, Santa Anna will have a voting strength of 1000 this year.
Next week we will give the list by precincts.
There is some involuntary unemployment, of course, but a lot of people are working mighty hard in order to keep out of work.

Being of a practical turn of mind, we are averse to seeing too many really good people in this world. The profession is crowded as it

THE WOMAN'S UNION

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Monday, February 20, at 8 o'clock.
Hostess—Mrs. Sealy.
Leader—Mrs. Davidson.
Scripture, 53rd Chapter of Isaiah, with comments from each one on the lesson.
Voluntary Prayers for missions now doing translating work; for Chinese learning the new Phonetic Alphabet; for children in Mission Schools.

- Map Study
1. Tracing the early Bible translations from its home in Palestine into Europe, Africa and Asia.—Mrs. Frank Turner.
 2. Translation of the Bible during the modern Missionary Era—Miss Blanche Boyd.
- Questions
1. Tell of the first translation of the Bible into Japanese by Dr. Gutzloff.
 2. Give an account of the Japanese Bible of today.
 3. Give the story of the Korean Bible translation.
 4. Tell the story of the Gilbert Islanders.
 5. What of John G. Palon's translation of the New Testament?
 6. Tell the story of Madagascar.
 7. What of the Bible in Africa?
 8. Give an account of the Bible translation of the North American Indians.
 9. Tell of the Arabic translations.

AMERICAN LEGION

Regular meeting of the local post American Legion, was well attended. Committees report fight and minstrel plans progressing nicely, for Washington's birthday. The Post Finance Officer is still making his drive and reports better results than at the same date last year, but there is much room for improvement. There is to be a call meeting Friday night, Feb. 10th to further plan for the fight card and minstrel, every member is urged to attend. Adjusted Compensation looks more like a reality now than it has.
The following message was transmitted to the White House Condemning the release of the Arch Traitor Eugene Debs.
President Warren G. Harding,
The White House,
Washington, D. C.
The release of Eugene V. Debs is breaking faith with America's Dead and insult to all ex-service men and women. Though hedged about with sentences of mercy, it is obviously a political and vote getting move. Jack Laughlin Post one eighty two condemns this action as utterly uncalled for.

I AM YOUR TOWN

Make of me what you will—I shall reflect as clearly as a mirror throws back a candle beam.
If I am pleasing to the eye of the stranger within my gates; if I am such a sight as, having seen me, he will remember me all his days as a thing of beauty, the credit is yours.
Ambition and opportunity calls some of my sons and daughters to high tasks and mighty privileges, to my greater honor and to my good repute in far places, but it is not chiefly these who are my strength. My strength is in those who remain, who are content with what I can offer them, and with what they can offer me. It was the greatest of all Romans who said: "Better be first in a little Iberian village than be second in Rome."
I am more than wood and brick and stone, more even than flesh and blood—I am the composite soul of all who call me Home.
I am your town.—American Legion, Weekly.

KEEP YOUR MONEY IN A BANK

A North Carolina woman took her savings from a bank and hid the money in her home. Wicked neighbors found it out, and that night she was attacked and robbed and beaten almost to death.
Banks fail sometimes, it is true, due to various causes. But the failures are few, and the depositors seldom lose the deposits, as a rule get their money back twice their holdings, and this safeguard, with others, is ample protection for those who place their money on deposit.
When money is stolen it is gone forever, as a rule. When a bank fails the stockholders as a rule get their money, sooner or later.
It is dangerous to keep money on one's person or in one's home. The only safe and sane rule is to keep money in a bank.

PASS ON THE PRAISE

Kansas City World—"You're a great little wife, and I don't know what I would do without you." And as he spoke he put his arms around her and kissed her, and she forgot all the cares that moment. And forgetting it all she sang as she washed the dishes, and the song was heard next door and a woman there caught the refrain and sang also, and two homes were happier because he had told her that sweet old story—the story of love of a husband for a wife. As she sang the butcher boy who called for the order heard it and went out whistling on the journey, and the world heard the whistle, and one man hearing it thought: "Here is a lad who loves his work, a lad happy and contented."
And because she sang her heart was mellowed, and as she swept about the back door the cool air kissed her on the cheek, and she thought of a poor woman she knew and a little basket went over to that home with a quarter for a crate or two of wood.
So, because he kissed her and praised her, the song came and the influence went out and out.

Pass on the praise.
A word and you make a rift in the cloud, a smile and you may create a new resolve, a grasp of the hand and you may repossess a soul from hell.
Pass on the praise.
Does your clerk do well?
Pass on the praise.
Tell him that you are pleased and if he is a good clerk he will appreciate it more than a raise. A good clerk does not work for his salary alone.
Teacher, if the child is good, tell him about it, and if he is better, tell him again. Thus you see good, better, best.

Pass on the praise now. Pass it on in the home. Don't go to the grave and call "Mother." Don't plead, "Hear me, mother; you were a kind mother, and smoothed away a rugged path for me."
Those ears cannot hear that glad admission. Those eyes cannot see the light of earnest in yours. Those hands may not return the embrace you wish now to give.
Why call so late? Pass on the praise today.

HIGH RESOLVE OF CHURCH MEMBERS

- We will lift and not lean.
- We will build and not burden.
- We will strike hands in co-operative service.
- We will stand square to duty in the world crisis.
- We will waste no time in profitless parleying.
- We will launch out promptly and vigorously.
- We will prosecute spiritual tasks earnestly.
- We will sacredly guard appointed times for worship.
- We will cultivate the spirit fellowship.
- We will refuse to listen to caustic criticisms.
- We will be generous in our judgments.
- We will make our church attractive to strangers.
- We will bear witness with faithfulness.
- We will generously support the church in its work.
- We will cultivate the spirit of loyalty.
- We will honestly try to win others to Christ.
- We will be true to our profession of faith.
- We will pray for increased spiritual prosperity.
- We will attend services regularly and promptly.
- We will respond to all reasonable requests for service.
- We will make this the best of all the years of the Church.—Florida Christian Advocate.

Should we not be thankful for hard times? They are making the nation sober up. Nothing except depression could solve the intricate problems which Americans have been relating during the past decade. An eastern preacher says this, and in many ways he is right.
Boom times make people wasteful, careless, indifferent to the future, negligent of their fellow men's problems and welfare.
Then Providence sends a hard time and brings us back to normal conditions.
In hard times we learn to love our neighbor as ourselves. We learn that man has no problems except those he creates himself.

PAPER READ BY REV. T. W. DAVIDSON AT FUNERAL SERVICE OF MRS. H. VOLLINTINE FEB. 5, 1922

Text:—From the Book of John.
"And we beheld His Glory, Glory as of the only begotten of the Father," and 2nd Peter 1:16, "For we did not follow cunningly devised fables, when we made known unto you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we were eyewitnesses of His majesty. For He received, from God the Father, honor and glory, when there was borne such a voice to Him by the Majestic Glory. This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased; and this voice we ourselves heard borne out of Heaven when we were with Him on the Holy Mount."
Now in the lesson we have the history of the event, in the life of Jesus, to which these references are made: "And after six days Jesus taketh with Him Peter and James, and John and John his brother, and bringeth them up into a high mountain apart; and He was transfigured before them, and His face did shine as the sun and His garments became white as the light, and behold there appeared unto them Moses and Elijah, talking with Him. And Peter answered and said unto Jesus, Lord, it is good for us to be here; if thou wilt, I will make here three tabernacles; one for thee, and one for Moses, and one for Elijah. While he was yet speaking, behold, a bright cloud overshadowed them; and behold, a voice out of the cloud, saying, This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased; hear ye Him. And lifting up their eyes, they saw no one, save Jesus only." Matt. 17:1-8.

This is theophany. This is vision. This was not dreaming. These disciples needed a newer vision of the life of Jesus. A new vision of the meaning of His life, connecting the past with the approaching events of that life, but yet shortly in the future. These events take place about six or eight days after Jesus had taken the disciples away from the rabble to the coasts of Caesarea Philippi and questioned them as their opinions of Him and of the current opinions among men of His life and mission in the world. Then it was that He received the answer expressing the consensus of opinion of the disciples that He was truly what Peter announced, "Thou art one Elijah, the Son of the living God." This additional vision was given them that they might never more doubt the truths that He had revealed to them. He was transfigured before them. What was before conjecture was now plain. What was a guessing and basis for argument was clarified in their minds and a richness of purpose arose in their thinking and program of life for each of the witnesses. Peter wanted to stay here on the mount. It was a time in his mind to build tabernacles and to remain at this place and in these experiences as long as possible. It was not best. With a new vision of the life as it reached into the dim future it would have been unwise to remain there in selfish possession with no effort to impart to others the newly acquired faith and knowledge. At the foot of the Mountain were cripples to be healed; were labors of love that could only be achieved by again leaving the manifestation of the Majestic Glory and returning to the toilsome walks of life with its hardships and striving.

As I reflect upon the incidences surrounding the deceased and her family for the last few days of her life I believe that I may interpret them in so far as her family is concerned as a transfiguration of her life before them. I do not mean that there was to them any theophany. These events were not dreams. There was vision. Vision that was retrospective as well as introspective and gave future seeing. There was a deep reflection upon her life, her acts of kindness, her acts of devotion, her acts of love, that gave them a new phase, a new light, a new meaning. What once seemed prohibition now appears as instruction. What was warning, is now admonition prompted by a hither to unseen love. Her advice has a new meaning. Her aspirations for each of them has a new radiance as she passed from them to her reward. Even needs have lessons.
The poet Whitman has said: "God calls our loved ones, but we lose not wholly what He has given. They live on earth, in thought, and deed, as truly as in His Heaven." This new vision of her life, her deeds, her devotion, the renewed call

your last look on the face that has been a consolation and an inspiration to you. But never forget the oft given word of faith and advice.

Remember that death sanctifies no one. Death makes not perfect. Death purifies not. Death is not a long sleep. Death is transition. The day of probation has now ended. Paradise is now reality. She has passed over, to rest under the trees. Not dead is her thinking. Not weakened is her perception. Not insensible is she. The limitations of earthly life has ended. Untrammelled now she enters into the joys and peace and knowledge of God. No fever now. No pain. No sorrow except that perhaps your grief may make her. Does she know? Does she know my aching heart? Does she still care for me? I think so. Jesus cares. He knows and she too is spirit. Why cannot she know? I would that men everywhere think that the things of the spirit, spiritual facts, more realistic. To realize that God is near. That Jesus suffers with us, that perhaps our friends linger near, would help us through many a trial, and rob sorrow of half its pang. These are things of God. Oh friends this day, even this day of sorrow and grief, I would ask you to consider how great is the church of the living God! How hallowed her sacred altars! How sweet the sacred presences where comfort and consolation abound! What blessings, what joys, what peace, what hope, the anchors of the soul both sure and steadfast, that enter within the veil, the church brings to all our lives! What glad news of salvation! What of redemption! Ecstasies of faith! What glistening heights of aspiration! What delectable fields of service! What laudable purposes! What beauty of life her teaching bring! Of life, I say, and what life? Eternal life, perennial in ever lasting day. Whatever of beauty, whatever of love, whatever of hope, in fields elision, along the wide green banks of the river of salvation, amid the appointments of God, we shall know is brought by her for the church is the medium and ground of salvation. How glad I am to-day to be able to say that salvation is free, that the gospel of the Son of God is for every believer and is glad news of forgiveness, hope, love, peace, beauty of soul.

Mourn not the dead who calmly lie
By God's own hand composed to rest;
For hark! A voice from yonder sky
Proclaim them blessed—Supremely blest.
With them the toil and strife are o'er;
Their labors end, their sorrows cease;
For they have gained the blissful shore,
Where dwells serene Eternal peace.
Mourn not the dead, though like the flower
Just opening to the morning ray,
Nipped by disease's cruel power,
They fell from love's embraces away.
Where breathes no chill or tainted air,
Where falls no darkness of the tomb
They prove the loving Saviour's care
And blossom in immortal bloom.
Mourn not the dead whose lives declare
That they have nobly borne their part,
For victory's golden crown they wear,
Reserved for every faithful heart;
They rest with glory wrapped around,
Immortals on the scroll of fame;
Their work their praises shall resound,
Their name—an everlasting name.
Drop the warm tear—For Jesus wept,
Sorrow shall find relief in tears,
But let no secret grief be kept,
To waste the soul through nameless years.
They rest in hope;
Their hallowed dust
Is watched, and from the grave shall rise;
Earth shall restore her sacred trust,
Made all immortal for the skies.

AN EDUCATION

Rev. "Billy" Sunday, the famous evangelist, in a sermon to college students said:
"You will soon forget most of the things you learn here. The object of your college course is to train your faculties for future service. This is important, and you must not neglect your studies here, but your real education will begin after you leave college.
My definition of an education is this: To know what you want to know where to get it, and to know what to do with it after you get it.
There have been many definitions of education. Have you ever seen a better one than that?"

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J. J. GREGG, Editor and Publisher
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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News has been authorized to announce the following candidates for office subject to action of the Democratic primaries in July 1922:

For County Judge
 S. J. PIERATT
 PLEAS WILLIAMSON

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2
 W. M. BELL
 G. F. (FRANK) PEARCE
 J. D. WHETSTONE
 J. M. (MARSHALL) DUGGINS
 ALVA C. WOODWARD
 T. RAY GARRETT

For Tax Collector
 J. C. LEWIS
 J. T. RILEY

For County Treasurer
 MRS. LEILA COLLINS
 (Re-election)

For Tax Assessor
 GEO. M. SMITH
 (Re-election)

For District Clerk
 W. E. GIDEON
 (Re-election)

For County Clerk
 L. EMET WALKER
 (Re-election)

For Constable (Precinct No. 7)
 W. L. (BILL) CONLEY

The editor of this paper would like to join in a campaign for some much needed improvements on the main streets in the business part of town. Last week during the damp drizzle

our streets were very sloppy and disagreeable for all kinds of travel. Several hundred dollars has recently been expended on our streets, but to leave them in their present condition is but little if any short of a calamity. There can be and must be some plans arranged whereby we can have our main streets treated with a good coat of gravel. We believe the business men of the town and property owners would be liberal in subscribing to a fund to have our main streets gravelled. Who has the nerve to start the campaign? The editor is one among the least of you, but he will join in the campaign and head the list with a check for \$25.00 as a starter.

A government expert says that, as a rule, men who work hard have large families, but he probably meant to say that men who have large families have to work hard.

The much noted Arms Conference which has been in session in Washington for the past three months was formally closed Monday. Just what has been accomplished by this International Conference is yet to be seen. Treaties and agreements were signed, and President Harding declares much has been accomplished for the world. We hope that much good will come as the result of the long conference.

If there ever was a time in the history of the world when the people should wake up and take an active interest in political affairs it is during the present and ensuing campaign. We need the best men we have in office and to put them there our best citizens must take an interest in election affairs. Consider well the qualifications and other requirements of each candidate and vote for those in your best judgement is best suited for the office.

There are as good reasons for fine centralized churches as for fine centralized schools, but the centralized church has a big job ahead if it is to serve the needs of the farm communities as fully and faithful as did the little old meeting house at the cross roads.

Of course the larger institutions can and will be just as useful, but the thoughtful will give a sign for the little country church. Within its walls were fostered a simple but effective religious life which is still one of the cornerstones upholding the nation, and as a center for heart-warming social and neighborly intercourse it outshone many a costly and more pretentious

Just as we are gleefully figuring on getting rid of the coal man the ice man resurrects a grin and begins to strut—proving conclusively that there is always some hick ready to take the joy out of our sorrows.

We have strong hopes that co-operative marketing will be an established fact within the next fifty years. The honorable senate is giving in consideration.

The News editor has been asked by several of our good readers since our advent in the city to come out with an expression regarding the Road bonds that were voted in this precinct some two years ago for the purpose of building good roads throughout the precinct, but it seems that we have never been able to secure sufficient data regarding the proposition to intelligently discuss the matter. There is no question but what good roads adds considerably to the convenience of the people and value of the county, and it cost considerable money to build them; and so far as the writer has ever been able to observe, we have never found a county traversed with good roads that did not vote bonds to build them with. However, there has been considerable money wasted in building roads in Texas where the construction was not properly supervised after the outline of a competent engineer. In this enlightened age, there is no need of wasting money in building roads. Competent engineers are available and the cost of construction has been reduced to where good roads can now be built at a price that such counties as Coleman can well afford to build good roads, and in as much as the bonds were voted in this precinct before our coming to the county, we do not feel that we can come in and have any bearing on the issue by entering into a discussion of the matter. At this time, personally, we would like to see the roads built and believe that sufficient funds have been voted to build a good system of roads throughout the precinct, and as we see it, there is nothing left to do but find a market for the bonds and then proceed with the work of building the roads. Some people claim that the bonds are excessive, but we are unprepared to answer this assertion. We hope, however, to see the difficulties all removed and a satisfactory solution to the problem brought about and the construction work resumed in the near future. Coleman County is just a little behind the times in the matter of good roads for a good west Texas county.

When some people start in to tell all they know time soon hangs heavily on their hands.

It may be true that American diplomats abroad are known for the things they don't know about diplomacy, but that handicap is often an asset. They can prove the other fellow a liar and get by with it.

When two women begin to argue it soon ceases to be an argument. Neither one hears what the other one has to say.

Once in a while, says the Columbia Record, there is a cabinet officer worth more than \$12,000 a year—and somebody offers him a better job.

In assuming office as mayor of Magnetic Springs, Ohio, Mrs. Mary McFadden, 80 years young, announced that she would serve doughnuts and coffee at each meeting in hope of inducing the councilmen to attend. A similar feast in this burg might induce the public to attend. And besides, watching the animals feed would be great sport.

DOES TRAINING PAY?

At the present time, the business world is passing through a state of reconstruction. Business is improving rapidly and a large number of industries are employing men and women especially those who layed off office help some time ago. Salaries will soon be raised. During the depressed times, business men learned that it was necessary at all times to get down to a rock bottom efficiency basis and in order to make their business profitable, it is necessary always to employ the very best office help. Which class is to be employed at a time like this, the trained worker or the unskilled man who has no special ability? The trained man is always the first to be employed. He is sure of his job and draws the best salary. The man, or woman who is prepared for his or her work is the one who stays on the pay roll.

Specialized training will lift anyone above the masses. Ability is nothing but an average brain specially prepared. Such training is necessary to success in this age of specialization. Brains are at a premium. There are plenty of men and women for the ordinary job that pays an ordinary salary, but the demand for high-priced workers for big jobs is always greater than the supply.

yourself in the class of the trained worker in a few months' time? By enrolling at once in the largest business training institution in America, with a faculty of over thirty specialized teachers, all modern office equipment, using the Famous Byrnes Systems of Business Training, and let us give you the most thorough, complete and practical training that can be had, in less time and at less cost than any other school.

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FOR COUNTY JUDGE

To The Voters of Coleman County:—

I wish to announce my candidacy for the office of County Judge of Coleman County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July 1922. I have lived in Coleman county 12 years, and have been Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 2, since 1912, with the exception of twelve months, from November 1916, when I resigned and moved to Terry county, returning in August 1917, and being again appointed to that office in November of that year.

With the experience that I have had as Justice of the Peace, I feel that I am qualified to fill the office of County Judge and ask you to give my candidacy due consideration. If in doubt of my qualifications, will be glad that you ask any of the attorneys in Coleman as to my ability.

It will be impossible for me to see all the voters of the county as I will be busy farming, but will see as many as possible, before the election.

Thanking you for your support and influence.

I am, yours to serve,
 PLEAS WILLIAMSON.

Removal Notice

I wish to announce to the public that I have moved my Barber Shop from the Dr. Hays Building on Main Street to the Riley Building, next door to Marshall's Grocery on East side of Depot St.

I will appreciate all my former customers looking me up as well as new ones when you want Barber work. Also Hot and Cold Baths at all times. 5-2c.

R. B. Renfroe

Soap Week

BEGINNING FEBRUARY 13TH
 We are going to have Soap Week. We are overstocked on Soap and it MUST move.
 Star Laundry Soap..... 8 for 25c
 Palmolive Soap..... 7c bar
 Rose Glycerine..... 7c bar
 Bob White Laundry Soap..... 11 for 50c
 Peroxide Bath Soap..... 3 for 25c
 Peets Laundry Soap..... 18 bars for \$1.00
 P. & G. Laundry Soap..... 2 for 15c
 Almond Hard Water Soap..... 3 for 25c
 Notice our Window for display of this Soap.

Blue Racket Store

The Quality Flower Shop

Has a good stock of bulbs for Spring planting. Also a good variety of plants for bedding, boxes, hanging baskets, etc., vegetable plants and ready pot plants. Your cut flower orders solicited, if haven't what you want will get it for you from Brownwood Floral Co., as we represent them in Santa Anna, Texas.

"SAY IT WITH FLOWERS"

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SONG BOOKS

The 1922 song book by J.D. Voughtan are now ready and I can supply you with any number. Single copy 50 cents, 12 for \$3.60 or 100 for \$25. Send your orders to me or leave at Santa Anna News office—G. W. Bobo, Santa Anna, Texas.

WANTED—Chickens and eggs, will pay highest market price—Santa Anna Produce Co. 1-1f

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Preserve you meat with Wright's Liquid Smoke, it is nature's way. For Sale by Hunter Drug Store.

FARM WANTED—Wanted to hear from owner of a farm for sale, give lowest price, and full particulars—L. Jones, Box 551, Olney, Ill.

NEED GLASSES

Dr. Jones, the Eye Man, will be at Childers & Co. Store, Saturday, Feb. 18. Eyes examined, Glasses fitted, Headache and Eye strain relieved. 5-2

See our ad on the last page of this paper for a Special bargain. You will find it profitable to read our ad each week, as we expect to have something special to offer every week. W. R. KELLEY & Co.

For Sale—All kinds of fruit and Shade trees, Rose bushes, all kinds of Yard Shrubs—O. B. Rude, phone 1231. 4-1fc

HAYZ SEED FOR SALE—See Sample at First State Bank—J. R. Brooks. 4-4tp

Just received a nice line of new wallpaper, the latest designs, prices right—F. M. Jaynes, Phone 244 5-1fc

It Went to the Spot

Henry E. Campbell, R. F. D. No. 3, Adrian, Mich., writes: "I had a bad cough for three years. Tried several cough remedies. Got little relief. I tried Foley's Honey and Tar. It went to the spot. There is no better remedy on the market." Good for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. Children like it—C. K. Hunter, Druggist.

I am preparing to serve the public with real Battery service. Bring your batteries to me for re-charging and if you need a new battery call in and see me—J. L. P. Baker, in rear of First State Bank Building.

Never Wants Anything Else

"I tried many different kinds of cough medicines," writes Mrs. E. K. Olson, 1917 Ohio Ave., Superior, Wis., "but I never want anything else than Foley's Honey and Tar. I used it for all my children and also for my grandchild. It always did fine work." Foley's is pure, wholesome and absolutely safe—C. K. Hunter, Druggist.

For Sale—S. C. Dark Brown Leghorn eggs, extra fine stock, \$1.50 per setting—Mrs. J. Fox Casey, Santa Anna, Texas, route 2 box 89. 6-7tp

WANTED

To see you when thinking of placing an order for a monument at the graves of those gone but not forgotten. I am in position to give you the best service possible in any monumental work in all the Marbles and Granites.

Am lined up with the Brownwood monument works who make a specialty of service that satisfies. I can always be found at the Marshall & Jones Shop—J. S. Jones.

Lost—One rain-coat Monday, January 30, between Santa Anna and Temple farm north-east of town. Reward—J. M. Cheaney. 6-2tp

Wanted—Good bundle cane. Phone 1605. 6-2tp

And still, it is possible the pinhead of man thinks himself sharp.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

Sunday School Lesson

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LESSON FOR FEBRUARY 12

ELISHA AND THE SHUNAMMITE WOMAN

LESSON TEXT—II Kings 4:3-7. GOLDEN TEXT—Verily, verily, I say unto you, the hour is coming, and now is, when the dead shall hear the voice of the Son of God; and they that hear shall live.—John 5:25. REFERENCE MATERIAL—John 11:46. PRIMARY TOPIC—Elisha Brings a Boy to Life. JUNIOR TOPIC—How Elisha Brought a Boy to Life. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Elisha Helping in a Home. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Our Ministry of Comfort and Help.

I. The Shunammite's Hospitality to Elisha (vv. 8-11).

1. Its occasion (v. 8). A wealthy woman of Shunem, observing that Elisha passed continually by her house in his journeys, was moved with compassion toward him. She determined according to her ability to supply his needs. 2. Its nature (vv. 8-11). "She constrained him to eat bread" (v. 8, 9). As a result of her earnest entreaty, as often as he passed by her house he turned in to eat bread. She received a prophet in the name of a prophet. II. Elisha Endeavors to Repay Her Kindness (vv. 12-17).

1. He offers to ask a favor from the king or head of the army (v. 13). This offer implies that Elisha had influence at the royal court. The woman's reply shows her truly to be a great woman. She did not desire to change the calm and quiet of her home for a place even in the royal court. Her answer also shows that her motive in extending generosity to the prophet was entirely unselfish, purely because he was God's prophet. 2. Elisha announces the giving of a son to her (vv. 16, 17). Through inquiry of Gehazi it was discovered that this woman was childless. So the prophet made known to her that in about a year from that time she should experience the joy of a mother.

III. The Coming of Sorrow to the Shunammite's Home (vv. 18-21). The child which brought joy to her home was suddenly taken away. How many homes are like this! Scarcely do we begin to enjoy life until death enters and snatches away some loved one. The cause of his death was probably sunstroke, for the heat of the sun at harvest time in this country is very intense. When the boy complained of his head, the father soon had him home to his mother. By noon the child died and the mother laid him upon the bed of the man of God. Faith prompted her to do this. She did not make preparation for burial, but for restoration to life (Heb. 11:35).

IV. The Mother Goes to Elisha (vv. 22-28). "When one is in trouble or sorrow the best place to go is to the man of God who is able to give counsel and comfort. Happy is the one who in the days of prosperity and sunshine has so related himself to God and His prophets that he can have help and sympathy in time of trouble. 1. She took hold of Elisha's feet (v. 27). This was the eastern way of entoring a petition. She passed by the servant when the master could be reached. 2. She added the prophet (v. 28). "Did I desire a son?" This implies that it would have been better not to have had a child than to have lost him so soon.

V. The Child Restored (vv. 29-37). 1. Gehazi's fruitless errand (vv. 29-31). He hurried away and placed the prophet's staff upon the child's face, but it did not revive. Perhaps the fault lay in Gehazi—his lack of faith. The woman seemed to perceive his lack; she would not trust him. She would not go until Elisha was willing to go along. This fruitless errand of Gehazi shows the worthlessness of the forms of religion when used by those who have no faith in them. 2. Elisha's efficient service (vv. 32-37). He went to the house where the dead child was. (1) He prayed (v. 33). He knew that no one but God could help, so he closed the door, shutting all others out. Our service to men should be preceded by prayer. (2) He stretched himself upon the child (v. 34). He brought his warm body into touch with the cold body of the child. God blesses and works through the warm touch of those who are in touch with Him. After we pray we should get into actual touch with those dead in trespasses and sin. God's method of saving the world is through the ministry of saved men and women.

A Daily Prayer. Keep back thy servant also from presumptuous sins; let them not have dominion over me; then shall I be upright, and I shall be innocent in the great transgression. Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in thy sight, O Lord, my strength, and my Redeemer.—Psalm 119:13-14.

Wickedness As a Fire

Wickedness burneth as a fire; it shall devour the briars and thorns.—Isaiah 67:18.

MORTUARY

Mrs. Henry Vollintine. Mrs. Henry Vollintine, 72 years of age, died at the home of her daughter Mrs. Frank Adams, in Brownwood, early last Friday morning. Her remains were prepared and brought to her home here, where burial was made Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Vollintine was born in Tennessee in 1849. When she was five years of age her parents moved to Texas. In 1868 in Lavaca county, she was married to Henry Vollintine, and the family moved to Coleman county in 1881, having lived at Santa Anna for the past seventeen years. She is survived by her husband and nine daughters, as follows: Mrs. Bob Hewitt, San Angelo; Mrs. George Patton, Carlisbad, N. M.; Mrs. A. D. Lee, Brownwood; Mrs. A. R. Brown, Santa Anna; Mrs. Ed Baxter, Santa Anna; Misses Lula and Ruby Vollintine, Santa Anna; Mrs. Leon Shields, Coleman; Mrs. Frank Adams, Brownwood. She is also survived by eleven grand children and two great-grand children. She has three sisters and two brothers living, one sister, Mrs. A. C. Watson of Santa Anna, and a grandson, Sammie Patton of Carlisbad, N. M., being with her at the time of her death.

Mrs. Vollintine was a faithful wife and mother, a splendid neighbor and a good citizen. Her death is mourned by a large circle of loving friends in addition to her family.

THOMAS CULVERWELL

Thomas Culverwell was born in Bridge Water, England, July 21, 1851. Came to the United States and settled in the state of Virginia in 1858. Came to Texas in 1872. He was married to Miss Martha Tommy Knight, July 20, 1876. He joined the Methodist church at Davilla, Texas, in 1880. From 1882 to 1898 he served as steward. From 1899 to 1916 he served as Trustee of Church property. He was also a member of the Masonic order.

He came to Santa Anna 24 years ago. Mr. Culverwell was a man who heard the call for help with an open purse. He was a successful man in a financial way and lived to serve. He was a real Philanthropist. He died and went to his reward February 3, 1922.

Mr. Culverwell was a good citizen and leaves behind him a large number of friends. His wife is the only surviving heir in the United States.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Whereas in the all wise providence of our Heavenly Father He has seen best to remove from our midst, our friend, brother and co-laborer, Mr. Frank Davis, who was a good member of our Epworth League; therefore, Resolved, first:—That we express our deep sense of loss because of his untimely death, and also our appreciation of his efficient leadership both in the devotional services of the church and the social work as well. Resolved, second:—That we extend to the bereaved ones (his parents, sister and other relatives) our sincere sympathy and prayers in their loss of one so promising of a useful life. Resolved third:—That we spread a copy of these resolutions on our minutes, furnish to our local paper a copy for publication, and furnish the loved ones a copy of the same. Respectfully Signed:

R. A. Crosby, pastor, C. B. Verner, president, Mrs. R. A. Crosby, Mrs. C. B. Verner, Miss Mae Stockard, Committee.

COMMENCE THE YEAR RIGHT

If for pleasure you are viewing any work a man is doing, If you like him or you love him tell him now. Don't withhold your approbation till the parson makes oration, And he lies with snowy lilies o'er his brow; For no matter how you shout it, he won't really care about it; He won't know how many teardrops you have shed; If you think some praise is due him, now's the time to slip it to him, For he cannot read his tombstone when he's dead. More than fame and more than money is the comment kind and sunny, And the hearty, warm approval of a friend. For it gives to life a savor, and it makes you stronger, braver, And it gives you heart and spirit, to the end. If he earns your praise—bestow it. If you like him let him know it; Let the words of true encouragement be said; Do not wait till life is over and he's underneath the clover, For he cannot read his tombstone when he's dead. Exchange.

FINDING FAULT

What a dreary, profitless thing it is to have to listen to some one recount the shortcomings of others. And how often are we called upon to endure it.

But why do we listen? Time spent in this manner is not only wasted, but it is positively injurious. Stories of this kind poison our minds, destroying not only confidence in others but in ourselves. No man can do his best work with his mind filled with bad thoughts of others. There are times when it doesn't pay to be polite. Nothing is to be gained by being polite to the man who comes with a harmful story of another. Tell him to get out and stay out. You can justify yourself in this by the knowledge that if he will talk to you about others he will talk to others about you.

Don't pride yourself on the number of your friends. Even the devil is not without them.

Debs has been paroled, not pardoned. His citizenship has not been restored. What right has he to advise citizens as to how they should vote?

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Whereas, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the County Court of Coleman County, Texas, February 2, 1922, upon a judgment of said court, dated January 3, 1922, in favor of First State Bank of Santa Anna, Texas, a state banking corporation, Plaintiff, against D. R. McClellan, Defendant, same being a foreclosure of an attachment lien upon the land hereinafter described for the payment of indebtedness decreed in said judgment \$512.20, with interest at 10 per cent per annum from date of said judgment and cost of suit, I did upon the 4th day of February, 1922, at 2:00 p. m., levy upon and seize as the property of the said D. R. McClellan, the land described in said order of sale, to-wit:

FIRST TRACT: A 1-10 undivided interest in and to all that certain tract or parcel of land in Coleman County, Texas, being 123.3 acres of land, being Block No. 1 of the Mund Gross Survey No. 44, Abstract No. 221.

SECOND TRACT: A 1-20 undivided interest in and to all that certain tract or parcel of land in Coleman County, Texas, being 100 acres, all of Block No. 3 of the subdivision of the Mund Gross Survey No. 44, Abstract No. 221.

Said two tracts of land situated about one mile North of Santa Anna Mountain and about 8 miles South 33 East from Coleman.

Therefore by virtue of said order of sale and judgement, I will on the First Tuesday in March, 1922, same being the 7th day of said month, between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m., at the Courthouse door of Coleman County, Texas, in Coleman, Texas, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash the above described land and premises, together with all the right, title and interest of the said D. R. McClellan in and to the same, which he had on the 23rd day of September, 1921, or at any time thereafter.

Witness my hand at Coleman, Texas this 4th day of February, A. D. 1922.

W. R. Hamilton, Sheriff of Coleman County, Texas. 6-3tc

It's about time for the men to get together and formulate new styles in dress. Knee breeches and bare legs would make a fair season's start toward exhibiting their masculine charms.

Edison says that only two persons out of a hundred are really intelligent. This may explain that lonely feeling that you have so often.

A fellow remarked the other day that he "doesn't believe in God, anyway."

TELEPHONE NOTICE

A new telephone directory will be printed about March 1st, next, and any subscriber wanting any change in listing of their names will please call the manager before February 20. Should any subscriber expect to have the service discontinued soon, should have name left off new directory—Santa Anna Telephone Exchange.

To Drive Out the Poison

Foley Kidney Pills help the kidneys eliminate the poisonous waste and acids that cause aches and pains. F. H. McGill, 149 Golden Hill St., Bridgeport, Conn., writes: "I take Foley Kidney Pills for lumbago and always find great relief." They banish back ache, rheumatic pains, stiffness.—C. K. Hunter, Druggist.

SCHOLARSHIP FOR SALE

We have several scholarships good for any course in the Tyler Commercial College at Tyler, Texas, for sale and can save you \$10 on a scholarship if purchased at this office for cash. Call and see us—Santa Anna News—1-1f

I am in the Battery business and want to adjust your battery troubles for you. Old batteries re-charged and new batteries for sale at a reasonable price.—J. L. P. Baker, in rear of First State Bank building.

STOP THAT ITCHING

If you suffer from any form of skin disease such as Itch, Eczema, Tetter, Ringworm, Crackhands, Sore Feet, Dandruff, Falling Hair, Old Sores, or Sores on children, or any other skin disease we will sell you a jar of Blue Star Remedy on a guarantee that if not satisfied we will refund your money. C.K. Hunter, druggist. 6-31t

See our ad on the last page of this paper for a Special bargain. You will find it profitable to read our ad each week, as we expect to have something special to offer every week. W. R. KELLEY & Co.

A. C. WOODWARD

INSURANCE LOANS

DR. L. P. ALLISON (Formerly Surgeon Brownwood Infirmary.) Practice limited to Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat and Consultations. Office over Camp-Bell Drug Co. BROWNWOOD, TEXAS

FRED WATKINS Dray Line. We haul Anything Phone 114.

E. M. Raney F. N. May J. T. Garrett RANEY, MAY & GARRETT Lands, Loans and Insurance First Floor State Bank Bldg. Oil Lands, Leases and Stocks Write Us Your Wants

666-666-666 FEED—Martin's Egg Producer—AND GET MORE EGGS OR YOUR MONEY BACK TO CURE AND PREVENT ROY USE "Martin's Roup Remedy" SATISFACTION GUARANTEED BY PHILLIPS DRUG STORE

Fire and Tornado Insurance W. E. BAXTER Santa Anna, Texas.

REPAIR WORK—Have your shoes repaired in the same old way. 19 years in Santa Anna and still mending shoes. Bring your work to McFarland & Wilson's Grocery Store.—W. P. Burris. 49-1f

FOR SALE—Post oak and Live oak wood at \$2.50 per cord at my ranch.—T. Ray Garrett. 51-1fc

GO TO THE SANTA ANN MACHINE SHOP

For difficult Forging and Welding and Duplicating, Second hand Car Parts, General Blacksmithing, Oxo-Cetylyne Welding, all kinds of Car Repairing. Try us on your Generator and Starter, or any other Electrical Work. We Guarantee our Work. Give us a trial and be convinced.

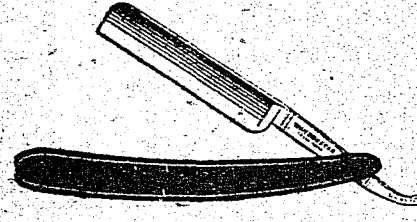
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KELLEY'S SPECIALS

Each week we will offer one or two items of High Grade Merchandise at far below regular price.

Watch Our Windows

As we will have only limited amount of each article. The price will move them.



RAZORS
20 Per Cent Off
Beginning Next
Monday

W. R. KELLEY & Co.

Feed! Feed!

I have a complete line of Feeds of all kinds. Also the best Flour on the market, try a sack and be convinced.

PHONE 128

Sam H. Collier

Spring Garden

It is almost time to plant your Spring Garden, and we have in stock a complete line of fresh Garden Seed.

We also have a fine assortment of Flower Seed. Come in now and get yours while we have a complete stock.

Fresh Vegetables every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

Hunter Bros.

48—"The Home of Good Eats"—48

If sufficient opposition is encountered from foreign nations it is possible that congress may do something toward the encouragement of an American merchant marine. Uncle Sam gets powerfully peeved and stubborn at times when others oppose him.

It may be possible to reform the dance in this country, provided we first reform the dancers.

There probably is such a person as motorist who has never cut a corner, broken the speed law, run over a dog, or need a railroad train. But you'd have to go to heaven to find him.

Some man, greater than God—but too insignificant to make of himself more than an atom in a world filled with people who are firm believers in divinity.

When a fellow calls you a liar you punch him—but others wonder if it is true.

They say that half a loaf is better than no loaf at all, but many a new husband doesn't believe it.

When a woman marries for money she gets what is coming to her—but not always in cash.

CAUGHT IN THE ROUND-UP

Misses Ler Lee and Ouida Casey, teachers of the Watts Creek school were pleasant business callers at this office Saturday.

G. S. Evans received a telegram Sunday afternoon from Nashville, Tennessee, stating that his father was seriously ill with pneumonia.

M. L. McFarland of Brownwood was a business visitor in the city first of the week.

Herbert Hunter who has been working for the Adams Mercantile company, has resigned and moved to California. Bryan Whetstone, formerly employed at the Corner Drug store is now with the Adams Mercantile company.

R. E. Mobley, one of our very jovial farmers from out north of the mountain was among the callers at this office last Friday afternoon. Blame his old optimistic hide he made us smile and smile week was not to begin until Monday morning of this week.

Fred W. Turner and Mr. Menaugh made a business trip to Fort Worth this week.

Roy McFarland returned Tuesday from Hill country where he visited several days with home folks. He also visited friends in Cleburne and Waco while gone.

R. S. Gattis of Hico has accepted a position with the Hunter Drug Store and his wife will join him here later.

Mrs. T. T. Perry called Monday and subscribed for the News for one year to her son-in-law, K. I. Davis at Los Angeles, California.

The Coleman county official family, consisting of County Judge, County Engineer and the four Commissioners are in College Station this week attending a meeting pertaining to better roads. Miss Mary Vinson accompanied them as far as Temple.

Hon. Ed. T. Cox of Eastland, field man for the Prairie Oil & Gas company, was here this week and paid this office a friendly call. Mr. Cox has been a good friend to the News editor for several years.

Curtis Collins from out South of town was among the callers at this office Saturday.

Mrs. W. A. Nabours is visiting in Temple this week.

There were 2,120,693 bales of cotton ginned in Texas, prior to Jan. 16, from the crop of 1921, as compared with 3,861,441 to same date of last year from the 1920 crop, according to the Department of commerce, Washington, D. C. In Coleman County there were 21,225 from the 1921 crop, as compared with 48,322 of the corresponding date one year ago from the crop of 1920.

Miss Callie Blair spent last week-end in Brownwood with her parents.

The editor spent the day out in the Cleveland community Tuesday, with the citizens out that way in a Rabbit drive. Several fields and pastures were drove and quiet a number of rabbits were killed. About twenty men, mostly composed of the local citizens, with the Editor, Moody Polk and C. K. Hunter of Santa Anna. Ye Scribe enjoyed a fine dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Phillips at the noon hour.

LIBERTY ITEMS

We have had a few showers of rain here of late, but not enough to make us milder.

Oscar Williamson and family spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Duggins.

Mrs. Will Day called on Mrs. Howard Norris Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Polk visited Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor, one day last week.

Mrs. Jeff Holt spent the day with Mrs. Will Holt Wednesday.

Clyde McLeod spent Tuesday night with Prinnie Whitehead and family.

Mrs. Will Holt called on Mrs. H. O. Norris Thursday.

J. W. Taylor and Guy Grady made a flying trip to Brownwood Tuesday. Miss Pearl Hughes was shopping in Taylorsville Wednesday.

Joe Meadows and Ewing Wheeler of Santa Anna were visiting friends in this community Wednesday afternoon.

Bryan Brown was shopping in your city Thursday.

Mr. R. M. Lucas was a pleasant caller at Taylorsville Wednesday.

There will be a box supper at this place Friday night in the benefit of the school, every body come and bring a box.

Willis Brown spent the day in your city Friday.

Howard Norris, Prinnie Whitehead, Floyd Walker, Tap Jones, Manly Blanton, R. M. Lucas and Clyde Lucas were among those who were shopping in Santa Anna Saturday.

Lee Wilson and family of Blanket, passed through our community Friday afternoon, on their way to see his sister, Mrs. M. A. Nabours of Santa Anna.

Miss Edith Brannon visited friends in our community Saturday night and Sunday.

THRIFT

Thrift consists not solely in saving, but in spending wisely, and the man who invests with prudence and judgment is more thrifty than the hoarders.

The miser with all his millions hid away in some remote place can never be called a thrifty man.

To be thrifty requires good judgment and good management, which mean safe investments, and at any time we can be of service to you in your investments, it will be our pleasure to give both our time and experience, for our service is at your command.

The First State Bank Santa Anna, Texas

Miss Margaret Thornhill and Mr. Monte Gideon of Coleman called on Miss Gladys Hasford Thursday night. Liberty girls basket ball team defeated Concord on the latter's grounds Friday afternoon by the one-sided score of 7-17. Our boys played the same afternoon, and the same team and were defeated by the score of 19-5. It seems that the girls are never going to quit winning games, but the boys seem to have had bad luck and gets beat in most every game. Boys stop eating chocolate candy, and go to eating pickles, maybe so you win out. Old Happy.

CROSS ROAD NEWS

This community enjoyed a nice shower Saturday morning.

Mr. Lowry and family visited in the home of Geo. Williams Sunday.

Mr. F. E. Battles and family spent Sunday with Theo Spencer and wife.

Roy Haynes and wife were shopping in Trickham, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jinnings were visitors in the Holm Haynes home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Lowery entertained with a "42" party Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Haynes spent Wednesday in Brook Smith on business.

Mrs. Ernest Wagner spent Thursday with Mrs. Jim Nichols.

Mr. Geo. Williams was very sick the first part of the week, but better of this writing.

Mrs. Theo Spencer spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Reid Cupps.

Roland Williams and Campbell Spencer said they had a nice trip at Cleveland Sunday, but their buggy got up-set and for further information will have to ask them.

Misses Ota, Nena and Mary Rice took supper with Birdie Wagner Sunday night.

Misses Celesta Cupps and Ethel Lowery visited the Cleveland school one day last week.

Mr. Roy Tucker and family spent one day last week with Mr. George Williams and family.

Miss Celesta Cupps spent Saturday night in Santa Anna with her sister Mrs. Emil Williams. Jack.

THE COUNTRY CHURCH

The good roads and the automobiles and the spirit of the times which have accomplished the passing of the little red school house have also started the decline of the little white country church. Investigation in one State disclosed 637 abandoned rural churches in the 50 counties surveyed. The members were motoring into the larger churches in the big towns for Sunday services and other church life.

America, we are told, has annexed the gold supply of the world. But at that we appear to have slipped a cog. We have still to collect the silver and copper.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our friends for the kindnesses and courtesies shown us during our recent bereavement in the illness and death of our companion and mother. Especially do we thank those who contributed the beautiful floral offering.—Henry Vollintine and children.

SAVE

AND BECOME INDEPENDENT

So long as you look after the little things, the big things will take care of themselves. Life is made up of details, and the details of labor of any kind are the dimes and dollars. The way to get power out of steam is to accumulate a head of water—and in order to accumulate the power possibilities of industry, start a bank account with us and accumulate the dollars.

All the great fortunes of the world depend upon the dollar, and every time you save a dollar you can assure yourself just that much comfort in the future.

THE
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C. W. DRUFF, Cashier