

# SANTA ANNA NEWS

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Number

"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.

Leon Williams, pastor  
"The Church With a Welcome."

### BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. D. J. Barnes, Supt.

Preaching 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.  
Sunbeam 2:30 p. m. Miss Hilda Harrell, Leader.

Senior B. Y. P. U. 6 p. m. Miss Gertrude Baker, Pres.

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. Crosby, pastor.

### SENIOR ENDEAVOR

Christian Church 6:15 p. m.

Song, by society.

Leader—Annie Loy Parker.

Subject—"Do Christian Principles apply to buying and selling?"

Scripture—Prov. 20:10-14; Luke 6:38.

Should Christianity be applied to business as well as other pursuits of life?—Vada Crenshaw.

Should we be Christians in business even if we lose our jobs?—Sam Polke.

Would the application of Christian principles settle the present different between capital and labor?—Inez Marshall.

Have war profiteers any chance of getting to heaven?—Mildred Gipson.

What are some of the principles of Christianity that can be applied to business?—Eva Freeman.

Lord's Prayer.

Vocal Solo—Loris Faulkner.

Vocal Solo—Madora Kirkpatrick.

Roll Call.

Benediction.

### B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Subject—"May I expect God to care for me personally?"

Leader—Mrs. Lee Hunter.

1. Song.

2. Prayer.

3. Bible Quiz—Mrs. Tom Campbell.

4. Adams—Thelma Martin.

5. Other Old Testament examples of God's personal care—Knox Campbell.

6. Some New Testament examples—Mattie Ella McCreary.

7. The scripture teaching on God's personal care—Mr. Campbell.

8. God's personal care is also brought by His relation as Father—Pearl Traylor.

Please notice illustration in program in the back of the quarterly.

### EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM

Subject—God in our Lives.

A Fruit Service.

Scripture lesson—Gal. V (16-26).

Leader—Hazel Verner.

Song.

Prayer.

The fruits of sin—Leader.

The fruits of righteousness—Marvin Bowers.

God in our lives makes these fruits possible—Ruth Stephenson.

Questions for discussion:

1. Are the young people of today better or worse than the young people of fifty years ago?

2. Has the attitude of the world generally on moral questions been improved since Jesus came?

(Each Leaguer is asked to bring an apple or orange to be given to Social service for the sick).

## SANTA ANNA MOTOR CO. CHANGES OWNERSHIP

Monday of this week a deal was closed whereby Stafford Baxter and one Mr. Witt of Coleman became owners of the Ford Agency in this town, and Mr. Baxter became the Proprietor of the Santa Anna Motor Co.

Mr. Baxter is too well known to need any comments from us, having been identified with the business interest of this city every since the Santa Anna mountain was completed, and is among our very best citizens. He is not new in the automobile business, as he has had considerable experience in this line of work. The business will continue in the same place and under the same name.

W. I. Mitchell, the former manager and part owner of the business is a good citizen and we hope he will continue to make his home in this town, and would like to see him again engage in some line of business.

## A MAN'S PRAYER

"Teach me that 60 minutes make an hour, 16 ounces one pound and 100 cents one dollar. Help me so to live that I can lie down at night with a clear conscience, without a gun under my pillow and unhaunted by the faces of those to whom I have brought pain. Grant that I may earn my meal-ticket on the square, and that in earning it I may do unto others as I would have them do unto me. Deafen me to the jingle of tainted money and to the rustle of unholy skirts. Blind me to the faults of the other fellow but reveal to me my own. Guide me so that each night when I look across the dinner table at my wife who has been a blessing to me, I will have nothing to conceal. Keep me young enough to laugh with little children, and sympathetic enough to be considerate of old age. And when comes the day of darkened shades and the smell of flowers, the tread of soft footsteps and the crunching of wheels in the yard—make the ceremony short and the epitaph simple, "HERE LIES A MAN."—Oriental Consistory Bulletin.

## BRUNK'S COMEDIANS

Brunk's Comedians are showing in town this week under a large tent in the north part of town.

The Brunk's Comedy show has been coming to Santa Anna for several years and has won the respect of most all the people of this town. They put on a good clean comedy show with a complete change of program each night, the people conduct themselves nice and respectable while in town, charge a reasonable price for admission, have a splendid orchestra and do not bore the people with an abominable or concert after-show.

It is not often that the writer has much to say about show people, but clean show people are as worthy of commendations as any set of people when they deserve it. If you enjoy a good comedy show visit them before they leave.

## OUR NATIONAL HEALTH

The New York Times reports the conclusion of 37 leading American insurance companies that the year 1921 was the healthiest year in the history of the United States and Canada.

The figures for the first ten months indicate a lowering of the death rate among policy holders from 9.8 in 1920 to 8.24 in 1921.

Despite the absence of whiskey, pneumonia decreased 60 per cent from 1920.

More prosperous, non-drinking Americans, however, were able to afford automobiles, with the result of 15 per cent increase in deaths from automobile accidents.

The 37 companies supplying these figures transact about 80 per cent of the life insurance business of the country.

There was a large decrease in deaths from tuberculosis.

Some whiskey is still being sold, of course, but not nearly so much as before national prohibition went into effect. And the death rate is falling.

## THE RIGHTS OF THE POOR

A rich eastern woman stopped her limousine and carried off some kittens that were playing in an alley. The poor family that owned the kittens brought suit for recovery and won.

This incident illustrates the strides that have been made in democracy, to protect the property and other rights of the poor. A few centuries ago, the poor were the chattels of the rich, with practically no rights under the law. In those days, the poor owners of the cats would have gotten a flogging instead of a judgement in court.

The world is moving toward equality, though at times a snail could beat the pace.

## THE DIVORCE EVIL

One divorce to every nine weddings in America now, and we are rapidly approaching a one-to-five condition, according to Rev. J. J. Corrigan, of Boston College.

In the last 20 years nearly 1,999,000 divorces were granted in the United States, breaking up the homes of 1,320,000 children, most of them under the age of ten.

Some States have even one divorce to three marriages. The evil is spreading.

The great dragon that is attacking American home life is the Divorce Evil. It is leading our social system toward a worse situation than Mormonism ever threatened to be.

## THE NEW AND THE OLD

Most musicians believe that no modern violin can compare with those made several centuries ago by Antonius Stradivarius and other master violin makers.

A party of super-musicians recently sat in darkness in a conservatory in Paris. A Stradivarius was played and then a modern violin. They voted in favor of the modern fiddle and then were amazed to find that it wasn't the old one.

Music isn't the only field, however, in which people swear by the old-time stuff when the new thing is better.

## OUR OLD FAMILIES

We hear a good deal about old families. In every community there are people who take great pride in their ancestry.

Our old families are to be respected, of course, and pride of ancestry is a real virtue. But it can be overdone.

The fact is that one family is just about as old as another, and necessarily so.

The Smith and Browns and Joneses are just as old as the Capulets or the Plantagenets of the Hapsburgs, or any of the rest of them.

We all had a common origin. We can all trace our ancestry right back to Noah.

The butchers and bakers and candle stick makers have been here just as long as the princes upon the throne and the nobility who hover around them. And they have been just as useful to the world, for that matter.

The point of all this is that it is better to be a good and useful citizen, sprung from an obscure family, than to be a worthless descendant of a distinguished family.

Pride of ancestry is a good thing but pride of self and personal achievement is a far better thing.

## FOR TAX ASSESSOR

Geo. M. Smith of Coleman, our present efficient Tax Assessor and candidate for re-election, was in the city this week and paid this office a call while here. He authorizes his name placed in our announcement column as a candidate for Tax Assessor subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July, and assures the good people of Coleman county that if elected to this place of trust and responsibility that he will serve you with justice and impartiality to all alike. We might add that Mr. Smith is serving his first term of office and will probably make the race this year without an opponent, which he thinks would be very pleasing to him.

## WHAT CAN CONGRESS DO?

"Why don't congress do something?"

That is the question we hear day after day, indicating a belief that congress is doing nothing toward restoring normal conditions in this country.

But what can congress do?

Whichever way it turns, whatever it does, it is sure to be bitterly criticised.

The farmer wants one thing, the manufacturer wants another, other interests want other things, and so it goes clear on down the list.

If the special legislation desired by one class is enacted into law it interferes with the ambitions and desires of other classes.

If the farmer is given what he wants he is sure of better prices for his products, but that increase is paid by the manufacturer and every other class of people.

If the manufacturer is granted protective legislation, the farmer, as well as the rest of us, dig down and pay the increased cost of manufactured products.

Even if a fellow gets all that he demands from congress he is sure to go on a kicking spree because somebody else is getting what he demands at the expense of everybody else.

In other words, this country is just one great arena in which everybody wants something special, but doesn't want to grant other people the same privilege.

Really, now, what can congress do?

What could you do if you were unfortunate enough to be a member of that august but much lambasted body?

Apply the golden rule?

There ain't no such animal any more.

## ONE OF THE MANY

One of the many reasons for the sluggish condition of business in this country is the fact that there is little foreign demand for our agricultural and manufactured products.

This slump in demand is purely the result of chaotic financial conditions abroad. They can not afford to buy our products at the present depreciated value of foreign currency.

If Europe succeeds in its effort to organize a gigantic international finance corporation—something similar to our federal reserve system—it will gradually restore conditions to something approaching normalcy and open up the foreign markets to our surplus products.

There is a slow but gradual improvement in this country, but we can hardly expect anything of a radical nature until adequate market facilities are created for our products.

In the meantime we should consider ourselves fortunate that conditions with us are no worse.

Even as they are, America today is the favored land of the gods.

## SPECIAL CLUBBING OFFER

For the next few weeks we are prepared to offer to our readers the following special clubbing offers with the Santa Anna News:

The Santa Anna News and Progressive Farmer, both weekly, one year for \$2.00.

The Santa Anna News and Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News one year for \$2.25.

The Santa Anna News and Farm and Ranch both one year for \$2.25.

If you live outside Coleman County add 50c to the above offers.

Subscribe at this office.

Several of our business men went out to the Liberty community Tuesday and joined the citizens in a rabbit drive. Quite a number of rabbits were killed.

Isn't it a glorious thing that we don't have to give presents on Washington's birthday, too?

Woman is born to sacrifice. She brings man into the world only to give him away to some other woman.

## WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Date of meeting—Jan. 23 at 3 p. m.

Place—Mrs. Watson's.

Leader—Mrs. Eck.

Subject—Africa.

1. Bible lesson, by leader.

2. Prayer.

3. "A Palaver on Our Woman's work in the Congo Belge," by circle.

4. Prayer.

5. A message from the Home Base Secretary—Mrs. McFarland.

6. Prayer.

All power is given unto me, in heaven and in earth.

Fear not, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom.

Righteousness exalteth a nation, but sin is a reproach to any people.

I am the light of the world.

Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.

A is for always—Lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world.

## ADVERTISING HELPS CREDIT

There is one way by which a business man's credit is improved, and that is by a policy of consistent advertising. Bank men believe in advertising, for they know it pays. Their feeling, therefore, is that when a merchant who is a good advertiser applies for a loan, that a reasonable amount of goods, bought by him on credit, is likely to be turned over quickly and promptly paid for, on account of his methods of keeping his goods constantly before the public. The banker would have confidence that the goods would be disposed of and turned into cash before they got out of date or shopworn.

Discriminating buyers of every class know that they can get fresh goods from the store that advertises. The merchant who advertises seldom has shopworn goods. And in that way advertising helps the merchant's credit not only with the banks but with his customers. And one is just as important as the other.

## GRAND OLD TEXAS

Texas is an empire state. Texas has a population of less than six million with a territory and soil sufficient to supply the civilized wants of a population of thirty million. Texas is a producer of all the raw materials, and this includes cotton, wool, lumber, petroleum, iron, gas, asphalt, coal sulphur, salt, and many others of the essentials which enter into manufacture or trade. Texas has taken first place as a producer of petroleum. Texas has been a billion dollar agriculture state since 1918. Texas has more to offer to the home-seeker or the capitalist seeking a field of investment than any other state of the union or any portion of the earth. This is not a fanciful picture. This is a statement of facts. This is an exhibit of the golden opportunities which await men who are first the workers of the world and then becomes winners of the world as a reward for their courageous labor and intelligent and well directed efforts.—Hugh Nugent Fitzerlad in Wichita Falls Record.

## A GENEROUS ACT

It is pleasant to learn that a testimonial has just been presented by the British government by an officer of a German merchant steamer who at the great risk of his life rescued the crew of a British vessel capsized in February, 1914.

Not even the great war and the appalling losses suffered by England have wiped from the British memory the record of a daring act of humanity.

And the presentation of the testimonial to the gallant German officer should do much in the way of wiping out the bitterness developed between the two nations during the war.

"Pay as you go" would be commendable, but its universal adoption would present a cruel side. It would railroad a lot of collectors out of their jobs.



IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

# Sunday School Lesson

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## LESSON FOR JANUARY 22

### ELIJAH'S FLIGHT AND RETURN.

**LESSON TEXT**—I Kings 19:1-13.  
**GOLDEN TEXT**—I waited patiently for the Lord; and he inclined unto me, and heard my cry.—Ps. 40:1.  
**REFERENCE MATERIAL**—Ezek. 2:1-5; Acts 16:6-10; 18:1-11.  
**PRIMARY TOPIC**—God Sends an Angel to Help Elijah.  
**JUNIOR TOPIC**—God Strengthens Elijah.  
**INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC**—Jehovah's Champion Encouraged.  
**YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC**—Finding and Finishing Our Task.

This lesson story proves Elijah to have been a man of like passions as we are (Jas. 5:17).

1. **Elijah's Flight** (vv. 1-14). Upon Ahab's return from the excitement on Mount Carmel, he told his wife all that Elijah had done—that even all her prophets had been hewn to pieces by the sword. This so enraged her that she sent a message of death to Elijah, who seems to have been waiting at the gate (vv. 1, 2). This was clearly a bluff on Jezebel's part. Though Elijah had courageously stood before the king and the priests of Baal, he now covered before this woman and fled for his life. He seems to have failed at his strongest point.

1. **Elijah under the juniper tree** (vv. 3-7). The juniper tree was a shrub of the desert which afforded shelter and protection to travelers from the burning sun by day and the cold wind by night. (1) His request (v. 4). This was that he might die. This was, no doubt, a foolish thing for him to say, but let us be as considerate toward him as was God. The discouragement, and even despondency, of Elijah was due to the nervous strain of about four years of unequal service for God, which culminated on Mount Carmel. Such nervous reaction is to be expected. (2) God's tender treatment (vv. 5-7). (a) He gave him sleep (v. 5). "He giveth His beloved sleep" (Psa. 127:2). (b) He sent an angel to cook Elijah's meal (vv. 6-7). The angel of the Lord is usually understood to be the second member of the Holy Trinity. If this be correct, then we see Jehovah-Jesus preparing food for His servant Elijah, as He afterward did for His discouraged disciples by Galilee (John 21:10). God again gave him sleep, and at the proper time again gave him food. Though Elijah wanted to die, God had something better for him, for in a later day He met him with the "chariot of the Lord" and took him to heaven untouched by death.

2. **Elijah at Horeb** (vv. 8-14). (1) God's interview with Elijah in the cave (vv. 9, 10). (a) God's question (v. 9). "What doest thou here, Elijah?" This was a stinging rebuke, though most kindly given. It implied that His appointed messenger was now far away from the field of duty. Elijah was not where God wanted him, but God sought him where he was. How blessed to know that "A God-forsaking saint is not a God-forsaken saint!" (b) Elijah's answer (v. 10). Elijah tried to vindicate himself by asserting his jealous loyalty to God—that in spite of all this the people had not only rejected his message and dishonored God, but had sought to destroy him. (2) God's interview with Elijah on the Mount (vv. 11-14). While standing before the Lord on the mount, God caused a mighty demonstration of wind, earthquake and fire to pass before him to show unto him the nature of the work which he had been doing for God, and to show him what was lacking in his work for the fullest attainment of success. Elijah had about him much of the whirlwind, earthquake and fire. His work had been terrifying and alarming, but it lacked in gentleness and love.

11. **Elijah's Return** (vv. 15-18). Though Elijah had erred, God brought him again into His service. How comforting to know that God does not reject His servants because of their failures in times of despondency! He deals with them after the motive of their hearts. Elijah was nourished and instructed by the Lord and then sent on a high mission. God is a fine psychologist. He took Elijah out of himself by giving him a new commission. The most healing ministry is that of work. Many bereaved ones have been lifted out of themselves by active ministry to others. Before God would come in His chariot to take Elijah home, He set him upon a threefold ministry:

1. To anoint Hazael king over Syria (v. 15).
2. To anoint Jehu king over Israel (v. 16).
3. To anoint Elisha as his own successor (vv. 19-21).

### Time Rightly Employed.

Never talk with any man, or undertake any trifling employment, merely to pass the time away; for every day well spent may become a day of salvation, and time rightly employed is an "acceptable time." And remember that the time thou triflest away was given thee to repent in, to pray for pardon of sins, to work out thy salvation, to do the work of grace, to lay up against the day of judgment a treasure of good works, that thy time may be crowned with eternity.—Jeremy Taylor.

### SERFS OR FREEMEN

(Farm and Ranch)

The Secretary of Agriculture, Henry C. Wallace, in a recent address before the Boston Chamber of Commerce, said:

"We give intellectual assent to such statement as 'The farmer is the backbone of the nation' and 'we are dependent upon agriculture,' but never before have so many of our people had better cause to realize the truth of these statements."

In another portion of his speech Secretary Wallace said:

"During the next twenty years, either consciously or unconsciously, the United States will adopt fairly definite policies as to industry and agriculture. We are approaching that period which comes in the life of every Nation when we must determine whether we shall strive for a well-rounded self-sustaining National life in which there shall be a fair balance between industry and agriculture or whether, as have so many nations in the past, we shall sacrifice our agriculture for the building of cities and expect our food to be produced, not by independent farmers, but by men and women of the peasant type."

Secretary Wallace expressed in plain English the thought that has been in the minds of many who have given the subject serious consideration. Any economic system which deprives the producers of the necessities of life or a fair return for their labor and investment is sure to lower the standard of those thus engaged and in the end bring about a condition of serfdom paralleling that of Europe. It therefore behooves the business and political interests of the country to give a sympathetic hearing to the complaints of the farmers and to cooperate with them in the solution of their many and various problems.

Farm and Ranch appreciates the necessity for close business co-operation between producers and other business industries of the country. The country can not sacrifice the agricultural and livestock industries without seriously affecting its morale. The strength of the Nation has always been found in its virile citizenship of the rural districts. It must remain there if we are to grow in strength and power. Yet, producers must not depend too much upon legislation or upon help from industrial centers. This is an age of individual and co-operative effort in which every man and every industry works towards a goal of their own setting. We are becoming specialists in our own line and for that reason the producers of farm commodities must be brought to a realization that as individuals and co-operatively they must use their heads as well as their hands in working out their own destiny. After all, most agricultural problems originate on the farm and there they must be solved.

### Need More Poultry on Texas Farms

More than \$43,000,000 worth of poultry and poultry products were raised, sold or consumed in Texas in 1919. The interest manifested in the industry would indicate that the annual value of poultry to Texas was even larger in 1920 and 1921. The poultry flocks of the State bring to producers a great income by \$10,000,000 than do the dairy cows. Even so, the industry is yet in an undeveloped stage, comparatively speaking. There are many thousands of farms in Texas where a chicken or turkey is unknown. There are many thousands of other farms where nothing but scrubs are kept, and these receive very little attention. If the industry was developed to a reasonable degree every farm would have its flock of poultry, and most of them would have either purebreds or good grades.

No doubt many of our one-crop farmers who have held to the opinion that poultry is just an excuse to keep the women folks out of the cotton fields, have taken note of his neighbor who has been supplying the market this fall and winter with turkeys at 30 cents a pound and more,

making from one load of turkeys more than many cotton farmers have made from ten acres of staple. If observations of this kind have the proper and logical effect, Texas will continue to lead other States in the Nation in the production of this great American bird.

A few good dogs and a flock of good poultry probably extended to has kept thousands of Texas families supplied with many of the necessities of life this past year. There is no excuse whatever for any farmer to be without either. Let the farmers of Texas begin the new year with the resolve to produce their own poultry and dairy products and also their own vegetables and pork in 1922.

### MUSIC IN THE HOME

Music gives inspiration as well as entertainment in the home. How much more contentment and happiness there would be in the country if every farm home had music no one could ever estimate. In winter after the evening meal the members of the family may gather around for a social hour. Then there is music. The dull care, the tired limbs, and the aching backs no longer disturb. "Home, Sweet Home!" But it is not complete without music to revive, hearten, stimulate and gladden. Yes, music hath charms

### HOMEMADE CANDIES

Following are a few receipts for some simple, wholesome and delicious candies, as given out by the Extension Service Department at College Station:

**Taffy**—Boil syrup, sorghum or molasses, and vinegar (1 tsp. to 1 c syrup) until brittle when tested in cold water. Pour on cold buttered platter. When cold enough to handle pull until light, handling as little as possible. If a strongly acid molasses is used, soda 1-2 tsp to 1 c molasses) may be added when the boiling begins. To prevent syrup from running over rub the rim of the sauce pan with fat.

**Popcorn Balls**—1 c syrup 1 tsp vinegar, 2 or 3 qts of popped corn. Boil together the syrup and vinegar until syrup hardens when dropped in cold water. Pour over freshly popped corn and mold into balls or fancy shapes. Either honey, maple syrup, molasses, white cane syrup or cane syrup may be used.

**Peanut Brittle**—1 c white corn syrup, 1 tsp vinegar, 1 tsp salt, 1 tsp vanilla, 1 c freshly roasted peanuts, halved. Cook the corn syrup, vinegar, and salt in a sauce pan until a little dropped in cold water forms a soft ball. Put the peanuts and this syrup into an iron skillet and stir until the syrup becomes a golden brown. Remove from the fire and stir in vanilla. Have ready a shallow buttered pan, pour candy and spread out in a thin sheet. Allow to cool, then remove from pan and crack into pieces.

**Stuffed Dates**—Use the best dates. Remove the stones. Fill with peanuts walnuts, hickory nuts or any nuts available. Peanut butter makes a good filling that is different. Press dates in shape and roll in chopped nuts, cocoanut or a mixture of cocoa and powdered cinnamon.

**Stuffed Prunes**—Steam one lb. of prunes and remove stones. Stuff part of the prunes, each with another prune stuff others with chopped salted nuts, or stuff with a mixture of one c each raisins and walnuts and a few candied cherries. Another suggestion is to stuff prunes with stiff orange marmalade.

**Wholesome Candy**—To a measure of cleansed and pitted prunes, add an equal measure of raisins, form into balls, roll in ground cocoanut, peanuts or in powdered sugar. This is more wholesome than sugar or syrup candies because of the valuable mineral substances which these fruits contain.

**Fudge**—2 c sugar, 1 c milk, drop in whole chocolate. Boil rapidly, stirring until it forms a soft ball in cold water. Add butter; let cool. Add vanilla and beat until it begins to show a dull finish. Pour quickly into a buttered pan and cut into squares.

**Divinity**—3 1-2 c sugar, 1-2 light colored syrup, 1-2 water, 2 eggs whites, 2 tsp vanilla, 1 c nuts chopped or 1 c raisins. Boil first three ingredients together. Stir until the sugar melts, then cover for a few minutes until all crystals are washed down. Let boil until it forms a soft ball in cold water. Then pour a cupful over the well beaten whites, beating well. Remove the mixture to the stove and let cook until it forms a hard ball in cold water. Pour over the egg mixture, beating constantly. When it begins to stiffen add vanilla,

fruit or nuts and pour into buttered pan to cut into squares.

### THANK YOU!

It is not a difficult thing to say with the lips but saying it right down in the heart is another matter. Really appreciating what people do for us and telling them about it once in a while is not a common habit with many of us as it might be.

As a rule, no persons do as much for us as our own folks do, and few get as little thanks and expressed appreciation for it. We think our mothers ought to be good to us surely—so should our sisters and our wives and children—and their kindness and care and self-sacrificing attention are taken for granted. But no service, no matter how small, ought to be taken for granted in that way that we fail to appreciate the goodness and love that prompts it.

Appreciation is the best—and in many cases the only—return we can give for the sympathy and help that come to us from those who are near to us, and give to life its true joys and satisfaction. An appreciation is easy to show if we really feel it. And usually it is easy enough to feel it if we only take time to think about what other people are doing for us. Ingratitude is all the greater fault because it is largely a result of self-centered thoughtlessness.—Winters Enterprise.

Be good, and you will improve your chance to make good.

It would have been a more stable peace if more horse sense had been used in making it.



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Bring us your produce of all kinds, we will pay you the highest price for it.—Santa Anna Produce Co.

We received our spring-summer line of M. Born samples this week.—Parker Bros.

**NEED GLASSES**

Dr. Jones, the Eye Man, will be at S. W. Childers and Co. Store Saturday, Jan. 21st. Eyes examined, glasses fitted. Headache and eye strain relieved.

See us before you sell your produce, we pay the highest market price for everything.—Santa Anna Produce Co.

Buy your planting seed now, I am taking orders for the famous Kasch, Improved, Pedigreed Cotton Seed, of San Marcos, Texas, see or phone W. L. Alford.

**SONG BOOKS**

The 1922 song book by J.D. Vaughn are now ready and I can supply you with any number. Single copy 35 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.

Last year clothes were too high—you would not buy, now that clothes have declined you will need a suit. Call and see our lines of spring-summer samples.—Parker Bros.

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

**TRESSPASSERS** **NOTICE**—No hunting or trespassing of any kind will be allowed on any land owned or controlled by the undersigned.—H. W. Kingsbery, Curtis Collins, S.D. Harper, Will Ferguson, A. U. Weaver, Kelley & Grady, J. T. Newman, Fluiger Ranch, Tom Todd, Mrs. M. E. Chambers, L. D. Boyd, Garrett Ranch. 47-tf

Don't wear clothes with that "Smelly" Gasoline odor. My New De-Odorizer takes it out.—E.G. Overby, Tailor and Dry Cleaner 50tf

We have on display 1500 samples from which to make your selection for that spring suit.—Parker Bros.

**FOR SALE**—One good cook stove and two pairs of bed springs, will sell at a bargain.—Mrs. J.B. Kegans. 2-4tp

I am expecting a shipment of nice wall paper from Kansas City and Chicago, also Campbell Quality Paint. None better.—Jaynes the Painter. 3-tf

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

**For Sale**—Two Dark-brown Leghorn Cocks, Tormohll strain \$1.50 each.—Mrs. J. Fox Casey, Route 2, Box 89, Santa Anna, Texas. 3-2tp

**WANTED**—A good team to work for its feed.—W. A. Windener, Bangs, Texas, Route 2. 3-1tp.

**For Sale**—Gas Range, Electric Iron and Baby Buggy. Call at McDaniel's home east of town. 2-2tp

Those M. Born clothes you have been wearing for the past ten years are now on display.—Parker Bros.

**For Sale**—Post Oak Cord Wood, 5 miles South of town, Deaver Farm, at \$2.00 per cord. 2-2tp

The Manhattan check for spring will be your choice. See our lines.—Parker Bros.

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

For the first time in seven years, market conditions have made it possible for our buyers to secure wools for which no apology is needed.

This entire line bears evidence of old time quality. Yet it is rich in new weaves and color effects—the variety affords unrestricted choice.

And you will find them fairly priced—substantially lower than prevailing prices for goods of equal merit.

**M. BORN & COMPANY**  
Parker Brothers local representatives.

**NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS**

Notice is hereby given to all stockholders of the Santa Anna Hospital that a meeting is called for 2 o'clock p. m. in the office of Dr. T. R. Sealy on the last Tuesday in January 1922, the same being on the 31st day of said month. A new board of directors are to be elected and other business to come before the body. The regular annual routine of business will come up at this meeting.—G. E. Adams, Sec. 3-2te.

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

I have purchased the Mecca Cafe from Mr. J. W. Ashley and will continue to give the public same efficient service they have always received at this place.—Mecca Cafe, W. H. Slaughter, Mgr. 2-2tp

**For Rent**—Good 4-room bungalow with sleeping porch and bath, equipped for gas.—Jim Bartlett. 3-tf.

No. 861

Citation on Application for Letters of Administration

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 George M. Williams, deceased, A. R. Brown has filed in the County Court of Coleman County, an application for Letters of Administration of the estate of said George M. Williams, deceased, and the order of such appointment provides that if the same is not contested at the next term of Court named in this citation, such appointment should become permanent, which application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in March A. D. 1922, the same being the sixth day of March 1922, 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. Emet 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 10th day of January, A. D. 1922.—L. Emet Walker, Clerk County Court, Coleman County, Tex. By V. Rowlins Deputy. 3-3t

Make Money, Get Ahead of the Other Fellow By Picking Scraps of Time From the Waste Basket

Abraham Lincoln would split rails all day in the forest and then after his day's work, would walk five miles to borrow a book to study and improve himself. It is said that George Washington in answer to a question of his mother as to why he studied so late at night, replied that he was working out the destiny of his country and he did.

There are hundreds of young people today who are desirous of gaining a practical education, but for one reason or another they cannot leave home to secure it, so they drag along from one year to the next in the same old rut. There are hundreds of others who cannot attend our school in person but who are availing themselves of the opportunity offered by the Correspondence Department of our College, saving their leisure moments and investing them in an education that will save thousands of dollars to them in the coming years.

the coming years.

You may say that you are not able to take a course, but the person who can least afford it is the one who needs it most, who should get it by all means at any sacrifice; it does not cost much.

Young friend, take advantage of your opportunity to gain a business, education, use the moments that would otherwise be wasted. Spend an hour after nightfall in the long winter evenings qualifying yourself with a knowledge of the famous Byrne Short hand, Practical Bookkeeping, Typewriting, (typewriter furnished free), Arithmetic, Grammar, Writing, Salesmanship, and Business Efficiency, Advertising and Telegraphy, (instrument furnished) by which you will make the business world readily pay cash for your service.

Fill out the following blank and mail to the Correspondence Department for catalogue and full particulars of this Money-Back Guaranteed course: No extra cost if you wish to enter school to finish your course. Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Tex.

Name.....  
Address.....  
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**THE WEATHER**

In climates with cold winters, plant life will not resume normal growth in the warm weather of spring unless it has been subjected previously to a period of chilling. This is according to a recent report by a government scientist.

This suggests that cold winters are necessary for the health of people who live in northern States. But this is not the case in the south. The chemistry of climate and weather, and their influence on plant and animal life, are mysteries.

That is why we talk so much about the weather.

**CITIZENSHIP IN THE COUNTRY**

Citizenship in the rural districts must have more attention if the next generation of farmers are to take their own business in hand. The boys and girls now on farms must have instruction and must be impressed with the importance of becoming master of their own environment. Will society be so readjusted that farmers in the future will be independent and prosperous, or will the cities and towns have the advantages? That will depend upon our examples, our practices and influence among the young people of today.

**FOR DISTRICT CLERK**

To the Voters of Coleman County:

In this issue of this paper, you will notice my announcement for re-election to the office of District Clerk of Coleman County; in making this announcement, I want to pause long enough to thank you for your support in the past. I can not summon words sufficient to express my gratitude to the good people of Coleman County for the confidence they have placed in me, and in asking for re-election, I assure you, that my motto will be, "courteous treatment, willing at all times to assist you in any way possible, and strictly attending to business." Wishing you one and all a happy and prosperous year 1922.

I am your servant,

W. E. GIDEON.

San Saba News.—Here was my resolution last year: "I resolved to live one day at a time; to live today; to adjust myself to conditions as I find them; to be happy; to take care of my body; to improve my mind; to be agreeable; to have a program; to love my home and family; to not be afraid; to oppose the double standard of society; to satisfy my conscience; to look forward every day; to find some good in every man I meet; to welcome every sunrise; to pray daily and attend the Lord's service weekly; to count that day lost whose low descending sun finds at my hands no worthy action done; to work like the devil". It is my resolution again this happy New Year. I expect to make it my resolution for each recurring New Year for a long time yet; in fact until I have lost my pep. There is but one day in which I can live. Yesterday is forever past; tomorrow never comes; today is the living present. I can clasp hands only with the living.

China says she just wants to be let alone. Not an unreasonable request, surely, in view of what she has seen of modern civilization during the past few years.

**THE JUNIORS**

The Juniors wish to thank Mr. Ragsdale for his kindness in letting us use the front of his bakery Saturday. The day was a big success and nearly thirty dollars were made which will be used for the Junior-Senior reception.

Next week we will don our material and weapons of battle and march bravely up to our class rooms for an attack upon "final exams." Though we may feel a bit shy about advancing upon the enemy very readily we shall come out with flying colors in the end.

Brunks are better than ever and when we go it only inspires us to work all the harder on our lessons the following day so that we may be prepared to go the next night.—Reporter.

**THE BEST MEN IN DEMAND**

John McGraw, manager of the New York Giants, has paid \$75,000 for Jimmy O'Connell, an unusually promising young player of the San Francisco baseball club. O'Connell's salary is not mentioned in the dispatches, but it will be high beyond doubt. Baseball, which is merely a sport for most of us, is a career for a chosen few, and a highly lucrative one. But there is money in baseball only for the top-notchers. Only those who can play the game a great deal better than the rank and file get big salaries.

And this is true of any other business or profession. The man who excels is the man who goes to the top, whether it is baseball, or the law, or merchandising, or manufacturing, or bartering or shoemaking.

There is always more big jobs to be filled than there are men capable of filling them, but the mediocre fellows, are always a drag on the market at any price.

**THE NEW MILK**

Milk, containing seven per cent butter fat, is being manufactured from rice in San Francisco. It is said to taste like cow's milk and to be as nourishing.

Yet it is only a few months since Henry Ford started a great laugh when he predicted the coming of the mechanical cow.

Food has changed a lot in the last century, and greater changes will come.

Laboratories may furnish a great part of the world's food a hundred years from now.

The name of a "good farmer" is worth much to those who have products. Consumers like to deal with good farmers. Try to emulate the example of the best farmer in your community.

"Think it Over" writer on our front page says, "A mule cannot pull while he is kicking and cannot kick while he is pulling. Neither can you." But when a mule starts kicking he has given up all idea of pulling, whereas, when he's pulling he has merely put off the idea of kicking. Let's hope it's not the same with you.

**W. P. SMITH**  
**MATRESS**  
**FACTORY**  
In the same house where Mr. McBride was I am now ready to make your old beds over. Make them as good as new for only 3.00. Bring me your beds, I will treat you right. All work guaranteed to give satisfaction.  
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Santa Anna, Texas

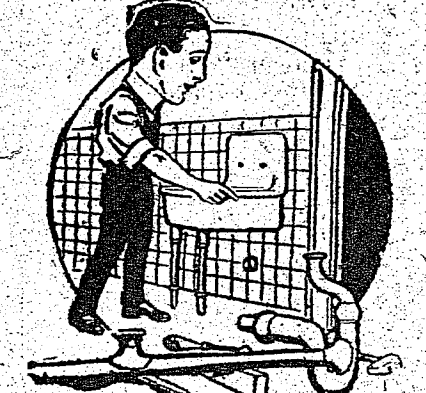
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**REPAIR WORK**—Have your shoes repaired in the same old way. 15 years in Santa Anna and still mending shoes. Bring your work to McFarland & Wilson's Grocery Store.—W. P. Burris. 49-tf

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



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J. J. GREGG, Editor and Publisher

Friday, January 20, 1922.

Entered at the post office of Santa Anna as second class mail.

### 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 Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2

W. M. BELL  
 G. F. (FRANK) PEARCE  
 J. D. WHEATSTONE  
 J. M. (MARSHALL) DUGGINS  
 ALVA C. WOODWARD  
 T. RAY GARRETT

For Tax Collector

J. C. LEWIS

For County Treasurer

MRS. LEILA COLLINS  
 (Re-election)

For Tax Assessor

GEO. M. SMITH  
 (Re-election)

For District Clerk

W. E. GIDEON  
 (Re-election)

If there has ever been a time when the people of Santa Anna needed the confidence of her own people it is right now. This is the between-season full in business aggravated by a continued drought which is becoming alarming as well as distressing, and unless our own people can maintain confidence in the country we need not expect others to have any. The News does not advocate excessive buying and trading like we had during the more prosperous times, but we do advocate more confidence in business than is manifested by some of the business men of this town in their attitude toward business. We have been in the newspaper business for more than a decade and instead of letting our business be a burden to the town we have always made it a worthwhile to the town and if our business has become a burden to the merchants of Santa Anna we will withdraw our soliciting and look to some other means of securing business. We would appreciate a better consideration from our home merchants but if they feel in their heart that the town needs no publicity and their respective businesses needs no advertising we have not the power to convince them otherwise. We are in for better or worse and are going to stay as long as the country stays together and judging the future by the past we believe in the country and expect this community to be one among the first in Texas to stand at the top round on the ladder and face the world on a good financial and business footing.

The more we see of other sections in this part of Texas the better we feel toward our home town and community. The editor has recently made several trips to other towns where we had occasion to come in close contact with the business interest, and to say that it is distressing is only expressing it mildly. As little as you may think about, the territory adjacent to this town is in far better shape to start out to make crops than most any section of this part of the state. The writer is in a better position to know than people who have not been to other points and come face to face with some of the problems confronting the people in other sections. Should the good people of this community more fully realize the distressing conditions of some of our close neighbors we believe they would be more thankful and more grateful for what they have. Even though, we think the way seems hard, if we could see the conditions of others we would be more reconciled and better satisfied.

Last week just for a change we published a few items on our editorial page under the heading "For Crazy People Who Don't Care" and several of our readers have commented on the column with some degree of favor. We expect to repeat the dose occasionally, but for fear we run out of dope or soap, we will not have a random shot column every week. "If you like our paper tell others and if not tell us" has been our motto every since we have been publishing a newspaper, and if this request has been being carried out, most of our readers evidently like the paper, for we never hear but little said about it after it leaves the office. Unless, however, we make a mistake about something then everybody calls our hand, even the cats and dogs rear back on their dignity and deals us out a silly grin. Well we accept the grin in preference to a frown but a smile, a big-old-honest-to-God-smile is more appreciated than anything that does not cost a cent, next to a smile money talks louder than anything else at this office. Come to see us.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 14.—That the faculty of the University of Texas is a cosmopolitan assemblage is shown by the fact that 36 states besides Texas are represented, as indicated by a recent survey of birthplaces made by the registrar, E. J. Mathews. Among the foreigners in the University there are natives of fourteen other countries

besides the United States. These are Ireland, Japan, Russia, Sweden, Turkey, Jamaica, Schleswing-Holstein, Canada, France, Germany, Scotland, Bohemia and England. There are more from Texas, however, than from any other state. Out of approximately three hundred faculty members it was found that 101 were born in Texas, and seven of these give Austin as their birthplace.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 14.—There are seventy students enrolled in the University of Texas in Federal vocational training, according to Max Fichtenbaum, assistant registrar. These students are under the jurisdiction of the fourteenth district of the United States Veterans' Bureau with headquarters at Dallas. Each man receives from \$80 to \$150 a month for his support and books and tools are furnished for their use with the understanding that they shall be returned at the end of the training period of the Veterans' Bureau or to the Federal Board. The majority of the vocational students are native Texans, but there are seven from other states, including Missouri, Arkansas, South Carolina, Kentucky and Arizona.

Well we have started out on another week in the discharge of our duties, trying to publish a newsy paper and keep Santa Anna on the map and expect to repeat the dose forty-nine times more this year.

### MEMORIES

What is your most pleasant memory? What do you look back to as the greatest event in your life? What is it that you turn to, in the past, to cheer you when the periods of depression come?

Memory is either the greatest blessing or the greatest curse given to man. Memory atones for defeat. It sweetens the bitterness of present failure. It destroys the glamor of ill-gotten wealth or eases the strings of poverty. It illumines, with rosy colors, the dark and dreary now.

Or else it broods, like an evil spirit, from which there is no escape, torturing the mind with thoughts of things that should not have been.

What are you doing today that will be pleasant to remember or worth remembering in the days to come? What are you storing in memory that you will later want to forget?

The secret of a happy life is to accumulate a storehouse of precious, worth-while memories.

It is perfectly natural for the fellow who habitually carries a gun in his hip pocket to think the disarmament conference will not amount to anything.

"What becomes of all the money that is put into circulation?" asks a banker. Why, look at the number of filling stations that are scattered around over the country.

### AS THE EDITOR SEES IT

And now Associate Justice Clark of the United States Supreme Court solemnly assured us that we should cancel the eleven billions of debts the allied governments owe to us.

That would be generous, indeed. But we suggest to the learned justice and other advocates of cancellation that they combine and buy up these obligations, paying for them from their own private funds, and then surrender them to our foreign debtors—or touch a match to them.

That would be even more generous. And for once we ordinary tax payers would not object.

A few days ago a daily paper contained a picture of a number of women, scrubbed only in scanty bathing costume, playing a game of baseball on the beach at Atlantic City, N. J., on New Year's day—in zero weather.

Under normal conditions a bathing suit would attract no undue attention whatever.

Playing baseball is good exercise, even in freezing weather. But though liberal in our views, we yet can conceive of no excuse for such a radical departure from the conventions of good breeding and womanly modesty, unless it be an inordinate craving for the vulgar exposure of legs and more through the medium of the illustrated sections of the public press.

As a fitting finale, we suggest to such women a parade through populous streets, clad only in the garb nature provided them, mounted upon jackasses, and with a battery of camera men ready to portray every step. Perhaps then the men would be sufficiently disgusted to pay more attention to them than to any other animal unadorned.

A thoughtless man stands on a street corner as an attractive lady is passing.

Without any desire to injure, and with no apparent purpose in mind, he makes a flip or suggestive remark.

Others hear it, and repeat it, and in time it grows to wild proportions and races from lip to lip with lightning speed.

It graduates from the class of mere gossip and assumes the dignity of a scandal.

It is too spicy a morsel to keep, and soon everybody is engaged in "spilling the beans."

It is thus that many an unblemished reputation is unjustly dragged into the mire through the medium of a tongue that has no curb.

Step on the brake.

As long as a dollar bill is circulating around here it is worth a dollar to the community.

When sent away it begins to enrich other people in other places. It seldom ever returns.

Keep the dollars at home as long as possible. Others are not tearing their hair in an effort to hand them to us.

The ex-service man listens with a liberal degree of skepticism when Washington announces that readjusted compensation is to become an actuality by March. He remembers, in the bitterness of national neglect, that it required something more effective than smooth promises to win the war.

This throws the burden of taxation upon poorer people, who are forced to pay heavier taxes in proportion to their means than are the men of great wealth.

If a curb is not placed upon the issuance of tax-free bonds the practice may ultimately grow into a notional menace.

A new Exchange to come to our desk this week was the Milford Weekly News, published by Elvin C. Lowe, at Milford in Ellis County, Texas. We are somewhat at loss to know why this request comes to our desk for exchange, but may find out later.

### TAX ALL BONDS

There is a strong and growing demand in this country for the abolition of the policy of issuing government and other bonds that are exempt from taxation.

Rich tax dodgers in order to escape the excessive income tax are investing their wealth in these tax-free bonds instead of keeping it in the avenues of productive commerce.

Reading maketh a full man, according to an old adage, but some of the old soaks find it poor substitute for what they used to get full on.

# VALUES OF INTEREST

## BLANKETS

Several pair of good double bed size, cotton blankets in grey, tan and plaids, and at a price cheaper than they will be in a long time.

Per Pair \$1.65

## LADIES' COAT SUITS

Six Ladies' Coat Suits made of beautiful material in good style, perfect workmanship and worth today \$50.00, this lot consists of 4 blue and 2 tan suits in sizes 36 to 42, for quick sale

Only \$19.95

## UNION SUITS

Chalmers bleached union suits for Men, a dandy garment of the better kind and one that sold a year ago for \$3.50, as long as they last

Per Garment \$1.50

## BLUE WORK SHIRTS

12 dozen heavy blue shirts, full size and worth on today's market \$1.00

Special at 85c

You will find all through our house special values in Winter Merchandise that will be good buys now, give us a visit and let us show you special values in Clothing, Ladies' Coats, Shoes and lots of other things that we are saving you money on.

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**BUGTUSSE NEWS**

Quiet a bunch of Bugtusse folks attended the singing at Trickham Sunday night.

Silas and Burdie Wagner visited Miss Myrtle Perry Sunday.

Clyde Haynes and Ethel Lowry have resolved partnership, and Clyde has been very busy in his office at Trickham since.

The Bugtusse basket ball team went to Liberty Thursday to play Liberty Crack ball team. Our line up was: Dick Ford and Frank Rice, as forwards; Clyde Haynes, jumped center and Marion Ford and Gleen Haynes, guards. The scores were 6-18 in favor of Bugtusse. "Hurras for our boys!"

The party at Joe Clark's Friday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Silas Wagner and Harvey Perry went hunting last week and hunted 3 days and only found one opossum. Say boys "go again and maybe you will catch a d-e-a-r."

There will be singing here Sunday night. Every body invited.

Mr. Roy Tucker has been on the sick list this week, but we are glad to report him better.

Mr. Loren Williams of Bangs was visiting relatives here Sunday.

Miss Celesta Cupps is on the sick list this week.

Glenn Haynes went to Whon Friday to referee a basket ball game between Trickham and Rockwood.

A large crowd attended Sunday school here Sunday afternoon.

Miss Ola Nichols spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Jessie Broadway.

Mary Rice spent one night this week with Ila See.

Miss Celesta Cupps spent Saturday night and Sunday with Lela Hartman Cutie.

**AS A MAN THINKETH**

It is a practical doctrine and it is a very beneficial practice to think of "whatsoever things are lovely, in the lives of others. It is as sensible as it is to thrive on the finest of wheat instead of starving the body on chewing worthless husks. A man's soul becomes small if it is fed on mean thoughts that cannot satisfy its natural longings for wholesome mediation and ennobling hopes. It cannot be otherwise. If a flower doesn't get sunshine it soon fades. So it is with the life of an individual. Life must be radiated by the cheerful sunshine of love for God and neighbors in order to become beautiful; and more noble still is the life that is enriched by the Christlike love for enemies as well. The results are as logical as they are evident. St. Paul gave sound advice when he said "if there be any virtue, if there be any praise, think on these things." Good thoughts are a wise investment, because, "As a man thinketh, so he is."—Joseph Tupper.

Would it not be well to include in your resolutions for the year a resolve to keep the town cleaner and more attractive this year than ever before? Now is the best time of the year to thoroughly cleanse your premises of all trash and foreign accumulations before the weeds begin to grow. When the rains set in most people will get busy to look after the sanitation of their premises and such neglect is not only unsightly and unattractive, but very unhealthy. Disease germs grow in filth and rubbish and preventative is far better than cure. Let's each one keep our own premises clean and inviting this year and note the difference.

**FOCH'S BEST GIFT**

Ferdinand Foch, marshal of France and commander-in-chief of the allied armies in the world war, sailed for home the other day laden with gifts of every kind from the American people during his triumphal tour of the country.

But his most precious gift, and the one that he guarded most carefully, was a little geranium, growing in a cheap earthen pot. It was given him by a mother in India, who asked that it be planted on the grave of her son who fell at Soissons. Marshal Foch assured her that this will be done, after he has taken a branch of it to be planted in the yard of his home.

A simple little thing, but it shows the big heart of a very big man. No wonder the people of the earth unite in honoring Marshal Foch, first soldier of the world.

If all the underivable people were killed off the rest of us would be mighty lonesome, don't you think?

**ALL WINTER MERCHANDISE MUST BE SOLD**

A few pairs of good Wool and Cotton blankets left, priced less than cost today. Wool sheets priced to sell. Some real values in Overcoats. In fact anything we have left in Winter Merchandise will be sold at greatly reduced prices.

A new lot of Gingham just received, good patterns and quality for only **20c yard**  
Best Outings **15c yard**

We do appreciate the patronage given us the past year. We have tried to please you and to give you Merchandise as near worth the price you paid as possible to give. We believe our prices have been the lowest for good Merchandise. We do not expect to handle any line that we cannot recommend, and it must be what we tell you it is.

Again we say to you that we appreciate the business you have given us the past year. We want your business this year and promise you **Honest Merchandise at Honest Prices.**

**D. R. Hill & Brother**

**PROGRAM AT**

**Best Theatre**

FOR WEEK BEGINNING JANUARY 23, 1922

**MONDAY AND TUESDAY—** "HALF AN HOUR" Dorthy Dalton and Buster Keaton Comedy.

**WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY—** "CRADLE OF COURAGE" W. S. Hart Something Special—Patha Review.

**FRIDAY—** 9 EPISODE OF "TERROR TRAIL" "TIMBER WOLVES"—Pathe News Snub-Pollard Comedy.

**SATURDAY—** "CUSTARD NINE" COMEDY "GREAT REDEEMER" Metro Special

**WHAT WAR COSTS**

Four hundred and sixty-three thousand men, working for \$2,000 a year each, earn just enough in a year to pay the interest on our national debt, says a statistician.

This tells the story of the cost of war. A war debt doesn't mean much, expressed in long money figures. Transferred into terms of human labor, its evil is clearly seen. Human labor is the only real wealth it pays for every war long after the guns are rusted into dust.

The world may not be growing better, but the price of real estate is a great deal higher than a few years ago.

After fighting to make the world safe for democracy, the marines are now trying to make the country safe for the mails.

**A BAR TO PROSPERITY**

You can ship spices from Bombay, India, by water to New York cheaper than they can be carried by railroad from New York to San Francisco, says George A. Carter, head of the Spice Trades Association.

The same thing is true of nearly everything else.

This is one of the main reasons why America finds itself unable to compete with imported commodities.

The core of business depression is the railroad problem.

High freight rates are a ball and chain on prosperity.

China knows how a man feels when the surgeons gather around him and begin to discuss the forthcoming operation.

Every man is sharp in one way. He knows how the other fellow ought to do it.

**A LITTLE BOOKLETT EVERY TEXAS FARMER SHOULD HAVE**

The Thirty-Third Annual Report of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, A. and M. College, has recently come from the press and contains the very newest and best information for the farmers of Texas who are engaged in a business amounting to more than 725 million dollars annually. If one desires information about proper feeding and breeding of animals or treatment of animals suffering from diseases or insect pests; proper fertilizer and cultivation of field crops or their protection from the ravages of plant diseases and insects; what is best to do to provide ample fruits and vegetables for home or for market; how to study the fertility of soil or the values of feeding stuffs and fertilizers; how different varieties of corn, of cotton and various other field crops compare with one another in production under fair tests in different sections of the State; how higher yielding strains of different crops are being developed and distributed by the Station; or, in general, information on the economics of farming and ranching, he should, by all means, read this report, which contains eighty pages describing in a general way and in simple language, the diverse activities of the Experiment Station system.

As long as the supply lasts, this report will be mailed free to any person in Texas, if request is made to B. Youngblood, Director College Station, Texas.

Lenine once lived in New York. That may be what's the matter with him, as well as what's the matter with New York.

A Kentucky colonel says that red pepper mixed with the food given fox hounds will make them more spry. Hot dog!

C. T. Owen has been in town several times this week, walking with a broom-stick, making a short step and a still shorter one, as a result of interfering with his wife's business. He says that he volunteered to take the axe and cut some stove-wood, and incidentally cut his leg with the axe, and should the axe been sharp he would have received a much deeper wound, but we have our idea about such statements, and if we were telling the story in our own way we would just say that Mrs. Owen sent him out after some stove-wood and rather than to be obedient and admit who is boss around the place, he got out so far from the house that his boss could not see him, got mad and undertook to serve a little spleen on a tree, missed the tree and bruised his leg with the old dull axe. In our opinion Mrs. Owen would not mind so much getting a little wood to do her cooking, but just wanted him to see how dull the axe was. Our advice to you Mr. Owen is to keep a good sharp axe about the place and either be sick or out away from the place until you know the meals have been prepared and never interfere again with your wife's business and you will stand a much better chance to be well and stay whole. The writer had a little bit of sad experience several years back, shortly after a preacher had stood up before a couple and spoke the words that made them one, trying to cut stove-wood and we still have a scar just over the right eye where a stick of wood landed endwise and served us with a fair warning that the wood-pile was no place for a married man and every since we have heeded the warning. This advice is free and as long as you will keep paid up in advance on our subscription we will never present you with a bill but if you ever overlook us and get behind with your subscription I am going to tell the madam one that has this skinned more ways than a preacher can eat chicken.

Hurrah for us! We are finally getting to the point where we can keep a New Year's resolution. Just after having resolved within our heart and mind to keep as sweet as we could or die trying throughout 1922, we were right on the verge of exploding in reply to certain insinuations when we ran across these lines in the "American." "Refuse to be offended by what is said to or about you. People like to say cutting things and usually do not mean them. What if they do say them, and what if they mean them! It isn't what other people say that counts—it's what you do. Think of the ball player. What would happen to him if he listened to all the mean things said about him! He would be climbing around in the grand stand with a bat looking for heads to smash. And the farther he climbed the more the crowd would have to gully him. While if he stayed on the ground and knocked a two-bagger, the jeers might change into cheers. Don't ever stop to tell unfriendly critics to go to the deuce. Just think it, and go on with your rat-killing." With the foregoing as a text the Empire is going to do its dead level best to knock a two-bagger or a home-run every week this year.—Stephenville Empire.

The News editor was within two blocks of the office where the above was published when we first read it, and it impressed us in such a way that we wish to give it room in our columns. Editor Hawkins is one of the strongest men we have in our newspaper fraternity and it stimulates us to read his editorials weekly. We would use more of his editorials in our columns but for the fact he is such a booster for his home town and county that most of his editorials are confined to his local territory and would not be of general interest to people of other counties. Not only does he publish one of the best weekly newspapers in the state, but we regard him as being among our very best citizens. May he continue to grow in his work.

**HOW FAR OFF ARE YOU**

It takes only three penniless day to turn a well-fed, well-dressed man into a tramp, says a New York investigator, who went "down and out" to get his information.

How many days are you removed from the bread line?

Sit down and figure how long it would take to reduce you to a penniless condition if your income suddenly were cut entirely off. It may give you a cold chill—and, later, a bigger savings account.





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**CAUGHT IN THE ROUND-UP**

Mrs. Comer Blue and Miss Pearl Kingsbery are visiting in Cisco this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jennings of the Trickham community were callers at this office last Friday.

H. A. Turner of Hillsboro, Ill., is here this week visiting his brother, Fred Turner and family.

Mrs. O. T. Prickett has returned to her home in Lockney, Texas, after several days visit in the homes of Dan Ewing and Dr. Jason Tyson.

Miss Mabel Harvey who is teaching school at Lost Creek, visited home folks Saturday and Sunday.

L. D. Boyd was among our business callers at this office Saturday. He was preparing himself to receive some good reading matter the coming year.

The mercury dropped from 65 to 15 here Wednesday night in about ten hours. 50 degrees is some change in the weather over-night but such is the case in this dry country.

W. J. Curry from out on route 2 called at this office Saturday and renewed his subscription to the Santa Anna News and Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News.

Frank Strother of Blanket is barbering at the Morgan Barber Shop, and intends to move his family here in the future if business conditions will justify.

Miss Verda Alford has gone to Dallas where she has accepted a position in a millinery and dress-making establishment.

Our Round-Up is short of local matter this week due to several causes. The editor was out of town first of the week and Thursday was too cold for us to get out and run down people to find out what they knew. What some people tell an editor when he ask them what they know is not fit to put in print no way. We wanted to tell our readers of a big rain in this issue, but for the lack of moisture we will have to postpone the matter to some future date.

The News is carrying a complimentary Church column on our front page for the benefit of church people, and all the churches in town are at liberty to use this column for announcing their regular and special church services without charge. We suggest that each church prepare a standing card for their regular services and then prepare their weekly programs separate. Be sure and get us your copy early in the week to insure getting them published. The News wants to be of service to our town and community and if this service is worth your consideration you are at liberty to take advantage of it regardless of your denomination. Read our Sunday School Lesson each week.

**COLEMAN ITEMS**

(From Democrat-Voice, January, 13)

The meeting of stockholders of the First National Bank of Coleman, held at the banking house Tuesday, adjourned to Tuesday, January 17, when it is confidently expected, arrangements will be completed for reopening the institution. The Democrat-Voice is not in possession of any definite information as to the plans of reorganization now being made. Mr. Clarence E. Bregg, the examiner in charge, has been working with officers and directors in the matters of reorganization. The general information is that, if the bank is reopened as now planned, it will be in absolutely sound condition.

Monday night's rainfall was general over Texas but light everywhere. The precipitation at Dallas was .46, at Lubbock and Slaton .25 with light snows in parts of Pandhandle, at Stamford .50, Amarillo .100, Brownwood .30, Coleman .23, and about the same throughout the State.

The court of civil appeals at Austin Wednesday, rendered as follows: Affirmed. Hendrix Darnell from Coleman. Appeal dismissed: J. G. Maugio from Coleman. Darnell and Maugio, together with R. J. Vickers, were convicted of burglarizing a garage in Santa Anna, and each sentenced to 2 years in the penitentiary. The higher court recently affirmed the case of Vickers. The higher court ruling means that the verdict of the trial court is sustained in all three cases. Recently Maugio made a dash for liberty while the prisoners were being fed at the jail. He was recaptured within 36 hours when he appeared at a farm house for food twelve miles south of Coleman. The three men were traveling together across the State when the burglary at Santa Anna was committed. The car in which they were riding was alleged to have been obtained by fraud.

The number of polls assessed for 1921 in Coleman county was 6,640, according to records of Tax Collector E. K. Thomson. Up to January 7th only 1,020 poll taxes had been paid, leaving 5,620 polls to be paid before February 1st. The delay in payment of property taxes is in same proportion, Mr. Thomson says. It is readily seen that if the remaining five thousand persons wait till January 31st to pay their property tax and poll tax, somebody may be left high and dry. A person is permitted under the law to pay his poll tax without paying the property tax, but cannot pay his property tax without paying the poll tax.

Last Monday afternoon a Ford automobile driven by Oscar Grimes turned turtle in the street near the Burton-Lingo yard and Tom Popnoe,

a passenger, was knocked unconscious for a time. Complaint was filed in the county court Tuesday morning, charging Mr. Grimes with speeding.

**CORRESPONDENCE WANTED**

The News would be glad to have several more Country Correspondence to furnish us with the local happenings of the different communities each week. In replying to the questions that have been asked us regarding such correspondence, we will state that we furnish our contributors with stationery and stamps and send them the paper free of charge. You can

sign any name to your articles you desire, but be sure and sign your own name at the bottom of the last page, so as we will know who to give credit for the news furnished.

On last Tuesday afternoon, January 17, the Womens Auxiliary of the American Legion, had a very pleasant business and social meeting at the American Legion hall. At this meeting new officers were installed for 1922: President, Mrs. B. Aldridge; Vice-President, Mrs. W. I. Mitchell; Secretary, Miss Blanche Collier; Treasurer, Miss Corine Wallace; Chaplin,

Mrs. W. R. Kelley; Historian, Mrs. I. O. Shield. The business hour was followed by a social and a delicious refreshment course was served to the members and several guests.

Messrs G. E. Adams, E. Greer and J. D. Simpson made an overland trip to Fort Worth, Dallas and intermediate points first of the week. Mr. Simpson said—well we refuse to say what he said, but they had a fine trip.

C. E. Evans and W. H. Lewellen of, Shield were in the city Monday.

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