# SANTA ANNA NEWS 

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SCHOOL DAYS
Now That the Flying Machine is Invented
Who Will Invent a Landing Machine?
By Dwig


## A SAGA of the FRONTIER

By troy morkis

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were far away from the scene of butch-
ery. Iohn Lee, returning at night with he came in view of his little home, Al was darkness, and there was no light in the windows. That was unlike his wife, for she always "waited up" to greet him
upon his return. He urged the mules upon his return. He urged the mule
forward and, coming closer to the house called to his wife, but there was no answer. Then he saw the door was ajar
unished.
inside the house By the flare of match he saw the the fork
baby lying Camily came before the sofder's eyes Next morning a detachmed of-cavalyy
rode out of Fort Griffin to an Indian village and rescued the Lee giri. 1 . was thorrible tale she told, and on her evidence
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The Comanches realized that infor deen disclosed by family massacre had son, and they sent him a message that they whuld kill him on sight, beat the black was courageous and did not fear ook every precaution; for he realized caught at A disadvantage the did he fear to meet them on Salt reek prairie in his going to and from Jacksboro, therefore he always tried to
cross this prairie in company with white

Johnson Dies Gamely
But a month later he was compelled to make the trip alone. He stayed in Jacksmorning. Mounted on a good horse he morning. Mounted on a good horse, he an overwhelning number of Indians. As he neared the Salt Creek prairie he broke indo song.
Suddenty his horse threw up its head and snorted. He loosed his rifle from its scabbard and looked around, then rode
out on the prairie. Before Johnson realized what was haypening three hun-
dred braves had surrounded him There dred braves had surrounded him. There
was no running-he must fight. He leaped from hris horse, and with the hundred cartridges in his belt, he com-
menced firing. Indian after Indian fell
before his deady aim, but on they came. wounded the negro finally came to a havi-tothand batile with the Indians.
He wielded his knife right and left, but superior numbers smathered him, and ours later a stage drver found his body lady mutiated Pioneers took the body of the negro and gave it decent burial
Even unto this day chimen of these
pioneers speak reverently of Brit John pioneers speak reverently of Brit John-
son and will tell you that he was brave, friend of the white race, and that he

## New Protection Expected for the Alamo




At this year's session of the Texas Legislature an appropriation bill saas passed, ainost unanmously, providing because other appropriations popular were tagged onto it, Goverior
Moody vetoed the measure. The Gover nor has been requested to re-submit to the Fifth called session of the Legisla tare the subject of appropriations for pucchase of the property. With funds Thuy oltained, together with donated property Texas can get to work on tho
whiformation of the Altmo's park
miter hone to complete it in time O cedication on the one hundredth anWhe ctiry of the fall of hundredth an© 6 d L , went to their death rather than from all over the United States. Col Crockett, homespun congressman from his defeat for re-election Texas after With a fer companions he reached San
Antonio just in advan Antonio just in advance of Santa Ama's army he refused to take the Texan allegiance to the tepublic until border officlals permitted him to change the clause requiring true allegiance to the provisional government of Texas or any republiear government.
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were masing. but they were rebuil in
1849 when the Gnited States govern-
ment tork possesson of the ruins for use
as a cuartermaster's depot. Duting the Civil War the Confeterate Army usel the chated for the same purpose. The mercial purposes until the patriftic or-
Companion pieces of the Alamo are to afong the banks of the San Antonio reer just gutside the city. In point of beaty, Mission San Jose de Aguayo
takes precedence ver others of Texas and the suthwest. The order for its establishment was issued in 1720 , a though the present stone church with He fanous rose whe
dowed by the
Spanish artist Hul. Span, carved ay the
car, was not completed until nearly
60 years later. The other thiree Seniora de Concepcion Purisima de
Acuna, San Juan de Francisco de la Es-pada-are all smail-
er: They were relo cr. They were relo
cated In San An
tonto in one of the four
structures has played a part in the
military history of Texas. Concepcion,
now on the outskirts now on the outskirts
of the city, was the scene of a brilliant
Texas victory a few Texas victory a few
months prior to the

died. Travis body was yying by the fall of the Alamo. Alabama had come to Texas but or westera wall of the patio facing th short time before. There was Davy enemy; Crockett's was found in a room

of broch is today the centre of a parish can in origin hat proud of their many can in origin hat proud of their many Some of the communities, notably the cluster of parishioners around Sair Juan and Espada, present a replica of the life followed by their convent ancestors, padres two hundred years ago.

## Graves stil Decorated

Nemenonly are all holy days carefuly remenbered and dexoutly observed, but other comminities of the Unitt found in
trudge aro is suspended while families white chrysanthemums and tuberoses, At Chistrias the prichioners dead tize the Natwity with an ancient miracle play, a direct inheritance from the Mid-
die Ages, called "Los Pastores" (The Sheplierds.)
These people many stores and legends. They tell each other with childish conviction that silver qual con ourled around Espada; with of the old padres come to the well of this mission nt night to draw water from il as in the past: At San Jose spirlong arched corridor and linger at the well Neariy every one of the parishpassage" hrows leats out of the "seeret chapel to the springs of San Pedro two miles away
But while every building has its own clustor of legends and its own history of fact, none is comparable to the story
of the Alamo. messenger-the Alamo had nond" yet all the world knows the
Alamo and its defenders

LAND GIVEN THE STATE FOR EXPERIMENTS
the farmstead of the black land experimental station near Temple has been purchased by the Temple Chamber of Commerce and donated to the experi-
ment station for use im connection with ment station for use in connection with
soil erosion and root rot studies. The
plot of land will be equipped with soll plot of land will be equipped with soll erosion tanks and plats at a cost of ap,
proximately $\$ 2,000$, The equipment is of proximately $\$ 2,000$, The equipment is of a permanent nature and will be used
over a long period of years in obtatinic over a long period of years in obtatinge
measurements of soil erosion on the Houston clay soil type under varyihe conditions, together with records of the

HIGHWAY REROUTED State HIGhway Engineer Gib GII christ, has announced a tentative, ro rietta and Bonhan, wo. 5 between Hient saving in distancee, of 21 milee, The 14 innce between the two towns mentioned of 21 miles through the rerfuting of 0 ded
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## CURRENT COMMENT


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fras tea and gets back to a diet of roung onions and bricens

## pring, and bow wekione! When the des of March has passed. and the sule has cerosed the line of Capricorn, th We the work with the adence of song. Whon the dead grass in thie yard and see a toudh of green ready to est hyacinth is already rearing the moit banners and whowing its tiny lugles while the bolder butterup and jonquil yive forina the golden glow of the topaz The sap, in the tries is warming tup, the twigs are swelling and the buds are rounding like the form of a radiant rounding like the form maiden of sixteen. ©oon w <br> again that great miracle of life, tho resurvection, in field, garden and <br> forest. It's a time for gladness, a time for a new baptism of hope and joy. Take <br> up the harp of life and play a song

## Mareh bring Patrick's Da

## Pat was a great man, batrick's bay St Ameriean, hence our banks will do busi

 ness as usuad and our mail deliverieswill not be disrupted when his anniver sary rolls around. But alf of us should Ould Sod. Ala people excent the fue blood Germans, hatians and Fretich
proudly claim that a little Irish blond courses their veins. To be sure ever rat Irishman is a borm revolutionist. but he's a peet and an idealist by nature
The only kind of government he Jove The only kind of government he Jov witty whether he wants to be or mot, more wity he becomes. Nationally he has never received a square deal; but
socially hes ever been a thon.

## - A Look Ahead

through dreams: Occasionally I dream and sometimes my dreams come true. ;
read the paper the other night and ponread the paper the other night and pon-
dered much over the changes, political and otherwise, the last fifty years hav brought, and then I wondered how
things would be fifty years hence. Witl things wonld be fiitty years hence Wit
these things weighing on my mind Ir tired to my couch and sought restrul it was the year 1995 and I was visiting national capitol at Washington. As Dutered the Congressional Hall, Mrs, Dukcie Stephens, a decided blonde, rep-
resenting one of the Massachusetts disresenting one of the Massachusetts dis
tricts, arose and asked recoginition of the chair, which was granted by the
speaker, and then Mrs. Stephens said: I rise to present for the consideration of this body the twenty-third amend-

States, the same having reccived a fa-
vorabe repert from the committec ovorable report from the committee on
amendments. The amendment provided that on and after March 4, 1997, male
suffrage should be abolisheal ill the United Stales.



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An Old Trunk and Its ..... M
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By JOE SAPPINGTON


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vith smooth shaven upper lip but sporting chin whiskers, gazing vacantly into
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the same time. She pouted and said she the same time. She pouted and said she
hated me, but while her back was turned I slipped myy picture in the place of the deposed rival. Before leaving that night
Mary confessed that she had always loved me and was proud 1 had torn up Down at the bottom of the trunk was few blissful moments 1 was again the Foung father romping and playing with


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of san Jacinto in 1836 . Just before thi:
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that battle. Col. A. Houston conctud cit to present the dagger to the city of Cincinmati in recogition of the aids that
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The negroes were from all sectionis of The negroes
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SWIFT PLANT AT PARIS
The Swift creamery and poultry packing plant which is being erected a Paris is ready for occupancy. The plan
will have a daily dressing capacity 4,000 birds, and the creamery depart lons of cream daily. The plant was erect Jons of cream daily. The pl
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CONTRACT LET FOR TRINITY DAM truction Cot to the Trinity Farm Concinted companies for the construction of he Bridgeport and Fagle Mountain hams on the west fork of the Trinity river not far from Fort Worth. The con:
traet provides that whe work must be conpleter in 706 working days. The
akies project to be formed by the construction of these dams will involve an
expeabiture of $\$ 6,500,000$ Thousands of add rops when dans ate compled.
CONTRACTS FOL NEW BRIDCES
Contracts been let by the State Highway
bepartment as follows
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and Ardmore, Ohlahoma, on Texas
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Q GOD DOCTOR MADE TEXAS

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mthe presen State of Califonia, Utah,
New Mexco and Arizoma. Yet if a wickman Jndtana hadh't had a good phyerent night have leen changed.
In 1843 Daniel helso, a prominemHoosier, lawer, was ruhing for StateSonator from switzerland counts, Th,
hiana, The district was close. and greatinterest was manifested in the electionsince the lidiana Legistature yould be
called upon to choose a Unite StatesSenator. The sick man referred to hadonce been charged with murder ain hadand the mat maturaly felt under greatcbligations to the attorney, A week bo-tient hat fis end was near. The suffer-tae off death until he could geas lise
dot for Kelso On election day the stickwas carried to the polis, ca
counted it was found that kelso h

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The ammexation of Texa was the great issue before the people. The South
favored the measure, but in the Narth there was bittee opposition on the ground that such action would nerease the area and political strength of the
South and certainly lead to war with Mexico. Indiana, as always was doubtful State, and the Legislature was ovenly divided between rival candidates for the toga, one of whom favored and
the other opposed the annexation of the othe
For days the deadlock continued until finally Daniel Kelso made an inpassioned speech in which he urged the Legis

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 to choose a UntedStates Senator,
ind advocated the election of Edward A. Hannigan, who
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PERMIT GIVEN FOR NEW ILNG Authorization for the Gulf \& Wost Gillespie, Mason, McCullough, Concho and Tom Green counties, was recently given, conditonally, by the Intertate ommerce Commissio
The proposed road would extend from 11 miles, and from Eden to Sain An selo. The petition was granted conditioned that work should begin on th Fredericksbuig Brady line prior to July

TEXAS RALLWAY EARNINGS
Statistics of operation of the railroad of Texas in the calendar year of 1928 ,
a empilation of which was recently completed by the Texas Railway Com mission, show that gross earnings from
operations amounted to $\$ 243.192113$ operations amounted to $\$ 243,192,113$ 414.514, leaving a net operate $\$$ enne of $\$ 66,777,599$. For the preceding year the coresponding figures were
$8245,162,395,8186,531,926$ and $\$ 58,630$, 469. Figures for the calendar year 1929
will not be available for several months Texas led all other States in 1098 truckage laid, with 443 miles of new line Texas also led all States in raifuay
ionstruction in 1929 with 158.82 niles Construction in 1929 with 158.82 miles. mileage of Texas is 16,547 miles. This is approximately 4,000 miles more than
The trackage in Ilimoss, the sccond State in prewar time
In prewart times the passenger serv imately 30 ner cent of the total reventie from operation, but the percentage in
very much lower now. In 1920 Texa roads chried $30,947,106$ passengers; in
1928 the number of passengers carised cent as many as in 1920 , Passenger rev enues, haye not declined in the sam pomber of passengers has been largely THREATENED INYASION THAT DIDNT MATERIALIZE med invasion of Texas by the Mexican texas independenc imasion didn't máterialize, not mue atteftion is paid the incident by the early Briters, jadge Fe D. Nobertson of Dallas, recently found ampng the pa
wers of his father General Felis $H$ lobertson, who died nearly two year ago in Wacg a letter which was writtel
by (ieneral Thomas J, Rusk, which tell of the thrcatened nyasion and sound acall to aims. The letter was given Gen
cial Robertson ber his father, Gen rome Re Robetsom who was a sotdie ini the Texas war for iidependence and of 183 The letter is a follows: $\because \mathrm{He}$
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formation from Matamoros, of the date utit consists of letters from Captains Carnes and Teal and Major Miller, who passports from General Felisola. The information is of the most important charaeter. I details the fact that Fe
isola was ordered to turn back with his troops about half way between Mota moros and San Patricio. Urrea had been appointed commander in chief and had arrived in Matamoros on his march t Texas with 4,000 new troops Four thou-
sand more were to embark at Vera Cruz in a few days. from Matamoros for La Bahia about four days ago. They have all sworn to exterminate the Texans, or never to
return to Mexico. My force does not exreturn to Mexico, My force does not ex
ceed 350 men. 1 have ordered in the cavaly that vere directed to join you and have also ordered Major Ward with his command to join me immediately,
"You will immediately see the neces You will immediately see the neces
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## THOMASJ, RUSK, "Briz, Gen'1 Comd

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## PATENTS

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## A LITTLE FUN

Jokes to Make You Laugh

## Youthfal Wisdom

Yy stor here, Mamm? "Yes, but you must be very, very "Wiet,"
"We will, Mamma. Woll pretend we don't advertise.

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"He pat on apeed, thinking be could "Did he get acrow "
"He will as somen as
Hed.
Manager-..We want a man who can Answer and fim your man, then. Y'm deppicant-m your man, then. I'm

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& \text { A young man just out }
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A yung man just out of college sought the advice of a hard-headert and
successful business man. Tell pleare how I shouk go about gelting a slart in the great gane of busjness?
"Sell your wrist watch and buy an "Sell your wrist watch and buy an

## Late One on Lindbergh



Lindbergh: "No. I think you bether end the bon to Atorrow.
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"Heavens!
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 "No maz'an. I car tell without that
If it's tow hot. the baby turns red, and its's too cold he turns blue."
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## on, dearie, blease thate my neck"'



The Road Hog
Motorist (to companion as a huge ruck takes up all the road ahead of I can't seem to attract that driver's attention.
His Companion--Just leave it to me, he chanpion hor conler of the wat

> A Terrible Fate
"What has become of your brother iguired a fricndly mospuito. he other. "Those human beings pourea "rosene allover the pace"
But he liked kernscne",
"Yes, that was the troubte. He gomge himself with it ath then collided with "ightning loug.

## Fatal Revelation <br> The prisoner was asked why he beat the rictim. "Went, judge, he called me a rlime "Umph! Rhinecerts. en"? When dal

 "Three years ago! Why thid you wai until todar to get prea, then?"
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## Sad Predicament

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## Fresh Water Catisish and Oysters also Dressed Hens

You are invited to visit our store where you can make your own selections

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