

SANTA ANNA NEWS

THIRTY-NINTH YEAR

SANTA ANNA, COLEMAN COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JANUARY 16, 1925

NUMBER 3

"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

MUCH IMPROVING GOING ON IN SANTA ANNA

One does not have to go to the plains to find a town that is substantially growing in permanent improvements.

Santa Anna is growing by leaps and bounds. Dr. T. M. Hays is completing a real theatre building on West Main St. The Santa Anna Motor Company is building a brick garage on East Main Street, that will be the largest building in the county when completed, and Dr. Hays also has material on the ground and is about ready to begin construction on a good two-story building first door west of the Corner Drug Store. The Masonic Lodge has made repairs in their lodge room amounting to approximately \$3,000.00. The basement in the Baptist church is being completed at an expenditure of \$3,000.00. Jess Hunter is having a nice home built on West Main St. D. R. Risinger has just completed a nice home in town, and many other improvements are being carried on. We expect to publish a list of the improvements made here last year in the near future and the figures will be astounding. Come to Santa Anna.

Hall Re-Union at Rockwood

F. M. Hall of Tampico, Mex., and C. E. Hall of Pecos, Texas, passed through Santa Anna, Monday enroute to Rockwood where they joined other members of the Hall family in a family reunion. J. M. Hall of Rockwood, age 83 years, is the father, and it was at his home the family of several children assembled. A good time was had.

A. & M. College Students Are Widely Distributed

College Station, Texas, Jan. 12. Students in the A. & M. College student body numbering 2244 represent 193 counties in the state, 20 states and 10 foreign countries. Mexico has the largest foreign enrollment with 14. Others countries represented largely are India, Egypt and China.

T. N. Doss, proprietor of the Hamburger Palace, moved his family here last week from Brownwood and will make Santa Anna their future home. Mr. Doss has been here for several weeks, and says since he became acquainted with Santa Anna, learned more about her churches and schools he likes fine, therefore, he moved his family here to live.

LATEST NEWS FROM THE COURT HOUSE

Deeds Filed for Record:
Chris Parsons to A. J. Koehig, 147 acres of Wm. Mason Survey No. 163; \$9555.00.

H. A. Lawrence to An Ryan & C. W. Doyle, 100x34 feet out of Block No. 11, Survey No. 90, in the town of Rockwood; \$1510.00

Mrs. Ellen R. Dunn, et al to B. A. Pessels, Lot No. 6, in block No. 4, Original town of Coleman; \$15,000.00

J. T. Stovall to T. O. Nalley, 95.68 acres of Samuel Sprague Survey No. 688; \$3588.00.

G. G. Martin to L. V. Cothren 122 90-100 acres of Wm. R. York 1-3 League Survey No. 68; \$4,916.00.

B. W. Mitchell to J. L. Scott, 300 acres of Adams, Beatty & Moulton Survey, No. 9; \$12,000.

W. A. Seal to D. E. Arnold, 125x100 feet out of Block No. 23 Clow's Second Addition to Coleman; \$5000.00.

A. W. Burkett to J. M. McQuenn, 120 acres of G. H. & H. R. R. Co., Survey No. 86; \$4,500.00.

T. E. Daughtry to R. N. Moneyhun, 202.2 acres of G. H. & H. R. R. Co., Section No. 10; \$15,465.00.

W. A. Seal to D. E. Arnold, 125x100 feet of Block No. 23, Clow's Second Addition to Coleman; \$5,000.00.

Dave Kenley to R. C. Thompson, 159.4 acres of D. H. Minor Survey No. 252; \$935.00.

R. M. Moneyhun to T. E. Daughtry, 130.9 acres of E. T. R. R. Co., Survey No. 88; \$7854.

A. P. Townsen to P. M. Cummings, South east 1-4 of Block No. 62, Phillips Second Addition to Coleman; \$2500.00.

A. W. Lockett to C. B. Loney, Lot No. 3 in Block No. 3, Sadler and Martin Addition to Coleman; \$250.00.

Marriage License Issued

B. M. White and Miss LaVerne McPherson.

Jesse Wilson and Cordelia Gordon (col)

Newt Simmons and Miss Martha Ellen Harris.

John E. Rollins and Miss Eva Garner.

Births Reported

To Mr. and Mrs. Bonnie Popone, Silver Valley, boy.

To Mr. and Mrs. Claud Webb, Coleman, girl.

Leman Brown left Sunday night for Austin, where he attended a meeting of the Democratic State Electors, Monday, Mr. Brown being the Elector for the 17th Congressional District of Texas.



Next Monday, January 19, is Dollar Day in Santa Anna, and the merchants of the city have advertised some real bargains for your benefit that day. Read the ads in this issue of the News, make up your list and bring your family to town Monday, for it will pay you.

Cash Offered For Best Essay on Historical Subject

Austin, Texas, Jan. 12.—Every high school student in Texas will soon have the opportunity to compete for a series of cash prizes for the best essay on local historical subjects. These essays may be written about the town, the school, the church, some old fort, Indian fighter, soldier, or other interesting person in the community. Prizes range from \$40 to \$750, and each school may submit two essays. The contest was made possible by C. M. Caldwell, of Abilene, who has given \$100 for the prizes. Winning essays will be published in the leading papers of the state, and many of them will appear in the local county papers. The bulletin containing the winning essays of last year has been issued by the University of Texas, and will be sent to any high school student or teacher, or newspaper editor requesting it. It contains twenty essays written by high school students, together with full instructions and regulations for the new contest.

In addition to the contest for high school students, which is practically the same as the one conducted last year, there is also a contest for teachers. Mr. Caldwell gave the sum of \$150, which will be offered in prizes of \$100 and \$50 for the best historical essays written by teachers of history in Texas high schools. Winning essays will be published in the Southwestern Historical Quarterly, and the names of the winners will be announced before the history section of the State Teachers' Association.

The purpose of these contests is to stimulate the interest of both teachers and students in the history of the community in which they live. Many valuable records and documents are yearly being destroyed, but it will be possible through this work to discover and preserve much of this material. Those who are interested may obtain the bulletin containing essays and rules by addressing W. P. Webb, director of the local history contest, University of Texas, Austin, Texas.

Dol Brown is numbered among the sick this week, having been confined to his room, suffering with a severe attack of pneumonia. His condition is reported somewhat improved, we are proud to note.

SANTA ANNA MEN LOSES GIN IN FIRE

Gus Nabours received the sad news last week of his cotton gin at Turkey in Hall County, being destroyed by fire on New Year's night. Mr. Nabours and Mr. A. E. Campbell were the owners of the property, and it was a good plant. They carried some insurance but not enough for full protection. We regret their misfortune.

A FAREWELL RECEPTION

The Presbyterian church gave a farewell reception on Wednesday at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kelley, in honor of Rev. and Mrs. T. W. Davidson who left Thursday for Double Gates, Okla., where they will make their home in the future. The time was spent very pleasantly in playing games and in listening to several numbers over the radio, several readings were given. The Missionary Society presented Mrs. Davidson with a set of silver spoons. Mrs. Davidson has always been very loyal to her church, and the Missionary society and the ladies regret very much to give her up. That most of the church was present at this farewell party is proof of the high esteem in which Mr. and Mrs. Davidson were held by their church.

Refreshments of sandwiches and hot chocolate were served to the guests. A very enjoyable evening was had only there was a touch of sadness when all said good-bye.

FIRST STATE BANK

All Directors of the First State Bank, were re-elected for another year, at the annual meeting of the stockholders at the bank Tuesday afternoon, January 13. The annual report of the operations of the bank was submitted and it was announced that the Directors will meet Friday evening of this week for the purpose of electing officers for the year. The bank paid its regular 10 per cent dividend at the close of business, December 31st, 1924.

Ford Stolen Friday Night

On Friday night of last week, I. Williamson of the Corner Drug Co., left his Ford Car on the street, and when he returned for the car it had disappeared and so far has not been heard from. Mr. Williamson got the officers busy at once, and cards were sent out, offering a \$25.00 reward for the return of car. No clue so far has been found.

39TH TEXAS LEGISLATURE NOW IN SESSION

The State Legislature convened in Austin Tuesday for the 39th term, and after the regular routine of permeating the organization, Hon. Lee Satterwhite of Panhandle was elected speaker of the house for the term.

We are not dictating to the body what to do or not to do, but we feel somewhat optimistic over the outlook. Due to the fact this will be an administration different to any session heretofore, we hope it will prove an effective one.

Mother of Santa Anna Woman Dies in Kaufman, Tex.

Mrs. Comer Blue left on the evening train Sunday for Kaufman, Texas, after receiving a message stating her mother was seriously ill and not expected to live. A message from Mrs. Blue Tuesday morning, stated that her mother died Monday night. Mrs. Blue's many friends here will join the News in extending to her their sympathy in her sad bereavement.

DISTRICT COURT IN SESSION

District Court is in session at Coleman, and from all reports, is a busy session. Several from here have been in attendance. R. D. Kelley is foreman of the Grand Jury, which has been in session for several days, but is at present recessed, and will meet again before making the final report.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Stockholders of the First National bank held their annual meeting in the directors' room of the bank Tuesday and transacted the usual routine of business. The business for the past year was declared satisfactory and the officers of the institution were all re-elected to serve another year. The usual ten per cent dividends were paid first of the year.

Rev. T. W. Davidson and wife left last week for their new home in Knowles, Okla. Rev. and Mrs. Davidson have made Santa Anna their home for several years, and have made many good friends during their stay here, who will join the News in wishing them good luck in their new location. The News will follow them to keep them posted of the happenings of their former home.



BROADCASTING FROM STATION S-A-V-E

There is a message which is broadcast daily in every village, town and city in this country. It is a message on which all people have tuned in. It is a short message, a big message, the message of success. It is—save first, save regularly.

Save at this Bank.



THE First State Bank



Before You Buy the Ring---

It costs money just to get engaged. Then it costs money to get married—then the honeymoon, and it costs more money to be married.

Young men who are wise save FIRST. And young men who are very wise save here REGULARLY.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

THE MERCHANTMAN

At the Methodist church next Sunday morning the pastor will discuss religion as likened to a wise merchant. I am very anxious to preach this sermon to as many business men as possible. If you have been thinking of religion as the dream of the poets, or the delusion of the aged, or something good for the women and children, come and study it from a business standpoint. Your presence will be very much appreciated.
J. Hall Bowman.

Rawleigh Good Health Products
I have moved here from Star, Texas, and have the agency for the south half of Coleman county for the Rawleigh line of goods. I will appreciate your business and try to give satisfaction.—R. O. Manning. 3-3tp

The Week's Program

—AT—
BEST THEATRE

Monday & Tuesday, 19 & 20
JACKIE COOGAN
in

"LITTLE ROBINSON CRUSOE"

The boy of the century in the picture of all centuries. Realizing every boy's dream. A South Sea Typhoon of laughs. The greatest of all adventures, stories, thrills, adventure, hilarious, fun. A shipwreck boy on a Cannibal Island. The kid and the cannibals, a whirlwind of laughs, sweeping through tropic cruelties and dangers. The little white god of a Cannibal Island. A boy who became a South Sea King. It will restore your childhood.

This is a new picture and one of Coogan's best.
PATHE NEWS in connection.

Wednesday & Thursday, 21 & 22
POLA NEGRI
in

"SHADOWS OF PARIS"

Darling of the underworld and toast of the underworld. Pola is both in this love melodrama which shows the best and the worst of the real Paris. Here you have two sides of Pola Negri. The beautiful modish Pola of the Cheat and the fiery fascinating Tigress of the Spanish dancer in a story of Paris upper and underworld that packs the thrills of both.
EASOP FABLE in connection.

FRIDAY 23
WILLIAM S. HART
in

"WILD BILL HICKOK"

And 5th Episode of "10 SCARS MAKE A MAN."

SATURDAY 24
BUDDY ROOSEVELT
in

"BATTLING BUDDY"

NOTICE:—Coming! Two of the biggest pictures of the season.

MARION DAVIES in
"JANICE MEREDITH"
It's a Metro Goldwyn.

"NORTH OF 36"
It's a Paramount Special.
See both pictures here in Santa Anna.

Income Tax in a Nutshell

Who? Single person who had net income of \$1,000 or more or gross income of \$5,000 or more, and married couples who had net income of \$2,500 or more or gross income of \$5,000 or more must file returns.

When? The filing period is from January 1 to March 15, 1925.

Where? Collector of internal revenue for the district in which the person lives or has his principal place of business.

How? Instructions on Form 1040A and Form 1040; also the law and regulations.

What? Two per cent normal tax on the first \$4,000 of net income in excess of the personal exemptions and credits. Four per cent normal tax on the next \$4,000. Six per cent normal tax on the balance of net income. Surtax on net income in excess of \$10,000.

YOUR INCOME TAX

Your income tax for the year 1924 is less, in proportion to your income, than was the tax for 1923. A rate reduction, however, is not the only benefit afforded by the revenue act of 1924. Increase in the exemption for married persons, a 25 per cent reduction on "earned income" and other changes in revenue legislation are of immediate interest to every taxpayer.

The revenue act of 1924 requires that returns be filed by every single person whose net income for 1924 was \$1,000 or more, or whose gross income was \$5,000 or more, and by every married couple whose aggregate net income was \$2,500 or more, or whose aggregate gross income was \$5,000 or more, and by every married couple whose aggregate gross income was \$5,000 or more. Last year returns were required of married couples whose aggregate net income was \$2,000 or more. Husband and wife, living together, may include the income of each in a single joint return, or each may file a separate return showing the income of each. Net income is gross income less certain specified reductions for business expenses, losses, bad debts, contributions, etc.

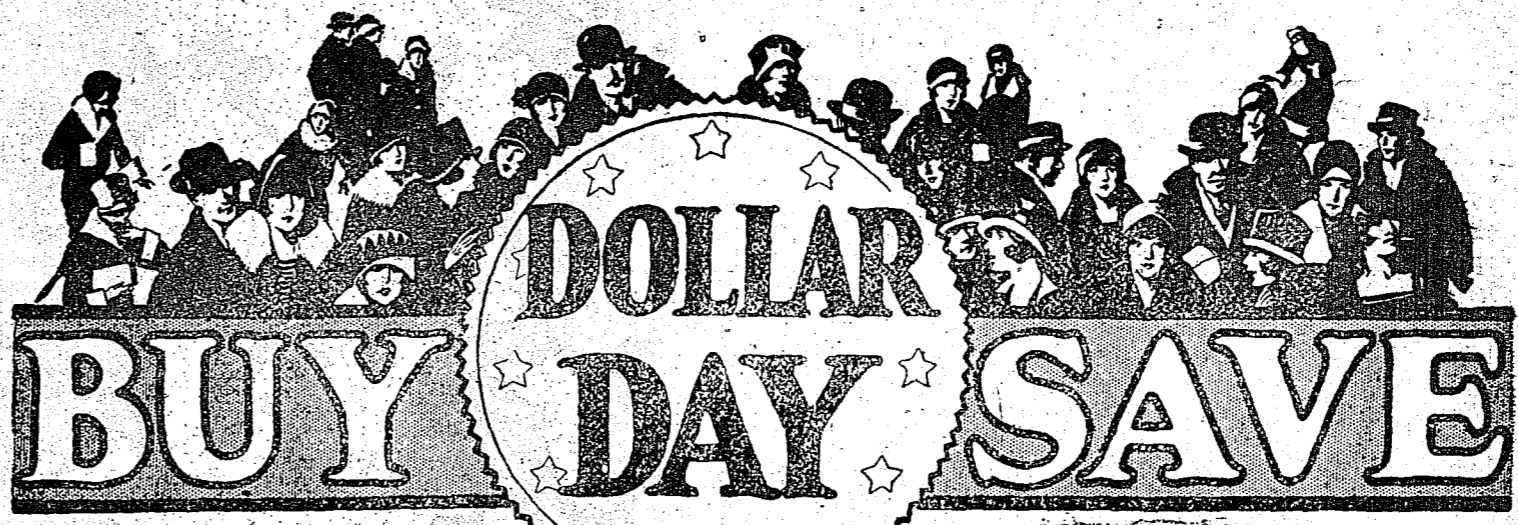
The period for filing returns is from January 1 to March 15, 1925. The return, accompanied by at least one-fourth of the amount of tax due, must be filed with the collector of internal revenue for the district in which the taxpayer has his legal residence or has his principal place of business.

MERRY WIVES

Mrs. Sam Collier was hostess to the Merry Wives on Thursday afternoon of last week. The house was beautifully decorated throughout for the occasion and instead of the usual work the time was spent in playing 42. There were several visitors present, but the writer failed to get their names. Dainty refreshments consisting of potato chips, olives, hot chocolate, flakes and fruit cake were served to the guests.

Baptist Missionary Society

The Baptist Missionary Society met at the Baptist church Monday afternoon. There were 15 present. The subject which was "For Christ's Sake and the Gospel" was ably led by Mrs.



MONDAY, JANUARY 19th IS DOLLAR DAY and to make it worth your time we are offering many good buys for this day.

<p>GINGHAM On Dollar Day you can buy 10 yards of very good Gingham for \$1.00 10 yards for \$1.00</p>	<p>CURTAIN SCRIM Several very good numbers in Curtain Scrim; worth more 3 yards for \$1.00</p>
<p>SHIRTING Dollar Day we will sell 3 yards 50c shirting for \$1.00—big range of patterns in a good madras 3 yards for \$1.00</p>	<p>LACES See our window display of Laces, nice assortment of kinds and qualities for Dollar Day— 20 yards for \$1.00</p>

\$1.00 LADIES' HIGH SHOES \$1.00
About a hundred pair Ladies High Shoes and Pumps. These are leavings from our regular stock and just one or two of a kind, however, most sizes in lot, per pair \$1.00

\$2.95 MEN'S WORK SHOES \$2.95
About three dozen pairs Men's good Leather work shoes, worth from \$3.50 to \$5.00, just 1 or 2 of a kind, but most all sizes in the lot, also a few pair of Dress shoes will be included in this lot—Dollar Day—
Per Pair \$2.95

Santa Anna Merc. Co.

WINTER MERCHANDISE SPECIALLY PRICED

Dennis Kelley. A very enthusiastic meeting was held and plans were laid for the New Year's work. The ladies are hoping and praying to accomplish much good this year.

Methodist Missionary Society

The Methodist Missionary Society met at the Methodist church Monday afternoon. As this was installation day the new officers were all duly installed into their respective offices. A beautiful installation and a very interesting service was had. Then the society had a business meeting and was agreed to remove the

Presbyterian Missionary Society

The Presbyterian Missionary Society met with Mrs. J. M. Burrow on Monday afternoon. There were six members present and a very interesting service was had. Then the society had a business meeting and was agreed to remove the

fence around the parsonage and to have a garden put back of the parsonage and other minor improvements made. Mrs. Eck, who is leaving Santa Anna soon, resigned as treasurer and Mrs. Willie Hunter was elected her successor. There was a good crowd present and the ladies are planning to do a great work this year.

Junior B. Y. P. U.

Group No. 1—Afton Pieratt. Our bodies are God's Temples—James Polk. Enemies of the body and improved eating—Leon Bartlett. Late hours—Eris Gregg. Uncleaness—Vira May Hines. Cigarettes—Eugene Watkins. Whiskey—Seth Ford.

J. W. Golson

Good black Mesquite land in Live Oak County, on RAILROAD, 60 miles South east from San Antonio, in tracts to suit and on terms that you help make, priced at \$30 to \$40 per acre.

Mild climate, 32 inches annual (average) rainfall for the past 10 years.

Best cotton country in Texas. The place for diversified farming.

We carry prospectors to the land in our jitneys.

J. W. COULSON, Land, Coleman, Texas

The Texas Qualified Druggists' League says:

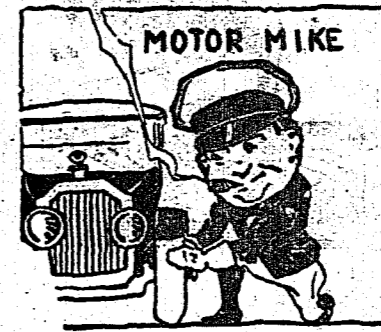


"Even if one pharmacist in a community had all the business of supplying medicines for sick unfortunates, the margin of profit is so small it would not enable him to stay in business and continue to furnish the many conveniences of the modern drug store. That is the reason the modern pharmacist carries a multitude of related articles that he must sell in order to be able to serve you when an emergency occurs."

Phillips Drug Store

MEMBER TEXAS QUALIFIED DRUGGISTS LEAGUE

Read the League's messages in Farm and Ranch and Holland's Magazine.



MOTOR MIKE SAYS:

January rain is falling
And the weather may be drear,
You may be sad on the country road,
Your large car out of gear.
But even though the weather's dark,
And with the mud you're bored,
You won't get mad nor be much sad
If driving in a Ford.

"Buy a Ford and spend the difference" is not an idle expression. Try it and experience will convince you.

See us for genuine Ford parts and accessories, gas, grease, oils, etc.

SANTA ANNA MOTOR COMPANY

Rumor Never Idle

Idle rumor is a busy body. It never does any good, and it frequently does considerable harm, and all too often innocent people are its hand-maidens.

Any person can suggest something that is utterly absurd, and there will be hundreds of people ready to believe it, especially if it is at the expense of some other person.

The next time you hear a juicy piece of scandal, do not be too hasty in swallowing it whole. Three-fourths of it may be rumor grown to huge proportions.

Because a man has a reputation for telling the truth is no indication that his truthfulness in all cases is commendable.

Some people do not know how to curb their tongues. They blurt out the truth upon all occasions, and very often at the wrong time.

There are times when the cause of truth and humanity requires the suppression of truth until the psychological moment for divulging it. Any other course would result in disaster or miscarriage of justice.

A wise tongue knows when not to wag.

Tyler Commercial College Appeals to Young Folks

Would you employ a laundress to make a party dress for you? Or a blacksmith to work on your watch? No. Neither does a business man employ a house-maid to attend to his correspondence, or a mechanic to keep his books. When he looks for people to do a certain type of work, he wants those people to be trained for their particular job. He wants Specialists. If you don't make a specialty of some one thing, you are pretty much out of the running.

No one wants to follow the line of least resistance and, in time find themselves out-distanced by others who had more ambition and more stamina. That is why so many boys and girls who want to enter the business world are enrolling in Tyler Commercial College. They realize there is an urgent demand for trained men and women, and it is just a question of learning something exceedingly well and commanding a splendid position with large salary, or falling in the line with those that do nothing.

Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas, is the largest business training school in America. This school has no branch schools; it has its own systems of teaching and business men recognize it as "the leader" of Commercial Schools. Its graduates are sought after by business concerns that insist on well-trained employees. They have no trouble in finding positions for their graduates.

A course in Bookkeeping, Shorthand, Cotton Clipping, Business Administration and Finance, Civil Service, Penmanship, Telegraphy, Radio or the General Western Union. General railroad course will put you in a position to command a better salary than you are now capable of earning and it will also fit you to hold an intelligent and important position in the business world.

This coupon, when filled out and sent in, will bring you the big, helpful book, "Achieving Success in Business." This will not obligate you in any way.

50 CASES OF NEW SHOES

The past ten days we have received more Shoes than we have had at any time since we have been in Santa Anna. Low and high top shoes for men, straps and oxfords in all leather for ladies, and the most wonderful line of "RED GOOSE" Shoes for children, brown patent straps, black and kid straps and combination. We have a wonderful line of shoes and if you are not a shoe customer of ours it will pay you to take a look at them.

A Clean-Out on Men's Suits

We have only about 25 Men's fancy Suits left. We want to sell them and to do so we quote the following prices which includes any suit in the house with the exception of "CURLEE GUARANTEED LINE"

\$30.00 Suits now	\$24.75	\$20.00 Suits now	\$15.35
\$25.00 Suits now	\$18.95	\$16.50 Suits now	\$11.75

Our Spring Merchandise

This season we are preparing to show you the best line of standard merchandise you have ever seen in our store. We are going to have a complete line of Voes & Stern "Kant Fade" wash fabrics, guaranteed to be fast colors in every respect. New material and the cost of making if it fades. Keep our store in mind. We will save you money and give you merchandise that you will appreciate.

D. R. HILL & BROTHER

Neglected Cough Dangerous—How to Stop It Quickly

When the delicate tissues of your throat are raw and sore from coughing, and your strength is exhausted with the constant hacking, you may fall an easy prey to more serious trouble. Stop the cough the quickest you can, before it creeps too deep. By a very simple treatment you can stop the cough practically at once, and relieve the heart least cough often in 24 hours. The treatment is based on a remarkable prescription known as Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs. You simply take a teaspoonful and hold it in your throat for 15 or 20 seconds before swallowing, without following with water. It has a double action. It not only soothes and heals soreness and irritation, but it quickly loosens and removes the phlegm and congestion which are the direct cause of the coughing. With the cough treated in this way, the whole cough condition goes in a very short time.

The prescription contains no opiates or harmful drugs. It simply helps Nature. It is for coughs, chest colds, hoarseness, bronchitis and spasmodic croup. Very economical, as the dose is only one teaspoonful. For sale at all good druggists. Ask for



Send for it now. It's free.
Tyler Commercial College,
Tyler, Texas

Name

Address

See editor of the News for scholarship.

You have to pay some attention to the middle in order to make both ends meet.

I Am The Country Weekly

(By Bristow Adams)

I am the Country Weekly. I am the friend of the family, the bringer of tidings from other friends; I speak to the home in the evening light of the summer's vine clad porch or the glow of the winter's lamps.

I help to make this evening hour; I record the great and the small, the varied acts of the days and weeks that go to make up life.

I am for and of the home; I follow those who leave humble beginning whether they go to greatness or to the gutter, I take to them the thrill of the old days, with wholesome messages.

I speak the language of the common man; my words are fitted to his understanding. My congregation is larger than that of any church in town; my readers are more than those in the school. Young and old alike find in me stimulation, instruction, entertainment, inspiration, solace, comfort. I am the chronicle of birth, and love and death—the three great facts of man's existence.

I bring together buyer and seller, to the benefit of both; I am part of the market place of the world. Into the home I carry word of the goods which feed and clothe, and shelter, and which minister to comfort, ease, health and happiness.

I am the word of the week, the history of the year, the record of my community in the archives of the state and nation.

I am the exponent of the lives of my readers.

I am the Country Weekly.

Notice of Teachers' Examinations in 1925

County examinations for State certificates, second class elementary and second class high school, and for building started before September 1, 1923, will be held at the court house in Coleman on the following dates in 1925: February 6 and 7, April 3 and 4, June 5 and 6, July 10 and 11, August 14 and 15, September 4 and 5, December 4 and 5.

As is generally known, the law requires that those who wish to take examinations must make application, either in person or in writing, through the County Superintendent not later than the twentieth day of the month preceding said examination.

J. H. KELLETT,
County Superintendent.

Monday, Jan. 19 is dollar day.

A SHOWER PARTY

On Tuesday afternoon of last week the Wesley Class No. 3 of M. E. Church, honored Mrs. Sam Weaver, formerly Miss Ollie Pearce, with a miscellaneous shower, at the pretty home of Mrs. Comer Blue, on Mountain St. After a few moments of music and conversation Mrs. Weaver was lead into the cozy little breakfast room where a pink nest built on the table held the many gifts. When each dainty parcel had been unwrapped and put on display Mrs. Weaver paid a beautiful tribute in speech to her class, pretty and effectively ending it with—"The groom may forget the bride, The deer, his mate, The birds forget to sing, The sun

forget to shine, But ne'er can I forget thee—Oh Sunday School Class of Mine."

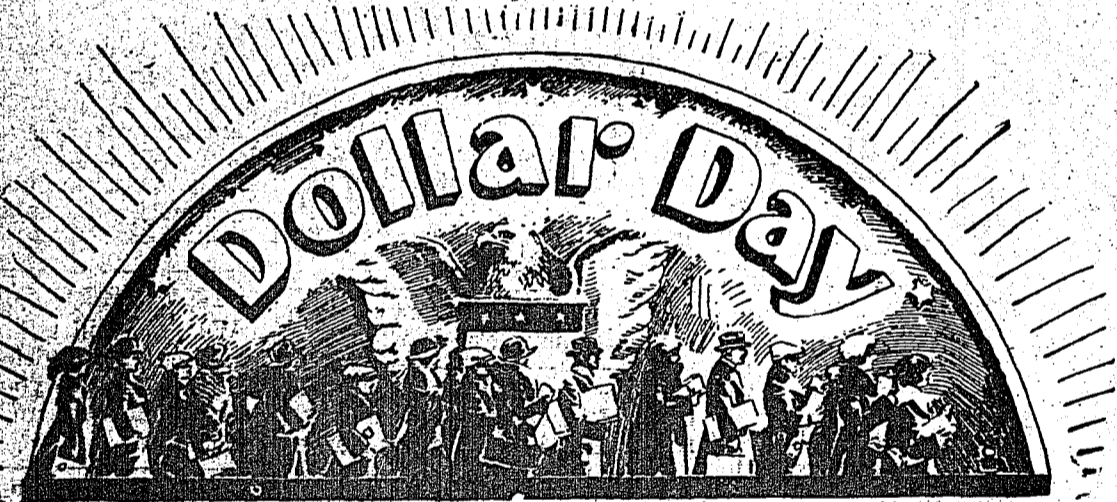
Later in the afternoon a delightful salad course was served to the members and several guests.—Contributed.

One way the national traffic conference might have solved the safety problem would be to do away with the pedestrian.

STOP THAT ITCHING

If you suffer from any form of skin diseases such as Itch, Eczema, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Poison Oak, Ring Worm, Old Sores or Sores on Children. We will sell you a Jar of BLUE STAR REMEDY on a guarantee. It will not stain your clothing and has a pleasant odor.

C. K. HUNTER



BARGAINS

DRY GOODS	GROCERIES
1 lot lace for Bed Spreads and Scarfs ..	\$1.35 can preserves .. \$1.00
8 yards for \$1.00	20 lbs. Soup Beans .. \$1.00
3 yards 50c Ginghams \$1.00	5 large W. S. Oats .. \$1.00
6 yards Good Outing .. \$1.00	10 lbs box dried peaches— \$1.25

We have other real bargains, both in Dry Goods and Groceries. Come to see us.

Texas Merc. Co.

"The People's Store"

Phone 25

Phone 174



**Always at Your Service
Corner Drug Co.**

Whatever your needs may be, you will find the utmost in quality and service at the Corner Drug Company. Full selections at bottom prices. "Get It Where They Have It."

Corner Drug Co.

SANTA ANNA NEWS

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

One year in Coleman county \$1.00
Six months in Coleman county.....60c
One year outside of county \$1.50
Advertising rates 25c and 30c per inch.

Local notices ten cents per line for each insertion.

Obituaries, Cards of Thanks and Resolutions of Respect are charged at one-half the regular rate.

J. J. Gregg, Editor and Pub.

Friday, January 16, 1925

IMPROVED ROADS PAY FOR THEMSELVES

An official survey recently made by the Department of Agriculture of traffic over a Connecticut highway, indicated a daily haul of 1,500 gross tons. Based on figures produced by the Iowa Experiment Station the cost of moving this traffic over a dirt road would be \$26.44 while it cost only \$11.70 a day to move the same tonnage over a paved road.

This was a daily saving of \$14.74, and on the basis of 300 days a year the actual saving in fuel for moving the tonnage would be \$4,422. If the paved highway costs \$40,000 per mile, which is the general average the saving above interest would pay for the road in less than twelve years. This does not include the savings in the cost of operating commercial vehicles or passenger cars, but it does not emphasize the necessity of first-class road beds.

The Weather Man threatened last week to bestow upon these parts a good rain, which would have been thankfully received, but the rain let up shortly after it began falling and ended in another fit. A general rain is very much needed, and we hope to be able to report one in the near future. With the exception of the drought, prospects were never better and the country in general is in fine shape. God send a rain.

Apparently sugar will be plentiful next year. Europe will produce millions of tons more than ever before and Cuba will produce more than ever. Of course, this may be "cornered" as coffee is now held, and the speculators reap a harvest of gold.

THE PASSING DAY

(By Will H. Mayes)

One can't live in Austin or in any other capital long without noticing the propensity of people to kowtow to those in authority. Just now the kowtowing season is on in full force because of the change in state officials and the kowtowers are working overtime. It happens every two years when a new set of officers is elected, and it is no worse now than it has been in the past. Proper courtesy and consideration should be shown newly elected state officials and they should be welcomed and made to feel at home in their new surroundings and with their new duties, but their reception often approaches too nearly that one accorded sovereigns by their obedient subjects, and must be a bit disgusting to those coming into office, who are likely to feel that the subservient spirit shown is attributable to a desire to receive favors rather than to extend them.

This statement is made now only because public attention is centered on the incoming state administration and not because the reception accorded the administrative officials is any different from that shown other new administrations. It may be a bit more elaborate because we are living in a decade that does most things more elaborately than our predecessors did, but it is the same spirit that has been shown in every country in the world since there has been organized government. It is largely a survival of the old hero worship, the disposition to doff our hats to and praise even unduly those who have achieved any kind of victory regarded as worth while, and after all there is something commendable in the spirit that prompts it if only it is not overworked, and if it is consistently followed up.

A fault with the American public is that it is too impulsive and is too inclined to praise today and forget or condemn tomorrow. It is too prone to make heroes of those in the public eye for the time and to overlook even greater public service. A governor is a great person when inaugurated, according to popular view, but of little importance when going out of office. It is recalled that a few years ago an inauguration ceremony was delayed for some time because in

its eagerness to see that every attention was paid the incoming governor, the committee forgot to escort the retiring governor to the hall where he was formally to turn over his office to his successor. The one had rendered the state four years of service, the other was expected to render a service.

If we really want to show our appreciation of worth-while action and heroic conduct we do not have to go very far from home to find those worthy of our homage. Every community has a few people who are making struggles as heroic as any ever fought on battle-field or won on political platforms. There are fathers and mothers all about us who are giving their lives—the best that is in them—to the discharge of duties, many of which are not of their own choosing. They are doing this without any expectation or hope of reward and even with the knowledge that their service will not be appreciated or even known. It is a pity that the heroes of the homes cannot occasionally be made to feel that what they do is worth while, that those who serve their neighbors or their communities in countless small ways may not be honored now and then.

The fact that people do not always see returns for their service should not discourage any one in any worth-while effort. After all the greatest reward of any altruistic effort is in the work itself and in the satisfaction the work brings to the one doing it. It is difficult to impress this upon the young, but as we grow older we come to know that the plaudits of the populace amount to very little, and most of us come to care less for them. Almost every week I meet an old man, now past eighty, who in his younger days did splendid service to the State and Nation, and who still does what he can, with his feeble strength, to help make the world a better place in which to live. At times it seems that the busy world has almost forgotten him, but he cares nought for that, and derives his greatest satisfaction from still being able to go about his work, though the world pays little heed now to what he does.

GROWING AUTO BUSINESS

Motor vehicle registrations in the United States for the year 1924, not including the final 10 days of December when they were comparatively negligible, reached the aggregate of 17,700,179, a gain of 16.28 per cent over the total of 15,222,658 recorded in 1923.

This total, compiled by Motor from official figures obtained in every state, means that there is one passenger car or truck for every 6.42 persons, basing the calculation on an estimated present population of 114,000,000.

The number of passenger cars increased from 13,455,073 at the end of 1923 to 15,520,663, a gain of 23.3 per cent indicating the rapidity with which the use of trucks and buses are being expanded.

The amount of money invested in these vehicles is conservatively estimated at \$10,620,107,400.

The National Automobile Chamber of Commerce figures that there are 51,000 buses, of which fully half are of small capacity. The bus manufacturers believe that the average capacity for the larger type of motor bus now in use would not exceed twenty passengers each. Bus transportation is yet an infant, yet one of the strongest infant industries. Most students of traffic expect to see it grow to be a giant before many years.

School teachers earn their money because they have to teach children many things that should be taught at home.

FOR SALE—One or two Jersey cows, fresh.—H. H. Brown. 2-3

Parker Bros. for cleaning and pressing.

ESTRAYED—From the Upton Henderson farm, Wednesday night, one red horse and one white mare, last heard of going north. Reward—C. de la Riosa, on Henderson farm, 3 miles east of Santa Anna.



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ROOMS for rent, close to school building.—H. W. Pingsbery. 3

THE new grays, blues, and tans for spring now on display.—Parker Bros.

SEE me for carpenter and brick work. Chimney building a specialty.—Will Hines, Santa Anna, Texas. 3-4tp

Unfurnished Rooms For Rent. Phone 126.

REGISTERED Jersey Male for Sale.—H. J. Parker. 49-1f

IF you are going to need a new suit be sure to see our new samples.—Parker Bros.

OUR new samples are now on display.—Parker Bros.

NICE line of wall paper just received. Plenty of wall paper, canvass, tacks, paint and everything in the paint line.—F. M. Jaynes, Phone 244. 2-tfc

FOR SALE—Two cows, fresh, also one Big Bone Poland China Boar 20 months old.—B. G. Brown on Kelley farm. 3-2p

FOR SALE—Good team of work mules and leather harness, \$175, also good as new, 260 egg capacity incubator for \$25.—J. W. Richardson, Santa Anna, Texas, Route Two. 3-3tp

PHONE Parker Bros. to get your clothes to be cleaned and pressed.

WANTED—Three Cars Live Poultry in next 60 days, fryers especially, 25c pound, selling the latter in Tampico, Mexico. See us before you sell.—Santa Anna Produce Co. 3-3tc

CREAM **PRODUCE**
Special Announcement
Beginning Saturday, January 24, I will receive, test and pay you cash for all the cream you will have to offer. Correct weights and tests assured you, and the top market price at all times. Come in and talk with me about this.
Yours Truly,
BEN MELTON
2-3tc

LOCAL ADVERTISING

HAPPY NEW YEAR.
We wish to extend to all our customers a hearty good wish for a pleasant, prosperous and happy New Year, and to also thank you for your patronage in the past. We have tried to give you service and will continue to serve you in a first-class manner.
SPARKS DAIRY
WE received our new spring samples this week.—Parker Bros.

LOST—Wednesday evening January 14th, between Marshall's Store and home, black leather traveling bag, containing clothing, mostly for a small boy. Liberal reward.—Harmon Marshall. 1tc

NEED GLASSES
Dr. Jones, the Eye Man, will be at Childers & Co. Store, Saturday, January 31st. Eyes examined, Glasses fitted, Headache and Eye strain relieved.

PIGS and hogs for sale. See Clyde Sims at American Cafe. 3

NEW Suits 22.50 up to \$50.00.—Parker Bros.

FOR SALE—Four-year old Jersey cow and calf, both subject to registration.—G. F. Barlett, Santa Anna. 3-1

Parker Bros. wants your cleaning and pressing.

YOU postponed buying a new suit last fall, you will need one this spring. See our new samples.—Parker Bros.

Monday, Jan. 19 is dollar day.

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FOR SALE or trade—Two 177-acre tracts of land, 14 miles west of Lamesa, \$2.50 acre down, balance 20 annual payments on or before.—Upton Henderson. 43

POSTED
All the premises owned or controlled by the undersigned are posted and no hunting, trapping or trespassing of any kind will be permitted.
Mrs. M. E. Chambers, Miss Blanche Boyd, E. P. Rendleman. Note—By paying 50c you can have your name added to the above notice to appear several

LEATHER GOODS SALE
We are still making special prices on Leather Goods of all kinds. Will give you a real bargain on Harness and Saddles.—C. E. Welch. 48-1f

FOR SALE CHEAP—Cow with young calf.—B. F. Richardson.

I WILL sell any size tract to suit the purchaser on 20 year time, any of land I have in Coleman county. Small cash payment with privilege of Federal Farm Loan.—Upton Henderson. 44-1f

NOTICE—My pasture is posted, and hereafter no trespassing or hunting will be permitted.—I. V. Sewell, Santa Anna, Rte 1. 2-4

FOR SALE—7 room house with water and gas, 6 acres of land situated in South edge of town.—W. J. Coppin. 2-4p

DRY Oak Wood, sawed in 16-in blocks for sale at my farm 4 miles west of Bangs, \$4.00 per cord.—J. L. Riordan. 2-4tp

New spring samples are now on display.—Parker Bros.

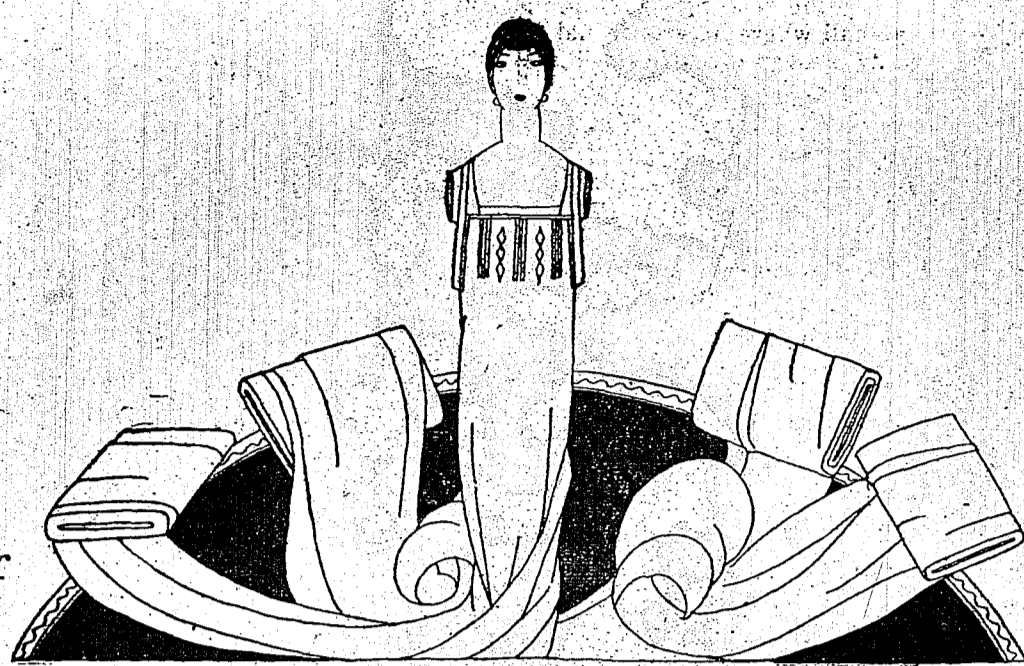
ESTRAYED from the Will Bell Lease, one Red Heifer with white face and left hind foot is also white, had rope on neck when last seen. Please notify L. M. Adkinson, on Bell Lease 4 miles west of town.

SEWING done by piece; men's shirts and children's clothes a specialty.—Mrs. C. H. Todd. 3-7

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Do they mean anything to you?

Pajama checks, yard wide and in the wanted small checks—
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Printed wash-crepes, in a nice range of colors, nice for children's gowns—
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Silcot crepe, a lovely silk-like crepe, a quality seldom offered at—
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Checked Dimity, a material suitable for children's wear; ideal for lingerie, in white, gold, pink, orchid and honeydew very special—
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Juliette Charmeuse, the ideal sateen for all lingerie purposes—Monday only—
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Corduroy, only five very short pieces—
Per Yard 75c

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9-4 Wearwell Sheeting, the sheeting with the taped selvage, bleached or unbleached
Per yard 50c

Daisy and Pride of Dixie Muslin, Monday only—
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Indian Head Domestic, we offer two numbers of this popular material—
63 inch width, per yard 50c
72 inch width, per yard 60c

Crimpled Dimity Bedspreads—
Bleached size 80x90, each \$2.30
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Cotton Suiting, 36 inches wide, makes an attractive spring dress—
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WEEKLY NEWS SUMMARY

(By West Texas C. of C.)

Stamford—It is very gratifying to look over the December report of the Business Bulletin printed in Chicago, and see the crop report placing West Texas in the lead of any section of the United States. The collection report also placed West Texas in the lead with as bright a future for 1925 as was ever seen before.

Lamesa—This city has fallen upon a new method of increasing the Chamber of Commerce membership with an automobile race each day for a week and each race will be unique and different

from the other. Lamesa has a large Chamber of Commerce membership for a town of its size yet fully realizes that the greatest membership the greater the interest and power of the organization.

Ballinger—The Ballinger C. of C. will hold its annual banquet on the 15th with the view of mapping out the New Years work including a membership campaign. Hon. Mark McGee, Attorney from Brownwood, will be the principal speaker for the occasion.

Stephenville—The Commissioners Court of Erath County was presented with a road bond petition for voting bonds to con-

struct more highways in this county. The order was granted, requesting the election, which will be held soon.

Memphis—The Memphis C. of C. will hold its annual banquet January 30. Homer D. Wade, Assistant Manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be the principal speaker on the program.

Cisco—The C. of C. of Cisco is planning details in advance for what Secretary Richardson describes is going to be the largest "swimming season" in the history of Lake Cisco. Lake Cisco has the celebrated floating swimming beach in the midst of the mammoth lake, and the local Chamber of Commerce purposes to increase tourist travel. In 1924 many thousand visitors were entertained at Lake Cisco.

Midland—On January 19, representatives of the West Texas, Midland, Seminole and El Paso C. of C. will be in Midland to resist the efforts of the Texas & Pacific Ry. Co. to have authority from the Interstate Commerce Commission to take up the tracks of the Midland and Northwestern Ry. Co. recently sold under receivership to the Texas & Pacific Railroad Co.

Memphis—Paul James prize winning band has made arrangements to attend the 7th Annual Convention of the West Texas C. of C. at Mineral Wells in May 1925 dressed in the famous Kansas City uniforms used by them at the Brownwood Convention.

Big Springs—Big Springs C. of C. is perfecting arrangements to entertain the second annual district convention for the Central West Region of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce on February 5. Five hundred delegates are expected to attend and the Hon. W. W. Rix of this city will preside.

Floydada—Local business men in Floydada who have been having a great deal of trouble with worthless checks, and overchecking, are anxious to have a law passed at Austin which will remedy this condition.

Legislature Will Be Asked to Designate This as State Song

Governor Neff several months ago offered a prize of \$1,000 to the author of a song which should be adopted by the Texas legislature at its first session as an official state anthem. He was assisted by a committee of 15 musicians, who after two days' study of the 287 songs offered, recommended "Texas, Our Texas," for adoption. The words of the song were written by Miss Wright and William J. Marsh, both of Fort Worth, and Marsh set the composition to music. Here is the song:

Texas, our Texas,
All hail the mighty State;
Texas, our Texas,
So wonderful, so great,
Largest and grandest,
Withstanding every test;
O Empire, wide and glorious,
You stand supremely blest.
"Texas, O Texas,
Your free-born single star
Sends out her radiance
To nations near and far.
Emblem of freedom!
It sets our hearts aglow
With thoughts of San Jacinto

And glorious Alamo.
"Texas, dear Texas!
From tyrant grip now free
Shines forth in splendor
Your star of destiny.
Mother of heroes—
We come, your children true,
Proclaiming our allegiance—
Our faith, our love for you!

A SAFETY FIRST—NOW, LOOK AND LISTEN

The time of the year is at hand when users of automobiles have their winter and storm curtains in place and these curtains materially affect the driver's visibility and his hearing as well.

It is much easier therefore for a car driver to get on the railroad track at this time of year without having his attention attracted by an approaching train either by eye or ear than it is in the fair seasons. Now, if ever stop, look, listen at railroad crossings.

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(Hunt's Salve and Soap) in
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Dollar Day is January 19th and we are going to offer some unusual bargains FOR THIS DAY ONLY

Remington knives worth \$1.25 to \$1.50
Choice for \$1.00

\$1.00 Sale of Aluminum Ware

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L. C. WILLIAMS
 Santa Anna, Texas

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I felt better after my first bottle. I had a better appetite. It seemed to strengthen and build me up. I am so glad to recommend Cardui for what it did for me. I haven't needed any medicine since I took Cardui, and I am feeling fine.

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Sunday School Lesson

(By REV. F. E. FITZWATER, D.D., Dean of the Evening School, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)
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Lesson for January 18
THE LAST SUPPER

LESSON TEXT—Luke 22:7-30
GOLDEN TEXT—"This is My body which is given for you; this do in remembrance of Me."—Luke 22:19
PRIMARY TOPIC—The Lord's Supper.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—The Meaning of the Communion Service.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Communion With Jesus Christ.

- I. The Passover Prepared (vv. 7-15).**
 - The Disciples' Inquiry (vv. 7-9). They inquired of Jesus as to where they should prepare for the Passover. They no doubt were anxious to be of service to Him.
 - The Master's Strange Directions (vv. 10-12). They were to go into the city where they would meet a man bearing a pitcher of water. He assured them that they would then be shown a large upper room furnished.
 - The Obedience of the Disciples (vv. 13). They did not stop to question the sanity of the command but like true disciples obeyed. Jesus, because He is omniscient, knew just how the matter would turn out.
 - The Passover Eaten (vv. 14-18).
 - By Whom (v. 14)? Those who sat down to this last Passover feast were the Master and the Twelve Apostles.
 - His Words Unto Them (vv. 15-18).
 - "I have desired to eat this passover with you before I suffer." How anxious He was to show them the meaning of the passion through which He was to go; also He craved their human sympathy as He passed through this trying ordeal.
 - "I will not any more eat thereof, until it be fulfilled in the kingdom of God." His death was the antitypical fulfillment of the passover meal. He looked forward to that time when the process of redemption would have been completed and a perfect union between the disciples and the Lord would be consummated.
 - "Take this cup, and divide it among yourselves." The disciples were now partaking of that symbol of His blood. He assured them that He would not again drink of the fruit of the vine until the kingdom of God should come. Drinking anew in the kingdom does not mean that in heaven this service will be renewed, but that this was symbolic of the heavenly reality.

III. The Feast of the New Covenant instituted (vv. 19-20).
 This took place at the close of the paschal supper:

- The Bread, a Symbol of Christ's Body (v. 19).** Christ giving of Himself to them. In order to get benefit from physical bread it is necessary to receive it. In order to get benefit from Christ one must receive Him.
- The Cup, a Symbol of Christ's Blood (v. 20).** This was symbolic of the atonement which was made by the shedding of His blood on the cross. He said: "This cup is the new testament in My blood which was shed for you," indicating that each one must personally accept the atonement made by the shedding of His blood.

- IV. The Wicked Behaviour at the Feast (vv. 21-27).**
 - The Treachery of Judas (vv. 21-23).
 - The time of its manifestation (v. 21). It was while they were eating the last passover that Jesus made the announcement of the betrayal. Perhaps the reason why this feast was disturbed by such an announcement was that Judas might be given an opportunity at this last moment to repent.
 - The betrayal was by the determine counsel of God (v. 22—cf. Acts 2:23). Nothing takes place by chance. Even the evil, sinful acts of men come within the permissive providence of God, but this does not lessen the guilt, for Jesus says: "Woe unto the man by whom He is betrayed."
 - Sorrowful question (v. 23). The disciples did not seem to suspect one another, but made the question a personal one.
 - Selfish Ambition of the Disciples (vv. 24-27). In this tragic hour the disciples were so concerned with the thought of honorable position that they were striving among themselves as to who should be greatest.

V. The Apostles' Place in the Kingdom (vv. 28-30).
 He assures them that those who continue with Him in His trials shall be appointed unto a place in the kingdom which will entitle them to eat and drink at His table and sit on thrones judging the twelve tribes of Israel.

Attitudes
 The "Be-attitudes" and the "Do-attitudes" are in the fifth chapter of Matthew.—Echoes.

Many Souls Lost
 Many souls have been lost by saying "tomorrow" instead of "today."—Echoes.

Seeing Beacon Lights
 As a Christian grows old, he should be able to see the beacon lights while yet far at sea.—American Evangelist

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By E. R. Waite
 That the public seems to assimilate slowly the true facts about the public service corporations. It is due to the fact that public service corporations do little to tell the public the true facts about their business, while the wily politicians seem to think there is an open season on public service corporations the year around, and lie about them morning, noon and night.

That many people seem to have an innate tendency to let the politicians play gleefully with the subject, politicians who have an insane theory that legislation will cure all ills, imaginary or otherwise.

That the people sooner or later must realize that they are silent partners of public service corporations, because without them no community can progress. Public service corporations have two business interests, just the same as any other business: One is themselves, and the other is the community they serve. Neither can succeed without the help of the other.

That right now much attention should be given to the railroad situation. There is danger of loss of railroad service to many communities on account of truck and automobile competition.

That it is not good for any section to lose railroad transportation, and it will be a sad day for them when they are left with the highway as their only means of transportation. Truck and automobile competition is bringing about that condition in many sections.

This is the day of hard surfaced roads. Good roads are a necessity—so are the railroads. Prevention of loss of railroad service lies with the people. It lies in their backing the rail-

roads as well as hard surfaced roads. The people are fair-minded. Public service corporations would be surprised to find out how fair-minded they are. If they would only explain their problems more freely and more often through the printed page the people would then know the situation as it really exists and would see that they had a square deal.

Brief Culling Points by Poultry Specialist

Culling is one of the few fundamental requisites in successful poultry raising. Others are breeding, feeding and housing. A few brief culling points are mentioned below.

There are poor laying hens in all breeds. The busy hen is the laying hen. Don't expect many eggs from the "flapper" hen.

The hen with capacity and vigor should be retained in any flock. A good layer has a large open, moist vent and a large abdomen covered with soft pliable skin.

A hen with a yellow beak and shank at any time from June to September is a poor layer.

A sick hen may be faded like a good layer, but she will lack the vigor shown by a good layer.

A good layer may be described as a hen having soft, rich, red comb and wattles, an intelligent head, good capacity, plenty of vigor, carrying a moderate amount of fat, soft pliable skin, and well-faded color.

Culling should be done as often as possible, not just once a year—Dr. N. W. Sanborn, professor of poultry at the Florida College of Agriculture.

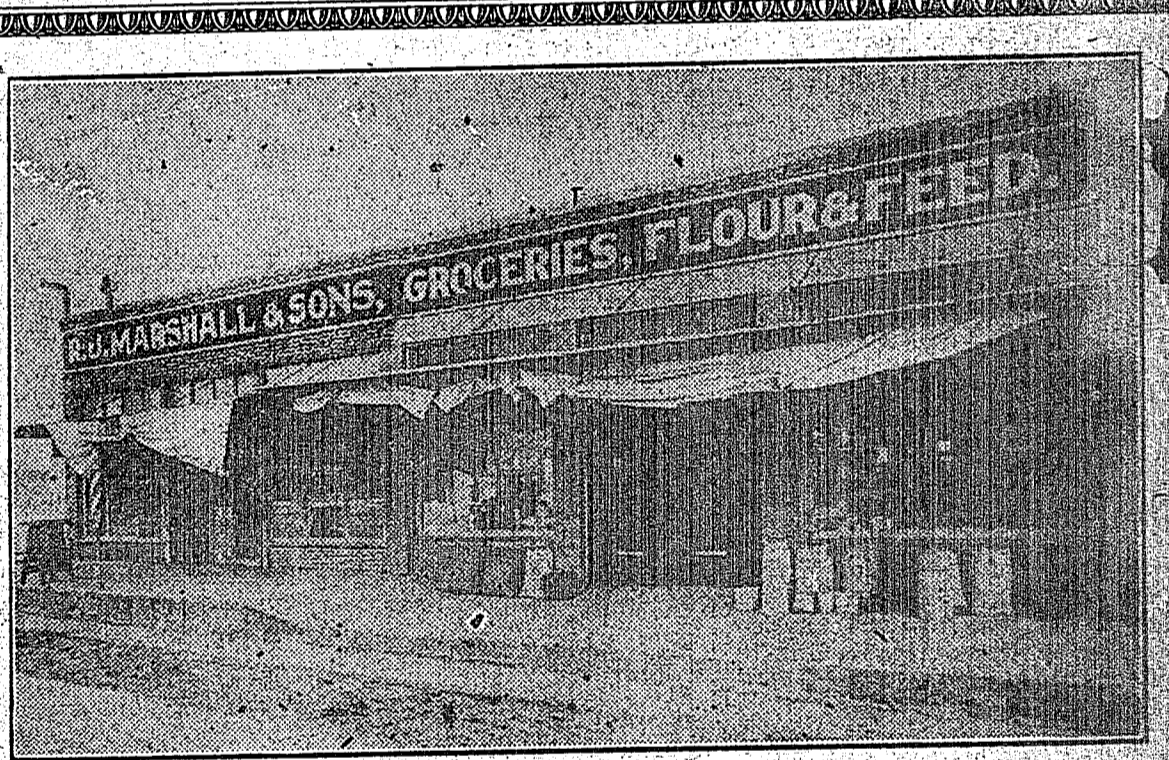
No one ever made a reputation for efficiency by watching the other fellow do it.

HOW ABOUT SANTA ANNA?
 What is the matter with Santa Anna? Nothing! Santa Anna is in the center of a region that has been more amply blessed in the past 6 months than any other in the United States.

What does this mean for Santa Anna? It means business. For say what we want about industry, about oil, about agriculture, Santa Anna will grow or retrogress as the fat population surrounding it prospers or falls on evil days. There is no use arguing that point. It is an incontrovertible fact.

There is nothing the matter with Santa Anna, its prospects are brighter now than for 10 years. Its business structure is sound. Its financial institutions are in as good or better condition than those of any other section of the state. There is little unemployment. The farmers of the district have paid off many of their obligations, and have money to spend. They are going to spend it; not foolishly, nor in an orgy of useless purchasing for the necessities and a few of the luxuries that the past few years of depression have denied them. Let's all then, as the poem says, "be up and doing!" The clouds have rolled by, but if we keep our eyes on the ground we can't enjoy the sunshine.

Simple Mixture Best For Constipation
 Simple buckthorn bark, magnesium sulph. c. p., glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adlerika, is excellent for constipation. It often works in one hour, is pleasant and never gripes. The pleasant and QUICK action of this efficient intestinal evacuant will surprise you. Adlerika helps any case gas on the stomach, unless due to deep-seated causes. Often removes matter you never thought was in your system.—Corner Drug Co.



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Caught in the Round-Up

Miss Emma Poe is visiting in Brownwood this week.

Chas Eck made a business trip to Dallas this week.

Homer Pearce of Sterling City visited his grand-father L. C. Pearce Sunday.

Jodie Mathews of Brownwood visited his parents in Santa Anna Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Lee of Brownwood were here this week to see A. R. Brown.

Jack Brown of Childers was here this week, being called to the bedside of his brother, A. R. Brown.

Mrs. B. H. Melton visited in Brownwood Tuesday. Mrs. E. J. Melton returned home with her for a visit here and at Coleman.

Shield Brown was called home this week from Trinity University to attend the bedside of his father, A. R. Brown.

Leland Parker who has been in Dallas for the past several weeks came in Wednesday for a few days visit with home-folks.

J. N. Moore of San Antonio, left last Saturday for Dallas, after visiting several days in the home of his cousin, T. J. Lancaster of Whoun.

Mrs. Frankie Adams and Miss Lula Volentine, teachers in the public school at Colorado City, were here this week, coming in to see their sick brother-in-law, A. R. Brown.

Capt. M. L. McFarland of Brownwood was here on business Tuesday. His main object was to attend the annual Stockholders meeting of the First National bank, and also to look after other business matters in the city.

Our good friend, J. Tom Newman presented the editor with a nice package of fresh country sausage Wednesday. Mr. Newman stated the pig he killed dressed 830 pounds. Some pig, but that's nothing for Coleman county.

Miss Algia Porterfield of Coleman, will begin a class in Expression, and classical dancing Saturday at the home of Mrs. W. I. Mitchell. Watch for further announcement next week. Miss Porterfield was educated in Kansas City, Mo.

Mrs. J. D. Allen sold her rooming house over the First State Bank last week to Mrs. D. C. Dennis, and left Sunday for Ft. Worth, where she will visit a few days before going to Austin where she expects to make her home for the present with her brother. Mrs. Dennis will continue the business on the same high plan it has been being operated, and we predict for her a profitable business in that she is fully equal to the occasion and knows her business.

R. O. Manning and family moved here this week from Star, Texas, and will make this their future home. Mr. Manning is salesman for the Rawleigh products, and will work the Southern part of Coleman county. Mr. Manning started right by calling at the News office, putting in an ad and subscribing for the News.

J. Len Phillips returned Saturday night from Houston where he carried his little son, James, for examination. Sorry to state Mr. Phillips failed to find much encouragement about his bright little boy. Mr. Phillips' married daughter, Marguerite, returned home with him and will be here for some time.

D. J. Johnson, proprietor of the Santa Anna Telephone Exchange, moved his family here this week to make their future home. Mr. Johnson and family have made their home in Brownwood for 15 years, and have many warm friends there who regret to see them move away, but Mr. Johnson knows a good thing when he sees it, therefore he came to Santa Anna for a permanent home.

Mail order houses are collecting data on agriculture, but what the farmers would appreciate more is to have them help pay the taxes.

Something should be said for the people who are always behind. If it were not for them, there could be no one in front.

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for nose and throat
Give Quick Relief

DOLLAR DAY BARGAINS MONDAY, JAN. 19th

We are again going to offer you for Dollar Day some very attractive prices and real bargains—don't miss them.

- Ladies \$1.50 Gowns for \$1.00
- Ladies \$2.00 Teddies for \$1.00
- 6 yards Gingham for \$1.00
- 6 yards best grade Outing for \$1.00
- 6 yards, yd. wide Brown Domestic for \$1.00

We still have a few cases of Grandma's White Laundry Soap—120 bars for \$4.00

MILES WOFFORD

Christian Aid Society

The Christian Aid Society met with Mrs. Gipson Monday afternoon. After a brief devotional service, officers for 1925 were elected: Mrs. J. R. Gipson, Pres.; Mrs. E. W. Marshall, Vice-Pres.; Mrs. G. W. Faulkner, Sec.-Treas. The president then took the chair and appointed the following committees: Program—Mrs. Oder, Mrs. Walker and Miss Nellie Richardson; Finance—Mesdames Marshall, Childers, Faulkner and Baxter; Membership—Mrs. Rainbolt, Mrs. Freeman and Mrs. J. O. Martin; Sick—Mrs. Stafford Baxter, Mrs. Will Parker and Mrs. L. O. Garrett. We then had a delightful social hour with a contest on Bible and Missionary questions—and then tempting refreshments consisting of sandwiches, tea, cakes and pear whip. There was a splendid attendance and three new members secured. All the members are asked to do some visiting in the interest of society or church before the next meeting.—Reporter.

Beau-Not Club

Mrs. Ben Vinson was hostess to the Beau-Not Club on Thursday evening in honor of her niece, Miss Lydia Gresham. The time was spent very pleasantly in playing progressive 42. Miss Kate Phillips won highest score. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess to the guests. There were twelve present. This club is growing more popular all the time.

Advertising creates good-will, not in unrelated units, but in the mass. It fosters, and even commands, fair dealing. It establishes the confidence of the dealer and consumer alike, not by hundreds, but by millions. And, advertising like any other form of creative energy, works best and produces most, when under experienced direction and intelligent restraint.

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Along about this season of the year the old man is inclined to doubt whether there is a difference of even one letter between Pa. and pay.

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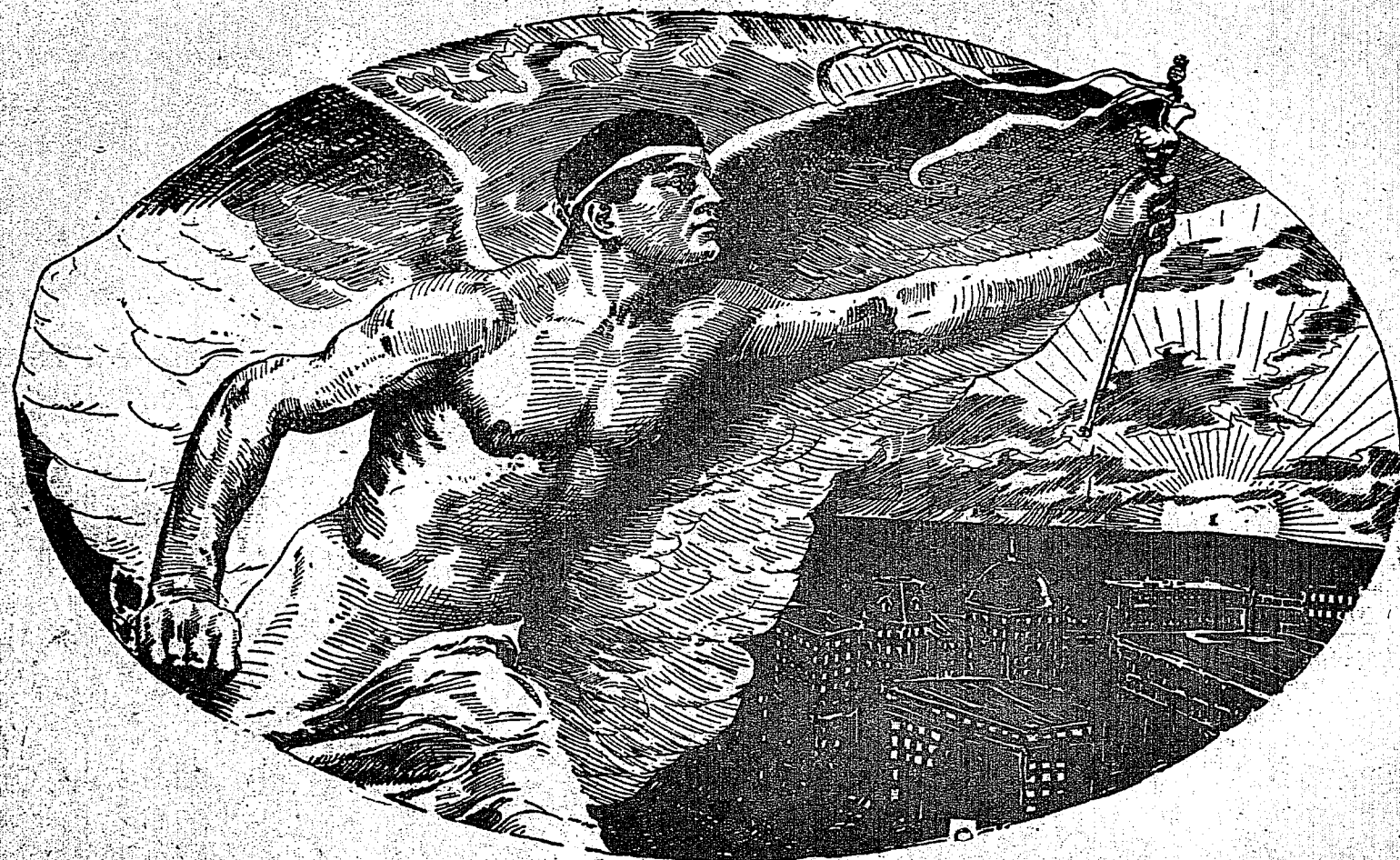
We are equipped to give you the best battery service in town. Only one hour is required to charge a battery. We have new batteries in stock in case your old one is not good. Bring your battery troubles to us, we give Service.

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No guessing the savings; no doubting values; people have responded wonderfully to our Big Sale, but we still have plenty of good values left. It will pay you to visit our store as we positively will save you money.

- Men's \$5.00 All-Wool Dress Pants in Great variety, Special \$2.95**
- Men's \$1.00 Dress Shirts, with or without Collars—79c**
- 25c Best Grade Heavy Outing, Plain or Fancy, for only—17 1-2c**
- Men's \$2.25 Heavy Khaki Work Pants, extra special at—\$1.45**
- Men's Fine 15c Cotton Half Hose, in all colors, per pair—9c**
- 25c Percales in Light and Dark Colors, for only—18 1-2c**
- 25c Super-Quality Dress Gingham, assorted patterns—19c**
- Men's \$1.25 Heavy Elastic Seam Drawers, for only—89c**
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- Men's \$5.00 work shoes ... \$3.85
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 - Boys' \$2.50 work shoes ... \$1.85
 - Boys' \$5.00 dress shoes ... \$3.75
 - Ladies' \$4.00 Pumps, Oxfords and Cut-outs, pair ... \$2.95
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 - One big special lot Ladies' Pumps, and Oxfords, assorted lasts and sizes, \$6.00 values for \$2.95
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Santa Anna, Texas



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A handful of workers achieve more than a city full of drones.

Team work is what counts in everything. A prominent football coach recently said: "Give me a team of average ability who will work together each with the other and all for the team and I will win over any team made up solely of individual stars."

Individual ability makes great men---shining lights, but it is mass co-operation of energetic men of civic spirit, home pride and community enterprise that builds a town's progress and prosperity.

Men of this community, be ye more than mere residents---be citizens.

The shirker says: "Let George do it." The worker says: "Let me help."

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