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*"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"*

## LUNCHEON CLUB HOST TO B-WOOD VISITORS

The Business Men's Luncheon Club had a splendid attendance at the weekly meeting Wednesday, and had as guests, several visitors from Brownwood, who are members of the Lions Club of our neighbor city. Following the list, if we succeeded in getting all their names:

Will Talbut, president of the Lions Club, Stewart L. Williams, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, Uncle Joe Weakly, T. E. Witcher, D. D. McInnis, Tom Posey, R. C. McInnis, W. J. Odell, Gardner Thomas, David H. Hensley, W. O. Rousell, Jno. W. Edwards, T. E. Denman, S. H. Bass, R. R. Reeves, O. C. Walker. Stewart L. Williams was first called upon, and during his talk, told us about the Brown County Fair, to convene in Brownwood Oct. 1, 2 and 3, and extended the people of Santa Anna and territory an invitation to attend. Prof. B. T. Withers and Mayor Baxter replied with very appropriate words. Will Talbut was called for and made a splendid talk on behalf of the Lions Club, and urged the organization a Junior Club in Santa Anna, which was well received, and we hope will result into a permanent organization. Rev. R. Reeves was introduced and he used his time well. Rev. Mr. Reeves is a good talker, and our information is, he lives and practices what he preaches. S. H. Bass, Uncle Joe Weakly and O. C. Walker made good short talks, and the meeting adjourned. Automobiles were waiting at the door and the visitors were given a ride thru the gap of the mountain, north to the junction, back to town then out to the Home Creek bridge on the Rockwood road, just to show them a sample of Coleman county's fine roads.

## JED C. ADAMS PREDICTS DEMOCRATIC VICTORY

Jed C. Adams of Dallas, Democratic National Committeeman from Texas, returned from Washington and New York last week, and states that he is convinced that John W. Davis, the Democratic nominee, will be the next President of the United States. Party leaders in the east, according to Mr. Adams, have practically concluded the election of Mr. Davis a certainty. Mr. Adams claims the oil graft on the part of several white house officials is being agitated much more in the east than in this country, and he thinks it will be next to impossible to elect a Republican in the face of such charges.

Records covering tests of gas meters over a twenty-year period show an average net error of one-tenth of one per cent slow according to the Pennsylvania Public Service Information Committee. The number of meters tested was 2,022,481, owned by 23 gas companies in 16 states. A large proportion of the meter proves checked at regular and frequent intervals against a standard approved as correct by the United States Bureau of Standards. The gas meter was invented 80 years ago and its construction has not been changed materially in principle.

## A WILDCAT HUNT IN TEXAS

Did you ever hunt wild animals with dogs? Did you ever ride through the moonlight night behind a pack of hounds which were chasing a panther, a wild cat, or a fox? If so, you will agree that such a pastime is real, red-blooded sport; it makes something tingle beneath the surface of the skin clear out to your finger tips. Austin Callan tells the story of a wild cat hunt in Coleman county, Texas, in which he took part and which was exciting all the way through—from the time the dogs "struck" the trail until the cat was treed and killed. The story will appear in the Magazine Section of the Santa Anna News, October 3rd. There will be other good articles to read in this October Magazine Section—therefore, keep in mind the date of its issue, and don't let your subscription expire before renewing.

## COLEMAN LAUNDRY HAS BRANCH OFFICE HERE

The Coleman Steam Laundry has opened a branch office in Santa Anna, with headquarters at the Palace Barber Shop. J. K. Ford is in charge of the branch office here and make his home in Santa Anna, having moved here this week. Read their announcement in this issue of the News.

## NORFLEET Gripping—Startling A Truthful Chronicle of Human Achievement

Norfleet sells for \$2.00 and is a fast seller. A copy of this book should be kept in every home, as generation after generation will read it with peculiar interest. It reads like a novel and sounds like fiction, but it is the bonafide truth, just such as a Texas Rancher can tell.

The coolness of him—the audacious courage of him—the lightning thinking of Norfleet saved his life in many a seemingly inescapable sul-de-sac, and brought the highly organized band of outlaws, one by one to justice. The soul stirring story of this Texas rancher's four-year self-imposed task of running to earth the largest and most desperate gang of crooks in the United States is graphically told in Norfleet's own words which are powerful in their very modesty. It has often been said that Truth is stranger than Fiction—but those who have read Sir Conan Doyle's Sherlock Holmes stories, The Chronicles of the Mysterious Fu Man Chu, the Episodes of the Grey Ghost, or a dozen other "thrillers" in the category of "detective" and "mystery" yarns have undoubtedly entertained a slight doubt as to the accuracy of the old time aphorism.

But now comes Frank Norfleet with a chronicle of adventure that makes the "Grey Ghost" stories tame by comparison; a series of dramatic situations that reduce the ordinary "thriller" to the commonplace; a history of detective work that causes Sherlock-Holmes' attainments to sink into insignificance—and withal, a lesson in morality and "square shooting" that should prove greatly beneficial to the youth of the Nation.

And the beauty of the whole work is that it is the TRUTH! Just as the unexaggerated account of what one brave man has actually done in the face of seemingly unsurmountable difficulties.

English literature has been enriched by this most gripping, startling compilation of thrills, laughter and pathos, held together by a thread of stupendous human endeavor, tempered by tolerance and compassion. Norfleet is a book that will appeal to men and women of all ages and in every walk of life. Norfleet is a book that parents will place in the hands of their boys to read. Knowing that the truths contained therein and the lessons taught are well worth while. Norfleet has been read and enthusiastically endorsed by leading educators, ministers, publishers, bankers, professional men and criminologists.

Physically, the book presents a beautiful appearance. A heavy dark blue cloth cover, lettered and designed in gold, with more than 350 pages of fine quality rice paper and splendidly illustrated.

Norfleet is destined to run into the hundreds of thousands of copies and will undoubtedly find its way into every home and every library where English is read.

For a limited time, by special arrangements with the publishers, we are prepared to offer a copy of Norfleet, regular price \$2.00 and the Santa Anna News one year, price \$1.00, both for only \$2.25 in Coleman county. If foreign add 50c.

## HURT IN AUTO WRECK

Friday of last week, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. S. Cobb were returning to their home west of town in the late afternoon, when Mr. Cobb, driving the Ford, being somewhat blinded by the sun, attempted to drive around a wagon and ran into the rear end of a Buick, standing still on the side of the road. Mrs. Cobb into the windshield, cutting several bad gashes in her face and inflicting other bruises in the shake up. Both cars were damaged but Mrs. Cobb suffered the worst. Her age, however, her injuries are not considered seriously. The Buick was the property of W. O. Garrett, who was out shooting doves, and left his Buick parked on the roadside. We wish for Mrs. Cobb a speedy recovery and consider that Mr. and Mrs. Cobb were both fortunate in that they were not worse hurt than they were.

## DRILLING CONTRACT LET FOR FOUR WELLS

Last Thursday, September 19, D. R. Bailey of Brownwood, well known oil operator, closed a deal for a lease on 640 acres of land some five miles south of Santa Anna, and entered into a contract to drill four wells for oil, drilling to be completed within forty days from the date of the contract. The land is owned by W. R. Keady and J. L. Kingscars were damaged but Mrs. Cobb suffered the worst. Her age, however, her injuries are not considered seriously. The Buick was the property of W. O. Garrett, who was out shooting doves, and left his Buick parked on the roadside. We wish for Mrs. Cobb a speedy recovery and consider that Mr. and Mrs. Cobb were both fortunate in that they were not worse hurt than they were.

## OPENING FOOT BALL GAME SATURDAY

The opening foot ball game of the season will be played on the home grounds at the tabernacle field Saturday of this week, between the Santa Anna High School and Richardland Springs High school. The game will be called at 3 o'clock p. m. and both the home and visiting teams will appreciate a liberal patronage.

D. J. Johnson and Dr. Sealy attended the weekly meeting and luncheon of the Lions Club, in the dining room of the Southern hotel at Brownwood Tuesday. Mr. Johnson served as secretary of the club three years prior to his coming to Santa Anna and his services were highly appreciated by the membership of the club. An invitation was extended the club to meet with the Business Men's Luncheon club here Wednesday, and several came.

Byron Joiner, Jr., and Burgess Sealy were hurt Tuesday in training on the foot ball team of the Santa Anna High school. They were given medical aid, and we hope they will soon be fully recovered and back on the team. Young Mr. Russell got his face skinned up a little, but refused to admit he was hurt. Santa Anna has a prospect for a real team this year, and we hope the boys bring home the "spoils."

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

Preaching Saturday night and Sunday at both morning and evening hours. We especially request that all the members be present Sunday. A. S. Werner, minister.

## SPECIAL SERVICE AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. We are anxious for you to be present Sunday. Something special. Let's Go!

There will be given a special program by the Sunday school. This will be the program for State Missions. All over the South land this day will be observed in our Sunday schools as State Mission Day. The subject for the hour will be "Partners with God." Paul declares in I Cor. 3:9 that "We are God's fellow workers." It's a great privilege to be partners with God. Come and hear this program at the 11 o'clock hour.

B. Y. P. U's. meet at 7 p. m. All the young people have a big welcome in this service. Evening worship at 8 p. m. The pastor will preach "Come thou and be with us we will do thee good."

Sidney F. Martin, pastor.

Mrs. E. J. Gilliam returned to her home in Abilene Thursday after visiting several days with her grand-daughter, Mrs. C. B. Verner.

## DIRT BROKEN FOR THEATRE BUILDING

Dirt was broken this week and work started on a new Theatre building, for Dr. T. M. Hays, first door west of S. W. Childers & Co., Store. Dr. Hays informs us he is going to build a real theatre building that will be a credit to any town. Most of the work will be done by home labor and supervised by Dr. Hays himself.

Richard Smith of the Thrifty community northeast of town was selling sweet potatoes in the city this week, and placed a couple good ones on the editor's desk Monday. Mr. Smith informs us he has about 3 acres planted to sweet potatoes this year, and is finding a ready sale for his crop at \$3.00 per bushel. He has the Hensler variety and the prospects are fair 100 bushels per acre or more.

H. M. Smith, Santa Anna, and R. L. Fiveash, Whon, were among the renewal subscribers to the News this week.

Read the ads before shopping.

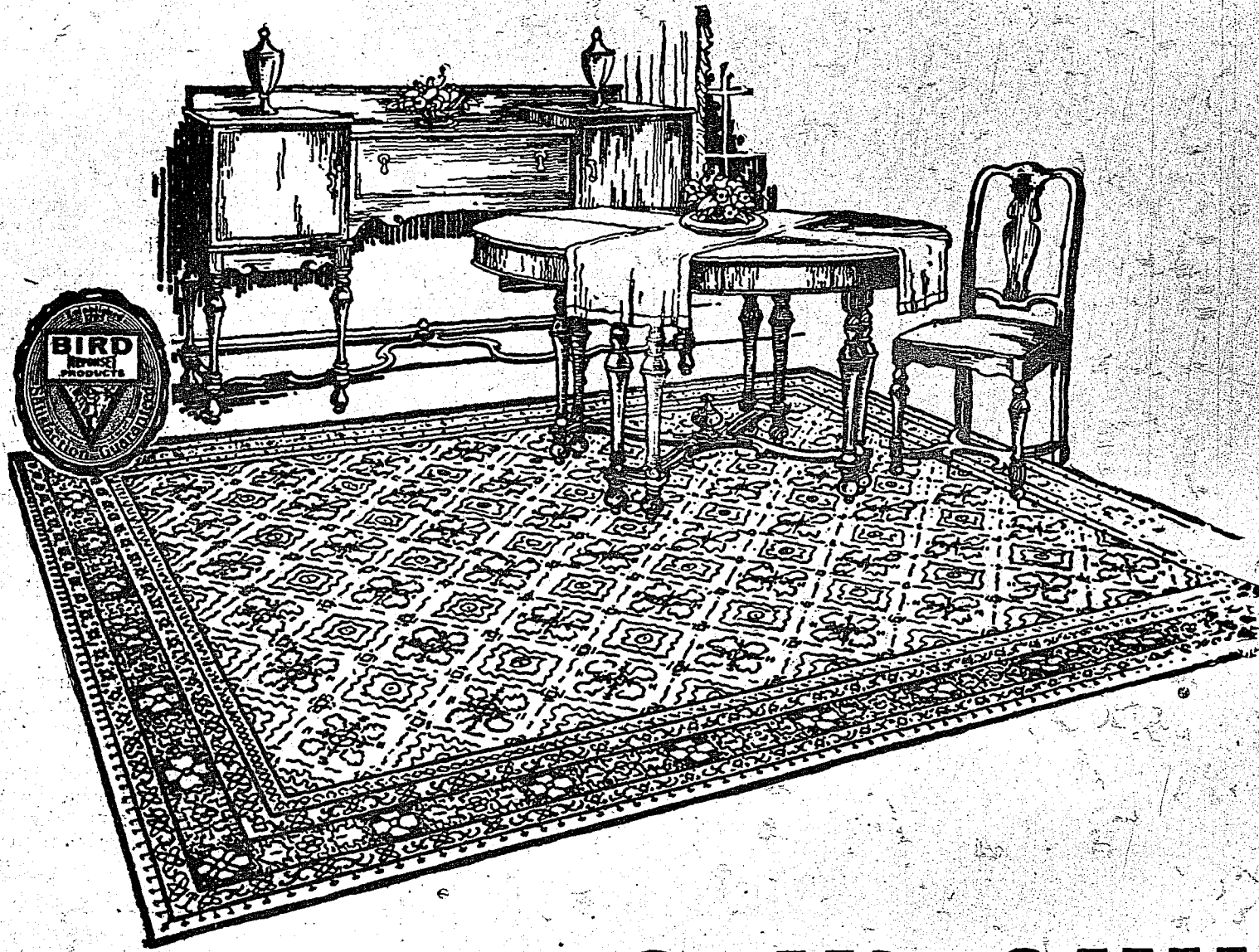
# A Bank Account

The Key to Success  
SUCCESS always means the grasping of an opportunity when it presents itself. A bank account is the world's best known method of getting an introduction to opportunity and taking advantage of it. A bank account here, accumulated with regular deposits, means ready money. It is truly the key to success—the goal towards which everyone strives.

Start One Today

# THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

# SPECIAL LOW PRICES



During the remainder of September we are making extra low prices on Hardware and Furniture. We are going to make it to your interest to get our prices before you buy.

We have the largest stock of Furniture and Floor Coverings we have ever carried and will not only meet all competition but will save you money on many items.

Have just received a large shipment of Charter Oak Stoves and Ranges.

A new line of Bunson burner reflectors.

## S. W. CHILDERS & CO.

### SETTING AN EXAMPLE

Two young Oregon school teachers finished their university course; then they married. They are capable of filling the best places, anywhere. In looking for a school, they found a little place where the wages are good, and living expenses are low. Social advantages are undeveloped, and the teacher turnover has been more than one hundred percent yearly.

These two plan to give the community radio, music, games, sports in and out of the school, a lecture course, things far beyond their contract. They will make social conditions. They plan also to offer more than one

year's service; "the people are entitled to the best in us if we make good," they have said.

Because expenses are low, they will save money. They have contracted for bonds of a great public service company. Every pay day they will apply a substantial amount of their salaries on these bonds and have a little cash left over; they expect to save \$2,000 this year. Some day they will be independent; though it is said that not another teacher who ever served there has a dollar.

The raising of families, the clothes and social and tax burdens overwhelm many teachers in more expensive communities. This place, and hundreds of oth-

ers as good, have been open for years, yet the teachers' agencies are fairly swarming with impetuous educational neurotics who "can't stand these little places."

They deny the theory that books can make a man independent of his surroundings, or that service can bring contentment.

Too frequently the public makes the teacher the major custodian of the children's mental, spiritual and social welfare. Such an overworked teaching fraternity deserves generous treatment. Perhaps teachers' pensions, or better pay while they are in service, are needed to attract better teachers. But

the plan out-lined by these two clear-eyed young Oregonians, to give an isolated, people something more than their contract and still to serve themselves well is unusual enough to suggest that as a class the teachers themselves may have failed to see a vital point.—The Manufacturer News.

### Good Advice For Farmers

In a booklet just published entitled "Safeguarding the Farm Against Fire," the National Board of Fire Underwriters says:

"The farmer, above all others, needs to give special attention to the reduction of fire hazards and the adoption of protective methods. This is true for several reasons. In the first place, his house and barn and outbuildings usually are constructed of combustible materials; being more or less isolated, they are peculiarly subject to lightning strokes; kerosene and gasoline are likely to be stored about the premises and used for light and power; the farmer crams his barn with hay, straw and feed, all of which are subject to spontaneous combustion; and last, but by no means least, he is nearly always beyond the reach of organized fire protection.

"Fire precautions ought to be an integral part of the original plan of a farmstead. Its various buildings should be so separated that if a fire occurs in one the rest will not almost inevitably be doomed. In common with dwellings everywhere, there are several interior features of rural home construction which, although higher in first cost than ordinary work, carry with them increased safety to life and property. Among these are the employment of fire-resistant roofing material; the provision of two stairways in different parts of the house; the inclosure of stairways, particularly a rear one that enters the kitchen, and the installation of fire-stopping between floors. All these items, with the exception of the fire-stopping, are features that can be introduced even in structures long standing."

Man gave woman the vote, but he will never get any place telling her how to use it.

Short speeches never put anybody to sleep. Something for political orators to remember.

Boast and the world will roast you; keep silent and you're put down as a grouch.

### THE PRICE OF USELESS WORRY

A Chicago woman took it upon herself to worry over something that did not concern her. She paid the penalty, for she is now insane. For weeks she read the tens of thousands of words printed in newspapers concerning a local murder case. She brooded, presumably, more than the trial judge himself. She moped over the forthcoming sentence with more disastrous effect than the accused themselves. Finally, states a doctor, "her mind snapped under the strain."

This woman was not broken in body, mind or spirit before she gave herself up to useless worry. She was a normal being until she became voluntarily concerned with an affair with which she had no direct connection and on which she could have not the slightest influence one way or the other.

It is a case that finds company everywhere. Thousands of other women—and men—permit their minds to go joy-riding down foreign streets. They pick up 'other persons'

troubles and make them their own. They careen from one difficulty to another with solemn abandon, convinced that destiny rides on the hood of their speeding machine. The bumps they encountered don't damage the telephone poles, but they leave their mark on the tourist.

Why worry about anything—least of all the problems that hang around the other fellow's neck? Why brood at all—especially concerning the other man's interests? Why make the mind a stick for meddling in the other person's pot-stew? Why make of life a mad-moth tragedy in which you yourself elect to direct the actors?

Insanity is one result of lapses in mental discipline. Unhappiness, loss of sleep, and a warped perspective are other prices sometimes paid.—Farm and Ranch.

The detourists who get their directions from the "Natives" are reasonably certain to get lost.

To be up-to-date you have to learn something today that you didn't know yesterday.

**All-Year Utility at Lowest Cost**

The Tudor Sedan body type—now widely popular—was created by the Ford Motor Company. Into it has been built all the utility that any light-weight closed car can provide. It is comfortable, roomy and convenient, easy to drive and park, and instantly adapted to varying weather conditions.

**The Tudor Sedan \$590**

Coupe - \$525  
Fordor Sedan 685 Fully Equipped  
Runabout - \$265  
Touring Car - 295

Demountable Rim and Steer 800 extra  
All prices f. o. b. Detroit

**Ford Motor Company**  
Detroit

SEE THE NEAREST AUTHORIZED FORD DEALER

**Ford**  
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

You can buy any Ford Car by making a small down-payment and arranging easy terms for the balance. Or you can buy on the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan. The Ford Dealer in your neighborhood will gladly explain both plans in detail.

**MOTOR MIKE SAYS:**

September Morn down in the corn  
Beside the crystal pool,  
Would give a fortune for a Ford  
In the early morning cool;  
She'd then escape the vulgar stare  
Of any naughty man,  
By driving off in early morn  
In a curtained Ford Sedan.

We sell Fords, genuine Ford parts, accessories, gas, grease, oils and everything you need. Come to see us.

**SANTA ANNA MOTOR COMPANY**

# PROFITABLE PURCHASES

Together with our idea of more sales and less profits, enables us to offer you a Fall stock of merchandise at prices as low as will be found. It has never been our method to try to have you believe that we were giving you **something for nothing**—you have been fed on such dope as this until you are tired of reading it. Others may sell you red tags—we sell you merchandise less the expense of these tags and the big hurrah and the expense of telling you about it. Compare our merchandise and our prices and see where the real saving is. (300 made to measure samples, your choice \$29.50 full suit)



## Shoes

You may buy the Childrens shoes for \$1.69 or you may buy them for \$5.00. We do not sell them at either price, but for \$1.25 in the little size, to \$3.75 in the larger ones, we can sell you a "RED GOOSE", and we have sold these long enough that we sincerely believe that there are none better at any price. We have a number of styles to select from, and if you will give them a trial you will always buy



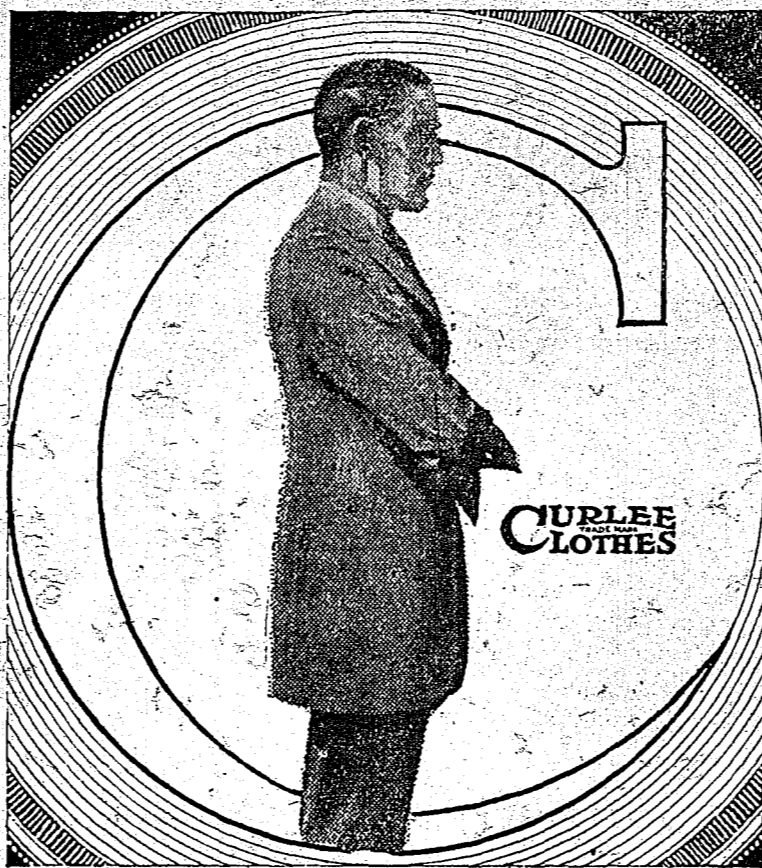
## "Red Goose" Shoes

## Work Clothes

Leather, Moleskin and Duck Coats, Duck Pants, Moleskin Pants, Overalls and Jumpers. Those who have bought our line of work clothes know that we have a good one.

- Best Overalls for men for ..... \$1.75
- Best Overalls for Boys for ..... \$1.00 and \$1.25
- Our Leather and Moleskin Coats are good long ones, Wool lined and priced for ..... \$6.00 to \$12.00

We are expecting every day a shipment of Ladies, Misses and Childrens Coats. These are direct from the manufacturers and you will be disappointed if you do not see them before you buy. Everything in Underwear, Sweaters, Blankets and Quilts, Trunks, and Bags, Hats and Caps, Shirts and Ties, Men's work Shoes and dress Shoes, Boys Shoes. Do not buy your Fall bill until you visit our store. If your dollars are worth working for they are worth saving.



## Get in the Well Dressed Circle

Our line of Suits is the largest we have ever had. They are priced from \$16.50 to \$30.00. Compare our \$30.00 Suits with others MARKED at \$40.00 to \$45.00 and see how the values compare. Your pencil will mark any price you direct it to mark. Boys' Suits, all wool, two pairs of pants at \$7.75—\$8.50—\$9.00

## Hosiery

We have a complete line of Iron Clad and Everwear Hosiery, in Silks, Lises and Cotton. These hose must give satisfaction or a new pair.

- Ladies Silk hose priced at ..... \$1.00 to \$2.50
- Ladies Lisle hose priced at ..... 50c to 65c
- Childrens Ribbed hose priced at ..... 35c to 50c



## Staple Goods---

## ---Dress Goods

While we possibly do not have as cheap prices as you will find in some of these lines, we have always thought that when you have gone to the trouble of making a garment you would not for a few cents want materials of inferior quality, and we do not have them. Our prices are for brands of standard quality which in our opinion are always the cheapest.

- "Not a good," but positively the best Outings ..... 20c
- Best 36-inch Bleach Domestic ..... 20c
- A good Brown Domestic 36 inches ..... 18c
- The Gingham we have always sold for 25c, now ..... 20c

# D. R. HILL & BRO.

### WHERE ARE THE BOYS?

Young man, next to a clear conscience, a trade is as good a thing as you can have in this country. You can carry it with you all your life long; you have to pay neither rent nor taxes upon it, and it will help you around a sharp corner when most other things will fail. If

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### Constipation

Is the human race's most insidious enemy, being the cause of the majority of our ills. A daily laxative is essential to health. It removes the bowels and keeps them in function, normally and without discomfort.

**Force Tonic**  
It Makes For Strength

we had our way we would give every boy a trade. Then we would have him stick to it, love it, and be good to it. If he does, it will be good to him.

In this day of jazz dancing, joy-riding and caddying on the golf courses, too many boys are letting the golden years go by without acquiring anything that will be useful to them in the years to come. Not so many hearts, some of us feel puffed up with importance; viewed from without we are only units in a vast crowd, each unit living its life and then perishing, unmourned and uncared for by most of the units around. The only thing of interest to the survivors is the record of things done. The trees we plant live after us and shelter generations that follow; the crops we grow feed other mouths than our own; our deeds, good or bad, do live on; the good is not "interred with our bones." Things done and not merely dreamed about are the things that make us have interest in our fellow creatures. And these works must be done without expectation of full recognition. An offering of service to the world is and must be largely impersonal; for though our deeds may be widespread, our own individuality is known to but few. The help you give a little child to distinguish between right and wrong is the sort of thing that lives after you are gone, while the pounding you may do on a big bass drum dies with its echo.

ful fathers and mothers and mean a lot to the country.

The death of an individual, however prominent, matters very little except to a few immediate friends and relatives. The few who suffer loss are as nothing to the millions who, not knowing the deceased, feel no poignant grief at his departure. Viewed from inside our own hearts, some of us feel puffed up with importance; viewed from without we are only units in a vast crowd, each unit living its life and then perishing, unmourned and uncared for by most of the units around. The only thing of interest to the survivors is the record of things done. The trees we plant live after us and shelter generations that follow; the crops we grow feed other mouths than our own; our deeds, good or bad, do live on; the good is not "interred with our bones." Things done and not merely dreamed about are the things that make us have interest in our fellow creatures. And these works must be done without expectation of full recognition. An offering of service to the world is and must be largely impersonal; for though our deeds may be widespread, our own individuality is known to but few. The help you give a little child to distinguish between right and wrong is the sort of thing that lives after you are gone, while the pounding you may do on a big bass drum dies with its echo.

### NOTICE

For Sale or trade, my hamburger joint known as the Post Joint. Would trade for wagon and team and plow tools. See me or J. A. Post, Santa Anna, Texas, box 401. 38-2tp

Confidence is a precious article in Europe, judging by the way premiers are always seeking it.

As a rule, the first business of those who investigate an automobile accident is to look for the bottle.

### Be of Good Cheer

If the American fliers who have just completed their circling of the globe had become discouraged when they met with delays in the arctic seas they might never have completed their air voyage. If while drifting across the frigid north they had asserted that their beloved homeland did not exist, for the reason that it was out of sight, they would not have been more unreasonable than those who decide the world is going backwards as a whole, because their outlook is cheerless. The world is wide and the view of any one person is narrow. Because, perhaps, for us there is no good thing at this moment we may even deny blasphemously that there is sunshine for anyone, for we often believe only in those things we can see. We see about us selfishness, but we do not look far enough, for there is much else in the world that is unselfish. We see immorality near us but we must be blind if we conclude, therefore, that all women or all men are plunged in a seething caldron of vice. Take a broad view of life, and despite murders, rapine, cruelty, you will be convinced the hands of time move forward. Bear in mind to your comfort and peace of mind that the things of good are greater than the things of evil, and as the constant dripping wears away the stone, so these quiet elements of human righteousness are working ever upward despite the crashing noises of downward tendencies.

The toll of men, women and children, dead or injured by criminal or careless handling of automobiles continues to mount. The most dangerous of all the foes of mankind is no longer the typhoid bacillus, tuberculosis, heart disease, or any of the other diseases that afflict mankind. The auto fiend now leads them all. And ninety per cent of the auto accidents are due to the carelessness, stupidity, self-indulgence or an exaggerated sense of self-importance on the part of drivers. We may expect

some stringent legislation in this matter soon, whereby authors of auto accidents will be jailed and their automobiles taken permanently from them like guns from the hands of criminals.

Perhaps it is because you don't notice the silliness in a pretty girl as you do in a homely one.

Permitting a small evil to exist often prevents a greater one.

### RED MAN'S TEA

For Eczema, Impure Blood, Pimples and Skin Eruptions. Every person who has any case pronounced incurable, is invited to give the above a trial. It is a harmless remedy provided by mother nature.

For Sale by C. K. HUNTER

Popular men always guess a woman's age and then divide it by two when they tell her.

Read the ads in the News.

### Pepsinated Calomel Is Better than the Old-Time Sickening Kind

It is gentle, imported English Calomel, combined with Pepsin and other helpful ingredients. It is mild but certain, causing no harshness or unpleasantness and will absolutely relieve indigestion, biliousness, bad colds, constipation and sick headaches. And best of all it does it at once—quickly and pleasantly. Take one small tablet at bed-time and you will get up hungry and feeling fine. Recommended by S. H. PHILLIPS

## Aroma

A quality characteristic of H and H Blend Coffee.

—A peculiar thing that you cannot taste, yet your coffee does not taste right unless the fragrant aroma is present. Perfect blending and scientific roasting gives that delightful aroma with every cup of H and H Coffee—Try a cup today, one cup calls for another.



## Beautiful Decorated Cake Plates or Salad Bowls

By Trading at our Store you can get one of these Bowls FREE, or by paying a small amount of Cash, without paying a cent more for your merchandise.

SEE THESE BEAUTIFUL BOWLS ON DISPLAY AT OUR STORE

Absolutely FREE with \$10.00 in Cash Trade

Shapiro's Cash Store  
Santa Anna Texas



**LATE NEWS FROM THE COURT HOUSE**

**Births Reported**  
 To Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Trommell, Coleman, boy.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gibbs, Coleman, boy.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Watkins, Talpa, boy.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Roy M. Elkins, Coleman, boy.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brown, Voas, girl.  
 To Mr. and Mrs. C. Wesley Tennyson, Whon, girl.

**Marriage License**  
 Mr. Henry Smith and Miss Mittie Avants.  
 Mr. Joe L. Garner and Miss Marie Estes.  
 Mr. Walter A. Morgan and Miss Fannie Myrtle Thompson.  
 Mr. F. B. King and Miss Alma W. W.  
 Mr. W. A. Bowles and Mrs. Sallie Thayer.

**Deaths Filled**  
 G. C. Pauley, et al, to S. E. Low, Lot No. 4, in Block No. 12, and S. 1-2 of Lot No. 1, in Block No. 12, of the town of Valera; \$10.00.  
 W. W. Duncan to J. F. Ford, 20 acres out of T. & N. O. R. Co. Survey No. 10, patented to D. H. Bowen; \$1000.00.  
 Roy Clayton to W. R. Bates, 115 acres out of N. E. corner of Block No. 1, of Subdivision of Mrs. Amanda T. Mathews pasture, and being out of Charles Wilson, Survey No. 315; \$6900.  
 F. M. Greer, et al to H. M. and A. L. Ellis, Lot No. 5 and 6, in Block No. 10, Townsite of Novice \$500.00.  
 N. L. Nichols to M. A. Porch, Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 7, 8 and 9, in Block No. 47, Townsite of Novice \$900.00.  
 Upton Henderson to A. E. Dalton, 100 acres out of Pleasant Young Survey No. 494; \$4500.  
 Upton Henderson to A. E. Dalton, 96 3-10 acres out of Johnathon Scott Survey No. 665; \$9630.00.  
 E. Melton to Rockwood Mercantile Co., being part of Coleman County School Land Survey No. 90; \$100.00.  
 W. E. Gill to J. H. Brannan, Lots Nos. 6, 7, 8, and 9, in Block No. 39, town of Santa Anna; \$10.00.  
 C. A. Gordon to H. M. Jones, S. 1-2 N. E. 1-4 of Block No. 19, of Clow's second addition to Coleman; \$3000.00.  
 C. T. Whittington to J. B. Starkey, being 250x150 feet out of Block No. 9, town of Glen; \$50.00.  
 J. A. Stobaugh to W. J. Coulson, Lot No. 2, in Block No. 6, A. Stobaugh Subdivision of Blocks No. 5 and 6, Clow's second addition to Coleman; \$250.

**FOR SALE**—211 acres of land, one-fourth miles north of Whon, two houses, two tanks, 125 acres in cultivation, 40 acres more tillable land, plenty of wood, price \$35.00 per acre.—R. L. Fivash. 52

Read the ads before shopping.

**Sideache Backache**  
 "I have been taking Cardui," says Mrs. Lillie Bolton, of Lake Providence, La. "I got down in bad health and lost in weight until I only weighed 120 pounds. I had bad pains in my sides and back and my legs hurt me until I couldn't walk. I stayed in bed half the time. I tried all kinds of medicine, but it did me no good. Finally I tried

**CARDUI**  
 The Woman's Tonic  
 "It seems like it did me good from the very first. After I had taken half a bottle I noticed an improvement. I continued its use and I got better and better. The pains in my legs and sides disappeared and I began to gain in weight until now I weigh 155 pounds and feel better than I ever did in my life. I am perfectly well and strong. I have given it to my girls, too."  
 Cardui has relieved many kinds of pains and distressing symptoms caused by female trouble. It should help you, too, in the same way. Why not give it a fair trial?

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH**

We had splendid services Sunday at 11 o'clock and also at night. There was one addition at the night service. We expect others soon. We are making a special effort to boost the Bible school and the mid-week service. If we do that, and we will, all other departments will come up also. Won't you come and assist in this work? There are a few members that we have not had the pleasure of preaching to yet. We hope we may have that pleasure before the year closes. The church is growing in all the departments. There have been 34 additions in nine months. What part have you had in bringing this about? Ask yourself this question, "What would the church be if all the members were just like me?" We hope to see you at the services next Lord's Day.  
 A. L. Oder, minister.

**Senior B. Y. P. U.**  
 John E. Claugh, the Hero of the "Lone Star."  
 Leader—Knox Campbell.  
 Introduction—Leader.  
 Claugh's birth and boyhood—Nettie Newman.  
 College and God's call—Grace Lackey.  
 The working of God's will—Melvin Lamb.  
 Success from the first—Dusch Nancy.  
 The Great Famine—Mary McCorkle.  
 The great ingathering—Sybil Vinson.  
 Caring for the converts—T. R. Campbell.  
 Those on program please be present. Have your part prepared, so it will not be necessary to read it. Visitors and new members are always "welcome."

If you don't believe in newspaper space and printers' ink as business getters, then you had better take lessons in how to succeed from the man who failed. All successful men will tell you to advertise.

Don't scrap unless the other fellow insists on it—and then do a good job.

**AUTHORIZED Agent for Davis Independent Paint Factory of Kansas City, Mo. Will sell by order from factor to consumer direct all paint supplies and lead and Linseed Oil, in any amount desired—reducing cost of painting nearly one half from present prices. Also good line of wall paper. All goods sold under a money guarantee.—Washington Cruger, Santa Anna, Tex. 15-31**

**The Week's Program**

—AT—

**BEST THEATRE**

Monday & Tuesday, 29 & 30

**"WOMEN WHO GAVE"**

Featuring Barbara Bedford. She promised to wait for him and he returned with another woman. The story of a woman who gave without thought of price. Love that covers the strong and strengthens the weak. Women who give, but what of the man lost at sea, but never lost the love in a woman's storm tossed heart.

"TELEPHONE GIRL" in connection.

Wednesday & Thursday, 1 & 2

**"THE NEXT CORNER"**

Watch your step young lady—there's danger ahead at "THE NEXT CORNER"  
 With Conway Tearle Lon Chaney, Dorothy Mackaill, Richard Cortez and Louis Dresser.  
 COMEDY in connection.

FRIDAY 3

**"THE AFFAIRS OF LADY HAMILTON"**

The greatest love story of modern history, with Liane Haid JACK DEMPSY in connection

SATURDAY 4

**"RIDGEWAY OF MONTANA"**

COMEDY in connection.

**MORTUARY**

J. T. Bowden, 74, died here Saturday morning at the home of his nephew, W. S. Conley.  
 Mr. Bowden was born in January 1850 in the State of Arkansas. He came to Texas over fifty years ago, settling first in Williamson Co., where he married and lived for a few years. He lived in Bell and Fannin counties prior to moving here in 1903. Mr. Bowden has made his home in the Trickham community for more than twenty years, and has many friends there. His wife died just ten months to a day prior to his death, having died November 20, 1923. Mr. and Mrs. Bowden raised eleven children, six boys and five girls, all of whom are living, and in so far as we know, are like their parents, good citizens: They are as follows: C. J. Bowden, Trickham; A. D. Bowden, Bangs; G. A. Bowden, DeLeon; J. H. Bowden, Winchell; C. E. and T. E. Bowden, Trickham; Mrs. Dora Ryan, Waldrip; Mrs. Sallie Page, Trickham; Mrs. Angie Burkeen, Camron; Mrs. Jennie Rutherford, Rockwood and Mrs. Lillie Nichols, Trickham. Deceased was again married last week to a Mrs. Robin, who is well known to most all the citizens in Santa

**Anna, but the writer is short on data concerning the marriage.**

The remains of Mr. Bowden was carried to Trickham Sunday and buried after a very appropriate funeral service at the Church of Christ, conducted by pastor A. S. Werner. Mr. Bowden had been a member of the church for more than forty years. The News joins the many friends in extending sympathy to the bereaved family.  
 We have been informed that all the children attended the funeral except Mrs. Burkeen of Cameron.

**Union Mission Study Class**

Monday, Oct. 6, 4 o'clock.  
 Hostess—Mrs. Lee Woodward.  
 Leader—Mrs. Chas. Oakes.  
 Chapter II "Saving Young Bodies." Scripture I Cor. 3:16-17, Romans 12:1, Luke 4:18-19, Mat. 4:23.  
 First four paragraphs—Mrs. Prickett.  
 Carrying out a task begun by Jesus—Mrs. Lloyd Burris.  
 The White House Conference—Mrs. Bond.  
 Other Agencies—Mrs. Fred Turner Jr.  
 Questions:  
 1. How do you account for the sacrifice of 100,000 to 250,

**000 infants in the U. S. annually?**

2. Reasons for death of infants.  
 3. How does the record in the U. S. compare with other countries? Why?  
 4. Has the Federal Government made any effort to remedy these conditions, if so, what? If not, why not?  
 5. What is being done by the Children's Bureau to better conditions?  
 6. What is the value of maternity center associations? Page 51.  
 7. Name six ways in which the church can help in the solution of health problems.  
 8. How does the widow's pension prove the value of home life in child training?  
 9. Discuss: Foster homes or Orphan asylums.  
 10. How far is it possible to include the study of practical hygiene in the curriculum of the public schools?  
 11. As malnutrition is demanding special consideration would it be advisable to emphasize food values in such study?  
 12. Name and locate the medical stations of your Woman's Board of Home Missions. See leaflets to which reference is made under Chapter 2.

**Punctuality at School**

School teachers in most places would appreciate it very much if the parents would take a firm stand at the beginning of this school year, that children must get to school on time. While attendance is no doubt reasonably punctual now, yet there is usually a chance for improvement. There are some youngsters who are natural dawdlers, and it is a hard thing for them to get there on the minute.  
 It is a fine thing for a school when all pupils who are not kept at home by sickness or other adequate reason, can be in their regular seats at the moment of beginning. Such a good start gives a teacher a fresh impulse of courage.  
 Also it gives a kind of impression of military precision, and children ought to work better under such conditions.  
 It would seem as if a condition of frequent tardiness must affect the morale of a school unfavorably, and perhaps lead the children to be a slacker on their lessons.  
 There is little hopes for a man who won't admit his own mistakes.



**SPECIAL SALE**

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**Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits**

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**\$35.00**

We place on sale today Sixty Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits including Young Men's Models in Blues, Greys and Browns, also conservative models for the older men in Regulars, Slims, Stubs and Stouts. These are our regular \$40.00 to \$55.00 values and there is no better clothing made—nothing but the best all wool materials and hand tailored by the best tailors. Make your selection early. The highest grade suits at a price asked for medium qualities. A real \$40.00 to \$55.00 Suit for only—

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**Marx Made Million Suits**

We are featuring this all wool well tailored suit in Blue Serge and Novelty Suiting at only **\$27.50**  
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**Boys' Suits**

Clothing of the better kind for the school boy and at a price you can afford to pay.

**SURE FIT CAPS FOR MEN AND BOYS**

We want your Fall Bill—a complete stock to select from and your Dollars will go further here.

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4 room dwelling with 6 acres of land in Bangs, Texas; about 50 fruit trees and half acre in berries.

17x70 stone business building in Miles, Texas.  
7 room dwelling, barn, garage and big lot in Miles, Texas.

Good residence in Santa Anna, 7 rooms, bath and hall, good barn, large lot in good neighborhood.

81-acre farm 2 miles west of Santa Anna, about 60 acres in cultivation, good 4-room house.

339 acres of land in northeast corner of Concho county, about 90 acres in cultivation, small house. Priced right.

1948 acres of raw land near Lamesa, Texas, good heavy, red sandy land. This is in 11 blocks, but all together.

Will sell or trade any or all of the above list of properties. Come in tell us what you want and get full description of any of the above.

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Can you fill a position as Bookkeeper, Stenographer, Secretary, Telegraph or Radio Operator? If you want to get into business and leave forever behind you the long hours of drudgery; if you want to fill one of the above positions and enter the most wonderful profession at incomes you have never dreamed of, you need to train for business.

You can get this training by experience. It is true that experience is the best teacher but she is a very slow one. You cannot wait for her to teach you everything. You must learn to be taught by the experience of others.

The shortest route to a position of this kind is through Tyler Commercial College. You can get this training in a very few months. There is as much difference in schools as there is in merchandise. Certainly you would choose the best merchandise and you should choose the best school. If you wish to be qualified to fill a good position in business, you must get your training in the school that is best equipped for training you. You cannot afford to take any chances. You owe it to yourself to enroll in a thoroughly reliable school that has the equipment and teachers to give you the very best.

If you have an ambition to get ahead; to learn more and earn more, then put this ambition into action. Fill in the coupon below and mail to Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas, for their FREE book on business education. If you do not send the coupon, only you have lost. If you do send it, both you and the College will win. You will know how to make a success and T. C. C. will have the satisfaction of knowing that they have helped another person along the road to success. Send for the FREE 208-page book today.

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### GET OUT AND VOTE

The state of Washington has inaugurated a "Get-Out-and-Vote" movement which will undoubtedly spread to other states. Any movement which has for its object the marshaling of what is known as the stay-at-home vote should have the hearty support of both Republicans and Democrats. As a rule, the man or woman who neglects to register and vote can give no valid excuse for failure to perform that important civic duty. Both our country and the political parties will be better off at all times with a full registration and a full vote.

Will you call, or phone for an appointment? We shall take a personal interest in serving you most capably. Our prices are right: Bobs 50c, marcel 75c, bobcurl 75c, Scalp treatment, 6 for \$4.50, henna \$8.00 up, eye-brow arch 50c, facials 75c up—OLD LONDON BOBBER SHOPPE, Up Stairs over Bowen's Drug Store, Coleman, Texas, phone 318.

Employees who get busy when they hear the boss' footsteps are always at the bottom of the salary list.

### Got the Result



Mr. Charles Moore, 2415 Eakin St., Dallas, well-known Texas citizen, says Karnak, the sensational new medicine, has freed him of two years of acute suffering from stomach trouble. "Indigestion and bloating had me so I couldn't draw a deep breath," says Mr. Moore, "and I was simply afraid to eat. I had to be always taking strong purgatives, too, and was so weak I could hardly get around. Karnak has fixed me up strong and well and for the first time in two years I eat anything I want. Karnak is a great medicine."

Karnak is sold in Santa Anna at CORNER DRUG CO.

### Government Payrolls Use Half of the Tax Revenues

The payroll for public officials and employees in the United States each year is now nearly four billion dollars, says the Texas Public Service Information Bureau.

This is nearly half of all the taxes paid in the United States. The total revenues are eight and one-half billion dollars.

Commenting on these facts the San Francisco Examiner says these figures are not surprising when we know that nearly three and one-half million persons are on the public payroll, federal, state and local.

The easiest person in the world to deceive is yourself.

There are just two kinds of folks—your kind and the other kind.

### PICTURE OF A TRUE FRIEND

Men love dogs because dogs alone meet a friendship need that humans generally haven't the faith, the simplicity, and the genuineness to supply.

One philosopher has said that a friend is one who incessantly pays us the compliment of expecting great things of us. Another has defined a friend as one who knows our faults and loves us still. A man's dog goes them all one better; he never asks questions, never explains, never apologizes.—Collier's.

**DR. S. E. PHILLIPS**  
Scientific Masseur  
Osteopath Massaging, Electrical and Vibratory Treatments.  
Chiropractic Adjustments Free  
Coleman, Texas  
Santa Anna from 7 to 12 a. m.

### IT ALWAYS COMES BACK

The condition of the farmer since 1920 has been made a subject of study by the department of agriculture.

The department, by gathering statistics from a large number of farms in every section of the United States, found that the farmers' wages compared with the average wages paid to hired labor in the same year.

No one denies that the slump in farm prices has not been a hard blow to farmers. Neither will anyone deny that the farmer is not coming back to the position he rightly deserves.

The great difficulty has been that too many people concluded that agriculture had no future.

History tells us that American agriculture has seen a degree of progress in the past which has never before been witnessed by any group which tilled the soil.

History also tells us that there have been periods of depression caused by forces over which farmers had no control.

But agriculture always came back, just as it is coming back now.

### WHO IS TO BLAME?

The tendency of boys and girls to lose their respect for parental authority is the occasion for some alarm regarding the future.

Many parents complain that as their children grow older, they cast off their obedience to the rules of conduct they once followed.

But all too often the child is not to be blamed.

The parent who does not demand respect and obedience in the beginning will not receive it in the end.

Humoring and coddling does not produce either. Instead, it creates selfishness, ingratitude and ultimate indifference.

Biting off more than you can chew is not half so bad as continuing to eat when you can't swallow.

## NOTICE

We have bought the Spivey Garage and moved our wrecking business there and have a trained man in charge

Will do a general repairing business—we will be glad to have you to come around and try us.

We will also have Gas and Oils  
New and Used Auto Parts

We are sales agents for  
Dodge Cars and Trucks  
Call us for Demonstration

**The J & K Garage**  
Formerly Santa Anna Wrecking House



### It's Easy to Have Beautiful Woodwork in Every Room

There's nothing that adds to the appearance of any room quite as much as beautiful woodwork. We want to tell you about Linduro Enamel because we know that it will provide a finish for your woodwork that will meet with your approval.

Linduro Enamel flows freely and levels out perfectly without leaving a trace of a brush mark. It forms a satiny, smooth finish

that is as easy to keep clean as a china plate. Fact is you can wash Linduro Enamel with soap and water and so keep it immaculately clean and attractive. Linduro can be applied on new woodwork or over old finishes with excellent results—and the cost of doing the work will be almost insignificant. It's also excellent for kitchen or bathroom furniture.

**Lowe Brothers**  
**LINDURO ENAMEL**

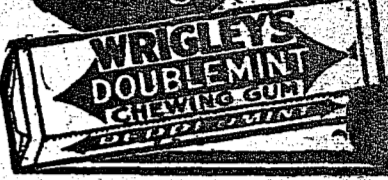
We want to call your attention to our complete paint service. We'll get a decorative color scheme for your entire house without cost from the Decorating Department of The Lowe Brothers Company. See us before you paint.

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**BURTON-LINGO COMPANY**

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Chew it after every meal  
It stimulates appetite and aids digestion. It makes your food do you more good. Note how it relieves that stuffy feeling after hearty eating.

Waltens teeth, sweetens breath and lures the goody that loots.



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Let us do it. We do all kinds of Barber work, and do it right.  
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Under New Management  
Fresh Fish every week  
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Specially prepared for the  
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Short Orders at all hours.  
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### BOBBED HAIR

Has come to stay. Have your hair bobbed according to your own selection of styles. The latest styles posted in our shop every month. Come and make your own selection.

**MOORE'S BARBER SHOP**  
T. D. Moore, Prop.

# FOR YOUR EATS come to the Service Cafe

We have enjoyed a splendid patronage here for several months, for which we thank everyone who has patronized us.

We strive to serve you with the best service in the Short Order line, and for your convenience our Plate Lunch can be served quickly. May we serve you?

# Service Cafe

### Baptist Missionary Society

The Baptist Missionary Society met Monday afternoon at the Baptist church. The scripture lesson which was Nehemiah's prayer, was read by Mrs. J. P. Mathews.

Circle No. 2 gave a splendid program. The subject was our Southern States, and Mrs. Tom Campbell was leader. There were twenty-three members present and the following ladies from the Rockwood B. M. S. were visitors: Mesdames J. C. Lovelady, Powell, Barney and Jeff Ashmore, Charles Stewart, Elisha Melton, A. W. Blackwell and Clyde Box. The Santa Anna ladies were glad indeed to have these ladies from their sister church visit them. After the program all were invited to the T. E. L. room where ice tea and sandwiches were served to the crowd.

### SMALL FARM WANTED

The News editor would like to trade a good home here in Santa Anna in on a farm situated not too far out. Any one having a good little farm for sale and would consider a trade, we would like to take the matter up with you in person.

Freedom is a blessing only to people who know how to use it.

### Christian Missionary Society

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Christian church met at the church Monday afternoon. The attendance and interest were better than usual. We were glad to have some present who had not attended before. Mrs. Childers and Mrs. Faulkner reported a fine list of World Call subscriptions received.

There was a lively interest manifested in the hidden answers and some very interesting readings were given. All our women are invited to meet with Mrs. Childers Tuesday afternoon Sept. 30. The entire afternoon will be spent in making things for the bazaar which the ladies of the Christian church will give later.

### METHODIST CHURCH

All of the membership of the church is urged to be present next Sunday morning. Together with the members we cordially invite all others who can attend our services. Services at night at 7:45. Bring your children to Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Remember we get out of our church life in proportion to what we put in.

J. Hall Bowman, pastor.

It's better to be lied about than to lie about somebody else.

### ACTUAL RESULTS FROM GOOD SEED.

In Kansas (From 6 1/2 to 12 bushels gain.) County Agent Roy E. Gwin, of Columbus, writes: "Last fall, Mr. W. H. Shaffer sowed part of his field with a pure variety of wheat which gave him an average yield of 31 bushels per acre, while the balance of the field sown with ordinary seed yielded 21 bushels per acre." Mr. J. L. Balmer, a well known farmer of Scott County, reports a gain of 1 1/2 bushels per acre in favor of good seed. Still another farmer from Pratt County reports 23 bushels an acre from good seed, while his neighbor sowed "just wheat" and harvested 11 bushels an acre.



The dry method—applying copper carbonate for smut.

In Nebraska (A gain of 9 bushels.) County Agent C. R. Young, of Dakota City, says: "I furnished seven farmers with good, pure seed wheat, which outyielded the wheat from the common seed of the county by 9 bushels per acre."

In Oklahoma (A gain of 3 bushels.) A report from County Agent Tom M. Marks, of Ellis County, says: "During the past three years I have kept an accurate record of the yields of twenty fields of wheat sown with good seed of adapted varieties in comparison with the yields from fields sown with the common varieties. All fields were handled alike, so far as preparation, date of sowing and quality of soil were concerned. The three-year average showed an increase of almost three bushels per acre in favor of the adapted varieties."

In Texas (A gain of 7 bushels.) Our last year's records show that eight Panhandle farmers sowed a total of 983 acres of wheat; they made an average yield of 17 bushels per acre on 468 acres sown with good seed, and 10 bushels per acre on 508 acres sown with country-run seed.

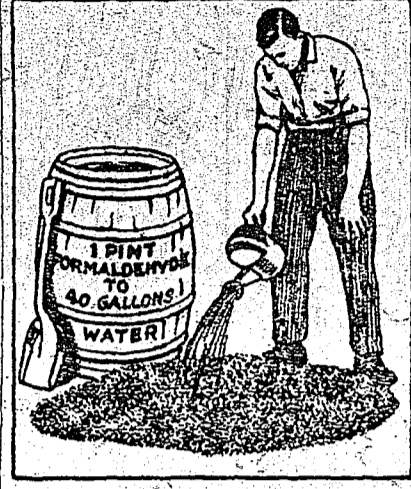
**Sow Clean Seed at Least.**  
Even though country-run seed may lack purity, it can be greatly improved by cleaning and grading. Good authority states that 20 per cent of the wheat sown in the Southwest consists of cracked, immature or injured kernels that will not grow. The feeding value of these kernels, which are useless as seed, will pay the expense of running the seed through a fanning mill. It is generally known that the best wheat farmers, who reclaim their seed and sow only the purest, obtain yields of at least 3 to 5 bushels more than the country average.

**Avoid Rye.**  
The presence of rye in wheat cuts down the grade as well as the price. It darkens the flour and produces a heavy bread. Five per cent of rye in choice milling wheat will reduce the price from 5 cents a bushel to 4 1/2 cents. The Hard Winter wheat coming into Kansas City, during 1919, 1920 and 1921 graded

down one grade or more on account of rye. On this basis, the wheat delivered in Kansas City from July 1, 1923, to April 30, 1924, would have included over 1,300,000 bushels mixed with enough rye to lower the quality from one to two grades, representing a loss of approximately \$50,000 on this one market in less than one season.

### Mixed Seed.

There may be one predominating variety in mixed seed, suitable for local conditions, but it is out of the question to assume that a mixture of two or more varieties is uniformly desirable. Crops from this kind of seed do not ripen evenly, and when sold, grade as "mixed" with considerable reduction in price.



The wet method—applying formaldehyde for smut.

**Look Out for Smut.**  
The loss in the Southwest this year from stinking smut is greater than for the past several years—amounting to millions of dollars. Fully 90 per cent of this loss could have been prevented through seed treatment just before sowing. The cost of the material for treating seed is from 1 to 5 cents a bushel.

**Treatments for Smut.**  
Use of Formaldehyde. The old standard and dependable remedy for smut consists of dipping, floating or sprinkling the seed in a solution containing 1 pint of formaldehyde to 40 gallons of water.

Use of Copper Carbonate. This new, dry method of seed treatment is now being quite generally recommended by agricultural colleges. It consists of thoroughly mixing the seed with copper carbonate dust, at the rate of 2 ounces to a bushel. "Coppercarb," a well known commercial mixture may be used at the rate of 4 ounces to a bushel of wheat. This treatment cannot be made by showing; it must be done in some kind of a mixer, either home-made or commercial. An old churn, as shown in the illustration, or a concrete mixer will do.

For more information on either of the above methods, see your county agent or write the state agricultural college.

### How and Where to Obtain Seed

Those desiring to locate pure or certified seed should see their county agent or write the state agricultural college. The Southwestern Wheat Improvement Association is locating a lot of good seed, as well as the districts needing seed. Where seed is needed, arrangements are being made through the local mill, elevator or county agent will have on hand a supply of suitable seed, which can be bought or exchanged, usually on a cost basis. If you have more seed than you need or if you desire good seed and are unable to obtain it through your county agent, write The Southwestern Wheat Improvement Association, 946 New York Life Building, Kansas City, Missouri.

### MARRIAGE OR CAREER

Must a woman choose? This is the question asked of Mrs. Thomas G. Winter, the retiring president of the General Federation of Woman's Clubs a few months ago. Here is her answer: "Woman does not necessarily have to choose; at least I did not. It is possible to marry and still have a career. And what's more, many men having interests outside the home will be bored to death living with them ten years from today. It is not only possible for a woman to marry and have a career, but it is in my mind one of the finest ways of holding a husband, since the woman vitally alive stands a better chance of keeping his interest."

"It is hard to generalize about a career. As for me, I would have been most unhappy if I had not been doing something worth while. But I have never wanted to see women forsake the home for public life and no woman while her children are small can have a greater interest. But she can and must have some outside interest such as music, civics, art, social service in some form, to keep her growing to make the best mother of her. And what we women, supposed to be having careers, are really doing today, is harvesting our middle and maturer age when our grandmothers never had any fun at all."

And Mrs. Winters is about right about it, don't you think? It is little the world knows about the motive that has forced women into careers. Or it might be more nearly true to say, had forced careers upon them. Mrs. Winter did not begin her wonderful career as a club woman

until the children no longer needed her in the home. Her only daughter had grown to young womanhood and her only little son had accidentally been killed by a playmate.

"I have often heard," the visitor ventured, "that the death of your little boy had much to do with your career."

"Yes," she answered, "probably more than any one single incident. I felt I could never bear up under my sorrow. And I had to keep my mind occupied constantly with other things. But out of it all a certain sympathy came to me, that I probably would not otherwise have had, and understanding of other women."

That is what has made Mrs. Winter great. An understanding of other women. So few women have ever tried to understand other women. Her career came to her through this understanding. She did not have to choose it. She only opened her heart and her life to it and it came to her, and today she is one of the greatest women leaders the world has ever known. Instead of burying her whole life in her sorrow she went out into the bypaths of duty and there found thousands, yes millions of other lives that needed her cheer. And she understood. And who knows how many other women have tried to find peace and comfort for their own sticken hopes and lives by facing the inevitable and putting self behind them, have gone forth through their own gloom to help other women bear their burdens and disappointments.

If this is a career, God grant that more such women may have real careers.—Phoebe K. Warner in Forth Worth Record.

# ECONOMY Means Getting Your MONEY'S WORTH

You'll agree that no matter how low the price of any item, it is not a bargain unless you get your full money's worth.

Every merchant is responsible in seeing that every customer does get his money's worth. No matter how good a judge of value you may be, there are many items in which you must in a sense take our word for it.

We feel this responsibility keenly. You may be assured that when we represent any item to be quality merchandise, we are giving you the absolute truth about that article.

That is the reason we carry only quality merchandise in this store. We do not wish to be responsible for furnishing you with merchandise which will not give you your money's worth.

We want you to have this confidence in our statements, and in the description of our goods.

## R. P. CRUM & SON "The House of Service"

### Merry Wives

The Merry Wives had their weekly meeting Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Leiman Brown. The house was beautifully decorated with roses and lilies. There was a large crowd present and the time was spent very pleasantly in the usual way. Mesdames Jo Shield, Williamson and J. Q. Barnes were received as new members, and Mesdames S. W. Childers and G. W. Faulkner were visitors. Delicious refreshments of pine apple salad, potato chips, sandwiches and ice tea were served to the club and visitors.

There is nothing that calls attention and draws people to a town equal to a good newspaper. In order for a man to make a good newspaper he must have the patronage of the people among whom he lives. If he has half-way support it stands to reason that he must make a poorer newspaper, and in doing this every man in the town and surrounding country has to bear a portion of the loss. For this reason, if no other, the man who tries to make a good newspaper, should have the support of his own people, all of whom reap fully as much benefit from its efforts as he does himself.

# Wall Paper, Paints, Varnishes and Floor Stains

### WE INVITE YOU—

To see our new stock of Wall Paper, priced from 20 cents a roll to as high as you want to pay.

See our Kitchen paper before placing your orders. Ladies especially invited to see our line.

Large stock of fresh house paints, varnishes and floor stains. Let us save you some money on your bill.

## Phillips Drug Store

### Make Your



### Buy More!!

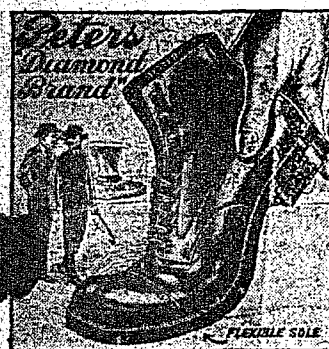
Our store is brimming full of goods that are needed and used every day in the home. Enameled ware, Chinaware, Glassware and Aluminum ware and many other items too numerous to mention, that we are offering at money-saving prices.

## Baxter's Variety Store "Same Goods For Less Money"





# School Shoes



Boys and Girls Weatherbird dark brown with good weight flexible sole and made over the Orthopedic wide toe last. Try them and you will always buy this health and service shoe for your happy romping young folks.

## Special

Men's Work Shoes, Army last, Solid Leather, regular \$4.50 shoes

priced at 2.95

## Sweaters

No garment is more practical or neat appearing for school wear than a BRADLEY. The young people will find everything desirable in knitted coats in the large assortment of Bradley's Style and beauty are a feature of the Bradley line.

## Coats

Leather Coats, Sheep Lined Coats, Blanket Lined Coats, Leather Jackets—Comfortable, warm and roomy and made to stand the hard wear, and the price is right.

## Shirts

Men and Boys—everything from a Cotton Pongee to English Broadcloth 75c to \$3.50

## We Feature Campus Caps

the cap supreme. Priced

1.50 to 3.00

# Texas Merc. Co.

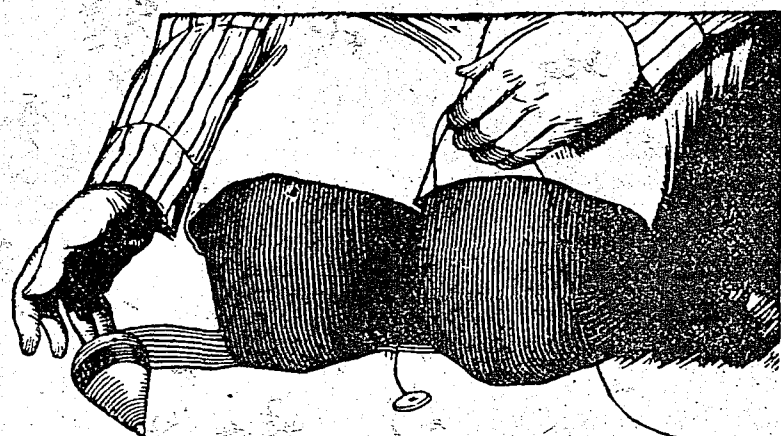
"The People's Store"

## Shoes of the Hour



"The Classic"

as illustrated above is one of the early Creations, the new gore pattern with cut-out at side and front, it has Spanish covered heel and the new modified short vamp, is shown all over black patent leather, the pair **\$6.50**



## Allen A Triple Knee Stockings for longer wear

For more than 30 years Allen A Stockings with triple knees have been saving the load on mothers' darning baskets.

The triple knee is woven in. It wears like leather. Fine yarns and pure, safe dyes have made these stockings favorites for many years. Here you'll find a complete assortment, at prices distinctly economical.



CURLEE SUITS

FLORSHEIM SHOES

## Wanted Staple Fabrics For Fall Sewing

Imported French Gingham 32-in. wide in a good range of patterns are priced the yard 45c

## Devonshire Cloth

Devonshire cloth, 32-in. wide, guaranteed, fast colors in a good selection of plaid checks and plain colors, priced

the yard 35c

## Flannelettes

Flannelettes, 36-in. wide, extra good quality in nursery designs and floral patterns for night shirts and pajamas are priced

the yard 35c

## Outings

Good grade Outings in a good assortment of colors, are priced

the yard 20c

## Bath Robe Cloth

Bath Robe cloth 28-in. wide, good patterns, priced

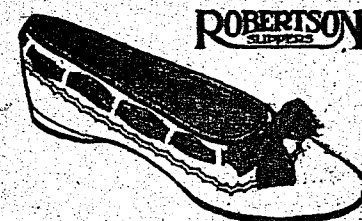
the yard 65c

## Ladies' Silk Hose

Exquisite quality. The Allen A. in the new colors: Beige, Cinnamon, Log Cabin, Jack Rabbit, Luster Brown

1.25 and 2.00

Special 85c the pair



Ladies-House Shoes, assorted colors, Ribbon trimmed

The man who receives his just rewards here below generally has a lot of complaining about

What has become of the old-fashioned man who enjoyed his life in the parlor.

Perhaps the old-time family doctor has gone out of style because there are no more old-time families.

There's a lot of enjoyment on the farm for the fellow who doesn't have to work there.

### THE "THRILL" BUSINESS

Up in Grand Rapids a woman—a wife and mother—is under arrest because she stole dresses from a department store, not because her circumstances influenced her to do so, but because she wanted the "thrill of it."

In Maine a fine young boy was caught while driving a bootleggers' automobile. No, he wasn't a member of the gang. He cared nothing about liquor and did not drink himself, or sell drink to others. He liked "the thrill" of being chased by the prohibition officers and just "stepping on 'er."

In a little town in the Middle-west a boy of 11 is in the hands of the constable because he has been scattering tacks and screws along a much traveled highway adjacent to town much to the damage of automobile tires and other comparatively good dispositions. He had no feeling of ill-will against machine or driver just liked the hiss and pop of air-filled tires and the vocal outbursts of outraged motorists. He liked "the thrill" of it.

A young man in New York has been caught by the police, after a long quest. He had set fire to some twenty-odd empty houses. He was possessed by an irresistible desire to hear the clatter of fire apparatus, the shouts and screams of men and women and to see the rush of crowds and the roll of the ominous smoke. He liked "the thrill" of it.

The "thrill" business seems to be on the increase, but even at that, it stands out distinctively and repulsively because it is exceptional. Reaction from it will come in due time, as always is the case, and law and order will prevail.

As a matter of fact, people everywhere, in a vast majority are now going about their usual affairs soberly and sedately, and their influence for even and good living can not be neutralized by tangents in crime or otherwise.

Read the ads in the News.

### DOG MEET IN COLEMAN COUNTY NEXT MONTH

The annual meet of the wolf and fox hunters will be held in a large pasture in Coleman county about October 13 and most of the hunters of this county will be among those who attend. M. E. Mullican says he has no dogs but he likes a chase and he will join this splendid bunch of men in their annual gathering.

L. E. Munsell is the president and Graves Hillman of this county is the secretary of the hunters association and a large number of dogs is expected this year. The place for the gathering is said to be one of the finest in the state. There are plenty of wolves, some foxes and no deer to bother the dogs.—San Saba News.

### THE DAY WILL COME

The San Francisco Chronicle says that the most dangerous disease attacking America at present is the law-making mania of 48 state legislatures and the national Congress.

No man living today knows for a certainty that he is not breaking some law when he goes about his daily tasks.

New laws are enacted at the request of every reformer who comes along with the notion that he was put on earth as his brother's keeper.

The day will come when we will elect men to the legislature and to Congress not to make new laws, but to clean out the rubbish that has accumulated in the statutes.

**W. CRUGER & SON**  
Painters and Contractors  
Give us a chance at your work  
Satisfaction guaranteed  
Santa Anna, Texas

**Security Abstract Co.**  
Frank W. McCarty, Mgr.  
Coleman, Texas  
We give quick Service.  
Office with  
R. E. L. Zimmerman

Good luck has a nasty habit of following people who have already had more than their share.

It's a lot easier to attract attention than to earn respect.

If you can't see beauty at home, you'll never find it any place else unless you engage a guide to point it out.

Smart men make good use of their experience; fools never do.

## Just a Few Reminders That---

You Should TRY the DRUG STORE FIRST

Prescriptions, Refreshing Sodas, Pure and delicious Ice Cream, the very best Candies, Shaving Articles, Rouge, Perfumes, Tooth brushes, Tooth paste, Manicure Articles, Combs and Brushes, Cold Cream, Face Powder, Cigars, Cigaretts, Stationery, Proprietary medicines, School supplies of all kind—all quality goods.

**EXTRA SPECIAL**  
50 Sheets of Note Book  
Paper for ..... 10c

**Hunter's Drug Store**  
Santa Anna, Texas

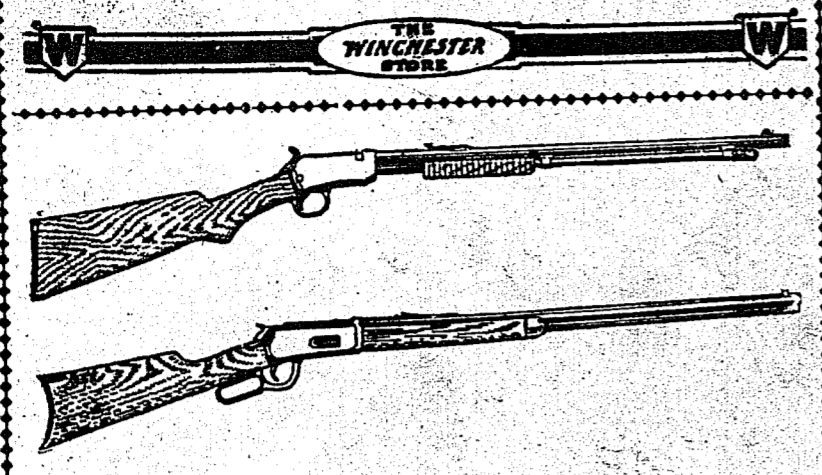
# Best Line of DRUGS and new up-to-date line of Sundries

Our stock is more complete, our prices are right, and our service complete. Consider yourself invited to come to our store any time.

Cold Drinks —and— Candies

Bring your sweet tooth to this store, where the best line of Candies is found, and our Fountain service the very best.

**Corner Drug Co.**  
SANTA ANNA



## Rifles and Shotguns

Our Prices are Right—Our Stock is Complete.

PLENTY RENT GUNS

Why buy other kinds when you can buy Winchester for the same or less money

**W. R. Kelley & Co.**  
Established 1889  
THE WINCHESTER STORE

## Caught in the Round-Up

Miss Mellie Bell visited in Coleman Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Griffin of Tricham who has been a patient in the hospital has returned home.

Mrs. C. M. Williams was dismissed from the local hospital this week.

Miss Vivian Mitchell is attending Howard Payne College this term.

Mrs. Robert Steward of Rockwood had an operation last Thursday.

Mrs. A. H. Shamblin of Shield had an operation at the local hospital Saturday.

Master Allen Wells was operated on for appendicitis Tuesday night.

WE specialize in good Gasoline, Oils, Tires and Tubes with service and convenience. Patronize our Drive-In Filling Stations.—Gardner. 39-2tc (Advertisement)

Mrs. W. S. Griffin of Tricham underwent an operation at the local hospital Tuesday.

Walter Doggett of Goldthwaite was operated on at the local hospital last week.

Miss Mary Griffin had a minor operation at the hospital Monday.

The hospital is full this week and there are three patients being cared for in private homes.

Fate Jones and wife of Shields were Sunday visitors in Santa Anna.

Mrs. Boardman of Longview community visited in Santa Anna Sunday.

HEMSTITCHING neatly done and your work appreciated.—Mrs. H. S. Willey, at D. R. Hill & Bro. Store. Phone 267. Resident phone 106. 36-4tc (Advertisement)

Miss Grace Pleasant is attending Simmons College this session.

WE specialize in good Gasoline, Oils, Tires and Tubes with service and convenience. Patronize our Drive-In Filling Stations.—Gardner. 39-2tc (Advertisement)

**GET**  
**ARDNERS**  
**GOOD**  
**ASOLENE**

A fine girl baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones Monday.

Miss Agnes Hays left this week for Denton where she will re-enter C. I. A. training school.

Mrs. Monroe M. Rochester of Brownwood spent the week-end with relatives here.

Uncle Dick Cheatham of Whon was in Brownwood first of the week.

Mrs. L. H. Fry left Tuesday night for Blum, Texas, to visit home folks.

Mrs. Charlie Hale has returned from a visit with relatives in Talpa and Abilene.

Mesdames S. W. Childers and W. F. Gipson were in Coleman Tuesday.

The price of cotton this week reminds us of a sick horse: We can't tell whether it is up or down.

County Treasurer Nolan Barmore of Coleman was in the city Monday and paid the News a call while here.

Misses Loraine Johnson, Velma King and Wilma Renfro of Brownwood visited friends in Santa Anna Sunday.

Mesdames W. F. Gipson, Harry Caton, E. G. Overby and Miss Thula Standley were in Brownwood Monday.

Tonie Rehm of Rockwood was brought to town Saturday, with typhoid fever and is in the hospital for treatment.

Lee Land writes us from 2306 Duval St., Austin to send him the Santa Anna News. Lee is taking his second year's work in the State University.

### FOR SALE

#### NO. 1

372 acres, one-half mile north and one-half mile west of Gate, Oklahoma, 300 acres under cultivation; extra good wheat land, all farm land practically level, 72 acres in pasture; all can be farmed but about 40 acres; three wells on the place and two windmills; Cement rock house, four rooms 28x30 ft., extra good Cement rock barn, about 36x48, Cement rock chicken house 20x30 feet. This farm is nicely located on public highway, one mile from Gate, Oklahoma, and a Snap at \$40 per acre. Terms if desired.

#### NO. 2

360 acres, one and one-half miles from Gate, Okla., practically all good farm land, extra good wheat land fenced, no improvements \$30 per acre. Terms.

#### NO. 3

160 acres in Harper County, Oklahoma, five miles from Gate, Oklahoma, large eight room house, good barns and out buildings, fenced and cross fenced, every acre good smooth farm land; price \$40 per acre, one half cash.

#### NO. 4

1360 acre ranch, two and one-half miles from Gate, Oklahoma, well watered, plenty of timber, well fenced, five room frame house, shed barns and silo, some good farming land, will grow alfalfa successfully, an ideal stock ranch. Price \$16 per acre. Will carry back \$8000.

#### NO. 5

3000 acre-ranch, well improved large barns, silos, good house, well fenced, about 500 acres good farm land; a real bargain at \$13.50 per acre to any one wanting a ranch. This land is six miles southwest of Gate, Oklahoma. Beaver Creek runs through one corner of the land. Will carry back large amount.

#### NO. 6

400 acres of land nicely improved, frame house and barn, good orchard, well and windmill, fenced and cross fenced; 250 acres under cultivation; price cash if sold at once \$22.50 per acre, carry back \$3000 on thirty years time at 6 per cent.

#### NO. 7

265 acres joining Gate town site on N. W., 160 acres of farm land, balance creek bottoms with heavy timber, orchard, etc., frame house, barn and silo, also horse barn, a most desirable place for any one wishing to dairy or combined farming and stock raising. Price if sold at once \$8000.00 will carry back for five years \$4500.00 at six per cent.

John Newman purchased a 40-acre farm last week off of the Dalton tract, near Rockwood. The deal was made through the May & Garrett agency of this city.

HAVE your crank case drained and refilled with new oil and see the difference.—Gardner Filling Stations. 39-2tc (Advertisement)

### BILL BOOSTER SAYS

ONE THING THAT MAKES THIS SUCH A GOOD TOWN IS SO MANY PEOPLE OWNING THEIR HOMES! NOTHING LIKE HAVING A HOUSE AND LOT TO MAKE A FELLOW GROW ROOTS AND BECOME A GOOD CITIZEN!



There are always stumps and deepest roots on new ground—don't forget that.

Mrs. Madie Ada Brown returned to her home in Childers first of the week after a several days visit here with her parents Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Hays.

Misses Ruth Stephenson and Louise Boyd and Messrs. Shield Brown and Leonard Gipson left first of the week for Waxahachie where they will attend Trinity University the ensuing year.

### BENNETT NEW COTTON

I am authorized agent for the Bennett New Cotton, price \$2.50 per bushel delivered.—L. G. Bobo, Santa Anna, Texas. 38-4

### Cumberland Presbyterian Church

Sunday School every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Everybody invited.

### Junior Endeavor

The Junior Endeavor meets at the Christian church Sunday night—the program follows:

Topic: Helping Christ's neglected children.

Songs: "Bring Them In" and "Help Somebody Today."

Scripture Reading by leader.

Sentence prayers.

Clippings and comments by members.

Reading: Rays of Sunshine—Dorothy Baxter.

Lesson Verses—William Ragsdale.

Story: Empty Boxes—Velma Oder.

Song No. 37.

Reading—James Gibson. Pianist—Marion Polk. Leader—Jean Marjorie Martin.

Misses Ruby Rountree and Mineola Rothermel left Wednesday for Abilene where they will attend Simmons College the coming term.

Mrs. Comer Blue went to Dallas last week to purchase new stock for her jewelry store, and was called while there to the bedside of her mother, who was reported ill at her home in Kaufman, Texas.

Read the ads before shopping.

## BETTER LAUNDRY SERVICE

We have opened an office in Santa Anna and are now prepared to give our customers here the same prompt service we give in Coleman.

Phone us at any hour and we will call at your door for your laundry.

We have an experienced man who is on the job every hour during the day. There is no advance in prices.

COLEMAN STEAM LAUNDRY

Office at

## Moore's Barber Shop

Phone 365

Santa Anna, Texas

# EARL GILL RANCH

## Near Whon

### Subdivided and Offered FOR SALE

Subdivision of the Earl Gill Ranch 1 and 1-2 miles east of Whon, subdivided into tracts as follows:

1 tract 115 1-2 acres with improvements, everlasting water on Home Creek, 50 acres in cultivation. More good land:

1 tract 79 acres, same water advantages, no improvements, part in cultivation and more good land:

1 tract 125 1-2 acres, same water advantages, no improvements, part in cultivation and more good land:

1 tract 125 1-2 acres, same water advantages, new 2-room house, part in cultivation, and more good land.

1 tract 276 acres, all raw land, no improvements, 75 acres or more good tilable land, balance good grass.

Mr. Gill will give you good terms on any part of this land.

For price and terms see

## A. R. DOL BROWN

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