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"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

SMOKE FROM SOMEWHERE

The editor acknowledges receipt of a nice letter and news item from Senator Penrose B. Metcalf, now in Austin on his new duties with the State Senate. Senator Metcalf was honored with a number of important committee assignments, and in our opinion, he is able to fill each place with honor to himself and credit to the 25th district. Let us hear from you again and often, Senator, for your letters are refreshing to us.

A letter received Monday furnished the information, our oldest daughter, Queenie, and her husband, the Rev. Loved R. Simmons, both being known to many of our readers, especially immediate friends of the family, landed in their new quarters last Friday evening at Zeigler, Ill., where the son-in-law was recently called to pastor a full time church. The letter further stated they were received with a hearty welcome and were delighted with the outlook for a field of service. The two of them were students in the Southwestern Seminary in Fort Worth, Texas, and were soon to graduate. They were both training for work of the kind they have accepted in the Illinois City, a Southern Baptist Church, and we trust their labors prove worthy of the hire. Either of them will appreciate a letter or card from their friends here, and one addressed to them at 106 South Pine, Zeigler, Ill., will reach them.

A compliment is due the Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Company for their quick work in extinguishing the fire that started in the Henry Goodwin garage last Friday afternoon and spread immediately to the Panhandle Gas Company station, operated by Bill Lowry, and the Shoe Repair Shop of I. D. Ewing. Most of the damage was done instantly, and would have been a spreading conflagration, had it not been for the quick work of the local Fire Department. As is, not a great deal of damage was recorded.

Smoke rolled high and the signals spread far and wide in Austin Tuesday, when the miracle Governor, W. Lee O'Daniel, was inaugurated Governor of this great State. The election of Governor O'Daniel was one of the most spectacular events in history, not only in Texas, where miracles are most noted, but any place in the world—an event that was publicized throughout the civilized world. His inauguration was another spectacular event, in that more people attended it than ever before. Governor O'Daniel will not have smooth sailing all the way during his administration, being inexperienced in state and political affairs, but if his administration does not redound to his miraculous success, it will not be his fault, for he is entering upon his duties determined to put over a real business administration. Here's hoping his every effort is crowned with success, and the Lone Star State never has cause to regret his election.

The report was made at the Lions Club Tuesday that about four hundred dollars were needed to purchase additional material to finish or complete the work on the Club building being erected in the Ranger Memorial park in the east part of town. The Club was unanimous in voicing their sentiment in favor of raising the money. The building is being erected under the supervision of the National Youth Association, and a good job is being done. We trust that some way will be provided for the additional funds. It just must be done. Who will come with a thought or suggestion? The columns of this paper are open for your suggestions, if advanced soon. By all means let's not let the work stop short of completion.

The editor is almost brought to blush and shame at times upon entering places of business.

New Doctor Joins Hospital Staff

Dr. Harvey Lloyd of the State of Ohio has recently moved here to become a member of the staff at the Sealy Hospital.

Dr. Lloyd is a graduate of the Medical Branch of the University of Ohio, and served as interne in Sioux City, Iowa. He and Mrs. Lloyd are living in Mrs. Sherman Gehrett's home.

The Santa Anna News welcomes the new couple to our midst, and trust their stay here will be pleasant and their services valuable in the chosen profession.

Dr. J. P. Board, who has been assisting Dr. Sealy at the Hospital for several months, will return to his office over the Bank and will devote more of his time to the office work and general practice.

Funeral Services For Mrs. Cobb Are Held Friday

Funeral services were held here Friday for Mrs. Jante Cobb, pioneer of the Doole community, who died in the Brady Hospital Wednesday after having been ill for some time. Rev. J. W. Bradshaw, pastor of the Doole Baptist Church, and Rev. Alma Fahey, pastor of the Shield Baptist Church, conducted rites.

Mrs. Cobb, a native of Leon Prairie, Madison County, was born October 3, 1863. She was married to T. B. Cobb on December 31, 1893, and passed away January 11, 1939. Since early childhood she had been an active worker in the Missionary Baptist Church.

Survivors are her husband, T. B. Cobb of Doole; one daughter, Mrs. W. L. Bowdoin of Doole, and three sons, Travis and Sam of Doole, and George Cobb of Doole. She also leaves nine grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends.

Pallbearers were Troy Page, Oscar Betsill and Monroe Hallmark of Doole, and Edgar Shelton, G. C. McDonald and Clyde Vance of Shield.

Flower bearers were grandchildren of the deceased, namely, Tom Bowen, Mrs. Tom Bowen, Eunice Bowen, Nona Jane Bowen, Wilma Bowen, Robbie Bowen, Inez Bowen, Etta Mae Cobb, Vance Cobb and Stanley Cobb.

Interment was in the Santa Anna cemetery with Wilkerson & Son of Brady in charge of arrangements.

Refugees From Europe May Come To Texas

Austin, Texas, Jan. 17. (AP) Jewish and other refugees driven from European countries by political oppression may form a settlement in Texas if negotiations between the Texas Land and Development Company and Plainview and the Public Relations Guild in New York go through, the Texas Planning Board has announced.

The board said Henry Santry of New York had been referred to the development company when he wrote Governor James V. Allred concerning the refugee problem.

The company, the board said, has offered 46,000 acres to the Guild which asserted it had a considerable fund available for purchasing land not necessarily near a large city.

Santry said 1,000,000 acres would be needed for a project.

Prof. J. C. Scarborough and Rex Golston, representing the Lions Club, attended a meeting at Waco Monday, called by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, for the purpose of discussing and planning a move for a better equalization of freight rates in this district. According to information supplied by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, freight rates in this territory are very much out of line of those in some other places. A fight is being waged to correct the discriminating rates.

Local Visitors Enjoy Open House In Comanche

According to reports given by the Santa Anna people who attended Open House at Mr. Thate's new Piggly Wiggly store in Comanche last Friday evening, the affair was a great success. Crowds filled the house from five o'clock until after nine. The Comanche String Band furnished music throughout the time and refreshments were served to all.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Kirkpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Oakes, Newman Upton, Lewis Evans, Miss Rhea Boardman, Miss Evelyn Kirkpatrick, Dr. and Mrs. T. R. Sealy, Rev. J. D. Ramsey and Mrs. Ramsey, Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Board, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Schreiber, Mayor Leman Brown and Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Cora McKee, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Spencer and Misses Ruby and Elsie Lee Harper spent an enjoyable evening visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thate and inspecting their new business place.

Tax Collector Here Next Week

For the convenience of people living in this part of the county, Tax Collector H. M. Brown has arranged to have representatives of his office in Santa Anna Thursday and Friday of next week for the purpose of collecting state and county taxes. Meet them here.

Urge Use Of One Variety Of Cotton

College Station — Cotton farmers must do everything possible to get the utmost return from their 1939 crop. E. A. Miller, agronomist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, said in listing points that would help to increase income.

The biggest gain, Miller believes, can be made through improvement in quality. He urged community, county, and area organization along the one-variety line. This is important not only because quality and uniformity will bring in more cash per acre, but we need improvement if we are to develop our cotton markets and meet foreign competition," he pointed out.

Soil and water conservation will bring results, the agronomist stated, and quoted increased annual net returns of 36.51 per acre obtained at the Spur Agricultural Experiment Station from terraced land farmed on the contour over land farmed with the rows running down hill in a 12 year test.

It is good crop insurance to treat cottonseed with 2 percent ceresan at the rate of three ounces per bushel, Miller said. Increases in yield through this practice were 25 percent at College Station, 15 percent at Temple, 9 percent in the Brazos Bottom, and 4 percent at Lubbock, recent experiment tests show.

"Insect control is going to be important in 1939, and no farmer should forget proper seed-bed preparation and cultivation," Miller concluded.

MRS. PINNEY ACCEPTS POSITION IN BALLINGER

Mrs. Minnie B. Pinney went to Ballinger Wednesday morning where she has accepted a position with the Sturges store. Her many friends and acquaintances are sorry to see her go but hope she will be happy in her new home.

COLEMAN BIRTHS EXCEED DEATHS BY WIDE MARGIN

During 1938 there were 92 deaths recorded by County Clerk Geo. M. Smith of Coleman County. In the previous year there were 156 deaths.

Last year 227 births were recorded while in the previous year there were 275.

Oscar Hill has recently started working at the soda fountain of the Spencer Pharmacy.

Five Convictions In Coleman Court

Coleman, Jan. 18. — O'Neal Denny, San Angeloan serving his first term as district attorney in 119th Judicial District Court, gained five convictions in the first five cases he tried this week.

Cases tried in the district court here this week included:

L. J. Owens, charged with driving while drunk, sentenced to 60 days in jail and fined \$50; W. T. Thwaitt, charged with driving while drunk, one year, sentence suspended; Clem Burleson, charged with driving while drunk, sentenced to 60 days in jail and fined \$50; Henry Holman, charged with theft of oil, sentenced to five years in prison; and Jimmie Malone, charged with driving while drunk, one year, sentence suspended.

Federal Road Aid For Texas Is \$7,161,147

Austin, Texas — The Highway Department recently announced its first tentative list of lettings for the year 1939 and fixed Jan. 24 as the date to open bids. It includes thirty-one projects aggregating \$3,000,000 and calls for improvements in various parts of the state, there being eleven secondary or feeder roads, five grade crossing eliminations and two state projects.

At Washington, Secretary of Agriculture Wallace made the annual apportionment of federal highway funds for the fiscal year beginning July 1, and Texas Engineer Julian Montgomery said his department will begin using it in the June lettings. It is known as the 1940 apportionment and in straight federal aid Texas will receive \$6,227,084, which it must match. It also will receive \$934,063 for feeder or secondary roads, which also must be matched, but it gets an outright grant of \$1,938,662 for the elimination of grade crossings, which does not require matching.

This Texas is assured of a minimum of \$15,411,156 for highway improvements for the twelve months starting July 1, to which is added a substantial state program of an undetermined amount. While these amounts appear large, they are reductions from the preceding year, the straight federal aid amount by 20 percent, the feeder allotment by 40 percent and grade elimination amount by 60 percent.

Ward School PTA Meets Tuesday

Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 17, 3:30, the Ward School P. T. A. had its regular meeting.

The opening number of the program was a song by a chorus of mothers. An interesting subject, "Soon We'll Vote" was discussed by Mrs. W. B. Griffin. Mrs. C. D. Bruce led the "Movie Problem" in a round table discussion.

Miss Wheeler's room won the banner for having the most mothers in attendance.

PTA COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING HELD SATURDAY

The Council meeting of the County P. T. A. held at the Coleman High School auditorium Saturday, Jan. 14 at 2:30, was attended by Mrs. C. D. Bruce, Mrs. Jess Howard and Mrs. Dick Teague of the Santa Anna PTA.

A nominating committee composed of one member from each precinct was appointed. The association voted to pay what was due on the life membership fund which was made in honor of Mrs. Clifford Verner for her steady work in the County PTA Council.

The association will sponsor an address by Dr. Anderson of the State Health Department on the subject of tuberculosis Monday, Feb. 20, 3 p. m. at the Coleman High School.

Mrs. Jeanette Hensley visited in Tyler the first part of the week, returning Wednesday.

Purdy Merc. Co. To Hold Formal Opening Saturday

In this issue of the News will be found an announcement of the Formal Opening of the Purdy Mercantile Company's new store Saturday of this week.

The Purdy's are now situated in their new store location, which has recently been rebuilt with a modern front and other new features and is one of the most attractive dry goods stores in the county.

Mr. Purdy and family are inviting their friends and customers to visit their store Saturday of this week to see the new arrangements, new displays of goods, and accept friendly greetings. Souvenirs will be given to all who visit the store that day.

Warehouse Is Contemplated

About thirty farmers and business men met at the City Hall Wednesday afternoon and permeated a temporary organization for a bonded warehouse in Santa Anna.

J. W. Vance of Shield was elected temporary chairman, and W. T. Stewardson of Shield was elected temporary secretary. A general committee on membership, investigation and general recommendation composed of D. L. Pieratt, J. R. Pearce, A. D. Pettit, J. E. Stafford, Tom Stewardson, Jim Gill, Lester Newman and Neely Evans was appointed to feel out the sheep growers in the community, visit warehouses in the vicinity, and recommend proceedings according to their findings at a future meeting.

No date has been set for the next meeting, but it will likely be called the latter part of next week. The meeting was filled with enthusiasm, and we feel that Santa Anna will soon have a bonded warehouse, possibly, more than one. It will mean a great deal to Santa Anna, because it will mean so much to those who have wool and other products for sale in this community.

New Subscribers

The following names have recently been added to our honor list of new and renewal subscribers:

Clinton Loke, Santa Anna, J. W. Daniel, Route 1, W. L. Gore, Santa Anna, Mrs. M. T. Knight, Route 1, R. B. Hibberts, Tricham, Rt. 1, Fox Cay, Route 2, M. A. Richardson, Rockwood, E. F. Dunham, Santa Anna, Mrs. G. W. Jennings, Tripk, East Route, Alma Higgin, Santa Anna.

Odus Curry Selected For Who's Who Of Sul Ross College

Odus James Curry, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Curry of the Buffalo community, Santa Anna, is one of the six students who have been nominated by a faculty committee of Sul Ross State College for inclusion in "Who's Who among Students in American Universities and Colleges."

The qualifications considered in making this selection were: membership in Senior Class, good scholarship, leadership in extra-curricular activities, and potentialities for future success in the business world.

Mr. Curry is president of the Senior Class and Student Council.

NOTICE OF W. O. W. MEETING FRIDAY

Members are urged to attend a meeting of the W. O. W. Friday night, Jan. 20. Some business will be transacted.

Joe Flores, Clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Spencer made a business trip to Fort Worth Friday, stopping in Comanche on their return for the formal opening of the Piggly Wiggly Store.

Happenings At The Lions Club

The following were present at the weekly luncheon Tuesday: Hardy Blue, V. A. Ebevins, R. E. Dunham, O. A. Etheredge, J. J. Gregg, Rex Golston, W. B. Griffin, J. E. Kirkpatrick, A. D. Pettit, R. L. Hunter, R. R. Lovelady, W. R. Mulroy, R. Scott Jackson, D. L. Pieratt, John E. Little, W. H. Ragsdale, J. W. Riley, Claude Reid, R. H. Spencer, J. C. Scarborough, P. C. Woodward, M. L. Womack and R. W. Willis.

Lion A. D. Pettit was the principle speaker of the day, his subject being "Soil Erosion, Terracing and Water Conservation."

The Club voted to back the City Commission, give it their support in whatever way necessary, in raising the funds needed to finish the building being erected in the Ranger Memorial Park.

In connection with the above, if necessary we can stage a few local talent entertainment, benefit parties, or even start a campaign, each member paying one dollar and keep the campaign going until the money is raised.

Announcement was made of a meeting at the City Hall Wednesday afternoon, for the purpose of giving the proposition of building a bonded warehouse in Santa Anna.

Golden Gloves District Meeting In Brownwood

The Golden Gloves district tournament for amateur boxers will be held in the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Hall at Brownwood February 1 and 2.

All young men of this section who have won or received in any county or district tournament will be in eight divisions, winners in each being eligible to enter the state tournament at Fort Worth.

Boys wishing to enter the tournament should register with Mr. Guy J. Chambers of Brownwood.

1939 Driving Rules Of The Road Listed

During the past week the Texas State Highway Department concentrated largely upon warning issued against "driving down the road" and "driving up the road." You don't drive down the road, you drive up the road. You don't drive down the road, you drive up the road. You don't drive down the road, you drive up the road. You don't drive down the road, you drive up the road. You don't drive down the road, you drive up the road.

On curves and hills where sight distance is restricted, one additional line to the right of the center line will be painted. That line means that straight ahead vision is possible for less than 1,000 feet. Warning to slow down; to drive with care! And where the highways have limited sight distance each way, two additional lines, one on either side of the center stripe are painted. That means no driver should ever attempt to pass another vehicle in such locations. Not only is there danger of meeting an approaching car, but curvature of the road may necessitate slower speed.

Four-way lanes have a continuous double stripe which should never be crossed. Traffic should stay in the outside lane, using the inside for passing only.

These are the 1939 rules of the road. Better memorize them, and then heed them. Or, if your memory is short, clip them out and paste them where you are enabled to frequently re-read them.

—Sauce, Brady Standard.

Wm. L. Clayton Directs Texas Birthday Balls

William L. Clayton of Houston, Texas, has been named Chairman of the committee for the celebration of the President's Birthday. He will intensify the fight against infantile paralysis by naming county chairmen to arrange for a series of balls and other events for Monday, January 30, 1939, celebrating President Roosevelt's Birthday in every Texas city and town.

Fifty percent of all funds raised for the fight against the dread disease will be retained in the communities where the money is contributed, and the remainder will be allocated to hospitals engaged in treatment of children crippled by infantile paralysis and for necessary scientific research work.

The editor has been requested to recommend a local chairman for Santa Anna, and one has been forwarded to Houston, and will be confirmed if the party accepts, and we think that will.

Further announcement will be made in our next week's paper.

Goodwin Garage Destroyed By Fire Friday Afternoon

Friday afternoon a fire, caused by the explosion of an oil can in a stove, destroyed Henry Goodwin's garage located in the Ed Ewing building in the east part of town.

All of Mr. Goodwin's equipment and supplies were lost and a valuable automobile owned by Ed Ewing was destroyed, but the fire did not spread to the Panhandle Gas Station, and Ewing's Shoe Shop in the same building suffered no serious damage.

County Teachers To Meet Saturday

The Coleman County Teachers Association will meet at the Coleman High School Auditorium at 9:00 A. M. Saturday morning, January 21. Programs will be announced next week.

APPOINTED TO CURVE BOARD AGAIN ON CRYA BOARD

Gov. Allred recently appointed Dr. T. B. Sealy, Lee Stockdale, Arthur Young, to serve on the Crya Board. The Central Coleman Board of Health, board of health, and the Works Progress Administration are making arrangements for the Santa Anna health fair, which is being held in the school building.

Mrs. J. S. Brown visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Adams, Thursday night.

QUEEN THEATRE

PHONE 44
Fri-Sat. Jan. 20-21
GENE AUTRY in
"Home On The Prairie"
"Hawk Of The Wilderness"
Episode No. 2

Sat. Prev., Sun. & Mon.
Jan. 21-22-23
RAY MILLAND in
"Say It In French"
With O. BRADNA

Tues., Jan. 24
BARGAIN NIGHT
MICHAEL WHALEN in
"The Mysterious Miss X"
With MARY HART

Wed.-Thurs., Jan. 25-26
CLARK GABLE in
"Too Hot To Handle"
With MYRNA LOY

Santa Anna News

FRIDAY, JANUARY 20, 1939

J. J. Gregg, Editor & Publisher

Any erroneous reflection upon the character of any person or firms appearing in these columns will be gladly and promptly corrected upon calling attention of the management to the article in question.

Notices of entertainments where a charge of admission is made, obituaries, cards of thanks, resolutions, of respect, and all matter not published as news items will be charged for at the regular rates.

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Smoke

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rest with such receptions. Gosh, what a matter with some people anyway. We never make a call unless we are out of duty for the interest of the business we call upon, the town, and community, and if you don't like us or our business, there's no use to flip the devil around the stump, but tell us in short and we'll let you alone. It's hard enough to be a neighbor without having to be a neighbor of war and blood. Stories of distress, sorrow, and whined until he quite crying and such bearing will not get us any place. Let's push forward, onward and upward and fight the battles of life and battle with courage. A neighbor never quits and a neighbor never lets his neighbor down. Let's keep on fighting for business, with such as we have, and take it from us, you'll find you use the right tactics.

Well, it's time to get on. Most every one is in bed, so we'll be here. Good night.

Rev. B. H. Dunning and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Brown attended a church service on Sunday at the First Baptist Church in Dallas, Wednesday and Thursday.

Norman, B. H. attended a meeting of the W. A. T. E. members at the Elmer H. H. Association in San Antonio, Friday.

At the home of Mrs. O. C. P. on Monday, Mrs. W. H. P. and Mrs. J. H. P. were guests of Mrs. J. W. H. and Mrs. J. W. H.

Mrs. M. O. H. and daughter, Mrs. M. H. H. were guests of Mrs. J. W. H. and Mrs. J. W. H. on Sunday.

Methodist Church

J. D. Ramsey, Pastor

Sunday School: 10 a. m. J. Frank Turner, Supt. Preaching services: 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Young People Meet 6:15 p. m. W. M. S. Meet each Monday 3 p. m.

Prayer meeting and workers meeting Wed. nights, 7:15.

Thus far our stay in Santa Anna has been a pleasant one, and we trust to the church and community a profitable one.

We do want to be of service wherever possible. If you will help us we can be.

You are cordially invited to any or all of the above named services of the church. Come let us worship together.

Epworth League The Epworth League met Sunday, January 15, 1939 and elected officers for the new year.

Officers elected were: president, Mary Frances Talley; vice president, Mary John Wade; secretary, Dan Blake Jr.

The League will meet each Sunday evening at 6:15. The young people are urged to come and take part.

League Program For Sunday January 22, 1939. What Does A Crusader Need? Hymn: "Dear Lord and Father of Mankind."

Prayer Scripture Reading: "Hallelujah, Lord Speak to Me." Leader: Mrs. John Wade. Reading: "The Crucifixion." Leader: Mrs. John Wade.

First Talk: "A Crusader Needs Faith." by Betty Ruth Blue. Second Talk: "A Crusader Needs Intimacy." by Dan Blake.

Third Talk: "A Crusader Must Be Sacrificial." by Dorothy Penn.

Leader: Mrs. John Wade. Prayer: "Prayer for Master Let Me Walk With Thee." Benediction.

Gladhand Class Our teacher, Mrs. Chan Eads, conducted the lesson on "The Transforming Power of Prayer," with one visitor, Mrs. Jim Bob Green of Ranier, and fourteen members present.

The secretary, Mrs. James Simpson, gave the monthly financial report.

We were very glad to have Mrs. Arlie Welch back after an absence of seven weeks.

The class will take its monthly meeting next week.

Missionary Society January 23, 3 p. m. Hostess: Mrs. Elsie Lee Harper. Leader: Mrs. Tom Hays.

Hymn: "Scripture: Mark 10:35-45. Prayer. Meditation Talk: "The Line of Discovery." Mrs. Hays. Missionary Topic: "New Horizons."

COURTHOUSE NEWS

Marriage Licenses Oliver Lewis Kirby and Odell Thames.

Louis Thomas Howard and Lucy Ann Brewer.

R. F. Bates and Lula Mae Waldron.

R. H. Lambeth and Georgia Williams.

Tyrus R. C. Cox and Melba Marrs.

Henry Roy Hudson and Wilda Lee Harris.

Warranty Deeds W. L. McClellan and wife to Mrs. Maggie Skelton, 20 acres out of northeast corner of southeast one-fourth of survey No. 303 in name of H. H. Boggs. For \$385.

Frankie Sedwick et al part of lot No. 5, block No. 9, Phillips first addition to town of Coleman. For \$65.

M. L. Bowers to Emma Bowers, five-acre lot No. 9 and five-acre lot No. 15, out of King & Gilbrough addition to town of Santa Anna, less a three-acre tract heretofore deeded to Farmers Gin Co.

G. J. Blayton and wife to Mrs. Belle Keeney, block No. 4 of subdivision of lands of Isaac Keeney estate, containing 226.7 acres, being 190.3 acres of Richard Cochran survey No. 269 and 36.4 acres of Elias N. Eubanks survey No. 270. For \$39.15.

Boulah Haney and husband to Weida Guber, one-half of lot No. 2 in block No. 13 of Beakley's subdivision of farm blocks Nos. 13 and 21 of Clow's second addition to city of Coleman. For \$1 and other valuable considerations.

New Cars Registered A. H. Schreiber, Coleman, Chevrolet sedan.

H. G. Richards, and two sons of Anton, Texas, visited C. H. Richards and family Tuesday night. H. G. Richards is editor of the Anton News and his son Alton is editor of the Meadow paper.

Mrs. Jack Woodward has been visiting relatives and friends in Pecos since last Wednesday.

Mr. Leon Perry of New Hope visited friends in Santa Anna Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Annie B. Pinney and Mrs. Sherman Gehrett returned from a visit in Winfield, Kansas, Monday night.

Sacrificial Service, Mrs. Chap. Eads.

Bulletin News, Mrs. Hays.

Auxiliary Plans for the New Year, Mrs. Griffin.

Song, Mrs. A. D. Hunter.

Prayer, Mrs. J. D. Ramsey.

Pledge Service.

Dismissal.

Presby'rian Church

M. L. Womack, Minister

We need every member next Sunday. How important do you consider your church and its services? How anxious are you that the church lives? Who is to keep it going? You.

Don't miss the Sunday School lesson at ten o'clock, "Peter Denies His Lord."

Preaching at eleven and seven. The subject for the morning sermon is "Do." The Christian Endeavor meets at 6:30 p. m. sharp. The pastor is anxious that all the young people be present. Do not fail to come.

Bible study and choir practice each Friday evening at seven.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Payne and Winifred Payne of Wellington, Texas, arrived Sunday to visit their son, John T. Payne and family. The guests went to Austin Tuesday for the inauguration, returning to Santa Anna that night.

After a prolonged illness, Miss Elsie Lee Harper is able to be back at her work in Phillips Drug Store.

In The United States District Court In And For The Western District of Texas, Waco Division J. M. HUBBERT

VS TEMPLE TRUST COMPANY

NO. 236 - IN EQUITY NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has filed his application with the Clerk of the United States District Court in and for the Western District of Texas, Waco Division, for an order authorizing him to sell and convey to Densil T. Stokes and wife, Dora Lee Stokes, the West 43 feet of the South half of Lot Four (4) Block Forty (40) and the West 36 feet of the South 57 feet of the North 65 feet of said lot Four (4) in Block Forty (40), all in the original town of Coleman, Coleman County, Texas, together with all improvements thereon, situated, and being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows:

"BEGINNING at the S W Corner of that 8 foot strip off the North side of Lot 4 in Block 40, conveyed by J. C. Stokes, et al, to Mrs. Nannie Dodd, by Deed dated September 15, 1919, recorded in Vol. 117 at page 233 of the Deed Records of Coleman County, Texas, for the N. W. corner of the tract herein conveyed;

THENCE South 117 feet to the South line of Block 40, and the North line of Mesquite Street for the S W Corner of this tract;

THENCE East with the South line of Lot 4, Block 40, a distance of 43 feet, for the S E Corner of this tract;

THENCE North 60 feet for corner;

THENCE West 12 feet to corner;

THENCE NORTH 57 feet to a point in the South line of said above described 8 foot Dodd strip, for corner;

THENCE West 36 feet to the place of beginning;

and for a consideration of \$975.00, and of which amount \$175.00 will be paid in cash, and the balance, \$800.00, to be evidenced by one note in said sum, to be executed by said purchasers, payable to the order of the undersigned at his office in the city of Temple, Bell County, Texas, and the principal and interest to accrue on said note being due and payable in eighty-four (84) monthly installments of \$12.07 each, the first installment to become due and payable on or before February 1, 1939, and one each on or before the first day of each succeeding eighty-three (83) months, to bear interest from January 1, 1939, at the rate of seven per cent per annum, the interest to become due and payable monthly, and each payment when made to be applied first to the accrued interest on said note, and the balance to the principal, and to provide that failure to pay any monthly installment of principal or interest thereon when due shall at the option of the holder mature said note; to stipulate for ten per cent additional as attorney's fees, and said note to be secured by a vendor's lien and deed of trust lien on the property and premises above described.

Said application will be heard by the Honorable Charles A. Boynton, Judge of said Court, after this notice shall have been published for a period of ten days, and any person interested in said Receivership Estate may contest this application.

WITNESS my hand at Temple, Texas, this 6 day of January, A D 1939.

H. C. GLENN, as Receiver for Temple Trust Company, Temple, Texas.

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THENCE East with the South line of Lot 4, Block 40, a distance of 43 feet, for the S E Corner of this tract;

THENCE North 60 feet for corner;

Court in and for the Western District of Texas, Waco Division, for an order authorizing him to sell and convey to Frank Brown and wife, Claudie Brown, all the North one-half (N 1-2) of the South one-half (S 1-2) of Blk Six (6) of Hassard's Addition to the town of Coleman, Coleman County, Texas, together with all improvements thereon, situated, and being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows:

"BEGINNING at a point 125 feet South of the intersection of East Second and San Saba Streets;

THENCE South 62 1-2 feet for corner;

THENCE West 125 feet for corner;

THENCE North 62 1-2 feet for corner;

THENCE East 125 feet to place of beginning;

and for a consideration of \$1350.00, and of which amount \$177.00 will be paid in cash, and the balance, \$1173.00, to be evidenced by one note in said sum, to be executed by said purchasers, payable to the order of the undersigned at his office in the city of Temple, Bell County, Texas, and the principal and interest to accrue on said note to become due and payable in monthly installments of \$15.00 each, the first

installment being due and payable on or before December 1, 1938, and one each on or before the first day of each succeeding month thereafter until said note has been fully paid off and discharged, both principal and accrued interest, to bear interest from November 1, 1938, at the rate of seven per cent per annum, the interest to become due and payable monthly, and each payment when made to be applied to the principal, and to provide that failure to pay any monthly installment of principal or interest thereon when due shall at the option of the holder mature said note; to stipulate for ten per cent additional as attorney's fees, and said note to be secured by a vendor's lien and deed of trust lien on the property and premises above described.

Said application will be heard by the Honorable Charles A. Boynton, Judge of said Court, after this notice shall have been published for a period of ten days, and any person interested in said Receivership Estate may contest this application.

WITNESS my hand at Temple, Texas, this 9 day of January, A D 1939.

H. C. GLENN, as Receiver for Temple Trust Company, Temple, Texas.

Removal Notice The SHOE HOSPITAL Has Moved In North End of Old State National Bank Building. Will Be Glad To Have All Of Our Old Friends and Customers Visit Us There. J. G. Williamson

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Hospital Notes

Gerald Walker of Coleman is a patient in the Hospital. G. M. Turner of Pensacola, Fla. is a surgical patient. Mrs. F. M. Scott of Coleman is a surgical patient. J. L. Ison of Idalou is a patient in the Hospital. Mrs. W. A. Miller of Leaday was able to go home Tuesday. Mrs. W. B. Traylor of Wingate is a patient in the Hospital. Miss Inez Ferguson of Melvin was a surgical patient Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. M. A. Sheppard of Goldthwaite is a patient in the Hospital. J. E. Burns of Slaton is a surgical patient. Mrs. G. L. Crow of Santa Anna is a patient in the Hospital. Mrs. W. F. Watson of Cisco is a patient in the Hospital.

O. B. Dial of Post is a surgical patient. W. F. Watson of Cisco is a surgical patient. Mrs. A. H. Armor of Oplin is a patient in the Hospital. J. D. Tipton of Post is a surgical patient. O. B. Power of Lubbock is a surgical patient. J. T. Hester of Haskell is a surgical patient. C. C. Newton of Cisco is a surgical patient. R. L. Gillettine of Wellington is a surgical patient. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wallace visited in Cameron over the week-end. Vernon Ragsdale, a senior in Hardin-Simmons University, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ragsdale. Mr. and Mrs. Yantis Hines and Miss Bettie Mae Hines of Espanola, N. M., visited Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Neill Thursday.



The Mountaineer

STAFF Editor-in-Chief—Emma Sue McCain Assistant Editor—Willyne Ragsdale Sponsor—Miss Mattie Ella McCreary

HOW DID YOU SCORE?

The first half of the school year is definitely over. Spring and summer are on their way. How did you score on studies, sports and conduct? Think. Have you succeeded or failed scholastically? Have you applied your mind to your work? Yes, school is work. You are occupied when in school and an occupation is a job. You can perhaps redeem yourself by the time for final examinations. But it stands to reason that you will continue as in the past. As a tree falls so will it lie. Think.

Not everyone is interested in athletics. But everyone has the opportunity to be a good sport. How did you score on the football field or tennis court? More important, how did you score as a sport? Interscholastic League is far on its way and with an opportunity to raise your score. But opportunities cease. Now is the time to begin. Last half how did you appear as a sport? Think. Conduct determines character. What character did you score? Misbehavior is not glorifying. Crime does not pay. Breaking laws is a crime; rules, even unwritten laws, are laws. Do you rate as a criminal? Guard your actions in youth and you need not be ashamed of any of your life. How does your conduct appear to others. Think twice.

ENGLISH I AND ENGLISH III COMPLETE GRAMMAR

The English I and III classes have just completed the first semester of English Grammar and have started the second half on Literature. The English III class has already completed a Shakespearean Drama, "The Tempest." A chart has been kept in both classes for the first half year's work comparing grades of students at the beginning of year and at the end of first semester. Each student showed an increase and some as much as 30 points.

SCRIBBLERS TAKE PERSONALITY TEST

The Scribbler Club met Jan. 11, 1939, where they found out something about themselves they did not know. Everyone was given a personality test, which told of their disposition and future life.

THINGS YOU OUGHT TO KNOW

What is the most important thing in the world? Rev. T. W. Preston asked this question when he spoke to the student body of SAHS Tuesday on "Things You Ought to Know." Rev. Preston answered this question: "Life." Everyone present enjoyed the talk and wish to welcome Rev. Preston back at a future date.



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HOME MAKING CLUB ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

Tuesday, January third, the Home Making club was called to order by President Helen Oakes and new officers were elected for the last term of school.

The officers were: President, Helen Oakes; vice president, Ruth Vanderford; Secretary, Wilma Mills; Treasurer, Dot Pettit; Reporter, Mary John Wade; Parliamentarian, Jean Herring; Hostess, Mary Jo Shields; Yell Leaders, Katherine Williamson and Carolyn Kingsbery; Boy Sponsors, Wyndell Rowe and Jake Barnes; Club Mothers, Mrs. Mills and Mrs. Kingsbery.

Dorothy Pettit, chairman of finance committee, Mary Jo Shields, chairman of social committee; Ruth Vanderford, chairman of program committee; Mary John Wade, chairman of publicity committee; and Jean Herring, chairman of library committee.

TENNIS CLUB MEETS

The tennis club has been trying to find a method to make money to buy a new net. Every member was to bring 50c for their use of the court and balls. There are a great many who haven't brought their fees. Really if we expect to have a club and have a good one, we should bring in our fees.

The tennis courts are in good shape; the rain has made them firm and hard. Club members have rolled it and it is all right for playing.

ENGLISH II AND IV CLASSES FINISH LITERATURE

Along with the advent of many new occurrences of the new year for the students of English II and IV is the change in their course of study. The two classes, having just completed two thorough courses in Literature are now ready to embark for the remainder of the year on a course through which they wish to acquaint themselves with the fundamentals of grammar.

It would be impossible to ascertain which of these courses is the more important as they are both required.

The English IV class which includes the Seniors says that the historical novel, "Henry Esmond," which they have just completed, tops all novels in interest.

EXAMINATIONS POSTPONED

Some students were lamenting while other were rejoicing Friday because examinations were postponed until Monday. The reason was due to the fact that the Shields bus did not arrive. We suppose it must have been awfully muddy toward Shields.

PEP SQUAD SELLS SANDWICHES

On Wednesday, January 18, the pep squad sold chicken salad sandwiches. Around \$12 was made. The money will probably be used towards giving the football boys a banquet.

JUNIOR CLASS SELECTS CLASS RING

The officers of the junior class feel that they made a wise choice when they chose the ring for the senior class of 1940.

The officers and sponsors chose a ring with black and gold as colors with an S and Santa Anna mounted on the ring.

SPANISH CLUB HAS PARTY

The Spanish Club of SAHS enjoyed a chili supper and theatre party Monday night. The club met at the Service Cafe at 7 o'clock and ate chili. When they had finished eating they all went to the Queen Theatre. The picture, "Orphans of the Street," was enjoyed by about twenty members of the Spanish Club.

Floyd Shelton: Is a chicken big enough to eat when it is two weeks old?

Billy Wade: Certainly not.

Floyd: Then, how does it live?

Young Co-ed: "Oh, Dad, I've just discovered that the girl who sits next to me in biology has a hat exactly like mine."

Father: "So I suppose you want me to buy a new one?"

Co-ed: "Well, darling, that would be cheaper than changing schools."

What did your wife say when you came home soaked last night?

"She didn't say a word and I was going to have these two teeth taken out anyhow."

Mr. Willis: Can you give me the three classifications into which men are divided?

Mac Norris: Yes, sir, rich poor and good looking.

"So your son left college because of poor eyesight?"

"Yes, he pushed the dean of women for a coped."

Tom K: Well, what did you find out about your family tree?

William B: That the whole crop was a failure.

Advertisement for HUNTER BROS. and J. L. BOGGUS & CO. featuring various food items like PEACHES, MILK, SALAD, HOMINY, and BIRD BRAND LARD. Includes a 'FREE One Cake To Be Given Away SATURDAY' promotion.

Local news snippets including mentions of 'Gloria', 'Dixie Ann', 'Mac Norris', and 'William B'.

Large advertisement for Santa Anna Telephone Company with the headline 'HURRY!!' and 'NEW Telephone Directories Are Being Completed'. Includes contact information and a list of services.

Advertisement for Griffin Hatchery featuring 'Baby Pullets' and 'BLOOD-TESTED TEXAS - U. S. APPROVED'. Promotes 'Red Chain Feed - Bulk Garden Seed Poultry Supplies'.

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SOCIETY - CLUBS

Miss Alayne Burden Becomes Bride of San Angelo Man

Miss Alayne Burden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irl Burden of this city, and Mr. Troy Stanford of San Angelo were married at the Methodist parsonage, 11 Bangs, Saturday evening, December 31, 1938, at 7:30.

The simple ceremony was read by the pastor, Rev. Wallace N. Dunson, with only an uncle and aunt of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Dick, and their small daughter present.

The bride has many friends who wish the couple a happy married life. They are at their ranch home near San Angelo.

H. D. Club To Meet Friday, January 20

"This Business" of Being a Club Member," will be the topic of the program when the Santa Anna H. D. Club meets at the City Hall, Friday, January 20, 2:30 p. m.

A parliamentary drill and a discussion for the purpose of a better acquaintance with home demonstration aims and purposes will be led by the president. Roll call will be answered by "If every club member were like me, what would this club be?"

Anyone who has a question she would like to ask about parliamentary drill procedure may write it on a piece of paper and drop it in the question box which will be provided. The box will be opened and these questions discussed during the parliamentary drill.

Committees for the year are to be appointed at this meeting and all members are requested to be present for this occasion. Non-club members and visitors are always welcome.

Miss Vera Allen, a graduate of the Robert B. Greene Memorial Hospital in San Antonio, arrived Saturday to assume the duties of laboratory technician for the Sealy Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Moseley and daughters went to Austin Tuesday and attended the inauguration of Governor W. Lee O'Daniel.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mohler visited in Cisco Sunday.

Mrs. Tom Hays Is Hostess To Culture Club

The Self Culture Club met at the home of Mrs. Tom Hays Friday, January 13th, for an interesting study of the "Life of Byron," by Andre Maurois.

Mrs. Hardy Blue was leader of the program, with Mrs. C. D. Bruce and Mrs. S. L. Weaver giving discussions.

Members present were Mesdames Preston Bailey, J. R. Eganister, Ford Barnes, Hardy Blue, C. D. Bruce, R. C. Gay, J. F. Harris, Clinton Lowe, A. L. Oeder, Elean Shield, and S. L. Weaver and Miss Dora Kirkpatrick.

Shield News

By Mrs. G. C. Cobb
Friday night the local P. T. A. will give the program that has kept the ladies in suspense for such a long time. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Watkins and Mary Lee were guests of the Gomez Cobbs Monday.

Several in our community are planning to go to the governor's inauguration. We are sure they will enjoy the occasion.

Little Wayne Stewardson, who has been sick with pneumonia, is much better now.

Jim Ashford, has returned from Arkansas.

Mrs. Clyde Vercher is staying in Coleman with her little daughter who has been very ill, but who is much better now.

Home Demonstration Club will meet with Mrs. J. H. Arant this week.

Everyone enjoyed the nice rains so much. It will soon be time to plant gardens.

Rockwood News

By Hearthal King
Rev. Nelson preached here Sunday morning and evening.

About ten cars loaded with teachers, pupils, and patrons of Rockwood left early Tuesday morning for Austin to attend the Governor's inauguration. All report a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Johnson visited Cap Johnson of Howard Payne College in Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Uless Maness had as their guests this week Mrs. Col Stobaugh and children from Lamar.

Joe Bob, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Williams, is set at this writing.

Miss Elizabeth Kelly of Dallas, laboratory technician for the Bell Telephone Company, spent the week-end with friends in the city.

Cleveland News

By Ruby Moore

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Blanton and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Rainey and sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Sid Blanton were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Howard and family, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Priest and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Penny visited in the Jess Williams home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mills and family had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moore and daughters, Mr. D. H. Moore and family and Miss Kathleen McCormick.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Holt visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mathews Saturday night.

Visitors in the William Cupps home Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Herring and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Blanton and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Herring.

Mr. and Mrs. Rachel Cupps were guests in the A. E. Ganz home Sunday.

M. F. Blanton and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Herring, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Blanton and Mrs. Clifford Rainey and sons visited in the Joe Phillips home Saturday night.

Clem Scott of Noice visited his daughter, Mrs. M. F. Blanton, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McCormick and children visited Miss Muriel McCormick of Concord Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rachel Cupps were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cupps Saturday evening.

Miss Lee Etta Fleming spent Wednesday night with Miss Doris Moore.

Ovella Cupps and the Bill Rice family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Box of Santa Anna had as their dinner guests Saturday, Mr. S. A. Moore and family and Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Moore and son.

Miss Fannie Blanton spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Phillips.

Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh were Mr. and Mrs. Stube Phillips and children and Mr. and Mrs. John Perry.

Miss Doris Moore spent Sunday night with Miss Kathleen McCormick.

Bruce Hibbetts and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bingham Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Holt visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bingham Sunday.

Visitors in the W. L. Baugh home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Baugh of Bangs, Mr. and Mrs. John Baugh and children and Miss Doris Cupps.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Eubank and children and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Miller visited Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Holt Sunday.

Mrs. Clifford Rainey and children spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Sid Blanton.

Mrs. P. P. Bond of Wichita Falls attended business and visited friends in town during the week-end.

After several years in the News building, the Williamson shoe repair shop has been moved to the north end of the State Bank building.

WITH OUR WILDLIFE

BY JOHN E. WOOD
State Game Warden

Universal Hunting and Fishing License Law Proves Success In Parts Of Texas

The value of the universal hunting and fishing license law is an important topic of discussion today. Something must be done to improve game conditions in Texas. We have proven to ourselves that past methods used are not increasing the game at a very rapid rate. In fact in many sections of Texas the wildlife resources are practically all gone. This has taken place in areas where there used to be much game. What is the reason for this fast decrease?

One reason is that the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission has not had an adequate income to give it proper attention. Another reason is that many wildlife species had been depleted to near extinction before the people realized that something must be done, then it was too late. If the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission could have had regulatory powers, this department could have closed certain areas in Texas thereby preventing the total absence of game in those areas, without waiting till the legislature meets to make a long discussion over such a matter.

Provisions of Universal Hunting and Fishing License Law

Texas is the only state in the

union that allows its citizens to hunt in the county of its residence without a license, or fish with natural baits without a license. Just think of the many thousands of Texans who are taking our wildlife resources and are not paying a cent toward restocking programs and trying to replace that which they have taken. This universal license law will require every person who hunts off the land on which he resides must procure a hunting license and every one who fishes off the land on which he resides must buy a fishing license regardless of the baits used. The beauty part of this license law is that 85 per cent of the money collected in a county will be spent in the county where it is collected. This will allow the state to carry on restocking programs and replace much of the game that is killed.

"The universal license law has brought us game prosperity," Mr. McPhail said. "We have reached the point where we do not need additional stocking of fields and streams and it is the general feeling of sportsmen of this section that the 85 per cent of the license fund which should be returned to Harris county can be spent in other sections of the state to build up game. But I wish that Texans would realize how much good can be derived from a universal hunting and fishing license law, which would provide a license so cheap it would hurt no one, but which would produce a sum of money which would make Texas the leading hunting and fishing state in the union," a place that it justly deserves.

Harris County An Example
There are 23 counties in Texas that have already passed such a law. These counties at the present time have some of the best hunting and fishing in Texas. Harris county is one of the counties that have this law. As you know, Houston, one of the largest cities in Texas, is located in this county and there are many who hunt in this county. Mr. Charles W. McPhail, vice-president of the Houston Lighting and Power Company, stated recently that the county was stocked with 2,700 quail last spring and 200,000 fish had been placed in the county's lakes and streams by the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission, the revenue coming from the sale of hunt-

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Collector of Taxes
Santa Anna, Texas

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