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THREE PEOPLE KILLED IN AUTO-TRAIN CRASH

New Industry Expanding Beyond Expectation

One of the latest industries in Santa Anna is the Wylie Wood-wook Shop, makers of toys, lawn and playground equipment. The new industry originated in and is being carried to a successful conclusion by Norval Wylie of this city.

Mr. Wylie having had some experience in similar lines while working for others, possessing natural talent for such lines, purchased himself a few small precision machines, and started his work in his garage, more for a hobby than a project, soon found his toys and novelties found a ready market, he began to expand. Even though, that was not many months in the past, he has leased larger quarters in the old Santa Anna Motor Company building, hired and trained several workers, purchased additional machinery and manufacturing equipment, and is conducting a growing business.

This week a truck load of new lawn and playground furniture and equipment, valued at about \$1,500, loaded out for Ballinger, San Angelo and Abilene, where the goods find ready sale.

Mr. Wylie states that is not all profit, but is clear property as the result of several weeks accumulation, and the proceeds will enable him to restock, rebuild and accumulate another shipment soon to follow.

The Wylie industry is something new, and has a very bright future. In fact, the maximum would be hard to visualize. Already more room is needed and the outlook is fair for one of the leading industries in the heart of Texas to develop right here in Santa Anna.

Fort Benning, Ga.—Private Howard M. Norris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest R. Norris, of 1667 84th Ave., Oakland, Calif., has been selected for specialized army training, and at present is assigned to the Sixth Regiment ASTP, Basic Training Center, Fort Benning, Ga.

As a member of the Army Specialized Training Program, Private Norris is now undergoing thirteen weeks of intensive military training in basic infantry subjects. Upon completion of this training he will be eligible for assignment to one of the numerous selected colleges for further specialized training.

AL HINTNER FOR RE-ELECTION

Added to our announcement column this week is Al Hintner's name, who announces as a candidate for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor-Collector, Coleman County, Texas.

Mr. Hintner's record in office is before you and will be the basis of his claim for re-election to serve another term. He is competent, dependable and trustworthy. He solicits your favorable consideration and your vote.

Carol Holt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Holt, passed his physical examination for the Navy Flying Corps and has been ordered to report for duty March 1st.

22,000,000 Victory Gardeners Will Swell Uncle Sam's 1944 Food Supply



Farm and Town Youngsters Will Contribute to This Garden Output

TOPEKA, KANSAS—Twenty-two million Victory gardeners will do a better job of producing food in 1944 because of experience gained by those who tilled last year, according to an article in the February issue of Capper's Farmer.

Pointing out that last year the government's request for 18-million gardeners was oversubscribed by two million, the article predicts a betterment of 1944's quota of 22 million.

"Most of the increase will be in town and community gardens," it continues. "Farmers had just about 100 per cent quota last year, or 6 billion gardens, approximately one for each farm. Although it isn't possible to increase the number materially, there is nothing to prevent a farmer from having a bigger and better garden."

Incidentally, city gardeners can profit by farmers' experience and make their gardens contribute more effectively to Uncle Sam's war food supply. Attention to

four simple rules will pay dividends in bigger crops:

1. Fertility is a major requirement. This can be assured by selecting the best site, by manuring and fertilizing.

2. Adequate moisture is essential. This can be obtained partly by site, by tillage practices, by management and partly by incorporating organic matter into the soil.

3. Disease and insect control are important. Resistant varieties, clean seed and treatment are primary measures against disease. Spraying, baits and clean culture usually will control insects.

4. Keep the garden working with successive plantings so far as possible. Plan adequate storage space for fresh, canned and stored vegetables.

Seedsmen, preparing for a record victory garden program, recommend Beefheart tomatoes, early prolific Straightneck squash and Tampala, a green, leafy substitute for spinach.

Come To The Stock Show Saturday

Santa Anna is making preparation for a good crowd Saturday, the chief event will be the Stock Show and Auction Sale, following the judging.

The 4-H Club and F.F.A. will be the main exhibitors. Breeders of this territory will be here with some fine stock—come and join the crowd.

"Shields Fun and Follies Show of 1944" will be presented at the Shields school auditorium, Friday night, February 25, 1944, at 8:30 p.m. Plenty of laughs are in store for all as Pistol Packin' Mama is to be master of ceremonies. Come, bring the family, and see the show. The proceeds will be used to buy a piano for the school. Admission 25 cents and 50 cents.

SHIELD RED CROSS

Those making surgical dressings at the Shields Red Cross room last Thursday were Meses: A. B. Carroll, C. A. Scarborough, J. W. Barton, J. M. Stewardson, Edgar Shelton, D. T. Watson, E. S. Jones, D. J. Banta, J. C. Johnson, D. S. Milligan, Otis Powers, R. L. Newman, Clyde Vercher, Stella Rhodes, J. W. Vance, J. H. Arrant and M. A. Richardson.

Santa Anna And Coleman Co. Go Over The Top

A check up Wednesday morning at the local bank and with B. B. Nunley, 4th War Loan County Chairman of Coleman, indicate, Santa Anna has gone over the top for the fourth time in response to the call of the Federal Treasury for Fourteen Billion Dollars in the 4th War Loan request.

Coleman County went over the top for \$40,000 and the counting was not complete. Several thousand dollars worth of bonds are yet to be tabulated.

Coleman County is one of the larger counties in the state well represented in the several branches of the U. S. Army, and so far, our men and boys in combat duty can point back to their home front with a finger of pride and broadcast it to the world that their home county is backing them up with whatever it takes to win this conflict.

May we never be humiliated with the sad repose when our boys return, dad, you folks failed to give us the proper and necessary backing. It makes us feel good when we can announce, again and again, Santa Anna went over the top.

Willard Allen Enters Steers In Stock Show

Fort Worth, Feb. 14—Willard Allen of Santa Anna has entered two steers in the boys' livestock show of the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth, March 10-19. Manager Davis of the show announced today:

Approximately \$65,000 in cash premiums will be distributed this year to contestants and exhibitors in all departments of the show. The premiums include more than \$30,000 for cattle and other livestock, \$10,400 for horse show classes and \$23,275 for contestants in the world championship rodeo.

A varied program of educational and amusement advantages will be presented during the nine day show, which will be held in the new Will Rogers Memorial Coliseum at Fort Worth.

The rodeo will be offered twice daily at 2 and 8 p.m., and as a feature of the matinee rodeo performances the third annual contest for cutting horses will be presented.

The outlook for the livestock show is bright this yr. in view of the fact that average prices paid for purebred cattle at sales in recent weeks have been the highest in many years.

Auction sales will provide many highlights for the Fort Worth show. Before the sale of the prize winning animals of the show at 9 a.m., Friday, March 17, breed associations will have auction sales as follows: Texas Aberdeen-Angus Association, 12:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 14; Texas Short-horn Breeders Association, 9 a.m., Wednesday, March 15, and Texas Polled Hereford Association, 1:30 p.m., March 15.

W. E. Priest and family, of Ft. Worth, spent last week-end visiting in the Penny and Stovall homes.

ARTILLERYMAN DECORATED

WINTERS, Feb. 7 (Spl.)—Sgt. Grady E. Shelton, member of a tank destroyer battalion in the 36th Division who was wounded in action in Italy on his 25th birthday, Dec. 15, has been awarded the Purple Heart.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Shelton, who moved here two years ago, he was born at Santa Anna and reared in Hamlin and Abilene. He enlisted in the 131st Field Artillery in 1941, but transferred to the tank destroyer unit in 1942.

Shelton is now in a hospital in Italy, recovering from shell fragment wounds in the left hand and left foot. He was with the invasion forces that landed at Salerno Sept. 9.

Mrs. Loyed Burris is visiting in the Dr. R. R. (Major) Lovelady home in Lawton, Okla. this week, having accompanied Mrs. Lovelady on her return home last week-end. The Major made a trip to California last week, in connection with his line of duties in the U. S. Army, and incidentally had a brief visit with his son, Buddy, as he is most familiarly known here.

James T. Oakes, G.M. 1-c. of the U. S. Navy, is spending his furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Oakes.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist church Tuesday at five o'clock for Mr. and Mrs. Homer B. Bouchillon, who met their death about five o'clock Monday evening in a train crash between an east bound troop train and the Bouchillon automobile, at a crossing a short ways east of town. A third victim of the crash was Mrs. Lenora Katherine Duggins, wife of Cpl. Clifford Duggins, in training at Camp Bowie. The home of the Duggins is Belle Point, Kentucky and the body of Mrs. Duggins, prepared at the Hosch Funeral Home, was shipped by train to Belle Point, Ky. Tuesday night, accompanied by the young husband.

The fourth person in the automobile was the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Bouchillon, who escaped death by a small margin, is being treated in the Sealy Hospital with some prospects of his recovery.

Mr. Bouchillon was born March 6, 1900 in Falls County, Texas, and Mrs. Bouchillon was born August 4, 1909 at Stacy, in McCulloch County. The couple were married here in 1926, and made their home in these parts until moving to Brownwood after Camp Bowie was in course of construction, Mr. Bouchillon being employed as a painter for the automotive maintenance shops at Camp Bowie.

Mr. Bouchillon is survived by his daughter, Andry Mae, 17, and little son, Sammie Joe, 3; his mother, Mrs. Fannie Bouchillon, Brownwood; five brothers, Harvey Bouchillon, Eastland; Merrill Bouchillon, California; Dewitt Bouchillon, Santa Anna; Raymond Bouchillon, Brady; and Claud Bouchillon, Brownwood; four sisters, Mrs. Annie Mae Lyn-decker, Dawson, Texas; Mrs. Elmie White, Lexington, Texas; Mrs. Dacia Robinett, Brownwood and Mrs. Josephine Modawell, Brownwood.

Mrs. Bouchillon is survived by her daughter and son and her mother, Mrs. S. H. Brooks, Santa Anna; three brothers, W. K. Brooks, Cucamonga, Calif.; C. P. Brooks, Cucamonga, Calif.; L. L. Brooks, Lometa, Texas; and two sisters, Mrs. R. M. Hallmark, Santa Anna and Mrs. R. M. Bouchillon, Cucamonga, Calif.

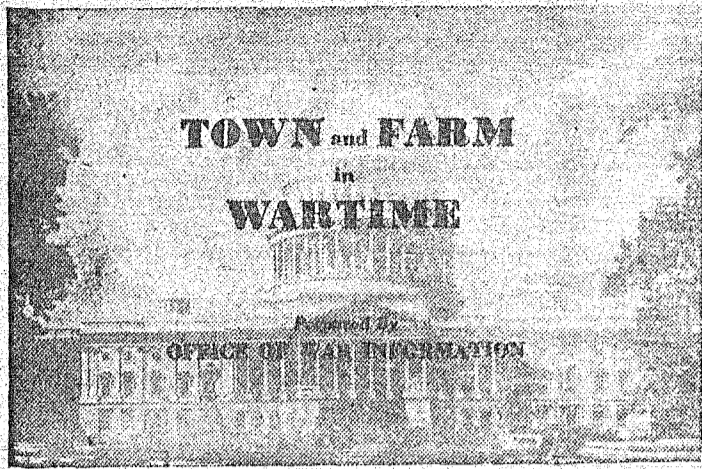
Pastor Williams was in charge of the funeral service, assisted by Elder Cantrell of Blanket, who delivered the main funeral oration.

Pallbearers for Mr. Bouchillon were Glen D. Bailey, Dick Black, Jim Lowery, E. E. Martin, and J. B. Petty of Brownwood and Roy West of Santa Anna. For Mrs. Bouchillon, J. D. Henderson, H. L. Vinson, J. P. Woodruff, W. L. Campbell, W. E. Vanderford and Herchel Smith.

Flower ladies were Mary Frances Talley, Margie Taylor, Lavern McSwain, Doris Henderson, Mary Ann Berry, Opal May Stockard, Nell Lowe, Marjorie Nickens, Mrs. Charles Allen, Mrs. Loren Seals, Mrs. Roy West, Mrs. B. A. McSwain, Mrs. Payne Henderson, Mrs. Duke Henderson and Mrs. R. W. Teague.

The bodies were laid to rest in the Santa Anna cemetery with Hosch Undertaking Company directing.

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"Any contagious disease can spread to epidemic proportions," Dr. Cox warned, "if proper care is not used to isolate the patient, and protect others from exposure."

Dr. Cox said that measles had not approached even a near-epidemic stage as yet; nevertheless he wanted to emphasize the need for proper nursing and strict compliance with quarantine laws, in order to prevent its widespread appearance.

Measles alone is not necessarily a dangerous disease, Dr. Cox stated, but serious complications, such as streptococcus, mastoiditis, and pneumonia which frequently follow, make it a disease

to be carefully nursed, with close attention from a doctor.

"Unskilled treatment of a plain case of measles can result in complications which often kill," Dr. Cox warned, "and it is not to be regarded lightly as simply another childhood disease."

Dr. Cox urged parents to watch exposed children carefully, and at the first sign of temperature, flushed face, sniffles, or watering eyes, advised that the child be put to bed immediately and placed under a doctor's care.

Warns Against Spreading Flu and Pneumonia

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 1—Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, today issued a warning to every victim of influenza, colds, or upper respiratory infections to be on guard against the possibility of spreading these diseases or a pneumococcus infection through coughing and sneezing.

"Persons who cough or sneeze

without the proper use of a handkerchief will be very likely to be responsible for the spread of pneumonia. Placing a handkerchief over the mouth or nose when coughing or sneezing will help prevent the spread of infections," Dr. Cox said.

"The air is the medium through which influenza spreads. A person coughing or sneezing in an unventilated room where the air is stale and moist will almost certainly pass the infection on to others."

The increased prevalence of influenza is usually associated with an increased incidence of pneumonia. The sharp rise in the incidence of pneumonia in the past few weeks has demonstrated that influenza victims by coughing and sneezing have almost certainly been responsible for the present large number of pneumonia cases reported, Dr. Cox stated.

"A person who is not suffering from pneumonia may still have the pneumococcus germ in his

throat or upper respiratory tract and can very easily pass the disease on to others. Considering the fact that pneumonia is a dangerous killer, especially in children and old people, every person should guard against spreading this infection among his fellow men," Dr. Cox declared.

The ancient Greeks did not have family names; the Romans usually had three.

QUICK RELIEF FROM Symptoms of Distress Arising from STOMACH ULCERS DUE TO EXCESS ACID

Free Book Tells of Home Treatment that Must Help or it Will Cost You Nothing. Over two million bottles of the WILLARD TREATMENT have been sold for relief of symptoms of distress arising from Stomach and Duodenal Ulcers due to Excess Acid—Poor Digestion, Sour or Upset Stomach, Gasiness, Heartburn, Sleeplessness, etc. due to Excess Acid. Sold on 15 days' trial! Ask for "Willard's Message" which fully explains this treatment—free—at

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SANTA ANNA WOOL WAREHOUSE



The Mountaineer

MOUNTAINEER STAFF

Editor-in-Chief—
Oma Dean McDonald
Assistant Editor—
Elizabeth Eeds
Senior Class Reporter—
Opal Mae Stockard
Junior Class Reporter—

sophomore, also president of the class as a sophomore.

His favorite subject is chemistry, favorite author is Zane Grey. For amusement he likes very much to go to parties, skate, swim and read.

When asked for one thing that he does fairly well he said, "nothing," but we think he does everything plenty o.k.

After graduation he plans to attend A & M, where he will become a civil engineer.

We wish you happiness and success in your future years.

Band News

To whom it may concern: Dayton is having a party—I mean I guess you could call it a party—since I'm here, it's gotta be a party, huh?

Let's see who all's here. Well, well, there's silly J. Cecil Grant-ham, in an ole silly "Lil Abner"

So ends, my friends, this gruesome eye-witness story of the present happenings at Dayton McDonald's "Sadie Hawkins" party for the band, Friday night February 11, 1944.

Evidently yours, "Suzy."

Spanish Club Meets

The Santa Anna High School Spanish Club met February the 9th.

The meeting was called to order by our president, Elizabeth Eeds. She then turned the meeting over to W. H. Blake, who acted as master of ceremonies, and asked all the students of the first year Spanish questions that the students of Spanish Two had made up.

We had quite a good quiz game although we had to do something if we couldn't answer the question. They got good results from this when Dayton McDonald made up a song. He did right. The bell then brought in to a close.

GOSSIP

Folks, cooking around your is week? Gossip we hope, is what we "filler" up on, u can't guess who that arland Arrant goes with you can't, I'll tell you, ry Jo Harris.

rd period study hall is, the most romantic ve know of. Those "fish" ind showing their feel-each other.

d Lee is quite a lady's

man, but at the present his heart belongs to Sarah Frances.

Can't you kids tell a difference in Julian's ways and actions lately. Reckon it's 'cause of a certain T.S.C.W. student, huh?

Pat Gilmore and Dorethea Fay are at it again, or haven't you noticed?

Each by each Deana and Richard are hitting it o.k. and have been for sometime, but you know those kids keep us uneasy for fear something WILL go wrong. We aren't lookin' for trouble, understand!!!

You kids got quite a scare at the park the other night, didn't you, but serves you right 'cause that "ain't" no place to go! Or is it???

Rita doesn't worry when she falls to get a letter every day 'cause she knows she'll get two the next day.

Johnnie seems to be a grand name according to two girls I heard talking one day. Joyce and Blondie have the history behind this name. Two can't keep a secret so we'll find out who he is.

Nell's sporting a guy from John Tarleton now by the name of Harold. Speaking of guys, we know a guy who asked about you now you ask us!

Say, you guys and gals who are planning on getting permanents go to 63872014 Boulevard Avenue. For reference, see Johnnie Vaughan.

Even though Webb has one injured wing, Nickie has two in good condition. Get what I mean.

Our noted journalist, Suzy Stockard, simply swoons when Charlie Swoonatra Hale croons, "Left My Sugar In Salt Lake City."

Well, we'll quit shooting the breeze for now.

S.A.H.S. Snoopers.

To the People of this Community

KILL OR BE KILLED

United States Marines paid the stiffest price in human life per square yard for the capture of Tarawa, vital Pacific outpost.



It was kill or be killed. Your boys did not flinch when they ran into the deadliest firepower along the beaches of this important Gilbert Island stronghold.

This assault, bloody and costly, is one of the many which must be made before Tokyo and Berlin are pounded into dust and ashes.

What are you doing to back up the boys? Remember these are boys from this very community, perhaps from your very home. Any home in your neighborhood which today does not display the Treasury's red, white and blue 4th War Loan Shield proclaiming "We bought Extra War Bonds" is not backing the attack. Every Extra War Bond you buy becomes a direct fighter against Japan and Germany. If you could but see one man die on the battlefield, you would not count the cost of your slight sacrifices to buy Extra War Bonds to make each succeeding assault less costly in the lives of our boys.

You can't afford NOT to buy Extra Bonds in the 4th War Loan. If you would help these boys, THE EDITOR.

Recapping 3 Days Service Parker Auto Supply

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Postwar casualty ?

WILL YOUR CHILD be a victim of this War—after it's over?

Will she grow up in a depression-ridden, poverty-stricken, half-sick country that never recovered from the War?

Or will she grow up in a strong, healthy, prosperous America that offers every girl and boy the best education, the best job, the best chance to make the best living in all the world?

It's up to you. It's in your hands—now.

So—buy War Bonds—now. All you can. Hold them until the date of maturity. Let them bring you \$4 for every \$3. Keep saving—and keep the money you save!

For if all of us do that, this post-war America will be the finest place in the world for your child—and you.

WAR BONDS to Have and to Hold

Santa Anna National Bank

Member Federal Reserve System and Fed. Dep. Ins. Corp.

one of Agathia Christie's Mystery novels.

Honey's future ambition is to be a stenographer. If this falls she's thinking of joining Barnum and Bailey in the Fat Woman's capacity.

Remember, kid, size has nothing to do with success.

Clear the field, here comes that A-1 farmer, Thomas Edwin Eubank, the one and only Jake, the city slicker in our senior play this year.

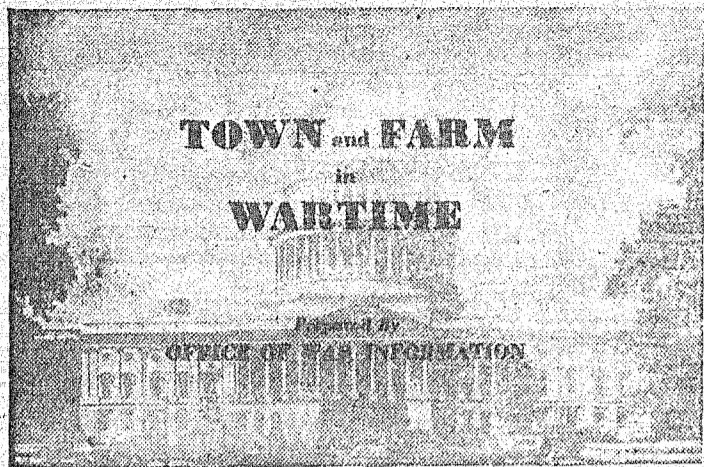
For an idea of the fine material that S.A.H.S. has, Edwin has ash blond hair, mischievous gray green eyes, weighs 135 pounds, 5 feet 11 inches tall, 15 years old and rather bashful, which only adds to his personality, gaining him friends by the dozens. He entered Santa Anna High as a freshman, coming from Trickham. He was a member of the F.F.A. Club when a freshman and

That recent newcomer to our band, Bill Stell, is a sittin' on the piano bench, taking it all in. He's probably never seen such people before. Take it from us, Bill. You'll see 'em all when you meet the band!

Claude Barrington is using the phone in the bedroom. Wonder who could be paging him at this place, and this hour of the night? Beverly Stockard is recuperating from the "Sadie Hawkins" dance we had a few minutes—well, perhaps it was hours ago!

Coyita Griffin and Betty Lou Williams are talking in the well modulated tones that good little girls use when conversing. Funny thing, too, I haven't caught them at a thing all night, and I don't, as a rule, let things slip by me!

A visit to the kitchen showed me where Mr. Keen and our hostess, Mrs. McDonald were keeping themselves. I like cookies too, Wilma!



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"Any contagious disease can spread to epidemic proportions," Dr. Cox warned, "if proper care is not used to isolate the patient, and protect others from exposure."

Dr. Cox said that measles had not approached even a near-epidemic stage as yet; nevertheless he wanted to emphasize the need for proper nursing and strict compliance with quarantine laws, in order to prevent its widespread appearance.

Measles alone is not necessarily a dangerous disease, Dr. Cox stated, but serious complications, such as streptococcus, mastoiditis, and pneumonia which frequently follow, make it a disease

to be carefully nursed, with close attention from a doctor.

"Unskilled treatment of a plain case of measles can result in complications which often kill," Dr. Cox warned, "and it is not to be regarded lightly as simply another childhood disease."

Dr. Cox urged parents to watch exposed children carefully, and at the first sign of temperature, flushed face, sniffles, or watering eyes, advised that the child be put to bed immediately and placed under a doctor's care.

without the proper use of a handkerchief will be very likely to be responsible for the spread of pneumonia. Placing a handkerchief over the mouth or nose when coughing or sneezing will help prevent the spread of infections," Dr. Cox said.

"The air is the medium through which influenza spreads. A person coughing or sneezing in an unventilated room where the air is stale and moist will almost certainly pass the infection on to others."

Warns Against Spreading Flu and Pneumonia

AUSTIN, Texas, Feb. 1—Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, today issued a warning to every victim of influenza, colds, or upper respiratory infections to be on guard against the possibility of spreading these diseases or a pneumococcus infection through coughing and sneezing.

"Persons who cough or sneeze into their hands or sleeves, or into their handkerchiefs, and then touch their eyes, nose, or mouth, or shake hands with others, are likely to spread the pneumococcus germ in his

throat or upper respiratory tract and can very easily pass the disease on to others. Considering the fact that pneumonia is a dangerous killer, especially in children and old people, every person should guard against spreading this infection among his fellow men," Dr. Cox declared.

The ancient Greeks did not have family names; the Romans usually had three.

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WHO'S WHO

Watch your step, here comes that "pert little skirt," that wee 98 pounder of Santa Anna High, Nell Lowe. Simply known as "honey"—and please don't ask why—to all of us!

This "meat little sweet" stands only 5 ft. 2 in. in her stocking feet, and those dark black curls don't tend to help the height much either. Besides the feather cut, dark curls, Honey has green eyes, and all the neatness and charm of the feminine graces.

The Press Club, Home Make Club, and the Pep Squad, have had her membership. Honey was also one of the promoters of the senior play.

This 17-year-old would rather tell moron jokes that are simply "nutty" than anything, unless it is listening to Boogie-Woogie, especially Tommie Dorsey's. All foods are favored in her direction except asparagus, which she detests with a purple passion! Equally liked are Eleanor Powell, her favorite movie star, because she is so limber; Dentyne chewing gum; and all people in general! When asked about her dislikes, the answer was rather surprising. What do you suppose she dislikes more than anything? Waste paper baskets that are overflowing, especially when she has to sit next to them!

One day she went up in an airplane at Coleman, and that, (or so she sez), has been her most interesting experience. I believe I know why too, there was the best looking cadet who went up with her.

Eleanor Roosevelt is her ideal person, because Mrs. Roosevelt gets to travel around so much and see so many interesting things.

The one thing that Honey does fairly well is that she answers her correspondence promptly—if she isn't all wrapped up in one of Agatha Christie's Mystery novels.

Honey's future ambition is to be a stenographer. If this fails she's thinking of joining Barnum and Bailey in the Fat Woman's capacity.

Remember, kid, size has nothing to do with success.

Clear the field, here comes that A-1 farmer, Thomas Edwin Eubank, the one and only Jake, the city slicker in our senior play this year.

For an idea of the fine material that S.A.H.S. has, Edwin has ash blond hair, mischievous gray green eyes, weighs 135 pounds, 5 feet 11 inches tall, 15 years old and rather bashful, which only adds to his personality, gaining him friends by the dozens. He entered Santa Anna High as a freshman, coming from Trickham. He was a member of the F.F.A. Club when a freshman and

sophomore, also president of the class as a sophomore.

His favorite subject is chemistry, favorite author is Zane Grey. For amusement he likes very much to go to parties, skate, swim and read.

When asked for one thing that he does fairly well he said, "nothing," but we think he does everything plenty o.k.

After graduation he plans to attend A & M, where he will become a civil engineer.

We wish you happiness and success in your future years.

Band News

To whom it may concern: Dayton is having a party—I mean I guess you could call it a party—since I'm here, its gotta be a party, huh?

Let's see who all's here. Well, well, there's silly J. Cecil Grant-ham, in an ole silly "Lil Abner" outfit. My word (those things on the ends of his legs, feet,) I suppose you could call them! And there's—let me see—I guess no harm can come from it—over in one corner, busily engaged with Webb Golston, as to the number of other words that you can get out of the one word steamboat, is Marjorie Nicken's. Roland Day is perfectly quiet—feature that!

He even has a studious look on that fastidious "pan" of his. Joyce Hunter, Sybil Simpson, Mr. Keen, and Kenneth Moredock are arguing rather unconcernedly over the construction of a gun Mr. Keen is holding in his lap. (Calm yourself, not a real gun!)

Elizabeth Eeds is munching on a cookie and reading a book all at the same time. My gosh, what a "super-woman!" AND—who'd ever think that Leroy Stockard, that bashful little fish, would sit in a secluded corner playing "pat-a-cake" with Lavonia Lane. Oh well, you never can tell about these clarinet players, eh? Just about doubled over the radio, sipping—yes, mind you I said sipping—his cocoa, is Douglas Johnson. That live-wire, Upton "drip" has been running around for the past ten minutes holding his head and asking about the health of everyone else.

Right now, fifteen minutes later, yours truly just had to take out time to eat a few potato chips, it is now 11:30. Again I bring you all the news and nonsense that these eyes of mine view. Bark in Dayton's inter-sanctum who should I find, but Virginia Pettit devouring Tommie Dorsey's "Boogie-Woogie."

To the center of the party again we find Joyce Hunter thinking unpleasant things about her bud, Harper, because evidently he forgot to come up in the car for her. Carolyn Raye, Joyce Murdock, Jeannine and Virginia Stockard are sitting in a circle, laughing over something that must have been terribly funny, so funny in fact, that they can't stop laughing long enough to give me the details.

I see Billy Mulroy getting his coat, and wait—he's, he's holding Sybil's too. Peep and Squeak could profit from that last little item too, couldn't they?

That recent newcomer to our band, Bill Stell, is a sittin' on the piano bench, taking it all in He's probably never seen such people before. Take it from us, Bill, You'll see 'em all when you meet the band!

Claude Barrington is using the phone in the bedroom. Wonder who could be paging him at this place, and this hour of the night? Beverly Stockard is recuperating from the "Sadie Hawkins" dance we had a few minutes—well, perhaps it was hours ago!

Coyita Griffin and Betty Lou Williams are talking in the well modulated tones that good little girls use when conversing. Funny thing, too, I haven't caught them at a thing all night, and I don't, as a rule, let things slip by me!

A visit to the kitchen showed me where Mr. Keen and our hostess, Mrs. McDonald were keeping themselves. I like cookies too, Wilma!

So ends, my friends, this gruesome eye-witness story of the present happenings at Dayton McDonald's, "Sadie Hawkins" party for the band, Friday night February 11, 1944.

Evidently yours,
"Suzy"

Spanish Club Meets

The Santa Anna High School Spanish Club met February the 9th.

The meeting was called to order by our president, Elizabeth Eeds. She then turned the meeting over to W. H. Blake, who acted as master of ceremonies, and asked all the students of the first year Spanish questions that the students of Spanish Two had made up.

We had quite a good quiz game although we had to do something if we couldn't answer the question. They got good results from this when Dayton McDonald sang a song. (He did right well, too.) The bell then brought our meeting to a close.

GOSSIP

Hi Ya Folks,

What's cooking around your joints this week? Gossip we hope, for that's what we "filler" up on. Bet you can't guess who that blonde Garland Arrant goes with is? Since you can't, I'll tell you, it is Mary Jo Harris.

That 3rd period study hall is one of the most romantic periods we know of. Those "fish" don't mind showing their feelings for each other.

Howard Lee is quite a lady's

man, but at the present his heart belongs to Sarah Frances.

Can't you kids tell a difference in Julian's ways and actions lately. Reckon it's 'cause of a certain T.S.C.W. student, huh?

Pat Gilmore and Dorethea Fay are at it again, or haven't you noticed?

Each by each Deana and Richard are hitting it o.k. and have been for sometime, but you know those kids keep us uneasy for fear something WILL go wrong. We aren't lookin' for trouble, understand!!!

You kids got quite a scare at the park the other night, didn't you, but serves you right 'cause that "ain't" no place to go! Or is it?? Don't answer that.

Rita doesn't worry when she fails to get a letter every day 'cause she knows she'll get two the next day.

Johnnie seems to be a grand name according to two girls I heard talking one day. Joyce and Blondie have the history behind this name. Two can't keep a secret so we'll find out who he is.

Nell's sporting a guy from John Tarleton now by the name of Harold. Speaking of guys, we know a guy who asked about you now you ask us!

Say, you guys and gals who are planning on getting permanents go to 63872014 Boulevard Avenue. For reference, see Johnnie Vaughan.

Even though Webb has one injured wing, Nickie has two in good condition. Get what I mean?

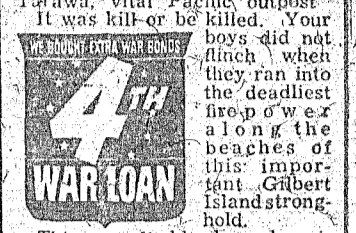
Our noted journalist, Suzy Stockard, simply swoons when Charlie Swoonatra Hale croons. "Left My Sugar In Salt Lake City."

Well, we'll quit shooting the breeze, for now.

S.A.H.S. Snoopers.

To the People of this Community

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United States Marines paid the stiffest price in human life per square yard for the capture of Tarawa, vital Pacific outpost. It was kill or be killed. Your boys did not flinch when they ran into the deadliest fire power along the beaches of this important Gilbert Island stronghold.



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THE EDITOR.

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Or will she grow up in a strong, healthy, prosperous America that offers every girl and boy the best education, the best job, the best chance to make the best living in all the world?

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Lesson for February 20

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JESUS TEACHES TRUE GREATNESS

LESSON TEXT—Mark 9:33-39; 10:13-16, 42-45.

GOLDEN TEXT—The Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give his life a ransom for many.—Mark, 10:45.

Ambition to be great is not wrong—provided one has a proper conception of greatness, and seeks it in a right way. Every one of us should be our very best, not for selfish reasons, but for God's glory.

The disciples were earnest and eager to have a place of honor with the Lord in glory, but even in that holy purpose they became selfish and argumentative. Jesus gives several marks of a truly great man.

Greatness Means Being—

I. Not First, but Last (9:33-35).

The way of the world is to seek the place of "No. 1 man"—to be looked up to, honored, and served by all. True greatness takes the last place, the place of a servant; and, God regards that as the first place.

It is not a question of timid diffidence, or self-effacement, but a willingness to take the humble place in order to serve all.

II. Not Proud, but Humble (9:36, 37).

"Great" people of this world have no time for children. Let them be cared for by servants, teachers, anyone at all, but not by their "distinguished" parents.

But Jesus said that the one who set aside human pride and received a child with humility of heart and mind—and in His name—received the Lord who gave them life—spiritual as well as physical—and is interested in them; in fact, He is with them and hence when we receive them in His name, He is there!

III. Not Exclusive, but Co-operative (9:38, 39).

John, quick to apprehend spiritual truth, saw in the teaching of Christ concerning the little child the condemnation of something he had done.

The man who casts out demons, or who gives the disciple of Jesus a cup of water, in His name—that is, with true faith in Christ, and in His power, and for His glory—must be a believer. He may not belong to our group or circle, he may not speak our language, he may not use our methods, but if he is serving Christ we should not forbid him or speak evil of him. You and I may not like one another's appearance, or voice, or methods, but let us love and co-operate with one another for Christ's sake!

IV. Not Important, but Approachable (10:13-16).

Some who think they are great, pride themselves on being hard to reach—protected from the rabble and their problems by secretaries and servants.

The disciples had built up such an idea of the importance of Christ in their own minds. He had never given them any ground for it either by word or deed.

So the man who is truly great follows in the Master's footsteps. He is approachable, kind, has time for simple folk and little children. If that isn't true of a man he is not great—no matter what he may think of himself or what others may say about him.

V. Not a Supervisor, but a Servant (10:42-44).

Christianity is not organized after the manner of secular government (v. 42). Much of the mischief that has come to pass in the church is the result of "running the church" as an organization, when it should be allowed to develop as a living organism.

The way up is down. That is always true in the spiritual realm. The Son of man came not to be ministered unto but to minister, yea, to give His very life (v. 45). Shall not those who bear His name walk the same path of humble self-denial? Anyone who observes with even a little care knows that the church of

Church Notices

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Bible School 10 A. M. Geo. P. Richardson, Supt.
Communion and preaching service 11 A. M.
Ernest H. Wylie, Pastor.

First Baptist Church
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Preaching services 11: a. m.
Training Union 7:15 p. m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p. m.
S. R. Smith, pastor.

Cumberland Presbyterian Church
Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening 9:00 p. m.
Preaching Services first and second Sunday evenings. Fourth Sunday morning and evening.
J. W. Burgett, pastor.

Assembly of God Church
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Christ's Ambassadors 6:45 p. m.
Evangelistic service 8:00 p. m.
Services, Thurs. and Sat. 8 p. m.
Everyone is urged to attend these services. Cottage prayer meetings are held each Tuesday night. It is only when "America" goes to her knees in prayer and humble contrition, that peace will again be restored.
Pastor, Gladys Lutke.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Church School 10:00 a. m., Mr. Hardy Blue, Supt.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Youth Fellowship 5:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
I was glad when they said unto me,
Let us go into the house of the Lord."
J. D. F. Williams, pastor

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Sunday School 10 a. m. J. T. Oakes, Supt.
Preaching service 11 a. m. on first, third and fifth Sundays by Rev. Ben H. Moore, pastor.
Auxiliary meets on Mondays following second and fourth Sundays.
Choir practice Sunday afternoons 5:00 o'clock, Gale Collier, director.

U.S. Soldiers Learn Languages
Through a series of phrase-books supplemented by phonograph records, American troops by the thousands are learning to speak and understand the essentials of as many as 30 different languages. Within a short time, no matter how remote from civilization, soldiers will have opportunity to study in any of 43 languages. Soldiers have been known to learn enough conversational Chinese after 15 hours of study to make friends with Chinese troops.

Join the Navy and see what's left of the world.

Jesus Christ is hindered most seriously by the presence of pride and selfish ambition. Some people will not work unless they can rule.

Are there then no Christians who humbly serve the Lord? Yes, praise His name, there are many, and wherever they are found they are the salt of the earth.

VI. Not Unselfish, but Sacrificial (10:45).

The world is full of people who want to be served. Their little personalities swell with pride and pleasure if someone else cringes and bows, and serves.

There is nothing commendable about being served. The great and good thing is to serve.

The Son of man—Himself the Lord of glory, the One who might have called legions of angels to do His will—came "not to be ministered unto but to minister." That service meant going about doing good even when He was exhausted and worn. But it meant far more than that, for it took Him to the cross where He gave "his life a ransom" for us. Are we ready to learn of Him?

Trickham News

(Too late for last week)

We have about decided we wont get to plant our crops very soon. We have had another big rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlon Ford are the proud parents of a baby girl, Joyce Marilyn, born Feb. 1st. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brice, Wilmalee and Bobby, of Brownwood, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Reed and Merline.

Mrs. Jesse Earl York, of Brownwood, visited with Mrs. Jess York awhile Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes, Lois, Reba and Jerry spent the week-end with her parents and brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Bowden and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bowden and Carolyn of Cherokee, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Mathews and children of Brookesmith spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. W. D. James.

Mrs. Jess York spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Moore and daughter, Mrs. Edgar Duncan of Leedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cole and boys of Brownwood, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Martin Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chelo James and Roberta visited awhile Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Jess York and Dayle.

There were not so many out to Sunday School and church Sunday as it was so cold and rainy. Bro. Wylie, the Christian pastor, preached.

Cpl. Jesse E. York, of Camp Mississippi is visiting with his wife and step mother this week. His wife will return to Mississippi with him.

Mr and Mrs. Fred Haynes Reba Lois and Jerry and Mr. and Mrs. Bernice McIver spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ford and family.

Mrs. Beula Kingston, Mrs. L. E. Page and Mrs. W. D. Craig spent one afternoon this week with Mrs. Albert Loudermilk.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes visited Sunday night with Mrs. Jess York, Dayle and Cpl. and Mrs. Jesse E. York.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy and Mrs. Beula Kingston spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Goodgoin of Placid, spent Monday with Mrs. Goodgions mother, Mrs. L. E. Page.

Mrs. Gene James and children and Nancy Jo Haynes Saturday afternoon with Mrs. S. E. Reed and Merline.

Needlegrass Control

Now is the time to start needle grass control, before it causes damage and while it can be used by livestock. Needlegrass has started its new growth in the Central Colorado Soil Conservation District; many new seedling plants are appearing and practically all of the old plants are putting out new growth. With moisture conditions favorable at this season it looks like a needlegrass year ahead, according to Howard Cheney, Range Conservationist of Coleman whose services are furnished the District by the Soil Conservation Service.

Some of the advantages of controlling needlegrass are the reduction of lamb losses from early weaning and the reduction of screw-worm losses and damaged carcasses. It also permits production of more desirable grasses. If not controlled and properly managed needlegrass will continue to spread.

The recommended method of needlegrass control consists of stocking the needlegrass pasture as heavily as forage will permit from the time needlegrass starts in late winter or early spring until buffalo grass and curly mesquite start spring growth at which time all stock should be removed from the pasture until about July 1st, after which time

the pasture should be properly stocked. Horses and cows make much better use of needlegrass than sheep and restrict its spread. In some pastures it will be desirable to cross fence to separate needlegrass areas from the part of the pasture not needing needle grass control. There are quite a few cooperators of the Central Colorado Soil Conservation District using this method of needle grass control and many more that intend to control their needlegrass this year.

Cheney expects to visit all ranch cooperators of the District during February and early March to assist them with needlegrass control.


Form Farmers' Club in War Camp

A farmers' club has been started in a British prisoners-of-war camp in Germany. Reports say that attendances are regular and that members come from all parts of the British Empire. Present discussions cover post-war plans for agriculture and the newest details of up to date farming practices. The National Farmers' Union intend to keep the camp well supplied with farming news.

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Coleman County State Bank

Written by Louise Dalton, Coleman, Texas
Student of Coleman High School

Field and Garden Seed

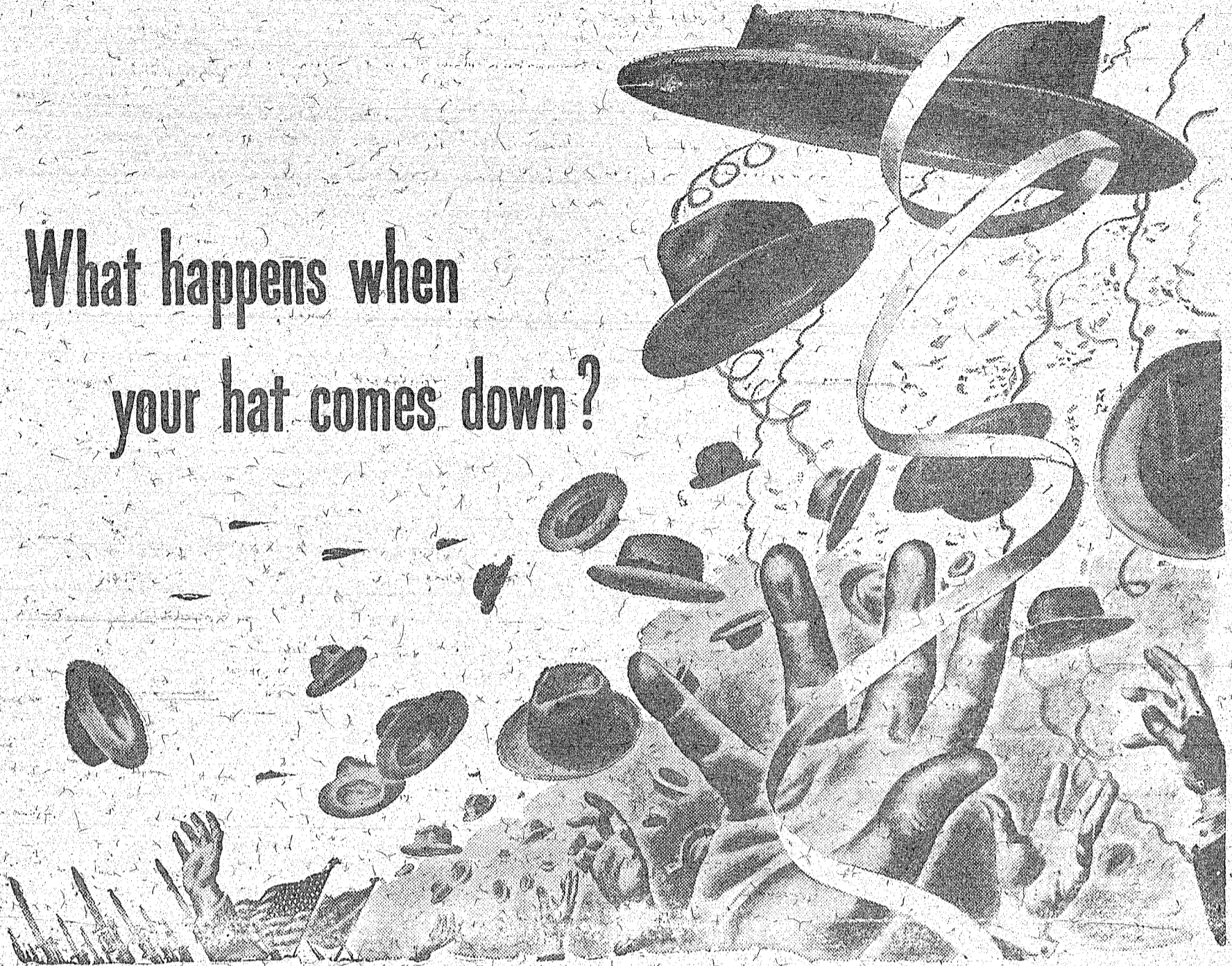
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Griffin Hatchery

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SOMEDAY, a group of grim-faced men will walk stiffly into a room, sit down at a table, sign a piece of paper—and the War will be over.

That'll be quite a day. It doesn't take much imagination to picture the way the hats will be tossed into the air all over America on *that* day.

But what about the day after?

What happens when the tumult and the shouting have died, and all of us turn back to the job of actually making this country the wonderful place we've dreamed it would be "after the War"?

No man knows just what's going to happen then. But we know one thing that must *not* happen:

We must *not* have a postwar America fumbling to restore an out-of-gear economy, staggering under a

burden of idle factories and idle men, wracked with internal dissension and stricken with poverty and want.

We must *not* have breadlines and vacant farms and jobless, tired men in Army overcoats tramping city streets.

That is why we must buy War Bonds now.

For every time you buy a Bond, you not only help finance the War. You help to build up a vast reserve of postwar buying power. Buying power that can mean millions of postwar jobs making billions of dollars' worth of postwar goods and a healthy, prosperous, strong America in which there'll be a richer, happier living for every one of us.

To protect your Country, your family, and your job *after the War—buy War Bonds now!*

Let's all **KEEP BACKING THE ATTACK!**

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AUTO-TRAIN CRASH
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ted track. One of the women was driving. No one will ever be able to tell the story, in our opinion. The victims were picked up and brought to the Sealy Hospital in a Hosh ambulance, but the bodies were so badly mangled, skulls crushed, bones broken and bodies generally over the entire bodies. Death of the two women soon followed. Bouchillon was killed instantly.

Patriotic Americans Discussed At Meet of Santa Anna Club

Mrs. S. R. Smith reviewed the "Life of George Washington Carver", when the Self Culture Club met with Mrs. C. D. Bruce Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Elsie Shield led the business session and gave a sketch of Lincoln as an American. Others taking part on the program were Mrs. Maggie Culver, who read a paper on the life of Lincoln's brother, Mrs. Glenn Williamson, who gave some stories of Lincoln.

Others present were Mrs. S. T. Weaver, A. L. Oder, Hardy Eric James, Harris, J. R. Banister and Preston Bailey.

Houston Visitor Feled In Santa Anna

Four tables of players were present when Mrs. W. E. Kelley honored her daughter, Mrs. Hines Baker of Houston, with a forty-two party Saturday afternoon at her home.

The Valentine theme was used, and refreshments were served to Mrs. Ford Barnes, C. D. Bruce, Jack Woodward, E. E. Abernathy, Dennis Kelley, Ross Kelley, W. E. Wallace, Oscar Cheaney, Archie Hunter, Kathleen Mitchell, Fred Turner, A. R. Brown, O. A. Etheredge, and J. R. Banister, and Miss Gay Turner.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and gratitude to all for your kind favors and words of sympathy in our bereavement following the tragical death of our parents and brother and sister-in-law.

Audry Mae Bouchillon
Sammie Jo Bouchillon and
the Bouchillon family.

Burgett Home Scene Of 4-H Club Party

Members of the 4-H Club Girls entertained with a Valentine party Friday night at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Burgett honoring members of the 4-H Club boys.

Games, contests and a Valentine box were featured and the refreshments were made by the girls themselves. Elaine Burgett, Barbara Bruce and Nancy Morgan were hostesses and others

present were Earl Gene Woodward, Hazel Cupps, Hazel Jean Rowe, La Juana Burgett, Reta Barrington, Genevieve Griffin, Bobby Hewlett, Billy Franklin, Robert Glenn Henderson, Gene Ray Griffin, Don Woodruff, Earl Gill, Joe Hal England, Benny Eass and Darwin Shrader.

Ward School P.T.A.

The Ward School P.T.A. met in regular session February 16. Mrs. Chap Eeds gave a very interesting talk on juvenile delinquency which was enjoyed by all. Mr. Burgett gave a report on our school playground equipment, stating that it would be bought as soon as material was available. The good attendance was very much appreciated and it is hoped it will continue.

Miss Pearson's sixth grade room won the attendance prize which will be a party.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to all who have been so thoughtful and kind to us during our illness. Your favors outweigh any words we have to express our gratitude.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dixon.

Rockwood News

(Mrs. Ray Caldwell)

Bro. and Mrs. Nobles of Brownwood was here Sunday morning and evening, but attendance at both services was small due to the bad weather.

There are several in our community who are sick with colds, but no serious illnesses.

Miss Minta Jane Hall, a member of the Lohn school faculty, has been at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hall the past few days with the flu. She was able to resume her duties Tuesday of this week.

Miss Edna Arnold, of Ft. Worth is spending her vacation at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Arnold. Edna is employed at North American Aircraft.

Roy Foreman, of Abilene, has been here visiting with his uncle Rice Foreman who is ill.

Walter Bates and son, Kenneth of Littlefield, were greeting friends here Friday.

S-Sgt. S. H. Estes, of San Antonio, and wife of Coleman spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. Lige Lancaster and family of Trickham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. King.

Miss Alta Lovelady of Santa Anna, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. J. C. Lovelady.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Blackwell and son, Stanley of Coleman, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Linnie Blackwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Steward and family, Mr. Jim Steward and daughter, Beatrice and Miss Mavis Box spent Sunday in Bangs with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper.

Mrs. J. D. Inghram is still on the sick list, but is improving slowly.

Mrs. Luther Woods and Mrs. Ruby Russell of Ballinger are here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart of Whon also visited them Friday afternoon.

Miss Hearthal King, of Santa Anna spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King.

Pvt. Warren Holland who is stationed at Ga., is visiting here. Bro. Harrell has been visiting his wife and son at Waco the past week. His son has been in a Navy hospital with injuries he received when his ship went down. We are happy to report that he has fully recovered and will report back for duty soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Cheek, of San Antonio, visited here with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Pondren and Mrs. Geo. Steward. Mrs. Steward will be remembered as Edith Ferguson.

Visitors in the home of Mrs.

Jack Bostick Sunday included, Mrs. Boss Estes and Weldon, Mrs. Claud Box, Mrs. Tom Bryan, Mrs. E. D. Black and Bro. and Mrs. Charles Nobles.

Mrs. Emmett Woods entertained the Intermediate Sunday School class with a Valentine social at the Baptist church Monday evening.

Mrs. Pauline Powers, of Shields visited with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Estes Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Williams, of Stephenville have just received a letter from their son, Pvt. Marshall Williams, who is now serving in oversea duty somewhere in Ireland. He sees only six hours of daylight. He has just received word from his wife who resided at Elk City, Okla., that he is the father of an eight pound boy. Congratulations, Mr. and Mrs. Williams. Marshall completed his high school education here and we hope for him the best of luck.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McSwain, of San Angelo, were business visitors here Tuesday.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John X. Steward last Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Steward and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Steward and family.

Mrs. John Will Bryaan is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Josh Bryan.

Odd bits of apple, not enough for a serving, can be added to cereals, salads, and puddings.

HUNTER WOODRUFF FOR RE-ELECTION

In announcing my candidacy for re-election to the office of County Treasurer I wish to thank the voters of Coleman County again for the generous support given me in the past and the many courtesies extended to me. I have tried to merit your confidence by attending to the duties of the office as efficiently as possible; the audit reports of the county's financial records show them to have been accurately kept and in balance. Also I have made a careful study of Federal Income Tax matters as pertaining to the Withholding Tax since it is now the duty of the County Treasurer to make these tax deductions on wages and salaries of the more than one hundred full and part-time County employees, and make the required reports of the amounts so withheld on each person to Federal Internal Revenue Collector.

On the basis of this record I solicit your continued support and if re-elected I promise you that I will continue to perform the duties of the office courteously and to the very best of my ability. Let me assure you that I will genuinely appreciate your vote and influence.

Hunter Woodruff

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Santa Fe system carloadings for the week ending February 12 were 21,501 compared with 20,453 for the same week in 1943. Cars received from connections totaled 13,174 compared with 12,232 for the same week last year. Total cars moved were 34,675 compared with 32,685 for the same week in 1943. Santa Fe handled a total of 35,963 cars in the preceding week of this year.

WHISTLE

If people would whistle more and whine less; hustle more and holler less; work more and worry less; boast more and beef less; the war would be won a whole lot quicker.

—Santa Fe Magazine.

Mrs. Claud Byers, of Melrose, New Mexico, is here visiting with her mother, Mrs. W. H. Gardner, who has been ill for several months.

Mrs. R. C. West and daughter, Miss Dixie Ann, of Wichita Falls, are visiting Mrs. West's father, J. S. Gilmore and other relatives here this week.

Skins of rhubarb and cranberries should be left on in preparing them. Raw cranberries may be ground with apples and an orange, and sugared well, to make a good salad.



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