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Editorial

John A. Stevenson, president of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company, recently presented a new approach to the railroad problem when he said: "As a believer in the fundamental soundness of our social and economic system, I am especially concerned over the railroads, because I believe the solution of their problem may indicate a trend in our social and economic life. If the railroads can be perpetuated as self-sustaining enterprises, owned by our citizens and financed out of their savings, I would consider that one of the surest safeguards for the preservation of an economic system which is based upon the private ownership of property and the freedom and the initiative of the individual. If, however, the railroads are not given the opportunity to keep their present status, then it would seem that the first definite step toward State Socialism has been taken. Surely other important forms of enterprise would speedily follow the lead and the American people, in accepting the results of this theory, must be prepared to accept a form of central social and economic organization which they have never fully up to this time fully debated and approved. So far the keystone of the American way of life has been that the freedom and initiative of the individual is the primary purpose of our government. If we are to have a free people, we must have a free people. If we value our institutions, let us not permit them to be hijacked by unscrupulous men. Railroads are the largest single aggregation of private capital and enterprise of all that America or private economic endeavor. In other words, they are the most at stake here than the welfare of our one industry. A theory of government, a great and magnificent system, may be in the balance. The railroads represent private initiative, private progress at their very best. They represent the work of hundreds of thousands of individuals, working together for the good of all. Whatever tends to maintain the railroads as a dynamic industry, privately owned and operated, tends to maintain the American enterprise system. Whatever tends to drive the railroads toward the dark morass that is socialism, tends to drive the American people toward a free people."

Italian rye grass makes an excellent green crop for poultry. In 1937-38, corn production in the United States was five times that of all Latin America.

Texas soil conservation districts are not confined to one section of the state but are well distributed.

Almost half a million bushels of corn were stored on farms in this country under the AAA's corn loan program through the past winter, spring and summer.

For the first time since 1929, farmers in the United States this year will receive a total cash income of at least nine billion dollars, the Department of Agriculture predicts.

Williamson County has been designated as an area for operation of the Department of Agriculture's food stamp plan. Operation of the program is expected to begin December 15.

IN EQUITY—NO. 236 (Wright)

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS, WACO DIVISION

J. M. Hubbert

Temple Trust Company

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 Leonard Wright a part of Block Three (3), Hassard's Subdivision of Block Two (2) of Clow's Second Addition to the Town of Coleman, Coleman County, Texas, together with all improvements thereon situated, and which lot is more particularly described by meter and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at the N. W. corner of that certain tract of land sold to Mrs. M. E. Kearney by L. M. Graham, et ux, by deed recorded in Vol. 61, page 623 of the Deed Records of Coleman County, Texas; THENCE South with the East line of San Saba Street as opened by C. H. Martin 90 feet; THENCE East 125 feet; THENCE North 90 feet; THENCE West 125 feet to the place of beginning.

and for a consideration of \$2,850.00, and of which amount, the sum of \$245.93 has been paid in cash and the balance, \$2,604.07, to be evidenced by one note in said sum, to be executed by said

purchaser, 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 \$10.00 each, the first instalment to become due and payable on or before January 1, 1941, and a similar instalment on or before the first day of each succeeding month until said note has been paid in full, both principal and accrued interest, to bear interest from December 1, 1940, 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 all past due principal and interest to bear interest from maturity at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and to provide that failure to pay any monthly instalment 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 December, A. D. 1940.

H. C. GLENN, As Receiver for Temple Trust Company, Temple, Texas. (Published Dec 13 20 1940)

IN EQUITY—NO. 236 (Pinkerton)

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When your shoes need repairing, bring them to us. We give careful attention to our work and with modern methods and machinery make 'em look "Brand New." Our low prices and guaranteed work will meet your needs. Try us. A wide range of other leather work handled with dispatch.

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Glen Williamson, Surgeon.

CHRISTMAS



No one could be more sincere in thanking you for the many evidences of your friendship and in wishing you a

Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year

H. D. SPECK
BARBER SHOP



COMPLIMENTS OF THE SEASON And Best Wishes that you and yours may have Happiness and Good Cheer

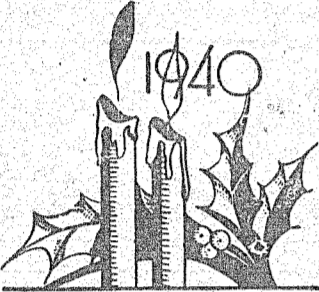
J. W. PARKER
TAILOR SHOP



BEST WISHES TO PATRONS AND FRIENDS FOR A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A PROSPEROUS, HAPPY NEW YEAR NINETEEN FORTY-ONE

TODD'S DAIRY

CHRISTMAS



I wish to take this occasion to thank you who have given me your plumbing work and you who have referred others to me and to wish you all a very

MERRY CHRISTMAS

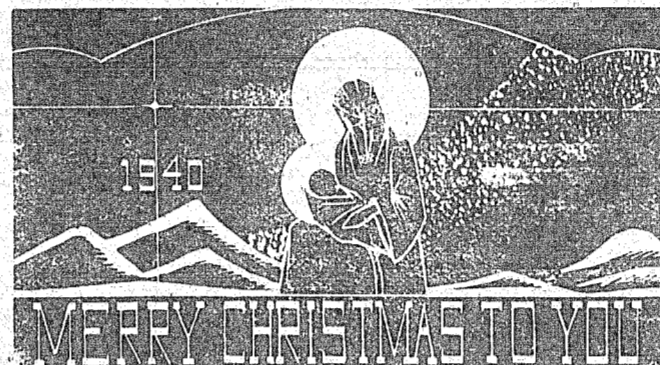
F. W. FRANK HAYES



AS OLD FRIENDS

we again send our greetings with a full sense of gratitude for having been able to serve you, and to take part in the life of this community. May all the joys of the Yuletide be yours. May you find Prosperity Health and Happiness in fullest measure.

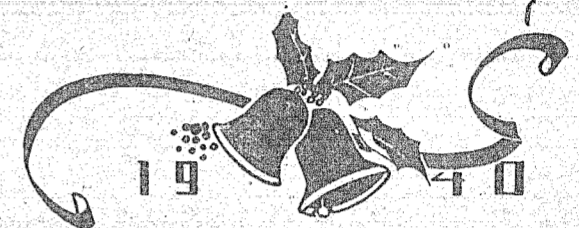
B. T. VINSON GROCERY



So that we may not overlook any of our many friends we take this opportunity to wish all of you a "Merry Christmas." We sincerely hope that good fortune will follow you in all your plans during the coming year.

S. A. BOARDMAN SERVICE STA.

CHRISTMAS CHEER



YEAR AFTER YEAR

JUST THE SAME OLD GREETING

But backed by a world of sincerity from every person in this firm. May your Holidays be filled with every happiness!

C. F. CAMPBELL



WITH OUR HEARTIEST GREETINGS

As you gather with your loved ones this Christmas we send our sincere greetings, and wishes for your success and happiness.

Your thoughtfulness during the past year, your friendly courtesies we count as splendid things in our lives. Not all the gain in any business can be entered in a cash register, or written in a ledger, and we are deeply appreciative of your friendship—our most treasured possession.

We pledge ourselves in the future to even greater efforts to merit your continued confidence, to greater service to you and to the community. May your Christmas be truly happy!

COLEMAN GAS AND OIL COMPANY



MORE AND MORE SINCERE

With the passing years are our Christmas Greetings to you, because every year we realize more keenly how rich your friendship has been. We wish for you every Happiness!

LEEPER-CURD LUMBER CO.



MAY YOU HAVE ALL THE JOYS OF AN OLD TIME CHRISTMAS

SANTA ANNA GAS COMPANY



RING OUT THE OLD MESSAGE

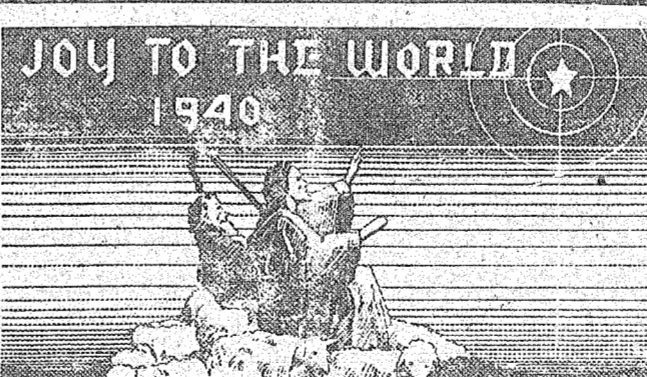
Time cannot lessen the comfort that comes with the centuries-old words—"Joy to the World." In them we find a message of hope and promise—especially needed these days.

Events cannot completely dim the spiritual renewal we find each year in the Christmas story. Men come and go, nations rise and fall, clouds may darken the sky for a time, but the Story of Bethlehem is eternal—growing stronger with the passing years.

We count it a privilege to be able to again extend our Christmas wishes to the many friends we have made in this community, for in friendships we find the worth-while things of life.

And with all sincerity we extend our greetings, and wishes for your happiness and prosperity.

BURTON-LINGO LUMBER COMPANY



THE STORY THAT NEVER GROWS OLD

The Christmas Story is ever new because it comes from the heart, just as the privilege of wishing you a

MERRY CHRISTMAS

is always a pleasure for us.

We extend our Best Wishes that this may be the very best Christmas you have ever had.

MAGNOLIA SERVICE STATION

B. A. McSWAIN, Manager
When you need Tires and Batteries, See Us.



TO OUR MANY FRIENDS

The Holiday Season would not be complete unless we wished for all our friends "A Merry Christmas" and thanked them for all the favors they have shown us in the past.

May the Christmas Bells bring to you

HAPPINESS
SUCCESS
HEALTH
PROSPERITY

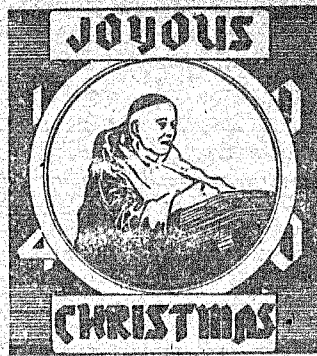
EVANS' GARAGE



In the bustle of these days let us not forget the sacred significance of Christmas. And may it bring all of you the rich happiness you deserve.

Merry Christmas to Everyone!

L. A. WELCH



TO OUR FRIENDS

At this Yuletide season we are happy to again send our Greetings, and Best Wishes for All Happiness and Success for each and every one of you.

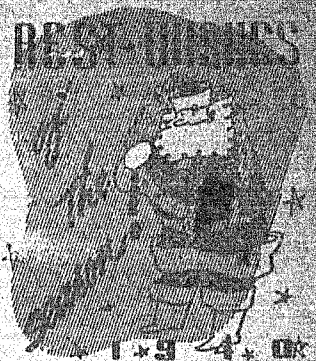
D. O. LANE



GREETINGS TO YOU

It is one of the pleasantest customs of the year to renew friendly associations by saying, "Merry Christmas" and a "Happy New Year." You may be sure we extend our greetings in all sincerity. May 1941 bring you Joy, Prosperity and Health in the wish of every person in this establishment.

HI-WAY CAFE



AT CHRISTMAS TIME

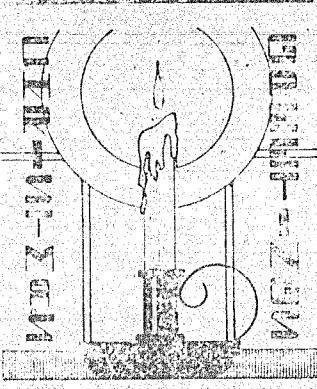
We review the past years, and count our blessings again. Our greatest asset has been your friendship, and we take special pleasure in this greeting as a small token of our appreciation of you and your good will.

WILSON'S WASHATERA



Most cherished among the gifts bestowed by the passing year is the memory of the pleasant relations with those whom we have been privileged to serve, and it is with all sincerity that we wish you a very Merry Christmas and Prosperous and Happy New Year, overflowing with the good things of life.

STEPHEN'S BEAUTY SHOP



THIS THE SEASON TO BE JOLLY

wish you and yours the and it is the season to wish you and yours the best of everything in the Christmas Season and the New Year of 1941. May it be filled with Happiness!

SANTA ANNA BEAUTY SHOP



TO EACH OF YOU

Now we mean just exactly that—"Merry Christmas!" May the fire on your hearth glow more brightly because of the happiness your friendship brought to us in the past. And may the joys you so richly deserve be many and lasting.

PHILLIPS DRUG CO.



TO OUR CUSTOMERS IN SANTA ANNA AND TRADE TERRITORY

Most cherished among the gifts bestowed by the passing year is the memory of the pleasant relations with those whom we have been privileged to serve, and it is with all sincerity that we wish you all the Joys of the Holiday Season.

May it bring you good cheer, peace and every happiness to abide in your heart.

L. A. ABERNATHY

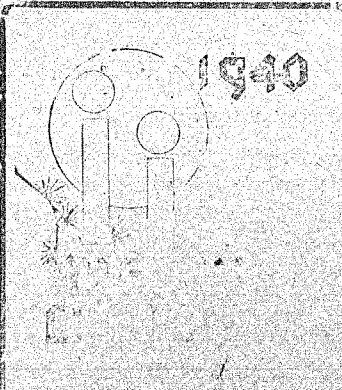


HERE'S TO YOU AND YOURS

To their continued happiness—to their increasing prosperity.

The good wishes of this firm go too all the loyal friends at this Holiday Season.

BRINSON'S BAKERY



FOR A MERRY CHRISTMAS

Most cherished among the gifts bestowed by the passing year is the memory of the pleasant relations with those whom we have been privileged to serve, and it is with all sincerity that we wish you a very Merry Christmas and Prosperous and Happy New Year, overflowing with the good things of life.

SERVICE CAFE



WE CAN'T THANK YOU

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MAY THE BEST

Most cherished among the gifts bestowed by the passing year is the memory of the pleasant relations with those whom we have been privileged to serve, and it is with all sincerity that we wish you all the Joys of the Holiday Season.

RADIO ELECTRIC SHOP



MAY ALL THE HAPPINESS OF THE SEASON BE YOURS

With a genuine appreciation of our pleasant relations, we extend to you the Season's Greetings. We wish you all the Happiness of 1941, with an abundance of Prosperity in the New Year.

RED & WHITE STORES



There are so many things we would like to say to each of you—personal wishes created by our mutual friendship. These things are in our heart and you will know that this simple greeting covers them all. We sincerely wish that this Christmas may bring you Peace, Prosperity, Health and Happiness in fullest abundance.



ONCE AGAIN

we say "Thank You" for your friendly patronage and loyalty, and extend to you Best Wishes for a

MERRY CHRISTMAS

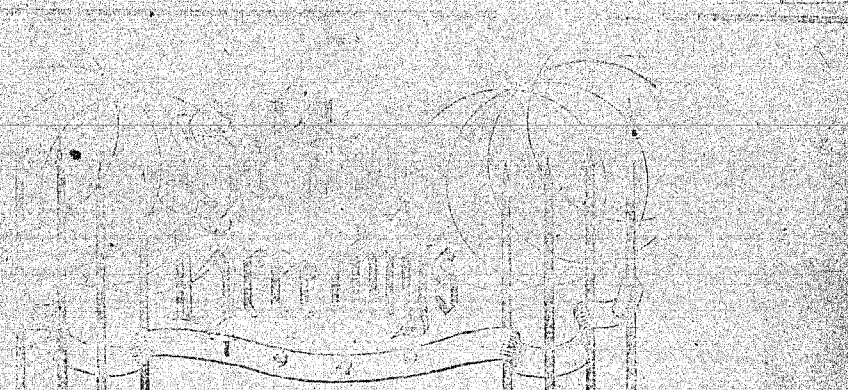
and a happy and prosperous New Year for Nineteen Forty One.

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SINCERELY ****

Although we have been extending to you our Christmas Greetings for many years, we have found in them a continual pleasure, because they give us an opportunity to show in a small way our appreciation of your friendship.

This year, even more than usual, the practice of wishing you Happiness, Prosperity, and Success at Christmas seems more than ever appropriate. The troubled times through which we have been passing have made us even more keenly appreciative of your loyal friendship and your patronage.

We dedicate ourselves to greater service to you, to greater courtesies, to making our community a better place in which to live. Every person in this firm feels the responsibility and accepts it gladly.

SANTA ANNA TELEPHONE COMPANY

Classified

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SWAP— Good 2 wheel trailer for oats, cotton seed or baled millet. L. A. Abernathy.

LOST— A laundry bag containing articles of clothing somewhere between the depot and 1 mile north of town on the gap of the Mountain road. Return to Santa Anna News. Liberal Reward. 1tp

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Santa Anna Tex., Dec. 18, 1940. Dear Santa Claus: The Santa Anna Home Making Project girls would like an expensive radio for Christmas. Please don't forget us. N. Y. A. Girls

NOTICE OF SHAREHOLDERS MEETING

The annual meeting of the Shareholders of the Santa Anna National Bank of Santa Anna, Texas will be held at the office of said Bank on the 14th day of January 1941, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., for the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. O. L. CHEANEY, Cashier.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank our many friends, who offered words of sympathy and help during the recent illness and death of our beloved father, E. C. Traylor. The Traylor Children.

The optimists who claim that the world is getting better each day evidently don't know much about the nights.

DR. R. A. ELLIS



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- Flashlights 59c to \$1.50

BLUE HARDWARE CO.

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BATTERIES - EXCHANGE

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SOME REMAINING SPECIALS

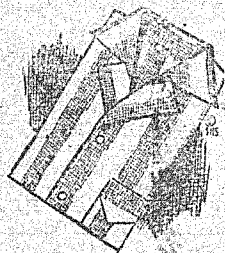
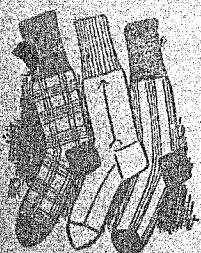
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SPRY FOR YOUR CHRISTMAS BAKING... 3Lb. Can **.49**

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THE RED & WHITE STORES

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Chas. W. Koberg, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas Koberg II of San Angelo and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Miller of Coleman, who is just five years of age, killed an 18 point buck recently while hunting with his dad south of Ozona. He used a high powered rifle and knocked the buck down at 60 yards. The

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Santa Anna, Texas

Letter to Old Santa Claus

Santa Anna, Tex., Dec. 13, 1940
Dear Santa:

I have been a good girl. So please bring me a doll, dishes, and a ball. Also some nuts, fruit and candy. Please come to see the other little boys and girls.
With Love,
Ola May Howington.

Santa Anna, Tex., Dec. 17, 1940.
Dear Santa:

I am a little girl six years old. This is my first year in school. I have been on the honor roll both times I got my report card. I have been a good little girl so I want you to bring me a doll, black board and lots of candy, nuts and fruit. Don't forget the other little boys and girls.
Your little friend,
Wanda Lou Stearns

Santa Anna, Tex., Dec. 13, 1940
Dear Santa:

I hope you don't forget us. We are two little tots, just one and two years old. We want a red rocker and a rubber doll apiece and I want a pair of little white snow shoes and Jimmie a pair of little black snow shoes and some candy and fruit and a little wagon.

Two Little Tots,
Sammie Roe & Jimmie Serratt

Santa Anna, Tex., Dec. 13, 1940
Dear Santa:

Please bring me a football and please don't forget the other little children.
Your Little Friend,
Luther James Talley.

Santa Anna, Tex., Dec. 13, 1940
Dear Santa:

Christmas will soon be here and I am afraid I won't get to come to town to see you, so I am writing you this letter to tell you what I want you to bring me for Christmas.

I hope you bring me a doll with curly hair that can cry and sleep. Doll bed, a little table and two chairs, set of dishes some candy, nuts and fruit.
Please don't forget the other little girls and boys.
Nena Marie Ferguson.
Age 4

Santa Anna, Tex., Dec. 14, 1940
Dear Santa:

I hope you don't forget me this Christmas. I want a purse, pair of snow shoes, a sweater and a doll that has hair and sleeps and cries, so I can play dolls with my baby sister. Please don't forget my little playmates that go to Buffalo school.
Maxine Ferguson.
Age 12

Gouldbusk, Tex. Dec. 13, 1940
Dear Santa Claus:

We want you to bring us each a doll that will cry, a little stove, an aluminum tea set and a new purse.

We would like to have some fruits, nuts and candy and we need some new socks.

We will be proud of anything you bring.
Don't forget mother and our two brothers, also remember all the little girls and boys.

Your little friends,
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Santa Anna, Aex., Dec. 18, 1940
Dear Santa Claus:

I am sending you this letter to let you know what I want for Christmas.
Please bring me a pair of house shoes, a cooking set, some doll clothes, fruit, nuts and candy. I am nine years old.
Your little friend,
Vada Dell Gober

Santa Anna, Tex., Dec. 17, 1940
Dear Santa:

I am seven years old. I want a big doll and doll clothes. I have been a good girl. I love you Santa Claus.
Geneva June Parker.

Santa Anna, Tex., Dec. 17, 1940
Dear Santa:

I am a little boy seven years old. Please bring me a cowboy suit, football, wrecker, drum and bingo set and also fire works. Don't forget the other little boys and girls.
Your little friend,
James Gale Smith

Santa Anna, Tex., Dec. 17, 1940
Dear Santa:

How are you Santa I am fine and have tried to be a good girl this year.
For Christmas I want some doll clothes, set of dishes, pair of gloves, tooth brush and some paste, some candy, nuts and fruit. Don't forget my sister, Patty Jean and all the orphan children.
Lots of Love,
Celesta Carter

NEWS FROM TEXAS UNIVERSITY

A concentrated dose of "mail-order" education may admit a University of Texas correspondence student to service in his country's air corps.

Desiring to come under the classification of a "flying cadet" yet shy nine hours of college work, the student recently registered in the University Extension Teaching Bureau, then completed three correspondence courses in record time, Miss Julia Vance, registrar, said.

The entire time spent in passing the requirements, sending in the final examinations by special delivery, then a delivery of transcripts to the flying field was one month.

Their "ski-train" will be a fleet of buses, but Texas College of Mines and Metallurgy students are going to travel 125 miles to hold their first Winter Carnival January 29, in the appropriate atmosphere.

Scene of the Snow Fiesta, over which a student chosen "Snow-Queen" will reign, will be Cloudcroft, N. M., famous mountain resort.

Ice, skating, ski and toboggan contests will be held and prizes awarded to the champions. Though situated more than

600 miles from the main campus at Austin, the Mines college is a branch of the University of Texas as.

The Prospector, student newspaper at the College of Mines and Metallurgy at El Paso, a branch of the University of Texas, has taken to the air.

Weekly radio programs under the title, "Mines on the Air," are broadcast each Wednesday at 9:30 from Station KPSSM, featuring student talent in musical numbers and news casts. Leading campus personalities are interviewed on the programs.

Texas of all the states has the largest number of rural people without libraries, according to the People's Library Movement of Texas.

Studies made by the safety committee of the General Federation of Women's Clubs show that 81 percent of pedestrians look neither way before crossing a street; 17 percent look in only one direction, and two percent look both ways.

Much of the tropical zone of South America lies at an altitude that makes the climate like that of the temperate zone. The continent represents 13 percent of the earth's surface and contains four per cent of its population.

IN EQUITY—NO. 236 (Stokes)

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS, WACO DIVISION

J. M. Hubbert vs. Temple Trust Company

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

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Cecil Stokes and wife, Vera Stokes, all of Lot One (1) in Block Two (2) of Beakley's Addition to the Town of Coleman, Coleman County, Texas, together with all improvements thereon situated,

and for a consideration of \$700.00, and of which amount, the sum of \$169.37 has been paid in cash, and the balance, \$530.63, 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 \$10.00 each, the first installment to become due and payable on or before January 1, 1941, and a similar installment on or before the first day of each succeeding month until said note has been paid in full, both principal and accrued interest, to bear interest from December 1, 1940, 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 all past due principal and interest on said note to bear interest from maturity at the rate of ten per cent per annum, 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 December, A. D. 1940.
H. C. GLENN,
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SOCIETY-CLUBS

Personals

Mrs. Warren Gill of Whion was a Santa Anna visitor Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Josh Bryan were shopping in Santa Anna Saturday.

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H. W. Norris, freshman at A & M College, arrived Saturday for a three-week holiday visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Norris.

Mr. and Mrs. John Strickland left Monday to spend several days with their parents at Glen Cove before moving to Abilene to make their home.

Mrs. Harry Epps of Brownwood visited in Santa Anna Tuesday afternoon.

Bill Rehm of Rockwood was in Santa Anna Monday.

Mrs. John Dillingham of Shields was shopping in Santa Anna Tuesday.

Jos Bruton Flores, student at Allen Academy at Bryan, is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Flores.

Ogden McGonagil went to Fort Worth last week to see a bone specialist. We are glad to report that the condition of Ogden's leg is improving.

Mrs. Pauline Harper and Alne Harper attended a 4-H club program at the Crossroads school Monday night.

Mrs. Pauline Massour of San Antonio, wife of the late Lieut. J. N. Massour, was instantly killed Tuesday morning when her car overturned five miles south of Brady. Her mother, Mrs. Brown of Abilene, received bruises and cuts about the face and body.

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The Mother Singers will meet with Miss Elsie Lee Harper Sunday morning at 10:15 before going to the Methodist Church where they will present a Christmas program.

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mas program. The sponsors of the library board will sponsor a picture show the early part of January. "Strike Up The Band," was not sponsored by the board, as was previously announced.

Leman Brown made a business trip to Austin Thursday. Mrs. W. L. Campbell is visiting relatives in Beaumont this week.

Geo. Scott and Buddy Weaver went to Coleman on business Wednesday.

Mrs. Finis Bryan spent Wednesday with her brother, A. F. Bell, in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Zimmerman moved to Santa Anna from Brady the early part of the week. Mr. Zimmerman is employed at Piggly Wiggly.

Sam Collier returned from a business trip to Dallas, Fort Worth and Forney Tuesday.

Mrs. Denby Wise and Claudea Wise of Rockwood were shopping in Santa Anna Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wallace, Cody Wallace, Scott Wallace and Scott Jr., went to Fort Worth Tuesday.

C. K. Hunter of New London, arrived Tuesday morning to spend the Christmas holidays with his daughter, Mrs. Ross Kelley and Mrs. Arthur Turner.

Mrs. H. W. Kingsbery, Mrs. Fred Turner and Mrs. Jack Woodward attended the Walter Woodward funeral in Coleman Wednesday afternoon.

D. G. Farmer of Miles was a business visitor in Santa Anna Monday and Tuesday.

Aubrey Petree moved to Abilene Monday. Mr. Petree resigned his position at the local bakery to take over the management of his bakery in Abilene.

Mrs. H. W. Kingsbery is adding a bedroom and porch to the west side of her home on Main Street.

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- Brassiers 25c to \$2.50
- Other Gifts 25c Up

Delle Loudamy visited in Big Springs. The Irl Burdens will move to San Angelo next week. Santa Anna, Tex., Dec. 18, 1940 Dear Santa: I am a little boy four years old. I have tried to be good, and daddy a rod and reel.

Please bring me a box of chocolate candy, some chewing gum, a tricycle, a tool chest, some balloons, a dart gun and apples, oranges and nuts. Please bring mother a pair of house shoes.

Don't forget the other little boys and girls. Your little friend, Wamon Monroe Upchurch. Patronize Santa Anna merchants.



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- Fruit Cakes, 1 pound size, each 29c
- Fruit Cake, 2 pound size, each 57c
- Brazil Nuts, large package for 19c
- Walnuts, large package at only 23c
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We want to thank you for the Business you have given us in 1940, we hope that we have pleased you with our merchandise and service, and we hope that it has warranted your continued patronage.

We wish every one and their families a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, with prosperity for all.

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