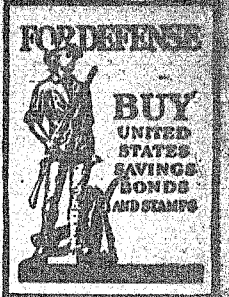




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Coleman County Turkey and Poultry Show, Santa Anna, December 5-6

This Week in Our Town

SANTA ANNA'S FIRST SCOUT COURT OF HONOR will be held at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church December 2nd. Parents of Scouts and those who have no boys in the Scouts, should be present. Santa Anna Boy Scouts are making a bit of history these days.

LOOKED LIKE ROY REID intended to build a house Monday afternoon, so much new lumber was unloaded in front of his 5 and 10. But it was only for more storage and display work.

THANKSGIVING IN SANTA ANNA will be observed on the 27th, with only the drug stores, cafes and filling stations open part time. The latter may be open all day, but all dry goods and grocery stores will close in the good old American holiday spirit.

THE RED CROSS ROLL CALL solicitors got a nourishing send off Tuesday A. M. with a committee breakfast at the Service Cafe. There were ten ladies in the group.

SANTA ANNA SCHOOLS WILL observe the Rooseveltian Day Thanks in order for the teachers to attend a meeting in the City of Houston. Next year a return to the Pilgrim Plan will be observed as heretofore.

HOWARD PEARSON HAS received an appointment as program chairman at the Lions Club, vice Charles Mathews, who has moved to Colorado City. First Vice President Roy Reid made the appointment in the absence of Pres. O. L. C.

AS RESULT OF A RECENT request by Santana boys in the army at Camp Bowie, plans are underway to furnish the Co. Recreation Room for the Anti-Tank Company. Up to Tuesday noon the list of needed fixtures had not been made, but a committee of local business men has undertaken to survey the needs and secure action. The City, Lions Club and Chamber of Commerce, aided by citizens not members of the two clubs, are underwriting the project.

LION BILL MULROY declared Tuesday at club luncheon that the Tallwister Lion Lovelady, gave him indigestion every Tuesday with his incessant talk of films. Others declared that Lion Chas. Mathews had left Santa Anna because the Tallwister not only bankrupted him, but embarrassed him as well.

SANTA ANNA BEATS MOZELLE HERE 13-0

The Santa Anna Mountaineers beat Mozelle in the second game played with them this season, on the Santa Anna field Tuesday afternoon, November 19 with a score of 13 to 0.

The Mozelle boys played a hard game, but were unable to hold those Santa Anna boys. Haynes broke loose in the first quarter on an off tackle play and behind perfect blocking ran 40 yards for a touchdown. McClain plunged over for the extra point. Mozelle, did most of the playing for the rest of the half but were unable to score. Casey and McClain intercepted passes which stopped their drives.

In the third quarter McClain broke loose and ran 70 yards for the second score. Try for extra point failed.

Mozelle threatened in the fourth quarter but Cupps intercepted the pass which stopped the drive.

Dale Nolan, one of Santa Anna's best linemen fractured his collar bone in the second quarter and was out the rest of the game.

Julian Whitley turned in a fine game in Nolan's place.

Santa Anna plays Brady the 22nd in their final game.

Breeders and Feeders Tour

Despite the rush of saving feed crops and planting small grains about 50 members of the Coleman County Breeder-Feeder Association and friends and visitors attended a very pleasant and profitable tour last Friday. The group left the Agriculture Building at 8:45 a. m. and made its first stop at the W. R. Tisdale farm. Here they saw a number of high grade registered Rambouillet sheep. W. R. Nisbet, Sheep and Goat Specialist of the Extension Service was present and praised the animals very highly for their size, worth and vigor. The group next visited the Alex Poyell stock farm where both sheep and short horn cattle were seen. Mrs. Harroll Cavanaugh gave an interesting discussion on the short horn breed and exhibited some excellent heifers, bulls and calves. The next stop was at the C. B. Jameson farm. Here the group inspected registered sheep and short horn cattle. Interest was shown in the excellent barns and equipment found on the Jameson place. The group next went to the Dibrell Ranch where they enjoyed seeing some breeding cows and calves and the fine bull recently purchased by Mr. Dibrell.

Barbecue lunch was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thate. After lunch a very interesting and instructive program was given. It included a talk on National Defense by Mr. C. H. Day, Field Representative of the AAA, Mr. W. R. Nisbet spoke on sheep production, Raymond McElrath, secretary of the Association discussed the problems of the Breeder-Feeder group and urged those who have not done so to join at once. Other guests present included, W. I. Glass, District Agent of the A&M Extension Service, Mrs. C. H. Day, W. E. Selman, Administrator of the FSA, H. M. Haswell, in charge of the Water Facility Program, Clyde Thate, Vice President, acted as chairman in the absence of Ford Barnes, President. Following the program the group inspected fine Rambouillet sheep which he recently purchased in Utah.

The afternoon tour included visits to the ranches of Frank Hudson, Jack Coker, and Hugh Bush where excellent types of registered cattle were seen. Those present seemed well pleased with the tour and felt that the day was well spent.

BOY SCOUT COURT OF HONOR SCHEDULED FOR SANTA ANNA IN DEC.

The last Court of Honor of the year will be held at the Presbyterian Church (Cumberland) at Santa Anna (hdtetoland) here and there will be a number of Scouts who will receive medals on Tuesday night, December 2. The meeting was originally scheduled for November 25, according to W. R. (Bill) Postma, Boy Scout executive for this area.

All troops in the county are invited to take part in the affair although Troops 85 and 86 are the hosts.

At the ceremony the scout pennant will be delivered to the winning troop. Troop 15 of Coleman and Troop 59 of Talpa are now tied in the contest.

SANTA ANNA LIONS CLUB IS REPRESENTED AT DIST. MEET

The Santa Anna Lions Club was well represented at Zone meeting at Coleman last Friday night, five members were in attendance, accompanied by their wives. These were Lions Roy Reid, R. R. Lovelady, D. D. Byrnes, Rex Golston and Hardy Blue. The Band Master and his lady were also present, guests of the local club on the entertainment program.

Plans have been completed for the largest show of its kind ever to be held in Santa Anna on December 5-6, 1941. Programs for the show have been printed and will be distributed over the entire county. The main object of the show is to show the progress that has been made in the Poultry Industry in Coleman County in recent years and to encourage further improvement by securing better breeding stock, better care, better feeding, and to cooperate with others in securing better markets for the farm produce of Coleman County.

The program arranged is as follows:

Friday, December 5

- 8 A. M. — Entering Exhibits Begins
- 2 P. M. — Judging Exhibits and Awarding Ribbons

Saturday, December 6

- Lecture on Poultry Feeding by Prof. H. C. Homeyer of Universal Mills.
- Diseases of Turkeys and Chickens by Dr. H. R. Carpenter of Globe Laboratories
- Disease Clinic conducted by L. W. Miller of the American Products Co.
- Free Moving Picture of Poultry and Diseases will be given by Dr. Salsbury's Laboratory
- Coleman County Home Demonstration Dept. will demonstrate the food value of poultry and eggs.
- Coleman County REA will have an educational demonstration

Will Equip Club Room

Our boys from Santa Anna, the National Guard Unit that is located in Santa Anna and is now the 142nd Anti-Tank Company in Camp Bowie, need our assistance in furnishing their "Day Room". They have not complained but a recent visit with these boys has revealed this very pressing need.

Other towns and cities have been thoughtful enough to at least do their bit in making the boys more comfortable in Camp We HAVEN'T, but we MUST. We should welcome an opportunity like this and attend to IMMEDIATELY.

H. C. BOWMAN, METHODIST PASTOR STAYS IN S. A.

Rev. H. C. Bowman, local Methodist pastor, who has served the Santa Anna church for three years will remain with us this next year, according to an announcement at the recent Methodist conference at Fort Worth.

There were only two changes made in Methodist pastorates in Coleman County, which are: A. E. Turney, who has served at Talpa for three years, was transferred to Eules - Smithfield; and the Rev. F. H. Ingram was transferred from Rockwood to Haslet.

New ministers include: The Rev. W. E. Harrell, from Tolar to Rockwood and the Rev. W. T. Taylor, from Oglesby to Talpa-Crews.

Other Methodist pastors in the County and the number of years they have served: Burkett, L. M. Lawson (2), Novice, Pleas Todd (3), and Valera G. C. Bowman (2).

LEEDY SCHOOL TO HAVE PIE SUPPER

The Leedy School will have a pie supper, Friday evening, Nov 21st at the school building. Everyone is invited to attend.

Trade at home Report your parties, etc

Heart of Texas News Briefs

Brady Bulldogs defeated Winters in the Armistice football game at Winters last week by a score of 34 to 14.

Final marketing and shipping of turkeys for the Thanksgiving season ended at Brady last week with a total of nine carloads of fowls leaving Brady for eastern markets. The shipping included eight cars of dressed turkeys and one car of live turkeys.

Seventeen carloads of dressed turkeys have been shipped up to Tuesday from Brownwood for the Thanksgiving market and more shipments were due as plants were still working birds brought in Saturday. Most of the business is on an advance basis. The growers received preliminary payments of around 15 cents a pound for No. 1 fowls and will get the difference between the advance and the final selling price later.

Contract for construction of six buildings and 65 tent frames in the Third Army area at Camp Bowie has been awarded to Homer A. Parks of Dallas on a bid of \$42,900.

Brownwood property valuations this year total \$10,722,500, according to the 1941 city tax roll adopted by the City Council last week. The total represents an increase of almost \$1,500,000 over the 1940 roll which totaled \$9,330,000. The roll showed real estate valued at \$8,496,415 and personal property valued at \$2,226,085.

The poppy sale in the city of Brownwood was the biggest in years, bringing in \$257.25.

McCulloch County Commissioners court will play Santa to needy families in Brady by donating the pecans from trees on the court house square to be used in Christmas baskets, according to recent action taken by the court. The nuts will amount to approximately 250 pounds.

Holiness Assn. Meets Next fifth Sunday Holiness Association will meet at the Nazarene Church in Coleman, Nov. 29 and 30.

Rev. Mrs. Pearl Keaton is pastor. There will be all day services on Sunday.

Our Street Program

Yes, that is what every citizen of Santa Anna wants and it is what we will have if every citizen of this town as well as every property owner WILL DO HIS PART.

As everyone knows, a street paving project for Santa Anna has already been approved by Washington authorities and calls for an expenditure of \$120,000 to \$140,000 of FEDERAL FUNDS. We also know that we've got to share our part of the load before we can get this money. The time has come to take YOUR stand FOR this project so that the City Officials can go ahead and draw final plans in order that everything will be in readiness to begin work just as soon as the Lake Project is finished.

No man has a right to refuse his support to a community movement any more than the community has a right to refuse its protection to any man. This includes YOU. Your support of this project is needed.

SOLDIER DIES OF INJURIES RECEIVED NEAR SANTANA

Forrest Best, of Tulsa, Okla., member of the 160th Field Artillery at Camp Barkeley was fatally injured when struck by an army truck near this city Monday night, dying in the local hospital about 4:00 o'clock Tuesday morning.

Best was hit when he started to pick up laundry that had fallen from one of the trucks enroute from Bowie to Barkeley and was crushed against a culvert guard or guard-rail.

The 24-year old non-com received a fractured pelvis and other injuries. His battery commander, Capt. Joseph R. Boosa and regimental surgeon, Capt. Neal J. Phillips, came at once to Santa Anna when word of the mishap was received, and were with him until his death.

Sergeant Best's death is the first among the personnel of the regiment since its induction into federal service more than a year ago.

Arriving Tuesday night for the funeral were a number of friends from Tulsa, and a brother, Roy Best, Camp Bowie seelctee. Best's mother, is Mrs. Anna Best, Tulsa.

After the funeral services at Abilene the body was placed on the T&P Sunshine special to be taken to Tulsa, for services.

Commercial Secretary Says:

Howard Pearson, Secretary

Buffalo broadcast a very interesting program from the recreation center in Santa Anna last Friday. The people of Santa Anna appreciate and thank this community for giving it and extend to them a most hearty welcome and invitation to be with us often.

The local Home Demonstration Club will broadcast a program of interest to everyone Friday, 1 P. M. November 21.

The WPA Recreation Department will be in charge of the program Friday, November 28.

Trade at Home

The Home Demonstration Club ladies with some others met for breakfast last Tuesday morning before beginning the campaign for the American Red Cross. Plans were worked out for contacting the entire citizenship of Santa Anna.

Some workers reported on the first day of work and from this report we find that we have obtained 57 memberships, 33 contributing memberships.

This is a good start but it is a long way from our quota of 250. We urge every American citizen to do his or her part in making this campaign a success. Never in the history of our nation has this been as necessary as it is at this time. ALL OUT FOR THE AMERICAN RED CROSS.

QUINTON BURGETT JOINS FIRST CLASS CADETS AT NEW AIR CORP CENTER

Aloing with 1972 other cadets Quintin Webster Burgett, son of Rev. and Mrs. John W. Burgett of Santa Anna is now a member of the first class of cadets in the new Air Corps Replacement Center Air Crew at Kelly Field, Texas. Induction began Nov. 12 with most of the cadets reporting on that day.

Cadet Burgett graduated in 1937 from Jellico High School and attended Eastern New Mexico College from 1938 until the present year. He was a member of the football squad in both high school and college.

At the Replacement Center he will go through five weeks of preliminary training before being sent to a primary flying school where he will start his flight training. This five year course will give Cadet Burgett a thorough military background for becoming an officer in the Army of the United States on graduation from an advanced flying school thirty weeks later.

In addition, the course is intended to prepare the cadet, mentally and physically, for the rigors of the actual flight training to come.

Burgett will participate in many activities designed to improve his physical condition beyond even the high standard required for entrance. The course will also include the study of subjects ranging from military law to signal communications.

Upon completion of the course Cadet Burgett will enter one of the 18 primary schools located in the Gulf Coast Air Corps Training Area, prepared to concentrate more fully on flying itself than was possible in the past.

UNION SERVICES AT THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Union Thanksgiving services will be held at the Presbyterian Church next Sunday night at seven o'clock, to which everyone is invited.

Union services are held once a month by the congregations of the Methodist, Presbyterian, Cumberland Presbyterian and Christian churches.

A close friend, Pvt. George L. Fogaley, was appointed military escort.

Coleman Co. News Briefs

Coleman clubs and organizations have arranged for another ranch party to be given Sunday, November 23, for the cadets of the Coleman Flying Field. The party is to be held at the W. A. Powell ranch in the afternoon.

The Coleman County Electric coop, Inc., is nearing 2,000 customers. Eighty miles of line were energized last week with 170 customers to receive electricity. An additional 100 miles of line have been approved and are ready for contract to add another 200 customers.

The past two draft calls for Coleman County, number 31 on Nov. 5th and number 32 on Nov. 8, were both blank, indicating that Coleman county is getting credit for the large number of volunteers and the large enrollment in the National Guard at time of mobilization.

Funeral services for Hillard Benjamin Hunter, 42, farmer and carpenter who lived on Coleman-Burkett route, were held at the Burkett Methodist Church Saturday with the Rev. Mr. Lohan officiating. Interment was in the Burkett cemetery.

An estimated 2500 attended the patriotic program held last week at Coleman, Hufford Field when Gerald C. Mann, attorney general of Texas, was the principal speaker. He spoke on the world crisis and what the United States must do to carry on.

In observance of Thanksgiving, Coleman's city schools will close November 27 and 28. reports Supt. J. T. Runkle.

Thirty-four prominent Coleman citizens wired a protest to Congressman Chas. L. South Thursday of last week, following the announcement of his stand as opposing the arming of American merchant ships.

Miss Laura Lane, assistant extension editor for the Extension Service, will conduct a training school for home demonstration club reporters at Coleman on December 13.

1941 is proving to be one of the wettest years in weather history of Coleman County as 39 inches of rain fell in the past ten months.

Funeral was held at Coleman Monday for H. W. Willey, 65, a lumber yard manager at Novice and a Coleman County resident for 25 years. He is survived by his wife.

West Texas Hotel Greeters, charter 56, are to suspend their December session and meet in January at Hotel Coleman in Coleman, it was decided at the meeting held at Big Spring last week.

PROCLAMATION

Whereas, the American Pioneers established, and observed the last Thursday of November as a day for giving thanks

Whereas, we as American citizens have many things to be thankful for, and,

Whereas, the majority of our business men and women have signified their approval of the last Thursday as the one and only Thanksgiving,

I, Geo. M. Johnson, as Mayor of the City of Santa Anna, do hereby proclaim Thursday, November 27 as the day for observance of Thanksgiving and the City of Santa Anna to be officially closed for that day.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 19th day of November, 1941.

GEO. M. JOHNSON, Mayor City of Santa Anna, Texas.

Honor your home town. Support our Home Industries.

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Deaths

JOHN THOMAS NIXON

John Thomas Nixon, of Valera, Texas, died at his home Monday, November 17, 1941, at the age of 89 years and ten months.

Mr. Nixon was born in Springfield, Ill., on Jan. 15, 1852 and was married to Miss Mary Ann Long, March 25, 1885, who predeceased him in death.

To this union were born seventeen children, thirteen living and four deceased.

The deceased was the great-grandson of Robert Morris, financier and signer of the Declaration of Independence. He lived across the street from Abraham Lincoln until he was 13.

The funeral was held from the Baptist Church of Valera, Texas, Tuesday, Nov. 18, at 4 p. m. with Rev. Lloyd H. Hart officiating.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Hannah Forbes of Decatur, Ill., and Mrs. Agnes Isenour, of Springfield, Ill and the following sons and daughters: Messrs Dick Nixon, Big Springs; Elmer Nixon, Addington, Okla.; Bert Nixon, Valera; Bob Nixon and Bill Nixon, Valera; Jim Nixon, Sweetwater; Joe Nixon and Rube Nixon, Coleman and Colonel Nixon, Gouldbusk; daughters, Mrs. Homer Ross, Comanche, Okla.; Mrs. Graver King, Imperial, Texas; Mrs. Jack Morris, Kermit, Texas and Mrs. Lucian Nell, Santa Anna, Texas, ten grandchildren and thirty great grand children.

Pallbearers were Messrs Lewis, Geo. Keese, Dixie Parrott, Geo. Pauley, Woody Tabor, Mac Griffiths, I. R. Thompson, Doc Kendrick, Mac Griffiths, I. R. Thompson, H. H. Martin, B. F. Arthur.

Flower ladies were Mesdames Bert Mulanox, Geo. Mulanox, Henry Marcus, Geo. Keese, Geo. Pauley, Dixie Parrott, R. M. Burroughs, E. Rodden.

Funeral arrangements were in charge of Mead Undertakers, Coleman, Texas.

Mrs. Jewel Bolton of Coleman Buried in Santa Anna Cemetery

Funeral services for Mrs. Jewel Bolton, 30, wife of Vernon Bolton of Coleman, were held Monday with the Rev. Floyd Chaffin, officiating. Services were from the Pioneer Funeral Home at Coleman and interment was in the Santa Anna Cemetery.

Mrs. Bolton was born in Rockdale, Oct. 13, 1911. She died in the Sealy Hospital Santa Anna Sunday.

She was a member of the Baptist Church and was married to Vernon Bolton in Brownwood, July, 1928.

Survivors include the husband, one son and one daughter, parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones and two sisters and brothers.

H. D. C. News

AREA ONE TO GIVE ACHIEVEMENT DAY TEA

Area 1 of the Home Demonstration Club will give an Achievement Day Tea, at the Santa Anna Armory, the afternoon November 25th when they will display their achievements for the year.

The feature of the display will be Home Food Supply with the following clubs participating as follows:

"Production" will be displayed by the Liberty Club, and will exhibit a frame garden.

"Preservation" will be given by the Live At Home Club.

Buffalo Club will display "Bread and Cookies."

"Conservation" will be given by Santa Anna Club who will display a ventilated pantry.

"Canned Foods" (vegetables) by Buffalo Club and fruits by "Live At Home Club."

"Jellies, Jams and Relishes" will be given by Liberty Club.

"Stored Foods" by Santa Anna who will display a potato mound and other stored foods.

A table of home made Christmas will be displayed, the work of all the Clubs.

Two ladies from each club will pour tea for thirty minutes throughout the afternoon.

Entertainment will be furnished by Miss Jean Irick and Mrs. Dibrell, which will consist of marionette shows and music. The public is cordially invited to attend.

COUNTY H. D. C. COUNCIL HOLDS MEET IN COLEMAN

New club president and Council members were introduced Saturday, November 16, when the County Home Demonstration Council met in the Agricultural Building in Coleman with Mrs. V. M. Close presiding.

A summary of the year's work done by the eighteen clubs of the county was given by Miss Jean Day, agent.

Mrs. Pearl Sackett, chairman of the educational committee, reported final plans had been made for the Christmas banquet to be held Dec. 5, at 7:30 P. M. at the Manhattan Cafe in Coleman, honoring District and State Home Demonstration officials, congressman South, County Judge Harris, members of the Commissioners Court, their wives, the Council body

and their husbands. This promises to be a highlight in the year's work of the Council.

Yearbook committees are urged to send in their suggested programs so the yearbooks may be published soon.

A training school for reporters will be held in Coleman, December 13, conducted by Miss Laura Lane of the Extension Staff of A. & M. College. Mrs. R. F. Watson is chairman of this group.

SHIELDS H. D. CLUB NEWS

Shields Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. E. S. Jones November 13, with ten members and one visitor present.

Members gave a demonstration on favorite cookies, each one having a different kind to display.

The Club planned an achievement event to be given November 28th with Mrs. A. C. Scarborough as hostess. The demonstration will be on "Home Food Supply." Production, will be in charge of Mrs. A. B. Carroll; Preservation, Mrs. O. E. Sheelton; Conservation, Mrs. A. C. Scarborough, who will also exhibit a ventilated pantry

Mrs. John Newman Hostess To Santa Anna H. D. C. Club

A program on Christmas cookies was given and recipes were given to members and visitors Friday, Nov. 14th, when the Santa Anna Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. John Newman.

Mrs. J. K. Harrison gave a report on Achievement Day and the Council Report.

Mrs. Moredock, Mrs. Harrison Mrs. Conley and Miss Jean Irick were appointed on the committee for a radio program, which the club will sponsor Friday, Nov. 21 from one o'clock until one thirty.

The club will help with the party Miss Jean Irick is giving for the soldiers December 8th.

After being elected Council Chairman, Miss Ellen Richards turned in her resignation to be come effective Jan. 1. Mrs. J. K. Harrison was elected chairman to succeed Miss Richards.

Mrs. Leroy Stockard was elected reporter, Mrs. T. H. Upton, alternate.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Chick Watson, November 28th. Visitors are welcome.

During the month of October industry gave 1,150 Texas NYA boys and girls regular jobs according to J. C. Kellam, state NYA administrator.

It takes more than a gift here and a spirit there to make an expert.

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Shop before the rush. You will find our experienced saleswomen welcome allies in your quest of worthy feminine gifts.

Or give her Christmas "WRAP-ture." If luxury is her heart's desire, choose a flowered quilted robe---she'll be enchanted. For frosty mornings she may prefer a pastel wool, trimmed with angora, and if she's trim and tailored by all means choose the plain colored wrap-around of silk plush

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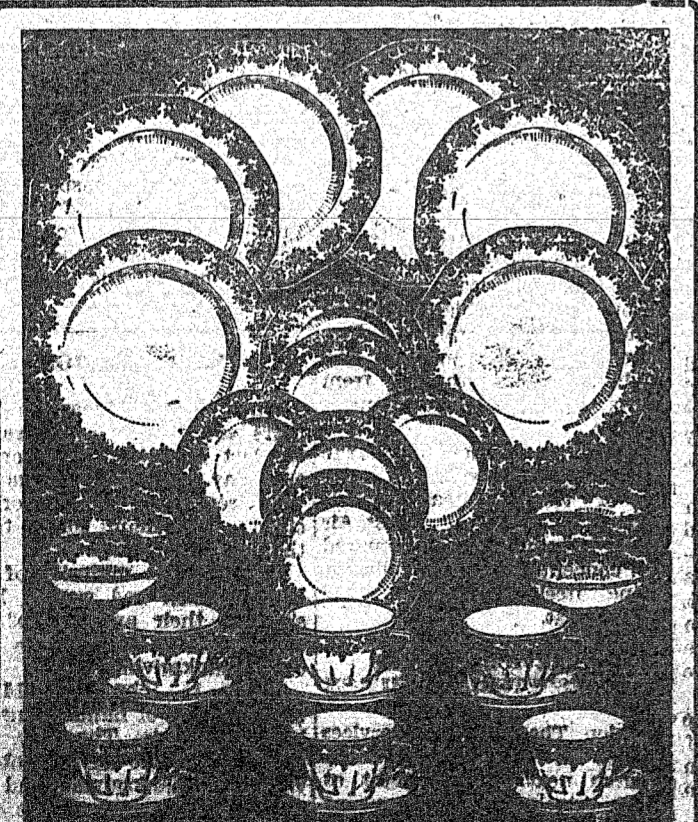
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A worthy hint---with the silk situation as it is, she will love you forever if you include Nylon hose with your Christmas gifts for her.

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We wrap Christmas gifts.



Ask us how you may obtain this beautiful dinner service.

SPENCER PHARMACY

EXTENSIVE TERRACING PROGRAM

Program of 25,518 acres of standard terraces in the county...

child who needs them. Check-up will also be made on funds being donated by county home demonstration councils...

A plan to inform the public on the contributions rural clubs women are making to the defense effort is to be discussed...

According to Helen H. Swift, chairman of the Extension Service advisory committee...

OVERPLANTED ACREAGE IN WHEAT PENALIZED HEAVILY

Wheat farmers overplanting their 1942 wheat acreage allotment by any amount will be ineligible for full parity and conservation payments...

The deduction rate for excess wheat under the 1942 Agricultural Conservation Program has been raised from six times the payment rate specified under the 1941 program...

wheat acreage allotments have been exceeded in the event a marketing quota on wheat is approved in a referendum next spring...

ARMY'S NEED FOR PILOTS IS INCREASING EACH MONTH

Sergeant, William J. Hess, Army Recruiting Sergeant, located in the court house in Comanche, Texas, said today that the Army's rapidly increasing plane power offers opportunity for enlisted men to become pilots...

Plans for the immediate erection of 50 new residences to be rented to Army men in Brownwood's Cheltenham addition were announced Saturday by H. L. Cravens...

TRICKHAM SCHOOL NEWS

The primary and intermediate rooms sponsored a Red Cross contest this week. The room contributing the most money was to receive a Red Cross poster...

ARTHUR'S

Don't despair of relief from terrible Arthritis aches or pains. The NEW Colloidal Sulfur capsules called SULPHO-KAPS often bring welcome relief...

10 cents; Shirley Jean Wells, 5 cents; Divie Jean Teel, 10 cents; Kenneth Norris, 5 cents; Joy Lankford, 5 cents.

Col. Percy W. Clarksom will be the new chief of staff of the 5th Division, it has been announced. Col. Clarksom will take the place of Col. Geo. D. Sears...

G-1 (personal) section. He is expected to assume his duties at Camp Bowie soon. Col. Sears has been transferred to Third Army Headquarters, San Antonio, as Assistant Chief of Staff G-1, on Lieut. Gen. Walter Krueger's staff.

Oats, barley, wheat or rye grass pasture is so high in protein that very little protein feed is needed in the grain mixture for dairy cows.

You will eventually arrive if you go straight. Read the advertisements.

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Mix Lemon Juice AT HOME TO RELIEVE RHEUMATIC PAINS Money Back - If This Recipe Fails...

Biscuits-muffins-cakes are sure to be just what you want - light, delicious and of fine texture. KC BAKING POWDER Double Tested - Double Action Economical - Efficient...

THDA BOARD TO MEET

Plans for helping obtain first aid training for each of the nearly 50,000 home demonstration club women in Texas will be considered by the Board of the Texas Home Demonstration Association...

At its Beaumont meeting early in September the Association voted to work out a cooperative plan with the Red Cross and other organizations...

MARKETING QUOTA RESTRICTIONS

Marketing quota restrictions will apply to producers on farms subject to quotas on which allotments are exceeded by as much as ten percent...

COLEMAN OFFICE BUILDING. If your poor eye has to strain twice as hard to see half as much as they should, how do you expect to keep the wrinkles away?

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Many doctors recommend regular use of Douglas's as a precautionary measure for women who want to be clean, dainty - for women troubled by offensive odor or discharge.

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Are you a motor OIL EXPERT? You can be - and thereby give your motor the protection it needs for steady, trouble-free service. Just remember "Humble's 97 every thousand miles."

It's Funny How Folks Still Call it the 'Light Bill' YES, SIRE! In the old days it really was the "light bill." And folks called it the "light plant" instead of power plant as we say today. West Texas Utilities Company



The Mountaineer

EDITORIAL

It was Abraham Lincoln who set aside a day in each year for us to give thanks to God for our many blessings and good fortunes. He said, "I do, therefore, invite my fellow citizens in every part of the United States, and also those who are at sea and those who are sojourning in foreign lands, to set apart and observe the last Thursday of November next as a day of thanksgiving and praise to our beneficent Father who dwelleth in the Heavens."

STRUPS

Hello nice people. Peep has met with a slight accident, therefore it is impossible for him to be with you this weekend. Sad but true. What's this about Cheaney's being allergic to full moons? Wayne Haynes has a weakness for short people. Her initials are F. S.

Thanksgiving Holidays

The Santa Anna High School students enjoyed two and one-half days of Thanksgiving holidays, from Wednesday noon through Friday. The Santa Anna school system was given the twentieth and twenty-first in order that some of the teachers might attend the State Teachers' Convention convening in Houston.

Sophomore Class News

The meeting of the Sophomore class was called to order by President Eubank, November 17, 1941. It was decided that the class would buy a defense bond and cash it next year to help with the Junior-Senior Banquet. Each member will bring a quarter (25c) and thereby buy our bond.

THEY MIGHT COME IN HANDY

We've always been good at saving things—we women. The old coats in the hall closet—that box of buttons frugally cut from blouses and shirts before we turned them into mop rags

—even those pieces of string and folded paper in the kitchen drawer. Sometimes the family has made fun of us for hanging onto things because, as we said, some day they "might come in handy." The children growing up in an age of plenty have shaken their heads over us; and our husbands used to be the larger ways of business, have been amused.

But now and in the months to come no one is likely to ridicule our little piles of savings. Already "they're coming in handy," as Industry begins to scrape the bottom of the storage space where there has always been such an abundance of metal—of paper—of rubber—of lumber and oil. Plans are under way to make house-to-house collections of old materials for industrial use and individuals are beginning to rescue things out of the attic instead of always going downtown to buy something new.

America has always been a land of plenty; plenty of space, plenty of raw materials, plenty of machines and skill and men. But today America is faced with a task greater than any she has ever undertaken. Today she is arming to the teeth in order that she may be invincible herself and at the same time is producing millions of dollars worth of arms for those countries fighting for the things we believe in. For the first time in our history we are using our plenty to the limit.

Women have always played a part of importance in this free world, but today, with our defense effort rising to new heights, we're going to be called upon to play a still more important part. It won't be spectacular. We won't get any medals for what we must do but it may be essential. It's up

to us to get along cheerfully with many fewer commodities that we've been used to... to stretch incomes cut into sharply by defense taxes... to save not only string and old coats but food and newspapers and fuel and a hundred other things of daily use. Finally, by our own faith and courage, it's up to us to keep the morale of the country strong and resilient. For you see, the time has come at last when the things that we, as simple housewives, can do for the nation, itself will come in very handy.

Watts Creek

Doris Jane Henderson

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Seals visited in Brownwood Sunday. Mrs. Alma Cannon of Santa Anna spent the weekend in the J. D. Henderson home. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bru-

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But, as we all know, it was the Pilgrims who really started our Thanksgiving after the terrible winter of 1620-1621, which left barely half of the original colonists alive, the Pilgrims celebrated the harvest of 1621 with a three day feast. Today, we have as much, if not more, to be thankful for as the Pilgrims; but it seems that they felt their thanksgiving deeper, down in their hearts than we do now. Most of the things we have are taken for granted, and we never stop to think of the hardships which were endured to give us the things we have today, such as our great nation and the useful inventions that make our lives in great contrast to that of the Pilgrims!

BAND NEWS Last Thursday night the band had a weiner roast at the park. Games were played and songs were sung. Everyone had a good time and the band members wish to thank Mr. Day for

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