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## Looking 'round

BY THE EDITOR

### WHAT MAKES A GOOD SMALL TOWN TO LIVE IN

(Editor's Note — The following article was copied from the American Press Journal and is passed on to the general public. This editor believes that from this article you can decide, "Is our town a good place to live?")

What makes a good small town to live in?

A lot of things. A good community spirit, cooperation between farmers and villagers, good community organizations and a weekly newspaper.

So said Dr. M. L. Cushman, Associate Professor of Rural Education at Iowa State College, speaking recently before the second annual institute on small community life. His topic was "The small community I would like to live in."

Dr. Cushman listed the weekly newspaper as one of the requirements for giving a small town fairly complete economic independence. For economic self-sufficiency, he thinks a town must also have at least a garage, railroad or bus, library, post office, physician, movies, bank, a drug store, a feed store, hardware store, dry goods, groceries, one or more churches and a complete high school.

The type small community Dr. Cushman said he would like to live in must have:

#### Requirements

1. Sufficient size to insure its future. (A village must have 400 or 500 population and up to assure its future stability, he claims).
2. Community consciousness to be a force for good.
3. Desirable farm-village relationship, old-time neighborliness.
4. Democratic community organizations to get the necessary jobs done.
5. Community events and projects to enrich living.
6. Effective leadership to point the way.
7. Economic independence.
8. Rural community school. (Says Dr. Cushman: "If I were a villager I would not wish to live in a village independent school district. If I were a farmer I would not live in a one room school district. The value of a community school district is that it makes possible a community school...")

#### True American Culture

Such communities now exist and are proving that their residents can enjoy fuller living than many people in our own large cities enjoy.

"The true American culture is found primarily in the thousands of better farmvillages scattered throughout this chosen land," he stated. "The difficulties of building better communities are many, but the tools are at hand, the rewards are reasonably certain and the paths which some communities have lighted are clear for others to follow."

One problem in building a good community, according to Dr. Cushman, is to get residents to identify themselves with the community instead of neighborhood activities.

Farmers, when away from home, will refer to the village as their home town if a proper community consciousness prevails and if a good relationship between village people and country people is maintained.

#### Farmer vs. Villager

The speaker emphasized that the farmer and the villager must be friends. In the past, he pointed out, this has not always been the case. Difference in economic status and in school

## Lions Club Carnival Has Good Turn-Out

The Lions Club put on their annual carnival Saturday night and one of the best crowds turned out for the carnival.

Reports given at the regular meeting of the Lions Club Tuesday showed that the carnival that was put on Saturday night had a very good turn-out and a good amount of money was taken in. The exact figures are not available as yet, but it is expected that a net profit of over \$800 will be realized. All this money will go into the Lions Club Charity Fund.

There were 52 Lions present and four visitors. They were Fred Martin of Lometa, B. T. Wiley of Brady and Bob Jones of Brownwood. Mr. Jones had J. W. Skiles as his visitor.

Reports were given on the Boy Scout drives in Santa Anna last week and a partial report was given from the returns of the carnival. The financial report of the Boosters Club was also given by Lion Ford Barnes.

Some good programs and expected for the next few weeks and it is hoped that a large number of Lions will attend each of the meetings.

Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Dick and children of Blanket and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Williams of Abilene visited last Sunday with the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Archer.

Consolidation has something to do with it. Villager sometimes had a snobbish attitude toward farmers.

"In more recent times, however," he goes on to say, "these conditions have changed, and there is more solidarity between villagers and farmers. The farmer now, more often than not, drives a better car than the villager. If the village does not treat the farmer fairly, he transfers his trade and some of his loyalty to another village twice as far away."

Factors Dr. Cushman said have increased solidarity between villagers and farm people were high schools, businessmen's and farmers' organizations, automobiles, telephones, farm to market roads and community newspapers.

Social activities in the good rural community must be designed to meet the needs of both farm and village people, he continued.

#### Feeling of Equality

"I would want farmers to be found in the membership of the Farm Bureau and the Grange. In the good rural community, farmers and village people habitually plan together for their community. There is a noticeable feeling of equality, and the two groups see each other's problems as mutual. They prosper together and not at the expense of the other. When differences arise, they are resolved by democratic procedures."

A family gets a feeling of mutual concern and common loyalty by sitting around a table or fireside to discuss various interests. Just so, says Doctor Cushman, must community interest and loyalty be developed. To further this aim, a community can stage "old home" days, community baseball teams, community fairs, Halloween parties, Fourth of July celebrations, Memorial Day exercises, Labor Day observances, community Christmas trees, harvest festivals, community singing, field days or play activities, dramatics, pageants and similar gatherings.

The dream of small towns as centers of culture and full living is no mere phantasy, says Dr. Cushman in effect. The dream can be realized for villages throughout the length and the breadth of the nation. And weekly newspapers can aid in its achievement.

## Stella Bedichek Buried Sunday In Abilene

Stella Ruth Bedichek, 7 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Bedichek, publisher of the Coleman Democrat-Voice and former managing editor of the Abilene Reporter-News, died in Abilene Saturday of acute lymphatic leukemia.

Funeral was held at 3 o'clock Sunday at the College Church of Christ in Abilene.

The first indication that Stella Ruth was not well was on August 29 when she told her parents after her seventh birthday party that she was feeling ill. Her birthday was not until September 6 but the party was held early because the family was moving September 1 to Coleman, where her father had bought the Democrat-Voice.

She started to school but became ill within a few days. Her condition was diagnosed Sept. 18 and her parents were told there was no positive cure.

## H. D. Club Meeting Is Postponed

The Home Demonstration Club meeting which was to have been held Friday afternoon, October 17 has been postponed until Friday, October 24 when the meeting will be held with Mrs. Arthur Talley.

Miss Mary Jo Garland will be present and give a demonstration.

## Football Boys To Rest This Week

The Santa Anna Mountaineers will take a well earned rest this week-end. Five of the scheduled games have been completed and the next game will be with Ballinger on the Bearcat field next Friday night, October 24.

According to Coach McBride, the boys will be in the best physical condition they have been in this year for the game with Ballinger. The game with Winters last week put some of the boys in bad shape, but all are recovering nicely now.

## Railways Ask Freight Increase

Chicago, Sept. 30 — Although the railroads handled more freight traffic in 1946 than in any other peacetime year, higher operating costs made it a year of "profitless prosperity", the 1946 edition of "Railroad Facts" states.

The rate of return on the net railroad property investment, after accrued depreciation, was only 2.74 per cent in 1946, Railroad Facts said. This was less than half the amount the U. S. Supreme Court has repeatedly held to be a fair and reasonable return for regulated utilities.

The nation's railroad industry needs a net operating income of at least six per cent on property investment, in order to have sufficient funds for improvements and betterments to the railroad plant and to provide a fair return to investors. Fair and reasonable earnings are needed to maintain the credit of the industry.

On the basis of the greatest peace time traffic volume in history in 1947, even greater than 1946, it is estimated that on the basis of present wage levels and other expenses, the net return for the year will decline to 2.45 per cent, or 29 per cent less than last year.

Railroad Facts, a compilation of statistics, which presents a graphic picture of the nation's railroad transportation, is published by the Western Railways Public Relations Office.

## Limited Grain Supplies Must Be "Stretched"

### Methods Of Solving 1947 Feed Problems Will Be Outlined

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the first article of a series, "Stretching Feed Supplies", to help livestock producers make efficient use of present limited grain supplies. Other articles will appear in future issues).

Reduced grain supplies from 1947 crops will make it necessary for every pound of feed available to do a better job than usual if livestock producers "cash in" on the large demand and favorable markets for livestock, dairy and poultry products, feeding authorities say.

Careful management and feeding will be required this season to solve the problem of converting reduced tonnages of corn, grain sorghums, oats and other feed grains into needed volumes of meat, milk and other products.

Some of the practices that will help to solve the problem include: Culling of unprofitable livestock; wider use of pastures, stalk fields and home grown roughages; careful attention to health, mineral and water requirements of livestock; use of better balanced rations; use of relatively cheap protein concentrates to supply nutrients in addition to protein needed to balance rations; and general sound management and feeding practices.

Through such practices as these, it will be possible for efficient livestock producers to take advantage of high prices and maintain their breeding and feeding program during the scarcity of grains. At the same time, these livestock producers will be continuing their soil conservation and balanced farming programs which are essential for stable, profitable farming in the future.

Cotton growing states of the South and Southwest face special livestock feeding problems this season, which will be stressed in these articles. The Cotton Belt has greatly improved and expanded its livestock production during recent years. Compared with Corn Belt states the southern region has relatively small production of feed grains and has been shipping in grain from surplus areas to supply local needs in many states.

On the other hand, livestock producers of the South and Southwest have certain advantages which are of special importance when grain is scarce. Mild winter weather and a longer growing season encourage pasture production and make it possible for grazing to provide a larger proportion of livestock feed requirements. A larger 1947 cotton crop than in other recent years will make available larger supplies of protein concentrates, the key to balanced rations for livestock. Used to supplement available grains, pastures and roughages, this protein concentrate, cottonseed meal or cake, will reduce grain requirements and increase the efficiency of all feeds used in rations.

Specific methods by which livestock producers of the cotton south can offset their disadvantages, and make full use of their advantages for efficient economical livestock production will be the subject for future articles.

Mr. and Mrs. Alford England, Misses Wanda Price, Jo Ann Pirtle, Verna Vance and Mr. Boyd Stewardson motored to Wichita Falls Sunday to visit Doyle Meador and Grady Joe Harrison, who are attending school there.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Cochran and son, Randy of Ft. Worth spent last week-end with Royce's father, Joe Cochran here.

Mrs. Mary Jo Schulle is recuperating in the Sealy Hospital from surgery administered on Thursday of last week.

## Booster Club Reorganizes With General Get-Together Mon. Night

### Rev. C. A. Oliver New Pastor For Assembly Of God



Rev. C. A. Oliver

Rev. C. A. Oliver and wife came here recently to assume the duties of the pastorage of the Assembly of God church.

Rev. Oliver comes to Santa Anna from Louisiana and formerly of Waco, Texas. He has taken the place of Rev. James Nelson who has gone to the Assembly of God church in Carthage, Texas.

Rev. Oliver extended a cordial welcome to all to attend services at the Assembly of God church. Announcements of services will be found elsewhere in this issue of the News.

Dee Hartman, Janet Lovelady, G. W. Tucker and Margaret Yancy hiked to the Ranger Park Sunday afternoon and took pictures.

Mrs. A. Holman visited from Friday until Monday with her father, George Ray at Talpa. Mr. Ray will be 96 years old the 17th of November.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hudler and his father, F. M. Hudler of Monahans visited over the week-end with her mother, Mrs. M. D. Eubank and family.

Mrs. S. R. Smith returned last week from a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. B. Harpold in Dallas. Bro. Smith had accompanied her to East Texas the week-end previous when they visited at Mt. Vernon.

Mrs. E. H. Wylie left Saturday for Whitesboro for a visit with her mother, Mrs. U. G. White who was observing her 87th birthday Monday, October 13th. Mrs. White's other children were to be present.

Mrs. W. E. Wallace is visiting in Los Angeles with her sister, Mrs. Irene Turner. She went there with a niece and nephew and their companions who visited her recently. She plans to be away a month.

Mrs. L. D. Blevins and Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Shodar of Joaquin, Texas, visited Friday night and Saturday with their granddaughter and niece, Mrs. John Gregg and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Collin Price and family attended a dinner at the Coleman park Sunday given by Mrs. Price's mother, Mrs. H. F. Waldrop honoring Mrs. Waldrop's sister, Mrs. L. L. Green of Ft. Worth and Mrs. Maud Eastman of Waxahachie, cousin of the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Morgan and his cousin, Forrest Moody of Kermit visited from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Morgan. Johnnie Duffee returned home with them and will work there.

The members of the Santa Anna Boosters Club and all interested patrons of the Santa Anna school system were invited out to a general get-together Monday night at the high school. The band and the football boys were also invited to attend.

Each member of the band and football team was introduced to the ones present. The band played several numbers and ice cream was served to the approximately 150 present.

Mr. Ozro Eubank, treasurer, gave the financial report for the past year which was as follows:

180 paid members put \$900 in the treasury. We have paid out \$67.50 to J. E. King for help in the band, \$100 to defray expenses of keeping the football boys in town a week before school started and voted to pay \$250 of the salary for the band instructor for the year 1947-48. We now have a total of \$482.50 in the bank.

Plans were made for the continuation of the Santa Anna Boosters Club. The club has never been very active, but it is intended that regular meeting nights will make the club more active.

All officers and directors were elected for another term.

## Coleman Joins War On Double-Parkers

Coleman, Oct. 14 — City and county officials have agreed to cooperate with the state in enforcing a new traffic regulation which prohibits double parking altogether.

In the past it has been lawful to double park if a driver remained in the car. The new traffic code prohibits even that.

It is pointed out that the elimination of double parking will facilitate traffic, reduce accidents and clear the streets for emergency traffic.

## Baptist Brotherhood Met Tuesday Night

There was a fine attendance and interesting meeting Tuesday night when the Baptist Brotherhood held their regular monthly meeting at the church. Rev. Wiggers, pastor of the Belle Plain Baptist church at Erpwood, was the chief speaker. There were some entertainment features and the 48 men present enjoyed the supper of barbecue and beans, cookies and coffee.

## S. S. Representative In Coleman Tuesday

Mr. Ralph T. Fisher, a representative of the Social Security Administration, Abilene office, will be at Coleman in the Department of Public Welfare office on Tuesday, October 21, at 1:00 p. m.

All persons wishing to see him should call promptly at 1:00 p. m., as he will remain in the office only a short time.

Mrs. Brownlee Hunter of Austin, while on vacation, visited several days last week with her parents in law, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gipson of Coleman, and her mother, Mrs. Fred Rae (the former Mrs. S. W. Childers) and Mr. Rae of Lubbock visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. J. R. Gipson and with other Santa Anna friends.

Some of those attending the Baptist Workers conference at Voss last Thursday were, Rev. S. R. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Emzy Brown, Mrs. Bob Douglas, Mrs. Seth Risinger, Mrs. Dovie Chapman and Mrs. Frank Goen.

Mrs. Dora Stone of Houston visited Sunday and Monday with her sisters, Mrs. R. F. Miller and Mrs. John Whetstone.

**Shield News**

(Mrs. J. B. Weathers)

Several from here attended the football game Friday night at Winters.

Guests in the Leonard Williams home Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Weathers, Grady Williams, Otis Howard, Willie Mae and Curtis Elliott, Herman Gilbreth and Glynn, Gordon and Howard Ashford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Weathers visited Sunday afternoon with their mothers, Mrs. L. E. Page at Trickham and Mrs. J. M. Weathers at Santa Anna. Mrs. Weathers has just returned from a visit with relatives at Post and Lubbock and Albuquerque, New Mexico. She reported a very enjoyable trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Lowe, Rowena McClain and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lowe and Pauline and Billy went to San Antonio Friday for a week-end sight seeing trip and to visit with relatives.

Mrs. Herman Gilbreth returned from the hospital Wednesday. She is now up and getting along nicely.

There were 111 who registered

Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Murrell in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary. Those attending from away were: R. W. Murrell of Tucson, Arizona; Mrs. Carl Murrell, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Murrell, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Selby and son of Mobetie; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Homer and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lacey of Houston; Mrs. Eula Sample, Mrs. Berta Campbell of Portales, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Shipp of Tulare, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Eliff and Mr. and Mrs. Brannan of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Arch Gee of Oneaireville; Mr. Jim Streater, Mrs. Dennie Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Alpha Vanderveer, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Vanderveer and Mr. and Mrs. Joel Vanderveer of Temple; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Vanderveer, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Alkerson of Belton; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Murrell and sons of Eunice, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Murrell and son of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Chandler of Lipon, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Cobb and Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Murrell and Betty of Doole.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Childers of Stamford, Mrs. G. B. Smith, Miss Virginia Brown and Mrs. Ed Schrader of Santa Anna visited

one day this week with Mr. and Mrs. S. R. McClure. The ladies are sisters of Mrs. McClure. Mrs. Owen and Erick Insall of Gilmer visited on Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. G. R. McClure and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newman. They are cousins.

**Gouldbusk News**

(Alene Menges)

There were services at the First Methodist church Sunday.

There was a large crowd at the singing here Sunday. Visitors were from Coleman, Santa Anna, Voss, Fisk and other places around. We had a very good singing and everyone seemed to enjoy it. The Coleman Quartet sang quite a number of songs which everyone enjoyed very much. Miss Bonnie Adams rendered two piano solos which everyone enjoyed. We were so glad to have everyone out, and thank all who took part in the singing. We were very sorry Mr. Veal and family were unable to be here for the singing. His mother has been very ill. We hope she is better.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cornelious and Mrs. William L. Livingston visited Mrs. Veal in the hospital Sunday.

Mrs. Arrant's daughter and family of Coleman were guests in the Arrant home Sunday as was Miss Weldon Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Coleman visited in the Floyd Henry home Sunday evening.

Miss Nora Knight visited Mrs. Coffee Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith visited in Ballinger Sunday.

Mrs. Ruth's mother of Leedy visited in the Barney Morton home Wednesday.

Miss Patsy Cavanaugh, who is attending Daniel Baker College, visited over the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cavanaugh.

Miss Ola Neal Harding spent Thursday night with Miss Marie Fenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd were in Santa Anna on business Wednesday.

We are proud of the little rain received Wednesday night and hope the next will be a little heavier.

**Whon News**

Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Friends of Mrs. Gene Deal are very glad she is improving so nicely. We all wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bush of Richland Springs are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Baker and Sonny were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford and children.

Ima Smith of McMurry spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith. Billie Ruth Wallace spent Saturday night with Ima.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wallace spent several days the past week at a Dallas hospital at the bedside of a brother in law, who is dangerously ill. After staying several days his condition was not improving very satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Fiveash and children of Coleman and Mrs. Leta Price and son of Trickham visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Fiveash here. Patsy June Rutherford spent Sunday with Billie Ruth Wallace.

I have heard that Mary Jo Shields, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mim Shields was taken seriously ill over the week-end. We trust she soon recovers.

John Richard Deal spent Sunday with Morris Gene Wallace.

Elvis Ray Cozart, who was at home on a 20 day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Etelle Cozart, returned to Corpus Christi Saturday night.

A large crowd attended the 42 party at the school house Friday night. Everyone reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady attended the Dallas Fair Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter Duggins and Mrs. Ella Turney visited with friends and relatives over the week-end.

Mrs. Zona Stacy of Trickham spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Fiveash and attended church over Sunday. She was a Sunday dinner guest of Rev. Nellie Hill. Rev. Hill and Miss Laura carried her to Trickham Monday afternoon and visited friends there.

A sister of Mr. Buster Wallace and her friend were Sunday dinner guests in the home.

Mrs. E. D. McDonald is in Dallas with her husband's mother, Mrs. W. W. McDonald who is ill.

**W. S. C. S. Meets At The Methodist Church Monday**

The Woman's Society for Christian Service of the Methodist church had an interesting meeting at the church Monday afternoon.

The Society is studying World Evangelism under the direction of Mrs. Henry Price. The second study in the series took place on Monday.

Mrs. Dan Blake led the devotionals, using the sixth chapter of Matthew.

Mrs. Hardy Blue and Miss Elsie Lee Harper took part in a panel discussion, the subject being, "Christians Today in a Non-Christian World".

The Society will meet again next Monday at the church at three o'clock when there will be a debate as follows: "Resolved, that North America is slowly but surely becoming pagan."

Mrs. O. A. Etheredge and Mrs. Bill Griffin will take the affirmative and Mrs. Harry Crews and Mrs. Dan Blake will take the negative.

**Whon H. D. Club Elects New Officers**

The Whon Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, October 8 in the school lunch room.

Mrs. Bert Turney was elected president of the club; Mrs. Floyd Morris, vice president; Mrs. Melvin Pitts, secretary - treasurer; Mrs. Lucille Baker, council delegate and Mrs. Floyd Morris, alternate.

Mrs. Mary Hext was appointed to head the finance committee; Mrs. Bert Turney the marketing committee and Mrs. Gladys Renfro, recreation.

Mrs. Willie Shields will report for the club for the coming year.

The session opened with the group giving the club pledge, a prayer and a club song.

A round table discussion on "What our club needs most" was enjoyed by all.

Refreshments were served to the club members and one guest, Mrs. Glen Bush, by Mrs. Lucille Baker.

**Miss Jewel Hipp Weds Stevens D. Strasner At Lubbock**

Miss Jewel Hipp, Garza county home demonstration agent, was married to Stevens D. Strasner, Post high school principal, on Saturday morning, September 27, in the pastor's study at St. Joseph's Methodist church in Lubbock with the pastor, the Rev. Alsie Carlton, reading the single ring ceremony.

The bride was formerly Coleman county home demonstration agent and has a host of friends in these parts who will wish for her much happiness.

The couple is at home at Post, having recently purchased home there. Mrs. Strasner will continue her work as home demonstration agent.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Smith visited from Friday over the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. Leroy York at Odessa and attended the Odessa - Abilene football game Friday night in Abilene.

Charter No. 13854 Reserve District No. 17  
**REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE SANTA ANNA NATIONAL BANK**

of Santa Anna in the State of Texas, at the close of business on October 6, 1947  
(Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes)

ASSETS	
1. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 816,744.24
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	911,900.00
3. Obligations of states and political subdivisions	14,236.30
5. Corporate stocks (including \$4050.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	4,050.00
6. Loans and discounts (including \$4,235.42 overdrafts)	594,345.35
7. Bank premises owned \$5700.00, furniture and fixtures \$3,000.00	8,700.00
12. TOTAL ASSETS	\$2,349,975.89
LIABILITIES	
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	\$2,120,855.36
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	38,692.88
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	16,206.26
17. Deposits of banks	10,202.14
19. TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$2,185,956.64
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$2,185,956.65
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
25. Capital Stock:	
(a) Common stock, total par \$50,000.00,	50,000.00
26. Surplus	85,000.00
27. Undivided profits	29,019.25
29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	164,019.25
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$2,349,975.89
MEMORANDA	
31. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	101,900.00

State of Texas, County of Coleman, ss:

I, O. L. Cheaney, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

O. L. CHEANEY, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of October, 1947.  
(SEAL)  
Leroy V. Stockard, Notary Public

CORRECT -- ATTEST:

J. L. Boggus,  
Clinton Lowe  
Mrs. B. Weaver  
Directors.

**Condensed Statement of Condition of THE SANTA ANNA NATIONAL BANK SANTA ANNA, TEXAS**  
At the close of Business, October 6, 1947

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and discounts \$ 580,136.75	
Overdrafts 4,235.42	
Stock Fed. Res. Bank 4,050.00	Capital Stock ..... \$50,000.00
Banking House F & F 8,700.00	
QUICK ASSETS:	Surplus ..... 85,000.00
Bonds & War \$926,136.30	Undivided profits ... 29,019.25
Bills of Ex. 9,973.18	Deposits ..... 2,185,956.64
Cash and Due from Banks ..... 816,744.24	
\$1,752,853.72	
\$2,349,975.89	\$2,349,975.89

The above statement is correct. O. L. Cheaney, Cashier

**Officers**

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T. J. McCaughan, Asst. Cash.

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V. L. Grady  
Clinton Lowe  
J. L. Boggus  
Tom Sealy  
O. L. Cheaney  
Mrs. B. Weaver



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

**Mystery of the Missing Farms**

Yep, the number of farms in America is shrinking (by a quarter-million in the last five years!). What's happened to the missing farms? The land has been taken in by other farms, increasing the average size by twenty acres!

Does this growth mean farming's no longer a family enterprise? Just the opposite! More families own farms today than ever—only with labor-saving equipment they can handle more land, more work.

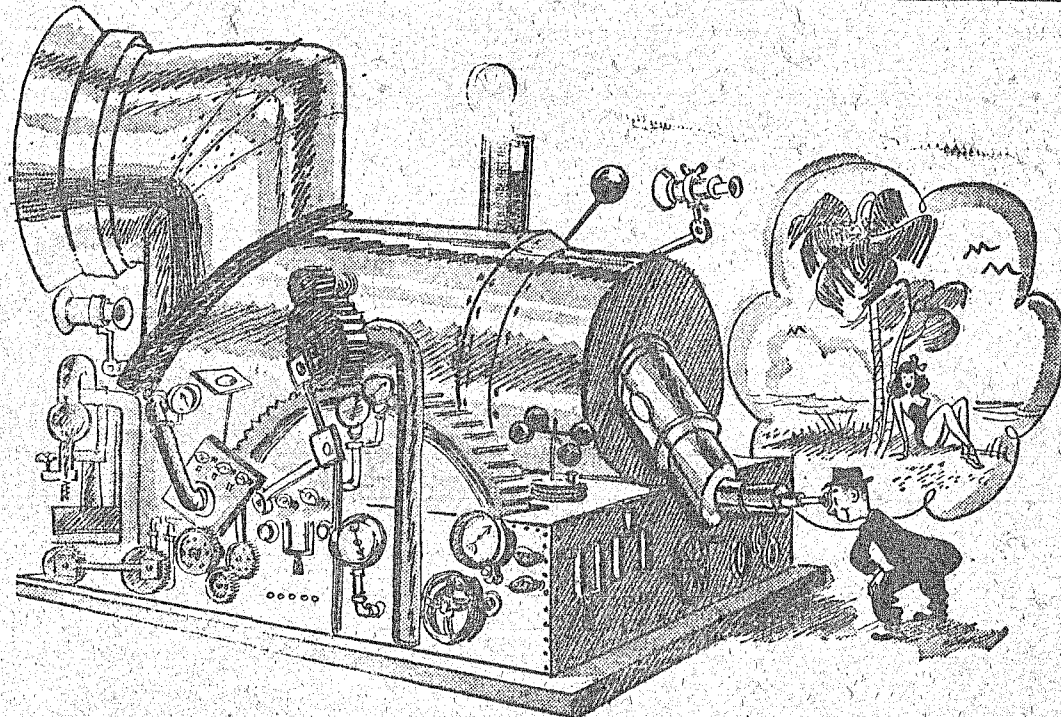
That's as it should be. The family farm is a fortress of democracy—

where our free, American life is secure. Where every member cooperates and shares the work... living together in temperance and tolerance—temperance that prefers a moderate beverage life beer, and tolerance for a taste that may be different from one's own.

From where I sit, our Family Farms (and they're 96% of all farms) are something that this country can be proud of!

Joe Marsh

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**A fantastic idea?**

We have here a telescope with extraordinary powers.

All you have to do is point it in the right direction and you'll see that South Sea Island you've always dreamed about. Or those gay, flower-filled streets of Paris in the Spring. Or any other place you've always had your heart set on going some day when all your heavy responsibilities are over.

Sometime a device like this might really be fact instead of fancy. But, extraordinary as it will be, there's one thing it won't ever be able to do. And that's provide the means for you to get there.

That's something you'll have to do for yourself.

For most people, the easiest—and often the only—way to do it is by means of a constant, regular savings program like the Payroll Savings Plan. Having a specific amount deducted from your salary regularly for the purchase of U. S. Savings Bonds is one of the simplest, safest ways of accumulating money.

The special Bond-A-Month Plan for those who have checking accounts is another convenient way of saving money.

Either way is safe. And rewarding—both in security and return. A Bond that costs you only \$18.75 now will be worth \$25.00 in ten years.

Just make sure now that, if and when your opportunity comes, you'll not only be ready and rarin'... but able to go.

**Save the easy, automatic way—where you work—where you bank**

**Santa Anna National Bank**

Member Federal Reserve System and Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

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The State of Texas  
County of Coleman  
**SHERIFF'S SALE**

WHEREAS, on the 4th day of September, 1947, in Cause No. 6954-B, in the District Court of Coleman County, Texas, wherein the City of Santa Anna, a municipal corporation, and Santa Anna Independent School District, a municipal corporation, and State of Texas and County Coleman, Texas, were plaintiff, and Intervenor recovered judgment against E. E. Cavender, J. H. Cavender, J. E. Cavender, C. C. Cavender, J. M. Cavender, R. V. Cavender, W. R. McCormick, E. L. Emerson, Mabel Emerson, N. R. Ward and Effie Ward, Edwin Whitten, John Stockman, Opal Stockman, L. D. Hendrix, Mattie Hendrix, Roby T. Windsor, Bell Windsor, Norman Payne, Annie Payne, W. W. McCormick and Betty See, Defendants, for taxes, penalty, interest, and cost against the herein-after described property;

WHEREAS, on the 25th day of September, 1947, by virtue of said judgment and the mandates thereof the Clerk of the District Court of said county did cause to be issued an Order of Sale commanding me as Sheriff of said county, to seize, levy upon, and sell in the manner and form as required by law the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, by virtue of said judgment and said Order of Sale and the mandates thereof I did on the 26th day of September, 1947, seize and levy upon as the property of the above defendants the following described property situated in Coleman County, Texas, to-wit:

(Said description showing the number of acres, original survey, locality in county, and name by which said property is most generally known.)

**FIRST TRACT:**  
Lots One and Two in Block No. 22 GC & SF Addition to the Town of Santa Anna, of the County of Coleman, Texas, as shown by plat in the Deed Records of Coleman County, Texas. And I will on the first Tuesday in the month of November, 1947, the same being the 4th day of said month, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the Defendants in and to said property at the Court House door of said county in the city or town of Coleman, between the hours of 2:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. to the highest bidder for cash, provided, however, that none of said property shall be sold to the owner of said property directly or indirectly or to anyone having an interest therein or to any party other than a taxing unit which is a party to this suit for less than the amount of the adjudged value of said property or the aggregate amount of judgments against said property in said suit, whichever is lower, subject also to the right of the Defendants to redeem same in the time and manner provided by law and subject also to the right of the Defendants to have said property divided and sold in less divisions than the whole.

DATED at Coleman, Texas, this the 26th day of September, 1947.

1947.  
H. F. PENTON, Jr., Sheriff,  
Coleman County, Texas. 40-3c

**U. S. Annual Fire Toll Is Over 10,000 Lives And \$450,000,000.00**

New York — America has the highest fire loss per capita of any civilized nation in the world.

The National Fire Protection Association says losses total about \$450,000,000 yearly and kill more than 10,000 persons.

Another 17,000 persons are sent to hospitals each year due to fires and the overall losses represent drag as serious and insidious as would be enemy bombings, it adds.

Percy Bugbee, general manager of the association, says fire losses in the United States run at the rate of about \$4 a year per capita, against England's 70 cents, France and Germany, 25 cents and around \$1 in Japan. The figures are on a peace time basis.

"The only way Americans can reduce these appalling losses in life and property is to make every week fire prevention week.

"The reason our losses are 10 instead of the customary seven days in October," he says.

to 20 times higher than the rest of the world is because of simple things like smoking in bed, allowing rubbish to accumulate, poor maintenance of electrical wires and careless handling of kerosene and gasoline."

National headquarters of the 49 year old non-profit organization are in Boston. Its 10,000 members in 30 countries are picked from diversified groups, such as industry, colleges, libraries and fire chiefs. Here is Bugbee's explanation of its activities and aims.

Unfortunately the popular attitude is that "it won't happen to me" until fires like the Boston Coconut Grove disaster, the Hartford Circus holocaust or the Wyncoff Hotel fire in Georgia hit the front page. Yet there are 1,500 fires daily — 1,000 of them in dwellings.

When people suddenly become fire prevention conscious, losses drop immediately.

Modern emphasis in fire departments is to patrol cities and prevent fires rather than wait until they occur and then put them out. Potential hazards show up in outside rubbish heaps of dead weeds and the like during dry summer weather.

Smaller cities and towns frequently have better protection than large localities. It isn't always the equipment and apparatus — firemen must know how to reap the best benefits from what they have through combined teamwork.

Prevention pays dividends. The association reports that losses ran around \$600,000,000 yearly in 1924 and dropped to \$250,000,000 annually within 15 years and increased to \$450,000,000 because of wartime conditions.

**Classified**

WANTED: All kinds of fuel, brake and ignition work. See Mr. Charlie Evans at my home or call Red 393. 38tc

WOMEN: Why scrub and wax floors once a week? PlastiKote them once a year. Guaranteed by Good Housekeeping. Santa Anna Hardware Co. 28tc

FOR: Rock, tile, stucco, carpenter and cement work, see Sam Jones, Tel. 114, Santa Anna. 40-44c

**Real Estate For Sale**

FOR SALE: Large house and lot in south part of town. Eddie Paul Voss. 31-tfc

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Neal last week were their son, Raymond Neal, who is working at Price, Utah, and was on his way to Houston to visit his family; Clark Shelton, nephew of Mrs. Neal, and his wife from Detroit, Michigan, enroute to Alabama to visit his people, and their grandson, Leon Oakes from Los Angeles, who went to Houston with Raymond.

Dinner guests of Mrs. Clyde Haynes and family Saturday were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Starnes and brother, M. F. of Trickham. Mrs. Stearns observed her 73rd birthday Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irl Staples entertained with a dinner at their lovely home west of town last Sunday honoring the birthday of Mrs. Bill Price. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Staplese, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Price, Mr. and Mrs. James Price and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Griffith. All enjoyed the fine dinner and the hospitality of the host and hostess.

G. T. England, Petty Officer 2-c, left Sunday after a visit of several weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George England, for his base at San Francisco, where he will report for overseas duty.

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Drip or Regular Grind grown on the highlands of South America  
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**Washo** No better soap powder made. A bargain at this price. LARGE BOX 29c

**CORN** RED & WHITE, Fancy Country Gentleman NO. 2 CAN 22c

**FOUR WAY COLD TABLETS** Reg. 15c Box

**JERGENS LOTION** Reg. 50c bottle Plus tax 39c

**CLOTHES PINS** Good kind coil spring smooth wood 18 pins 20c

**PANCAKE FLOUR** Aunt Gemima Regular package 18c

**WAFFLE SYRUP** Bud Brand and It's good, 5 lb. can 65c

**CRANBERRY SAUCE** R & W 17 Oz. Can 29c

**GREEN BEANS** R & W, fancy-cut No. 2 Can 23c

**EGG NOODLES** Our Best Brand BOX 10c

**MEAL** Red & White, fancy white cream 5 Pound Sack 53c

**CHERRIES** 'Brimful Brand' red sour pitted fine preserves, pies, No. 2 can 27c

**GINGER BREAD MIX** Duff's Reg. Pkg. 25c

**CHOICE QUALITY MEATS**

**BACON** Melrose Slabs Pound 79c

**PORK CHOPS** Extra Lean, Small Pound 69c

**OLEO** Blue & White Pound 38c

**STEAK** Fancy Seven, Home Killed Pound 45c

**LUNCH LOAVES** Star Assorted Per Pound 49c

**FRESHEST PRODUCE**

**LETTUCE** Large Firm Heads Each 9c

**SPUDS** No. 1 Idaho Russets 10 Pounds 55c

**APPLES** Washington Delicious Pound 13c

**GRAPES** Fancy Tokays 3 Pounds 25c

**CABBAGE** Green Firm Heads Pound 5c

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# Coleman Merchants and Business Directory

-PREPARED BY ASSOCIATED ADVERTISERS-

Coleman Firms Represented On This Page Invite Your Patronage When You Are In Coleman

## Jones Electric Service Your Electric Merchant

Located at 205 Commercial in Coleman, where they feature radios, hot water heaters, home freezer units and all other electrical appliances. Phone 3046. They also feature contract wiring and electrical repairs.

One of the greatest differences between the American home and those in other parts of the world is our electrical helpmates. A radio can be operated for just a few cents a day, yet it brings us many hours of entertainment and information. The modern American housewife would be lost without her electric iron, toaster, waffle irons and mixer.

Our high standard of living makes all of these helpmates available to us and at prices we can afford. Of the many things we can buy for a house, electrical appliances give us more pleasure and assistance per dollar spent than anything else.

For all of your electrical appliances, such as fans, washing machines or lighting fixtures, be sure to see the values at Jones Electric Service before buying. This firm is now in the position to trade electrical home appliances for your livestock. Inquire about their easy payment plan. Remember, this firm is "Your Electric Servant".

## Morris-Bray Chevrolet Company Headquarters For Good Truck Service And Equipment

The Morris-Bray Chevrolet Company is your authorized Chevrolet dealer in Coleman, located at 114 College.

When your automobile is in need of repairs, do not take chances by having it worked on by inexperienced workmen. Take it to the Morris-Bray Chevrolet Company and you can be assured the personnel here are acquainted with the parts in your automobile and they can repair it without unnecessary delay.

You can save money by having a minor repair attended to when you first notice it; by waiting the result may well be a major repair job that will require more labor and parts to fix.

Keep your automobile in good running condition so you can have the best trade-in value when you are able to buy that new car. Remember, your car is your transportation and let the Morris-Bray Chevrolet Company in Coleman help you to keep it in top condition.

## United Motor Sales, Inc. Oliver Tractors — G. M. C. Trucks

This well known firm located in Coleman at the end of Commercial is the dealer for the popular Oliver tractors and farm machinery. Be sure you see this firm before you purchase your farm equipment. They have had years of experience in furnishing just the right machine for the job. They also feature G. M. C. trucks.

When you buy your farm equipment you want to know you are getting machines that will stand up to the job. Oliver farm machinery has stood the test for

years. This equipment can be depended upon to give the maximum service per dollar invested.

We in this Merchants and Business Directory issue, wish to point out the fine reputation the United Motor Sales, Inc. has built for themselves. They are noted for square dealings and will stand behind every purchase. Trade with a firm you can depend on. They are located at the end of Commercial. Drop in and see the new models the next time you are in Coleman. Phone 5051.

## Gordon Hardware & Furniture Co. Farm — Home — Ranch Needs

The Gordon Hardware & Furniture Co. is located at 112 East College in Coleman. Phone 5261.

At this modern retail store you will find merchandise of every description. They carry a complete line of hardware supplies at all times and you can depend on them to give you quality merchandise. If you are in need of hardware supplies, see this enterprising dealer and let him quote his reasonable prices to you.

The Gordon Hardware & Furniture Co. features hardware of all types. Keep in contact with

this store for those "hard to get" items. This store is headquarters for the farmers and town-folk of this section. If you have not visited them lately, stop here the next time you are in Coleman. You will find the employees courteous and accommodating in manner. This firm also features a complete line of household furnishings.

In this Merchants and Business Directory issue we take pleasure in referring all our readers to this reliable concern for all your hardware or furniture needs. So see them next.

## C. W. Berry Service Station

The C. W. Berry Service Station, located at 317 South Concho Street in Coleman is the place to take your car to make sure you are getting the best in service.

We all like to feel certain we are giving our automobile the best of care. When your car is dirty and needs washing, have this deluxe station give it a wash and polish job, that makes it look like new. Don't neglect to have your car greased every 1,000 miles. It is important. The attendants at this station know their business from A to Z and you can be assured that a grease job here means more than just a quick greasing to "get through." They examine every part carefully and know exactly how much and where to apply it.

The C. W. Berry Service Station also features Magnolia Products that have proved themselves to the public to be the best for your automobile, and you can expect good mileage and top performance only by giving your car the best. Next time you are in Coleman stop by and give C. W. Berry Service Station a

## Norman Service Station

In Coleman at the corner of Concho and Walnut where they feature the well known Standard Oil products.

The greasing of a car properly and often, lengthens the life of the machine a great deal. If you would like to have proper lubrication and the correct grade of oil for your motor, drive in at this efficient station. Dispensing their high grade motor fuel to all those stopping, they have built up a reputation that is to be envied.

Motorists appreciate the little things such as clean, sanitary rest rooms, clean drives, and a well kept station. These are some of the things that go to make up a first class station such as this.

In this Merchants and Business Directory issue we wish to urge all our readers to drive into the Norman Service Station in Coleman. They check your oil, inflate your tires to the correct pressure, clean your windshield and service your car in a splendid manner. Norman Service Station has been located in Coleman for 25 years. Dial 6171.

## Marrs-Wilson Furniture Company Complete Household Furnishings

The Marrs-Wilson Furniture Company located at 108 East Pecan St. in Coleman carries a complete line of household furnishings. Their store is modern and up to date, and their furniture ranges from a small end table to complete suites for any room.

When we buy furniture we are buying something that is more or less a permanent fixture for our home. Furniture is not an item that we expect to replace every year or so. Therefore, great care should be given to its selection so we can be assured of

getting something that we will not tire of easily.

The Marrs-Wilson Furniture Company has on display new suites of furniture for every room. They receive new shipments almost daily, and you will find it a pleasure to look over their stock. Regardless of whether your needs are small or large, you'll receive the same courteous attention when you are here. You are invited to drop in whenever you are in Coleman and look over their merchandise. If you are not in town and are in need of an item, just phone 3091 and they will gladly tell you what they have in that line.

## Hargetts' Men Shop The Men Store

Fine Clothiers at the Hargetts' Men Shop in Coleman. This store is headquarters for stylish, up to date clothes for men and young men. They also carry a complete line of the conservative styles for business men or those who prefer smart, conservatively styled garments. The best that can be had can be obtained there and at reasonable prices. They are a revelation in style and value giving. You will find every style to be authentic at Hargetts' Men Shop in Coleman.

In size range in all variations assuring perfect fit. Next to style and value, there is nothing of greater importance to the discriminating buyer than variety.

Their stock of hats, ties, shirts, handkerchiefs, underclothing, and pajamas is both comprehensive and complete. Here you will find just the right accessories to complete a most distinctive appearance. Men who are interested in stylish, serviceable clothing will do better at Hargetts' Men Shop in Coleman. Phone 3401. Hargetts' Men Shop is located at 400 Commercial Avenue.

## Cross Pharmacy

Located across street from post office in Coleman, where good service is their motto.

Service is the most important factor in the development of a retail drug business. In the case of Cross Pharmacy, the principle of "service" has been applied first, by maintaining competent personnel. Customers are waited on by courteous and thoroughly trained salespeople. The second feature of service stressed by this complete drug store is the idea of having all the essential departments to satisfy the most exacting buyers' every requirement. At the Cross Pharmacy these departments consist of an up-to-date prescription section, a modern soda fountain, a cosmetics department offering nationally advertised brands. Others include infants supplies, greeting cards, etc.

For all your drug needs you'll find Cross Pharmacy just the place to go in Coleman.

In this Merchants & Business Directory issue, we highly recommend this firm to all our readers.

## Delma Johnson Farm Machinery

This well known firm located in Coleman at 203 Needham is the dealer for the popular John Deere Implements and Letz Feed Mills.

Be sure you see this firm first when you buy farm equipment. They have had years of experience in furnishing just the right machine for the job.

They have one of the finest repair shops in this section for fixing any part of your tractor. They have men in their employ who are experts on machinery repair work. These men have had years of experience in this line. Whenever you have a breakdown with your farm implements, or are in need of parts, see this firm.

We in this Merchants & Business Directory issue wish to point out the fine reputation the Delma Johnson Farm Machinery firm has built for itself. Trade with a firm you can depend on. They are located at 203 Needham in Coleman. Phone 3241.

## Cope & Herd Garage "Repair Headquarters"

This firm features complete repairing on all makes of automobiles, located at 709 South Concho Street in Coleman. Dial 6206.

In their very complete repair shop they give excellent service and repair all makes of automobiles. In addition to their expert service you will find their prices very reasonable.

An automobile is a machine. A machine will not run forever without attention and some repairs. So every one of you car

owners must at some time or another see a reliable repair man to put your car in order. If you drive your car into Cope & Herd Garage it will be put in working order in the least possible time and at the least expense to you. You'll be assured of a reliable job as every bit of the work done by this firm is fully guaranteed in every way.

In making this review we wish to compliment this firm upon the excellent service rendered the people of this section.

## Coleman Exclusive Ladies' Store "Coleman's Finest"

Located at 108 Commercial Avenue in Coleman where quality reigns and style is paramount in ladies' wear. Phone 7261.

Here they feature individual and distinctive garments and accessories for the most fashionable ladies at reasonable prices. Their quality dresses are the very latest in chicness and smartness, and their styles will distinguish the wearer as a well dressed woman. This shop has long been known to the women of this section as the place where they could obtain their every need. The Coleman Exclusive Ladies Store has served the women of this section for 20 years.

For any one firm to assume the fashion responsibilities of this section is rather a large undertaking, but the Coleman Exclusive Ladies Store, through their desire to represent only the finest and best, has become known as fashion headquarters for ladies in this section. The principle upon which this store is operated is that of furnishing individual and distinctive garments most reasonable and of meeting any and all competition as to quality, style and price.

We wish to compliment the Coleman Exclusive Ladies Store upon their policy of maintaining merchandise of quality and the latest styles in ladies' garments.

## Coleman Magneto & Electric Shop Complete Electrical Service

This firm is located at 406 Commercial Avenue in Coleman. Phone 2941 for estimates on work done.

The Coleman Magneto & Electric Shop features generator, starter and Coleman light units. This firm also does general electric repairing including lights, horns and other varieties.

Take the best care of your car and have the Coleman Magneto and Electric Shop give your car

a complete check-up. Consult one who knows the business from A to Z. The excellent service Coleman Magneto & Electric Shop has rendered to their customers has brought them much new business and the number of their patrons is steadily increasing. You'll find here just the place to take your automobile when troubled with any electrical worries. Dial 2941.

This firm is owned and operated by Bill Felty.

## Banner Creamery MILK — ICE — ICE CREAM

Located at 316 South Concho Street in Coleman is the home of Grade "A" pasteurized dairy products. Say Banner Products when you want the best in pasteurized milk with fresh milk flavor.

When you buy cream, milk or ice cream, make it a point to call for Banner Products and taste the difference. You'll be pleased with the grand flavor of their products. Their plant is more sanitary than the law provides,

therefore you are assured of receiving clean, healthful food when you buy Banner Dairy Products.

The employees are courteous and accommodating to all who trade here. There is always a pleasing way about them when they serve you that you'll like.

You can obtain all these products at your grocer, drug store, or restaurant, so don't fail to ask for Banner the next time you buy dairy products.

## White's Music Store MUSIC HEADQUARTERS

Located at 310 Commercial Avenue in Coleman, this firm is equipped to serve you in all your music needs.

It has been said that "a man who hath not music in his heart is a traitor to his soul". That was in olden times but music has just as much effect on a person now as it did then.

Good music is the painted picture to the ear. We should all be interested in music and give our children a chance to learn

and appreciate its wonderfulness.

Remember, for musical instruments of all kinds, band, orchestra, pianos, radios, phonographs or records, this firm in Coleman can supply your needs. They are noted throughout this section for their reasonable prices and fair dealings.

Stop in at White's Music Store the next time you are in Coleman and select an instrument for yourself or your child, and enjoy life much more.

## Coleman Abstract Company

Located at 102 Commercial Avenue in Coleman. Phone 2631 for prompt and efficient abstract service.

In this section of the country, as in all countries the question of title often causes the new purchaser an endless amount of trouble.

This abstract office has all the information at hand from government entries and grants to the present time. If you are thinking of making a purchase, all you have to do is call at this abstract office, interview and explain to them the property you desire to purchase.

There is great satisfaction in knowing that when you consult this office you are in conference with an authority on the matter of abstracts and titles pertaining to everything on file in the office of the Registrar of Deeds.

We are glad in the Merchants & Business Directory issue to refer our readers to the Coleman Abstract Company in Coleman and know your abstracts will be absolutely correct and promptly delivered.

## A-1 Cleaners

Located at 112 East Pecan in Coleman. Phone 7771. Here, fine dry cleaning is done. They use the best and latest processes, and as a consequence, when garments are returned to you, they look smooth, are odorless and in press according to the styles of the day.

They specialize in all classes of dry cleaning, both for men and ladies, and the most delicate of dresses are handled in the most careful manner at the A-1 Cleaners.

Many people have learned that through good dry cleaning service they can save the expenditure of many dollars for new clothes. Both men and women have also found that the most sensitive fabrics are carefully handled and successfully cleaned at 112 East Pecan in Coleman, and are returned to them cleaned and finished in the most satisfactory manner. So see them next for all cleaning work and be pleased with the results.

## E. C. Ray-Welding Service

This concern, located at 705 North Neches Street on the Abilene Highway in Coleman, is the place to take those welding problems. They specialize in the welding of all metals. They maintain a complete shop including electrical and acetylene welding equipment as well as portable equipment.

These reliable welders of Coleman can save you many dollars and much lost time with their portable equipment. If you have a breakdown in the field or at the plant, don't go to the great expense of moving the machinery, just call the E. C. Ray Welding Service and let them fix it on the spot.

In this Merchants & Business Directory issue we are happy to recommend this reliable firm in Coleman and suggest you let them help you with your welding problems. For welding of all metals phone 4456 in Coleman.

## Lee F. Craig Service Station

The Lee F. Craig Service Station is located at 501 East Walnut Street in Coleman. Phone 2231. This is a modern up-to-date service station where you will find the employees courteous and accommodating. They feature the well known Texaco Products with Sky Chief Gasoline, Texaco and Havoline Motor Oils.

When you stop here they are always willing to check your car completely. Besides just filling up your gas tank they wash your windows, check your oil and tires. The Lee F. Craig Service Station is a complete one-stop Station in Coleman. They handle only the better grades of oils and gasoline, which assures every motorist of the most mileage per gallon. If your car needs a wash or grease job, take it to the Lee F. Craig Service Station and you will be pleased with the results.

In this Merchants & Business Directory issue, we are proud to recommend this enterprising dealer to our readers. We urge you to visit him when in Coleman.

**Rockwood News**  
(Mrs. Ray Caldwell)

I am glad to be back with you after a weeks illness. I have been suffering with gall stones but am feeling much better. I was able to attend Sunday School and church.

not get to come as Linda was sick. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith and children of San Saba spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bos-tick. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Estes and Sue spent Saturday night in Gorman with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Thomas. Mrs. Carl Buttry and Mrs. Johnnie Steward were shopping with us yesterday. In San Angelo last Thursday. Mrs. Cotton and the girls did Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Steward of

San Angelo visited here this past week with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Steward and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barker and Ebbie Jean of Rochelle spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John X. Steward. Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes attended Workers' Conference at Voss last Thursday. More than 20 women met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes last Wednesday and made three quilts for Billie McIntire and children. Mr. and Mrs. Pinky Porter are the proud parents of a baby son. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Caldwell of Junction visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.

R. L. Steward Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Blackwell and son, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Blackwell and Stanley and June of Coleman and Mrs. Joy Emmer and baby of California spent Sunday with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Linnie Blackwell. Howard Lee Lovelady, student at J. T. A. C., Stephenville spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lovelady. Mrs. Frank McCreary is spending the week in Memphis with Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McCreary who are the proud parents of a baby girl. Aubrey McSwain attended the

Texas U. and Oklahoma U. football game in Dallas Saturday. Mrs. Tom Bryan visited in San Angelo this past week with Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Black and son, Gary. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Campbell of Santa Anna spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Box. Mr. and Mrs. Lee McMillan and Mr. and Mrs. Leon McMillan enjoyed a birthday luncheon at the Brady Park Sunday in honor of Mr. Joe McMillan's birthday. Mrs. J. A. Shamblin of Coleman spent last Thursday here with her granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Estes. Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bryan Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Straughan, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Avants and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Joslin of San Angelo. Mrs. Bryan returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Joslin. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mobley of San Angelo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. McIlvain on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jack McSwain of Odessa visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. McSwain. Mr. and Mrs. Alec Cooper attended the Dallas Fair Sunday. Miss Juanita Duncan of Doole and Burgess Stewardson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Blackwell Saturday evening. Amos Caldwell left for St. Louis Friday after a three weeks visit here with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shufford.

**Humble Broadcasts Three Big Football Games On Saturday**

As the Southwest Conference race builds up full steam, Humble Oil & Refining Company this Saturday brings radio listeners three tilts between conference contenders plus the single inter-sectional match. At 2:20 p. m. the Texas A. & M.-T. C. U. broadcast will be heard from T. C. U. Stadium, with Charlie Jordan on play by play and Jerry Doggett on the color assignment. The game will be heard over stations WRRB, Dallas; KFJZ, Ft. Worth; KRBC, Abilene; KBST, Big Spring; KCRS, Midland; KGKL, San Angelo; KOSA, Odessa; KIUN, Pecos; KRDD, El Paso; WACO, Waco; KTEM, Temple; KNOV, Austin; KABC, San Antonio; KXYZ, Houston; KGV L, Greenville; KRRV, Sherman; KPLT, Paris; KCMC, Texarkana; KFRO, Longview; KMHT, Marshall; KRBA, Lufkin; WTAW, College Station; KFDM, Beaumont and KSST, Sulphur Springs. Texas U. and Arkansas meet in Memphis with the broadcast scheduled to go on the air at 1:50 p. m. from Crump Stadium. Vess Box will describe the game with Fred Kincaid handling color. Stations KRLD, Dallas; KTRH, Houston; KTSB, San Antonio; KTBC, Austin; KGNC, Amarillo and KGBS, Harlingen will carry the broadcast. Kern Tips, ace play by play man, and Alec Chesser, color announcer, will be heard from Ownby Stadium in Dallas, describing the Rice-S. M. U. game. The broadcast, scheduled at 1:50 p. m., will be heard over stations WFAA-WBAP (820 kc), Dallas-Ft. Worth; WOAI, San Antonio; KPRC, Houston; KRIS, Corpus Christi and KVAL, Brownsville. Humble's broadcast of the only non-conference game of the day, the Baylor-Texas Tech match, starts at 2:20 p. m., from Tech Stadium in Lubbock. Bill Michaels will describe the plays and Eddie Barker will assist on color. The game will be heard over stations WFAA-WBAP (570 kc), Dallas-Ft. Worth; KWFT, Wichita Falls; KWTX, Waco; KFYO, Lubbock; KTAL, Houston; KM-AC, San Antonio; KVOP, Plainview; KPET, Lamesa; KRIG, Odessa and KWBU, Corpus Christi.

**Dr. A. M. Fischer**  
CHIROPRACTOR  
X-RAY FLUOROSCOPE  
Coleman Office Building Telephone 2421

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**CHRISTMAS CARDS**

In the past we have had a number of calls for Christmas Cards with names imprinted on them. Until now we have hesitated to handle them, because of the high price they would have to sell for.

**HOWEVER**

This year we have managed to get some of the best Christmas Cards made, and by purchasing early we have been able to get them at a price that anyone can afford to have your Christmas Cards this year with your name printed on them. These Christmas Cards are for sale by the box only and with or without your name on them. At the price we are selling them we cannot sell them in single lots.

We want to get your order for these Christmas Cards as early as possible, as we cannot accept orders for them later than December 15. All cards will be ready for delivery Saturday afternoon of the week ordered.

The boxes have from 18 to 50 cards in each box and sell for \$2.10 up, with your name printed on them.

**These Christmas Cards Are Now On Display At The Santa Anna News**

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to thank our friends, neighbors and relatives for their many deeds of kindness during the illness and at the time of the death of our son and father, Fred L. West, and we are especially thankful for the lovely flowers. — Mrs. John West and Johnnie A. West. pd

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to express our appreciation to our many friends for their kindness shown us during our time of trouble. — Mr. and Mrs. Gene Deal. pd

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**Trickham News**  
(By Mrs. Beula Kingston)

The box and pie supper given  
at the school house last Thursday  
night was a splendid success.  
Almost everyone in the commu-  
nity participated, even those who  
do not have children in school  
here.

Miss Lea Mitchell won in the  
contest for the most popular  
girl and Grady Melver for the  
ugliest man. Besides the \$1.20  
her home Saturday after spend-  
ing 10 days in Coleman and is  
Mr. A. L. Cobart donated a case  
of crushed pineapples. We wish  
to thank those from other com-  
munities who participated so  
liberally. All proceeds will go to  
the school lunch room.

We also drove down to the Tay-  
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day night with Ruth Dean.  
Bangs Sunday. Loretta Jenkins  
and Mrs. Gus Fiveash and

came home with Roberta staying  
until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haynes  
spent Sunday afternoon in the  
Ben McIver home.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Littleton  
and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rice of  
Winchell were guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. R. S. Stearns Sunday and  
told Mr. Stearns this joke to be  
put in my news column. He said  
there are two things you never  
hear in Winchell any more. You  
never hear anyone tell the truth  
any more and still worse, you  
never hear or smell meat frying.

Why worry, Mr. Littleton? Who  
wants to pay \$1.00 a pound just  
to smell meat frying?

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Haynes and  
children and Ruth Dean were  
shopping in Brownwood Satur-  
day.

Cline Griffin of Mathis, Texas  
spent one night last week with  
his sister, Mrs. Buck Mitchell  
and family.

Mrs. Key Bradley and children  
and her mother attended church  
in Brownwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ford, Reba  
Haynes and Patsy Melver spent  
Sunday in the Marion Ford  
home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Burney at-  
tended Sunday School and the  
preaching services at Shields  
and were dinner guests of Mr.  
and Mrs. Lewis Newman.

Mrs. Zona Stacy spent the  
week-end with friends at Whon  
and attended church there.

Mary Kathryn Fellers and Lea  
Mitchell spent Sunday with Ed-  
die Edmondson.

Mrs. Oscar Boenicke and Mrs.  
John Pentecost attended Council  
Meeting of H. D. Clubs in Cole-  
man Saturday.

Mr. Ben Melver returned to  
his home Saturday after spend-  
ing 10 days in Coleman and is  
feeling much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Zay Shirley and  
Gayle and Mrs. Kingston spent  
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day afternoon and got Mrs. Leta  
Price and Truman and they went  
to Whon, spending the after-  
noon with their uncle, Gus Five-  
ash and family. Coming back  
by here they stayed over for the  
singing at the church, and may  
I say we appreciated the singers  
from elsewhere and you may not  
know it but we have some good  
singers and pianists in the mak-  
ing, from eight years old on up.

Following the program put on  
by the M. Y. F. O. (Methodist  
Youth Fellowship Organization)  
Miss Reba Haynes was elected as  
a delegate to the meeting to be  
held at Cleveland, Ohio during  
the Christmas holidays. Buddy  
Windham was elected as alter-  
nate. Should you want to help  
pay Reba's fare there and back,  
hand your funds to her.

Mrs. Nan Roberts left last  
Wednesday night for Houston to  
visit her daughter, Mrs. Izzie  
Prooler, who has been ill with  
flu for some time.

Mrs. Carl Sheffield spent last  
Wednesday with her mother,  
Mrs. J. S. Laughlin.

Mrs. Gene James visited with  
Mrs. Vaughn and Nan last Tues-  
day, also Mrs. Shirley.

Those from here who attended  
the Baptist Workers meeting at  
Novice last week were Mr. and

Mrs. Lige Lancaster, Rev. J. H.  
and Mr. A. J. Martin and Mr. C.  
A. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Millier vis-  
ited a short time with Mr. and  
Mrs. L. E. Page last Friday af-  
ternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry La Dou-  
ceur of Brownwood visited her  
mother, Mrs. Zona Stacy last  
Thursday.

Mrs. Lee Vaughn visited Mrs.  
Kingston last Wednesday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bowden  
visited with the Albert Dean  
family Friday night.

Lew Story of Ft. Worth visited  
his sister, Mrs. Walter Sharp  
during the week.


Ethel Larue and Jimmy  
Laughlin spent the week-end  
with their grandparents, Mr. and

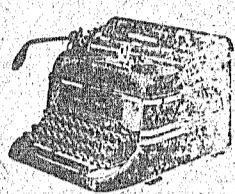
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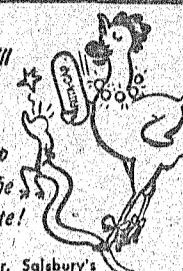
Mr. and Mrs. Horace Goodgion  
of Calf Creek spent Sunday with  
her mother, Mrs. L. E. Page and  
Mrs. Goodgion attended Sunday  
School here. In the afternoon,  
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disease known as "lupus" the  
fourth known case in the U. S. A.


Mr. and Mrs. Homer Goodgion  
drove by late Sunday afternoon  
up next week. We met this  
to see Mrs. Kingston and we en-  
joyed a few minutes of old time

fellowship together.  
Mrs. A. J. Martin left early  
this morning for Winchell where  
she will meet her daughter,  
Byron Moore and they were to  
go to San Antonio for the fune-  
ral of her sister's grandson, who  
died Saturday night in a govern-  
ment hospital in Louisiana fol-  
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I will give a more lengthy write-  
up next week. We met this  
young man at Mr. and Mrs. Mar-  
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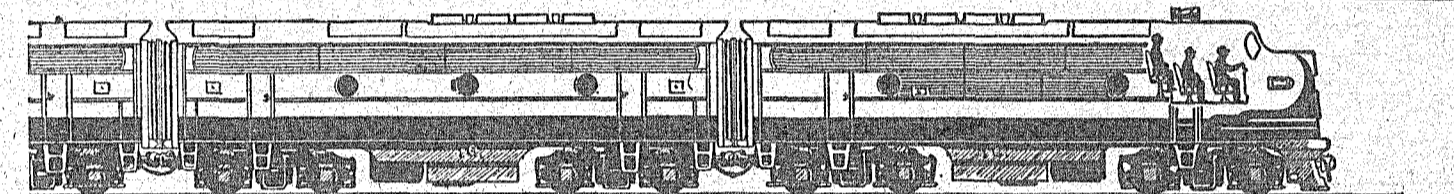
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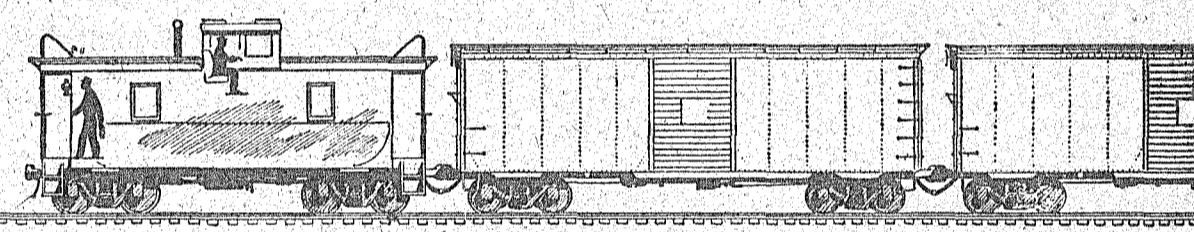
  
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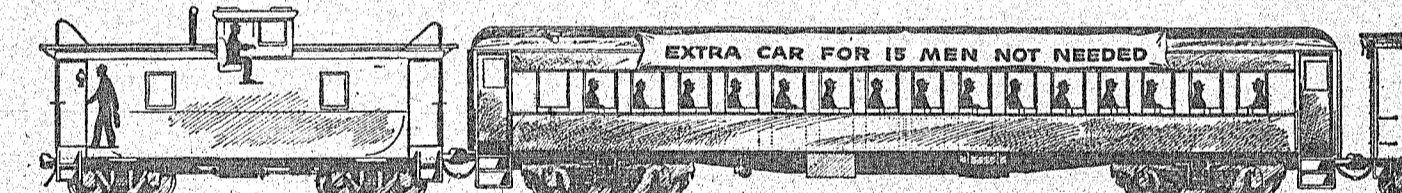
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It's a Good Idea!  
  
Dr. Salsbury's AVI-  
TAB is not a cure-all  
—It is a tonic that  
helps give poultry a "lift." When you  
house your flock, feed AVI-TAB in the  
mash and help keep 'em laying!  
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for Birds That  
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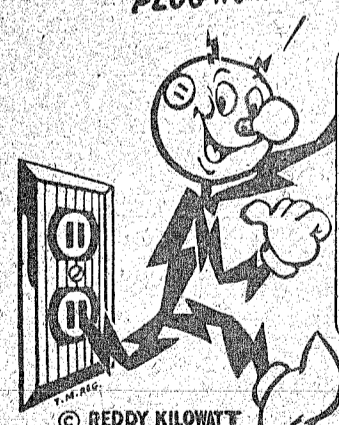
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6 BRAKEMEN AND 3 CONDUCTORS ... TO GO ALONG FOR THE RIDE AT FULL PAY!

  
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Yes,  
Your ELECTRIC  
DOLLAR  
Now Buys  
MORE!

If the cost of electricity had increased the  
same as the cost of living, your electric serv-  
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Actually, the average price of a kilowatt  
hour of electric service to residential users  
is down 32.6 per cent since 1933.

**Reddy Kilowatt**  
**West Texas Utilities  
Company**

It's to your interest to know about this proposed  
**feather-bedding!**

For sheer feather-bedding, this mock  
work proposal takes the cake. But it  
is only one of 44 "rules" demands filed  
by the leaders of the operating unions.  
If all these demands were granted,  
they would cost the railroads an added  
BILLION DOLLARS A YEAR.

**Increased Wages, Too**  
On top of these "rules" changes, the  
leaders of the operating unions have  
filed an additional demand for a wage  
increase of over 30 per cent. If granted,  
this would be an added cost to the rail-  
roads of \$400,000,000 a year.

**\$468,000,000 To Non-Operating  
Employees**  
In addition to this, an Arbitration  
Board has just granted a wage in-  
crease of 15½ cents an hour to the mil-  
lion employees represented by the 17  
non-operating unions. This will cost  
the railroads \$468,000,000 a year.

**Where Will The Money Come From?**  
Where will all the money come from  
to pay these increases? They total sev-  
eral times as much as the railroads  
made in 1946 or will make in 1947.

In July, the railroads filed an appli-  
cation for increased freight rates to  
close the gap which then existed be-  
tween wage and material costs, and  
railroad revenues. Since then it has  
been necessary, because of further in-  
creases in wages and material costs,  
to supplement that petition and to  
ask for an additional freight rate

increase. No other course is open.

**Railroads Do Not Run For  
Employees Alone**  
Railroads are operated for the benefit  
of not one, but several groups—ship-  
pers, passengers, employees, stock-  
holders, and the general public. The  
interest of all must be served—and  
that cannot be done unless the rail-  
roads can operate efficiently and eco-  
nomically, and unless they are allowed  
to earn sufficient revenue to provide  
the kind of transportation service this  
country MUST HAVE.

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Sophomore Reporter . . . Helen Day  
Freshman Reporter . . . June Parker

**B. O. IS NOT FOR US, SAY THE GIRLS**

Dear Boys:  
We want you to know from the beginning that we like you a whole lot, but well — there are a few things on which you could improve or at least think. For instance, we spend an awful lot of time studying about how to keep our hair shining and attractively arranged, and we do try to put our knowledge into practice. We realize that you like to see us with a peaches and cream complexion and nice looking hands, but what about your own grooming? Did you ever stop to think that we like for boys to be well groomed, too? It doesn't make you any less manly to have clean fingernails. You don't have to spend 30 minutes every night rolling up your hair but frequent visits to the barber shop, weekly shampoos, and a

little less hair oil would improve the situation. We don't want to get too personal, but how about glancing over some of the "Life-buoy" and "Mhm" ads?

A'hem, after all that we still have other things to say. "Would it be too much trouble to ask for a date ahead of time? We'd like to know in time to look our best for you."

Our parents aren't bears, so please come in and meet them and let them find out how nice you really are. We know that you aren't millionaires so don't think you have to take us to the show and buy mads every time we have a date. Why could not a group of us get together in our homes and make candy, pop corn and play rummy. We'd love to have you and more dates wouldn't bankrupt you.

When we do go to the show and Frank's on a date we like for you to act like you're having a good time and not flirt with every other girl that comes in. It doesn't make you any more wonderful in our eyes to talk of the dozens of girls whose hearts you have broken.

Some of you seem to be a little confused on the "all important" question of "dating steady". Just because we go to the ball game on Friday night with the boy who sits across the aisle in Algebra class doesn't mean that we're going steady. There's no good reason why we shouldn't go with someone else next Friday night.

We don't believe the popular saying that "a woman always has the last word", so we'll be waiting for an answer and suggestions about improvements you'd like for us to make. Sincerely,  
"The Girls."

**A FRESHMAN SPEAKS**

We freshmen feel quite grown up, because we are on the road to being a senior. As a rule the freshmen are considered self conscious and shy. This year the freshmen have had one advantage. That is, being in this

building last year we learned a little bit about high school routine.

The freshman class of 1947-48 feel that all the children of high school should take an interest in the world affairs of today.

Maybe the freshman class is insignificant now, but wait until we're seniors in 1950-51.

**ASSEMBLY PROGRAM**

The assembly program for Wednesday, October 8 was short in time — but long in laughs. Our guest speaker was Rev. Henry Price, pastor of the Methodist church. He gave some humorous interpretations of verses learned more than 30 years ago at a literary society in the school which he attended. We enjoyed his talk, and we sincerely hope he will return soon.

Preceding every football game we have a pep rally. Usually very noisy and unusually so Friday, October 10. The band played as the students went to assembly. For several minutes thereafter the yells and band music continued. The yell leaders then asked Mr. Green to speak, which we enjoyed. The next speaker was Coach McBride, and he in turn called all the football players to the front of the auditorium and introduced each player. Although all were well known, Spirit was high in everyone — yet we were facing one of our toughest opponents. Assembly ended with our school song, "On Santa Anna."

**SENIOR NEWS**

This year the senior class is among the highest in number of all the classes in high school. Almost everyone in the senior class is participating in some activity. In the Press Club the editor in chief and vice president are seniors; in the Homemaking Club some of the senior girls are taking active parts in every activity; and this year three of the S. A. H. S. cheer leaders are seniors. Many of the best football players on the Mountaineer team hail from the senior class. The drum major, sub drum major and the flag bearers along with many band members, also hail from the senior class.

The seniors are represented in the annual staff by the editor in chief and others.

We also have a great many talents such as: Jonie Hartman, the artist; Carlyn Ray, the musician; Gene Smith, the voice; Virginia Lewellen, the dancer; Elgean Shield, the photographer along with many others.

And who knows? Even the Hallowe'en Queen may be from the senior class!! With these good selections of Johnny Ethel Steward and Carlyn Ray as nominees, we can see no reason why we shouldn't win. — Reporter.

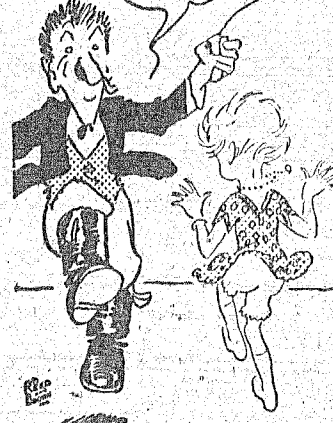
**PRESS CLUB NEWS**

The Press Club is perhaps the most active organization on the Santa Anna high campus. Never a week goes by but some of their work is placed before the students. Special recognition is due each member for his or her outstanding effort.

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**HALLOWE'EN CARINVAL**

The junior class sponsored Hallowe'en Carnival will be held Saturday, November 1 at the high school auditorium. This is just a hint, "A word to the wise is sufficient". If you want to have fun, frolic, and just plain "ole" good time attend this entertainment. Nowhere in town (or in Coleman) can you find so much for so little. A cake walk, a beautiful queen, bingo, spook house, food, and other attractions make this carnival the best one ever to be held.

"Don't be left out! Don't sit at home and snoop! Come to the Hallowe'en Carnival and Sunday, sleep all afternoon."

**JUNIORS CLASS NEWS**

The juniors met Monday for a general meeting. Extensive plans were laid for the Hallowe'en Carnival to be held November 1. The committee for the Queen's Race consists of Barbara Bruce,

Gene Sherrod and Douglas Heallen; vice president, Sandra Moore. Spook House committee members are Cleo Rushing, Beverly Stockard and James Watson. Billie Lynn Westbrook. Our Recreation committee is made up of Kathryn Stewardson, Sue Milligan, Margaret Van Dyke and Wayne Stewardson. Bingo committee is Jack Carroll, James Neal Williams, Doneita Robinette and Dewey Dunn. The Cake Walk will be planned by Stanley Cobb, Kelly Wise, Patsy Price and Hilton Sherrod. The decoration committee which will decorate the stage is composed of Anne Priddy, Elaine Burgett, Kenneth Vance and Herbert Straughan.

Kelly Wise has been nominated by the junior members as FFA sweetheart.

Kelly Wise and Doneita Robinette are our nominees for Hallowe'en Queen. — Reporter.

**F. F. A. NEWS**

Last week the Santa Anna F. F. A. Chapter elected candidates for their annual sweetheart contest. A representative was elected from each class. The following were chosen Senior, Johnny Ethel Steward; Junior, Kelly Wise; Sophomore, Helen Day; Freshman, Linda Stewardson.

During the early part of the week jars with pictures of the candidates on them will be put downtown in several business establishments. Votes are a penny each. Every cent you put in your candidate's jar will help her to win the race.

**EIGHTH GRADE NEWS**

The Eighth Grade held its first class meeting October 6. We elected class officers and a Recreation committee. Our class officers are: President, Kenneth

Shields; secretary - treasurer, Evangeline Mulroy; reporter, Billie Lynn Westbrook. Our Recreation committee members are of chairman, Sandra Shields, Frances McClellan, Evangeline Mulroy, Tommy Martin, Annette Johnson and Mary Frances Irick. Our room mothers are Mesdames W. E. Irick, W. R. Mulroy, J. W. McClellan, George Johnson, T. K. Martin and Jack Shields. We are very fortunate to have Mrs. R. D. Holt as our sponsor. — Reporter.

**DAFFYNITIONS**

An epistle is the wife of an apostle.  
A refugee keeps order at a football match.  
An oboe is an English tramp. Period costumes are dresses all covered with dots.  
A polygon is a dead parrot.  
An invoice is another name for the conscience.  
Melancholic — a tummy ache from eating too much melon.  
Microbe — a robe worn by radio announcers.  
Hill — a piece of land with its back up.  
Ground hog — sausage.  
Etc. — a sign used to make people think you know more than you do.  
Isolate — The reason teacher keeps me in after school.  
Unaware — what we wear in winter.  
Bronchial tubes — subway to the Bronx.  
Arrest — what we take in study hall.  
Reason — a dried up grape.  
Manilla — an ice cream flavor.  
Bleachers — people who dye their hair blonde.

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This building contains lots of lumber, doors and windows.

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**Santa Anna School Board,  
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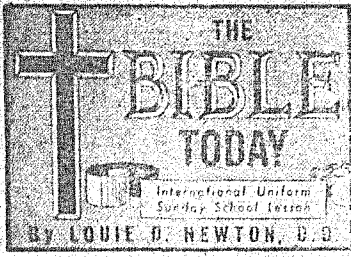
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SCRIPTURE: Hebrews 11-13; Genesis 12:1-9. DEVOTIONAL READING: Romans 5:1-9.

Creative Power of Faith

Lesson for October 19, 1947

THIS lesson takes us to the Westminster Abbey of the Bible, Hebrews, eleventh through the thirteenth chapters, to meditate for a season upon the faithful souls in the long ago who obtained a good report as they stood at the passage of the Jordan and sounded the trumpets of triumph, even the trumpets of faith. The reader will be richly rewarded to stop right here and open his or her Bible and read these three chapters. Your attention will be directed to the word, faith. "Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. For by it the elders obtained a good report. Through faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, so that things which are seen were not made of things which do appear." Hebrews 11:1-3.

A Journey to a New Land

I WANT the boys and girls to look at the passage which describes how Abraham, "when he was called to go out into a place which he should after receive for an inheritance, obeyed; and he went out, not knowing whither he went." How could Abraham leave his pleasant situation in Ur? Through faith in God, and that alone. A memory verse is here suggested: "I will trust, and will not be afraid," Isaiah 12:2. Abraham might well have been afraid of unknown enemies, of disease, of poverty. Men do become afraid of these things, unless their faith is in God. But Abraham believed in God—had faith in God. And he went forth, holding the hand of God.

There is creative power in such a faith. Abraham discovered that every step he took was accompanied by God. He built altars. He talked with God, and God talked with him. Such will be the experience of every boy and girl who stakes his or her all upon implicit faith in God.

What Faith Can Do

INTERMEDIATES are considering what they will do with their lives. It is the vitally important period when they are wistfully considering a life career. This lesson would seem to clearly indicate that God has a purpose and plan for each life. He will reveal that plan to those who trust him for guidance. Faith in God at this point is absolutely essential if we are to live victoriously.

Read again the eleventh chapter of Hebrews and see how these heroes of faith in the long ago cast themselves wholly into the will of God for their lives. We can have no doubt about their ultimate success.

Parents and teachers are here reminded of their solemn responsibility in pointing intermediate boys and girls to the truth of Sunday's lesson. Life is too valuable, too fleeting, to be frittered away in purposeless drifting.

Faith is the bright shaft of God's presence and power to guide young people into his will. It is the unfailing light to direct their steps daily. It is the creative power to sustain them each step of the way.

This Power at Work

TAKE any one of the characters portrayed in these three chapters of Hebrews and see how faith in God produced men and women who changed the course of history. Young people are interested in biography. I would commend to you the lives of the great men and women of modern times, who lived in the creative power of faith in God.

John Wesley, for example. There was a man whose life, when strangely warmed by the spirit of God, lifted England from the depths of secularism and set her feet once more on the highway of worthy achievement.

Martha Berry is another splendid example. Miss Berry devoted her life to God's will and purpose to

Chevrolet Tries To Keep New Cars In Hands Of Purchasers

Detroit, Oct. 9 — Two factors, both of them beyond the immediate control of the industry, today were advanced by T. H. Keating, Chevrolet general sales manager, as underlying causes of the problem of profiteering on the inadequate supply of new cars produced by the auto industry.

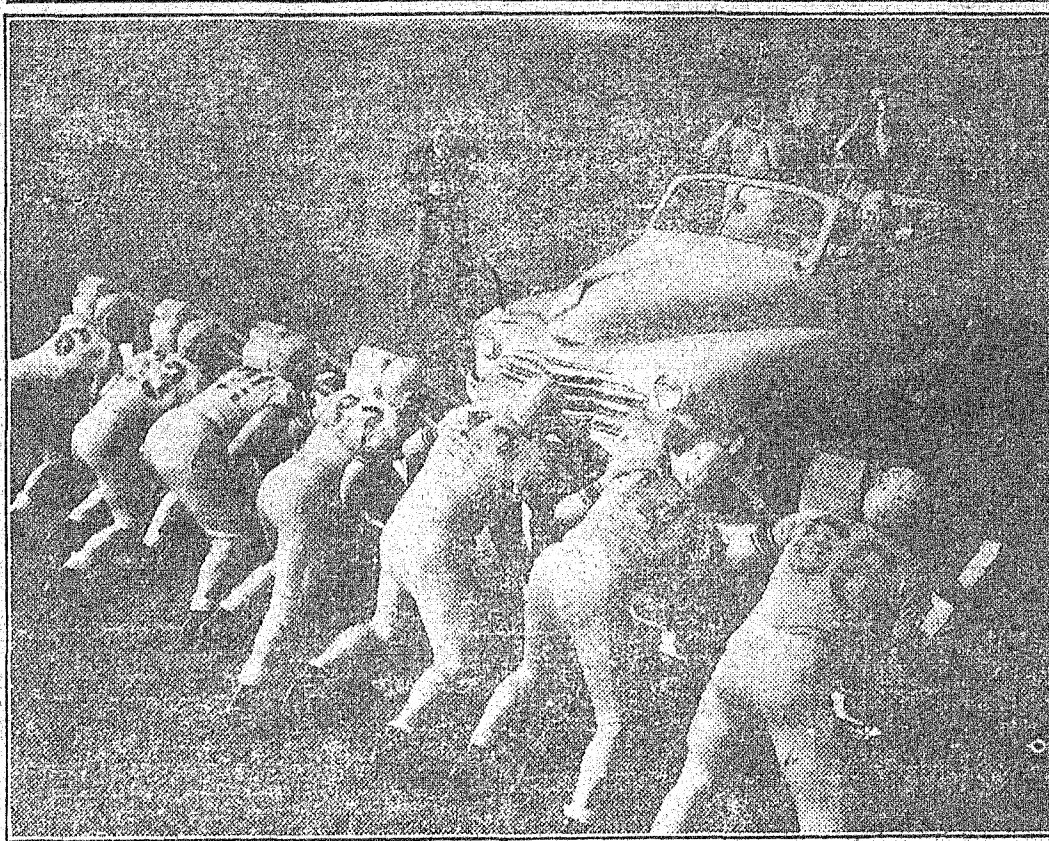
Insufficient supply and continuing heavy demand for the industry's products, plus the willingness of the buying public to resell and rebuy legitimately obtained new cars at a bonus price are the two basic reasons for the appearance of current models on used car lots throughout the country, Mr. Keating declared.

His assertions, based on thousands of individual investigations conducted by Chevrolet in response to complaints from all parts of the country that new models are appearing on used car lots when dealers are still more than 14 months behind, throw light upon the present unprecedented situation within the automotive field.

"We maintain a distinct interest in the eventual use of the product we build," Mr. Keating said, "and are likewise concerned with public reaction to Chevrolet dealers retail policies and the good name of Chevrolet itself."

Mr. Keating praised Chevrolet dealers for the positive action they have taken individually and collectively in an effort to stem the flow of new cars to the so-

Grid Stars Pit Manpower vs. Horsepower



"Seven iron men vs. 90 horses" . . . the forward wall of the Wayne University football team of Detroit works out in novel fashion at the blocking sled, providing the inspiration. The mechanized practice session sought to discover whether the forward wall could "hold that line" against a Chevrolet. The Tartar line admitted they'd had a perspiration, while four attractive Tartar fans offer workout, but said they'd never faced prettier competition.

called "gray market."

Mr. and Mrs. George Wells have gotten a letter from their son, Oliver, who is at the Receiving Station in San Francisco, saying he would soon be leaving for Guam. He has two more years to serve in the Navy.

Mrs. D. T. Jordan of Ingleside, after visiting with her people at Cross Plains, visited last week here with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jordan.

Mrs. Bert Turney of Whon and her grandson, Richard Meek of Dallas visited several days in the first part of the week with her brother, Jack Shields and family.

Will Harris from Dallas, after visiting his brother, Tom Harris who is in a hospital in Brownwood last Thursday, came on to Santa Anna and visited for several hours with his sister in law, Mrs. Pearl Harris and Charlie Joe.

Merit System Council To Hold New Exams

The Merit System Council of Texas will hold open competitive examinations for a number of positions with the State Department of Public Welfare in various cities throughout the state, at 9 a. m. on November 22, with November 1 the closing date for filing applications. The entrance salaries for these positions range from \$1,584 to \$2,544 per annum. Persons interested in these examinations may obtain application blanks and full information relative to duties, minimum qualifications and salary ranges at their nearest State Department of Public Welfare office, or by writing to the Merit System Director, 808 Tribune Building, Austin 21, Texas.

Mrs. R. L. Hamiter had as visitors last Sunday Mrs. Andrew Smith and Mrs. James Smith of the Liberty community and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hamiter of Bangs. Also her daughter, Mrs. J. H. McCoy of Abilene came on Tuesday and will visit the remainder of the week with her.

Mrs. R. R. Lovelady has returned from a pleasant visit to California, where she visited her daughter, Ruth, Mrs. Jim Dodson and family at Temple City and with her sister, Mrs. A. C. Snodgrass at San Diego and with Dr. Lovelady's sister, Mrs. Dewey Robertson and Mr. Robertson at Los Angeles.

Church Notices

**BUFFALO BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching Hour, 11:00 a. m.  
Training Union, 7:15 p. m.  
Preaching Hour, 8:00 p. m.  
Wednesday night prayer service, 7:15 p. m.  
Brotherhood Meeting each Tuesday night before Fourth Sunday.  
W. M. S. Meetings twice month.  
Rev. J. W. Ballard, Pastor.

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

**Cumberland Presbyterian Church**  
Sunday School at 10: a.m.  
Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.  
Preaching services, second Sunday evenings and fourth Sunday morning and evening.  
J. W. Burgett, pastor.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
Church School 10:00 a.m., Mr. Hardy Blue, Supt.  
Morning Worship 11: 00 a.m.  
Evening Worship Services 8:00 p. m.  
Methodist Youth Fellowship 7:30 p. m.  
'I was glad when they said unto me,  
Let us go into the house of the Lord.'  
HENRY PRICE, Pastor.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11 a.m., 2nd and 4th Sundays.  
Ladies Auxillary, Mondays following each 2nd Sunday.  
Choir Practice, 6 p.m. each Friday.  
Ben H. Moore, pastor.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Preaching services 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union, 6:30 p. m.  
Preaching Service, 7:30 p. m.  
Prayer Service, 7:30 p. m.  
S. R. Smith, pastor.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evangelistic Service 7:00 p. m.  
Young People's Service, Thursday night 7:00 p. m.  
Evangelistic Services, Saturday night, 7:30 p. m.  
You are cordially invited to attend.  
James C. Nelson, pastor.

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Why not gather up all that old junk lying around the yard and turn it into dollars in your pocket? That's just what you can do because the E. H. Ray Junk Yard located at 218 Overall Street in Coleman will pay you the highest prices for your junk.

We all have junk around our home or farm that is useless to us. It is not only useless but detracts from the appearance of any yard. With very little effort, you can gather this up and on your next trip to Coleman bring it in to the E. H. Ray Junk Yard and they will sort, weigh and pay

you for it while you wait.

Any piece of metal that is junk will sell. Copper, brass, lead, bronze and aluminum will bring the highest prices. Old motors bring a lot of cash to folks in this section who take them to this firm. Mr. E. H. Ray's Junk Yard has built a fine reputation for reliable dealings and this Review recommends them to all in this section who have junk to sell. Mr. Ray also has on hand water tanks and troves, all kinds of steel, and pipe structur, plenty of lumber and galvanized iron roofing. Phone 7066.

## Gray Mercantile Company

Located on Pecan in Coleman, Phone 2501.

Within the last few years the electrical appliance has developed more rapidly than any other retail store. This is because people are beginning to realize and appreciate electrical conveniences. The Gray Mercantile Company is equipped to supply all electrical needs.

This popular electric store has on display for your inspection modern, up to date electrical fixtures and appliances. For distinctive electrical fixtures see the Gray Mercantile Company in Coleman.

Other new items in stock include a new line of table model radios, Maytag washing machines, popular brands of electric irons, Universal electrical appliances, Magic Chef ranges, gas heaters, Du Pont household paints and many other items.

In this Merchants and Business Directory issue we are pleased to recommend this modern electrical store to all our readers in this section.

## Veterinary Clinic

In each community the local veterinarian holds a responsible position. It is his job to see that our livestock and pets are properly cared for when they are ill. Dr. J. Ray Martin at 716 Concho in Coleman is noted throughout this community for his skill and integrity.

In many cases when you have a sick animal on your farm you need a veterinarian immediately. If you will phone 7166 in Coleman, Dr. J. Ray Martin will answer the call as promptly as possible.

Dr. J. Ray Martin maintains a hospital which will assure complete isolation for your pets when they are sick and must be under the constant care of a qualified veterinarian.

Dr. J. Ray Martin has had years of experience in treating all types of farm animals and is thoroughly familiar with disorders and sickness which is most common in this community.

We, in this Merchants & Business Directory issue, highly recommend this capable veterinarian in Coleman, office phone 7166, residence 4706.

## Carvel S. Walker — Used Cars

Values In Used Cars

Mr. Carvel S. Walker buys, sells and trades used cars. This well known man is located on South Commercial in Coleman.

If you are ready to sell your automobile and get a better one, this is the place to go in Coleman. He will offer you a trade-in value that you won't want to refuse.

This man believes in fair play and you will find his prices are

in line. You will find a variety of cars in all price ranges on display at Walkers on Commercial. It is well worth your time to stop here and let him show you the price list, you'll be pleased with their values.

This dealer is always happy to appraise your car without any obligation on your part. When you are ready to sell or buy a car, be sure to go to Carvel S. Walker in Coleman.

## Hearts Cleaners and Hatters

The Hearts Cleaners & Hatters, located at 700 Commercial in Coleman offers a complete cleaning service, Phone 3031. Appearance does make a difference and people who realize this keep their clothes looking the part by having them dry cleaned and restored to their original freshness and styles by this shop. They know by science and experience how to remove those aggravating spots that will get on in the most unexpected manner and spoil your appearance. Have those spots removed safely, send it to the Hearts Cleaners & Hatters today.

Regardless of whether you have a delicate dress, a coat, hat or suit of clothes you will find this shop will clean it promptly and efficiently. The cleaning here will renew your clothes, liven the color, in fact keep your clothes "looking the part".

This shop will be glad to take care of your dry cleaning needs, and in this Merchants & Business Directory issue we wish to congratulate these veteran cleaners upon their success in this business. They also offer insured storage space and alteration work. This firm is owned and operated by Mr. Wallace McKee.

## Ards Radiator And Welding Service

The Ards Radiator & Welding Service located on Needham St., in Coleman can be depended on to give you first class Radiator Repair Work. They are specialists in this line and have the equipment and experience to repair your radiator so that it will stay in good condition.

The cooling system of an automobile is a vital part in the function of a motor. The burning of the gasoline creates a terrific heat in our automobile or tractor motor. The heat must be dissipated in order that the motor can be operated efficiently. The cooling system must be kept clean if we are to expect the maximum cooling effect of the radiator. Don't be satisfied with inefficient operation of your motor because your radiator does not cool properly. Take it to the Ards Radiator & Welding Service on Needham Street in Coleman and have them clean and flush it properly. They are experts in repairing and recoring radiators of any make and any size. Also equipped to do all kinds of welding, Phone 4716.

## Feed The Land; Fatten The Crops

"Feed the land and fatten the crops."

That's a slogan that E. A. Miller, extension agronomist of Texas A. & M. College, would like to see in operation on every farm in Texas.

Miller brings the slogan to attention now because it's time to feed the land with winter legumes, which help furnish soil fertility that fattens the crops.

Winter legumes can be planted, says Miller, as soon as there is enough moisture in the soil to work it.

Legume seed that has been inoculated has produced the best crop of green manure. Miller says proper seed inoculation is a necessary phase of legume growing, if the producer wants to get the most benefit from his winter cover crop. Fertilization is just as necessary, says the agronomist, in areas where soils and rainfall will make good use of the fertilizer. On the better types of Texas soils Miller recommends 200 to 400 pounds of 20 per cent superphosphate per acre, or its equivalent, while on light, sandy soils and old fields it will take 300 to 400 pounds 0-14-7 commercial fertilizer per acre to get the job done. In the timbered section of East Texas, the 0-14-7 application is especially important.

## NATIONAL GUARD ASSOCIATION

The National Guard Association of the U. S. concluded its 69th annual conference at Columbus, Ohio, September 20 by unanimously electing Maj. Gen. A. Walsh, Adjutant General of Minnesota, for his fifth consecutive term as president.

Brig. Gen. Raymond H. Fleming of Louisiana and Brig. Gen. Charles G. Sage of New Mexico were elected vice presidents from the Fourth Army Area for three years.

The following women from Santa Anna attended the quarterly meeting of the Coleman County W. M. S., which met last Friday at the Valera Baptist church. Mesdames Dovie Chapman, E. Watkins, J. D. Kemp, J. F. Goen, John Brown, Ola Niell, Roscoe Hosh, D. R. Hill and J. L. Boggus.

## Sheep And Goat Raisers To Meet December 1, 2, and 3 In El Paso, Texas

El Paso will be entertaining the 32nd annual convention of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association when the organization holds its meeting there December 1, 2 and 3. An estimated 700 ranchmen and others are expected to attend the session.

It is reported that the Hotel Del Norte, El Paso, headquarters for the convention, is booked to capacity but rooms are still to be had in other leading hotels.

Bryan Hunt, Sonora, president of the organization, urges sheep and goat raisers in the Santa Anna area to attend the meeting. Hunt said, "Every sheep and goat raiser in Texas is urged to attend the annual meeting and take part in establishing a 1948 policy and program on the industry's major problems."

One of the most prominent speakers to address the meeting will be the Hon. Jesse B. Gilmer, president of the Commodity Credit Corporation and head of the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration. The CCC is presently carrying out a domestic wool support price program.

Other speakers already scheduled for the convention program include Mr. Sylvan J. Pauley, Deer Lodge, Montana, president of the National Wool Growers Association; Mr. M. J. Cook, chief of the Packers and Stockyards Division of the U. S. Department of Agriculture; Mr. Chancellor Weymouth, Amarillo, president of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association; Mr. P. J. Lakey, Austin, head of the Food and Drugs Division of the State Health Department, and Mr. Wallace Demerott, Director of the Texas Ranch Experiment Station at Sonora.

## Named to Head March of Dimes



George D. Wilson

Appointment of George D. Wilson, Houston businessman and civic leader, as Texas State Chairman for the 1948 March of Dimes was announced today by Basil O'Connor, president of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

The 1948 campaign to be held Jan. 15-30, will mark the tenth anniversary of the National Foundation, established by Franklin D. Roosevelt to "lead, direct and unify" the fight against infantile paralysis. The March of Dimes each January is the sole support of the National Foundation.

Mr. Wilson formerly headed the trustees of the University of Houston, the Houston Board of Education and the Junior Chamber of Commerce. He has been active in the American Red Cross and served on the Presiding Bishop's Committee on Laymen's Work of the Protestant Episcopal Church. He was 1947 March of Dimes chairman for Texas.

In announcing that Mr. Wilson had accepted the state chairmanship, Mr. O'Connor revealed that since 1943 infantile paralysis has taken a tragic toll, with more than 72,000 Americans having been stricken.

"Thousands," he warned, "continue to face a long fight for recovery. This summer, fortunately, we had a 'breathing spell' as polio incidence nationally did not approach the awful total of 1946.

"The cost of the 1946 epidemic alone will run to some \$30,000,000, without taking into account the large sums necessary to care for those stricken this summer. We do not know what 1948 may bring, but we must be prepared."

## ORGANIZED RESERVE CORPS NEEDS ARMY OFFICER CANDIDATES

The Officer Candidate School is encouraging applications from qualified civilians as well as from enlisted men in all components of the army.

Applicants must be between 20½ and 28 years old, pass a physical examination, have completed high school or an accredited preparatory school of equal educational level, obtain a score of 110 or higher in the Army General Classification Test, pass a competitive Army Officer Candidate School Test and possess high moral and personal qualities.

All qualified civilians and enlisted Reservists will be enlisted in the Regular Army in the grade of Staff Sergeant, if accepted. All personnel will be guaranteed immediate discharge from the service at any time they are found disqualified while in basic training or in Officer Candidate School.

Graduates to be commissioned as second lieutenants in the Organized Reserve Corps, and will be eligible to serve on active or inactive duty.

Contact your local recruiting officer or write to the Commanding General, Fourth Army Headquarters for further information.

## 'I Give You Texas' Boyce House

On the general subject of relief for the war stricken countries:

The war has been over for more than two years. They have soil and sunshine and manpower — the U. S. has no monopoly on these assets. It seems to me that we should taper off on relief and send them such things as seed and plows, so they can go to work and shift for themselves.

The Book of Books says that man shall eat bread in the sweat of his brow — and those people should begin to eat their bread in the sweat of their own brows instead of in the sweat of the brows of the American taxpayers.

That, in essence, is what we understand the Marshall Plan to be.

Your columnist felt highly flattered when an invitation arrived to speak to a convention of several hundred physicians from 11 states in Galveston. And then I found out that they are psychiatrists — and I don't know now whether they want to hear me or study me.

But that does remind me of the time I said something rude to a friend and was sorry the next moment and his retort made me sorer. He had served in the army in World War I and he wrote a letter to a newspaper, complaining at the food in the training camp. The letter was published and the military authorities were going to discipline him. But somebody said, "Maybe he's crazy," so they held a hearing, found him sane and then sentenced him to k.p. duty for three weeks.

Well, several year later, he and I were having an argument and, though we were friends, the discussion got a little heated and he implied I was not very intelligent. I said, "At any rate, I never have been tried for lunacy." He said, "Well, I have the advantage of you — I have been tried and was found sane."

And I couldn't think of a comeback to that.

Go to Church Sunday.

## Britisher Will Discuss Newspaper Problems On Radio

Dallas, Oct. 13 — "Post-War Problems of a British Newspaper Editor," will be related by Chas. Eade, London (England) Dispatch editor, during a special Hometown Editor program at 12:30 p. m. Saturday, October 13, from station WFAA-570.

Addressed exclusively to Hometown Editor Texas listeners, Mr. Eade will tell how British newspaper editors have developed a new style of news condensation to overcome the handicap of the shortages in newsprint. He will also point out that the British newspaper readers and their tastes, when it comes to enjoying a good news or sports story, are remarkably similar to Texas readers.

Mr. Eade's paper has an amazing circulation of almost three million throughout the British Isles, Scotland and Ireland. Bert Haling, radio's Hometown Editor, reads items regularly from the Dispatch with favorable comment from Texas listeners.

Mr. Eade was press and radio advisor to Lord Louis Mountbatten in the Pacific Theatre of War, makes frequent talks via B. B. C. and has just compiled the former Prime Minister Churchill's wartime speeches. His previous appearance on the Hometown Editor series was during the London blitz, when he gave a dramatic account of publishing a newspaper under enemy fire.

## NEW "NATIONAL GUARD MARCH"

The National Guard has a new marching song, "The National Guard March." It may be heard each week on both of the network shows sponsored by the National Guard, "First Call," featuring Ray Block and his orchestra every Thursday over the National Broadcasting Co., and "On Stage America," featuring Paul Whiteman and his orchestra every Monday morning beginning September 29.

It was composed by Cliff Stuchon, 7527 Byron Place, St. Louis, who served overseas in World War I with the 35th Division of the National Guard.

## State Dept. Of Health Letter

Seasonal health hazards for young children are to be guarded against in the winter time just as carefully as they are in the summer, in the opinion of Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer.

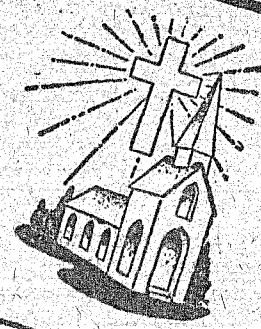
"Every mother is familiar with so-called summer complaints which affect small children but certain winter diseases can be just as harmful and are just as likely to make their appearance unless proper precautions are used during the approaching season," Dr. Cox said.

In the group of winter diseases Dr. Cox included influenza, tonsillitis, pneumonia, bronchitis, asthma and even diphtheria when a child has not had diphtheria immunization. Any such disease affecting a child's respiratory or breathing system is apt to be very serious and all too often fatal. Pneumonia often develops from a neglected cold or may follow a severe case of measles or whooping cough. Bronchitis conditions may also prove to be an after effect of such diseases and these respiratory ailments are much more difficult to combat successfully than the digestive ailments which are prevalent in the summer and known as summer complaints.

"These winter diseases are especially dangerous to babies and very young children," Dr. Cox stated. "Nearly all of them are spread from the secretions of the nose and mouth. Children not in vigorous health are naturally more susceptible to these complaints and the first line of defense against them is to build up the child's general health, as a power of resistance against the disease," Dr. Cox advised. "The second step is to keep them under medical supervision and the third is to make sure that they avoid contact with those who have coughs, colds or fevers."

Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Helm and son of Colorado City visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Blake last week-end. W. H. Blake, who had been visiting with them, returned home with them.

# Pitch Him a Strike



## YOU IN THE CHURCH THE CHURCH IN YOU

Character is a by-product of the church. It is here that young and old alike are showered with benedictions that fortify and influence for a better citizenship and a stronger democracy. In the church the ministerial staff molding religious character. Statesmen today declare that the church alone can furnish leadership to handle the affairs of state in these perilous times. Then we with our children should go to the church of our choice on Sunday. "You in the Church and the Church in you"—form a combination for good.

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**D**ADDY, the count is on you...not the batter. You're not pitching him strikes. If he gets on base it will be a miracle. You are doing both the pitching and umpiring the game. Quite a novelty setup you have there daddy. How is that youngster to learn to play the game of life in GOLDEN RULE FASHION when his own daddy throws him nothing but 'balls' and calls 'em strikes? W-h-y, your son never will have a chance. You have set the pace daddy...blazed the trail of your own blood to a life of dishonesty, greed, and foul pay when you fail to put 'em over the plate.

**Y**OUR church has a remedy for this sort of conduct. It upholds the better way of life through the teaching of God's word. The church aids you in establishing a principal... the GOLDEN RULE PRINCIPAL and to build a faith strong enough to play the game of life in strict GOLDEN RULE FASHION.

**T**HE church is universal language... it's teachings will bring nations together and prepare the way for His kingdom to come on earth. Go to your church on Sunday and take a friend.

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**Trickham News**

(Continued from page 8)  
 tin's when they celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary last December. He and his wife and his father and mother and his grandmother came up from San Antonio for the occasion. He and his father were both in the service and each had on their uniforms. A fine handsome young man, and to think he has already passed on. How true the saying, "Today we are here and tomorrow we are gone."

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Vanderford returned Tuesday from a visit since Saturday night with their daughter, Mrs. Bill Pritchard and family at Slaton. They say they never saw as much cotton as is being harvested there.

Mrs. Marshall Davis, who became seriously ill in Ft. Worth, while visiting there two months ago, and was in a hospital there for a while and later in the hospital here, has been at the home of her parents for some time where she is slowly improving.

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**BOYCE HOUSE**



Paraphrasing Browning, "Oh, to be in San Antonio now that autumn's there".

Most romantic of Texas cities! Herds of Bawling cattle once were driven down the dusty main street. Stagecoaches dashed in with a story of a holdup or an Indian attack. Mules, with jingling little bells, plodded in, loaded with Spanish silver.

Her history is a procession of Spainards, Mexicans, filibusters, Comanches, cowboys brawling in saloons, cattle kings betting thousands on the turn of a card.

From San Antonio Jim Bowie set forth to seek the San Sabal mine (known to legend, too, as "the last Bowie mine"), had an epic fight with redskins and, because of his wounded men, had to turn back.

Roy Bean lived in San Antonio til he left for Langtry to become "the Law West of the Pecos."

San Antonio not only is the scene of the Alamo but here too were fought the Council House

fight, the Grass Fight, Salado, Alazan, Medina, Concepcion, and the city was stormed by Texas patriots responding to the ringing call, "Who will go with old Ben Milam into San Antonio?"

Shanghai Pierce of the booming voice; Big-Foot Wallace, Texas Ranger, stagecoach driver, hero of the Mier expedition and of the war with Mexico; Bet-a-Million Gates; Sam Bass on the dodge; Ben Thompson, master of the sixgun; Robert E. Lee; Capt. Jack Hays; Sidney Lanier; O'Henry; Brann the Iconoclast—all were here.

What a cast of characters.

Imagine writing a whole book about San Antonio and leaving all this—or nearly all of it—out! Well, a fellow did.

A gambler who was an expert at poker was asked why he never bet on the races. He said, "They won't let me shuffle the horses."

Mrs. L. O. Garrett visited Wednesday and Thursday of last week with her sister, Mrs. May Wilson in Dallas.

Mrs. C. H. Richards and Ellen visited over the week-end with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Barnard at O'Brien, Texas.

Mr. B. M. Stewart of Ballinger has leased the Evans Shoe Shop and repair equipment. He and his family will make Santa Anna their home.

Mrs. A. B. Dodgen, who was seriously ill for a while and a patient in the Sealy Hospital, has been convalescing at home lately. She is able to come to town now and is looking quite well.

**FARM FACTS**  
 WORTH KNOWING

Q. Is there any effective treatment of fowl typhoid?

A. No. Efforts at medication for fowl typhoid have been generally unsatisfactory. Vaccination against fowl typhoid has been rather extensively practiced. Although results are variable, vaccination in some instances may give beneficial results. There is one precaution to keep in mind after a flock has been injected with typhoid bacterin and that is that these birds will show a positive reaction to the agglutination test for pullorum for 30 to 60 days following the injection. Therefore, no pullorum testing should be done for at least 90 days after vaccination for fowl typhoid.

Q. Do you know of any Holstein heifer calves that have weighed over 350 lbs. at four months of age?

A. Yes. At the Research Farm of the Ralston Purina Company a new record for this farm was made recently when a Holstein heifer calf tipped the scales at 372 lbs. at four months of age.

Q. In mating rabbits, should the buck be brought to the doe, or should the doe be placed in the buck's hutch?

A. The buck should be kept in his hutch and the doe brought to him because most bucks are slow in performing service in a strange hutch. Furthermore, the tendency of the doe is to object to the buck being placed in her hutch and she may violently attack and injure him.

Q. What is the semi-scald method of picking broilers?

A. After the birds are bled and killed, they should be plunged into water at a temperature of 125° to 130° F. and held there for about 30 seconds. Then hang the birds on racks and begin picking immediately. Extreme care must be taken to avoid tearing or breaking the skin, as such unsightly marks detract from the appearance of the dressed birds and lower their sales value. A thin-bladed, dull knife should be used for removing the pin feathers.

Send your questions about livestock or poultry problems to FARM FACTS, 635 South Eighth Street, St. Louis 2, Missouri. Questions will be answered without charge, either by mail or in this column, as a service of this newspaper.

News has just been received that the daughter recently born to Mr. and Mrs. John Franklin Turner of Oak Ridge, Tennessee has been given the classical name of Mary Elizabeth in honor of her maternal grandmother, Mrs. J. Frank Turner of this city. This needless to say that Grandma is very much elated.

Mrs. J. W. Dillingham and Mr. Dan Wheatley brought their mother, Mrs. A. D. Wheatley to the hospital Wednesday afternoon for a check-up and a probable stay of several days. Mrs. Wheatley is 92 years old.

Vera Carpenter left Sunday for a two weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Otho Smith in San Angelo.

**Weekly WAA Surplus News**

If the government cannot sell wartime industrial plants at a satisfactory price by leaving them on location, it is recommended that the plants be sold for removal from plant sites. This suggestion grew out of a meeting of leading financiers, bankers and civic leaders held recently at the Grand Prairie Zone office of War Assets Administration. It is admitted that some difficulty has been met in receiving offers satisfactory to the government, to the would-be purchasers and to the committees involved. As a result, an invitation was sent out to important financial and industrial leaders in the Southwest to lead of their business experience in advice to WAA in disposing of these war plants.

The recommendation for sale for removal from premises related specifically to four plants. These are (with their original cost to the government) as follows: Magnolia Petroleum Company toluene distillation plant at Beaumont, \$3,200,000; Kelly-Springfield Tire Company at Houston, \$2 million; Cardox Corporation potassium perchlorate plant at Claremore, Oklahoma, \$1.1 million and Aluminum Company of America, Sinter plant, \$4 million. All of these plants had previously been advertised for sale in place. It was declared negotiations may still be made for purchase "in place" with attendant acreage if suitable offers are made to the government.

Farmers of the agricultural Southwest are being encouraged to contact Customer Service Centers of WAA for such limited farm equipment and supplies as are offered from time to time. They are asked to make these contacts whether or not wanted items have been advertised, said R. G. Berle, newly appointed agricultural representative of the Grand Prairie Zone office of WAA. Customer Service Centers in the southwestern area are located at Grand Prairie, Houston and San Antonio, Texas; New Orleans, Louisiana; Tulsa and Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, and Jackson, Mississippi.

Plans for the biggest surplus government building sale ever in the five states of the southwest have been announced by WAA. The sale will be an informal bid offering of 4,490 buildings at Camp Livingston, Alexandria, Louisiana. The public is invited to visit Camp Livingston for inspection of the buildings any day except Saturday and Sunday until October 21. Bidding will begin at 9 a. m., October 21 and continue for two days. There are no restrictions; any one may bid, pay for and move the structures

immediately. Limited supplies of farm tractors, mowers and other war surplus goods suitable for farm use are available in Texas WAA inventories. If you need goods for farm use, notify the Grand Prairie WAA Customer Service Center for information as to when these scarce supplies come of the market.

Three generators, two alternating current and one direct current, a Diesel 30 ton locomotive, a furnace and limited number of other items are offered to priority groups, including World War II veterans, until October 29 through the WAA at Grand Prairie.

**GENERAL CRAMER SWORN IN AS NATIONAL GUARD CHIEF**

Maj. Gen. Kenneth F. Cramer of Weathersfield, Conn., who was sworn in on September 30 as chief of the National Guard Bureau, has been active in National Guard affairs for the past 17 years. He succeeds Maj. Gen. Butler B. Miltonberger, who was retired for physical disability.

The new National Guard chief is president of the K. F. Cramer Coal Co. of Hartford, Conn. and is a past member of the general committee on National Guard and Reserve affairs.

World War I veteran, Gen. Cramer was assistant Division Commander of the 24th Infantry Division in the Pacific during World War II.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Harvey and Bob of Lubbock visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Harvey.

Mrs. R. P. Earnhart has received word that her daughter Mrs. C. A. Cooksey, is seriously ill in a hospital at Miami, Fla.

Mrs. T. M. Hayes is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Chamberlain and Mr. Chamberlain in San Angelo.

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Your kidneys are constantly filtering waste matter from the blood stream. But kidneys sometimes lag in their work—do not act as Nature intended—fail to remove impurities that, if retained, may poison the system and upset the whole body machinery.

Symptoms may be nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, pain in the eyes—a feeling of nervous anxiety and loss of pep and strength. Other signs of kidney or bladder disorder are sometimes burning, scanty or too frequent urination.

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### Self Culture Club Met Friday With Mrs. R. C. Gay

There was a good attendance and an interesting meeting Friday afternoon when the Self Culture Club met in the lovely new home of Mrs. R. C. Gay.

The president, Mrs. Eeds presided over the business session, during which time roll call was answered by "A Recent Book of Fiction."

Mrs. C. D. Bruce gave a book review, "Anything Can Happen" by George and Helen Paushevely. A story of the Americanization of a Russian immigrant and his American born wife, a very interesting book, which was splendidly reviewed by Mrs. Bruce.

Those present besides those mentioned were Mesdames J. R. Fanster, Ollie Weaver, Henry Price, M. D. Pinkerton, A. D. Donham, Jr., Harry Crews, A. E. Oder, Norval Wyle, Ellean Shield, Kattie Walker, L. O. Garrett, Preston Bailey and his sister, Mrs. John David Davis of Mt. Vernon, Ill.

Mr. V. L. Grady, uncle of the hostess, was also a guest. We were glad to find Mr. Gay looking so well.

After the meeting adjourned we were shown through the home with its many interesting features and we almost envied Mrs. Gay the many closets and storage facilities she possesses.

The next club meeting will be with Mrs. Norval Wyle on Oct. 24th when a program on science at work will be given.

### Ruth Circle Has Meeting

The Ruth Circle of the W. M. S. of First Baptist church met October 13 at 2:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. J. M. Hosh, Mrs. Roscoe Hosh, hostess.

A very interesting program was rendered. The subject discussed was "Youth".

New officers and chairmen for the coming year beginning with October are circle chairman, Mrs. Jess Howard; sec-treas., Mrs. Seth Risinger; missions, Mrs. Roscoe Hosh; mission study, Mrs. A. D. Donham, Jr.; stewardship, Mrs. D. R. Hill; benevolence, Mrs. G. B. Smith; educational, Mrs. Ford Barnes; periodicals, Mrs. Callie Gray; community missions, Mrs. John E. Brown.

At the close of the meeting the hostess served ice cream and cookies to the ten members present.

### Band Mothers Banquet Success

The Band Mothers had a very pleasant get together and banquet in the basement of the Baptist church Thursday night, October 9.

There was both variety and abundance of good food served cafeteria style. The girls who served wore white caps, decorated with musical notes in the band colors of black and gold.

The band teacher, T. K. Martin, Supt. R. K. Green and Rev. S. R. Smith made appropriate talks. Mrs. C. D. Bruce, president, was mistress of ceremonies and Mrs. J. J. Levellen was the chairman of arrangements.

A group of girls gave saxophone numbers and a girls sextet sang.

Mrs. M. D. Pinkerton treasurer, reported that the organization had made nearly \$2,200 the past year.

The proceeds of the banquet and donations sent by some not attending made the affair a financial success as well as a pleasant occasion for the 140 persons attending.

### Congratulations

A son named Joe Webb was born in the Sealy Hospital on Friday morning, October 10, to Maj. and Mrs. Rex Golston. The mother and son are doing well.

Maj. Golston arrived Saturday morning from Chicago where he graduated recently in a course in Food Technology at the Food and Container Institute for the Armed Forces.

He will report to San Francisco about November 1 for overseas duty.

W. R. Mitchell and family of Abilene visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Nettie Mitchell and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bivins and Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Healien and Kenneth spent the week-end in Austin with relatives.

### Dorcas Class Met Wednesday

The Dorcas class of the Sunday School of the First Baptist church had an all day meeting and quilting on Wednesday, October 8 in the home of Mrs. Buster Woodard.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon.

The quilt on which they were working was finished and will be put to a good purpose.

Those attending this pleasant affair were Mesdames C. V. Drennon, J. E. Howard, Pierre Rowe, Ernest England, Ed Schrader, Buster Woodard, Seybold Rowe, Arthur Casey, Elton McDonald, Frank Leady, Artie Irby, Granville England, Oran McClure, Otis Bivins and J. D. Williamson and Nancy Louise.

### Christian Women Hold Quilting Party

The Woman's Council of the Christian church had a pleasant and worthwhile day Monday when they and a few others who love orphan children met at the church for an all day quilting. Three nice quilts were finished and these and a sizeable amount of good used clothing that was brought will be sent to the Juliette Fowler Homes for the orphans and aged. Besides offerings of this nature from time to time, all the S. S. collection on the first Sunday in the month goes to this good cause.

A number of those working Monday had given tops, linings and cotton and several not present had also made donations in this line. Several quilt tops are on hand to be worked up later.

A wonderful lunch was served at the noon hour which included everything from fried chicken to fried pies.

Those present for all or a part of the day were Mesdames J. R. Gipson, George Richardson, Alice Daniel, Clifford Stephenson, Will Bell, D. C. Neal, Tom Simpson, C. T. Conley, Albert Dean, A. L. Oder, Oscar Boenicke, Paul Bivins, Jess Griffith, W. A. Featherstone, Edd Baxter, Doug Moore, and John David Davis, the former Edriene Tyson, from Mt. Vernon, Ill., and Miss Ruth Dean.

Betty Lou Gilliam, Johnnie Lois White and Geraldine Vardeman, all from Bangs, visited Margaret Yancy over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Stewart and Mr. Ed. McClatchy of Bangs visited last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Lindley.

Miss Mollie Lowe visited from Friday until Monday with her sister, Mrs. B. C. Cox in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Willingham and daughters, Lena Belle and Rita Beth of May visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Self.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richardson visited over the week-end and the bank holiday Monday with her brother, Jewel Hill and family at Graham.

Cpl. Louis Roland Day and his friend, Sgt. Stanley Flagg from Lockland Field, San Antonio, visited over the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Day. The home of Sgt. Flagg, who has visited here before, is in Portland, Oregon.

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Mrs. J. A. Parish, who has not been well lately, and who has been under medical treatment, was able to be up town Tuesday.

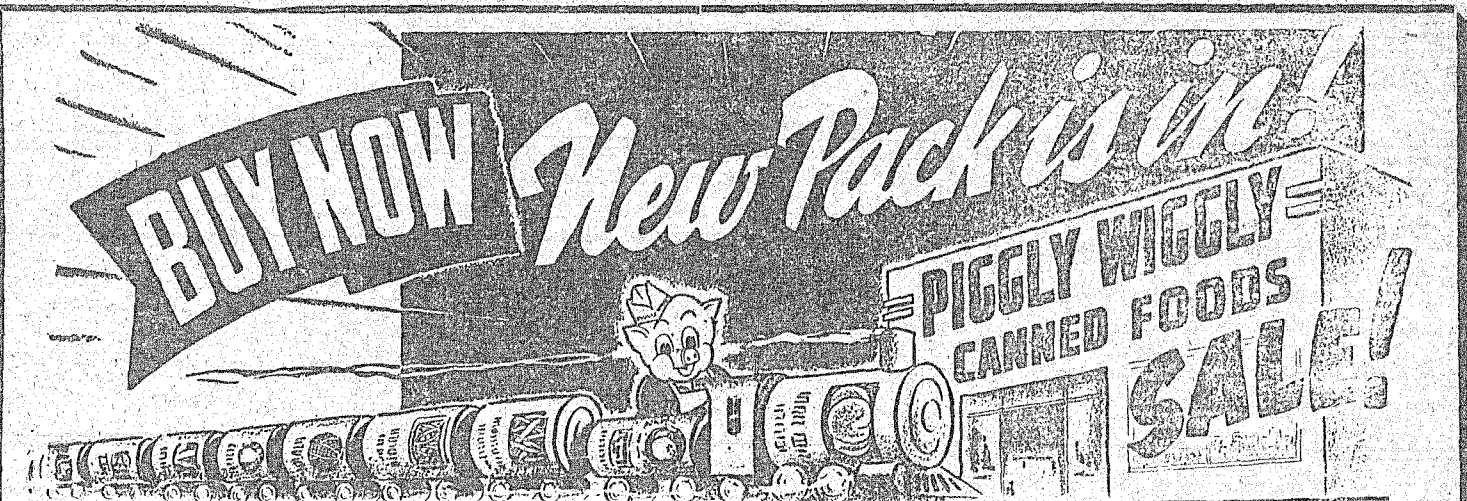
Mr. and Mrs. Jess Griffith are having their home in the east part of town re-painted. This place was formerly the Rothermel home and during the year they have owned it the interior has been completely redecorated, walks and other improvements made.

Mrs. O. B. Harkey of San Saba was a guest Monday of her cousins, Mrs. Preston Bailey and Mrs. John David Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson, Mrs. C. W. Stephenson, Mrs. Edd Jones and Mrs. Arthur Talley attended funeral services for Mrs. Tom Roberts at the First Baptist church in Coleman Sunday afternoon. The deceased was related to Mrs. Richardson and Mrs. Talley.

Mrs. S. L. Taylor, who was quite sick last week, is improving. Mrs. Taylor is 93 year old.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lehnis and Marty of Moody came Saturday night and brought her mother, Mrs. G. F. Barlett home after she had visited with them at their home and in Galveston. Mr. Lehnis is on vacation and they will visit this week here and with his people at Zephyr and Richland Springs.



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<b>CORN</b> Mayfield, Cream Style	2 Cans	<b>.29</b>
<b>Green Beans</b> Whole Stringless	2 Cans	<b>.29</b>
<b>Beans &amp; Potatoes</b> Kimbells	2 Cans	<b>.29</b>

### Three Thrillers

For Wednesday And Thursday, Oct. 22nd-23rd

<b>CATSUP</b> , 14 oz bottle	<b>.19</b>
<b>SUNSHINE KRISPY CRACKERS</b> , 1 lb. box	<b>.21</b>
<b>NICE LARGE ONES OYSTERS</b> , Pt.	<b>.69</b>

**PINEAPPLE**  
Del Monte  
Crushed or Sliced  
Can ..... **.31**

**FLOUR**  
EVERLITE  
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**APRICOTS**  
Heart's Delight  
Whole in Syrup  
2 1/2 can ... **.29**

### DRIED FRUIT

Pears, lb.	<b>.25</b>	Apples, lb.	<b>.25</b>
<b>BESTEX Diced Carrots</b> , 2 cans	<b>.15</b>	<b>SUNNY SOUTH Spinach</b> , can	<b>.10</b>
<b>TREASURE ISLAND Tomato Juice</b> , 46 oz. can	<b>.27</b>		

<b>GOLDEN YELLOW RIPE Bananas</b> , lb.	<b>.15</b>
<b>TEXAS SWEET Oranges</b> , 8 lb. sack	<b>.53</b>
<b>RED FLAME Tokay Grapes</b> , lb.	<b>.13</b>
<b>Turnips and Tops</b> , lge. bun.	<b>.10</b>
<b>Lemons, Sunkist</b> , lb.	<b>.12</b>
<b>Yams, New Crop</b> , lb.	<b>.08</b>

## Queen Theatre

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**Saturday, October 18**  
Charles Starrett  
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Starring  
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George Murphy  
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Mary Astor

**Thursday and Friday**  
OCTOBER 23 AND 24  
Clark Gable  
Deborah Kerr  
IN  
"The Hucksters"

### WEEK-END SPECIALS

In that Good Eating

## MEAT

<b>DRESSED AND DRAWN Fryers</b> , lb.	<b>.63</b>
<b>CHOICE SEVEN OR CHUCK Beef Roast</b> , lb.	<b>.39</b>
<b>PURE PORK Sausage</b> , lb.	<b>.49</b>
<b>Wieners, skinless</b> , lb.	<b>.37</b>
<b>Bacon, broken slices</b> , lb.	<b>.39</b>
<b>KRAFT'S VEL VEETA Cheese</b> , 2 lb. box	<b>.93</b>

<b>GRATED Tuna</b> , can	<b>.34</b>	<b>LARGE BOX Rinso</b>	<b>.31</b>
<b>Vienna Snack Time Sausage</b> , 2 for	<b>.29</b>	<b>SWIFT'S Cleanser</b> , 2 for	<b>.21</b>
<b>DELGADO'S Tamales</b> , can	<b>.29</b>	<b>KAYLEK Bleach</b> , Quart	<b>.12</b>

