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"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

## Side Walks Badly Needed In Santa Anna

Several people have suggested to the News that we advocate a movement of side walk building in Santa Anna. If such as we have had to put up with here this fall is not sufficient to start the ball rolling, we would be at a loss to know just how to get the movement properly agitated to create an interest of such magnitude as to get the good work started.

To say side walks are needed would not be sufficient in our judgment they must be had. Children having to wade this cold, muddy slush to get to school have a moral right to protest such disagreeable punishment. Whether we can wield any influence or not, we are in favor of a connected system of side walks, especially from the main streets and resident sections of the town to the public school buildings, regardless of cost.

Let us suggest to the Parent-Teachers Association that, in our judgment, you cannot make better use of your time and efforts than to use them in the strongest terms possible to get a connected system of side walks built in this town, especially in the part of town where our public schools are situated.

The editor realizes our weakness, and do not feel that we have sufficient influence to get this much needed movement started, but we are ready and willing to join the town or any organization in it and exert our very best efforts to help until the work is done.

If these suggestions appeals to you, speak out and help us to create the work, regardless of station or creed for it is a disgrace to a town, especially a

## Liveoak Singing Class Elects New Officers

The class met at Liveoak Sunday night in their regular monthly singing, with a fair crowd compared to the weather, and enjoyed a splendid singing.

This being the time for election of officers, Mr. J. D. Center was elected president, Mr. V. C. Newman, vice-president, and Mrs. V. C. Newman, secretary.

The class voted to have a Box supper Saturday night, November 17th, to raise money to help buy an organ for the class. Everybody invited to attend.

### EWING-PETTY

On Thursday of last week Miss Grace Ewing and Mr. O. C. Petty accompanied by Mr. Carroll Kingsbery and Miss Marguerite Barnes, motored to Brownwood and were united in marriage. Rev. Moore, pastor of the First Christian church, officiating.

The bride was dressed in a beautiful frock of beige wool crepe with all accessories to match. The groom wearing a navy blue.

Miss Grace is the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Ewing and is well known in Santa Anna, having a very large circle of friends.

Mr. Petty is also well known here and has for the past years held a position with the Santa Anna Motor Company.

Their many friends will join the News in extending best wishes and congratulations.

S. C. Elliot of Gouldbusk was a business visitor in Santa Anna Tuesday.

town with as much wealth as Santa Anna, to sit down and neglect such an important work.

## Death Claims Grandma Magby After A Period of Several Months Suffering

On Saturday afternoon, Nov. 10, 1923, at 5 o'clock, the Death Angel visited in the home of W. B. Brown, 3 miles south of Santa, and claimed as its victim (Grandma) Mrs. W. D. Magby. She was stricken with paralysis early in the spring, from which attack she never recovered, being confined to her bed since August.

Mrs. Magby was 83 years old. She was born July 3, 1840, near Little Rock, Arkansas; was married February 23, 1858 to W. D. Magby, who preceded her to the grave in 1909, 14 years ago, at the age of 76. To this union were born 6 children, 2 boys and 4 girls, one boy and one girl died while small, the other boy died at the age of 26.

Mrs. Magby, with her family came to Texas in 1870, settling in Williamson county, and moved to Santa Anna in 1901, where she has lived since, having made her home with her children since the death of her husband. She was converted at the age of 33 and united with the Baptist church, and was one of the sweetest and most consecrated Christians Santa Anna has ever known. She had many warm friends here, which was shown by the beautiful floral offering, and we were proud to number her as one of our dearest.

How often will her face come before us in memory of happy days of association and how we shall miss her, yet her influence will live here, for we feel that those who knew her best were made better by having associated with her. We are sure that the glories of the other world are hers to enjoy, and with her there will be no more suffering. Funeral services were conducted

at the First Baptist church in Santa Anna, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, by Rev. E. E. Dawson, pastor of the First Baptist church of Coleman, with a large crowd present, and interment made in the City cemetery. The active pall bearers were: Frank and Fred Crum, Arthur and Hubert Turner, John and Ollie Brown, all being grandsons of deceased.

Together with a large number of friends, deceased leaves to mourn her untimely demise 3 daughters, namely, Mrs. R. P. Crum, Mrs. W. B. Brown, Mrs. H. W. Turner, twenty-three grand-children and eighteen great-grand-children, all of whom were present at the funeral except a few grand-children who lived so far away they could not reach here in time.

Out of town relatives attending the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crum of Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ferguson of Bangs, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Smith and family of Eden, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown and family of Novice.

May those who loved her best be happily reunited with her in heaven, and to the sorrowing ones, we extend our sincere sympathy.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to all who assisted us during the long suffering and death of our mother and grand-mother, Mrs. W. D. Magby. Especially do we appreciate the many kind expressions of sympathy and the beautiful floral offering.

Mesdames W. B. Brown, R. P. Crum, H. W. Turner and families.

## The Red Cross Annual Roll Call

No one with any understanding of the work of the Red Cross or appreciation of the service it is able to perform will fail to answer the roll call. In a thousand ways the Red Cross is busy 365 days a year administering to a suffering and needy humanity. At home and abroad, wherever there is a call for human aid to succor the distressed, the Red Cross is present with its assistance. It is not possible for individual citizens in person to render the help the Red Cross gives nor is it practicable for the Individual Citizen, to send his aid directly. The ubiquitous nation of the Red Cross, the fact that it is everywhere present, makes it possible for it to act in behalf of the citizens of the country collectively and to do for each and all of us a work which we would be glad to do ourselves were it possible. The Red Cross is simply the universal hand of charity. As such it deserves and should have the active support and co-operation of all good citizens who have in their hearts that respond in sympathy to the call of the unfortunate and distressed in every land.

We should contribute to its maintenance from the same patriotic motive that we pay our taxes, or make our contributions to our churches.

The pupils of Mrs. Ford Barnes and Miss Sybil Simpson will give an open recital at the Methodist church, Saturday evening and all who attend will enjoy another treat. Readings, Music, etc will constitute the program.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cheshire, Monday morning, a baby boy.

## President Preparing His First Message

President Coolidge is busy preparing his first message to congress, upon which will largely depend his political future.

Mr. Coolidge is known to realize as much as do his friends the importance of his first pronouncement of policies, and for that reason he expects to devote himself assiduously to work upon the document during the three weeks that intervene before the convening of congress. By agreement with his secretary, C. Bascom Slemp, the executive will limit his daily appointments only to those of necessity and let nothing interfere with his work upon the message.

According to reports, the President is being closely advised by his friends just what to put in the message.

### HARDING'S MEMORY HONORED BY LEGION OFFICIALS SUNDAY

Marion, Nov. 12.—A large wreath was placed at the foot of the flag draped catafalque of the late president, Warren G. Harding by local American legion officials yesterday, churches throughout the city dismissing armistice day services early for the services at the cemetery.

Col. George B. Christian, civil war veteran and father of George B. Christian, Jr., former secretary to President Harding was the speaker of the day.

### GOV. NEFF RETURNS

Austin, Nov. 12.—Governor Pat Neff and Attorney General Keelling were in their offices today following a hunting expedition near Kerrville. The two officials bagged their limit of wild turkey, it was announced.

# THANK YOU

Our sale opened with a boom Saturday morning and ever since hundreds and hundreds have thronged our big store and they are buying goods--Everybody is buying and saying they have never before seen such great values as this big general store is offering them.

There has never before in the history of a sale in Santa Anna been as much goods sold as passed out of our house last Saturday---think about this---there must be a reason.

Come to this big sale---come every day---especially in the afternoon around 4 o'clock every day there is something exciting going on.

Again we thank you--for your hearty response to this--the greatest sale ever witnessed in Coleman county.

Coleman County's Largest Store

## ADAMS MERCANTILE COMPANY

SANTA ANNA, TEXAS

**TREATY PROVISIONS TO BE SUPERIOR TO LAW SAYS WAYNE WHEELER**

Anti-Saloon League Not to Take Action on 12-Mile Coast Limit Plan

Washington, Nov. 12.—Treaty provisions will prevail over the Volstead act, but will have no effect upon the eighteenth amendment, Wayne B. Wheeler, general council of the Anti-Saloon League declares in a statement commenting on the proposed agreement with Great Britain permitting search of ships for liquors 12 miles from American shores and British ships to bring sealed liquor stored into American ports.

"The Anti-Saloon League has taken no action concerning the proposed treaty," Mr. Wheeler said, "and will not until terms of the proposed are definitely known."

There have been a few acres of land planted and cultivated in cotton in Sterling county this year that have not produced enough to pay for the land on which it grew. In some instances a bale to the acre has been picked, which including the seed, brought around \$200 per bale. This, at \$10 per acre, would pay for 20 acres of land. Cotton can be raised here at less expense and less work than any country in North America. As long as a man can pay for a farm with one year's labor, there is no excuse for anyone to rent land and work for the other fellow. The land here has already been taken up, and there is no longer any excuse to tell the home seeker that farming is a failure. We ought to begin to tell the truth about the matter and allow the country to settle up.—Sterling News-Record.

**IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON**

By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Teacher of English Bible in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. (©, 1924, Western Newspaper Union.)

**LESSON FOR NOVEMBER 18**  
**OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST A MISSIONARY**

**LESSON TEXT**—Matt. 9:35-38; Luke 8:1-3; John 3:16-17.  
**GOLDEN TEXT**—"God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life."—John 3:16.  
**PRIMARY TOPIC**—Jesus Preaching in City and Country.  
**JUNIOR TOPIC**—Jesus a Missionary.  
**INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC**—The Missionary Activity of Jesus.  
**YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC**—Christ's Missionary Zeal.

**I. The Missionary Motive (Matt. 9:35-38; Luke 8:1-3; John 3:16-17).**  
As Jesus saw the multitude His compassion was aroused. Their pitiful condition moved Him to take steps to provide missionaries. The result of this was the sending forth of the Twelve. Jesus saw the multitude as:  
1. **Shepherdless Sheep (v. 36).** The people were in need of a protector, provider and guide, just as sheep are of a shepherd. They were faint and scattered—distressed, cast down and hopeless. What a picture of the needy world today! The world is hungry but knows not how to have this hunger satisfied. They know not which way to turn in their confusion and perplexity. They are in need of that which alone the Good Shepherd can supply.  
2. **Grain Ready for Harvest (v. 37).** He told the disciples that the grain was ripe, ready for the harvest, and that unless laborers were secured the harvest would be lost. This is still a picture of the world. The laborers are still few. It is the Lord's harvest that is ready to be gathered. No wonder He was moved with compassion! Those who have eyes to see and hearts to feel are still moved with compassion as they see the world ready to be gathered into Christ's fold but no one to perform the labor. The means for securing laborers for the harvest is prayer. He urged the disciples to pray that the Lord would send forth laborers.

**II. Classes of Missionaries (Luke 8:1-3).**  
Three classes are here enumerated:  
1. **Jesus Himself (v. 1).** He is the grand and supreme missionary. All receive their example and power from Him. He left all and gave all in this great enterprise.  
2. **The Twelve (v. 1).** Christ called them and sent them forth. They were His representatives and were clothed with His power. Missionaries should be chosen and commissioned by the Lord himself. In the evangelization of the world there will always be need of the group of men and women devoted exclusively to that work.  
3. **Certain Women (vv. 2, 3).** Christian women can most effectively do their part in preaching the gospel by ministering to the workers. All who have experienced the saving grace of God desire to have a part in sending the gospel to others that they too might be saved. The church is greatly indebted to the work of consecrated women.

**III. The Missionary Message (John 3:16, 17).**  
The salvation which is offered to the lost world was accomplished through the sacrificial death of Christ. "Out of a heart of love God gave His own son to die. The figure portraying the method of the cross and salvation is that of the brazen serpent. The outstanding teaching as suggested by Dr. Charles R. Erdman is as follows:  
"1. That men are, like the Israelites of old, serpent-bitten; but, the deadly poison is the sting of sin.  
"2. God has provided a remedy in the person of His Son; in His crucifixion we see sin vanquished, as the uplifted serpent pictured the death of the destroyer; yet as the uplifted serpent was not real but one of brass, so Christ was not really a partaker of sin but only made in the likeness of sinful flesh.  
"3. As it was necessary for the dying Israelites to accept God's provision, and with submission and faith to look upon the brazen serpent, so is necessary for us to look in repentance and faith to the crucified Savior and to commit ourselves to God as He is graciously revealed in Jesus Christ. If we refuse to accept Christ we perish, but faith results in eternal life.  
"4. This provision is made by the love of God and is freely offered to everyone who believes. For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

**His Presence.**  
When we have broken our God of tradition, and ceased from our God of rhetoric, then may God fire the heart with His presence.—Emerson.

**God's Way.**  
God's way of forgiving is thorough and hearty—both to forgive and to forget; and if thou be not so, thou hast no portion of His.—Leighton.

**Heart and Home.**  
Without hearts there is no home.—Byron.

**TALES OF THE OLD FRONTIER**

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON  
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**HOW DEATH VALLEY WAS NAMED**

**A** CROSS the white plain the heat waves shimmered and danced. Mirages of cool lakes appeared, mocking their thirst, and vanished. In the background stood a range of black-walled mountains through which the emigrants could see no opening. And this was Christmas day, 1849!

Early in the spring they had left the Middle West, 100 wagons strong, for the gold fields of California. Then the fatal decision of a part of the train to try a short cut across the mountains had brought them into this valley whose floor was more than 200 feet below the level of the sea. In it they wandered for weeks of torment.

Again the party split. One group, 36 persons in all, young bachelors from Illinois who called themselves "The Jayhawkers," pressed on toward the mountains. Some of them died of starvation, some of thirst and others went mad and wandered away into the desert. In all 13 perished before they fought through to safety.

The other party, men with families, found a tiny spring and camped there to rest. Then food supplies ran low. Their oxen began to die and their wagons to fall apart in the blistering sun. So Asahel Bennett, their leader, sent two young fellows, Will Manley and John Rogers, forth to find a way out of the trap. As they departed Mrs. Bennett gave Manley a double handful of rice—half of all she had—and silently pointed to the hunger-pinched faces of her children.

The emigrants now sat down to wait for the return of the two scouts. A week passed—two—three—and still they did not return. At the end of the fourth week all except Asahel Bennett's wife abandoned hope. "They will come back," she declared steadfastly. But they did not, and the emigrants resolved upon one final desperate attempt. They began stripping the canvas covers from the prairie schooners and making pack saddles to cinch upon their emaciated oxen.

And then Manley and Rogers returned! They spoke but briefly of the days of horror spent in struggling from one waterhole to the next across the 250 miles of the Mojave desert, of the dead of the Jayhawker party whom they found along the trail. But they had brought food and, most vital of all, they had found a way out.

They guided the party on the long climb to the summit of the Panamint range. As the emigrants reached the crest and looked back into the inferno from which they had escaped, Asahel Bennett's wife raised her arms in a gesture of farewell. "Good-by, Death Valley!" she cried.

And thus it was named.

**Humming Bird vs. Buzzard**

**A**MONG the feathered tribes of this mundane sphere, there are two antipodal creatures: the humming bird and the buzzard. One flits about your window and delicately poises his delicate body over the redolent flower, and as he hums his melody of cheer he sips the nectar from its chalice fountain; the other snoops about the world, sitting morosely on some bleak, dead tree trunk, or thieveryly hoovers about the dead carcas, the carrion of the fields.

So, in human tribes there are two antipodal characters:

One moves joyously near you with a smile and a frank open countenance and gathers from the lives of his fellows beautiful deeds and out of these he builds his own sweet character; and like the humming bird he never leaves destruction or sorrow or care in his wake, but he opens up to others the beauty elements in life, and turns to others the side of the cloud which has the silver lining, the other snoops morosely about and feasts upon the evil that men do, and wherever you find him you find scowls and snarling faces on every side.

"Two men looked through prison bars.

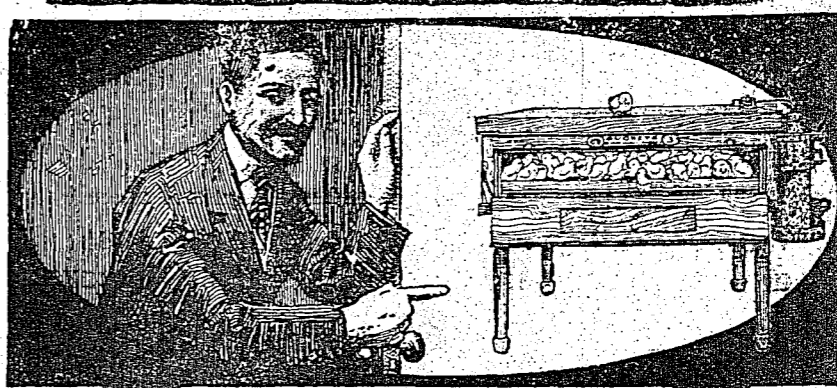
One saw mud the other stars!"

Twelve elders led a girl before the lowly Nazarene and sought to approval to stone her, for they had caught her in the act of adultery. The Master stopped and wrote in the sand, while their contrasted lives wove their consciences into a whip of cords which drove them from him. Then he arose and said, "Neither do I condemn thee; go sin no more!"

Which are you? The humming bird or the buzzard in human affairs.

**Cumberland Presbyterian Church**  
Sunday School at 9:45.  
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.  
The public cordially invited.

**THE WINCHESTER STORE**



**Now I Have a "Buckeye"**

Say! If I told you the eggs I've lost and the trouble I've had trying to make a makeshift incubator do the work of a "Buckeye" you'd hardly believe the story.

No more experimenting for me! In future I'll have nothing if I can't have a

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THE WINCHESTER STORE

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- Toilet powder ..... 50c
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- Lip sticks ..... 25c and 75c
- Complexion Soap ..... 50c
- Toilet Water ..... \$2.00
- Extracts ..... \$1.25

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In Alexandre Gloves you may depend upon beauty of material plus correct style, emphasized by faultless workmanship. The result is a perfect fitting glove which adds smartness to any costume. You may choose Alexandre Gloves in all the popular costume shades. Pair \$2.50

**Sweater Specials**

We have some beautiful Sunnydale Sweaters in odd sizes which we are closing out at special prices. Priced from \$1.25 to \$5.00.

Just received a few numbers in the brushed wool in slip overs and jacquette style, from \$3.50 to \$6.00

**KLISTER STAMPED GOODS**

Have just received a new assortment of variety sets—buffett sets, scarfs, and guest towels—just the things to embroider for Christmas. Be sure to see them.

**R. P. Crum & Son**  
"The House of Service"

**AN INTERESTING PROGRAM**

A splendid program was given at the Baptist church Thursday evening by the pupils of Mrs. Len Phillips and Mrs. Ford Barnes. The numbers were especially well-chosen, and were rendered in a very charming manner by these young folks. Santa Anna should be proud to claim two such splendid and capable teachers as Mrs. Barnes and Mrs. Phillips.

The following took part in this program: Mary Southern Garrett, Bessie Evans, Eileen Barnes, James Phillips, Fern McCaughan, Queenie and Eris Gregg, Vernon Parker, Mary Harriet-Simpson, Josephine Morgan, Beth Barnes, Hattie Faye Todd, Bernice Turner, Dorothy Baxter, Evelyn Eck, Ola Polk, Lucille Lowe, Nettie Newman, Mary Russell, Billie Barnes, La Verne Dennis, Edith Lowe, Velma Sealy, Johnnie Pearce, Louise Campbell, Glenda Ford, Eunice Wheeler, Mrs. Stafford Baxter.

**HAVE your old mattress made over.—C. B. Garrison.**

**LIVERGARD—the New Laxative**

Mothers: **LIVERGARD** is the new Laxative we cannot improve. Safe and best for the Baby, Father, Mother, grandparents, sickly and strong. When the bowels are sluggish, **LIVERGARD** makes laughing babies of many ones; keeps old folks young; a bottle today keeps ill away. Children are eager for it, grown-ups praise it. At good drug stores. Write us for free samples. Lungardia Company, Dallas, Texas. For Sale by C. K. Hunter

If your bowels do not act regularly, you feel uncomfortable, and the longer this condition exists the worse you feel. To put an end to the misery, take **Herbine**. It purifies the bowels, restores cheerfulness and cheerful spirits. Price 60c. Sold by all druggists.

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Have a packet in your pocket for ever-ready refreshment.

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**SOME DON'TS FOR GIRLS**

(Clipped from the School Notes In the Hico News-Review)

We often hear, "Don't do this and don't do that." One of these "don't" for girls is "Don't forget to be a lady."

We can do this by thanking boys when they do something for us always. A girl should always be careful to remember her manners; she should always respect everyone.

Then too, "Girls, don't quit school." Girls should continue in school so that they can learn the ways of other people. Girls should not use slang.

Since the idle mind is the workshop of mean thoughts, "Don't waste time," because if you do you are always behind.

Manners are the first thing which go to make a cultured and refined girl. These manners do not come from books, they simply come from the heart. These manners are shown by the way you treat people and by the way you act to make people feel at ease in your presence. These manners should always be from the heart and therefore be true. Good manners are the most necessary thing in the life of any boy or girl.

These Don'ts we have spoken of should be turned into "Do's." We can turn these don'ts into do's by saying, "Do be a lady, and do go to school, and do use your time."—Trixie Digon, English II.

**SOME DON'TS FOR BOYS**

(Clipped from the School Notes In the Hico News-Review)

You have often heard your father or mother say don't do a certain thing. There are many don'ts to consider; among the large number is this one: "Don't forget to be a gentleman."

In being a gentleman, you should respect every one. Show your respect to your parents and your friends around you. Don't disobey your parents, for their words are as much to you as the words of the law to them. In everyday life don't talk harsh to anyone. Always have a pleasant greeting for everybody you meet.

Another of the important "Don't's" is: "Don't quit school." The state has prepared a place in which it wants to educate its boys and girls. In return, every boy and girl should give to the state as good as it has given to them.

You are going to pay your indebtedness to the people who are giving you this education, it is very essential that you do not waste your time. By this I mean it is well to spend your time to the most advantage. There are numbers of ways in which you may spend your time profitably. One is, by having good manners and by putting them into practice.

Good manners mean the product of the thoughtful heart. You may show good manners by being courteous to your friends.

You can turn these "Don't's" into Do's" and say, "Do be a gentleman, do take the advantage of an education and do use your time."—James Knowles, English II.

**CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR**

(Presbyterian Church)

Topic: How to obtain a great Missionary advance; Acts 13:1-12.

Leader—Vera Oakes.

Topics for discussion will be given on Missionary obtainments.

Questions:

How can we make our Prayers for Missions more effective?

Why is a returned Missionary a good source of information?

What books on Missions have you read during the past year?

What is my society doing to inform itself about Missions?

Should we give as much to Missions as to the local church? Why?

Offering.

Song.

Bible Drill.

Sentence Prayers.

Benediction.

Better be defeated when standing for a righteous principle than to win by compromising honor. Some good citizens often stand by their "crowd" right or wrong, because they haven't the moral courage to stand for truth and justice. They seem to think it their solemn duty to "stay with their bunch."

**DON'T CARRY DEAD RATS**

To "knock" another is evidence of jealousy or common dishonesty. To speak ill of any individual shows a want of charity. To peddle gossip is proof that you are a dangerous person.

The unreliable, the unprincipled folks in any community are pretty well known. Those who exaggerate, lie and bear false witness are tagged with the lack of good breeding.

You would not bring into a friend's house a dead and stinking rat; neither does your friend want you to drag in any dirty gossip.

The turkey crop is now being marketed, and this valuable side line on the farm is swelling the bank accounts of many farmers.

**FORT WORTH RECORD ANNUAL BARGAIN OFFER**

The Santa Anna News has been authorized to take subscriptions to the Fort Worth Record at the following Bargain Days offer:

Daily and Sunday 1 year \$7.45

Daily without Sunday 1 year \$5.95

All subscriptions must be in the office of the Fort Worth Record by December 15th.

Receipt books and service awaits you at the News office.

**OPEN RECITAL**

Pupils of Mrs. Ford Barnes and Miss Sybil Simpson will appear in recital, at Methodist church Saturday evening, Nov. 17.

**A Cure For Cold Feet**

So many people have army cots in reserve when company comes and usually the member of the family elected to adorn said cot objects fervently because the covers never stay down at the foot. If two small hooks are screwed on the inside of the wooden legs of the cot and tapes sewn on the blankets, etc., at the proper distance to slip over the hooks, all will be well for the night.

Don't get so narrow that you cannot give a square deal to those who differ with you. As long as time lasts there will be various problems confronting us and we cannot afford to fall out with our neighbor because he can't see things as we do.

**SOME TURKEY FACTS**

(Stephenville Tribune)

Texas produces 60 per cent of the turkey crop of the United States. There was 740 cars last year. The estimated crop for this year is placed at 1350 cars. On October 1, 1922, we had in cold storage rooms in the U. S. 2,645,000 pounds; on October 1, 1923 we had in the same coolers 6,337,000 pounds. The average carry over for the last five years of frozen turkey was 1,445,000 pounds. Every family in Texas should eat turkey for Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year and help clean up this big surplus and thereby put the price up again.

WOOD COOK STOVES \$16.50 up.—KELLEY'S.

**SELF CULTURE CLUB**

Time—3:30 o'clock, Dec. 14th.

Hostess—Mrs. Chas. Eck.

Leader—Mrs. Paul Williams.

Subject—"As You Like It," I-II-III Chapters.

Roll Call—Quotations from Play.

Brief account of source, including synopsis of play—Leader.

Critical comment on play—Miss Ruby Harper.

Character sketch of Orlando—Mrs. Parker Bond.

Questions:

1. Explain the Title.
2. Are the distresses that Orlando suffers such as lead one to expect a comedy or tragedy? Support your view by argument.
3. Is Shakespeare aristocratic in social feeling? Do you find in any of his plays a treatment of love between unequals?
4. What is the dramatic purpose of the banishment of Rosalind? What motive for it does Frederick give?
5. Show in what way Rosalind's disguise is a liberator from social restraint, so that she has the opportunity to display her real character.

**II Chapter**

6. How do we see that "the stubbornness of fortune" under which these denizens of the forest suffer, is really only a dramatic subterfuge and not the actual interest of the play?
7. Show how scenes II and III are transition scenes in the action. What contrast is there between the two in dramatic method?
8. Through Touchstone what aspects of life do we see satirized? What episode of the play is overshadowed by his comment on love?
9. For what famous quotations is Jaques remembered? III Chapter.
10. What turn in the fortunes of Orlando is noted in scene I? What part of the action is foreshadowed here?
11. Explain Atalanta's better part "and the allusion to Pythagoras in scene II."
12. Scene IV throws what new light upon Rosalind?
13. Is it often Shakespeare's custom to make his scenes consecutive in action? What gain is there in reality by following the other course?
14. Compare Phebe and Rosalind as lovers of men. How differently do their thoughts run?

**RETURN OF EX-PRINCE TO GERMANY AROUSES SUSPICION OF LONDON**

Newspapers Think It Has Some Connection With Bavarian Insurrection.

London, Nov 12.—The return of Frederick William to Germany have caused much speculation as to whether more is behind the incident than would be implied merely by a consideration of his personal insignificance.

Some commentators argue that his personality has little to do with the situation. The Morning Post says he is neither an heroic nor an honorable figure, but that history shows a small person is sometimes used to launch a great enterprise and that it is impossible to dissociate his return from the outbreak in Munich.

The Daily Chronicle thinks his presence in Germany must immediately create a focusing point for monarchist plots.

No one attaches much importance to the undertaking of the prince or the German government that he will abstain from meddling in politics, and there is a pretty general assumption that his return means a bid for the throne.

The Daily Telegraph's diplomatic expert says Chancellor Stresemann engineered the return of Frederick William.

Stresemann, the article says, persuaded his colleagues that the safety of the present regime in the Reich lay in splitting the ranks of the monarchists. William in Silesia would neutralize Rupprecht in Bavaria.

**ATTENTION ADVERTISERS**

Our issue of the News to be dated November 30 will be printed on Wednesday, November 28, and all advertising copy must be in the office by Monday night or not later than Tuesday morning. This is done in order that the News force can take a day's rest on Thursday 29, same being Thanksgiving.

**PRICES ARE LOW!**

A bale of cotton will today buy more yards of Goods, More Shoes, More Suits of Clothes, in fact more of anything sold in a Dry Goods Store than at any time during our twenty years of merchandising.

Yard wide, heavy bleached domestic, smooth finished Per yard <b>17 1-2c</b>	All Wool Serge, a good value at <b>98c</b>
Our best 27 inch Outing in solid colors, per yard <b>17 1-2c</b>	A 44 inch serge, sponged and shrunk—underpriced at per yard <b>\$1.50</b>
Our Good Gingham, sold in most stores at 20c to 25c Our price, per yard <b>17 1-2c</b>	A good wearing silk hose in black or brown for <b>\$1.00</b>
Our best sheeting, either bleached or brown. Buy what you will need for some time at per yard <b>55c</b>	You will be surprised at the low prices we sell good underwear. Let us save you money.

Extra values in Ladies and Children's Coats, priced very low for quick selling.

Men's and Boys' suits that look good when new and keep their good looks until worn out—you will be better pleased with your clothing if you will let us help you buy it.

**WORK CLOTHES**

For the man whose work is on the outside, we have Leather Coats, Moleskin, Duck and Corduroy Trousers; Wool and Cotton Shirts and good warm underwear. If you will look at the quality and prices we offer, you will understand why your work clothes will cost you less if you let us dress you up.

**WORK SHOES**

Double-Life and Weyenberg work shoes will feel better on the feet and give you satisfactory wear. Try a pair.

The low prices we are now quoting on Cotton Goods are not made for just a few days selling. Our customers have had the benefit of them all the Fall and will be kept in force until present stocks are sold. Buy cotton goods now is the best advice we can give.

**Santa Anna Merc. Co.**

The Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes

SANTA ANNA NEWS

Entered at the Post Office at Santa Anna, Texas, as Second Class Mail.

J. J. Gregg, Editor and Pub.

One year in Coleman county.....\$1.00
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(Payable in advance.)

No subscription taken outside of the county for less than six months.

Advertising rates 25c and 30c per inch. Local notices ten cents per line for each insertion.

Obituaries, Cards of Thanks and Resolutions of Respect are charged at one-half the regular rate.

Friday, November 16, 1923

The attention of our readers is called to our advertising appearing in the News. We believe it will pay you to come for miles to do your trading in Santa Anna.

Congress meets in regular session the first Monday in December. Many predict a long session with nothing of importance acted on.

Schools to educate children in the principles upon which this republic is founded, and teaching reverence for American institutions based on those sacred principles, would be the greatest thing that could be organized to encourage patriotism and loyalty to government.

Bachelors are the ones who can tell you all about the faults of women. Married men haven't the nerve to speak.

The Week's Program

BEST THEATRE

Monday and Tuesday, 19 and 20

Harold Lloyd in

"GRANDMA'S BOY"

His first 5 part feature. Something new for Lloyd—the romance of a fraidy catboy. You'll laugh at Lloyd—you'll love his grandma.

WEDNESDAY only Wanda Hawley in

"THE TRUTHFUL LIAR"

Comedy in Connection.

Thursday only Betty Compson in

"OVER THE BORDER"

Comedy in Connection.

FRIDAY 7 EPISODE OF "HAUNTED VALLEY"

2 REEL WESTERN COMEDY AND PATHE NEWS

SATURDAY Hary Carey in

"CANYON OF THE FOOLS" ALSO COMEDY

CHANGED CONDITIONS

We are always hearing much about the virtue of saving. "Lay up something for a rainy day" and "Young prodigal in coach and our will be an old beggar barefoot" and trite saying that have been dinged into our ears all our lives.

More than twelve million automobiles are in use in the United States and Canada and yet the saturation point is said to be far distant. Our working days have been decreased from ten hours per day, a few years ago, to an average of eight hours today.

It was the mechanic who took the glory out of war, and made the armies of the world burrow their way into the ground like moles to protect themselves against the wonders of his achievements; who robbed war of the glitter that belonged to the tin soldier of old and showed the world what a horrible, nasty thing it could be.

And so, it is with money. The fellow who hoards and hides his dollars is not getting along very fast himself and is not helping in the progress and growth of his community.

Rusty nail wounds, festering sores, burns and scalds heal rapidly when Liquid Bronzine is applied. It is both antiseptic and healing. Price, 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by all druggists.

BILL BOOSTER SAYS

PLANT MORE TREES!!! A TOWN WITH BEAUTIFUL TREES IS A BEAUTIFUL TOWN, WHILE NOTHING LOOKS SO BARE AND BLEAK AS A TREELESS STREET! LOOK AROUND YOUR HOME AND SEE IF ANOTHER TREE WOULDN'T IMPROVE IT. "



HENRY FORD KNOWS VALUE OF ADVERTISING

Henry Ford and his dealers invest millions in advertising. The Ford account tops the list of automobile advertisers. There fore, if the theorists were right in their contention that the "expense of advertising" is always paid by the customer, this tremendous volume of advertising should have made the Ford the highest priced car of its class.

"THE TRUE BLESSEDNESS OF MAN IS NOT TO ARRIVE, BUT TO TRAVEL"

"I used to think," says Dr. Crane, "that the Creator intended everybody to be entirely holy, and that somehow we had all failed. I know now that I was wrong. For if He had made all men to be holy He had surely missed it and I do not believe He missed anything. He must have made us all to do something which we are all doing to a greater or less degree. And that something is—to Grow."

"Growth is the key word that unlocks the universe. Growth is God's plan. God does not make anything as a carpenter makes a bench. He grows everything. When He wants a tree He begins with an acorn. That is all evolution means. It is that the Creator grew His universe 'without the sound of the hammer,' and He did not erect it as workmen put up a wood shed."

"I have therefore got rid of that gloom which comes from a constant sense of failure and shortcoming. There is no failure in my life. There is a lot of imperfection, but growth implies imperfection. I have not arrived. I do not expect to arrive. For, as Stevenson says, 'The true blessedness of man is not to arrive, but to travel.' And, as John Fiske says, 'The essential characteristic of man is his improbability.'" — Dr. Frank Crane in American Magazine.

Some people lead mighty lonesome lives. They are trying to do right and the crowd won't follow them.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a Special called election will be held in the City of Santa Anna, Texas, on Tuesday, December the Eleventh, Nineteen Hundred and Twenty Three, for the purpose of electing a Mayor to fill the unexpired term of J. O. Martin, resigned, and two Commissioners to fill the unexpired terms of I. O. Shield and J. Frank Turner, resigned.

Witness my hand at Santa Anna, Coleman county, Texas, this 8th day of November, A. D. 1923. J. Len Phillips, City Clerk.

PEOPLE OF OUR TOWN



Every town has a Jolly Fat Man like this, who likes Everybody and whom Everybody likes. He's always in Good Humor and goes about dispersing Good Cheer. This Good Scout has just as many Troubles as Anybody Else, but he does All his Wor-rying in Private.

TRICKHAM—THE WONDERLAND

I have often wondered why Trickham was not a noted place, as some others not as large. I am quite sure there are not many countries that have the kind of people we have, and the beautiful scenery that surrounds Trickham.

We have some of the finest farming country there is to be found anywhere, and cattle raising is very popular west and south of Trickham. This country is also noted for its fine turkeys. Coleman county is not first in raising the largest number of turkeys, but it is there when it comes to raising fine, large stock.

Trickham has also some producing oil wells and some fine gas wells, and some interest shown in the oil business at present. We also have good churches and Sunday School and one of the finest singing classes in this part of the state.

In conclusion Trickham is noted for its good looking boys and girls, and there is plenty of good society to make them enjoy best of life at all times. Well, boys and girls come to Trickham if you want to get the very best out of life for it here—you tell "em" sure as you "gotta" tongue.

"A RESIDENT"

Still on the fence regarding your choice for president? That, perhaps, is because "modesty forbids your speaking."

It isn't what we "stand for" but what we really are that counts in this world. A man may shout from the housetops until he is gray-headed about his "principles" but unless he puts a few of them into practice he does not command much respect.

Your Holiday FRUIT CAKE

Yes, every one is going to bake that good Fruit Cake and now is the time to begin.

To bake your Fruit Cake now, the ingredients will have plenty of time to blend and give your cake lots better flavor.

We have everything for your cake and it is fresh:

- Fresh Currants
Fresh Figs
Candied Cherries
Candied Pineapple
Candied Citron
Candied Lemon Peel
Candied Orange Peel

Give us your order now

Hunter Bros.

48—"The Home of Good Eats"—70

P. S. If Phone 48 is busy call Number 70

EPWORTH LEAGUE
Nov. 18: "Better Friendship."
Song.
Leader—C. B. Verner.
Prayer.
Scripture Lesson. (Sam. 18:1-4; 19:1-7.)
"Example of Friendship"—Madora Gilmore.
"Unselfish Friendship"—Winnie Todd.
"Better Friendship"—Lois Verner.
Song.
Benediction.

have any business or not. As soon as you get through with one weekly nightmare you have another to begin work on. Taylor County Times: When you have served as editor of a weekly paper for ten or more years what is termed a grind to you now, Brother Henslee, will be a pleasure to you, and you will really crave this kind of work. There will come a time in your professional life, my dear sir, when instead of a "nightmare" it will be a real animal with a "kick" in it. Only time will tell.

FEDERAL TIRES Sold at Lowest Prices in History

There never was a time before when you could buy quality tires at such saving prices as now. These prices compared with other standard makes should be sufficient to convince you of this fact. Here is the proof.

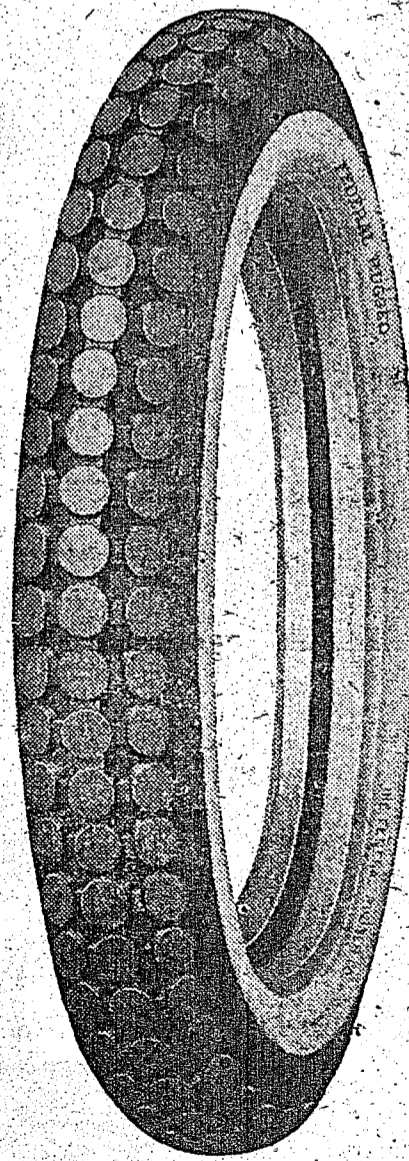
- 30x3 Fabric ..... \$7.75
30x3 1-2 Fabric ..... \$8.95
30x3 1-2 Cord ..... \$11.00
32x4 Cord ..... \$18.15
33x4 Cord ..... \$18.70
30x3 1-2 6 ply Blue Pennant Cord .. \$15.25
32x4 6 ply Blue Pennant Cord .... \$21.60
33x4 6 ply Blue Pennant Cord .... \$22.30

We have other makes of Tires at cheaper prices. Come and see. At the prices we are making we do not expect our present stock to last very long. Make your purchase now.

GORDON DRIVE IN FILLING STATION

East Main St.

Santa Anna



**SCHOOLS OF COUNTY SUPPORTED BY FUND NEARLY \$200 000**  
(Democrat-Voice)

Coleman county is abreast of the State in matters of education. There is approximately \$200,000 provided for the support of the schools of the county for the current school year, the major portion of the funds coming from local taxation.

The school census of the county shows 6,042 scholastics. The county apportionment from State funds is \$13 per scholastic or a total of \$78,546. Forty schools in the county will receive State aid to the amount of approximately \$22,000, and approximately \$96,000 comes from local taxation. Of the \$13 State apportionment approximately 80 cents is applied to administration, leaving \$12.20 net to the credit of school maintenance.

**Funds by Districts.**

The gross funds raised by taxation, and the tax rate in the school districts of the county, both independent and common, is set out below.

Coleman Ind. District, special tax \$1.00, \$25,925.00.  
Santa Anna Ind. District, special tax 90c, \$15,300.00.  
Burkett, special tax 87c, \$1,455.63.  
Rockwood, special tax 50c, \$2,200.00.

**THE DUTY OF THE COMMERCIAL ORGANIZATION**

Why should a city have a commercial organization? Because if it lives up to its duties, it will be the most potent force in the community for progress. Its duties are to do anything and everything necessary for and incident to the upbuilding and the better building of the city and its environs. Its duty is not only to make a city grow but also to make it a better, a more sanitary, a prettier and more enjoyable place in which to live.

Its province or field of work reaches out into every branch and takes cognizance of every phase of the city's life. The commercial interests, wholesale, retail, and manufacturing; the professional interests; the government of city, county and state, the social side of the city's life where it touches the question of public morals and health; all of these and in truth every channel of activity comes under its practical eye.

The commercial organization has a first duty in that it must bring all of the elements of the entire community, county as well as city, together into one compact body working for the uplift of the community. It must teach the individuals composing these elements the lesson of achievement thru co-operation. It must arouse the citizenry from the old-time lethargy to a quickened interest, and always and everywhere preach the gospel of sane, safe and sound development, unselfishness, public-spiritedness and civic pride. Its motto must be, "If it's good for the community, then let us have it." What helps the city as a whole, has a like beneficial effect upon everyone within its boundaries.

Not only the business and professional men make good "boosters," but also the young men, the clerks in the stores, the women with in the house and in the office or store and the children in the schools. It is the duty of the commercial organization to so spread its propaganda of development as to obtain the efficient aid of all these forces. Many organizations secure much of their force and power from their women's auxiliaries. In campaigns for sanitation and beauty their help is incalculable.

The commercial organization has a duty toward the city government which it cannot afford to overlook in spite of the howls of the politician who knows his power is on the decline when the business interests cast their microscopic eyes of investigation upon his maneuvers every effort should be made to work with the administration in an amicable way, but if this is not possible, it is the duty of the commercial organization to continue to interest itself in the affairs of the city government.

The civic body has this right because its members are the

**CARD OF THANKS**

I wish to express my thanks to the people who supported me in the Santa Anna News contest, and helped me win third prize.

Una James.

heavy taxpayers, its because men make the city habitable. No city could run without them. They are vital and so, being vital, they have the first moral right to speak in the control and management of the city affairs.

It is the civic body's duty to interest itself in all legislative matters which may have an effect upon the city. The astute ability and acumen of the business mind is necessary for the successful handling of such questions as taxation. It needs a business head to work out the intricacies of financing great public improvements. The unselfish democracy of the commercial organization is needed to keep its finger on the pulse of the whole body politic.

It is the duty of the commercial organization to conduct its affairs upon a business basis. Whether in the location of industries or in an effort to secure new and larger parks, there should be a business-like method adopted.

It is the duty of the civic body to interest itself in educational matters. Upon the schools depend the future ability and activity of the city's people. The civic body can and should exert its most wholesome influence for the continual development of the school system.

It is the duty of the commercial organization to give sound publicity to the city's advantages and to do everything in its power to eliminate all forms of detrimental publicity. It is its duty to endeavor in all right ways to attract new residents and new business and to assist in their location in all legitimate ways.

Porter A. Whaley.

**FARM BUREAU TO GATHER ACREAGE DATA**

Dallas, Texas, No. 8.—The Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association through its field forces and membership is taking steps to gather close estimate on the cotton acreage that will be planted in 1924. This information, it is announced, will be secured from every county precinct in the cotton growing counties in Texas soon after the first of the year, consolidated and tabulated in the Association's headquarters and made available to its Sales Department and public generally.

According to J. W. L. Hall, Secretary of the Association, this will be the "First report" of such kind gathered by the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association, but with the machinery available it is thought will result in the most comprehensive and as nearly accurate estimate of this acreage ever gathered in the State.

Plans provide for this appointment of representatives in the various county precincts to gather this information through the respective precincts through general investigation, consultation with bankers, merchants, farmers, chamber of commerce and other similar organizations. The information will be transmitted to the headquarters on specially prepared forms.

"The Sales Department will find such compilation of figures of great value in its work," T. M. Edwards, sales manager of the Texas Association announced, "particularly in view of the extreme detail and comprehensive method by which it will be gathered, and I feel sure that the public generally will welcome such figures to be considered in connection with Government and private reports." According to present plans of the Association all reports will be made between the 1st and 15th of January.

The Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association has in excess of 30,000 members in Texas at the present time, every cotton county being represented in the membership. Cooperative Marketing of Cotton by the Association this year shows an increase of practically 100 per cent over last year at this time. A total of 140,000 bales have been received to date, as compared to 77,706 during 1922, and cotton yet to be received will bring this year's receipts to more than double last year's total.

Rubbed into the skin for rheumatism, neuralgia, contracted muscles, sprains or lameness. Ballard's Snow Liment goes right through the flesh to the bone, easing pain and removing the cause. It is a powerful pain relief. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

**CHEAP STUFF**

The editor of a big New York newspaper was recently taught a pretty lesson by a man in a small town in New York State. And it was a lesson that it might be well for lesser men than the editors of great metropolitan newspapers to heed.

It seems that the editor of the big daily referred facetiously to St. Johnsville, "wherever that is," as the editor put it, just as editors have a habit of doing when some place with which they are not familiar is mentioned. Whereupon a citizen of the place wrote to the editor in this wise:

"If ever convenient for you to do so, take your car, starting in this direction, and when the speedometer has registered 107 miles, stop, and you will be in the vicinity of a neat little village called St. Johnsville, N. Y., a town of natural and unlimited advantages, where the wheels of industry and prosperity are constantly crying for oil, and where our corn-nourished bairns are trained never, publicly or otherwise to speak lightly of anything, unless both proper and fitting."

Years and years ago, the people of the stage learned that a "fling" at a neighboring small town would cause a lough. The stage folks are ever eager to cause a laugh, and do not care whether it is from thoughtful or thoughtless people. Hence the custom of speaking lightly of smaller towns has continued, greatly to the amusement of many persons.

But the habit of speaking lightly is not confined to the stage folks. Others have taken it up—even editors. But whether it is indulged in by stage folks by private citizens, or by learned editors, it is a cheap, unfriendly and foolish practice to "speak lightly of anything unless both fitting and proper," as the citizen of St. Johnsville so pertinently expresses it.

**W. O. W. NOTICE**

Delinquent Woodman may now reinstate FREE. See me at once for particulars.—J. S. Jones clerk. 19-1f.

**The Texas Mercantile Co.**

"THE PEOPLE'S STORE"

Dry Goods **Special Prices** Grocery  
Phone 74 Phone 25

On Merchandise you are looking for and expect to buy. Compare these prices.

- Men's Union Suits ..... \$1.25
- Boy's Union Suits ..... 90c
- E. Z. Union Suits for Children ..... 90c
- Men's heavy two-piece Underwear ..... 75c
- A good Heavy Cotton Blanket ..... \$2.75 pr.
- A good heavy Blanket lined coat ..... \$3.75
- A good Blue Work Shirt ..... 75c
- A good heavy Cotton Sweater ..... \$1.50
- A good 36 inch Bleached Domestic ..... 15c
- One lot of Brown Domestic ..... 9 1-2c
- One lot of Bungalow Aprons ..... 85c

**HIGH GRADE GROCERIES At Low Prices**

**WE HAVE** a Good Stock of Clean, Fresh Groceries and would like to have a share of your business. Compare the following prices, and give us a chance at your next order of Groceries.

Salt Pork .....	14c
Maxwell House Coffee .....	\$1.10
White Face Flour, 100 lbs. ....	\$3.50
Peacock Syrup .....	80c
25 pounds of Sugar .....	\$2.50
Spuds per pound .....	2 1-2c
No. 3 Kraut .....	15c
No. 3 Tomatoes .....	15c
No. 2 Tomatoes, per dozen .....	\$1.15

5 bars P & G Soap .....	25c
8 bars Grandma's Soap .....	25c
12 lbs. Pinto Beans .....	\$1.00
7 pencil tablets .....	25c
25 lb. Box Dried Fruit .....	\$2.90
Good Sweet Potatoes .....	\$1.25
3 Boxes Shot Gun Shells .....	\$2.00
Enameled ware 33 per cent off	

Call and see a 42 piece Dinner Set Free. Ask about it when making a purchase.

We have a good offer on Laundry Soap, in fact we have a special Deal to offer you.

**EAST END GROCERY**

M. B. COPPIC, Proprietor

# Announcement!

In a few days we will have our **New Holiday Goods** on display. We do not hesitate to say that this year we have the **LARGEST** and **BEST** line that we have ever had.

Our line of Mechanical Toys will be exceptionally good this year. Lots of new things in this line.

In Dolls we have all kinds and prices, including MAMMA dolls, an item that the little girl will surely want.

In children's chairs we have them for all sizes of children and the prices are the lowest.

**BOOKS**—We have every kind for the Kiddies and Grown Ups.

In glassware and chinaware we have something new to offer you this year.

In this space we cannot begin to state the numerous things we will have. Just watch this space for our announcements.

## Blue Racket Store

### NIWAT

Winter is coming and people are still picking cotton. Guess we will get through sometime between now and Christmas.

The party at Mr. Moore's Friday night was enjoyed by a large crowd; also the one at Mr. Bruce Hibbitt's Saturday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Miss Celesta Cupps spent Saturday night with Misses Addie and Vera Brooks.

Mr. Elma Cupps and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hibbitt, Mr. and Mrs. Lora Brooks and Miss Virgie Morgan spent Sunday in the Lee Baugh home.

Mr. Norris Parson spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. Virtus Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wagner spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cupps attended the party at Bruce Hibbitt's Saturday night.

Misses Addie and Vera Brooks spent Sunday with Miss Celesta Cupps.

Mr. S. H. Brooks and Mr. Curby Brooks and family motored to the Concho Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mills have moved to their home in Santa Anna.

### CUTE.

### CATARRH

Catarrh is a local disease greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. **HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE** consists of an Ointment which gives Quick Relief by local application, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces and assists in ridding your System of Catarrh. Sold by druggists for over 40 Years. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.



### THE BEST DRINKS

are served at our Soda Fountain. These hot days makes you think of a nice, cool place and something cold to drink.

We serve the BEST Ice Cream and the purest of drinks.

Come in to see us.

**C. K. Hunter**  
DRUGGIST

### CLIFFORD MEADOWS

Dray Line.

We Haul Anything

Phone 114

### ROCKWOOD

Bro. Holt filled his regular appointment here Sunday morning and at Waldrip Sunday night.

Robert Cleveland who is low with typhoid fever is no better at this writing.

Bill Rehm who was carried to the Santa Anna Hospital two weeks ago with typhoid fever is slowing recovering.

Misses Oderra and Ellie Bee Gillem visited relatives in Coleman Saturday and Sunday.

Mildred McSwain visited in the Bill McSwain home Sunday.

Jaunita Jenkins visited home folks at Bangs Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Beulah Wallace of Gouldsburg is visiting relatives here.

Mr. Bourland of Coleman sold H. A. Lawrence a new player piano Tuesday.

Misses Annie May and Jessie Faye Bradley visited home-folks at Dublin Saturday and Sunday.

Mary Powell who is teaching at Liveoak spent Saturday and Sunday here with home folks.

Era Smith of Santa Anna spent the week-end here with relatives.

Quite a large crowd attended singing here Sunday afternoon.

A singing class was organized with Prof. Pearce as President and Mr. Tom Ramsey as leader.

The Parent-Teachers Association will meet Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the school building. We would be glad to have all parents present.

There will be a Box supper Saturday night at the Baptist church for the benefit of the Parent-Teachers Association. Everybody invited to come and bring a well-filled box.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Taylor of Santa Anna spent Thursday with their daughter, Mrs. H. A. Lawrence.

Among the charming hospitalities of the past week was one given by Mrs. A. S. Hart, when she entertained the Missionary Society and a few friends. After several contests a delightful refreshment course was served, consisting of fruit salad, sandwiches, potato chips and hot chocolate.

### SEPTEMBER MORN.

### SCHOLARSHIPS FOR SALE

We have a number of standard Scholarships to Tyler Commercial College, for sale at a reasonable discount. If you are interested in taking a business training in the best Commercial Training School in the world, come in and let us tell you how we can save you some money on a scholarship. —Santa Anna News.

Things for which we should be most thankful are often the ones we most frequently forget.

### FAITH IN THE FUTURE

"And now abideth faith, hope, and love; but the greatest of these is love." These are divine words, and should be read and pondered by everyone. The basis of all human action should be love; without it all we do is "as a sounding brass and a tinkling cymbal." But we cannot do the work we should do in the world, no matter how much love we may have for our fellowman, without faith. It has been truthfully said we "walk by faith." Nothing can be accomplished without we are led by the hope of success and that hope is founded on faith.

It would be easy to preach a sermon on faith—the Bible tells us how it has been the guiding star of the people of all ages and how necessary it is if we would lay hold upon the promises contained in God's holy word. But we do not have to go to the Scripture for lessons on the need of faith if we would be happy and would do the work we should in every line of duty where opportunity is given us to labor.

There is so much to do for our community, for our loved ones, and for those who are in need of a helping hand that we cannot afford to become despondent and allow ourselves to despair. Let us believe that there is enough good in the world to overcome the evil, and that although the clouds may hang heavy over our lives and the future may seem dark, that "to every cloud there is a silver lining" and that the better nature of those who seem to us to be striving in the wrong direction will assert itself and that all will be well. Let us look forward in full faith that the harvest will be abundant, and that prosperity and happiness will reward our efforts if we but pursue the right course and do our full duty. Let us have confidence and press on to the goal. This is the News' exhortation to its readers.

**WANTED**—Some good bundle cane.—H. J. Parker. 46-tf.

### DR. L. O. GARRETT

Dentist

Office Over  
FIRST STATE BANK  
Phone No. 11

### Fire, Tornado Insurance

W. E. BAXTER

Santa Anna, Texas

### Fred Watkins Dray Line

See Me For Your

### HAULING

DAY PHONE 38  
NIGHT 217

### Weak Back

Mrs. Mildred Pipkin, of R. F. D. 8, Columbia, Tenn., says: "My experience with Cardui has covered a number of years. Nineteen years ago... I got down with weak back. I was run-down and so weak and nervous I had to stay in bed. I read of

### CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

and sent for it. I took only one bottle at that time, and it helped me; seemed to strengthen and build me right up. So that is how I first knew of Cardui. After that... when I began to get weak and 'no account', I sent right for Cardui, and it never failed to help me."

If you are weak and suffering from womanly ailments, Cardui may be just what you need. Take Cardui. It has helped thousands, and ought to help you. At all druggists and dealers.

### CITATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Coleman County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon C. V. Kilgore, C. E. Kilgore, Jno. W. Herndon, E. L. Lindsey, D. L. Lindsey, Executor of the will of E. L. Lindsey, deceased, David Lipscomb, Sr., Executor of the will of E. L. Lindsey, deceased, E. G. Sewell, Executor of the will of E. L. Lindsey, deceased, Fanning Orphan School, of Nashville, Tennessee, a private corporation, Christian Bible School, of Nashville, Tennessee, a private corporation, Chris Hagelstein, George Hagelstein, M. N. Hathcock, Rosa Hathcock, and the unknown heirs of the following deceased persons, to-wit: C. V. Kilgore, C. E. Kilgore, Jno. W. Herndon, E. L. Lindsey, Chris Hagelstein, George Hagelstein, M. N. Hathcock and Rosa Hathcock deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Coleman County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Coleman, Texas, on the 1st Monday in January A. D. 1924, the same being the 7th day of January A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 6th day of November A. D. 1923, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2837, wherein Leon Shield and Io Shield, as Independent Executors of the Estate of L. L. Shield, deceased, and Carrie E. Shield are plaintiffs, and C. V. Kilgore, C. E. Kilgore, Jno. W. Herndon, E. L. Lindsey, D. L. Lindsey, Executor of the will of E. L. Lindsey, deceased, David Lipscomb, Sr., Executor of the will of E. L. Lindsey, deceased, E. G. Sewell, Executor of the will of E. L. Lindsey, deceased, Fanning Orphan School, of Nashville, Tennessee, a private corporation, Christian Bible School, of Nashville, Tennessee, a private corporation, Chris Hagelstein, George Hagelstein, M. N. Hathcock, Rosa Hathcock, and the unknown heirs of C. V. Kilgore, C. E. Kilgore, Jno. W. Herndon, E. L. Lindsey, Chris Hagelstein, George Hagelstein, M. N. Hathcock and Rosa Hathcock, deceased, are Defendants, and said petition alleging a cause of action in trespass to try title, for the right, title and possession of that certain tract or parcel of land, situated in Coleman County, Texas, containing thirteen acres of land, being a part of Block No. 4, of the George Hagelstein Subdivision of Section 56, C. E. and C. V. Kilgore Survey, Abst. 976, fully described by metes and bounds in the deed from M. N. Hathcock to L. L. Shield, recorded in Vol. 93, page 148, Coleman County Deed Records, hereinafter referred to; plaintiffs alleging title in fee simple to said lands and premises, as well as under the five and ten years statutes of limitation, and that on October 23, 1923, the defendants unlawfully ejected them therefrom; that the nature of the claims of defendants is to plaintiffs unknown, but that any title or claim they may have is inferior to plaintiffs title, and should be canceled as a cloud thereon; and plaintiffs pray for citation to defendants, and for judgment for said lands and premises, divesting defendants of all right, title and claim thereon and vesting same in plaintiffs, and for writ of possession; for all costs of suit, and for general relief, plaintiffs original petition on file in said cause being here referred to for full notice of the contents thereof.

Herein Fail Not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness W. E. Gideon, Clerk of the District Court of Coleman County, Texas, this 7th day of November A. D. 1923.

W. E. Gideon, Clerk District Court, Coleman County. 46-4tc.

Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough Mrs. Will Hall, R. No. 3, Baxley, Ga., states "I am writing to all who suffer from coughs, colds, croup or whooping cough. I cannot recommend Foley's Honey and Tar, too much, and I can't keep house without it. The largest selling cough remedy in the world.—C. K. Hunter, druggist.

### OUR LAWS AND US

Is it not remarkable how easy it is to see the faults of others, but never able to see your own. Most of our laws to regulate things are made for the other fellow, and we never need regulating ourselves.—Baird Star.

Abilene Reporter: Because all of us cannot see the faults in ourselves, it is necessary that there be laws whereby we can arrive at that stage, and without these laws, the world would be in worse chaos than it now is. Some of us never do see our faults and therefore we land in the toils of these laws or these laws are made for all mankind and not just for us. The trouble with a great many of us is that we cannot see that there are many other people besides ourselves, who have got to live, regardless of whether we think they ought to or not.

The sale of fake oil stock in Fort Worth has been considerably interfered with since the Federal Government went to investigating the operations of these crooks and sent a number of them to the penitentiary for using the United States mails to defraud.

A daily paper says that big business needs 200,000 trained leaders. What job do you want?

### COTTON MANUFACTURING

To the West Texas Press: Gentleman:

Rufus Wright of Sweetwater and a committee of West Texans when in New York City recently on other business called on the officials of Converse & Company who are among the largest dealers in the sale of cotton goods in the world. These people were called on for the purpose of discussing with them the possibility of developing the textile industry in Texas, and particularly West Texas.

While officials of this company are of the opinion that Texas offers wonderful potentialities for textile industrial development they nevertheless will not recommend at this time the putting in of mills in Texas because of the excessively high price of textile machinery. They claim that it will cost \$80 a spindle to put in one at this time, whereas most of the mills now operating in the United States have been put in at a cost of \$40 per spindle. An adjustment must take place in the price of cotton mill machinery before it will be possible for new mills to go into business.

Respectfully yours, Porter A. Whaley, Manager.

If you can't be an optimist at least do not be a pessimist. Stick in between.

Thirty cent cotton and bad roads are mighty poor relations, and they should not have a standing relationship in Brown county. Petitions now to the Commissioners Court to call an election to increase the road and bridge tax to 30 cents are in order. Let us have better roads, and let us adopt the pay as we go policy in securing them.—Brownwood Semi-Weekly News.

### DR. W. S. HENDERSON

Optometrist and Manufacturing Optician

Will make regular trip to S. W. Childers & Co. Store once a month. Patronize your home optometrist. Call Monday, November 19, I will give some special prices on this date. Results guaranteed by

### COLEMAN OPTICAL CO.

Manufacturing Opticians

114 College Ave.

COLEMAN, TEXAS

## MILLINERY

I still have a large stock of Fall and Winter Millinery, and am giving some special Bargains in New and Fashionable Hats.

All Hats are being sold at a large discount

### Mrs. G. A. Shackley

Millinery

## SHAPIRO'S

### Fall bargain sale

I have many items of Seasonable Merchandise that I am selling at less than wholesale cost.

Some real bargains in Gingham, Outings, and Canton Flannel. Get my prices before you buy

Ladies Felt Slippers at	90c
Ladies Cotton Hose, 2 pair for	25c
3 pounds Bats	70c

### MEN'S HATS

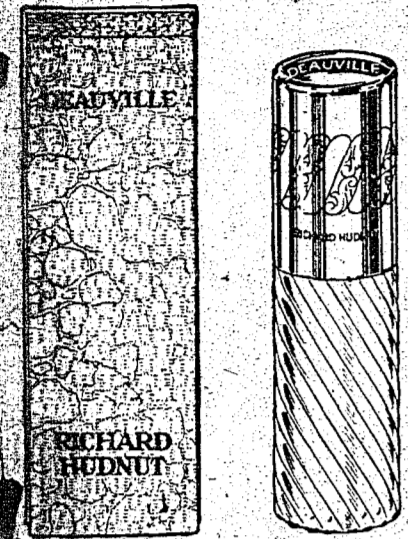
\$3.00 grade	\$2.45
\$3.50 grade	\$2.65

### MEN'S SHOES, WORK OR DRESS SHOES AT REAL BARGAINS

Men's good grade Blue Jumper	\$1.14
Men's Kaki Pant, from	\$1.24 up

### MANY OTHER BARGAINS

**GOOD Clean Winter Barley seed** for sale.—Paul Bivins. 45-3tp



**C. K. HUNTER**

**HOW PEPSINATED CALOMEL RELIEVES THE BACKACHE**

Tens with Pepsinated Calomel, the English Calomel treatment, have shown that it is one of the most powerful stimulants to the kidneys which we possess. While not intended primarily for the treatment of kidney diseases, it exerts a powerful influence upon these organs and promptly relieves backache due to the kidneys, by stimulating both the liver and kidneys, thus aiding them in removing the waste matter that is causing trouble. If your back aches most of the time, or if you are troubled with constipation or biliousness, try Pepsinated Calomel on the regular guarantee that you will be relieved or your money returned.

H. Phillips and all reliable druggists recommend and guarantee Pepsinated Calomel to bring relief to your sundown and sunup or your money refunded. Try it—we guarantee you will feel better tomorrow. (Adv.)

**AMERICA'S GROUND FOR THANKSGIVING**

It is well for the American people that they pause in their busy careers to reflect seriously on the many blessings which attend their every day life. It is true there are a great many things in our national and social life in which we do not measure up to our ideals. It is questionable whether the time will ever come when we shall have attained a political and social condition in which we shall not be called to the attainment of higher things and be agitated more or less with discontent. Progress is the law of life, dissatisfaction is the mother of progress. It is out of dissatisfaction that there is born both the desire for better things and the endeavor to attain them. Possibly we should be thankful today for even the things which are not to our liking, for these are the things which bid us to bestir ourselves.

Today America is big with hope because there is a larger body of men and women than ever before consecrated to the cause of freedom and inspired by lofty patriotism, who are daily devoting themselves to the advancement of what promises to make not only for our happiness and well being, but for the happiness and well being of the world. No one whose soul is not dead in a sordid materialism or unresponsive to the higher things in life can fall on this national Thanksgiving to feel the call to a devout and reverent acknowledgement before God of a deep and sincere gratitude for the multiplied blessings which today crown the lives of the American people. He appears to have withheld from us no good gift nor to have denied us any perfection boon.

**ATTENTION**  
Presbyterian Church  
Sunday School 10 a. m., J. T. Oakes, Supt.  
Preaching services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., J. M. Burrow, pastor.  
Choir rehearsal and Prayer Meeting every Friday night at 7 o'clock.  
Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m.  
Remember the Choir rehearsal and a short prayer meeting Friday night.  
A welcome awaits you and all to attend these services.

**LOCAL ADVERTISING**

**SAVE** money by buying your Mattress at the Santa Anna Mattress Factory.

**RACINE** and Kelly Springfield Tires; 30x3 \$9.00; 30x3 1-2 \$10.—KELLEY'S.

**BEST** prices ever made on Goodrich casings, Ford sizes.—C. E. WELCH. 41-1f.

**GET** our prices on Auto Tires.—Gardner Drive-In Filling Station.

**PANSY** Plants ready for transplanting 35c per dozen.—Mrs. E. E. POLK, phone 71. 46-1f.

**BAZAAR DINNER**  
The women of the Presbyterian church will have a bazaar and serve a plate dinner, Saturday, Dec. 1st, at city office, next door to postoffice. Come.

**PLENTY** OF guns to rent.—KELLEY'S.

**FOR SALE**—My home, consisting of 5 room house and 4 acres of land, gas and city water connections, 2 wells of water on place; could be used for irrigation. Price reasonable.—Mrs. D. F. Rackley, Santa Anna, Tex.

**FILTERED** Gasolene and Service at Gardner's Drive-In Filling Station.

**FOR SALE CHEAP**—My place, south west of Tom Campbell's; consists of five acres, known as the Hays & Riley place.—Mrs. F. L. Lane. 46-2tp.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—Milk cows, fresh and will be all winter. Will sell or trade for fat cattle.—J. H. Fletcher, 3 1-2 miles east of town on Ell Campbell farm. 46-3tp.

**OUR** prices on all kinds of leather goods are right. The lowest in the country and a big stock to select from.—C. E. Welch 41

125 head of pure bred Mammoth Bronze turkeys raised from 25 pound hens and 40 pound Tom. Toms \$10; Hens \$6. Satisfaction guaranteed.—Bert Turney, Whon, Texas. 44-3tp

**PANSY** Plants ready for transplanting 35c per dozen.—Mrs. E. E. POLK, phone 71. 46-1f.

**UNFURNISHED** rooms for rent. See W. L. Keeling. 46-1f.

**WANT** to rent a farm for next year, approximately 100 acres, prepared to run myself. Reference, First National Bank.—J. C. Ferguson, route 2. 46-3p

**FOR SALE**—Good 8-room house and barn, 3 lots, well located in west part of town; terms.—H. P. Huggens, Winters, Texas, or News office. 46-1f.

**GOVERNMENT** inspected trees at very close prices: Peach per dozen, \$2.40; Apples, Plums and Apricots, \$3.60; Pears, \$6.00; Shade 70c to \$1.50 each. Other trees.—O. B. Rude, Santa Anna.

**LOST**—Large Black Leather Bill Folder, containing about \$100.00 in currency, also five or six checks payable to J. E. Reagan; Wallet also contains other valuable papers. Finder will please return to Santa Anna News for reward.

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**Pain** in Back and Sides Relieved  
"My backache is past and I don't feel any pain in my back and sides," writes Peter Jos. Mallien Sr., R. No. 3, Brussels, Wis. Kidney and bladder irritations, pain in back and sides and rheumatic pains promptly relieved through the use of Foley Kidney Pills.—C. K. Hunter, druggist.

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**TURKEY SEASON**  
*Is Here*

**We Are Now Buying Thanksgiving Turkeys**

**We are paying highest market price for No. 1 Turkeys. Croppy Turkeys not wanted. Old Toms, crooked-breasted Turkeys and No. 2 stock bought at value.**

**Weights on Young Toms 12 lbs.  
Weights on Young Hens 8 lbs.**

**Potter Produce Company**

Santa Anna, Texas

**NEED GLASSES**

Dr. Jones, the Eye Man, will be at Childers & Co. store, Saturday, December 1st. Eyes examined, glasses fitted; headache and eye strain relieved.

If the bowels do not act regularly, assist them with an occasional dose of Herbine. It is a fine bowel tonic and laxative. Price 60c. Sold by all druggists.

**FOR SALE**—The 4-burner Oil Cooker, given in the News subscription contest. The Cooker is complete and worth the price. Call at the Santa Anna News office and examine it.—Miss Una James. tf.

**800 ACRES;** no better on South Plains, sheet water 59 feet, fenced 3 sides, a bargain. Will trade. Good small tract west of Trickham for sale.—Fred W. Turner. 39-1f.

**NOTICE**

Prof. and Mrs. S. Kellogg, originally of Sterling City, Texas, now located at the James House just across the street west of the Court House in Coleman. So if you have a disease that medicine or other remedies have failed to cure be sure to give us a trial and join the happy throng. Our method is absolutely harmless. Office hours 8:30 to 11:30 a. m., from 2 to 5 p. m. Post office box 97. 45-1f.

**FOR SALE**—Good six room house well located in west part of town. For price and particulars see D. J. Barnes.

**FOR SALE**—My place at Trickham; 20 acre tract, 10 in cultivation, with water connection, 8-room house, 2 porches, barn and out-houses, price \$2000; \$500 down.—J. T. Mullis, Brooksmith, Texas. 46-3t.

**ESTRAYED** from the Stockard lease south of town one Brown Mare Mule, 15 hands, about 8 years old, no brand. Reward.—Ford Barnes, at the Texas Mercantile Co.

**A 3 DISC or 4 DISC Plow,** power lift, \$150.00 and \$175.00 at Kelley's.

If your child eats ravenously, at times and at other times has no appetite at all, look out for worms. White's Cream Vermifuge is the remedy to use. It clears them out. Price 35c. Sold by all druggists.

**STOP THAT ITCHING**

Use Blue Star Remedy for Eczema, Itch, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Ring Worms, Chapped Face, Poison Oak, Sunburns, Old Sores or Sores on Children. It relieves all forms of Sore Feet. For sale by

C. K. HUNTER

**A DESIRABLE XMAS GIFT**

Young folks here is a Christmas present for you. Place the matter squarely before your parents in the right way. They will not refuse you for it is the best proposition you ever made to them. It is the thing that will win your independence, give you an insurance policy against poverty with a paid up premium for life. It is a Scholarship in the Tyler Commercial College of Tyler, Texas, America's largest school of Bookkeeping, Business Administration and Finance, Shorthand, Cotton Classing, Telegraphy, Penmanship, Radio—the school that will not only prepare you most efficiently but will secure a position for you.

The cost of a life scholarship in a course of Bookkeeping is \$70.00, Shorthand \$70, or these two for \$115.00; Business Administration and Finance \$70.00; Radio \$50.00; Board and Room is from \$17.00 to \$25.00 per month. The average time for completing any of the above courses is from three to five months. Figure the little it will cost of board and tuition and you will be surprised to find how little cash-producing education that it will cost you to obtain a you will use throughout your life. It is a Christmas present that you will always appreciate because you will never cease using it at a profit. It is something of every day use. It makes you a useful citizen.

If you or your parents have not the cash to pay for a course, ask Tyler Commercial College about their student loan fund. The old saying "Where there is a will, there is a way," is quite true. It is surprising just how little cash is really needed to get an education in the largest and most successful business training school in the United States. Because of their financial strength they can help you when smaller schools are not in a position to do so.

Convince your parents that you are determined to be a success. To achieve success in business, you must get a business training. Mail coupon for large free catalogue. It will convince you and your parents of the importance of our suggestion.

Address: Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas.  
Name .....  
Address .....  
Name of paper .....

The editor of this paper will arrange for your scholarship.

Cut This Out—It Is Worth Money  
Send this ad and ten cents to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive a ten cent bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar for Coughs and Colds, and free sample packages of Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Try these wonderful remedies.—C. K. Hunter, druggist.

**Star Parasite Remover**  
Use in the Drinking Water



Is an excellent Tonic and Blood Purifier. Will keep your Chickens healthy, red them of lice, mites, fleas, blue bugs and other blood-sucking, skin-eating parasites, and greatly increase egg production. More than 50,000 bottles sold in Texas this year on a money back guarantee. For sale by Drug Stores and Poultry Supply houses. Manufactured by STAR CHEMICAL BUILDING, 300 Manhattan Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

For Sale by Texas Mercantile Company, Santa Anna

**Dr. J. Harris Hales**

Optometrist, (Eyesight Specialist) Office and Laboratory, 302 First National Bank, Brownwood, Branch office, Polk Bros. Bldg., Santa Anna, Texas.

I will be in Santa Anna Office EVERY SECOND and FOURTH TUESDAY of each month.

Children's eyes given very special attention.

**PUBLIC AUCTION**  
of  
**ARMY GOODS**

to be held at **SANTA ANNA**  
**Wednesday, Nov. 21**  
**BANGS, NOV. 22, 1923**  
Beginning at 1:30 P. M.

**THE FOLLOWING MERCHANDISE WILL BE SOLD**  
**ARMY HARNESSES**—Comprising several types including those with and without Breaching, new and used.  
**SADDLES**—The remount Stock Saddle and the regulation McClellan Saddle.  
**RIDING BRIDLES**—Of various Styles and Types.  
**MISCELLANEOUS HARNESSES PARTS** SUCH AS—Lariat Picket Ropes, Extra Team Bridles, Whips, Collars, Extra Lines, Halters, Halter Leads, Tie Chains, Saddle and Curb Bits, Pole Straps, Hame Straps, Saddle Bags, Extra Breaching and many other Articles in the Harness Goods Line.  
**BLANKETS AND CLOTHING**—Consisting of Rain Coats, Slickers, Shirts, Breeches, Socks, Wrap Leggings, Cartridge Belts and many other Articles not listed for lack of space.  
**MEN'S ALL WOOL SUITS**—These three-piece suits are brand new and were made by the English government for discharged soldiers. This is an unusual opportunity to buy your winter suit at a saving. It will pay you to attend this sale for this is a good clean stock of merchandise and without a doubt this will be your very last opportunity to buy this quality of Army Goods at Auction.  
**DON'T FORGET THE TIME AND PLACE!**

**COL. P. S. HARPER**

**OWNER AND AUCTIONER**  
Abilene - - - - Texas  
A. L. JONES, Manager of Sales

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In our case its a whole lot to YOU.

## First State Bank

means a whole tongue full, because it absolutely protects your money, and its record is, that:

"No non-interest bearing or unsecured depositor ever lost a dollar in a State Bank in Texas."

That record stands for itself—it can't be denied.

It Absolutely Guarantees You From Loss.

Open an Account With Us and Enjoy This Protection.

DO IT TODAY

## The First State Bank

Santa Anna, Texas



M. L. Lightfoot was among the callers at this office Tuesday.

Mrs. A. M. Pleasant, Mrs. Henry Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Kirkpatrick went to Waldrip Tuesday to see Mrs. J. B. Wright, who was hurt in a fall.

Mr. H. P. Hudgens of Winters was here Tuesday looking after business matters.

Miss Mildred Pearce, one of the teachers in the Brady school, visited homefolks here last week end.

Mr. Theo. Spencer called in Saturday and ordered his paper changed from Trickham route to Brookesmith. Mr. Spencer has recently purchased the Brookesmith telephone exchange from Mr. Lev Lawrence. Mr. Lawrence orders his paper changed to Lamesa, Texas.

Louis Newman from out on Trickham route call in Tuesday and took advantage of our three year offer on the Dallas-Semi Weekly News.

The Potter Produce Company reports as having shipped three car loads of turkeys up to date.

## Caught in the Round-Up

H. O. Heilman orders his paper changed from Santa Anna to Rockwood.

Mrs. Fred Battle is enjoying a visit with home folks in El Paso.

Mrs. C. W. Tierney returned Sunday from a two weeks visit in San Antonio.

Miss Corene Wallace of Howard Payne spent the week-end with home-folks in Santa Anna.

The baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Parker has been very sick this week, but reported better at this writing.

Gordon Daniel is in Runnels county visiting his sick grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Woodward and baby returned to their home in Lamesa Monday after a few days visit-with relatives here.

Mrs. Joe McCoy of Brady came over Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Rainbolt. Her mother accompanied her home Sunday for a visit.

Miss Sammie Lee Stewardson spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Ashmore at Rockwood.

M. F. Blanton from out on Trickham route takes advantage of the special offer on the Dallas Semi-Weekly News, three years for \$2.00.

E. G. Overby and wife visited Mrs. Overby's parents in Brownwood Monday.

Robert Garret returned home Tuesday from a visit in east Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bair, Misses Ethel Moegelin, Lillie Post and Bernice Hefner went to Coleman Sunday where they visited in the L. D. Gist home.

The members of the local Rebekah lodge served a fine dinner in the dining room of the W. O. W. Hall Saturday, the proceeds of which went into the general fund of the lodge.

Several of the local business houses closed Monday, observing Armistice day.

Mrs. H. E. Baker and daughter, Miss Viola, left Sunday for Falls county where they will make their future home.

J. T. Woodward, who has been getting his mail at Slayton, orders his address changed back to Santa Anna.

The Santa Anna Motor company delivered seventeen new Fords last week, and it was no week for Fords either.

### HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. E. W. Pettus from out north of town was operated on at the local hospital Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Flores took their son, Karl, to the local Hospital for an operation Monday.

Mr. Willie Rhem who has been very ill in the local Hospital with Typhoid fever is reported improving.

Mr. Henry Geasland, who was taken from Warmack Construction camp to the local Hospital seriously ill with Typhoid fever is reported to be in a very grave condition, and very little hopes for his recovery.

Little Yerna Fry, 3 year old daughter of Major and Mrs. Fry from north of Coleman, was brought to the local Hospital last week for treatment for very serious burns, and is reported doing favorably well at this time.

R. S. Stearns brought his son Grady to the Hospital Monday night for treatment for Rattle snake bite. The wound being inflicted on the calf of the left leg.

Miss Irene Goodman, R. N. and Miss Sussie Wilson, R. N. both graduate nurses from the Scott & White Hospital at Temple, have located in Santa Anna to do private nursing. They are domiciled at the home of Mrs. J. R. Gipson. The came primarily to nurse cases requiring special nursing in the Santa Anna hospital, but will nurse cases in town or country.

Boyd Magness visited his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Gerdes of Sinton, Texas, last week.

Prof. Roy Holt, teacher in the Brady school, was a visitor in Santa Anna Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. Ewing and children of Coleman visited Mrs. Ewing's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moore this week.

Leon Todd returned Saturday from a several weeks visit in Denver, Colo.

Miss Artie Mae Stewardson, who is attending school in Dallas spent the week-end with relatives and friends in Santa Anna and Rockwood.

Miss Ruth Laird of Novice spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Lloyd Burris of this city.

J. L. Parker of Garden City visited relatives here this week.

A. U. Weaver had business in Coleman Saturday.

Mr. Riley McFarland and Miss May Smith, north of town were united in marriage last Sunday, Rev. R. W. Oakes officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. England went to Brownwood Monday to witness a foot-ball game.

G. W. Faulkner, wife and Aubrey Childers are in Dallas this week buying goods for the S. W. Childers & Co. store.

J. L. Pope of Lamesa visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pope between trains Monday night.

Mrs. C. B. Verner and little son returned Sunday from Zephyr where they visited relatives.

Mrs. J. B. Wilson brought to the News office an inner tube she found. The owner may have same by calling and paying for this ad.

## TO BORROWERS

It is not the function of this bank to furnish a open treasure chest to all who may come.

Your confidence in us would be shaken if we did so.

We make it a point to lend aid to worthy customers of unquestioned ability to repay their obligations when due.

One of the best ways to get a borrowing footing with us is to become a depositor here.

Then when you want to supplement your funds with a loan, we will be acquainted with your resources and better able to assist you.

## THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

C. W. WOODRUFF, Cashier

The trails and paths in this town are bad enough to travel in dry weather, but oh you mud when it rains! Lets have some side walks regardless of cost.

Van E. Curtis, for the past several weeks an employee on the News, left last week with his family for Cisco, where he goes as Foreman of the Job Department of the Cisco Daily News. Chester Riggs, who hails from Mexia is now employed on the News force.

Mrs. Clem Robertson and baby returned Tuesday from a visit in Lampassas.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Edwards went to Brownwood Wednesday.

If it is any news to any of our readers, we will state that this week brought us some more rain. Just how much we would not attempt to say, but inches are too small characters to use any more in figuring depths in this country.

## Ladies---Attention!

Beginning Tomorrow, Friday November 16th, we will show an elegant line of Ladies Dresses, Coats and other Ready-To-Wear. The prices will be most reasonable for the high class Garments shown, and we very cordially invite every person who may be interested in the purchase of Dresses, Coats, Suits, etc., to call as early as possible and see these stylish garments

## Polk Bros.

## The Social Season Is Here

In our select line of High grade Jewelry you will find many useful and valuable gifts appropriate to your taste and needs.

### CLOCKS

In our line of Sessions Mahogany Clocks you will find a nice Mantle or Table Clock for the Home. I am sure these clocks will please you.

**MRS. COMER BLUE**  
Jewelry Store



We Have Some Special Prices to make this week---Also have the **BIGGEST Stock of GROCERIES** in Coleman County. Can give you anything in Groceries and Feed.

Just Come to Marshall's and we will convince you who makes the prices in Santa Anna. Everything sold on a guarantee---your money refunded if not satisfied.

## Marshall & Sons

"The Store That Makes The Prices."