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This Week in Our Town

"Those billboards advertising West Texas sure stand out," was the comment of an autoist from Dallas who stopped at the Busy Bee Cafe for a bite to eat Monday. "Make you think of what a whopping big slice of country there is out here in West Texas, and the opportunities it offers for investments or just a place to live in. I like it out here." A nice compliment on the section.

"Slowly coming along with the job of 'straightening out the highway in the eastern part of town', commented one of the filling station boys who is being moved back so the highway can be straightened and widened at the eastern edge of town. Some of the residences also are being moved back. The highway when complete will show marked improvement.

"The Santa Anna News can now announce that the dam at the new lake is finished," said Mayor Johnson at the Lion's Luncheon Tuesday. The News laid off predicting the completion date when the WPA had to tear out a section and re-tamp the dirt some weeks ago. Since then we've waited to hear the Mayor say the deed was done.

"You've passed us up every-time you carried an ad on the town closing for any special occasion," said Mrs. Carl Foster of Foster Laundry last Friday. Due to a misunderstanding of several months standing, we thought the two help yourself laundries were owned by one man, and didn't learn the difference in time to see the Fosters.

"You bet! When there is a public movement by the majority of the business men for any purpose, count us in," said Manager Williams of the Burton-Lingo Lumber Co. "My firm is desirous of co-operating with the town in every way, so you can count us in." That's public spirit. Some business men get peeved if their names are left out and others are peeved if you want to put them in. But Burton-Lingo wants to go with the town, be one of the local firms who co-operate. That's the right spirit.

"The Sunday closing law applied to my little grocery closes my cafe," said the manager of Jordan's Cafe and Grocery on East Wallis Avenue Monday. "A move to enforce the Sunday closing law," said another business man of the town, resulted from a large Coleman Grocery staying open seven days a week and another large one holding a six day week was plenty big. It was not after the small neighborhood groceries and filling station groceries that serve the traveling public—but it worked out that way.

"He's planning on having a telephone installed at the NYA building," said a speaker at the Lions' luncheon Tuesday, referring to the cellahoy of the Grand Mojud, and his efforts to far loose from that station in life. "Hope Jawge charges him too much," commented someone a few seats north on the opposite side of the table.

"The membership is limited," we were informed when asking about the small group congregating in the northeast corner of the Service Cafe every day. "The Aw Gee Whizz Club is restricted to the elite of those who hold the sidewalks and curbs down on sunny days and you and other white collar boys are not eligible." This would have been the "Spit and Whittle Club", but Chef Donham disarms the boys and takes their whittle sticks away from them when they come in, so they can only warm themselves and gaze pensively at the passersby.

"Well, if the Ford and Chevy people don't want to re-open their sub-agencies here, we can ask the Brownwood dealers to do it," commented a citizen Saturday when the number of vacant buildings in town was being discussed by a small group. "We folks still live here in Santa Anna in sufficient numbers to justify a sub-agency. We may (Continued on Page 2)

Electric Equipment For Farms to Show At Coleman Dec. 4-5

The big REA Farm Equipment Show is set for Monday and Tuesday, December 4 and 5. The big tent will go up on the fields of the Mrs. W. L. Gould farm 1 1/2 miles south of the Coleman County courthouse on Monday afternoon and everything will be in order for the first evening program at 7:30.

As the big tent is going up, the smaller tents will be pitched—tents for the lunch stand, a workroom, tents to hold the manufacturer's exhibits. House-trailers will move into place, open exhibits prepare for demonstration, while the tour's feed mills, shellers, elevators, ensilage cutters, pumps and motors and other equipment is being uncrated and put in readiness for wholesale operation next morning.

The big Farm Equipment Show, with its tents and its truck loads of equipment and its skilled personnel, is following the season from North to South, with showings in eight states. It is brought here thru the co-operation of the Extension Service, the REA farm electric equipment manufacturers and the Coleman County Electric Co-op and the neighboring Co-op in McCulloch County.

Economics

When the third quarter earnings reports of major industrial corporations first began appearing it looked as if the improvement in business had measured up to the rather optimistic estimates, made in the spring by most economists. Now that all the reports are out, it is evident that the improvement even exceeded the hopes of the most sanguine.

The National City Bank of New York has made a survey of the earnings of 320 important industrial concerns engaged in every field of activity. These companies had third quarter net profits of \$201,000,000—almost double the \$104,000,000 made in the same period last year. And their income for the first nine months, totaling \$589,000,000, was more than 98 per cent better than the \$296,000,000 earned as net in the first three quarters of 1938. Only two industrial groups (coal mining and auto makers other than General Motors) showed deficits for the first nine months this year, where nine groups reported losses last year. In some cases, improvement was almost startling. Where, for instance, the auto equipment people had a deficit of \$3,500,000 for the first nine months of last year, they made a net of \$13,258,000 this year. And U. S. Steel turned a \$12,150,000 deficit into a \$12,391,000 profit.

There was naturally wide variation in the degree of improvement experienced by the various industries reported. The capital goods industries were generally among the leaders. Auto, aircraft, paper, textiles and chemicals were also well to the top. Gains made by food concerns were smaller, and oil company profits were actually less than in the 1938 period. The utilities, including the railroads, power and communication companies, improved, but more modestly by comparison with manufacturing industry at large.

Taking the 320 companies as a whole, net profits were at the annual rate of return of 7.5 per cent of net worth. Nineteen-thirty-eight return was at the rate of 3.7 per cent. And this isn't all there is to the encouraging story today's business figures are telling. The third quarter improvement was practically unaffected by war buying—few concerns were able to fulfill war orders before the end of September, when the quarter closed. So the universally held outlook is that the final quarter will materially exceed the third, in production, profits, employment gains and everything else. In October, for instance, the Federal Reserve Board index of industrial production hit 120—and in booming 1929 its average was only 123. This doesn't mean that profits are comparably that

Norther With Some Rain Sweeps Over the Heart o' Texas

This section of West Texas is getting a valuable slow-soaking rain accompanied by a cold wave this week. Farmers and ranchers are wearing broad smiles and feeling prosperous as a good season is stored in the soil and it look like stook tanks will be filled soon.

The gauge of sufficient rainfall in the range country of West Texas is full water tanks, sufficient to carry the cattle through several months of dry weather.

Lions District Meet To Be Held In Santa Anna December 8th

The Lions Clubs of this district will gather in Santa Anna on December 8th for the regular District Meeting. Two committees, one on arrangements and the other entertainment, are working to make the event of interest to all Lions attending.

Orville Cox, District Governor, advises he will not be able to attend. Cox is a member of the law firm of Strickland, Ewers & Wilkins of Mission.

11,021 APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED

Operators of more than eleven thousand Texas wheat farms have no fear of drought, pestilence or other disasters in 1940 because they know they will harvest more than five million bushels of wheat come what may.

With nearly all applications for 1940 all-risk wheat crop insurance audited, E. R. Duke, state crop insurance supervisor, reports 11,024 applications accepted, insuring the production of 5,423,852 bushels of wheat on 853,732 acres. Premium payments on this insurance totaled 1,129,403 bushels, the equivalent of \$712,370 in cash, he said.

Nearly three times as many policies were taken out this year as were signed last year. Duke said, with most policies covering 75 per cent of production, the maximum offered, but with a few covering only 50 per cent.

With indemnity payments for 1939 almost complete, Duke reports 2,353 claims have been paid, totaling 1,020,929 bushels or the cash equivalent of \$535,724. Last year 3,691 policies were in force.

"The increased use of wheat crop insurance this year certainly proves its success," Charles Thomas, State Agricultural Conservation Association committee man from Pampa declared. "Many farmers sat by and watched the operations of crop insurance last year, because they weren't sure it would work. And many of them regret their refusal to take out insurance. The drought got them, but they were among the first in line this year."

BANGS BOY WINS SANTA FE TRIP

Talmadge McClatchy, Bangs 4-H club boy, is one of five boys in the 19-county Extension Service District No. 7 who have been awarded free all-expense trips to Chicago by the Santa Fe railroad.

The Texas 4-H boys who have won projects will depart for Chicago from Fort Worth on Thursday, Nov. 30. Only one boy from each county was eligible to receive the award. Young McClatchy won his trip to Chicago as a result of his baby beef feeding projects. He had been an outstanding exhibitor of baby heaves in the Brown County Boys Fat-Stock show.

Note the date after your name on your paper. It tells when your paper is paid up to.

close to the '29 peak—they are far from it, due largely to lower prices and higher wages and taxes. But they are going up rapidly, and the experts seem to think they won't be checked unless widespread, unlooked for labor disputes should occur.

Coleman Co. News Briefs

Cross Plains came back in the third and fourth quarters to defeat Coleman, 19 to 13 at Cross Plains Friday night after Coleman was leading 13 to 6 at the end of the half.

Indications that all places of business not legally open in the city of Coleman on Sundays would be closed on that day in the future were seen in a statement issued by County Attorney W. B. Baker. Several of the city's merchants, chiefly owners of suburban grocery stores volunteered to close their places on Sundays. County Attorney Baker said the Sunday closing law would be enforced effective Sunday, November 26.

Changes in the Agricultural Adjustment Administration program for 1940 will be explained in a series of 15 meetings to be held over Coleman County during the week of December 3, according to an announcement made by County Agent C. V. Robinson. The general agricultural situation will be discussed at the same time.

With five of the first group of six residences recently constructed on Miami Street in the city of Coleman, already sold, Ray Gilliam, builder, has let contract for the construction of another house on the same street and plans to build three more per month until the demand is satisfied, he says.

Organization of the Coleman Community Chest was completed at a meeting of citizens last week. The purpose of the organization is to aid the needy persons of Coleman. Later, it conditions warrant such a change, the set-up may be made county wide in nature.

All persons who are interested in a farm on which peanuts will be grown in 1940 should see that such farm is covered by a worksheet, according to ACA officials. This will apply only to those farms that were not covered by a worksheet in 1939.

More than 300 applications for soil conservation payments have been mailed by County Agent C. V. Robinson's office in Coleman and others are to be mailed. Preference is being given to those persons who earned all of their soil conservation payments last year. The other applications will be mailed later.

Union Thanksgiving services were held in Coleman at 7 a. m. Thursday. Dr. Karl Moore, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Brownwood delivered the Thanksgiving sermon at the First Christian Church.

Last rites for J. W. Conway, 50—resident of Coleman until two weeks ago, but a citizen of Yuma, Ariz., at the time of his death, were held Monday at the South Baptist Church with the Rev. E. K. Sheppard, pastor, officiating. Interment at Grosvenor with Mead Undertakers in charge. Survivors are his widow and the following children: Imogene, Ola Fae and Bonnie Rae, and William Thomas, all who reside a few miles south of Coleman; Lee Roy, Fisk; and Mrs. Lonnie L. Mow, Coleman, two sisters, and two brothers.

Funeral for Andrew Jackson Riley, 63, Coleman county resident since 1929, was held at the Coleman Church of Christ Sunday afternoon with Minister Paul L. Wallace officiating. Burial in Coleman cemetery. He had been engaged in the dairy and truck-farming businesses. Survivors include, his widow; one son, V. P. Riley; Bangs; three daughters, Mrs. Lucille Hughes, Coleman, Mrs. A. T. Williams, Doole and Mrs. William Myers, Odessa; and seven brothers.

Accompanied by Coach Cullen Perry, members of the Mozelle high school football team Saturday attended the Southern Methodist University-Baylor University football game in Dallas.

A \$50,000 bond issue, which, (Continued on Page 2)

Most Businesses in Santa Anna Closing For Thanksgiving

In line with agreements made last week practically all business establishments of the city closed for Thanksgiving observance. Only cafes, filling stations, theatres and amusement parlors were not asked to close. Meat markets and the post office opened for an hour to serve the requirements of the public.

Santa Anna business people have a record for properly observing holidays. The synthetic Thanksgiving on the 23rd was observed by the post office and federal agencies only.

Christmas Season To Officially Open On Wed., Dec. 6th.

After first setting Friday, Dec. 1 as the date for officially opening the Christmas Season in the city, the committee, faced with a number of problems, changed the date to Wednesday, Dec. 6. Entertainment features, displays of merchandise, and old Santa Claus with a bag of candies for the children will be some of the features of the opening evening, 7 p. m. of the 6th, and for the kiddies' sales, don't fail to attend.

BROWNWOOD PRODUCT IS BEING DISTRIBUTED

Introduced outside Brownwood for the first time during the past season, a new product is now being sold in 200 stores within 100 mile radius of Brownwood, and the distribution will be extended next year to include most of Texas. The product is "Black Death," a livestock medicine. The formula was discovered by C. M. Hallum and distribution has been handled by R. K. Hallum. "Black Death" kills screw worms and fleece worms on sheep. It contains no carbolic, chloroform or cresote derivative and does not burn an animal when applied around the eyes or to other tender portions of the animal's body.

WPA CUT MAY BE PERMANENT

There appeared little hope of the WPA dismissals being relieved by the federal government at any time soon.

About 10 per cent of the workers certified to WPA jobs are still going off the rolls each month, and unless some means of re-certifying them is secured, it is estimated WPA rolls will be halved in six or eight months, and all workers will be out in a year and a half.

WOOL SALE IN MENARD BREAKS QUIET

Quiet that has prevailed over the fall wool market for several weeks was broken last week by the sale of 16,000 pounds purchased by A. S. Baker of Walker & Co., Inc., at 30 cents a pound. The deal was made through the J. R. Smart warehouse in Menard for the Ector Wilkinson clip which was practically all lamb wool, Mr. Baker said.

Junior Culture Club Hears Book Review

Misses Edith Verne Stevens and Maurice Kirkpatrick were hostesses to the Junior Culture Club at the S. D. Harper home Tuesday night. The program feature was a review of Nora Wain's "Reaching for the Stars," given by Miss Elsie Lee Harper.

Refreshments carrying out the Thanksgiving theme, were served to the following members: Misses Marie Blewett, Out-da Casey, Ruby Harper, Mattie Ella McCreary, Elsie Lee Harper, Florence Niell, Eunice Wheeler, Cody Wallace, Louise Purdy and the hostesses.

Cotton marketing quotas are intended to keep supplies in line with demand and to protect cooperators against the effect of overplanting by non-cooperators.

Patronize Santa Anna merchants.

Low Turkey Tariff Plan For Argentine Trade Is Protested

Turkey producers this week were looking forward with interest to the outcome of a protest filed by State Agriculture Commissioner J. E. McDonald, against inclusion of turkeys as an item of trade preference in a proposed reciprocal trade agreement with the Republic of Argentina.

McDonald, who personally delivered the protest to the State Department, said it is the opinion of interested parties in Texas that a lowered tariff on the birds imported from Argentine would damage production and prices here.

"If we are to judge the future by the past we may naturally anticipate a marked increase in the volume of turkey production in Texas and we can see no equity in a proposition that would have as its final result partial destruction of an industry of being thereby resulting in the closing of some of our turkey dressing plants, throwing many persons out of employment and forcing the farmers of the state to yield a profitable industry on the upward trend of foreign producers."

Oil Briefs

Despite the discovery of several new oil pools there has been a decrease in the country's production according to figures released last week by State Comptroller George Sheppard.

In 1938 Coleman County produced a total of 379,522 barrels whereas 359,815 barrels have been produced in the county in 1939. Coleman was one of the 19 counties in the State to show a decrease in production. There were about 29 counties in the State to show an increase, the total for the West Texas area being 1,722,798 barrels.

States Oil Corporation et al. No. 1 J. P. Morris, extending the Novice pool's Strawn Sand production a mile and one location flowed 75 barrels of oil an hour for two hours of the first gauge it has been given. The outcrop twice before had thrown oil high above the derrick. It was opened up Monday after a 16-hour shut-in for cleaning out to take a railroad commission potential gauge.

A shot with 40 quarts at 3,574 to 3,598 feet, the well bled over at 3,570. Total depth is 3,601 feet with 27 feet of Gardner sand saturation.

Location is 2,240 feet from the south and 330 feet from the east lines of the J. P. Stone survey No. 6 near Novice in northwestern Coleman county.

WILLIS AND PONTIAC AUTO AGENCY IS LOCATED HERE

The B & C Auto Company, with S. E. McCaskey as manager, announces its opening here in Santa Anna this week. Their opening advertisements covers used cars, of which they offer a few good bargains worth your attention.

The new firm is located in the building formerly occupied by the Dick West agency, on East Wallis.

RECREATION NEWS

With A. H. Shuffield leading, the best singing we have ever had was held at the Recreation hall Thursday night. Following the singing the San Saba String Band, directed by A. L. Lewellen, entertained with music.

A hundred and twenty-five people were present including Miss Grace Wilhoit, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Miss Lawes and others from Coleman. We invite these visitors and any other people interested in music to attend any of our singings.

The Santa Anna Recreation Center will be open Friday and Saturday after closing one day for Thanksgiving.

If cotton farmers in the United States didn't plant a single cotton seed in 1940, the present supply of 26,000,000 bales would be ample for normal consumption needs, since demand is expected to be around 12,000,000 bales annually.

Heart o' Texas News Briefs

Traffic signals are to be installed at four street intersections in Brady where traffic is unusually heavy.

A list of 140 Texas counties which will receive special WPA drought work relief quotas in Texas totaling 8,000 farm workers does not include Brown county. The list was announced by H. P. Drought, WPA administrator for Texas. This in spite of the fact that the rainfall for Brownwood vicinity during the first 10 months of 1939 amounted to 19.16 inches, far below the annual average of 26.67 inches.

Agents of the Brownwood Irrigation District will leave Dec. 5 on a four day tour of various Texas irrigation projects during which they will study methods and practices.

In the 375-acre peach orchard of H. G. Lucas, one of the largest orchards in the Southwest, the fruiting and packing crews are busy now. The 1939 harvest, Mr. Lucas estimates, will be about 70,000 pounds and means the 375-acre orchard will produce about 70,000 pounds of peaches this year. No comparison with last year's crop can be made because of frost, which in 1938, and the topkilling of many trees in the orchard, caused production to be only 10,000 pounds. In a normal year the 45-year-old Lucas orchard will produce 100,000 pounds of peaches. There are 2700 trees in the orchard, 600 of them budded varieties.

Brownwood people raised \$458 for the Red Cross during the annual roll call, presided by G. P. McKay, county health chairman.

The work on the new laboratory building at the Texas highway department division office in Brownwood probably will be started within two weeks. Contract for the construction was awarded to an Amarillo company by the state highway commission several weeks ago. A \$600,000 building to house laboratory equipment for testing soils, concrete and other building materials will be used in highway work.

Two Brownwood boys have been sent to the reformatory at Gatesville as a result of investigation of burglaries in that city. The two sixteen-year-old boys and a fifteen-year-old were arrested and tried for delinquency. The younger kid was paroled to his mother.

Seven hundred fifty pounds of seed per acre was obtained from a two-acre seed multiplication plot of Hubam clover this year by T. W. Odger, Brown county farmer. A present market price for it would be a return of \$60 per acre.

WPA work started on a 5-mile stretch of highway in Rimmels county, from Winters west, last Monday morning. The project will keep 33 men employed for a period of four months and will cost WPA and Rimmels county a total of \$18,512.

Thirty-nine Brownwood boys are working in miniature floats to enter in Children's Day Santa Claus Parade on the 9th inst., with the deadline extended to Tuesday, Dec. 5th, 4 P. M. and fifteen more start Friday on a number of merchants' floats. Committees representing chamber of commerce, BPW club and service clubs are soliciting additional floats or contributions. A fee of \$5 is made on entries. Arrangements are being made for all school children in the county to take part in the parade and attend free picture shows at the Queen and Gem Theatres and receive souvenir gifts.

County and home demonstration agents of District 7 are to meet in Brownwood for a two-day conference on Dec. 4-5 with agents expected from 19 counties.

The new \$80,000 bridge over Brady creek in the north part of Brady was opened to traffic this week. The old bridge was washed away in the July, 1938 floods. The bridge was accepted (Continued on Page 2)

Accused Slayer of Comanche Pair Is Held Sane by Jury

Henry Haynes, 23, was declared sane Monday by a jury.

The farm hand indicted for murder in the slaying of his grandmother, Mrs. Martha McGuire, 79, is scheduled to go to trial this week.

His mother, Mrs. Jessie L. Haynes, of Tyler, testified she thought her son was insane. She said he had suffered from "spells" since he fell out of a chair as a baby.

Haynes' father, the mother testified, died in an institution at Rusk, and the farmer helper's maternal grandmother in a San Antonio institution.

Comanche County health officer, Dr. C. W. Gray, testified Haynes was sane.

Haynes, wearing a suit carried from the burning house of Mrs. McGuire on Oct. 23, appeared unconcerned in court.

He came to court wearing a broad-brimmed hat which, he said, had been worn by his uncle, J. B. Haynes, 58, whose charred body was found in the ruins of the McGuire home along with that of Mrs. McGuire.

Sheriff Wild Spivey said that Haynes made a statement admitting slugging his grandmother and uncle and setting the house afire.

In 1938 and 1939 more than 84 percent of the farmers voting all over the South favored cotton marketing quotas. In Texas 78 percent favored quotas last year.

Rockwood News

YELLOW JACKET BANQUET
The Rockwood Pep Squad sponsored by Miss Elizabeth Richardson and Miss Myrtle Tate, honored the football team with a banquet Saturday evening, November 25 at the high school auditorium.

The school colors, black and gold, were emphasized in the table decorations. Bowls of gold and bronze chrysanthemums with miniature football fields were used as centerpieces. Gold candles, surrounded by autumn leaves were used also.

The astronomical idea was the theme of the program.

The menu consisted of fruit cocktail, salad, waters, baked chicken, giblet gravy, dressing, sautitake potatoes, buttered peas, cranberry jelly, hot rolls, butter, pickles, jello, cake and coffee. Supt. W. T. Bowers was toastmaster.

Those present were: James Stafford, Jake McCreary, Jr., Joe Will, Fowler, Joe Wesley

Wise, James Hunter, J. E. Williams, R. C. Williams, Joe Andy Hodges, Billy Ashmore, Talmadge Caldwell, Jean Trotter, Ardis Caldwell, Travis King, Douglas Estes, Clifton Bryan, Wendell Rutherford, Misses Sue McCreary, Faye Tisdell, Minta Jane Hall, Doris Lovelady, Alma McSwain, Marjorie Ruth King, Edna Arnold, Maxine McCreary, Margaret Bryan, Lucille McIntire, Billie Ruth Estes, Jamie Stafford, Babelyne Holland, Mary Lou Sparks, Neita Ashmore, Fannie Mae Rutherford, Bobbie June Wise, Lillian French, Mary Frances Herring, Clea Faye Smith, Louise Estes, Charlotte Johnson, Louise Hun-

ter, Emily Johnson, Dorothy McSwain, Jacquelin Lovelady, Fern McCreary, Barney Ashmore, Wanda Woods, Sammie McIlvain, Frances Stafford, Ira Earle Walters, Elton Bultry, Supt. and Mrs. W. T. Bowers, Cora Dowers, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Terry, Mrs. A. S. Hart, Misses Elizabeth Richardson, Myrtle Tate, and Curtis Gregory.

ROCKWOOD P. T. A.

The Rockwood P. T. A. met in regular session Monday night, Nov. 27, with Mrs. Demby Wise, president in the chair. The house was called to order and a very interesting Thanksgiving program was presented by Miss Gregory's room, with Billie Velma Wise as leader. After the program all business was discussed and disposed of and a report of committees was given. Especially interesting were the reports of the treasurer and the finance committee. The school deserves commendation on the splendid way that it is handling the financial situation in regard to athletic school equipment, etc.

Games were enjoyed followed by refreshments of cherry pie with whipped cream and coffee served to 34 members and 19 school children. Mrs. Miller Box, Mrs. Bostick and Miss Curtis Gregory were hostesses.

The next meeting will be Dec. 11. Miss Mc Gregors room will present a program at that time. Everyone is urged to come.

This Week ...

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have to get an Angelo dealer to raise Cain and come in here to make good," added a second critic. Since then a Willys deal-

er has come to town. Maybe the other dealers will wake up now.

"Whats the matter that you quit carrying local theatre programs?" asked a local professional man at the Lions' luncheon Tuesday noon. "I see the Lyric at Brownwood advertises with you. They wouldn't do so if it didn't pay, and it's worth ten times as much to the local man to advertise," he continued when informed that The News believed in the American plan of advertising. The Brownwood theatre finds advertising profitable over here.

County Briefs ...

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with a \$30,000 reserve, will be used to improve the Coleman electric light plant was voted there Tuesday. The bonds carried, 235 to 3.

Mozelle high school's fourth annual boys' basketball tournament is to be held at the Mozelle gymnasium on Friday and Saturday, Dec. 8 and 9, according to Supt. O. C. Cook. All teams in this section are invited to enter. Play will be by Interscholastic rules.

Methods to be used in determining the boys' county basketball championship will be decided at a meeting of the county's basketball coaches at Coleman Monday night, according to Supt. Cook of Mozelle high school, athletic director for the Coleman County Interscholastic League.

Invitations have been mailed by Coach Herman Gipson for the invitation basketball tournament at Melvin Dec. 15-16.

Heart o' Texas ...

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ed recently by the highway department. Plaques bearing the data on the bridge have been placed in concrete rail posts at both ends of the bridge.

More than three-fourths of the brick work on the new Howard Payne physical education building is completed. Construction schedule calls for completion of the building early in January. The building will be dedicated during the annual Homecoming.

A new Brownwood manufacturing firm will be in next year's manufacturers' show. It is the Ni-Tex Products company, makers of King Corn Chips, a confection and breakfast food. M. E. Neiswanger is head of the firm.

To assist in the administration of relief work, which has become acute due to the slashing of WPA rolls, a committee was named to aid Miss McClue, Brady welfare chairman, by the civic and federated clubs and churches of that city.

Coaches Russ Holland and Lewis Kauffman and their proteges, the Brady Bulldogs, who last week marked up their third district football championship in a row, were honor guests at the Rotary Club meeting Tuesday.

Two hundred forty one McCulloch county farmers received AAA checks this week totaling \$47,875 from Uncle Sam. These farmers participated in the 1939 Agricultural Conservation Program.

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Santa Anna's Christmas Opening

Wednesday, December 6

7:00 p.m.

YOU ARE INVITED to come to Santa Anna Wednesday, Dec. 6 at 7:00 P. M. for the Formal Opening of the Christmas Season, when Merchants will have on display the latest in Holiday goods, gifts, wear, etc. Never has the American people had reason to make more joyous the Yuletide than they have this year, and with the conclusion of the Thanksgiving Holidays, thoughts turn to the greater and more heartsome days before us. A program of entertainment is being given attention to the end that not only may your visit here be of financial advantage but pleasurable as well. Merchants are preparing to give you the best Christmas shopping opportunity right here at home that you have ever had. So come out to the Opening, inspect the displays and hear what has been planned for the balance of the season. Tell your friends — come and bring the family.



SANTA CLAUS IS TO BE PRESENT TO MEET THE CHILDREN AND WILL HAVE LOTS OF SWEETS FOR THEM - SO BRING THEM ALL TO MEET SANTA.

THE FOLLOWING BUSINESS MEN AND FIRMS OF SANTA ANNA INVITE YOU TO ATTEND THE CHRISTMAS OPENING:

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- Jones - Stephenson
- Ragsdale Bakery
- Coleman Gas & Oil Co.
- Santa Anna Ice Co.
- Monroe Produce
- Jordans' Grocery
- W H. Hudgins
- Shoe Hospital
- Dennis Hays Grocery
- Burriss Dry Goods
- Wilson Laundry
- Santa Anna Gas Co.
- W. R. Kelley & Co.
- Phillip's Drug

War

Neutral military authorities are extremely skeptical of the persistent rumors to the effect that the big German push against the Allies will be thru Belgium, Holland or Switzerland. Their doubts are based on tactical, not moral reasons. A large part of Holland, for instance, can be flooded (a step which has already been taken on a limited scale) to a depth of about five or six feet, which would make the going impossible for either mechanized equipment or sizable boats. The Swiss have their natural defense of great mountains which have been fortified on a big scale — and the Swiss alpine troops are supposed to be unequalled. And all three countries are in far better shape to resist invasion now than they were in 1914. A German attack against them, say the experts, would inevitably result in terrific losses — and make the exhausted army that finally came through, an easy prey for fresh, waiting French and English.

Far more likely, the experts continue, is the supposition that Hitler plans to make his big push, if and when he does, above the clouds and beneath the waves. So far, the gigantic German air force has hardly shown a wing. Those in the know say that German naval establishments are able to turn out two or three U-boats monthly. If the Germans have any military supremacy over the Allies, it is in these two fields — and it is certainly reasonable to expect that the submarine and the bombing plane, rather than artillery and infantry, will carry German hopes. Recent reports to this theory. They say most of the U-boats have been called home, and the planes grounded. Deduction is that ships and planes are being refitted and reconditioned for a possible big drive against Allied shipping and Allied ports, cities and manufacturing centers.

In the meantime, Allied war buying has started here, with planes most in demand, as everyone expected. The plane makers are working 24 hours a day, are planning ambitious expansion projects. And they are getting highly profitable prices for what they turn out. The American planes for the most part seem to compare well with what Europe can produce — with the exception of certain "secret" ships manufactured in small quantity by both sides of which fabulous performance tales are told.

The public at large seems to be somewhat puzzled by the slothfulness with which the war proceeds. Remembering 1914, when hostilities on a tremendously bloody scale started very soon after the declaration of war, the bulk of lay observers are wondering why history does not repeat itself.

To the military experts, that is less of a puzzle. For, they argue, sensible English and French strategy calls for a defensive war in which men and resources are carefully conserved — in other words, a war of blockade. The British navy pretty well controls the seas, and few ships reach Germany. Allied authorities are convinced that Russia is not proving of much help to the Reich as a provider of essential supplies. For one thing, Russia has none too much of most commodities for the needs of her own vast population. And recent Russian pronouncements indicate that, in spite of the alliances, she is not a real friend of Germany's — that she regards both sides as being about equally at fault.

It has seemed logical to expect a large-scale German offensive — time works with the Allies. But if Germany shot the works in one desperate effort, and it failed, as most experts think it would, she would be through. One school of thought has it that matters will drag along comparatively slowly until both sides become sick of it,

when some sort of a peace will be effected.

Washington

By James Preston

Farm Power is becoming a definite factor in war planning.

The phrase "farm power" is seldom used. The economists employ a more intriguing phrase: "Economic Power."

In the days of small, professional armies, economic or farm power was not so important. But now that whole nations go on a mobilized basis farm power becomes all important.

The key to farm power is this: It is the percentage of population required to produce food for the total population. In either peace or war a nation must feed itself first. Napoleon summed this situation in his terse remark that "an army marches on its stomach."

Here are some figures on economic power.

In the U. S. it requires only 20 per cent of the population to feed 100 per cent of the whole nation. (And at this 20 per cent frequently produces too much.)

In Russia it takes 80 per cent to feed 100 per cent.

In Italy 55 per cent feeds 100 per cent.

In England-France 40 per cent feeds 100 per cent.

In Germany about 35 per cent feeds 100 per cent.

These figures have been compiled by a prominent Washington economist who points out that in considering the percent required to feed the whole, two factors must be remembered; the percentage must include the number required to produce the actual food and also the number required to produce the cost of imports necessary to supplement domestic production.

In England the production percentage has gone up. While labor leaders probably hold a contrary view, economists argue that restrictions imposed by union labor regulations are the cause.

The production figures also indicate that Russia can give little aid to Germany.

Public conception of the two-ocean navy is different from what naval experts want.

Naval plans do not contemplate two actual fleets; that is one for the Pacific and a separate fleet for the Atlantic. The naval men want one fleet sufficiently strong to meet any combination of fighting craft which might be brought against them in either ocean.

One big reason for one fleet is that a divided fleet often leads to disaster. Then too, the Navy is afraid of local pride and local fear. For example, with war going on in Europe the Atlantic coast states might raise an awful protest against transfer of the Atlantic fleet to the Pacific if trouble developed there.

Take Czarist Russia. The Czar had a Far East fleet, a Baltic fleet and a Black Sea fleet. But the Japs sank the Far East fleet before the Baltic fleet arrived

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and then sank the Baltic fleet when it showed up. The combined Far East and Baltic fleets most probably could have whipped the Japs.

In a recent case before the Supreme Court, the Chief Justice asked the general counsel of the National Labor Relations Board if there were any examples of actual domination by employers of unions after an independent union representation plan was revised. The Labor Board counsel said that there were no such instances in the court record but the Labor Board believed that the plan held the seeds of company domination. In other words, a government agency, the Labor Board, is now suspecting employers will violate a law they have not violated.

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Leedy News

By Dorothy McClure

Mr. and Mrs. Deal and family of Rockwood visited Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Deal and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Switzer and Mr. and Mrs. Drennon of Santa Anna visited Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Hill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Fletcher visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thiipen Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McClure and Dorothy visited Mr. and Mrs. Noble Carpenter of Love Hill community last Thursday night.

Miss Lucille Newman visited Sunday with Miss Earnestine England of Plainview community.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Kingsbery and family visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pool of Coleman Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. U. J. McClure and Dorothy were callers in the B. H. McClure and J. M. Rouse homes Sunday night.

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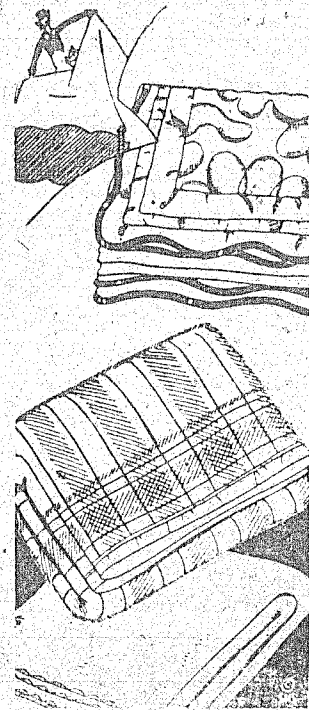
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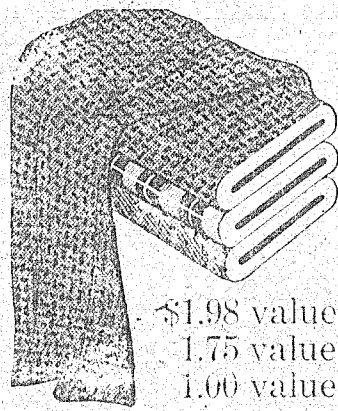
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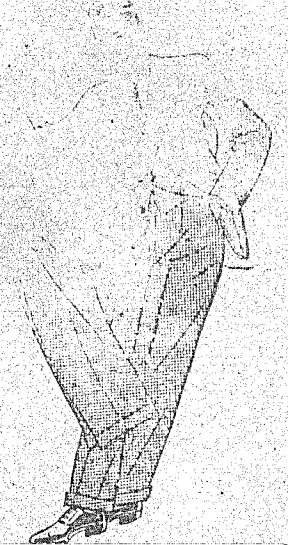
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Editorial

The public has no idea of the enormous amount of free advertising business houses and individuals ask, demand and urge from the news papers every day in the year. It is not only graft concerns that try to get free space but even the big manufacturers, the big auto concerns, and the big manufacturers of the nation and big magazines like the Good Housekeeping and other magazines send out long illustrated stories to secure more sales to many newspapers--the big advertisements sent free of charge for the prize sucker the editor to run free of charge. Like other suckers well for it for a time. Now the manufacturers of electric farm equipment check it up to the REA co-ops to get all the free advertising possible for them. The REA co-ops members have given some space. The West Texas business spends a lot of money with us and asks for only a few advertising stories, which we gladly give. The national manufacturers demand some hundred more dollars of free advertising in the weekly newspapers and spend with them-- Only thru editors' opinion of local REA people get any free space at least in this paper. The one thing the manufacturers another.

The schools of Alabama became \$355,639 richer the other day. The Alabama Power Company handed a check in that amount to the tax officials at Montgomery. The check was in payment of the company's hydro-electric kilowatt-hour tax, and all of it, under the law, will be devoted to educational purposes. The state's 67 counties will participate. This payment is but part of the company's total taxes for 1939, which are estimated at over \$3,000,000. In Tennessee the TVA has monopoly of the electric business. The TVA does not pay the taxes assessed other citizens and industry in the state. It gives fixed sums "in lieu of taxes" which are insignificant when compared to the taxes paid by the private companies. The municipal systems, which use TVA power are also in the parasitic tax-exempt class. Today the people of Tennessee must make up the millions in taxes formerly paid by the private utilities there. All over this country, at tax-payment time, the private power utilities write checks running

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An authority on agricultural marketing cooperation, in discussing the recent violent labor disorders in the New York milk shed, said: "If cooperatives do their job well enough, keep on the alert to meet these radical movements, or better yet, keep one jump ahead of them, agriculture can keep its balance and get its rightful share of the national income. Whether farmers will accept these cooperatives and stick by them through thick and thin in preference to the radical leadership that's being offered them when emergencies come along, depends largely upon how well our cooperatives keep on their toes." Among the thinking farmers, the various radical movements have made little progress. But there is a minority of shortsighted farmers who are only too eager to leap at the frail straws the radicals hold out. It is these farmers that the marketing cooperatives and all other sound and established agricultural movements must largely address themselves. And they have plenty to talk about--their whole history is one of constant achievement in the interest of producer and consumer alike. It's a safe bet that once the American farmer gets all the evidence, he can be trusted to make a rational choice.

Nearly \$1,000,000 a day is paid by the railroads in taxes for maintenance of government in this country. And upwards of 20 percent of that daily amount goes toward support of local and state governments. In 1938, taxes paid to the latter governmental units by the railroads totaled over \$244,000,000 of the \$243,000,000 tax bill to all branches of government. Out of each dollar of railroad net earnings, 40.41 cents was taken by taxes last year, the highest ratio for any year since 1920. There is too little public realization of the influence of private industry's tax payments in maintaining our traditional, decentralized form of democratic government. The bulk of railroad taxes contribute, in

concrete form, to the sovereignty of local government, something which this country needs today more than ever before. If states and municipalities lose such legitimate sources of income as the railroads, they will become paupers on the doorstep of a bureaucratic central government. State's rights must have more than lip service. They have to be supported, by cold cash, from a source which seeks nothing in return except the right to exist. Too many fail to realize that every industry operated by private citizens, is a great bulwark against forces which tend to circumscribe our liberties. The railroads are good paying citizens. They should be allowed the full rights of citizenship--equal opportunity (with other forms of transportation), a fair profit and a reasonable degree of operating freedom.

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The interest in the Library is on the increase now that we have a full time librarian once more.

The star item to report this week is a donation of 47 books from Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Jeffreys, newcomers. Now isn't that just fine? Also Mrs. Theo. Kirkpatrick has donated three books Mrs. Jim Harris, four and Mrs. Eileen Shield, 4. All of these are very much appreciated.

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NO. 5979-B In the 119th Judicial District Court of Texas

H. C. GLENN, RECEIVER FOR TEMPLE TRUST COMPANY vs PEEBLES MAIN CIGAR COMPANY ET AL.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF COLEMAN COUNTY--GREETING YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON PEEBLES MAIN CIGAR COMPANY, a defunct corporation, and the unknown stockholders of said PEEBLES MAIN CIGAR COMPANY, HILLS BROS. COFFEE COMPANY, and INVESTMENT FINANCE CORPORATION, a defunct corporation, and the unknown stockholders of said INVESTMENT FINANCE CORPORATION, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Coleman County, 119th Judicial District of Texas, to be holden at the Courthouse thereof in the town of Coleman, on the second Monday in January, 1940, the same being the 8th day of said month then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 6th day of November, A. D. 1939, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 5979-B, wherein H. C. Glenn, as Receiver for Temple Trust Company is plaintiff and PEEBLES MAIN CIGAR COMPANY, a corporation, and the unknown stockholders of said PEEBLES MAIN CIGAR COMPANY, HILLS BROS. COFFEE COMPANY, a corporation, and the unknown stockholders of said HILLS BROS. COFFEE COMPANY, and INVESTMENT FINANCE CORPORATION, a corporation, and the unknown stockholders of said INVESTMENT FINANCE CORPORATION, are defendants, said petition alleging that plaintiff is lawfully seized

and possessed of the following described land and premises, lying and being situated in Coleman County, Texas, to-wit:

All of Lots Numbers One (1) Two (2), Three (3), Four (4), Five (5) and Six (6) in Block Number One (1) of E. M. Whitaker's subdivision of a part of Block Twenty-two (22) of R. J. Clow's Second Addition (farm) to the town of Coleman, Coleman County, Texas.

All of Lot Number Five (5) in Block Number Three (3) of E. M. Whitaker's Subdivision of a part of Block Twenty-two (22) of R. J. Clow's, Second Addition (farm) to the town of Coleman, Coleman County, Texas.

owning and holding the same in fee simple. That on November 1, 1930, E. M. Whitaker and wife executed to Temple Trust Company a valid mortgage on the real estate above described to secure a principal indebtedness of \$3000.00, and that they defaulted in the payment of said indebtedness and on April, 24, 1936, said parties conveyed said real-estate above described to plaintiff herein in consideration of the cancellation of the indebtedness; that at the time said conveyance was so executed the indebtedness greatly exceeded the value of the property, and the said E. M. Whitaker and wife had no equity therein; that said PEEBLES MAIN CIGAR COMPANY, a corporation, Hills Bros. Coffee Company, a corporation, and INVESTMENT FINANCE CORPORATION, a corporation, after the mortgage in favor of Temple Trust Company was placed of record, recovered judgments against the said E. M. Whitaker and caused abstracts thereof to be made

and placed of record in Coleman County, which cast clouds upon plaintiff's title to said property above described, and that said corporations and each of them are now defunct.

Plaintiff prays that the judgment liens recovered in favor of said defendants herein be cancelled and removed as clouds upon his title to said property, and that he be quieted in the title thereto, and for special and general relief.

HEREIN FAIL NOT but have you before said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

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EDITORIAL

We are still celebrating the sincere thanksgiving that the Pilgrims gave to God on that glorious day in November of 1621 after their first great harvest in America. We cannot feel the true and honest thanks as the Pilgrims did, because we do not have to suffer the cold and hardships as they had to do.

They took the first opportunity after that year of hard work to have a Thanksgiving festival in the colony. The Pilgrims even expressed their thanks to the Indians; though they had caused them much trouble they had also shown them how to do many things.

Thanksgiving Day should not be only a time of feasting, but a day of thanking God for the things He has helped us to accomplish each year. We should be very proud of our forefathers that came to this country to make it great and prosperous.

Some people observe Thanksgiving as only a holiday on which they don't have to work. But even those people can find many and many things to be thankful for and should take this occasion to express thanks to our helper, God.

H. W. Morris, Willyne Ragsdale Adopt A Family

There is a group of students to whom make-believe is reality. They meet in the auditorium at four o'clock each afternoon and are immediately transformed into people who are years older, except Ruth Lovelady, who as Gracie, is only eleven years old. So promptly at four H. W. Morris becomes the father of a family. Felton Martin, his son, Sammie, has a mania for stealing things and at times mad attacks when he wants to kill someone. Dorothy Ross, who is Henry Turner's (H. W.) daughter Doris, talks incessantly of her operation. She's proud of it and wants to show everyone the scar. And at every opportunity, she declares, "We're as poor as church mice!"

Willyne Ragsdale is the dotting mama of little Gracie (Ruth Lovelady, who tortures poor Cab by sifting him on pins and biting his finger), Marilee (Mary F. Matthews) who talks babytalk because "everybody finks it's cool" and Bob (Bill Williamson) who has a real convulsion and foams at the mouth! Be- gonio (Mickie Parker) is the overworked colored cook, who

can stomach hatchet-boys, but not a ghost, Nicodemus (Mac Norris) is the lazy colored man who's skeered o' firs. Kathryn Williamson is the tearful old maid who masquerades as dear dead Horatio.

When Miss Merritt tells the cast to see her after practice for individual criticisms, H. W. ducks out muttering he can't stay all night!

Dramatic Club Presents Play

On the night of December 11th, the dramatic club, sponsored by Miss Merritt and Mrs. Williamson, will present a three act comedy entitled "A Ready Made Family," at the high school auditorium. One scribbler tells us the play is worth the money so perhaps we'd better not miss it.

Rising Star Beats Santa Anna

Last Friday night Rising Star beat Santa Anna in a hard fought game 19 to 13.

Oakes, a senior playing his last game for Santa Anna high school, started for Santa Anna. He gave several outstanding exhibitions of open field running at one time running 65 yards through the entire Rising Star team for a touchdown. Guthrie, another senior, got more than his share of the tackles coming through the line. All of the team played good football, but weren't strong enough to repel the line thrusts or fast enough to break up the end runs that Rising Star excelled in.

Ford Holt Recovers

Ford Holt was taken from the hospital Sunday and is on the way to quick recovery. He was in the hospital for approximately a week. He was not hurt too seriously but will not get to come back to school for an indefinite period of time. We hope to see Ford back soon. Carroll Holt who was injured also is back at school.

Billie Burke Pope Visits High School

Billie Burke Pope, a former student of Santa Anna high school returned from the Alamo Business College in San Antonio to spend Thanksgiving holidays. She visited high school Monday afternoon.

Sophomores Sell Sandwiches

The Sophomores met Monday and decided to sell chicken salad sandwiches. They plan to have a party at Mrs. Williamson's soon. A committee was appointed to plan it.

Through the Keyhole

Mary Frances Talley's secret desire is to be a drum major. Louis Miles Guthrie would like to play an alto in the band. Mickey Parker certainly would like to go to Abilene Thanksgiving.

A certain Junior (flag bearer) had lots of fun after the football party Friday night. A little Freshman girl goes by the name of Charlie Belle. We wonder why!

Teachers' Meeting Held At San Antonio

The Texas State Teachers Association will be held at San Antonio Thursday and Friday of this week. Mr. Byrne is planning to go.

Choral Club Organized

A Choral Club of thirty nine members made up of high school girls will meet every club period. Freda Simmons is to be sponsor and Billy Pietatte

the pianist. The group will learn sacred songs as well as popular ones.

Band News

The band has started working on its Christmas concert. Mr. Willis has added several special numbers to be played at the program.

Dear Miss Know All, I have nearly lost my girl. What can I do to show her I still love her?

Signed, "Guard" If she's kind of short and has dark eyes and hair, and is sweet the thing for you to do is just to handle her with care. —K. A.

JOKES

Bobby Jo C: "Did you ever see a moth ball?" LaVerne Martin: "Yea," Bobby Jo C: "What was it balling about?"

Mr. McDonald: "Can I trust Earl?" Edd Hartmann: "Never! He's so crooked that the wool he pulls over your eyes is half cotton."

Mr. Willis: "I don't like ALL these flies in my soup." Mrs. Willis: "Well, just pick out those you don't like."

Mr. Pettit: "Was your garden a success this year?" Mr. Byrne: "I should say so! My neighbors' chickens took first prize at the poultry show."

Mrs. Williamson: "What can I do to get order in the study hall?" Richard Horner: "Offer prizes."

Bill McGahey: "What happened to the boy that visited you this summer that was from the city?" H. K. Harrison: "Oh, he crawled under a mule to see why it wouldn't go."

H. D. C. News

TRICKHAM H. D. CLUB

The Trickham Home Demonstration Club met Thursday Nov. 23, in an all day meeting. The morning hours were spent in working in our kitchen putting in a gas range, cleaning and refinishing china cabinets, hemming cup towels and other things necessary to finish our kitchen of which we are very proud.

The noon hour was enjoyed by all present each member having brought a covered dish which furnished a very attractive meal.

In the afternoon we had our regular business meeting. Mrs. Jess York acting as program leader, giving a demonstration on "Home-Made Christmas gifts."

Afterward we made plans for entertaining the "Live-at-Home" club with a buffet supper, Thursday, Dec. 14, at the club room.

SANTA ANNA H. D. CLUB

Durability, firmness, cleanliness, and comfort were the main points emphasized by Mrs. Fred Rollins in a talk on "Mattress Making," when the Santa Anna Home Demonstration Club met Friday afternoon, Nov. 24 with Mrs. J. E. Ford, a non-club member.

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Hospital Notes

Week of Nov 27th

Surgical

E. C. Robinson, Moran, Tex. R. E. Vandyke, Santa Anna. Miss Velma Dodgin, Santa Anna. Lee Wallace, Bangs, Texas. Mrs. Alma Burnett, Santa Anna. Clyde Featherston, Goldthwaite, Texas. A. J. Duncan, Richland Springs, Texas.

Patients

G. W. Howell, Santa Anna. Mrs. C. W. Isham, Childress, Texas. A. P. Moss, Thornton, Texas. Ford Holt, Santa Anna.

Births

Girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Max Price, Santa Anna, 11-14-39.

The club accepted the home of Mrs. Smith for the Christmas party and buffet luncheon when they entertain the ladies of the Liberty Club on Friday, Dec. 8. Each person attending will bring a gift for the "gift exchange box" the price of the gift not to exceed 15 cents or if it is preferable use a hand made gift. The party will be from 2 until 5, with these committees in charge: arrangement, Mrs. Smith; food, Mrs. Rollins; clean up, Mrs. Harrison; recreation, Mrs. Moredock; publicity, Mrs. Watson.

A refreshment plate was served buffet style to 16 members and five visitors Mrs. Frank Pearce, Mrs. Will Howard, Mrs. D. L. Thielen, Mrs. H. L. Lackey and Mrs. Ford. Mrs. Lackey was admitted as a new member.

The Christmas entertainment and party for the Liberty Club ladies will be the next program on Dec. 8 at the home of Mrs. B. F. Smith.

Cotton marketing quotas will be in effect in 1940 only if two thirds of the farmers voting at the referendum December 8, 1939, vote in favor of them.

Mill consumption of cotton is expected to decrease in belligerent European countries in 1940, according to the Bureau of Agricultural Economics publication, "Cotton Outlook" SEND NO MONEY

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SOCIETY-CLUBS

Social Notes

SELF CULTURE HAS ALL DAY MEETING

Friday, Nov. 24, members of the Santa Anna Self Culture Club met with their president, Mrs. C. D. Bruce at her lovely ranch home north of Brownwood, in an all day meeting.

Each member brought a covered dish and at noon a delicious luncheon was served the ten guests, hostess and Mr. Bruce.

Directly after lunch the group took a most interesting walk, marveling at the beauty of the gorgeous fall foliage which covered the hills and valleys of the surrounding ranch land. Mrs. Bruce showed her guests an old Spanish mine shaft, of which there are three on the Bruce ranch. It is not known whether all three lead to the same mine or not, but from all information available the shafts are over one hundred years old. Around the opening to the shaft were carved figures, such as a wild cat, Madonna and child, and a human face.

On the return walk Mrs. Bruce pointed out various beauty spots and also many pieces of hand hewn stone. A ride further into the hills gave the guests a chance to gather many of the lovely colored leaves covering the hill sides.

Upon the return to the home the program for the afternoon consisted of the subject for which was "China as a Literary Background" with Mrs. W. R. Kelley presenting "Chinese Court Life." Mrs. Dean Kirkpatrick, singing a song, "A Visit to Santa Barbara," and dancing with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. O'Leary. A summary of "Childhood of a Maid," presented by Mrs. R. A. O'Leary.

Mrs. R. A. O'Leary presented an interesting paper on "Conventions Held in the State."

The afternoon was the grandest ever. Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. W. R. Kelley, Mrs. R. A. O'Leary, Mrs. J. W. R. O'Leary, Mrs. A. L. O'Leary, Mrs. Elzean Shield and Mrs. Kirkpatrick.

Birthday Dinner Given For Mrs. Stevenson

Mrs. W. W. Stephenson was honored on her seventy-first birthday with a surprise dinner given by her children at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stephenson Sunday, Nov. 26. Mrs. W. B. Phillips of Canadian sent the birthday cake.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Neely Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stephenson and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stephenson and children all of Santa Anna; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dean and children of Trickham; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Weathers and children of Cisco; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Haynes and children of Trickham; Miss Emma Sue McCain of San Angelo; and Mrs. Stephenson's sister Mrs. W. M. Criswell of Sapulpa, Okla. Two daughters and twelve grandchildren were unable to attend.

Shower Honors Recent Bride

Honoring Mrs. Marshall Davis of Eldorado who before her recent marriage was Miss Vonelle Taylor, Mrs. Eva Conley assisted by Mrs. Lorena Williams and Mrs. P. H. Williams gave a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. P. H. Williams Friday afternoon, November 24.

The receiving rooms were beautifully decorated with purple, gold and white chrysanthemums and autumn leaves. The guests registered in a beautiful hand painted bride's book, a gift of Mrs. Lorena Williams, presided over by Miss Jewell Taylor. After a series of games in which Mrs. Davis was prize winner, she was presented with the gifts.

Refreshments were white, gold and chocolate cakes served with hot chocolate. Miniature sheep bearing the inscription "Marshall-Vonelle, Nov. 5" were used as plate favors.

Those present were Mesdames O. M. Jackson, Joe Copeland,

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Leather Coat Lost!

Friday night during the Santa Anna-Rising Star football game an imitation pigskin leather coat was carried away from the band section of the grandstand. The coat is dark colored, lined with brown satin and has the large ink etched letters RAJ on the inside of the back. Finder return to Santa Anna News office for reward.

Paul Bivins, E. R. Cupps, R. W. Cupps, Alfred Williams, Odell Box, Mineola Nelson, Sam Moore, Jennie B. DeSha, Lorena Conley, Raymond Williams, Lorena Williams, Amos Taylor, P. H. Williams, Miss Jewell Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Davis and the hostess, Mrs. Conley. A large number of gifts were sent by friends unable to attend.

Personals

Misses Emma Sue McCain and Mary Dellinger from Shannon Hospital in San Angelo spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mrs. Shockley has some very unusual values in dresses for Friday and Saturday, \$1.95 dresses for \$2.95. Do not let this opportunity pass.

A baby daughter, Mary Lou, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Murray McCain at the home of Mrs. B. M. McCain in Santa Anna Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Byrke will attend the State Teachers' Convention at San Antonio this week-end.

Miss Nellie Garrett of White River, Ariz., is in the home of Mrs. T. T. Garrett during the week-end.

Rev. Miller, pastor of the Christian church of Coleman visited Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Childers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Seay of Midland visited with Mr. and Mrs. Seay Sunday.

Miss Billie Burke Pope is spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her mother.

Miss Dorothy Dibrell who has been attending Alamo Business College in San Antonio has returned home. He will enroll in school here for post-graduate work.

Miss Jo Mae Payne, John Tarleton student, is spending Thanksgiving holidays with her parents.

Hubert Turner and Pat Bosch were in Brownwood Saturday, taking some Masonic work.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore and the former Miss Faye Childers of Comanche visited in the S. W. Childers home Sunday.

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Burton Gregg came home Saturday to visit a few days with his parents before returning to Ingleside to begin work on a new project the lumber company for which he works is starting.

Mrs. C. H. Chambers of Cross Cut visited her mother, Mrs. Rena Dibrell over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Shuffield and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lewellen and son spent the week-end with W. C. Lewellen in Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Burris will spend their Thanksgiving holiday marketing in Dallas.

Weddings

ODER - MOORE

Paul Oder, son of Mrs. A. L. Oder, and Miss Ru Beth Moore

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daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dempse Moore of Anson, were married at the Highland Park Methodist church in Dallas Monday, Nov. 20, with Dr. Marshall T. Steel reading the ceremony.

The bride wore a blue wool suit with brown and beige accessories. Her shoulder corsage was a green orchid. For something old, she wore her grandmother's ring. Her only attendant was her sister, Natalie Moore of Anson.

Mrs. Oder has been employed for the past two years as deputy in the District Clerk's office at Anson. The groom has held a position with the State Department of Public Safety for several years and is now located at Abilene where the couple will make their home.

The bride and groom visited his mother a short while Sunday afternoon, returning from their wedding journey which included Dallas, Corpus Christi, Monterrey, Mexico, and San Antonio.

HARDWICK - PRICE

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hardwick in Meridian, Miss Ruby Lee Price became the bride of Curtis Hardwick of Bangs, Saturday, Nov. 18.

The bride, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Price, is a graduate of the local high school and has been employed in Coleman the past several months. Mr. Hardwick is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hardwick of Bangs and is a graduate of the Bangs high school. He is manager of a Sinclair station there.

The young couple will live in the Eads apartments in Bangs.

Church Societies

BAPTIST W. M. S.

The Baptist W. M. S. held an exceedingly interesting study course meeting Monday, Nov. 27th, at the Junior adult Sunday School building. Mrs. Seth Risinger, the mission study chairman, was in charge of all arrangements as to teaching, decorations, and menu. Everything was artistically arranged and decorated. The lunch served was beautiful and tempting.

The various chapters of the book, "Contrasting Love" by Mrs. William McMurry, recommended for study before the week of prayer and Lottie Moon Christmas offering were presented by Messrs J. E. Watkins, Seth Risinger, S. R. Smith and Ed Bartlett. At the close of the days study two interesting games were conducted. One emphasizing the teaching work; the other classing the food representative of certain countries. A tie was scored in the first, and the Annie Jenkins Saltee, with Mrs. C. V. Drennon leading, scored highest on the second. Mrs. C. W. Hamilton was chairman.

The following ladies were in attendance: Mesdames Tom Upton, L. Ingram, T. J. Lancaster, D. R. Hill, R. D. Kelley, Ed Bartlett, Seth Risinger, J. L. Boggs, J. E. Watkins, Reba Mc-

Creary, C. W. Hamilton, S. W. Prestidge, J. J. Gregg, S. R. Smith and C. V. Drennon.

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METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10 a. m.
J. Frank Turner, Supt.
Preaching 11:00 a. m., 7:00 p. m.
Young Peoples Meet 6:30 p. m.
W. M. S. meets each Monday at 3 p. m.
Mid-week service, each Wednesday night at 7:00 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

M. L. WOMACK, Minister
Sunday School 10 a. m. Sunday, J. T. Oakes, Supt.
Preaching services 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
Mid-week services Wednesday 7 p. m.
Women's Missionary Society Mondays after second and fourth Sundays
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Cumberland Presbyterian

J. W. Burgett, pastor
Sunday School at 10:00 o'clock.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening 7:30
Preaching fourth Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Sunday School 10 a. m.
Service 11 a. m.
Prayer Meeting - Sunday and Wednesday and Saturday evenings at 7:30.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship 11 a. m.
Training service - 6:15 p. m.
Evangelistic service 7:15 p. m.
Prayer meeting and teachers meeting Wednesday evening

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Ernest Wylie Minister
Bible School 10 a. m.
William Earl Ragsdale Supt.
Preaching Services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Brother Leroy Nelson will preach at the Church of Christ Sunday morning at 10:30. Sunday night at 7 o'clock, Dec. 3. Everybody is invited to come and hear him.

Shield News

By English Class

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Miss Kathryn Smith of Gouldsburg, spent Saturday night with Miss Frances Stewardson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Scarbrough spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stewardson and family.

Everyone enjoyed the social, at the school building, Friday night. Hot chocolate and pie were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Shambolin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Vercher and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reasoner.

Miss Zeida Jones, Sam Jones, and Wenton Eppler spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Elliott and family.

Mrs. Edgar Shelton gave a shower for Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Eppler, Thursday afternoon.

Rev. Simmons preached at Lovehill, Saturday night.

Miss Juakana Vercher spent Sunday night with Miss Arvella Shambolin.

There was a medium size crowd at the singing last Thursday night.

Miss Hazel Black and Ruby Dunn spent the week end with Miss Mildred Roberts of Brown Ranch.

SANTA ANNA STUDENTS ON COLLEGE HONOR ROLL

Included among the forty-one names appearing on the

Howard Payne College honor roll for the first half semester were the following students from Santa Anna: Annette Shield, Clifford Oder, Glenn Smith, and Dorothy Sumner. To be eligible to make the honor roll the student must make a B-plus average in all courses taken.

More than 45 percent of the 500,000 farms in Texas have no hogs to help keep the family in

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Texas Grapefruit		.15
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Marshmallows		.15
One Pound Package		
Salted Crackers		.15
Two Pound Box		
Huskies		.15
Two Packages		
Candy Bars		.10
Three For		
Coffee		.79
Maxwell House, 3-lb Can		
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