

February 26, 1932

**A. W. KRUEGER WRITES
FROM A SANATORIUM
IN COLORADO**

Woodmen, Colo.,

Feb. 15, 1932.

Mr. C. M. Bishop, Editor,

Dear Sir:

Inclosed find check for renewal of my subscription. This will give us some good old news for another year. The Giddings News is more than just merely a newspaper to us. It is just like a hand full of letters from home every week-end.

I am getting along fine as far as I know, and so is Mrs. Krueger and daughter. I shall be able to get out of here before very long, but we are going to stay in Colorado until school is out, which is about June 10th, for Mamie Lucile is going to graduate up here. I would like to see school turn out sooner so we could get started for Texas. Give me Texas, Lee County if any chance.

We are having some nice weather, some days like Spring down in Texas, but the wind has been terribly up here for the last few days. It almost blows a person off these mountains. We have had some snow, but not enough to do much good; what few farmers there are around here they want more snow. It is so dry that they can't plow. There is about 200 acres in cultivation at this place, or in connection with this sanatorium.

The enclosed Christmas program and menus give you an idea what they are doing for the patients. They have just completed the installation of a talking picture show, so we have picture show once a week.

With best wishes to you and News readers,

Yours,

A. W. Krueger.

The menu cards and the Christmas program show that the patients are being well cared for and everything is done to create a home-like atmosphere so that the patients may improve and return home. The editor well remembers his visit to the sanatorium several years ago when it was smaller than it

now is. It is nestled among the snow-capped mountains of Colorado and is maintained by the Modern Woodmen of America for treatments of tubercular members. Best regards to Superintendent Swanger who was formerly in charge of the work in Texas. —The Editor.