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**Still At It**  
By Associated Press.  
Fort Worth, Texas, Aug. 10—F. M. Love of this city who had just sold a tract of land in Red River county was lured to a dark street here last night, beaten and robbed.  
The ruffians got only \$7.00. The rest had been deposited in the bank.

**Big Pasture Sold.**  
By Associated Press.  
Alpine, Texas, Aug. 10—The Irving pasture lands in Brewster county and Jeff Davis county have been purchased for \$800,000 by Kansas City capitalists, who propose to put 20,000 acres under irrigation.

**Soloan Men Killed**  
By Associated Press.  
San Antonio, Texas, Aug. 10—Criel Naylor, a saloon man died here this morning from the effects of a bullet wound.  
W. H. Miller has been arrested.

**I. & G. N. Files New Charter**  
By Associated Press.  
Austin, Texas, Aug. 10—With a certified capital of \$1,500,000 the re-organized International & Great Northern railroad company of Houston filed its charter here today with the Secretary of State.

**Tragedy at Paris**  
By Associated Press.  
Paris, Texas, Aug. 10—Robert Sherlock, a horse trader was killed here yesterday by a lawyer from Oklahoma named Yearin. A misunderstanding in a horse trade was the cause.

**Presbyterian Church**  
Rev. U. C. Howard will preach three times next Sunday as on last Sunday.  
11 a. m.—To parents and children.  
4 p. m.—To Boys and Girls.  
8:15—"Our Needs Supplied by the Gospel."  
The meeting for boys and girls is progressing admirably. Quite a nice audience of them gather at the church each day.  
They take quite an interest in the meeting and it is evident that practically all of them will have their hearts tied on to the righteous life.

**Gambrell as a Witness**  
By Associated Press.  
Austin, Texas, Aug. 8—Rev. J. H. Gambrell, Chairman of the anti Saloon League was on the witness stand this morning before the House Investigating Committee.  
He was closely questioned concerning that organization, its origin, purpose and scope of operations.

**Finger Ground Off**  
By Associated Press.  
Mt. Pelasant, Texas, Aug. 10—The ten year old son of John Merritt got his finger ground off here this morning in a sausage mill.

**New Telephone Manager**  
The Signal learns that George Smith has resigned the management of the Snyder Exchange for the Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Company and will probably go to New Mexico. W. P. Duckett has come to Snyder from Rotan and will be manager of the Snyder exchange.

**Fluvanna News**  
Mrs. Sol Pyaett and family of Rio Vista are visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Pyaett.

The Presbyterian revival closed Sunday night with several additions to the church.

Mr. Johnson has sold his interest in the meat market here to his partner Mr. Camp.

Miss Ora Lane of Stiles is visiting Mr. J. S. Lane.

Mrs. Robt. Bridges and little son Herbert have returned to their home at Lometa.

Doek Caudle and family of Big Springs are visiting the ladies parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Morgan arrived today from Bronte, where Mr. Morgan has been running a thresher for three months.

About sixty Fluvanna people attended the Woodman log rolling at Sweetwater.

**Crowder Happenings**  
We had Sunday school early Sunday morning after which the majority of the congregation went to Union to preaching.

Crowder was well represented at Union Saturday night and Sunday.

Farmers' Union met here at Crowder-Saturday night.

Mr. Marvin Jackson took dinner with Mr. Ross Pate, Sunday.

Mr. J. T. Biggs has purchased a new surrey recently.

The young people of Snyder attended a party at Mr. Shulers of Bethel last Tuesday night week. All reported a nice time.

Mr. J. F. Pate and family visited Mr. W. B. Lemons and family Sunday evening.

We are glad to report that Miss Hattie Pate is improving from a long spell of sickness.

Miss Belle Sterrett took dinner with Misses Nellie and Nora Turner Sunday.

Miss Grace McCormick is visiting her aunt and Uncle Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Hays.

The boys in this community spend their time hunting. They seldom kill anything except time.

Mr. J. W. Ramsey and family visited Mr. J. T. Ramsey and family this week.

Mr. Ernest Keatchy left last Thursday week for California.

U. F. Taylor and family left Monday for Wheeler to visit relatives.

It is getting dry in this section again.

Well, as this is getting lengthy we will close.

Wishing success to the Signal and its readers.

The "Kids."

**Officers Installed.**

At a called meeting of Snyder Rebekah Lodge No. 26, Monday night, Mrs. A. J. Grantham was installed as Noble Grand and J. B. Johnson as recording Sec. Mrs. Julia Hardy as District Deputy President acted as installing officer.

The boiler makers on the H. & T. C. railroad are on a strike and the telephone operators in San Antonio, about forty strong quit work Tuesday morning because of some sort of grievance against the Company.

**Our New Opera House**  
The new opera house is nearing completion and will be ready for the opening of the theatrical season.

The new building is being prepared especially for the opera house and will be modern in every detail. The floor is elevated, which is a prominent feature in an up-to-date show house and the stage will be roomy and comfortable, which goes a long way in the production of a good play.

The auditorium will be equipped with opera chairs and will be made comfortable in every way.

The enterprising builder, Dr. A. O. Scarborough is to be complimented on his good work and the people of our little city and surrounding communities will be enabled to see the best attractions that can be secured in the theatrical line.

**Mrs. Wheeler is Dead.**

Mrs. Katie Price Wheeler died Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Price in North Snyder after an illness of several months with lung trouble. The funeral took place at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon, conducted by Rev. J. W. Hunt. The remains were entombed in Snyder cemetery.

She was a young woman of splendid personality, a well rounded Christian character, who delighted to follow in the footsteps of Jesus and do good to all who might come in her way. It is sad to know that our loved ones must go so soon, but there is consolation in knowing that all is well for them and that the purified soul has passed from the trials of the earth to the joys of the Home beyond.

**Pleasant Social Affair**

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ward entertained in honor of the Misses Wapitka on Monday night. Several of the popular young people of the city was present and all pronounced a glorious time.

Refreshments were enjoyed after the evening hour of "hearts" were played.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward are accomplished entertainers and it is always a pleasure to enjoy their hospitality.

**COTTON CROPS SUFFER**

**Boll Worms Doing Damage In South Texas—Foreign Cotton Fields Ruined.**

By Associated Press.  
Lockhart, Texas, Aug. 8—The severe drouth is doing great damage to cotton crops in this section.

Teague, Texas, Aug. 8—What was considered a few weeks ago a prospective banner cotton crop in this district has been blighted by boll worms, which are playing havoc with the crop. The worm invasion seems to be general in this part of the state.

La Hope, British India, Aug. 8—Ravages of the boll worm continue to spread everywhere and it is believed there will be little or no cotton made in this country.

**Texas Ginners Report**

By Associated Press.  
Austin, Texas, Aug. 9—The Ginners report for the Texas department of Agriculture issued today, Thursday, shows an aggregate of 2,238 bales of cotton ginned up to Aug. 1, against 2,572 same date last year.

**Will Veto Statehood Bill**

By Associated Press.  
Washington, Aug. 9—Word reached the Capital today that President Taft will veto the Statehood bill of New Mexico and Arizona which passed the Senate last night. He objects to the judicial recall feature.

**Colquitt Says Nothing.**

By Associated Press.  
Austin, Texas, Aug. 8—Gov. Colquitt declined today to discuss Bailey's endorsement of the possible candidacy of Ball for governor as published in the morning papers.

**Fire in Dallas**

By Associated Press.  
Dallas, Texas, Aug. 9—Fire started here today by spontaneous combustion. Artwell Paper Mills and Kaufman Furniture Co. are the principal sufferers. Losses \$27,000. Covered by insurance.

**Fraternal Resolutions.**

To the Worshipful Master, Warden and Brethren of Scurry Lodge, No. 706 A. F. & A. M. Your committee on resolutions beg leave to submit the following:

Whereas, the Supreme Grand Master in His providence has seen fit to remove from our midst our beloved brother Jackson Monroe Smith, taking him from this terrestrial lodge thereby alleviating his suffering and ushering him into that Celestial lodge above where there is no sickness nor sorrow, pain nor sadness, but where the noontide of bliss and the adoration of the 12th hour will be the theme of all, and the worship of the Supreme Grand Master by the Heavenly host will continue throughout eternity, for never ends.

Brother J. M. Smith was born in Burdett county, Texas November 16th, 1857. He came to Kent County, Texas in the year 1881 and was married to Miss Lillie Lee Napier, Feb. 19, 1889. He was made a Mason February 12th, 1891. Died June 30th and was buried July 1, 1911.

Brother Smith was quiet and unassuming in all his ways, a true friend, always ready to help those about him in distress. Ever reluctant in speaking of his charities, they were known only to his closest friends. He was a true Mason and tried to live out of the Lodge those lessons taught in it.

The county has lost a safe, conservative business man. The lodge has lost a faithful member and the craft at large a true brother. His wife and children have lost a loving husband and father, for he was kind loving and affectionate, as a husband and father and considerate and obliging as a neighbor.

Therefore be it resolved, that we extend our heart felt sympathy to the bereaved ones, that these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the lodge, printed in the paper and that the family of the deceased brother be furnished a copy of same.

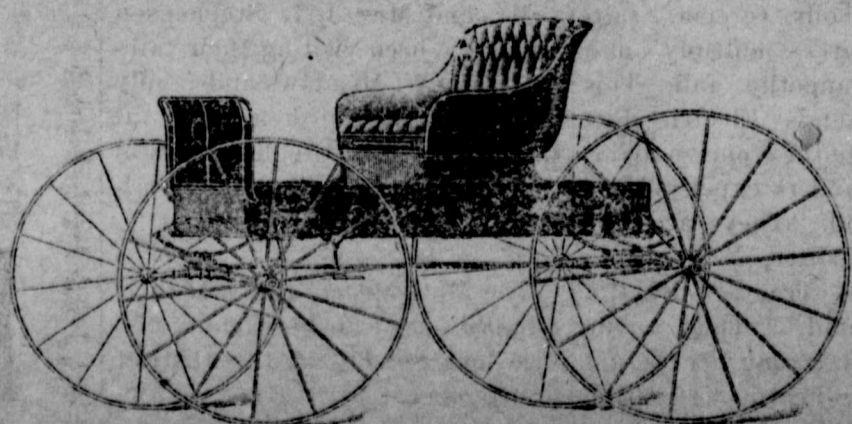
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### KNAPP NEWS

I don't wish to run Josiah in the woods, but will give a few dots.

Everything looks good to me and everybody is going in for enjoyment.

Mr. C. N. Von Roeder gave a party at their home on last Wednesday night which was largely attended and well enjoyed by those who participated.

Mrs. Turner of Ft. Worth who has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bentley has returned to her home.

Well as our better half is visiting in the free state of Coke Co., yours truly is trying his hand at slinging dough.

Mr. Bodeman of Caldwell county is visiting Messrs Von Roeder. Well Skiddoo,

BILL NYE.

### Whatley Ways.

Dear Signal—How are you all today? All well in this part except Mrs. W. P. Patterson is on the puny list.

Mrs. A. J. Riley is visiting her father at Stamford she was accompanied there by A. J. who returned Sunday. He says old Scurry looks the best to him. Mrs. Riley will return in about two weeks. We hope she will have a good time while she is at "home."

Mr. A. A. Pruitt attended preaching at Bunker Hill Sunday. Mr. Oscar Ross and Mr. Lee of Stonewall county were visiting in these parts the last few days. The crops are very good with them.

Mr. Gus McClinton, wife and baby went to town Friday. Gus came home by himself. He says his wife will go to the Plains before she returns. He does not mind to "batch."

Some of Snyder's girls came

out Friday and took dinner at Gus McClinton's. They returned the same day. We are always glad to greet our Snyder friends.

Mr. A. J. Riley went to town Monday, he is getting lonesome already I believe.

Mr. J. G. Whatley and family were visiting at Mr. Perriman's Sunday.

Ask Mr. Millar what about the phone line.

Pete.

### From Bill Britt

Lockney, Texas.—Hello Signal. Connect me with Dermott, please—Where am I, did you ask? Well for a fact I am now sojourning in the finest county I ever saw—fine grass, good crops of cotton, wheat and corn. I feel this morning like an old woman I knew in North Georgia. She walked four miles over the mountain to a big camp meeting, got shouting happy, saying out loud, bless the Lord I am glad I came. I am having the time of my life. Oh such good folks. Get wads of good grub every time I go to the table, I am reminded of the Maxwell hotel. These folks are not like us, they have something good to eat every day.

I left Dermott the 23rd inst. I met some one I knew at every station enroute. I can't ever run away, get kitched sure.

I haven't forgotten old Dermott and her good folks, for I look back to that town as my Mecca, my own God child—for I built old Dermott and she is the apple of my old weak eyes. God bless her. May she ever flourish and grow like a green bay horse. Say to the boys that I keep singing that old song: "The cat came back." Them's my sentiments. I have been here a week and have not heard a cuss word yet. Not even so much as ding it or dog on it. I will be back some sweet

day. Tell everybody howdy for me. Tell Geo. Edmondson this mountain beats our Haskell Mt. too bad. Good bye while I am feasting up here I will some times Yours till death,  
BILL BRIT.

### Delightful Social Event.

Special to the Signal. Soash, Texas—On last Saturday night, July 29th, one of the sweetest social events of the season took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lockwood on the 22 Ranch, 7 miles north east of Soash.

The guests were received at the door by Miss Myrl Lagrone and presented to the hostess who in turn presented them to Miss Ima Cotten of Abilene and Mrs. G. N. Letlow of Big Springs, guests of honor.

The married guests present were Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Letlow of Big Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Pool Earnest, Mr. and Mrs. Swinney, Mr. and Mrs. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Heffelen of Soash, Mr. and Mrs. Westerman, Mr. Mullin and Grandma Bedell, who was 62 years old on that day. This shows how the married as well as the young folks enjoy things like this in the country. The young people were too numerous to mention. In all there were 23 couples of young folks.

They came in buggies, surreys, autos and horse back from far and near. Mr. Lockwood and family have only lived here about 2 months, but the friendly way in which they meet everyone has made for them innumerable friends in this community.

There were sixty guests present and after all had arrived, conventionalities were laid aside and little, big, old and young joined in the games. Old time games such as cross eyed snap, "cross questions" "Bring home what you borrowed" etc.,

At eleven o'clock the guests were called to the table which was loaded with delicious cakes and ice cream.

The hostess was gowned in a beautiful black, silk voile, heavy braided, while Mrs. Letlow looked charming in blue. Miss Lagrove wore an Alice blue silk mull, trimmed in cream point lace, while Miss Cotton was radiant in white China silk over pale pink.

At 12 o'clock the guests departed each and every one expressing themselves as having had a delightful time and wishing that Mr. and Mrs. Lockwood would do that again soon.

A Guest

### Percy to Resign

Greenville, Miss., Aug. 3—In a statement issued tonight United States Senator Leroy Percy, who was defeated in Tuesday's election for renomination by former Gov. Vardaman, announced that he will tender his resignation at the next session of the Mississippi legislature.

The next meeting of the Mississippi legislature will be convened in January of next year. Senator Percy's tenure of office would not have expired until March 4, 1913.

### Attacks Like Tigris

In fighting to keep the blood pure the white corpuscles attack disease germs like tigris. But often germs multiply so fast the little fighters are over come. Then see pimples, boils, eczema, salt-rheum and sores multiply and strength and appetite fail. This condition demands Electric Bitters to regulate the stomach, liver, and kidneys and to expel poisons from the blood. "They are the best blood purifier," writes C. T. Budahn, of Tracy, Calif., "I have ever found." They make rich red blood, strong nerves and build up your health. Try them. 50 cents at all druggists.

J. D. Moon of the China Grove community was a pleasant caller at the Signal office Monday.

### Ex-Rebel Leaders Arrested.

City of Mexico, Aug. 5—Gens. Navarro, Alfonso, Mirandi, Delino, Villanueva and other former revolutionists chiefs were arrested and placed in jail today, following the arrival here of Francisco I. Madero, Jr. The prisoners are charged with inciting rebellion. They signed an incendiary protest against the dismissal of Emilio Vasquez Gomez from his post as Minister of the Interior.

### Noted Polygamist Dead.

Ogden, Utah, Aug. 7—Joseph Parry, known as the father of irrigation died last night, aged 75 years. He was one of the pioneers who crossed the plains with a Mormon train. He had five wives, 23 children, 49 grand children and 21 great grand children.

### Meeting at Plainview.

Rev. W. E. Caperton of the Camp Springs circuit assisted by Rev. J. W. Hunt of Snyder, closed a ten days revival meeting at Plainview School House Sunday night. There were eighteen conversions, mostly grown people, and eighteen accessions to the several churches.

### Sunday Evening Marriage

Mr. Hugh Scarborough and Miss Agnes Sadler, both of this city, were married here Sunday evening by Rev. U. C. Howard.

The ceremony was performed while the bride and groom sat in their automobile—only a few friends were present.

The groom is the son of Dr. and Mrs. A. O. Scarborough and he is held in high esteem by the people of this community.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sadler of this city. For some while she has been a deputy county clerk here and is possessed of excellent business qualifications and social accomplishments.

They have hosts of friends here who unite in congratulations and good wishes.

Mr. E. J. Woodard of Coleman County is visiting his brother Newt Woodard near Snyder. The men are twin brothers and resemble each other so much that one may hardly know which is which. They were in town Saturday and got themselves shaved alike, leaving side burns to match and the favor was very much more noticeable.

### Money to Loan.

We have a limited amount of money to loan on Seurry county lands if taken quick. Baker, Grayum & Anderson.

Mr. M. Mercer returned Sunday from a visit of three weeks in Ellis and Johnson counties. He says cotton looks pretty good there but there is some talk of boll worms. The corn crop there is a failure and there is quite a lot of maize, sorghum and June corn planted and just now up high enough to work.

Dr. Kirkpatrick says: Let's kill the ants. How? Pour a little gasoline in the hole touch a match, and in a few days if the eggs hatch, repeat the gasoline, which is all that is necessary. Everybody try it and you will be pleased."

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stephenson who have been visiting their father Mr. D. W. Meadows and family left Monday for their home at Gainesville. Mr. Stephenson is in the employ of the Santa Fe railroad at that place.

The Methodist people had their Sunday school and preaching service last Sunday in the District Court room.

Bro. Howard is conducting a revival meeting for boys and girls this week at the Presbyterian church.



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Christ is it's grand subject, our good its design, and the glory of God, its end. It should fill the memory, rule the heart and guide the feet. Read it slowly, frequently and prayerfully. It is a mine of wealth, a paradise of glory, and a river of pleasure. It is given you in life, will be opened at the judgment, and be remembered forever. It involves the highest responsibility, will reward the greatest labor and condemn all who trifle with its sacred contents—Anonymous.  
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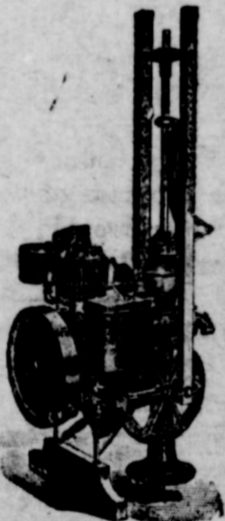
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### County Fair Suggested.

Some of our enterprising citizens are discussing the matter of arousing interest in a county fair and getting an exhibit for the Dallas Fair. It is suggested that the people of Scurry county have a three days meet during the first week in October for the display of our farm products, live stock etc. This could be made an interesting and profitable event. Let us bring in maize, kaffir corn, cotton, broom corn, vegetables, fruits, forage crops, cattle, horses, hogs, chickens, turkeys—in fact we might bring in many things that would be of general interest so we, and those who might visit us at that time, may see to what perfection stuff will grow in this country. From this accumulation we may select prize winners to be taken to Dallas. Everyone should take a hand in this movement so as to insure its success.

### A King Who Left Home.

set the world to talking, but Paul Mathulka, of Buffalo, N. Y., says he always KEEPS AT HOME the King of all laxatives—Dr. King's New Life Pills—and that they are a blessing to all his family. Cures constipation, headache, indigestion, dyspepsia. Only 25 cents at all druggists.

Mr. W. P. Keeling late of Paint Rock, Texas has purchased the business of P. S. McDermott at Dermott and is now one of Scurry County's business men. We extend a cordial welcome to Mr. Keeling and invite the coming of as many of his neighbors as he may be able to induce to come and cultivate Scurry County soil.

## COMPETITION DEAD

UNCLE SAM BEGINS FIGHT TO BREAK UP ALLEGED ILLEGAL COMBINE

## RAILROADS IN LEAGUE

Federal Prosecutors Assert That Mining and Transportation Are in Collusion.

Columbus, Ohio, Aug. 4—Suit was filed by the United States government in the federal circuit court here today against six railroad companies and three coal mining concerns charging a combination in restraint of trade in asking that the combination be enjoined from continuing business.

The government charges that the Hoeking Valley road, amalgamated owners of the capital stock of the Toledo and Ohio Central, the Zanesville and Southern road and its connection with the mining concerns named have crushed competition.

The Defendant Companies are: Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railway.

Chesapeake and Ohio railroad. Hoeking Valley railroad. Zanesville and Western railroad.

Toledo and Ohio Central railroad.

Kanawha and Michigan railroad.

Sunday Creek Coal Co. Continental Coal Company. Kanawha and Hoeking Coal and Coke Co.

The government petition alleges that the combine thus formed affects four of the great coal mining districts, namely the Pittsburgh, the West Virginia, the Kanawha Valley and the Hoeking Valley. The whole suit hinges on the Hoeking Valley railroad. The officials of this company it is alleged were placed in offices corresponding to those held in the parent companies soon of the Hoeking Valley road gained control of the capital stock of its subsidiaries and according to the petition, were instructed to operate the roads along the same lines as the parent company had been managed.

The company then, the government charges, set about controlling the large coal companies and succeeded in placing the Continental coal company which owns 28,000 acres of coal lands in the Hoeking Valley district on its list along with the Kanawha and Hoeking Valley company. The Sunday Creek Coal Company was formed as a blind, the petition declares to permit the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railroad and the Chesapeake and Ohio along with four Ohio Companies to stifle competition by merging all the railroads and the principal coal companies in the state into one corporation while still retaining their own individuality. A suit is pending in the Common Pleas court of Fairfield county to prevent the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad company from voting the stock it holds in the Hoeking Valley railroad. The State suit was filed by the Attorney General of Ohio.

The present Hoeking Valley railroad has been involved in litigation with coal mining companies for the past eight years. Five years ago ouster proceedings were granted against it, but the case was at once appealed to the Supreme Court of Ohio. It has not yet been tried.

Another piece of litigation involving the Hoeking Valley road occurred eight years ago when the Johnson Coal and Mining Company filed suit alleging that the Hoeking Valley company was exercising undue discrimination and asking that the railroad be compelled to grant it the privilege of siding. The Johnson Company won its case.

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When Col. Tom Ball got the evidences of election frauds, he ought to have gone before the grand juries instead of letting the politicians bring on a legislative investigation. The people have been gorged on investigations. Legislative probing has become a mania and usually amounts to nothing.

The Lorimer case, the steel trust case, the tobacco case, the government land case and numbers of other scandalous affairs have taken up congressional and legislative time in Washington and in several states, and they have resulted in white washes, frazzles or fruitless convictions and the people have had no benefit. A few grand jury indictments and district court convictions would have done more good. If the Pros at Austin had accepted the result of the election and proceeded to prosecute the illegal voters, they would have put themselves in position to win the next election with very little trouble, but it is apt to turn out that a mistake has been made and Colquitt's show of willingness to help find the guilty voters will be used for his advantage in future developments. The doctrine in a campaign should go before the people, but the courts have had jurisdiction to try violators of law.



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### Publishers Notice.

Mr. E. B. Barnes has sold his interest in the Signal newspaper and job business to R. S. Jackson and the publication is now owned and published by Hardy & Jackson.

See below the statements by Mr. Barnes and Mr. Jackson.

### After-Word

I have sold my interest in the Snyder Signal to R. S. Jackson, and hereafter the paper will be under the management of Hardy & Jackson, its present owners.

Both these gentlemen are well known to the people of Snyder and Scurry county, and are thoroughly conversant with newspaper work. Did I deem it necessary to introduce Messrs. Hardy & Jackson to the friends and patrons of the Signal, I would have no hesitancy in saying that the paper has fallen into safe and able hands, men who are conscientious and fair, believe in their work and the lofty mission of the news paper when rightly conducted. We bespeak for the new firm the same consideration that has been shown the management in the past.

Our personal experience in the newspaper work in Snyder has demonstrated to us the fact that one paper with a reasonable support can accomplish more for the town than two only half supported. We make this statement as one having a common interest in the business welfare of the community and therefore believe that it would be the part of good business judgment for our citizens to rally to the support of the local paper and make it one of the great est factors for development of the country. The maintenance of a live daily paper is one of the best investments that the property owners of Snyder could possibly make, it is the spokesman of every one, and the small pittance necessary to support and maintain a live daily is sure to become as bread cast upon the waters.

As for ourselves we are quitting the newspaper work for all time to come, but we do so with a feeling of regret, for the work has been congenial and we feel that the friends and acquaintances we have made in Scurry County during our ten years in the harness are such that one would not be expected to voluntarily resign from such surroundings. We can truthfully say that we have never used the paper to throw stones at an enemy and in stepping down and out we do so with the friendliest feelings for every one, and wherever our lot may be cast in the changing vicissitudes of life our kindest thoughts shall be for the good people we have known in Scurry County.

E. B. BARNES.

As stated in the foregoing, I have purchased E. B. Barnes' interest in this paper. The only excuse I have to offer for again engaging in the newspaper business here is, Snyder looks good to me in a business way, and go where I

may, could not find a better people to live among.

My former experience in the business here was a pleasant one, and I have always felt grateful for the many favors and kind treatment received from the people of this community. I trust these old friends, together with all others will look with favor upon this undertaking and give us their united support.

It is the earnest desire of Mr. Hardy and myself to so conduct this paper that it will be a welcome visitor in every home, will be respected for its fairness on all questions of public interest, and conscientious service in every movement that will be a benefit to the town and county. We shall try to maintain the present standard of excellence and from time to time make such improvements as the occasion demands. We have no hobby to ride other than to make our business a success and at the same time contribute our mite to the betterment of the community.

Our printing plant, although, one of the best in Western Texas is being further equipped with new job and ad type, with other necessary material, and we make no idle boast when we say we guarantee our work to be first class in every particular.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to drop in and see the Linotype machine at work and take note of the improved methods of printing a newspaper.

In concluding these remarks, we wish to emphasize the fact, that the Signal is not an "organ" but a newspaper in the true and strict sense of the word, and we want every one to feel as though it is their paper and its columns are open to them to be used in any laudable purpose for the benefit of the public at large.

R. S. JACKSON

The hot weather has been hard on cotton, but it has a like effect on the worms.

People who persist in going the social gaits regardless of income may be sure of financial embarrassment somewhere along the line.

Before a man should fight be cause of adverse criticism he should stop long enough to survey the premises and see whether or not he is subject to criticism.

When the Legislature gets down to the redistricting business, we'd just like to have some voice in the shaping of the representative district which is to include Scurry county.

After forty six years the Texas Legislature voted Wednesday to restore the State of Ohio, a flag captured by the Lone Star Regiment from the 77th Ohio volunteers in a battle in Arkansas during the civil war.

Labourin man an' labourin' woman

Hev one glory an' one share. Ev'ythin' that's done inhuman Injers all on 'em the same.

### To Our Subscribers

The Signal wants to suggest to those of its subscribers who are in arrears that under the laws of the Post Office Department the time limit is fixed and publishers are forced to sometimes discontinue a subscription that is known to be absolutely good.

We do not want to cut any off our list, but will have to stop those who have suffered their subscriptions to run overdue beyond the time limit. We would like to carry our entire list until fall so that it will be easier for our friends to pay up, but it is a matter beyond our control and we are forced to revise the list every few days. If by mistake we cut any out, whose time is still in date we will gladly correct our mistakes.

The Signal wants to go into every home in Scurry county. We already have a very large circulation, but there are some who are not taking the paper. These we want on the list and while we get the new readers we are anxious to keep all the old friends with us.

When you come to town besure and call on us whether you owe us anything or not. We want to see you and hear what is going on in your community.

Vice President Sherman is opposed to Canadian reciprocity and like most of those opposing the measure look upon it as the means of abolishing the old republican theory of protective tariff. Mr. Sherman says:

"The seeming trend away from protection, in my judgment is but temporary. Before our people get back to the old moorings, however, we may be forced through a period of depression. If the people do not awaken to the situation prior to the time the protection props are knocked from beneath the economic structure, with the fall of that structure will come a condition, painful though it be, which will, as here-to-fore bring the people to their senses and cause them to return to their old moorings with a wonderful unanimity, with great force and all haste. I look with great sadness upon this seeming trend at the present, but my hope for the future is optimistic."

Just at the time when the pros and antis in the State Senate were pretending to try to settle the liquor question, a resolution was introduced to endorse Senator Bailey's tariff position and the pro forces being made up partly of Bailey men and partly not, it came near breaking the pro ranks. There are men who would deny the truth of the Holy Scriptures if the Bailey question suggested it.

In other words the lumber trust is charged in dealing in senatorial timber.—Ft. Worth Record.

And proved to the convincing of probably every reading man except those who are blinded by senatorial timber worship.

Every citizen of Snyder should be wide awake to the progressive interests of the town and county. If we relax our energies we are apt to retrograde and when we begin to go backward, other towns will go forward.

San Antonio, has caught up the idea of a trans State highway and will promote the building of a pike road to the gulf.

A real smart politician watches the flying straws and then proceeds to align himself on the safe side.

The State militia is holding the annual encampment this week at Camp Mabry.

Let us hope the special session of the legislature will pass the daylight saloon closing bill.

Some men form their judgments to suit certain conditions.

Variety is the very spice of life. That gives it all its flavor.

—Cowper.

The prosperity of your town and county depends upon you.

Any sort of a mule can kick. It doesn't require any special talent to knock on your town.

Snyder has a broom manufacturer who puts up as good sweepers as can be bought from outside dealers.

The Texas delegation in Washington are very much divided as to choice of a presidential proposition. Some are for Wilson, some for Harmon, and some for Champ Clark.

The chief of police in Ft. Worth proposes to furnish police escorts for lone women who may desire to attend theatres and other night attractions. This plan will insure a beau for every belle.

There are vastly more people in Texas favorable to the protective tariff idea than people have been inclined to suppose. The fact is the average man would like to have his interests protected by law or by rules of commerce.

Prof. H. E. Gable, superintendent of the Snyder public schools will occupy the new Hazel residence in west Snyder. The professor called in this week and joined the big family of Signal readers.

Mrs. A. J. Grantham and Mrs. W. C. Fullilove entertained their Sunday School classes Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Fullilove. Of course the little folks had a great time.

Mr. E. D. Cox has gone to Justiceburg this week to build a fine residence for a party there and when he comes back he is going to put up a building here near the Santa Fe depot and will open a mercantile business there this fall.

Sallow Complexion comes from bilious impurities in the blood and the fault lies with the liver and bowels—they are torpid. The medicine that gives results in such cases is Herbine. It is a fine liver stimulant and bowel regulator. Price 50c. sold by all druggists.

A gentleman from Ellis county stated to the Signal a few days ago that he knew of forty farmers on one plantation near Waxahachie who are expecting to leave there this fall. Some of them will probably come to Scurry county. Suppose we extend them an invitation.

John W. Gates, millionaire promoter of the city of Port Arthur, Texas, and largely interested in oil matters died Wednesday morning in Paris, France. It is not believed that his death will affect the operations of the Texas Company.

Bites of poisonous insects that cause the flesh to swell up must be treated with a healing antiseptic that will counteract the poison and heal the wound. Ballard's Snow Liniment answers every requirement in such cases. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by all druggists.

Stepping on a rusty nail has been the cause of many cases of lockjaw. The nail was not so much the fault as neglect of the wound. If such wounds were promptly cleaned and Ballard's Snow Liniment applied, there would be no lockjaw, as the antiseptic properties of the liniment would counteract the poison and the wound would heal quickly. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle, sold by all druggists.



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100 bolts of new fall Gingham suitable for school dresses and aprons.

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Must be relieved quickly and Foley's Honey and Tar Compound will do it. E. M. Stewart 1034 Wolfram Street, Chicago, writes: "I have been greatly troubled during the hot summer months with hay fever and find that by using Foley's Honey and Tar Compound I can get relief." Many others who suffer similarly will be glad to benefit by Mr. Snyder Drug Co.

Look out for malaria. It is seasonable now. A few doses of Prickly Ash Bitters is a sure preventative.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any constable of Scurry County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon M. Schner, by making publication of his citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 39th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District, to said 39th Judicial District; to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Scurry County, to be holden at the Court house thereof in Snyder, Texas, on the Third Monday in September, A. D. 1911, the same being the 18th day of September, A. D. 1911, and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the fourth day of August, A. D. 1911 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court, No. 763, wherein Arthur Yonge is Plaintiff and M. Schner is Defendant, said petition alleging as follows to-wit:

Suit on two promissory notes dated July 12, A. D. 1907, for the sum of \$37.50 each bearing interest from date at the rate of 8 percent per annum and due two or three years from date, respectively and transferred by said Hermligh Townsite Company to the plaintiff. Plaintiff prays for foreclosure of the vendors lien given to secure the two said notes on 1 1/2 acres out of block No. 123 of the Hermligh Townsite Company Plaintiff prays for principal, interest, attorney's fees and cost of suit.

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.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of said Court at office in Snyder, Texas this the 4th day of August, A. D. 1911.

W. S. ADAMSON, Clerk, District Court, Scurry Co. (Seal)

ers strike which started recently on the H. & T. C. is about to spread to the Southern Pacific.

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**NO. 2**—320 acres 19 miles west of Colorado, Mitchell county, 200 acre farm, good 5 room house, good well, outhouses, etc., Price \$20 per acre, 1/2 cash, Balance on easy terms.

**NO. 3**—160 acres, 8 miles S. W. from Ira, 50 acres in cultivation, good tank, Price \$15 per acre, 1/4 cash, balance on long time or will trade for good live stock.

**NO. 4**—160 acres 1/2 mile S. of Ira, 120 acres in cultivation, 6 room house, well and windmill, cribs, lot and necessary out-houses, cistern and storm cellar. Price 35 per acre, 1/2 cash, balance good terms.

**NO. 5**—160 acres, 10 miles west from Ira, 75 acres in farm, good 3 room house, barns out houses etc. Price \$20 per acre 1/2 cash, balance on long time.

**NO. 6**—160 acres, 4 miles west from Ira, 150 acres in farm, good orchard, wind mill, well and tanks, barn, lots, etc. Price \$4500, 1/2 cash, balance on easy terms.

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The old reliable,

A. L. JONES.

Hot weather saps the vital energy and makes the hardest worker feel lazy. To maintain strength and energy, use Prickly Ash Bitters. It is the friend of Industry. For sale by all druggists.

More people men and women, are suffering from kidney and bladder trouble than ever before and each year more of them turn for quick relief and permanent benefit to Foley's Kidney Remedy, which has proven itself to be one of the most effective remedies for kidney and bladder ailments, that medical science has devised. For sale by Snyder Drug Co.

FOR SALE—Second hand Deering Row Binder in good shape.  
B. F. DAVIS.

Born at Fluvanna, Aug. 8, to Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Smith, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bickham left Thursday evening for San Angelo.

Six cottages in Dallas were destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss \$9500.

Jno. Denny of Dallas one of the best known wholesale grocery salesmen in North Texas died on Thursday in Fort Worth.

Wanted—A boy or girl to help in home as a means of paying board while attending school. Apply at the Signal office. 10-4t

The Wells-Fargo Express people have put on a regular express wagon to handle their business here.

The New Mexico-Arizona statehood bill passed Congress Wednesday night and is now up to President Taft who is expected to veto it.

The estate of the late John W. Gates has been probated at Port Arthur, Texas, and it is said will amount to forty or fifty million dollars.

### Round Top Items.

Well Mr. Editor, I guess you thought me and the old maid had ran off with one another, didn't you? Well we haven't but I think the old maid has, but I am the same old thing.

We are still dry down here. Cotton is looking mighty sick. Unless it rains in a few days the yield will be small but will be better than last year if it don't rain.

Mr. Roy Reynolds came in from Okla-ma last week. He says that Scurry is good enough for him.

Geo. and Walter Henry were in Snyder Saturday on business.

Berry Brownfield has been very sick but is convalescent.

Newt Whitacre is also on the sick list.

The young people of this place attended church at Dunn Sunday.

Dock and Miss Joice Leeper of New Mexico are visiting their brother Lawrence Leeper.

Cecil Doak was in Snyder Saturday.

W. A. Brownfield and son Paul were in Snyder Monday taking in the sights.

Uncle Ike and Earnest Bassinger were in Snyder Monday.

The protracted meeting will begin at Round Top the first Sunday in September.

Everybody is invited to come as we expect to have a great meeting.

B. W. Davis of Dermott is visiting his daughter Mrs. Richard Finley this week.

Miss Jennie Finley and Iona Harris visited Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Leeper Monday.

### BACHELOR

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

#### THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry County—Greeting:

You are hereby commended to summon W. N. Zinn, and Clint Roberts, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 39th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 39th Judicial District; to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Scurry County to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Snyder, Texas, on the 3rd Monday in September A. D. 1911, the same being the 18th day of September, A. D. 1911, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 9th day of February A. D. 1911 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 741, wherein R. C. Herm, Plaintiff, and R. L. Waldrop, J. H. Taylor, H. H. Copeland, G. O. Morris, W. N. Zinn, M. F. Fulford and Clint Roberts are Defendants and said petition alleging plaintiff's cause of action being suit on a balance due on three promissory notes dated March 21, 1907 for the sum of \$100.00 each, said notes provide for interest and Attorney's fees, signed R. L. Waldrop and payable to the Hermleigh Townsite Co., and transferred by said Hermleigh Townsite Co., to plaintiff, said notes are secured by a vendors lien on Lot No. three (3) in Block No. fifty-two (52) of the Hermleigh townsite situated in Scurry County, Texas. Plaintiff prays for his debt interest, attorney's fees and cost of suit, and for foreclosure of his vendors lien.

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.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Snyder Texas, this the 4th day of August, A. D. 1911.

W. S. ADAMSON,  
Clerk, District Court, Scurry Co. (Seal)

### Sheriff's Sale

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain alias execution issued by the clerk of the District Court of Nolan county on the 9th day of August, 1911, in a certain cause wherein the Continental Gin Company is plaintiff, and Leroy Johnson defendant, in which cause a judgment was rendered on the 11th day of April, 1910 in favor of the said plaintiff, Continental Gin Co against said defendant Leroy Johnson for the sum of Eighteen Hundred Sixty-one and 46-100 dollars (\$1861.46) with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per centum per annum from date of Judgment, together with all costs of suit, I have levied upon and will on the first Tuesday in September, 1911, it being the 51 day of said month at Snyder, with

in legal hours proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title, and interest of Leroy Johnson in and to the following described real estate property levied upon as the property of Leroy Johnson, to wit:

The west 1-3 of block No. 4 of the Lundy Park addition to the town of Snyder, Scurry county, Texas, also the west sixty feet of lots Nos 1 and 3 in block No 3 of the Blankenship addition to the town of Snyder, Scurry county, Texas, also lots Nos. 1 and 3 in block No. 12 of the Blankenship addition to the town of Snyder, Scurry county, Texas.

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for Eighteen hundred, sixty one and 46-100 dollars in favor of Continental Gin Company together with the cost of said suit and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.

J. B. BOLES,

Sheriff, Scurry Co., Texas.  
Snyder, Texas, Aug. 10., 1911.

The Signal learns that the Air-sent of the governed."

Senator D. P. Frye of Maine, successor to Jas. G. Blaine is dead.

Mrs. C. V. Kirkpatrick and baby of Amarillo is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. S. B. Kirkpatrick.

Thomas Jefferson is credited with having written that immortal sentiment: "Government's derive their just powers from the consent of the governed"

Senator Bailey in a speech in the Senate opposing the doctrine of the Initiative, Referendum and Recall, said: "I cannot believe that a form of government that commits to the people legislation primarily is republican."

The Lorimer hearing goes over until Lorimer's term will about have expired and the New Mexico-Arizona constitution will go to the junk pile. The country will remember who fought these two pro positions.

# GRAYUM DRUG COMPANY

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### Loss of Time Means Loss of Pay

Kidney troubles and the ills it breeds means lost time and lost pay to many a working man. M. Balent, 1214, Little Penna St., Streator, Ill, was so bad from Kidney and Bladder trouble that he could not work, but he says: "I took Foley's Kidney Pills for a short time and got entirely well and was soon able to go back to work and am feeling well and healthier than before." Foley's Kidney Pills are tonic in action, quick in results—a good friend to the working man or woman who suffers from Kidney ills. For sale by the Snyder Drug Co.

Do not allow your kidneys and bladder trouble to develop beyond the reach of medicine. Take Foley Kidney Pills. They give quick results and stop irregularities with surprising promptness. For sale by Snyder Drug Co.

### A TEXAS WONDER.

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder troubles, removing gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism, and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder trouble in children. If not sold by your druggist will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00 One small bottle is two month's treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Send for Texas testimonials Sold by druggists.



We Eat to Live

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You are hereby commanded to summon M. Schner, by making publication of his citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 39th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District, to said 39th Judicial District; to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Scurry County, to be holden at the Court house thereof in Snyder, Texas, on the Third Monday in September, A. D. 1911, the same being the 18th day of September, A. D. 1911 then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the fourth day of August, A. D. 1911 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court, No. 763, wherein Arthur Yonge is Plaintiff and M. Schner is Defendant, said petition alleging as follows to wit:

Suit on two promissory notes dated July 12, A. D. 1907, for the sum of \$37.50 each bearing interest from date at the rate of 8 percent per annum and due two and three years from date, respectively and transferred by said Hermleigh Townsite Company to the plaintiff. Plaintiff prays for foreclosure of the vendors lien given to secure the two said notes on 1 1/2 acres out of block No. 123 of the Hermleigh Townsite Company. Plaintiff prays for principal, interest, attorney's fees and cost of suit.

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.

Given under my Hand and the Seal of said Court at office in Snyder, Texas this the 4th. day of August, A. D. 1911.

W. S. ADAMSON, Clerk, District Court, Scurry Co. (Seal)

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon W. N. Zinn, and Clint Roberts, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 39th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 39th Judicial District; to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Scurry County to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Snyder, Texas, on the 3rd Monday in September A. D. 1911, the same being the 18th day of September, A. D. 1911, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 9th day of February A. D. 1911 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 741, wherein R. C. Herm, Plaintiff, and R. L. Waldrop, J. H. Taylor, H. H. Copeland, G. O. Morris, W. N. Zinn, M. F. Fulford and Clint Roberts are Defendants and said petition alleging plaintiff's cause of action being suit on a balance due on three promissory notes dated March 21, 1907 for the sum of \$100.00 each, said notes provide for interest and Attorney's fees, signed R. L. Waldrop and payable to the Hermleigh Townsite Co., and transferred by said Hermleigh Townsite Co., to plaintiff, said notes are secured by a vendors lien on Lot No. three (3) in Block No. fifty-two (52) of the Hermleigh townsite situated in Scurry County, Texas. Plaintiff prays for his debt interest, attorney's fees and cost of suit, and for foreclosure of his vendors lien.

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.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Snyder

Texas, this the 4th day of August, A. D. 1911.

W. S. ADAMSON, Clerk, District Court, Scurry Co. (Seal)

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Walter Hill and R. S. Cook, 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 if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 39th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 39th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Scurry County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Snyder, Texas, on the 3rd Monday in September A. D. 1911, the same being the 18th day of September, A. D. 1911, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the seventh day of August, A. D. 1911 in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 764, wherein Hermleigh Townsite Co. is Plaintiff, and G. W. Hamil, John L. Hubbard, Walter Hill and R. S. Cook are defendants, said petition alleging plaintiff's cause of action is suit upon three promissory notes for \$100.00 each dated July 15, A. D. 1907, signed John L. Hubbard and G. W. Hamil bearing interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from date and providing for 10 per cent attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection or if collected by suit: Plaintiff further prays for the foreclosure of the vendors lien on Lots No. one, two, three and four in Block 10 in the town of Hermleigh, Scurry county, Texas, and for costs of suit.

Plaintiff alleges that the defendants Walter Hill and R. S. Cook, are claiming some interest in the above said premises, but the extent of same is unknown to plaintiff.

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.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Snyder, Texas, this the 7th day of August, A. D. 1911.

W. S. ADAMSON, Clerk, District Court, Scurry Co. (Seal.)

Houston Bank in Trouble

By Associated Press. Houston, Texas, Aug. 8—The Harris County Banking and Trust Company, was placed last night in the hands of a Commissioner of Insurance and Banking because it is alleged that the bank has made large loans which are thought will impair the capital stock of the institution. The bank has been operated under the guaranty fund system.

K and L. of Honor.

By Associated Press. Houston, Texas, Aug. 8—The Grand Lodge, Knights and Ladies of Honor of Texas convened here today for a three day's session. Dallas and Brownwood are both candidates for the next meeting.

The Pope Improving

By Associated Press. Rome, Aug. 8—Pope Pius has been in ill health for several days, but his condition this morning was satisfactory to the attending physicians

The Snyder schools will commence in about a month and every citizen should be ready to start in for a great year.

POISON CONSPIRACY AIM- ED AT CHILDREN

Chewing Gum Sprinkled With Strychnine Dropped in Yards

Fulton, Mo., Aug. 6.—What county authorities believe to be a plot for the wholesale poisoning of children has been unearthed at Concord, in Calloway county, and as a result, two men and a woman were arrested there today by order of the prosecuting attorney and brought to Fulton to be arraigned. The persons arrested are Lee Boyd, a farmer, his wife, Mrs. Anna Boyd, and Jefferson Woods a horse dealer.

The children whose lives were endangered belonged to families whose members testified in a slander suit recently brought by Mrs. Boyd against Dr. W. B. Ellis, a physician of Concord.

Mrs. Boyd asks fifteen thousand dollars damages, alleging that Dr. Ellis has defamed her character.

The jury brought in a verdict for the defendant.

The first alleged attempt on the lives of the children was made several weeks ago, when a package of chewing gum was found in the yard of Edward McPheeters, a nephew of Judge Robert McPheeters of Fulton. Less than a week ago, another package of gum was found near the gate of the McPheeters's home. It was found to have been sprinkled with strychnine.

Twice since then packages of gum have been found to contain strychnine.

Packages of gum on the premises in the vicinity of Concord has become frequent the last few days. All the gum which has been found has been preserved and will be examined.

All of the families on whose premises gum has been placed have small children.

Tonight, bond was fixed at one thousand dollars for Mrs. Boyd and \$2,000 each for Boyd and Woods. All gave bail. No preliminary hearing will be held and the case will be docketed for the September term of court.

Charged With Criminal Assault By Associated Press.

Dallas, Texas, Aug. 7—G. W. Bowers was charged today by affidavit with criminally assaulting Myrtle and Minnie Atkins, aged respectively eleven and fourteen years. Officers have now gone out to make the arrest.

More Postals Banks.

By Associated Press. Washington, Aug. 7.—The post master general today designated fifty additional postal savings banks. Three of them are in Texas at Marshall, Paris and Wichita Falls.

Texan Arrested at Hot Springs

By Associated Press. Hot Springs, Ark, Aug. 7—H. C. Miller of Sherman was arrested here last night charged with embezzling the funds of the Red Men Lodge. He says he will return to Texas without requisition. It is said that he admits losing the money.

A negro named Wooster in a Minnesota town was arrested on Monday night charged with criminally assaulting a 14 year old white girl. The crime was committed last Saturday. The negro admits his guilt. The people are very quiet and composed over it.

Mr. A. A. Williamson, two miles east of Snyder brought to the Signal office this week, two good sized muskmelons which are grown together, the rinds being firmly united. The curiosity has attracted considerable attention.

The ants at Austin are laying up a lot of campaign thunder in the way of offering measures the pros cannot consistently accept.

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Table with 2 columns: RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. RESOURCES: Loans and Discounts \$226,122.15, Overdrafts 844.18, U. S. Bonds (Par) 40,000.00, Banking House & Fixtures 11,000.00, Cash and due from Banks 114,926.82, Total \$392,898.15. LIABILITIES: Capital Stock \$100,000.00, Surplus 25,000.00, Undivided Profits 15,111.40, Circulation 40,000.05, Deposits 212,781.67, Total \$392,898.15.

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Our good old friend G. A. Barnhart was in Monday with samples of his peach and grape crop and they were good Brother Barnhart is a fruit grower and has proved that this country will grow as good fruit as any country. A news item from Abbeville, La., tells about ants as a destructive enemy of boll weevils. That scheme was tried in South Texas and failed after a lot of exporters had pulled the public's leg for a good big sum.

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## OFFICERS ELECTED

PETER RADFORD OF PARKER COUNTY CHOSEN PRESIDENT

## WANT NO RECIPROCITY

All Such Treaties Opposed—Grievance Committee Denies Rumors Brought to Notice

Fort Worth, Texas, August 4.—Completing the election of officers this afternoon the ninth annual meeting of the Texas Farmers Union came to an end at 6 o'clock the closing began with a hymn sung by all of the members and a prayer.

Officers elected: Peter Radford of Whitt, Parker County, president.

P. F. McCormick, Cherokee Co. vice president.

Chas. Smith of Ft. Worth, secretary.

J. L. Armstrong of Hays county, lecturer and organizer.

Executive Committee—W. D. Lewis, chairman, Coryell county; J. P. Lane, Cherokee county; J. E. Pearson, Fannin; F. A. Grinberg, Hunt County; J. L. McConkle, see Wichita County.

The executive committee organized by electing officers named above. Delegates in the National Farmer's Union which meets at Shawnee, Ok., Sept 15:

W. T. Loudermilk, E. A. Calvin and W. D. Lewis.

The election of officers was not finished until late this afternoon, there being a number of contests.

Secretary Spilled of the Cattle Raisers' Association conveyed to the Union a telegraphic request from President Lassater of that association, asking that the union request each county union to send a delegate to the conference to be held in this city September 12-13 to consider methods for securing better prices for live stock shipped to markets.

### Grievance Committee Reports:

The union, while heartily approving the general purposes of the conference deemed it best to have more concrete representation and therefore authorized retiring President Loudermilk to name five delegates to represent the union at the conference.

The report of the grievance committee was submitted and adopted. The committee composed of A. S. Harper, Geo. E. Courtney A. P. Landers, D. A. Haddick, H. Laas, N. J. Walker and A. B. Fulgim, reported:

"We have made a rigid investigation of all rumors brought to our notice against our state officials and other members of our organization, and for the reason that we have had no evidence to sustain such rumors we wish to say that their conduct as officials of this organization has been in every respect in accordance with our constitution and we therefore commend to the membership their splendid work and untiring efforts in carrying out the principles of this organization. We further find that the greater part of the confusion in our organization has been brought about by misunderstandings through newspaper reports. Therefore be it Resolved, That the Farmers Union of Texas shall not in any form associate itself with any particular newspaper in Texas."

### Opposes Reciprocity:

Resolutions against all forms of reciprocity treaties were adopted. A resolution was adopted urging the State to appropriate sufficient funds for the proper enforcement of quarantine regulations.

Southern Senators who voted against placing cotton bagging and ties on the free list were strongly condemned, without being named however.

Among other resolutions adopted was one condemning the practice of taking money from postal banks to deposit in National

Banks; approving an appropriation of \$10,000 a year for farmers institutes, asking the landlords of the State to assist the diversification movements by making proper terms with tenants. A resolution condemning bonds for building macadamized roads was voted down.

Resolutions of Respect for W. W. Scott, conductor, who died since last meeting, and of thanks to the city for the use of the hall and the press for reports and other courtesies were adopted.

### To Probe Election.

Austin, Texas, Aug. 4.—Cone Johnson of Tyler has replied to Governor Colquitt's telegraph request that he direct the proposed investigation of the prohibition election accepting the offer conditional.

Governor Colquitt immediately wired back accepting his services on the condition that Col. Thos. H. Ball would give information to proceed with the investigation.

Johnson's telegram read: "I would not feel free to decline employment by the state to assist in a bona fide prosecution for the violations of the election laws, the fee to be based on the character and extent of the services to be performed."

The governor's answer to him read: "My telegram was in good faith. I would not be a party to any bogus or dishonest prosecutions or persecutions for political purposes, nor would I encourage dishonest charges against any portion of the people of Texas. The accusations made by Col. Ball and his committee should be backed up by evidence in a court of competent jurisdiction or withdrawn. In case evidence is furnished me in good faith by Col. Ball and his committee I will consider your services engaged, provided we can agree on compensation."

### Cotton Tariff Bill

Washington, D. C. Aug. 4.—The house cotton tariff revision bill was reported to the Senate today and immediately precipitated a lively debate.

Democratic leader Martin asked that it be referred to the finance committee with instructions to report by August 10th. Senator Overman of North Carolina favored Aug. 24.

It was referred to the finance committee by a vote of 38 to 26, with instructions to report it back by August 10.

Chairman Penrose of the Finance Committee announced that the committee would meet tomorrow. "We will not wait until the 10th to report the cotton bill" he said "but will take it up and report it immediately. We will bring it back tomorrow and if conditions seem right I will ask that an early day be fixed for a vote by the Senate."

### Wrestling With Tariff

By Associated Press.

Washington, Aug. 5.—The Senate today sent the wool bill back to La Follette and Underwood to see if they can agree on a schedule. The Senate finance committee today deferred action on the cotton tariff till Wednesday.

### Copper Magnate dDad.

By Associated Press.

Noo, Ari.z, Aug 5.—Col. W. C. Gupeneff the copper magnate of Mexico died here today with acute pneumonia.

### To the Socialists of Scurry County

I hereby call a meeting of the Socialists to be held in Snyder, Saturday, August 19, at 1:30 p. m.

J. W. GLADSON,  
Co. Chairman, Socialist Party.

The Farmers Union in session last week in Fort Worth passed resolutions advocating a state owned cotton factory. They will find a strong opposition in the cotton mill owners.

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### Wasting Time at Austin.

The prohibition question is taking up so much time of the Special session of the legislature at Austin that the time limit is apt to be up before the work is done for which the special session was called. Both sides of the question are playing politics and building fences for future use. The pros have charged that illegal and fraudulent votes were cast on July 22 and the campaign committee and pro members of the legislature are demanding an investigation and Gov. Colquitt seems to be anxious for an investigation and offers to employ Cone Johnson to conduct it and calls upon Chairman Ball to furnish proof. Now, Col. Ball and his committee claim to be in possession of evidence of illegal voting but they will probably decline to place it in the hands of the anti till the proper time. There are thousands of good citizens pro and anti, who believe that it is a mistake now to bring on an investigation and it looks to us like a bad stroke of policy, on the part of the true Statewide pros. It would be better to accept the result of the election and then force the anti to pass the most stringent possible laws and most of them seem willing to grant almost any sort of regulation demanded.

Later on another statewide campaign will probably banish the saloons quite easily. As to the fraud in the recent election, there is a better way to handle that feature than to try to thrash the matter out in the legislature. If the pros have the evidences of illegal voting they should present them before grand juries and seek to prosecute violaters in the court then in event of convictions they will be in better position to promote a contest, or if not that, they can go before the country with a line of campaign argument that would insure thousands of votes for the prohibition cause.

The proposed investigation by the legislature is apt to result in a long drawn out farce that will take up the time of the law makers and amount to nothing more than to mark more clearly the line

between Colquitt and Ball in their race for Governor

### Legislature Will Investigate

By Associated Press. Austin, Texas, Aug. 5.—Cullen Thomas and William Hawkins of Dallas are to be special prosecutors for the Senate election in investigation committee.

The committee adjourned till Monday when it is expected to have a joint session with the house committee. Gov. Colquitt has issued a proclamation offering fifty dollars for the arrest and conviction of any person fraudulent voting as violation of the poll tax laws in the recent prohibition election.

### Thirty Years Together.

Thirty years of association—think of it. How thmerit of a good thing stands out in that time—or the worthlessness of a bad one. So there's no guess work in this evidence of Thos. Arriss, Concord, Michigan, who writes: "I have used Dr. Kings New Discovery for thirty years, and it is the best cough and cold cure I ever used." Once it finds entrance into a home you can't pry it out. Many families have used it forty years. Its the most infallible throat and lung medicine on earth. Unequaled for lagrippe, asthma, hay-fever croup, quincy or sore lungs. Price 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

President Ed. Lassater of the Texas Cattle Raiser's Association has called a meeting of the Association to be held in For: Worth August 12, to discuss the cause of the low price of cattle and the high price of meat. He says the cattle industry is now facing ruin.

### Accused of Stealing.

E. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Me., boldly accuses Bucklin's Arnica Salve of stealing—the sting from burns or scalds—the pain from sores of all kinds—the distress from boils or piles, "It robs cuts, corns, bruises sprains and in juries of their terrors," he says, "as a healing remedy its equal don't exist." Only 25 cents at all dealers.

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Boll worms are reported in Kent county.

Hugh Boren is on a trip to Kent county this week.

Buyers of goods go to the stores they read about.

Billie Nelson has been on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Harpold and daughter are visiting at Fluvanna.

Sheriff Boles and Master Bob went to Fluvanna Thursday.

Miss Childress has returned from visiting at Sweetwater.

Sheriff Boles made a business trip to Sweetwater Wednesday.

Pure Food groceries at Freeland and Templeton.

Mr. C. C. Strayhan made the editorial heart glad this week.

Rev. A. B. Ingram is assisting this week in a meeting at Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Grayum have been visiting at Stamford.

Emmett Johnson of Rotan will read the Signal for another year.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bickham returned Tuesday from El Paso.

Light Crust flour, the best on earth at Freeland and Templeton.

Mrs. Ike Boren and three of the children are visiting at Post City.

Judge Fritz R. Smith and family are visiting this week at Lockney.

Mrs. Will Norris of Roscoe was the guest this week of Miss Ethel Fiekas.

Miss Maude Nevills of Lubbock is the guest of Mrs. J. P. Morgan.

Joe Autrey, a former citizen of Snyder, but now a sojourner in Kaufman county is here this week on a visit. He knows all the old timers here and they are showing him a good time.

Roland Bell returned Sunday from a visit in Ellis and Kaufman counties.

Rev. A. B. C. Dinwiddie of Baird was the guest of Rev. U. C. Howard.

Prof. B. W. Hudgins and family have moved back from Merkel to Snyder.

Mrs. J. A. Burselon of Tennyson, Texas is the guest of Mrs. J. L. Anderson.

Mr. D. W. Meadows was in town Monday and paid the Signal a friendly visit.

R. H. Stokey and Miss Jessie McDavid were drowned at Dallas last Saturday.

The Lorimer Committee in Washington adjourned Wednesday till October.

Quite a good deal of the new maize crop is being hauled in and finds ready sale.

Mrs. A. M. Curry and children of Miles are visiting relatives in and near Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Thomas of Mt. Pleasant are visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Griffin.

Every farmer in Seurry county is invited to become a reader of the Weekly Signal.

Master Doek Crouch of Rotan is visiting his relatives, Mr and Mrs. E. B. Reneau.

Mr. D. T. Bolin of Muskogee Oklahoma is the guest of his brother P. M. Bolin.

Miss Willie Wofford of DeQueen, Ark. is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. H. Brown.

Mr. H. G. Smith and family of Post City are visiting in the family of Mr. Bib. Alexander.

Mr. A. L. Elkins left Wednesday for a visit for pleasure and recreation in Oklahoma.

The Dry Goodsman published at St. Louis thinks Texas will make 5,000,000 of cotton, but indications now point away from any such output.

Bishop O. P. Fitzgerald of the Methodist church died Saturday at his home in Tennessee.

Mr. Gabe Lucas of McKinney was in Snyder Tuesday seeing our merchants for orders.

Mr. W. D. Moon of Chico is visiting the homefolks. He moved to Wise county last spring.

W. M. Abernathy, one of the oldest lawyers at McKinney died suddenly there Wednesday.

The State Union of Carpenters of Texas is holding its annual convention in Dallas this week.

Peter Radford of Weatherford was chosen last week as president of the Farmer's Union of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pennington of Temple were guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Lane.

Editor Guy R. Scott of the Hermleigh Herald was in Snyder Monday meeting with old friends.

If you have a pretty nice sample of farm, garden or orchard product, save it for the county exhibit.

Mr. Ural Sherrill and sister, Miss Stella Sherrill of Rising Star were guests of Rev. and Mrs. G. H. Gattis.

A new well is being dug at the water works station and work has been started on cementing the big reservoir.

Commissioner A. S. Lowe went upon Ennis Creek Thursday to look after a bridge that needed some repairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Paxton have moved this week to the Bolin concrete residence south of the R. S. and P. station.

Miss Effie Hawkins of Ennis, Texas arrived in Snyder Wednesday to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Hardy.

Deputy Sheriff Lon Graham returned Wednesday from a prospecting trip to Mena and other points in Arkansas.

Conservative calculators believe now that Seurry county will make 20,000 or 25,000 bales of cotton this year.

Up to Wednesday of this week Galveston had received 1987 bales of cotton this season. Receipts at this time last year were 2,598.

Gin men everywhere are getting their machinery ready to handle the biggest cotton crop ever grown in Seurry county.

Now is the time for ice tea. Golden Gate is the kind that is pure and uncolored. For sale at Freeland and Templeton.

J. Y. Stewart came in Wednesday from Sterling City. He says crops over there are good though the hot winds have done some damage.

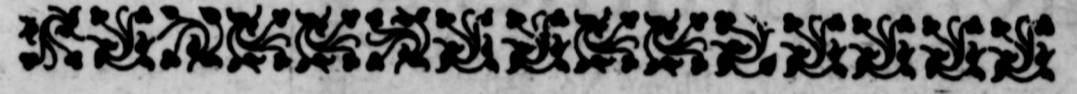
W. R. Griffin and family are moving to Hermleigh this week, where Mr. Griffin will have charge of the engine for the ginning company.

Abel G. Barrientes brought home a great number of war relics from Mexico and has placed them in a show window at A. D. Dodson's store.

Mr. R. H. Thompson and family returned this week from a visit to San Antonio, Corpus Christi and other points in South Texas. They will leave in a few days for their home at Wildorado. They saw Jess and his family in San Antonio and found them well pleased and doing nicely.

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Mrs. Joe Strayhorn and Miss Willie Strayhorn are attending the West Texas Convention of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs at Colorado this week.

Mr. J. G. McGee, who will be manager for the Burnham Ginning Company at Justiceburg was in town Tuesday and paid the Signal a business call.

Hundreds of strangers are coming to Snyder every week and they are interested in the town and country. We should extend cordial greeting to them.

Just a little while now till the cotton and feed stuff will be rolling into town—the business in all lines will wake up and the Commercial pulse will beat faster.

A L. Casey of route 2 accompanied by his friend L. D. Sturgeon made the Signal a pleasant call Thursday and had the paper sent to W. A. Minnix at Masters, Texas.

Those ladies skirts are going fast; better come in and select one before they are picked over. Prices \$2.50 and up. Prettiest line in town. Hunter Mercantile Co.

Winston Wheeler at San Antonio jumped on to a spring bed on an upper gallery at his home. He bounded off and fell to the ground. His skull was fractured and both arms broken.

A private letter to a citizen of Snyder from a friend at Midlothian, Ellis county, says the hot weather and hot winds have damaged cotton. These conditions seem have hit all parts of Texas.

Ed Thompson said here a few days ago that the shower of rain that fell at his place about July 31, followed by several days of hot winds, has caused his cotton to throw off nearly all the squares.

The Signal learns that J. L. Surratt who left Snyder some time ago for the gulf coast country has bought property at Seadrift and will permanently locate there.

Master George Jennings, grandson, of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Johnson is here to visit them from his home in Canadian in Hemphill county. He came in on the Cantafé travelling the entire distance alone.

Mr. J. E. Day who lives west of Snyder returned a few days ago from a prospecting trip in Southern Mexico. The Signal learns that he has bought a farm there and will probably move there later on.

Miss Bessie McDavid of Lancaster who was drowned last Sunday in a lake at Dallas was well known to some of the Snyder people. She and Mr. Stokey were with a boating party and in exchanging seats in the boat they both fell overboard and were drowned in ten feet of water.

There have been several days of awfully hot weather and cotton has wilted considerably, so that some people fear the crop is being injured, but then we hear many farmers say the prospect for cotton is the best in years.

Bessie Lee in Fort Worth admits that she promised to marry Charlie Rost in order to get him to give her a diamond ring and locket. The court says she must fulfill her promise or return the jewelry or pay its value.

R. H. Drennan and J. A. Hood of near Hermleigh were among the substantial callers at the Signal printery Monday. They say they are needing rain in their immediate community, but they are glad the Wastella storm missed them.

The Signal office is prepared to print gin supplies on short notice and of the best quality. Ginners are invited to call in or write us and place orders for any printing in their line.

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