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CEDAR POSTS

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SNEED JURY IS HOPELESSLY TIED

DIVISION HAS BEEN SEVEN TO FIVE EVER SINCE FIRST BALLOT WAS TAKEN

EARLY RE-TRIAL IS PROBABLE

Sneed's Attorneys Receive 864 Letters and Telegrams Asking About Outcome

Ft. Worth Telegram:

Though both sides in the Sneed case have practically become satisfied that the jury is so tied up that an agreement is impossible, there will be no discharge of the jury on Monday. This much was stated by Judge Swayne at noon. He did not say how much longer he would hold the jurors, but merely that he would not discharge them any time during the day, should they again report a disagreement.

The jury according to its statement which was published in the Extra Star Telegram stands 7 to 5 and has stood this way ever since it took the case. Judge Swayn issued orders to Sheriff Johnson who has charge of the jury not to bring them into court any more except in case of a verdict or a request for additional instructions.

Retrial of the case within fifteen days after the discharge of the present jury, if it continues to fail to agree is one of the possibilities in the case already so full of surprises.

The jury took the case at 9:30 Saturday night. The forty eight hours held too short already in a case with less evidence would not release the jury at 9:30 tonight.

That there will be at least another 24 hours added before the jury is discharged seems a foregone conclusion. Many pick Wednesday as the probable time and a number of expressions were heard in the corridors of the court house that Judge Swayne should not dismiss them after so long and costly a trial until that time.

That the jury is hopelessly tied up is conceded. Their communication to Judge Swayne, signed by all shows this, also stating that each man is of the same opinion he held when the first ballot was taken.

Small Girl Lost in Snow

Frederick, Okla., Feb. 26—Nettie Kent, the 9 year old daughter of Thomas Kent, was found this morning in a snowdrift near her father's home. She had started from the

home of a neighbor and became lost in the storm. Searching parties were out all night, but did not find the child until after day light. Her head and body were protected by a heavy cloak but her feet were frozen.

USURP PARENTAL AUTHORITY

Massachusetts Mill Owners Prevent Sending Strikers Children Away.

The people of this country have been inclined to leave the mill owners and the striking textile workers at Lawrence, Mass. to settle their trouble themselves. It is understood that most of the workers, or rather the strikers are foreigners not in sympathy with American laws and institutions—therefore their troubles do not appeal to us in any great force.

The climax was reached however a few days ago and the sympathies of humanity are apt to be aroused in favor of the strikers.

The people have been out of employment until their stores and the resources are about exhausted. Women and children have suffered for food and clothing, except such as has been supplied from the over taxed strike fund and through the generosity of charitable people and organizations.

It is apparent that the mill owners and the business interests have centered upon a policy of starving the strikers into submission. The local people have been generous in their charities and other cities have expressed willingness to help. The people of Lawrence finally decided that if the men and women choose to continue to strike, the innocent children must not be left to die of starvation, therefore they arranged for homes for fifty or more children in other cities where the children could be cared for for the time. They obtained consent of parents to take the children away and fifty of them was properly tagged and tickets were taken to the station. Each child was properly tagged and tickets were bought. Parents were there to see their little ones off. Then came the outrage. A troop of policemen, rough, inhuman and armed with clubs, guns, bayonets, etc. came on the scene and stopped the exodus.

Gruff orders were uttered to women to stand back and to the children to get out of the car. The legal authorities refused to let the children be carried away even with the consent of their parents. Such conduct is surely in violation of all law and of the spirit of American liberty. The idea comes unbidden that the agents of the law were carrying out the wishes of the mill owners, who want to hold the starving children there in hopes to hasten the striking fathers to return to work.

\$1,588,800 FOR TEXAS RIVERS AND HARBORS

State Gets in Appropriations Bill More Than Engineers Recommended.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—The Texas items in the rivers and harbors bill which came out today brought great rejoicing to the Texas members of the House, not only by reason of the fact that Texas gets more in the bill than was originally recommended by the board of engineers, but because of big new surveys ordered.

New Surveys Provided. Representative Burgess made good on his promise of a survey for a 35 foot channel for Galveston and Representative Garner gets his survey for a 25 foot channel for Aransas Pass, which gets \$433,800 instead of \$150,000, recommended by the chief engineers. The Trinity river, already handsomely provided for by the engineers' recommendation of \$340,000, get and appropriation of \$435,000 instead, the increase being for additional locks and dams. Likewise the Brazos river gets \$200,000 for improvement instead of \$100,000 recommended by the engineers, this increase being for additional locks and dams. The Texas City channel gets \$100,000 instead of \$50,000 which will enable the widening and deepening of the channel.

Texas Gets \$1,588,800. The other items are as recommended by the chief of engineers. All told, Texas gets \$1,588,800 out of \$25,965,010 appropriation. This is the second time Representative Burgess got one-fifth of the entire appropriation.

Representative Burgess tonight gave the News the above statement in regard to the items which Texas gets in this bill.

"The rivers and harbors bill is completed and will be presented to Congress some time next week."

Rangers Patrol Border

Austin, Feb. 26—During the present Mexican trouble Governor Colquitt has Captains Hughes and Sanders with companies A. and B. of the State Rangers at El Paso.

Captain Monroe Fox with his company is at Brownsville for the purpose of protecting Texas interests on the lower Rio Grande.

That Terrific Windstorm.

Several people have been heard this week discussing the velocity of the wind last Sunday. Reports from various points throughout the State give it all the way from fifty to 70 miles an hour.

At Abilene it was reported to have blown 68 miles an hour and B. F. Townsend of that town says it was a mere breeze at Abilene compared to how it was at Lubbock and other places on the plains.

The Reporter mentions the wrecking of a number of houses in Taylor county.

The Texas and Pacific sheds and a part of the depot at Baird were blown down.

The Texas and Pacific depot in Fort Worth was damaged.

The whole northwest and Central Texas country reports a blow of unusual severity.

Missionary Society Meeting.

The Methodist Missionary Society met at Mrs. McCullough's Monday afternoon. The program was interesting and instructive and all present enjoyed it.

The better acquainted we are with our foreign brother, the more interest we feel for him and we better understand what are some things our missionaries have to combat.

Mrs. Taylor, our third vice president, who so kindly prepares our programs from time to time, inspires us at least to do the best we can with our subjects.

We are just entering on another year's work and there is a move on in the missionary field and it is important that we study Christian

Stewardship and we want every one to bring her Missionary Voice.

Those of you that were absent last Monday missed a treat by not hearing Mrs. Henderson's discourse on the W. C. T. U. work. It would be useless to try to tell of all the good points she brought out in favor of her work, suffice it to say that there were many. She spoke of the intemperance that prevails in the foreign country and how our workers over there come in contact with the evils of intemperance, the same as we do here. Now please don't miss any more for this reporter cannot tell you what you should know about it.

Press Reporter. Following is the program for the meeting:

Program for Missionary Society at the M. E. parsonage on Monday, March 4th at 3 p. m.

Subject—Christian Stewardship. "There is money enough in the hands of the church members to sow every acre of the earth with the seeds of truth."—Josiah Strong.

Scripture: "The Old and the New" Matt V: 21-32.

Song 408.

Response to roll call—Bible Spur on Offerings.

Reading of Minutes.

The Individual and his money—Mrs. W. T. Manry.

Glimpses of Giving: (a) A little argument with myself—Mrs. Walter Curry.

(b) The Gift of Self—Mrs. Adrian Banks.

Prayer for revival of giving in our church.

The Stewardship of Life—Mrs. Curnutte.

Why Should We Study Missions? Prayer that the young women and young men of our church yield their gifts the knowledge and themselves that they may more fully show forth the "King in his beauty."

Written reports of all officers except 3rd and 4th vice Presidents.

Leader—Mrs. Mac Taylor. Hostess—Mrs. Neal Gross.

More About Insurance Rates

Mayor Mac Taylor said to the Signal this week that the statement of insurance conditions in Snyder as published in the Semi-Weekly on Tuesday is in a measure misleading.

He says the point being denied by the insurance board is the 10 cents reduction from the kay rate. There will be some reduction when the rating is made because of our fire apparatus, but the 10 cents off that was expected for the water supply may be denied because of the alleged deficiency in pumping capacity.

Mr. Taylor goes further and says that even with the reduction we will get may not put it any lower in reality. He cites the fact that Governor Campbell brought about a 25 per cent reduction in insurance rates and that Snyder is still under the Campbell schedule. After Colquitt became Governor the insurance corporations induced him to bring about a raise of 25 per cent on the Campbell schedule, effective in every town after notice is given. It is understood that Snyder has not received such notice and the Campbell rate still holds good here.

A Card of Thanks

To our friends: In sadness we come to extend to you our heartfelt thanks for your many acts and expressions of kindness and sympathy extended to us in the hour of our deep sorrow during the sickness and death of our dear son and husband, Rue Nation.

May the God we worship richly reward you all for your goodness and spare you as far as possible from such great sorrow and suffering as we are called to endure.

Yours in grief, MRS. LAURA NATION MR. & MRS. D. NATION.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Roe of Camp Springs were in town today with their sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Cole who were leaving for Dallas county. They paid the Signal a pleasant call.

SNYDER W. C. T. U. ORGANIZE

People Hear Two Fine Lectures and a Local Union is Established.

Mrs. Henderson and Mrs. Green have been in Snyder this week in the interest of the W. C. T. U. work and they have been well received.

Snyder people are noted for their temperance and prohibition proclivities and the ladies found the field here already in a high state of moral cultivation.

The very first thing they found here were congregations of church women engaged in their missionary meetings and it was no trouble to interest them in the temperance work.

The ladies entertained large crowds at the court house on Monday and Tuesday nights with interesting chalk lectures. The people were very much concerned about the worthy cause of temperance and kindred departments of the W. C. T. U. work.

It is learned that an organization of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was effected Tuesday afternoon with 26 members.

Mrs. R. L. McMullen was chosen as president. This is a worthy cause and we have lots of consecrated Christian women in Snyder who will sustain the movement.

An Apology

The Signal regrets very much this week that we are forced to leave the Fluvanna News Notes and the Book out items out of this issue of the paper. We will try not to let this occur again and apologize profusely to our reporters in those respective communities.

Removal Notice

We have moved our office to the Signal office and are better equipped to handle your lands. We are members of the Central Real Estate Dealers Association and have three thousand correspondents located all over the United States and Canada. Call and see us. Always glad to have you. If you want to buy, we have what you want. If you want to sell, we can find a purchaser. Our time is yours. Now is the time to list your lands.

BROWN & WILSON

Mr. Jones Announces

The Signal is requested to announce the candidacy of Mr. John Jones for City Marshal.

Mr. Jones is well known to the people of Snyder having lived here for a number of years. He is well qualified to perform the duties of the office to which he aspires and if elected can be depended upon to do his full duty to the best of his ability.

Mr. Jones requests us to state that the rumor that he had withdrawn from the race is untrue and that he is in the race to stay until the votes are counted on election day.

When you go to vote consider his claims.

El Paso Cannot Understand

El Paso, Feb. 26—El Pasoans are unable to explain the origin of the report that fighting has occurred at Juarez or ten miles south. There has been no fighting in the city. Railroad employes south reported all quiet at 10 o'clock.

A peace commission which attempted to persuade the rebels not to enter Juarez has departed for Baucha, fourteen miles south of here.

Mr. Noble Withdraws

Mr. J. Z. Noble who announced some days ago as a candidate for mayor of Snyder has stated to the Signal that certain circumstances have come about to cause him to decide to withdraw from the race for the office.

He had formulated in his mind

general outline of what he expected to try to do if elected mayor. He had it in mind to follow out a policy for a safe, sane and progressive administration. He wants to see Snyder go forward and keep abreast of the progress of the west. He wants to see the town enjoy a solid growth, without of course, dangerous experimentation and he believes in taking no backward steps in the municipal management.

Mr. Noble said that at least one hundred men solicited him to stand for the office of mayor and many others pledged him their support. To these and all other friends he would extend thanks for their good will and while believing that he would stand good chances of election, there are circumstances of a private nature that prompt his withdrawal.

He says he will still stand ready to aid the citizenship in every way possible for a greater, better and more progressive city.

He is loyal to the town and will do all he can for its general advancement.

Snow Drifted Twenty Feet Amarillo, Texas, Feb. 26—With snow drifted from four to twenty feet deep from yesterday's blizzard in the Panhandle it is feared that the cattlemen are threatened with the heaviest 1 cases of the present winter from freezing and starving of stock.

Train service has been nearly stopped on all lines in this section.

WHO'S DAT A KNOCKIN' With apologies to cellar door.

"For a thousand years and then some more Each generation is better than the one before"

Is what we hear on every side But where my cork boots is why the drive That now the Nation's only hope Is the start where Adam quit the drive.

Great was Adam—what a man Before Eve's sweet pippin hung can To terrestrial morals then but now ly brewed.

O, quarried page of history From here you state with sophist Mankind must be hoodooed.

This then gives the reason For that oft convenient season To the wise old nut of fifty years ago.

"When I's a boy we certainly we better And done each stunt right to the letter"

Then kick himself because he know it wasn't so.

Let's trust some saphead duffer When he's had all he could suffer Will slip back about a thousand years

Just to have a left hind tooth yan ed;

Or say, have his loosening bones cranked For taxes fifteen minutes in arrears

Then as further demonstration Toward the long lost Adam Statio Let him repair without surcease, To the chill of damp dark church To pull his soul from out the lurch into calm medaeval peace.

Moral The young duck mustn't quack like dad For pin feathered quacks all sou had.

E. J. ANDERSON

Mr. Cruckshanks who is circulating a petition for the abolition of the city incorporation says it will not get ready in April election to refer to the voters. He says they will get a hundred signatures to petition before they quit.

Not all Republicans even in T are favorable to Roosevelt

Guard Against Meningitis

And other infections now. It is claimed by our best authorities that the daily use of anti-septic sprays in nose and throat by atomizer is an efficient means. A good atomizer is a household necessity at all times. We have them, all prices. We can also furnish the famous liquid nose and throat cleaner that removes all fear of contagion.

Snyder Drug Co. "The Store Ahead"

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

You are hereby commanded to summon John Veal 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 there be no newspaper published in said 39th 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 March, A. D. 1912, the same being the 18th day of March, A. D., 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 11th day of August, A. D. 1911, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court 767, wherein Murphy Veal is plaintiff and John Veal is defendant.

Said petition alleging in substance that plaintiff is an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas and has resided in Scurry county for more than six months next preceding the filing of this suit, that the defendant's residence is unknown (and affidavit of that fact has been duly made) That the plaintiff who was Murphy Veal, was lawfully married to the defendant on or about the fourteenth day of February A. D. 1906 and continued to live with him as his wife until about the 29th day of August 1907 and subsequently on the 28th day of December, 1909, by reason of a course of defendant's unkind, harsh, cruel and tyrannical treatment of her and defendant's unkindness of his marriage vows and defendant's cursing and abuse of plaintiff, and his refusal to maintain and support plaintiff and their child and refusal to permit plaintiff to attend church or accompany her to same and by reason of the defendant taking and appropriating the earnings of plaintiff to his own use and spending same in gambling transactions, and by reason of his neglect to her and his attentions to another, plaintiff says that it renders their living together as man and wife, wholly insupportable and that by reason thereof she abandoned the defendant and has continued to reside away from him and that she prays for judgment for a decree of divorce and for custody of their five year old son, Dave Jackson Veal and for general and special relief.

Herein fall not, but have you 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 the said Court, at office in Snyder, Texas, this 2nd day of February, A. D., 1912.

W. S. ADAMSON
Clerk, District Court Scurry County

DECIDE YOURSELF

The Opportunity is Here Backed by Snyder Testimony.

Why use face creams if you only set their beneficial properties moment later through the application of skin drying face powders of doubtful origin? Powders wash off, soil your clothes and give your face a chafed appearance at once, indicating their use.

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rubbed into the skin, much as you would a face cream (only after its use you won't need any creams) and in a few seconds the beneficial and essential oils are absorbed by the skin and presto—

Now Note the Skin

Not oily or greasy appearing, but a dull velvety looking smooth surface will be reflected to you from the mirror—a truly alabaster like effect—and what is more it will remain that way for hours and no one will be able to detect its use.

We do not claim that all can possess the beauty of Cavalla but we do claim that any one can obtain a beautiful complexion by using Alabastrol.

Now remember that our claims are not the origination of a fertile mind as the Siloron Mfg. Co is incorporated under the laws of the State of Colorado and that Alabastrol is guaranteed under the U. S. Pure Food and Drug Act to contain nothing but the purest ingredient and is manufactured under modern and hygienic methods.

Alabastrol is healing and antiseptic in effect and though it has been on the market but a short time everyone who has used it says it is "The Most Perfect Complexion Beautifier" and mail orders from all over the country are pouring in.

We send "Alabastrol" in plain wrapper to any address in the U. S. on receipt of 50 cents Silver.

THE SILORON MFG CO.
Pueblo, Colorado.

NEW ODD FELLOWS HOME

Will Snyder Make an Effort to Secure the Institution.

Several days ago the Signal printed a suggestion from Smith Brock to the effect that Snyder ought to try to secure the location of the Odd Fellows W. and O. Home which is soon to be located somewhere in West Texas.

Since then a number of Odd Fellows have had the matter under consideration and some of our people who do not belong to the order are in favor of an effort being made to secure the location here of that valuable institution. It is expected that the Grand Lodge which meets in April will take decisive steps in the matter and a locating committee will be appointed.

This committee will investigate all propositions put before them and if the people of Snyder will frame up a guaranteed proposition this city will stand a good chance to land it.

Snyder is easy of access. She has advantages of climate, water, and other requisites to make it an ideal place for such an institution and all these points should be presented. The Signal believes that the people here will be willing to join in a liberal donation of land convenient to town. What is needed is somebody to start the ball to rolling and we feel sure the business men of Snyder will carry it to a finish.

The home will be a substantial benefit to the town, where located and would be a permanent and impressive advertisement, visited by thousands of people, and favorably spoken of by Odd Fellows and other people everywhere.

Old Jail Cells Moved

The old iron jail cells have stood as square is a thing of the past.

Since the building was torn away the old iron jail cells have stood as a sentinel over the spot where criminality was formerly confined and where justice for a quarter of a century was measured out to men. Now that grim old bastille is gone. It was pulled off of the ground this week and in a few days that corner of the court square will be cleaned up and the landscape will be more attractive.

At the Baptist Church
Sunday School 9:45 o'clock.
Preaching: 11 o'clock. Subject: "The Gospel."

Preaching 7:30 p. m.—Subject—The Delusion of Sin.

Good music and a warm welcome. Come and be with us.

M. C. BISHOP, Pastor

Rev Edgar Owen was here Friday from Fluvanna.

ANOTHER FINE RAIN SATURDAY NIGHT

West Texas in Fine Shape for Spring Farming—Tremendous Wind Storm

Snyder experienced a heavy rain and hail storm Saturday night and to the joy of everybody the ground is well soaked and the conditions especially fine for spring farming.

Deep Creek was running fuller on Sunday morning than at any time for many months.

While we were feeling good over the fine rain, a strong wind began blowing Sunday morning from the West. It increased in force all the afternoon and old settlers agree that it was the hardest straight wind and for a longer period than they could remember having seen in the West. The roaring, blustering wind, continued until far into the night.

There was considerable damage done in town and in the country.

Fences, sheds and outhouses were blown down, a number of signs were torn loose, a plate glass window in the Wilmet building was broken, two flues on the north ward school building were blown down and two rafters in the roof were broken and a cave-in of the roof was narrowly missed.

A flue at the Central building was wrecked and the windmill at the Colonial Hill school was damaged.

Jim Hart, four miles north of Snyder had a barn and wind mill damaged.

M. B. Stockton's mill was damaged.

Other reports have been coming in of wind damage.

The good rain seems to have been pretty general and puts Scurry county in good shape.

Reports say that the Panhandle country got the heaviest snow of the winter.

Telegraph and telephone lines were badly crippled and wire service was demoralized Monday.

Sparkling Eyes.

A Story

Many otherwise beautiful women have been neglected by nature with a lack of glossy lustrous dark, Eyebrows; many blonds of true Norse-mantype with beautiful eyes cannot show them off to an advantage through lack of dark, heavy lustrous eyebrows.

To meet a universal and popular demand among the fair sex we have after much experimenting produced a compound termed "DABRO" consisting of harmless Organic Substances, Essential Oils, Balsams, etc. yielding by one process a stiff emulsion which will stimulate growth of the eyebrows and darken them to the desired shade.

Harmful Eyebrow Pencils should be discarded as they only tend to envelope your hair with a film of greasy matter, preventing access of fresh air and thus to your detriment serve the opposite purpose for which you have intended them—namely, beautifying yourself.

A more modern absolutely harmless, hygienic and effective medium is

Darbo

It will not only stimulate growth of your eyebrows and darken them if too light, but will produce a luster and glossiness not duplicated by any other means. We guarantee that Darbo will do what we claim for it if used as directed or we will cheerfully refund your money.

Darbo will be sent in plain wrapper to any address in the U. S. upon receipt of 50 cents in silver. Guaranteed under U. S. Pure Food and Drug Act.

The Siloron Mfg. Co.

Pueblo Colorado.

Funeral of Rue Nation.

The funeral of Rue Nation took place at 11 o'clock today. Religious services conducted by Rev. J. W. Hunt. The funeral was conducted with Masonic Ceremonies. The funeral was attended by a very large crowd of friends. The business houses in the city were closed from 11 to 12 out of respect for the dead.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the sheriff or any constable of Scurry County—GREETING: You are hereby commanded to summon W. O. Duckett 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, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said District, to appear at the next regular term of the Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Scurry county to holden at the Courthouse thereof in Snyder, on the fourth Monday in March, A. D., 1912 the same being the 25th day of March, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the — day of — A. D. 1912 in a suit, numbered on the Docket of said court, No. 1139 where in Snyder Mercantile Company, a corporation, duly incorporated under the laws of the State of Texas is plaintiff and W. O. Duckett, et. al. are defendants, said petition alleging one certain note for the sum of \$39.55, executed by W. O. Duckett to R. R. Austin and by R. R. Austin, transferred to plaintiff in this cause. Said note bears interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from date until paid, also provides for 10 per cent attorney's fees, if collected by law.

Herein fall not, but have you before said Court on the said 1st day of the next regular term thereof this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of office of said Court, this 15th day of February, A. D., 1912.

A. S. LOWE,
Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1 Scurry County Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the sheriff or any constable of Scurry County—GREETING: You are hereby commanded to summon J. H. Moore, 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 District, to appear at the next regular term of the Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Scurry county, to be holden at the Court House thereof in Snyder, on the 4th Monday in March, A. D. 1912, the same being the 25th day of March, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 8th day of December, A. D. 1911, in a suit numbered on the Docket in said Court, No. 1314, wherein Snyder Mercantile Company a corporation, duly incorporated under the laws of the State of Texas, is plaintiff, and J. H. Moore is defendant, said petition, alleging an account of \$36.00 Dollars.

Herein fall not, but have you before said Court on the 1st day of the next regular term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of office and of said Court, this 15th day of February, A. D. 1912.

A. S. LOWE,
Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Scurry County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry County—GREETING: You are hereby commanded to summon J. A. Robbins 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, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Thirty-ninth Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in

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For seed sweet potatoes
Seed Irish potatoes
Onion sets
And all kinds of garden seeds
We can make you
Some good prices on
Anything in the
Grocery Line

Denson & Smith

Southside Square

When you are sick
you want worry if
you've money in
the BANK



How many people have you known who have gone through fearful hardships during periods of sickness, simply because they had been living beyond their means?

Bank a part of your earnings regularly and keep a reserve fund for the needs of sickness or death, which may come to us at any time. Have your family provided for, so that the pitiless hands of poverty poverty will not lay hard upon your loved ones.

Let our bank be your bank

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF SNYDER, TEXAS.

the nearest district to said Thirty-

ninth Judicial District; to appear at the next regular term of District Court of Scurry County, to be hold-

en at the court house thereof in Snyder, Texas on the third Monday in March, A. D. 1912, the same being the 18th day of March A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 11th day of December A. D. 1911 in a suit, numbered on the Docket of said court No. 1129, wherein Henry James is Plaintiff and J. A. Robbins is Defendant and Plaintiff's cause of action is suit on three promissory notes, dated July 25th, 1908, executed by J. A. Robbins payable to the Hermleigh Townsite Company \$118.75 each, 8 per cent interest per annum and providing 10 per cent attorney's fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, said notes secured by a vendor's lien on 5 acres of land out of block No. 121 of the said town of Hermleigh and fully described in a deed dated July 25, 1908 which is referred to for a fuller description also suit on one promissory note for the sum of \$31.00, dated July 23rd, 1909 signed J. A. Robbins, bearing 10 per cent interest per annum and providing for 10 per cent attorney fees and due one year after date, all of the above said notes were transferred by the Hermleigh Townsite Company to plaintiff by its instrument in writing, dated the 4th day of May, A. D. 1910. Plaintiff avers that he agreed to pay his attorney the attorney fees mentioned in said notes which are reasonable. Notice is hereby given defendant to produce on the trial of said deed from the Hermleigh Townsite Company to defendant conveying the above said land, otherwise plaintiff will introduce evidence in his behalf on the trial of said cause. Plaintiff prays for his debt, interest, attorney fees and foreclosure of his vendors' lien.

Herein fall not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term his 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 15th day of February A. D. 1912.

W. S. ADAMSON, Clerk,
District Court, Scurry County

There are lots of travelling men and prospectors coming to Snyder these days.

Loans to Farmers

Farmers need plans sometimes. It is therefore a plan for the farmer to deposit his money in the bank when he has money on hand. The farmer who dies his affairs, in a business likewise and keeps as satisfactory balance in deposit, builds up a credit at the bank which enables him to expect and to receive the help of the bank when needed.

We furnish you beyond question a

Safe Place

to deposit your money, and when time comes to make a crop, our customers are who we loan to first.

We invite all to open an account with us.

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Springs and All Kinds of Hides and Furs

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New Goods! New Goods! New Goods!

Right From the Great Metropolis of the United States---New York City

And we want you to call and see the prettiest line of Dress Silks ever shown in Snyder and the price is right.

New Shipment of Ladies' Skirts just received and they are different from what you have seen. Come and ask to see them whether you want to buy or not its a pleasure to show them

SHOES and CLOTHING, the-new Spring Styles at Prices you wont kick at. Come and See them before they are picked over

20 DOZEN CHILD'S AND MISSES SPRING SLIPPERS JUST RECEIVED, ANY STYLE YOU WANT

We Are Still in OUR NEW QUARTERS on the WEST SIDE of the SQUARE and Will Be Glad To Have You Call

The Hunter Mercantile Company

George D. Baker's (adaption of George Barr McCutcheon's popular romantic novel "Graustark" will be one of the early attractions here. No play of recent years has achieved the success accorded this stage story of love and adventure and the announcement of its early production will be welcomed, not only by the

regular theatre goers by the vast army of readers who have followed the fortunes of the people portrayed by the clever author.

Mr. M. Mercer was a pleasant caller at the Signal sanetum Monday and moved his date forward and paid for the Dallas News and a map.



Just what you wanted, your old buggy made new by putting on new stubs and boxes, guaranteed to track and run as good as new, money back if not satisfied.

Bring In Your Old Plows

And busters and have some points made for them like you never saw before. I will give you more steel and a better running point than you have ever before been use too

Have your tires set with a hydraulic cold tire setter the only one in town. All kinds of blacksmithing, horse shoeing and wood work, anything in the blacksmith line. Give me a trial.

All Work Absolutely Guaranteed

Little Westbrook

The Manhattan Hotel Opening

Under the management of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gosnell will be ready for business on

Friday, March 1st

We respectfully solicit the patronage of all our former guests, and also the public at large.

Remember we will start business with a fine turkey dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gosnell

Ira Chips.
Everything around Ira is progressing nicely since the fine rain. Lloyd Evans has moved away from the city. He moved in the west part of the community.

Mr. George Cary who has been down with mumps is now able to be up again.

Arthur Green who has been suffering severely from a sprained knee is up again able to be going.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Angel have a fine girl at their home.

Mr. Lee Stinson will return home in a few weeks from Dallas where he has been in school for the past few months.

Jackson Ellis has been up from Colorado on business. I suppose he was seen going north.

The Methodist Pastor, Bro. Caperton, filled his appointment on the third Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Taylor is down with rheumatism.

Mr. Edd Taylor, Miss Ruth James and Miss Bessie Angel attended singing at Ira Sunday evening.

Mina Autry spent the night with Mary Kellum Saturday night.

This being our first time to write to the Signal we will bring our little junk to an end.

Two Cracker Jacks.

A Cold, LaGrippe, then Pneumonia. Is too often the fatal sequence and coughs that hang on weaken the system and lower the vital resistance. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is a reliable medicine that stops the cough promptly by healing the cause; soothes the inflamed air passages and checks the cold. Keep always on hand. Refuse substitutes. Snyder Drug Company.

RANDOM SHOTS
To the Signal:

We had a flood Saturday night and a storm Sunday, but little damage done by the storm, such as small barns, hen houses and feed stacks blown down.

Bluff Creek overflowed, washed down fences and damaged roads considerably.

Grandma Meador was called to see her sick daughter, Mrs. John Davis last week.

Dock Meador went over to Big Springs some two weeks ago and got a job on the railroad. Mr. Meador has rented his land to Mr. Supulver of Snyder, who will take Dock's place. Mr. Meador and Mr. Supulver will start to Big Springs to move Dock's family Wednesday morning.

Henry Bynum of the New Morton place stayed all night at Joe Caddell's Monday night.

SPECTATOR

Backache Almost Unbearable
Is an almost certain result of kidney trouble. D. Toomey, 803 E. Olive St. Bloomington, Ill. says: "I suffered with backache and pains in my kidneys which were almost unbearable. I gave Foley Kidney Pills a good trial and they did wonders for me. Today I can do a hard day's work and not feel the effects." Snyder Drug Company.

IRA ITEMS

Well, the wind blew several wind mills down and a very good rain fell.

The wind did lots of damage in the Ira community.

Nearly all the farmers have their land put up, ready for those good seasons that have come. Plenty of season to plant on now.

Luck to the Signal and the many readers.

OLD TIMER

Socialists Name County Ticket

The Socialists of Scurry county met in Snyder on Saturday the 24th inst. Chairman Gladson called the house to order at 1:30 p. m. after stating the object of the meeting was to select a county ticket in Scurry Co it was unanimous to nominate a full county ticket and the committee selected the following:

County Judge, M. A. Drinkard.
County Attorney, J. W. Carnes.
County Clerk, F. M. Campbell.
District Clerk, E. W. Gladson.
County Treasurer, James Cruickshanks.

Sheriff, W. R. Crockett.
Assessor, G. B. Wright.
Tax Collector, G. C. Pruett.
Public Weigher, Lee Grant.
Commissioner, Precinct No. 1. J. W. Patterson.

Commissioner, Precinct No. 2. Henry Lindley.

Commissioner, Precinct No. 3. Eldridke Wade.

Commissioner, Precinct No. 4. C. B. White.

The above ticket was selected to go before the primary in July

The convention selected a committee of six to draw up a county platform to be presented back to the Socialists of Scurry county as quick as practice. The committee on platform was M. A. Drinkard, J. W. Carnes, G. A. Lamberth, W. B. Thorp, J. W. Patterson and J. W. Gladson.

As there was no further business the meeting closed subject to the call of the county chairman.

J. W. Gladson, Chairman
W. R. Crockett, Secretary.

R. G. Collins postmaster, Barnegat, N. J. was troubled with a severe La Grippe cough. He says: "I would be completely exhausted after each fit of violent coughing. I bought a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar compound and before I had taken it all the coughing spells had entirely ceased. It cant be beat."

Snyder Drug Co.

Editor J. A. Thomas of the Mineola Monitor, president of the Texas Press Association has reached the Linotype stage of newspaper life and is prepared to give his people a better paper than ever. Editor Thomas tried his hand for a while as a legislator, but different from most editor legislators, he has got enough and has no desire to quit the newspaper business to go to Congress.

MUST BELIEVE IT

When Well Known Snyder People Tell It So Plainly

When public endorsement is made by a representative citizen of Snyder the proof is positive. You must believe it. Read this testimony. Every back ache sufferer every man woman or child with any kidney trouble will find profit in the reading.

R. C. Murphy farmer Snyder Texas says: "I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to any one suffering with kidney trouble as they cured me some years ago and since then I have had no cause for complaint I had weak kidneys and was obliged to get up often at night. My back also ached. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills highly recommended I procured a box at the Grayum Drug Co. and they quickly and permanently cured me."

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Remember the name and take no other.

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

FIRST STATE BANK

At Fluyanna, State of Texas at the close of business on the 20th day of February 1912 published in the Snyder Signal, a newspaper published at Snyder, State of Texas, on the 1st day of March, 1912.

Resources

Loans and discounts, personal and collateral \$ 30 870 58
Loans, real estate 1 427 33
Overdrafts 712 63
Real Estate (banking house) 1 299 00
Furniture and fixtures 1 474 52
Due from approved reserve agents, net .. 2 698 19
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check, net

Cash Items 657.13
Currency 884.00
Specie 625.90 2 167 03
Interest in Depositors Guaranty Fund 338 40
Other Resources as follows: Assessment Guaranty Fund 29 18

Total \$41 016 86

Liabilities

Capital Stock, paid in \$ 10 000 00
Surplus Fund 1 000 00
Undivided profits, net 324 84
Due to banks and bankers subject to check net 931 72
Individual deposits, subject to check 18 428 73
Cashier's checks 331 57
Bills Payable and Discounts 10 000 00

Total \$41 016 86

STATE OF TEXAS

County of Scurry

We, John A. Stavelly as president, and S. P. Smith, as cashier of said bank each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

JOHN A. STAVELY, President
S. P. SMITH, Cashier

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 27 day of Feb. A. D. 1912, Witness my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid.

FRED MORRIS, Notary Public

CORRECT—Attest:

D. A. JONES,
J. E. JONES,
Directors.

Col. A. Eby, the Santa Fe land man came in Thursday.



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Baked fresh daily—you will find this good bread a wealth of satisfaction and for purity and wholesomeness it has no equal. TRY IT

**THE STATE OF TEXAS
and County of Scurry**

To G. B. Selman and to all persons owning, or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Scurry, for taxes to-wit: Situated in the County of Scurry, State of Texas, as follows, to-wit:

Lot 2, Block 79 in Scarborough Addition to Snyder, Texas which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts: \$3.64 for State taxes and \$36.77 for County Taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March term of the District Court of Scurry County, and State of Texas to be begun and holden at the Court House in Snyder on the 18th day of March, A. D., 1912 and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot) and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness W. S. Adamson, Clerk of the District Court of Scurry County. Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Snyder, Texas, this the 19th day of February A. D. 1912.

W. S. ADAMSON, Clerk
District Court, Scurry Co., Texas.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS AND
County of Scurry**

To R. H. Thompson and to all persons owning, or having, or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the City of Snyder, for taxes, to-wit: Situated in the City of Snyder, State of Texas as follows, to-wit:

Lot 5, Block 20, Gross Sub Division of Scarborough Addition, which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts: \$4.34 for City Taxes and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the City of Snyder for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of Scurry County, and State of Texas, beginning 18th day of March, A. D., 1912, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot), and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness, W. S. Adamson, Clerk of the District Court of Scurry County. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Snyder, Texas, this the 31st day of January A. D. 1912.

W. S. ADAMSON, Clerk
District Court, Scurry County, Texas

**THE STATE OF TEXAS
and County of Scurry**

To W. B. Marshall and to all persons owning, or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Scurry, for taxes to-wit: Situated in the County of Scurry, State of Texas, as follows, to-wit:

Lot 10, block 28, Gross sub div. of Scarborough Add to Snyder, Tex, which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts: 6 cents for State taxes and \$2.96 for County Taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March term of the District Court of Scurry County, and State of Texas to be begun and holden at the Court House in Snyder on the 18th day of March, A. D.,

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W. S. ADAMSON, Clerk.
District Court, Scurry Co., Texas.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS
and County of Scurry**

To B. A. Cordell and to all persons owning, or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Scurry, for taxes to-wit: Situated in the County of Scurry, State of Texas, as follows, to-wit:

Lot 2, Block 25, Grayum & Nelson Addition to Snyder, Texas which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts: 19 cents for State taxes and \$3.59 for County Taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March term of the District Court of Scurry County, and State of Texas to be begun and holden at the Court House in Snyder on the 18th day of March, A. D., 1912 and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot) and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

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W. S. ADAMSON, Clerk.
District Court, Scurry Co., Texas.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS
and County of Scurry**

To Mrs. S. L. Fox and to all persons owning, or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Scurry, for taxes to-wit: Situated in the County of Scurry, State of Texas, as follows, to-wit:

Lot 11, block 61, Fluvanna, Texas which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts: 6 cents for State taxes and \$2.97 for County Taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March term of the District Court of Scurry County, and State of Texas to be begun and holden at the Court House in Snyder on the 18th day of March, A. D., 1912 and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot) and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

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W. S. ADAMSON, Clerk.
District Court, Scurry Co., Texas.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS
and County of Scurry**

To J. B. Brown and to all persons owning, or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Scurry, for taxes to-wit: Situated in the County of Scurry, State of Texas, as follows, to-wit:

lows, to-wit:

Lot 1 in block 21, Chambers Addition to Snyder, Texas, which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts: 7 cents for State taxes and \$5.84 for County Taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March term of the District Court of Scurry County, and State of Texas to be begun and holden at the Court House in Snyder on the 18th day of March, A. D., 1912 and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot) and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

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W. S. ADAMSON, Clerk.
District Court, Scurry Co., Texas.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS
and County of Scurry**

To W. W. Wood and to all persons owning, or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Scurry, for taxes to-wit: Situated in the County of Scurry, State of Texas, as follows, to-wit:

Lot 5, block 6, Chambers Addition to town of Snyder, Texas, which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts: 20 cents for State taxes and \$8.31 for County Taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March term of the District Court of Scurry County, and State of Texas to be begun and holden at the Court House in Snyder on the 18th day of March, A. D., 1912 and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot) and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

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W. S. ADAMSON, Clerk.
District Court, Scurry Co., Texas.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS
and County of Scurry**

To Mrs. Annie Massey and to all persons owning, or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Scurry, for taxes to-wit: Situated in the County of Scurry, State of Texas, as follows, to-wit:

Lot 13, block 1, Cody Heights Land Company, Subdivision of Cody Heights Addition to Snyder, Texas, which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts: 8 cents for State taxes and \$5.78 for County Taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March term of the District Court of Scurry County, and State of Texas to be begun and holden at the Court House in Snyder on the 18th day of March, A. D., 1912 and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot) and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

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District Court, Scurry Co., Texas.

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To R. H. Jessey, and to all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Scurry, for taxes to-wit: Situated in the County of Scurry, State of Texas, as follows, to-wit:

Lots 3, 4, 5, and 6, block 2, Ball Addition to Fluvanna, Texas which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts: \$2.89 for State taxes and \$14.59 for County Taxes and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March term of the District Court of Scurry County, and State of Texas, to be begun and holden at the court house in Snyder on the 18th day of March, A. D., 1912, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot), and ordering

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W. S. ADAMSON, Clerk
District Court, Scurry County, Tex.

OSTEOPATHY

For a limited time, on account of the scarcity of money and in the hope of widening the scope of osteopathy, which suffers as only truth can suffer, that is, it is not understood, I will make the price of treatment in the office at \$1.00 cash. No osteopath ever lost a case of acute indigestion. This alone should make it impossible for one man to do the work in your city.

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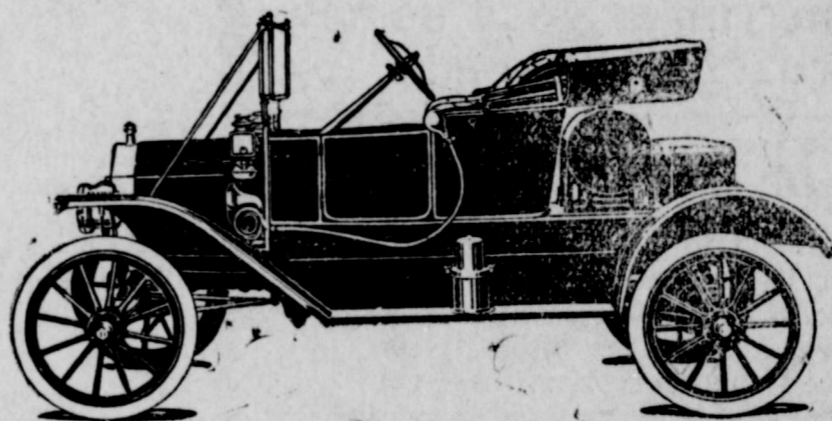
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for
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is in this bank.

Look at these two men. They have been to market their cotton. One put his money in the bank and the other didn't. They were held up on the way home. The silly fellow who wanted to take his money home had to "deliver" to the robbers. The other was able to "give them the laugh"—His money was in the bank. Take a lesson from this—put your harvest money in this bank like all other successful farmers. It is the safest place—Withdraw it when ever you please.

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If you are weak and ailing, think what it would mean, to you, to recover as quickly as Mrs. Navy did. For more than 50 years, this purely vegetable, tonic remedy, for women, as been used by thousands of weak and ailing sufferers. They found it of real value in relieving their aches and Why suffer longer? A remedy that has relieved so many, is ready, at the nearest drug store, for you. Try it, today.

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SNYDER'S INSURANCE RATES

State Board Makes Wrong Estimate of Water Consumption. Refuse to Observe Facts—Cling to Theory.

Ever since the State of Texas took it upon herself to go into the fire insurance business and to take the matter of rate making away from the competing insurance companies and leave it up to an insurance board, it has been understood that all towns would be given a key rate or basic rate from which to regulate insurance charges.

The City of Snyder proceeded to establish a system of water works and it was expected that a rate would be made for Snyder, based upon the equipments here for fire protection, but it seems that the Board is not disposed to reduce the cost.

An engineer was sent here and after looking over our pumping facilities, he took into consideration the entire population of the town and figured a daily consumption of 110 gallons of water per capita and reported that the pumping capacity is 20 per cent short of supplying the quantity of water.

Now as a matter of fact the mains are laid to the business district and probably not five per cent of the people are using the city water and therefore our pumping capacity is far in excess of the demands.

After the engineer had made his report our local insurance people saw the injustice of the ruling of the board and Mr. Baker of the firm of Baker, Grayum and Anderson opened correspondence with the State Board.

The following correspondence will explain the situation:

On Feb. 16, Mr. Baker wrote as follows:
Hon. State Fire Rating Board,
Austin, Texas

Gentlemen—Mr. Monroe of the force of Mr. Roulet, actuary for the fire insurance companies, has just been in our town investigating the water works plant with a view of getting the data on which to base a new key rate for Snyder, in figuring the new rates under the Texas schedule.

We learn from Mr. Monroe that our pumping plant under the new schedule is twenty per cent deficient which deficiency he arrives at by multiplying the entire population of the city by 110 gallons, consumption daily and then taking the pumping capacity daily.

This, to our way of thinking is an injustice or rather a paradox. It would be correct if the water was consumed or even if the water was in reach of the consumer and he merely did not choose to use it, perhaps there would be some reason in arriving at the matter in this way, but as a matter of fact this kind of consumption is absolutely impossible, for the reason that the water system is arranged only to supply the mercantile section and possibly in this arrangement the mains are run so that five per cent of the population could take advantage of it in the residence section. As a matter of fact the pumping capacity is far in excess of the requirements or any possible consumption unless the water mains were extended over the entire residence section of the town.

Now it is a fact also that all residences beyond five hundred feet and up to one thousand feet in direct line from fire plug is charged one half the key rate plus ten cents and all over 1000 feet must use a key rate of one dollar. We have here the citizens paying the penalty for not having the water and in the section where we do have the water we have them penalized in the key rate on the supposition that they are using the entire 110 gallons daily.

(In other words to boll it down, the section of the town enjoying water privileges and protection must stand for a deprecation of 20 per cent in pumping capacity which is imaginary and not real.

We would appreciate your views on the subject.

Very truly yours,
Baker, Grayum & Anderson

Mr. Pollard's reply:
Messrs. Baker, Grayum & Anderson,
Agents, Snyder, Texas

Gentlemen: I have read with much interest your valued favor of the 16 inst, commenting on the charge in the key rate for Snyder, because of the charge in your key rate that your pumping plant was 20 per cent deficient.

For your information I beg to advise that the method used in making up the Snyder key rate is the method used throughout the State in making all key rates. It is absolutely necessary that we have a standard for making the key rates for all towns in the State and it would be impractical or impossible to arrange such standard on conditions

peculiar to any particular town.

Trusting that this will make it clear to you the position of the Board with regards to the application of the schedules in making up the key rate for Snyder, I am with kindest regards,

Yours truly,
Robt. L. Pollard,
Secretary.

Second Snyder Letter:
Hon State Insurance Board,
Austin, Texas,

Gentlemen: Your esteemed favor of the 16th instant has been received and contents carefully noted.

We are very well aware of the fact that the method used at arriving at the key rate for Snyder is the same as used for other towns in the State. What we attempted to point out to you was the seeming injustice done in the application of the standard set by you.

It is quite clear to us that it is quite possible for a standard to be set that will not work this injustice and that will work the same for all towns in the state. It is not therefore sufficient to say that you are merely following the standard set, when there is something wrong with the standard that can be easily remedied.

We take the liberty to suggest at least one plan of remedying this defect, which to our minds will easily work. Instead of multiplying the entire population of the town by the estimated consumption of 110 gallons daily, multiply the population of the town that receives full key rate credit in the rates made by the 110 gallons and in this way you will arrive at actual conditions, on which rates are made instead of imaginary. It is a very easy matter to get the required data from the water department upon which to make the figures.

We would be glad to hear from you again as we are not satisfied with the condition as it now exists.

Very truly yours,
Baker, Grayum and Anderson.

Mr. Pollard's reply:
Messrs. Baker, Grayum & Anderson
Snyder, Texas.

Gentlemen: I have read with much interest your valued favor of the 21 instant further criticising the method used in the general basis schedule in making the charge in the key rate for the amount of water per capita.

The Board gave this matter most careful consideration before promulgating the general basis schedules, and feels that the method pursued is fair and equitable. It is the same rule that has been in use in this State since the original State Fire Rating Board Law was passed and is the usual method throughout the United States for estimating amount of water which should be furnished by a waterworks system to supply the demands.

The board has as above stated given this matter its most careful consideration and does not feel that it would be wise to change the method.

With kindest regards, I am,
Yours truly,
Robt. L. Pollard,
Secretary.

COUNTY JUDGE AT SCHOOL

Tells of Visit to Country Schools—Is Pleased With Work.

Snyder, Texas, Feb. 26, 1912.
Snyder Signal,
Gentlemen:

Bad weather and sickness has retarded my school work to some extent, however I take pleasure in coming again with another report.

My next school was Plainview, some six or eight miles east of town in the Herring neighborhood. Miss Cecil McCullough is holding the fort, with a fine bunch of boys and girls. It certainly was a great pleasure to me to be in this school, a real school. Miss McCullough is one of our best teachers and not one word of complaint has come from that school this term. A splendid record for any school. Plainview citizens ought to congratulate themselves on just such a splendid school. But why not, they have a good school, splendid teacher, and as fine set of boys and girls as you see in any school, a good building, desks, etc., and last but not least, they have so much pride in their school that they have a windmill over a splendid well, something that you seldom ever see for a school. But where patron, teacher and pupils all work for the up building of a school, you will always find a splendid school. The sooner we realize that an education is about all we can give our children, the better and greater interest and nearer and dearer our school will be to us.

Driving south about four miles south and one east we found the

Bell school in Mr. Sam Johnson's neighborhood. There we found a small school under the tutorage of Miss Ohlhausen. Miss Ida is a product of the Dunn High School and I stop here to toss a bouquet at the Dunn High School. They are I am sure, and ought to be proud of Miss Ida. Not only is Miss Ida a product of Dunn High School, but she is one of Scurry county's girls, and we take pleasure in saying that we have a number of Scurry county young men and young women teaching in Scurry county this year and they are just as good as you find from any county and I may say better because they are home people. Miss Ida is a real teacher, while her school is not so large as others but you just ought to step in and watch for a while and you will see a real school, ranging from the primer to the higher branches. There I found such fine children, all doing their best, and to my surprise I found two grown young ladies, and I asked them if they were attending school also, and one of them remarked, sure we never get too old to learn. There I was caused to stop and think. How many in this grand old state that have the very best advantages that money can buy to secure an education and it was thrown away, wasted, trampled under foot but in these two young ladies I found the real determination and the burning desire to secure an education. These kind of efforts are what make the real men and women of the age.

Next in order is Independence school. No 11, there I found a household of children, some big some little, some old, some older, some young and some younger, some pretty and some prettier, some good and some better, and of course there might be some bad and some worse but if there is they did not show

up while I was there, and I was there some little time. This is a two teacher school, and I am glad again to say that both teachers are from Scurry county, Dunn, Texas. Mr. Jessie, T. Smith is the principal with Miss Dora McFarland as assistant. Dunn High School comes in again for another bouquet, and I don't care what county you go to get teachers, you will not beat the ones at Independence, this school is graded, and taught right up to date. Mr. Smith has the higher grades and Miss McFarland has the lower ones, each in a separate room. Not a word of complaint has come from this school this term while Mr. is a teacher of experience, and if you were to go into his room you would think he was a teacher of considerable more experience than he has, his pupils like him and the real burning desire for an education is apparent in the face and action of each and every pupil, perfect ladies and gentlemen in their demeanor toward teacher and one another.

In Miss McFarland's room you find a room full of little tots, in fact they are somewhat crowded, and need more room, but they are doing their best, and when they recite their little lessons, you can soon discern that teacher and pupil been at work. While this is Miss Dora's first year as a teacher, she bids fair to make one of our very best teachers and that ere long. The little fellows appreciate the fact that she is doing for them that which is for their good. With kindness but firm she goes about her work, and those little bright shiny faces reciprocate with good lessons and deportment. Independence has splendid special tax supplement to the state funds. They believe in education.

Fritz R. Smith.

Pennsylvania is said to be lined up for Woodrow Wilson.

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Snyder Garage, Snyder, Tex

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Our business methods and the policy of this drug store will bear the light of day at all times. Our patrons find that we invariably have the goods they demand; that our prices are right; that our service is unexcelled. In short if you are not our regular customer we invite you to give the matter consideration; to call in at "The Owl," on the north side of square

You will find trading with us pleasant, and, to our mutual profit. Yours for better drugstore satisfaction

Owl Drug Store

"The Busy Place"

F. V. Clark, Druggist

Personal and Local

A. T. Reat made a business trip to Fluvanna Wednesday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lon Ritter, February 28 a boy.

Representative Underwood of Alabama is a candidate for the democratic nomination for president.

If you don't sleep well at night, are nervous and low spirited, you need a system purifier. Herbine is a powerful liver stimulant and cleansing medicine. It quiets the nerves, promotes energy and cheerfulness. Price 50 cents, sold by all druggists

Earl Nation returned Wednesday morning from Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Porter King left Wednesday evening for a visit to Midlothian.

Guy R. Scott was here Wednesday from Hernleigh.

Mrs. J. W. Massey is reported on the sick list this week.

The "Child's Welfare" movement has challenged the attention of the thoughtful people everywhere. Mothers are natural supporters and will find in Foley's Honey and Tar Compound a most valuable aid. Coughs and colds that unchecked lead to croup, bronchitis and pneumonia yield quickly to the healing and soothing qualities of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. Snyder Drug Co

Mr. and Mrs. JoJe Caton returned Monday from the eastern dry goods markets. Now keep your eye on their store and watch the new good come in.

For good Mebane Cotton Seed at 75 cents per bushel, see J. W. Templeton. Left there for sale by R. O. von Roeder.

Rev. R. C. Maderis of Pecos, representing the Western Evangel was the guest this week of Rev. M. C. Bishop.

Seed Sweet potatoes, Seed Irish Potatoes, Onion Sets, Garden and Flower seeds galore at CURRY & TAYLOR'S

Mrs. F. M. Bogart who has been here for several weeks, visiting her mother, Mrs. Boyd and her brother H. M. left Wednesday morning for her home at Burlington, Colorado.

C. A. Glossner, 24 Ontario St. Rochester, N. Y. has recovered from a long severe attack of kidney trouble his cure being due to Foley Kidney Pills. After detailing the case he said "I am only sorry that I did not learn sooner of Foley Kidney Pills. In a few days time my backache entirely left me and I felt greatly improved. My Kidneys became strong-

er dizzy spells left me and I was no longer annoyed at night. I feel 100 per cent better since using Foley Kidney Pills" Snyder Drug Co.

Fred Massey is handling the Express wagon in place of regular driver McGlaun who is laid up with the mumps.

You will look a good while before you find a better medicine for coughs and colds than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It not only gives relief—it cures. Try it when you have a cough or cold, and you are certain to be pleased with the prompt cure which it will effect. For sale by all dealers.

We will not gin any more until Friday, March 15 and that will close this season's ginning. Try to be here that day if you have any cotton. Farmers Union Gin Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodloe who have been the guests for some time of their daughter, Mrs. U. C. Howard, have returned to their home at Walnut Springs.

To prevent pneumonia a cold settled in the lungs should be attended to at once. Put a HERRICKS RED PEPPER POROUS PLASTER on the chest and take BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP internally. It is a winning combination. Buy the dollar size Horehound Syrup. You get a porous plaster free with each bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Sheriff John Williams of Borden county spent Tuesday in Snyder the guest of Sheriff Boles.

John Mooar of Colorado was in Snyder two or three days of this week.

Pleurisy pains are located just below the short ribs. Lumbago affects the same region but toward the back. BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT is the remedy in either case. If rubbed in thoroughly, it eases pain, relaxes the muscles and the patient can move about freely and comfortably. Price 25, 50 and \$1 per bottle sold by all druggists.

If Texas democrats keep up the present stampede to Woodrow Wilson it will soon be too late for Senator Bailey to stop the rush.

Conditions are growing more serious in the strike of textile workers at Lawrence, Mass. The authorities decided to take care of a lot of children, who were apt to suffer while their fathers are idle and undertook to move the children by force. The parents objected and a riot ensued.

Think what you miss. Box Ball. The fascinating bowling game that requires no boy to set pins. A game for ladies and gentlemen. Next door to the Post Office.

Get rid of that tired feeling. Box Ball brings you health as well as

entertainment. Come and try a game today.

Next to Post office.

Scoggin and Stokes shipped two cars of cattle Wednesday to the Ft. Worth market.

The Book Worth Reading
The Adler-I-ka book, telling how you can easily guard against appendicitis and how you can relieve constipation or gas on the stomach almost INSTANTLY, is offered free for a short time by the Snyder Drug Company.

L. O. Kimbrough of Ennis Creek was in town Wednesday feeling good over the splendid farming outlook. He was asked the general question: "How is Ennis Creek?" and answered "Doing nicely—it was able to be up last Sunday."

Why He Was Late.
"What made you so late?"
"I met Smithson."
"Well, that is no reason why you should be an hour late getting home to supper."
"I know, but I asked him how he was feeling, and he insisted on telling me about his stomach trouble."
"Did you tell him to take Chamberlain's Tablets?"
"Sure, that is what he needs." Sold by all dealers.

Mrs. M. F. Smith and Mrs. Nellie Smith who have been visiting Mr. W. W. Elland and family at Ira have returned to their home in Dallas.

For rheumatism you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. Try it and see how quickly it gives relief. For sale by all dealers.

Don't be surprised if you have an attack of rheumatism this spring. Just rub the affected parts freely with Chamberlain's Liniment and it will soon disappear. Sold by all dealers.

Teddy says he thinks he has made his position plain. We agree with him.—Abilene Reporter.

He may change his notion. People thought they understood him before when he said so positively and pompously that he would not accept a third term.

Lumbago Rheumatism and Chilblain
There is nothing that gives so quick benefit as Hunt's Lightning Oil. The very minute it is rubbed on improvement is noticed. For over thirty years, this liniment has been acknowledged to be the best for these troubles. Every druggist will recommend it. Price 25 and 50 cents per bottle.

Democrats believe that a democrat like Wilson will draw republican votes and republicans believe that Roosevelt will receive many democratic votes. So there now—Wall street will not want either of them on that basis, but will throw its force to whoever it thinks will best serve its purposes.

How Foolish.
To suffer from skin diseases, (itch, eczema, ringworm etc.) when one fifty cent box of Hunt's cure is your money promptly refunded. Every retail druggist in the state stand behind this guarantee. Ask your druggist and see the guarantee with each box. You don't risk anything in giving it a trial.

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DRUGS, DRUGGIST SUNDRIES, TOILET ARTICLES, SCHOOL SUPPLIES, PERFUMERY,

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We can supply your wants in the Drug Line—We want your trade for the NEW YEAR.

Grayum Drug Co.,

(Established 1890.)

The REXALL Store

Classified Ad

FOR SALE—A Jersey male 3 old next Spring. Perfectly good. See J. C. Randall 11 miles west of Snyder at Bailey Place.

I now have my office upstairs over the Lockhart Barber shop. All parties desiring to see me about their notes and accounts with the McCullough Hardware Company will please call on me there. W. A. McCULLOUGH

FOR SALE—I have some good mares to sell on fall time. See them at my place one mile west of Snyder. D. D. Daniels.

FOR SALE—I have for sale some Mules and Horses which I will sell at bargain prices. Bernard Longbotham.

FOR SALE—Good young Duroc Cow, fresh in milk. Apply to B. Blackard at Blackard Bros.

FOR SALE—20 acres of land, three-room house, well crib, about 110 acres in cultivated land five miles northwest of Snyder. Price \$16.00 per acre. rent if not sold. For terms apply to J. W. GLADSON 36-4t

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For good income property in Snyder, fine land in Gaines County Texas. For particulars write V. K. Cowling, owner Seminole Texas.

FOR SALE—Fine Jersey Puffer, with first calf 4 months old. \$50 will get her. W. E. Head, Dunn, Texas. 36-4t

FOR SALE—Rhode Island Chickens \$1.00 for 15. Mrs. G. Snyder, Hernleigh, Texas 36-4t

FOR SALE—3 acres of land near oil well at Snyder. Address: P. W. Stringer, Mt. Vernon, Texas.

FOR SALE—One full blood male for sale. \$25.00 J. G. DAVIS,

Notice
If you want one of the best all lions in the county, I have one that I will trade for horse stock or good town property, or will sell him on credit and take good notes for one or two years. D. D. DANIELS, Snyder.

Glorious News
comes from Dr. J. T. Curtiss, at Dwight, Kan. He writes: "I have not only cured bad cases of Eczema in my patients with Electric Bitters but also cured myself by them of the same disease. I feel sure that they will benefit any case of Eczema." This shows what thousands have proved that Electric Bitters is a most effective blood purifier. Its an excellent remedy for Eczema, ter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils, itching sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels expels poisons helps digestion, builds up strength. Price 50 cents, satisfaction guaranteed by all druggists.

I now own the well known lion "Texas" formerly owned by C. Darby. Will make the same my farm a mile and a half from Camp Springs.

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What I Should do When in Doubt about the Best Place to Buy Groceries

No matter what you want in groceries you will always find it here and our prices are so low as quality will permit

Bewley's Best Flour

We have sold car after car of this flour without a single complaint which is the best recommendation we could offer. Try a sack and be convinced That its Really The Best.

We pay the highest cash prices for chickens and eggs

HAMM & LEVERETT

SNYDER, TEXAS

Notice

I will be out of the county for several weeks and have made arrangements with Mr. H. A. Goodwin to look after the surveyor's office while I am away.

J. E. EUBANK, County Surveyor.

O. M. Rhea and E. K. Smith left Wednesday for the Oil Fields at Electra and Petrolia.

Next Saturday will be Trades' Day at Hernleigh and a big crowd is expected. The Santa Fe Demonstration train will be one of the attractions. The same train will arrive in Snyder at 11 a. m. and remain here two hours.

"My little son had a very severe cold. I was recommended to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and before a small bottle was finished he was as well as ever," writes Mrs. H. Silks, 29 Dowling Street, Sydney, Australia. This remedy is sold by all dealers.

Col. Tatom has been at Lockhart for several weeks selling his combination floor cleaner and says he has done a good business. He came in a few days ago to see his people but left Monday evening for Morrilton, Arkansas where he expects to work for quite a while.

Pneumonia and Pleurisy
For over thirty years Hunt's Lightning Oil has been acknowledged to be a very quick relief when rubbed well on the chest. Many hundred letters testify to the benefit it has given others. Why not try it? All druggists, 25c and 50c bottles.

Scurry County land will grow as much stuff as an east or Central Texas farm and only costs one fourth as much.

Our good friend I. H. Walton of route 2 came in Monday and dropped a cart wheel into the subscription box.

There are grounds to warrant a belief that if Snyder will stand solid for the proposition we may land the location of the West Texas I. O. O. F. Home.

Dr. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

Made from Pure, Grape Cream of Tartar

Surpasses every other baking powder in making delicious, healthful food.

Protects the food from alum.

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