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the boll worm.
On August 1st, 1908, my cotton crop was as fine as I have ever seen in this county, it had never suffered for moisture, had made a splendid growth, and at that time was loaded with bolls and forms that would have produced three-fourth of a bale to the acre; yet in three weeks time owing to the ravages of the boll worm there was scarcely a boll or form left on my entire crop. A new crop put on in September but was practically all destroyed by an early frost, and I gathered less than one-twentieth of a bale to the acre.
It was such a costly experience to me that I did not care to repeat it, so I began an investigation the purpose of which was to ascertain whether or not there was any known means of effectively combating this apparently insignificant, but formidable foe of the cotton farmer. I have found there are three methods that have been used with more or less success in combating the ravages of the boll worm.
First. Planting early maturing varieties of cotton so that the bolls have attained such size and such degree of toughness, that when the August generation of worms are hatched the bolls cannot be entered by them. This method affords but very little protection for obvious reasons.
Second. The planting of strips of corn and cow peas through the cotton field. This method affords considerable protection here, and where used, after planting forty rows of cotton a strip should be left for five rows of Mexican June corn and continue this through the field, alternating with forty rows of cotton and five rows of corn. The corn should be planted on or near June 1st, so as to be in silk and tassell the last days of July or first days of August. This method will be found more effective if cow peas are planted in the corn ten days after corn planting. The moth producing boll worms how a decided preference for corn in the silk and tassell and will therefore deposit her eggs upon the corn and peas in preference to cotton plant, and therein lies the protection of this method.
Third. By the timely and proper application of poisons, and this is by far the most effective means of combating the boll worm. The opinion prevails to great extent among cotton farmers that the boll worm cannot be successfully poisoned because it bores to the interior of bolls and squares and does not feed upon the exterior of the plant to any extent. Such a belief is true only of the latter stages of the larva or worm.
The average farmer seldom has his attention attracted by so small a creature as a newly hatched boll worm and therefore the habits of the worm during the early stages of its larval existence is practically unknown to him. It is only during this stage that poison can be effectively used in boll worm control. Immediately upon its escape from the egg the little larva devours its deserted egg shell and then begins a restless search for food. It may wander about here and there for hours frequently tasting or rasping the surface of leaf or other portion of the plant where it may be, in its efforts to find suitable food and many of the tiny larvae perish in their attempts to find suitable food. It is during this period that poison is most effective. When entrance has once been effected into an oil or form there is then no more surface feeding and consequently poisons are of no more avail.
Paris Green at the rate of two pounds to the acre either pure or mixed with cheap flour is an effective poison. London Purple at the rate of two pounds per acre mixed with from 10 to 15 pounds of slacked lime is also effective. These poisons should be applied when the foliage of the plants is damp, early in the morning or late in the evening being the best times. The usual method of applying the poison is by putting it mixed with the lime or flour into two ordinary jute gunny sacks and tying a sack on each end of a stout pole and putting this pole across the pommel of a saddle and trotting a horse or mule along between the rows, dusting two rows by the same operation. The sacks should be so spaced on the poles as to hang directly over the cotton rows. The horse should be made to trot so as to violently agitate the sacks. Before beginning to apply the poison the person doing the work should remove all clothing which is to be worn regularly and put on an old cast off suit to be worn only while actually applying the poison. As soon as he quits applying poison remove the clothing in use, take a bath and put on the clothing regularly used. The horse should be thoroughly washed off each time after he has been used to apply the poison. Do this and keep your stock out of the fields of cot-

ton and THERE IS NO DANGER.
It is claimed by some that it is dangerous to pick cotton that has been treated in the foregoing manner. This is untrue, there is absolutely no danger.
No arbitrary rule can be given as to the exact time when the poison should be first applied. During the last days of July or the first days of August when the moths become plentiful in the fields the poison should be applied as you may then know that the moths are busy depositing the eggs which will soon be hatched into worms. Two or even three applications at intervals of ten days may be necessary. The first applications at intervals of ten days may be necessary. The first application as a rule should be made about the last of July and should be repeated in a week or ten days. In case of rain following an application the poisonous dose should be repeated at once.
The boll worm cost the farmers of Scurry County at least five hundred thousand dollars in 1908 which could have been saved by the expenditure of a few cents per acre. Owing to the deficiency of rain fall during the last two years it is highly probable that we will have an excess of rainfall during the present season. Excess of rain makes ideal conditions for the boll worms. It therefore behooves us to prepare NOW to combat its ravages. Arrangements should be made with our druggists to sell us the poison in large quantities at a nominal profit and each farmer should at once place his order for a liberal quantity so as to have it on hand when the necessity for its use arrives.
I have been requested by a number of public spirited citizens to write this article and I gladly do so in the hope that it will redound to the welfare of the people of Scurry County.
F. I. TOWNSEND.

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THE BOLL WORM; APPEAL TO COTTON GROWERS

To the Scurry County Cotton Growers:
Following herewith we beg to hand you a letter from Mr. F. I. Townsend, who as you are undoubtedly aware, is not only a practical farmer but a gentleman schooled in the latest and best methods for the advancement of agriculture. The accompanying article from him is not from hearsay but from facts gained from many sources and principally from reports and personal inspection of the United States Government work on this very topic.

The system of using lights is a good one but it must be remembered that the millers do no damage of themselves, they only lay the eggs. Each miller moth is capable of depositing thousands of eggs and unless all of the millers are killed by the lights it means that even a very few of them remaining can do untold havoc from the fact that their eggs hatch very quickly and turn loose an army of worms.
The worm is the thing that does the damage and must be combatted with the best means possible and that means is the use of poison and is the object of this county wide campaign. All along the Red River and especially in the state of Louisiana poisoning the boll worm has long been found the only sure method and is handled the same as herein contained.

We want every cotton grower to read Mr. Townsend's article carefully and BE PREPARED, and after he has gotten his plants to the point where they are well fruited and the

worm appears and he cares to save his crop to enter into this work as we know it means dollars and cents to him.

We ask and invite your co-operation and support and believe preparation in time will prove of great value to our farmers.

Please write Mr. Townsend at Snyder or the Young Men's Business League of your intention in the matter and a public demonstration to more fully illustrate will be given at a later date.

Yours very truly,
The Young Men's Business League.

To the Farmers of Scurry County:

There was perhaps never before in the history of Scurry County prospects as favorable to crops at this season of the year as now exist. Our lands were never more thoroughly and scientifically prepared before and were therefore in an ideal condition to receive the bountiful rains which have fallen, and as a result we have an abundant supply of moisture extending deep down into the sub-soil, which if properly conserved will carry our crops for towards maturity.

A perfect stand of both cotton and feed stuffs has been obtained from the first planting, all of which is very encouraging and it should be so. Cotton is the great money crop of the South and is the great money crop of Scurry county. Experience has taught us that although we may have an abundant supply of moisture and may use perfect cultural methods, yet, the returns from our cotton crop can be reduced to practically nothing by the ravages of

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RUPTURE EXPERT HERE

Seeley, Who Fitted Czar of Russia, Called to Sweetwater.

F. H. Seeley of Chicago and Philadelphia, the noted truss expert, will be at the Grogan Hotel and will remain in Sweetwater Saturday only, June 28, Mr. Seeley says: "The Spermatic Shield Truss as now used and approved by the United States Government will not only retain any case of rupture perfectly, affording immediate and complete relief, but closes the opening in 10 days on the average case. This instrument received the only award in England and in Spain, producing results without surgery, harmful injections, medical treatments or prescriptions. Mr. Seeley has documents from the United States Government, Washington, D. C., for inspection. All charity cases without charge, or if any interested call he will be glad to show the truss without charge or fit them if desired. Any one ruptured should remember the date and take advantage of this opportunity 1-2t.

The Druggists Association at Galveston put itself on record as favoring repeal of the law prohibiting shipment of liquor into dry territory, especially so far as concerns the receiving and selling for medical purposes. Whosoever a man's treasure is, there will his heart be also.

The Only and Best Itch Medicine.
Says Dr. W. V. Brockingham, of Kingstree, S. C. He writes "Please send me by mail at once one dozen Hunt's Cure, the only and best itch medicine to be found in the U. S." 50c per box, and money promptly refunded if it fails in Itch, Eczema, Ringworm, Tetter, etc. All druggists. Manufactured by A. B. Richards Medicine Co., Sherman, Texas. 51-tf

To the old Soldiers of Scurry County
Owing to the deficiency in the state treasury, we the undersigned Banks, will pay your pensions Warrants at full face. Bring them in and get your money.
First National Bank,
By E. E. Grimes.
First State Bank & Trust Co.,
The Snyder National Bank,
By O. P. Thrane, Cash.

WILL PREVENT PROTECTION FOR REFINED SUGAR
The Chamber of Commerce at Greenville, Texas, discovered that while the proposed tariff bill put raw and brown sugar on the free list it was leaving a duty of two cents a pound on refined sugar. This was a direct protection for refiners. The attention of Senator Sheppard was called to this point. He at once began to look into the matter and found it so. It looks queer that none of the committee had noticed it. Mr. Sheppard proposes to see that such a discrimination favorable to the refiners is not allowed.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Scurry county, on the 21st day of May, 1913, in a certain cause wherein The state of Texas is plaintiff, and Geo. Cole is defendant, in which cause a judgment was rendered on the 17th day of March, 1913, in favor of the said plaintiff, The State of Texas, against said defendant Geo. Cole, for the sum of Five and 9/100 dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 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 July, 1913, it being the 1st day of said month, at the Court house door in Snyder, Texas, within legal hours, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of Geo. Cole in and to the following described real estate, levied upon as the property of Geo. Cole, to-wit:
Lot 11, Block 22, Gross Sub S. A. Snyder, Texas.
The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for Five and 9/100 dollars, in favor of the State of Texas, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.
J. B. BOYD,
Sheriff Scurry County, Texas
Snyder, Texas May 31, 1913.—51-4t

Sheriff Boyd returned Saturday from San Antonio. He said the case against Boyd was dismissed and the case against Sawyer Essary.
W. W. Whitehead was in Saturday from his farm and was looking as pleasant as he could.

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Continuous show from 8:30 to 10:45 p. m.
Admission 10 cents.

Speaking of the wining and dining lobby at Washington the Beaumont Journal says:
This lobby does not even dog or harass the senators with personal appeals. Its viciousness and insidiousness according to the senator, lies in the fact that it endeavors by organized activity to mold public opinion, and thus induce legislative action in a particular direction. It is, in short, what a well known former Missouri legislator has defined as the process of "accelerating public opinion with the liberal use of shining inducements."
O. L. Jones said Saturday wife had been down for three weeks with typhoid fever but was much better.

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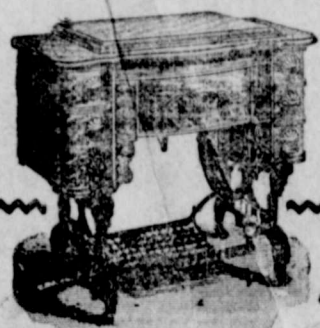
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West Bound		TEX. & PAC. RY.	East Bound	
Daily.		ROSCOE	Daily.	
No. 3 Lv. . . 7:25 p. m.			No. 6 Lv. . . 10:08 p. m.	
No. 7 Ar. . . 6:10 p. m.			No. 8 Lv. . . 6:00 a. m.	
No. 5 Lv. . . 7:55 a. m.			No. 4 Lv. . . 9:40 a. m.	
North Bound		R. S. & P. RY.	South Bound	
Dly Exc S	Sun Only		Sun Only	Dly Exc S
No. 3	No. 1	Lv. Roscoe 0.0 Lv	No. 2	No. 4
8:45 a. m.	8:45 a. m.	Lv. Hermleigh 18.9 Lv	5:30 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
9:30 a. m.	9:40 a. m.	Lv. Snyder 30.4 Lv	4:05 p. m.	4:15 p. m.
10:00 a. m.	10:15 a. m.	Lv. Fluvanna 49.2 Lv	4:00 p. m.	3:45 p. m.
10:50 a. m.	11:20 a. m.		1:45 p. m.	2:50 p. m.
Read Down			Read up	

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H. Clay Pierce Comes Back.
Some weeks ago it was announced that there would probably be two other strong oil concerns come in to compete with the Standard and now comes Missouri with this positive story:
St. Louis, Mo., June 21.—The Waters-Pierce Oil Company is being re-organized, according to the Post-Dispatch. The capital has been increased from four hundred thousand to ten million dollars with H. Clay Pierce as the controlling owner.
It is expected that the new Company will become the chief competitor of the Standard Oil. English Rothchilds are said to be backing the new organization.

Manager of Railroad Cured of Eczema by Hunt's Cure.
At one time I had a very bad case of Eczema. It troubled me for seven or eight years, and, although I tried all kinds of medicine and several doctors, I got no relief until I used Hunt's Cure. I used several boxes, and it finally cured me, and I have always kept a box with me for fear it will come back.
A. D. Goodenough, General Manager Lida Valley Railway Co., Goldfield, Nev. 51-1f 50c per box at drug stores.

The office force at the Snyder National Bank missed the familiar face of their cashier from his desk one day last week and they got out to look for him. In their search they passed in sight of the old Mercantile corner and there was some one there carrying out the Pack Wolfe order "cut weeds." Some thought it was Dr. Harkrider, others said it was Bro Werner, but on coming nearer they found Mr. Thane bareheaded and working like a farm hand. The glare of the sunshine on his head was the cause of the mistaken identity.

Ulcers and Skin Troubles.
If you are suffering with any old, running or fever sores, ulcers, boils, eczema or other skin troubles, get a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and you will get relief promptly. Mrs. Bruce Jones, of Birmingham, Ala., suffered from an ugly ulcer for nine months and Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured her in two weeks. Will help you. Only 25 cents. Recommended by all druggists. 52-3t

Local Showers Saturday Evening
Snyder got a shower of rain Saturday evening that measured 35.100 of an inch. The cloud passed on toward the north but rained out before it touched much of the country. L. O. Kimbrough on Ennis creek reported no rain at his place, but the creek was running from rain that had fallen higher up earlier in the day.

Cornelius Davis said the sprinkle at his place was just enough to run on the hard ground. The shower was pretty good to the south of Snyder. J. T. Ellerd was in Monday from his farm two miles south of Dunn and said he got a rather light rain, but it was heavy in the China Grove neighborhood. A ground soaker is reported further east of Dunn. It will be remembered that there is where they got no rain last year and crops were almost a failure. There was considerable rain on the Divide country, though it didn't reach the Plainview community.

AN ORDINANCE.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Snyder, Scurry County, Texas, that from and after the publication here in some Newspaper published in Scurry county, Texas, that it shall be unlawful to tie, hitch, allow to stand on the public square, or on any street leading to said public square, within one block of said square in the said town of Snyder, Scurry county, Texas, any stallion, jack, or bull, for a longer period than five minutes and any person violating this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon information or indictment shall be fined in any sum not less than five dollars and not to exceed one hundred dollars upon conviction for said offence.
Passed June 16th, A. D., 1913.

Colorado Tourists Back Home.
Banie Smith and Powie Fuller returned Sunday from their overland trip to Denver, Colorado Springs and other points in Colorado. They report a fine trip. They saw gorgeous sights and as suggested by the Signal they scaled the heights of Pike's Peak. They made the trip home in three days and traveled in mud nearly all the way.

Miss Iva Wagner, and sons, Roy Richard and Bryan, of San Bernardino, Calif., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Baze.

Revival Meeting Closed.
The revival meeting at the Baptist church closed Sunday night. Bro. Tucker preached the closing sermon to a large congregation. There were no night services at other churches and all the people worshiped together.
The sermon was largely addressed to backsliders and persons in doubt as to their conversion. The preacher gave the Scriptural evidences of conversion. He related his own Christian experience and that of others to show that no one should besitate in his allegiance to God, because the revelation did not come in a certain way.
The text was quite aptly applied in explaining the operation of the Holy Spirit.
The meeting has been a good one and its effects upon the people for good.
Nine converts were baptized Sunday afternoon in the creek above the north bridge.

... Best Laxative for the Aged.
Old men and women feel the need of a laxative more than young folks, but it must be safe and harmless and one which will not cause pain. Dr. King's new Life Pills are especially good for the aged, for they act promptly and easily. Price 25c. Recommended by all druggists.

If a man's wife would not make him promise to water the pot plants while she is away for the summer, he might get a little rest. But he knows she has counted the leaves, and if just one withers and falls from her best geranium he will be called to account.—Austin Statesman.
That accounts for Ernest Grimes and Dr. Johnson working themselves so hard while their wives are away.



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CALUMET BAKING POWDER

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RECEIVED HIGHEST AWARDS

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Paris, Exposition, France, March, 1912.

You don't save money when you buy cheap or big-can baking powder. Don't be misled. Buy Calumet. It's more economical — more wholesome — gives best results. Calumet's far superior to our milk and soda.



WE SOCK THE KNIFE INTO PRICES ON HARDWARE. A BIG BUSINESS AT LITTLE PRICES IS OUR WAY OF DOING BUSINESS.
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Miss Viola Ellis of Lubbock is in the city this week to visit the home folks and attend the picnic.

Manager Wood Back Home.
W. H. Wood, manager of the Dreamland Theatre, came in Monday from Mineral Wells where he spent last week visiting. He closed his picture show last week on account of the revival meeting, but is back at his post this week giving the Snyder folks some nice entertainment.

Notice.
To whom it may concern: I, Mal Cox, do hereby give notice that I will pay no debts made by my lawful wife, Berta Cox, or will I stand for any order presented by her. This is in full force on and after April 28 1913.
(Signed) MAL COX.

Sheriff Boles broke his car down the day he went to look after the safe blowing case at Ira and he had to send to the factory in Pennsylvania for a man to come and get and fix it. It was not brought in till last Monday.

A Gold Ring.
Initials engraved found in town Tuesday. Owner may describe it, pay two-bits for advertising and get it.

To The Buying Public

For Cash

For the next few days we will offer you goods at prices never before heard of in West Texas. It is our desire that you avail yourself of this astounding opportunity. Note the prices here quoted and determine for yourself.

PRICES			
The famous "Belle of Wichita" flour per 100 lbs.	\$3.00	Bulk Compound per lb.	.10
The best High Patent four " " "	2.75	Arbuckles Coffee 4 lbs to the	1.00
American Granulated "Pure Cane" Sugar per 100 lbs.	4.90	Best bulk coffee 5 lbs to the	1.00
" " " " " 25 lb sack	1.25	3 lb. can Tomatoes per case	2.45
10 lb. bucket Cottolene	1.25	2 lb. " " " "	2.00
10 lbs Swift's Jewel Compound	1.05	Good corn per case	2.00
10 lbs "Planto"	1.05	Laundry soap 7 bars	.25
		5 cents per bucket off on all syrups in the house.	

Stimson Dry Goods & Grocery Co.

CROWDER CULLINGS

Our Twinkling Star failed to twinkle the last two weeks but has decided to throw out its shining light again.

Crops in this part of the country are needing rain badly, especially early feed crops.

Several of the young folks enjoyed the ice cream supper at Mr. Leach's last Friday.

The children's day program rendered here last Sunday morning was well attended and the program was very interesting. Also the League ser-

vices in the afternoon was good. Mr. Leonard Turner spent Saturday night in the city with his cousin Robert Turner.

Mr. W. H. Cordill and daughter, Miss Floy visited kindred near Dunn the first part of this week.

Miss Rachael Berry attended preaching here Sunday night.

Mr. Robert Turner and sister, Miss Nellie from Snyder were with us Sunday.

Most of the people of this community attended the picnic in Snyder last Tuesday.

Rev. G. H. Gattis and family came in Saturday afternoon to fill his ap-

pointment to preach Saturday and Sunday nights.

Misses Nellie and Georgie Turner and Lora Lemons visited Misses Hatie and Ruth Pate Sunday.

Mrs. J. T. Biggs and two youngest children spent the day with Mrs. W. B. Lemons last Tuesday.

Messrs Homer Bentley and Elmer Hodge went plum hunting last Wednesday.

—TWINKLING STAR.

Work of Our Student Undertakers.

Our undertaker, Mr. R. M. Stokes and wife were away last week visiting and attending a family re-union in south Texas and it fell to the lot of Walker Wilks and Gilbert Elkins to prepare the remains and direct

the funeral of Mr. Mason and they did it well.

These young men are studying the undertaking business, both in a scientific and practical way and they show remarkable aptness in performing the delicate duties connected with the work.

LOCAL DRUGGIST MAKES STATEMENT

Dodson's Liver Tone Will Keep it Working and Make You Feel Well and Clean—No Bad After-Effects.

If you have allowed your fear of calomel to keep you from toning up your liver when it gets a little sluggish and lazy—try Dodson's Liver Tone, and note how quickly and harmlessly it starts the liver and re-

lieves constipation and bilious attacks.

When you take Dodson's Liver Tone, you do not have to stay in the house all day. None of the weakening and harmful after effects of calomel following its use. Dodson's Liver Tone is a mild pleasant vegetable liquid that cannot hurt either children or grown people. Yet it easily overcomes the most stubborn and inactive liver without making you quit eating or working.

These are not just claims. Grayum Drug Company backs up every one of these statements and agrees to refund the price of Dodson's Liver Tone with a smile to any person who pays his 50 cents for a bottle and isn't satisfied that he got his money's worth.

Imitations of Dodson's Liver Tone are another proof that it is a good

thing. Nobody ever imitates a poor remedy. Be sure you get the genuine Dodson's Liver Tone—the kind that is guaranteed.

Funeral of L. C. Mason.

The funeral of the late Mr. L. C. Mason was held Friday morning, attended by a large crowd of friends. Religious services were conducted by Rev. M. T. Tucker, after which the Odd Fellows conducted the burial service.

Excursion to Yellow House.

On account of the big round-up at Littlefield, the Yellow House, ranch, July 4th, the Santa Fe will run a special train from Sweetwater to Lubbock on night of July 3rd. Leaves Sweetwater at 8 p. m. arrives at Snyder at 9:25 p. m. Special low rates.

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Good Terms and unconditional GUARANTEE on workmanship and material.

FLUJANNA NEWS

We are still dry in this vicinity, while we are glad to report very good rains have fallen in parts of this trade territory.

Dr. A. W. Browning and J. A. Stavelly made a business trip to Roscoe Saturday.

J. H. Berroth left Sunday for Sweetwater for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hardin left Sunday for Snyder for a few days visit.

Several of our citizens attended the picnic at Snyder the 24th.

We are glad to report Mr. E. N. Smith able to be back at his place of business after a week's illness.

Mr. C. Foundenburg has opened up a restaurant and meat market in the old W. B. Dane building.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Bynnton, of near Meadow are visiting W. B. Dane and family this week.

Lee Simmons was over from Gail Sunday.

The young people of our town participated in a masquerade party Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Wren. They all report an enjoyable time was had by all who attended with the exception

that when the crowd was invited in to the dining room to partake of ice cream and cake it was found that the freezer containing the cream had been stolen and at this writing the freezer has not been found.

Rev. J. H. Tate filled his regular appointment Sunday and Sunday night at the Presbyterian church.

Rev. and Mrs. G. H. Gattis left Saturday for Snyder where Rev. Gattis goes to fill his appointment in his charge.

Messrs. D. A. and J. A. J. Jones shipped their crop of wool last week. The clip was an average of 12 1-2 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Cowan left last week for Goree, Texas. They will be away for a few months.

Mr. N. Beaver, one of our old time citizens but now of Lyford, Texas, remembered a number of his friends last week by sending them a mess of roasting ears.

Mr. Jephtha Landrum lost his fine milch cow last week.

Mrs. J. M. Hunter and children returned Friday from Sweetwater, where they have been visiting Mrs. Hunter's parents the past week.

Quite a number of our people went to the Yellowhouse in search of plumbs this week.

In and around Gail was blessed with another big rain last Saturday.

Mr. Jesse Wilson and T. P. Cook

expect to leave Wednesday of this week for Calahan county on a trading expedition.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Miller were in town Tuesday from their Borden county ranch. R. N. reports things looking good in his part of the country since the rain.

Bob Odem left Monday for his home at Wichita Falls Texas, after spending a few days with his brother Arch.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillahunt, of Gail, took the train here last Saturday for Plainview and other Panhandle points for a two month's visit.

The Signal gives space for argument on the constitutional amendments in order that the people may understand the proposition. Like all other people we are studying the amendments and when the time comes will vote as our convictions suggest. It is no light matter to change our constitution, but, some times the cause of progress demands it.

Guaranteed Eczema Remedy

The constant itching, burning, redness, rash and disagreeable effects of eczema, 'etter, salt rheum, itch, piles and irritating skin eruptions can be readily cured and the skin made clear and smooth with Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Mr. J. C. Eveland of Bath, Ill., says: "I had eczema twenty-five years and had tried every thing. All failed. When I found Dr. Bobson's Eczema Ointment I found a cure." This ointment is the formula of a physician and has been in use for

years—not an experiment. That is why we can guarantee it. All druggists or by mail. Price 50c. Pfeiffer Chemical Co., Philadelphia and St. Louis. 52-3t



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Rural service is supplied at very low cost. Our nearest manager will furnish information, or write to

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Because we want the people of Snyder and Scurry county to know we always appreciate your trade and promise you courteous treatment and close prices at all times. We carry a complete stock of

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On the northeast corner just west of you on the square. Phone 285.

AN ORDINANCE

Be it ordained by the City Council of Snyder, Scurry County, Texas, that from and after the publication here in some newspaper published in Scurry county, Texas, that it shall be unlawful to go, loiter, or allow to stand on the public square, or on any street leading to said public square, within one year of said square in the said town of Snyder, Scurry county, Texas, any stallion, jack, or bull,

for a longer period than five minutes, and any person violating this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor or and upon information or indictment shall be fined in any sum not less than five dollars and not to exceed one hundred dollars upon conviction for said offence.

Passed, June 16, A. D. 1913. 1-2t J. Z. NOBLE, Mayor

D. J. Anderson went north on the Santa Fe Wednesday.

IMPORTANT

Are you interested in the accumulation of an estate? Do you want to provide a legacy for your family? Are you concerned about preparing for old age and the inevitable rainy day? If you are, then we have a proposition that will especially appeal to you. A proposition that is time tried and tested and has proven a brilliant success.

We have for sale to men of good habits and of good character 100 estates of the value of \$10,000 each, which may be subdivided as low as \$1,000. The estates are sold on 20 year payments without interest. The total sale price is much less than the value of the estate. In the event of death at any time after the first payment is made all the other payments are canceled and the estate paid in CASH to the wife, children, relatives or estate of the purchaser as may be directed.

The value of the estate is guaranteed. It can not depreciate in value. The supervision of the State of Texas is over it and deposits are made with a state official to guarantee the carrying out of the contract.

We have been in Scurry County 16 years and expect to remain here. We have no bunco game to offer. These estates sold only to men and women of good moral character between the ages of 18 and 50 years. Call at our office and we will gladly explain full particulars. Or if you desire and will drop us a card we will call on you. Payments are small and can be paid annually, semi-annually or quarterly. No one with any earning capacity at all but that can have one of these guaranteed estates.

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Respectfully,
Fullilove & Monroe.

60 Per Cent

of humanity suffers from some kind of skin trouble. Dry Zensal and Moist Zensal are the two perfect remedies for the two distinct types of Eczema. They are clean, odorless ointments that reach the trouble at once.

Ask Grayum Drug Co., Snyder Drug Co., Warren Brothers 50-1mo.

Weather Dry at Knapp.

Mr. Henry Richter was in from Knapp Thursday and paid the Signal an appreciated call and moved his date well forward.

He says his country is dry but his crop will hold up for several days yet. He has already made early feed stuff. He is a practical farmer and will make good where some men

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

(Seal) A. W. Gleason, Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for Testimonials, free.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75 cents. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation. 50-1mo.

Wedding bells.

Work for a successful county fair.

Telephone Operators in Re-Union

There was a jolly gathering of Southwestern Telephone operators held in Snyder Tuesday. They were regaled in Southwestern colors and had met as per arrangement for a delightful day off. The visiting operators were met at the station by the home operators and were taken for a drive about the city and took in the picnic, after which they were entertained at the home of Mrs. Webb, at a three course luncheon which was much enjoyed.

Those in the party were: Misses Edna Jones, Nellie Egan of Sweetwater, Mr. Rayburn, Sweetwater; Bessie Nix or Slaton, Viola Ellis of Lubbock, Emma Nation, Iva Ellis, Fannie Bass, Med Ellis Charlie Ellis.

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In This Paper

ITALY'S MARKETING METHODS

Co-Operation and Farm Credit System Practical and Profitable.

By S. A. Lindsey, Chairman Texas Farm Life Commission.

Naples, May 19th, 1913.—In my first article I showed how the farmers of Italy enjoyed better markets for their wheat, corn potatoes and other products of their farms, than we of Texas; and I described a small Raiffeisen Credit Association, commonly called a rural bank.

The lands of Italy average better than ours, due to methodic and continuous upbuilding of the soils. This practice is universal throughout the country. Ninety per cent of the lands are cultivated. Hills and mountain sides and narrow valleys are cultivated the same as the broad level black lands and are made to yield as bountifully. As lands are valuable, it is cheaper to build and rebuild soils than to purchase other lands. This is true of Texas lands, but our people do not realize it yet. When our people shall have learned how to farm, and at the same time build up their soils, Texas lands will excel those of Italy by greater odds than do the lands of Italy now excel our Texas lands. But Texas lands will not be properly farmed under present conditions. Two things stand in the way, namely, our system of tenantry and the credit system of our farmers. No man, whether Italian or Texan, is going to conserve, build and rebuild soil to which he has the right of occupancy from only year to year. It requires means to farm properly and profitably. There must be well thought out plans in order to farm successfully, but what is the use to make the plans when there is not the means available with which to execute them?

The Italian people have solved these problems, and there may be a good lesson in the methods pursued here.

But first let me say that the Italy of today is not the Italy of twenty years ago. The farmers of Italy produce almost six hundred per cent more now than twenty years ago. You ask what wrought this change? Several things, but the one that lies at the base and is the most potent of all was and is co-operative credit. The Raiffeisen and the Schulze, Delitsch system of credits had their origins in Germany about fifty years ago. After they gained popularity among the people of Germany, they were adopted by the farmers of northern Italy in 1883. In time these institutions spread and became established throughout the northern portion of Italy—which is close to Germany—and proved of such excellent benefit to that section, regenerating and accelerating farming operation and quickening all lines of business, that efforts were made to introduce them in southern Italy by the government. For this purpose, the State began in 1907 to enact a series of laws to assist in establishing these credit associations and rural banks in the islands and south Italy. It first authorized the savings bank of the Bank of Naples to engage in the rural credits business in the southern provinces of Italy and in Sardinia, and in 1906 an act was passed creating a special rural credit section of the Bank of Sicily. These banks are very large and powerful financial institutions. They send out men to organize local rural banks, assist in organizing and starting the bank right, and then examine them from time to time and lend them money on their paper at four per cent—which the local rural banks are required to lend at six per cent. The difference of two per cent builds up a surplus in the local banks sufficient to more than protect against losses, after paying all operating expenses.

The officials of these big banks informed us that the loans for agricultural purposes at four per cent, a rate fixed by law, in no way affected the rate of interest on loans for commercial and other purposes, which are controlled by the money market as formerly. This they said, was due to the fact that their rural banking department made loans only to farmers, and to them only for agricultural purposes. So we see that these rural banks are strictly business institutions and are not for charity. If a farmer wishes to purchase seed, fertilizers, farm machinery or cattle, he may have a loan, but not so because he may have had bad luck and needs money to buy food, clothing, medicine, etc. Again, loans will only be made within certain prescribed limits as to both time and amount. The farmer may borrow \$200.00 on one years time for cultivation, harvesting and the purchasing of seeds, manures and fungicides; he may borrow \$400.00 on three years time to buy livestock; and \$600.00 on three years time for the acquisition of farm machinery.

This completes the three types of

rural banks of Italy, one the rural bank which is usually of the Raiffeisen type, the other the people's banks of both the city and rural districts, known as the Schulze-Delitsch type, and the state bank which loans money to these small banks on the paper of their members.

Perhaps I should explain that the Raiffeisen bank is merely a number of farmers who associate themselves together as a credit society without material capital, and borrow as a society for its respective members while the Schulze-Delitsch Bank is a share bank with limited liability and has capital. Usually the shares are small in amount, about \$3.00. Both these banks receive savings and other deposits of members and non-members, to whom they pay 4 per cent. After a short time these deposits are usually sufficient to supply all the funds required by the bank for lending to its members.

Besides these banks are the land credit banks of Italy, which I shall describe at another time, and perhaps I shall not devote an article to them as all institutions are conducted on much the same principles and quite simple in plans and operations.

KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL

Health is Worth Saving, and Some Snyder People Know How to Save It.

Many Snyder people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help. Weak kidneys are responsible for a vast amount of suffering and ill health, but there is no need to suffer nor to remain in danger. Use Doan's Kidney Pills—a remedy that has helped thousands of kidney sufferers.

The following statement leaves no ground for doubt.

J. W. Nunn, Colorado, Texas, says "It gives me great pleasure to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Some years ago I suffered terribly from disordered kidneys and nothing did me any good until I saw Doan's Kidney pills advertised in the local papers and got a box. They soon cured me. Since then on several occasions I have taken Doan's Kidney Pills and have always found them fine."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agent for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other. 2-2t.

At The Dreamland.

Ring contest closes tonight—Friday June 27, at Dreamland Airdome. All persons holding tickets must be present as the prize will not be given to person not present. Each number drawn will be called out 3 times and if no one present holds the duplicate, the number will be destroyed and another drawn immediately. The beautiful cameo ring will positively be given away Friday, June 27th. You may be the lucky one. 2-1t.

BRO. GATTIS PROTRACTED MEETING DATES

Protracted Meeting dates or Fluvanna change. Our protracted meetings will begin at several places on our charge on the dates given.

At Bethel July 18th. Fluvanna, Aug. 1, Elkins and Polar, Aug. 15. Crowder, Aug. 22. Arah, Sept. 5th. Other places will be arranged for in due time.

Let all concerned remember the date for your place and let every preparation be made in due time. Look over those places and dates again and notice the work before your pastor, then add three other points to be reached in some way. He needs your co-operation and prayer. Let us prepare for the greatest meeting in our lives.

We have tried to arrange so as not to conflict with any meeting of any other church, but we may have failed, if so it was because we could not help it.

As is our custom we invite the co-operation of all Christians, and the attendance of all.

Your pastor, G. H. Gattis, 1-2t

Mr. F. I. Townsend informs the Signal that he has purchased the Snyder Free Press and will assume charge next week. He states that it is his purpose to publish a paper devoted to the agricultural interests of West Texas. The Signal extends fraternal greeting.

Apostolic Revival In Progress.

A revival meeting commenced Wednesday night by the Apostolic church people at their tabernacle, and will be continued indefinitely. Rev. S. E. Waterbury and wife of Joplin, Missouri and Mr. Davis and wife are conducting the services.



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One of the new and beautiful patterns in Rockford Silverware.

Made for the discriminating woman seeking a beautiful service for her table.

Desiring that her purchase should have great wearing qualities.

You should see this, the new Hawthorne pattern now in stock.

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Special rate of \$20.70 to Corpus Christie and return account Texas Bar Association. Dates of sale June 29 and 30. Return limit July 7th.

Special rate of 13.15 to Waco and return account Ancient Order of Pilgrims. Dates of sale June 28 and 29. 29 and 30. Return limit July 7th.

Special rate of \$14.05 to Austin and return account Sheriff's Convention. Dates of sale July 5-6. Return limit July 12.

Special rate of \$10.85 to Dallas and return account Cotton Growers Association and Cotton Corporation. Dates of sale July 8 and 9. Return limit July 13.

Special rate of \$9.00 to Hereford and return account Water carnival, July 14-19.

Your chance to see the Historic Battlefield of Gettysburg, July 4th. Fiftieth anniversary of the Battle of Gettysburg. At noon July 4th, President Wilson will deliver an address dedicating a memorial on this battlefield. Gettysburg, Pa., via Amarillo, \$52.30 for round trip. Gettysburg, Pa., via Sweetwater, \$51.45. Tickets on sale June 23rd to July 2nd. Final limit July 17th.

Grand Round-up Littlefield Yellow House Ranch, Lubbock, Texas July 4th. Tickets on sale July 1, 2, 3. Limit July 8th. Special train will be provided to take excursionists from Lubbock to Littlefield via the Coleman-Texico Cut-off. Tickets will be sold from starting point to Lubbock, then will be necessary to rebuy to Littlefield. Fare of \$3.25 for the round trip to Lubbock from Snyder. Roundtrip fare of \$1.00 will be charged from Lubbock to Littlefield.

Excursion to any point in Texas by intra-state route, round trip one and one-third fare. On sale July 3 and 4, returning July 7th.

F. E. JOLLY, Agent



ARE YOU SICK.

Much is said of drugless healing in these days but it has been proven that the proper use of Pure Drugs is the best aid in all cases of sickness and disease.

There is the same difference in drugs that there is in fruits or flowers,—to be of value they must be fresh. We aim to give you the best and freshest drugs money can buy. All prescriptions are filled by a skilled pharmacist.

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Scurry County News - - 1892
The Coming West - - - 1910
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Entered in the postoffice at Snyder, Texas, as second class mail matter.

Four Weeks Constitute a Month.

Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing, or reputation of any person, firm or corporation, which may appear in the columns of The Signal will be gladly corrected if called to the attention of the editor.

Bring The Cotton To Snyder.

If the people of Snyder will make up a nice premium to offer to the farmer who markets the most pounds of cotton in Snyder, according to acreage, it would serve to induce them to bring their cotton here instead of taking it to other towns. Such a plan would put everybody on an equal footing. The man who has a ten acre crop will stand on equal chance with the man with 200 acres. It is absolutely fair contest. No rushing, no side track. The weights recorded by a sworn weigher will de-

cide the question. The proposition is suggested as an extra incentive to the farmers to sell their cotton at Snyder.

President Wilson's daughters are making their own alterations for dresses and can stitch and sew. Their father is the president of the great republic the world has ever known, but they are believers in the Jeffersonian doctrine of simplicity. They do not consider it a disgrace to be known as accomplished needlewomen. This is a hint to the luxurious daughters of the idle rich "to go thou and do like-wise."—Fort Worth Record.

Woodrow sewed a button on his pants one day while traveling during the campaign, just as many other plain American citizens have sewed buttons.

In a burst of happiness the Bryan Eagle says:

"The friends of The Eagle are now sending in the kind of dope to help 'fill up' that an editor likes to get—no poetry, wit, philosophy and humor, but tomatoes, cabbage, onions, potatoes, peaches, etc. Oh, glorious 'fillers,' let them come."

Being an eminent jurist, statesman and historian Henry Cabot Lodge, senator from Massachusetts, has now the further distinction of having permitted himself to be used by the sugar lobby for the purpose of

franking from forty to fifty tons of mail.—Houston Chronicle.

The Sugar Trust has long been looking for the time to come when it would have to fight for life, and literature has been sent all over the country to build up favorable public opinion. This literature looked innocent and Uncle Lodge probably never thought about the thing being loaded.

The Slatonite kinder romped on the Lubbock Avalanche about putting its faith in garden truck and another fellow took it up and accused the Slatonite of contempt of labor. The Slatonite took most of its space last week to square itself and it is barely in the clear yet.

Frequently we see in the papers where some fellow broke his arm cranking his auto. We have yet to see, however, such an accident while wielding the axe or hoc. Moral: Get a self-starter.—Bryan Eagle.

Stay with the axe and the hoe.

The Crosbyton Review is sore and it probably has a right to be. It says it hardly gets enough advertising to keep it going, while the paper at Ralls is loaded and Ralls is getting Crosbyton's trade. Of course it is. People do their trading where the merchants are wide awake.

The Jacksboro News says the Meridian railroad will have 16 miles of

track in Archer county but misses the County Site and Archer City refuses to give it a dollar, therefore Jacksboro hopes to get in on the deal

They say that now, since the Illinois Legislature enfranchised the women, all the politicians in that state are outspoken for woman suffrage.—San Antonio Express.

That's just like a politician.

Put One Eye Out, Suffered 36 Years From Skin Disease.

I suffered from a skin disease for 36 years, and about six months ago it attacked one of my eyes and put it out. After it was too late, I got a box of Hunt's Cure and began to use it, and I must say that it is the best remedy I have used in 36 years, and I believe it will cure any skin eruption.

P. H. Chaney,
Caney, La.

Farmers Will Ask State Aid.

Fort Worth, Texas, June 25.—The Farmers' Union of Texas is going to ask the Texas Legislature at the Special Session to appropriate \$25,000 per annum to be expended under the direction of the State Department of Agriculture in promoting marketing and rural credits according to Peter Radford, president of the Farmers' Union.

"It is as properly a function of government to study and disseminate information and to put into execution plans for the sale of products as it is to teach production" declared President Radford in a recent interview.

"Certainly it is poor statesmanship to follow the crop to the harvest field and there let it rot for want of a market," he continued.

He said the Farmers' Union stands ready to co-operate with the State Government in developing a warehouse system and facilities for the systematic marketing of cotton and to render assistance in marketing all products on a more intelligent and business like basis, as it would take the co-operation and combined efforts of all to handle the problem.

Most Children Have Worms.

Many mothers think their children are suffering from indigestion headache, nervousness, weakness, costiveness, when they are victims of that most common of all children's ailments—worms. Peevish, ill-tempered, fretful children, who toss and grind their teeth, with bad breath and colicky pains, have all the symptoms of having worms, and should be given Kickapoo Worm Killer, a pleasant candy lozenge, which expels worms, regulates the bowels, tones up the system, and makes children well and happy. Kickapoo Worm Killer is guaranteed. All druggists or by mail. Price 25c. Kickapoo Indian Medicine Co., Philadelphia and St. Louis. 52.-3t.

Cotton School at A. & M. College.

College Station, Texas, June 25.—The cotton school of the A. & M. College has opened under the supervision of J. B. Baegly, head of textile engineering department and will be continued indefinitely and students may enter any time for the work.

The school is intended to give instruction to farmers, ginners, and men who intend to enter the cotton business, on all matters pertaining to the classing of cotton.

The services of J. W. Brown who for the last forty-two years has been engaged in the cotton business has been secured to give lectures on the relations of the Cotton Exchange to the farmer and ginners, and the cotton trade.

An increased attendance is expected at the school during the Farmers' Short Course, The Farmers' Congress and the Farmers' Institute, July 21, to August 1.

Gabe Lucas of McKinney the original "Barefoot Boy," whose home is at McKinney, Texas, was here early this week with his sample cases of rubber goods, talking trade to our merchants.

L. N. Perriman says that his neighbor W. D. Huffman refereed a race the other day between a terrapin and a grasshopper. The hopper was almost down and out and the terrapin was making for him in real cannibal fashion.

Dr. W. A. Palmer was here Tuesday from Dunn to take in the picnic.

Pat Kelsey went over to Sweetwater to spend Sunday and came back Monday morning.

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10	1 Sugar Shell and Butter Knife \$1.75
10	1 Three piece Child's set . . . \$1.85
10	1 Berry Spoon \$1.85
10	1 Gravy Ladle \$1.85
10	1 Cream Ladle \$1.65
Bring this card, and when you make a cash purchase at our store, have the amount of your purchase punched out. When the total amount of \$5.00 is properly punched out, we will accept this card as \$1.00 in cash, and you can select from above sets or pieces, and pay the balance of odd cents in cash.	
Our Plan: Will enable you to obtain for one-third its value, a complete set of the W. R. Brand of Famous Rogers Silverware, guaranteed heavily plated on a solid silver nickel base.	
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READ THIS CARD	
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Beginning July 1st.

We will offer to the buying public some exceptional bargains in the dress goods department at very low prices.

Special lot of shoes at **59c, 49c and 39c.**

Remnants and short lengths at greatly reduced prices.

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buy a **SILO**, make it a point to see
B. CLARK, The Agent
 He can save you money

Sunday May 18th. a number of crops east of Snyder were destroyed by hail. Better be safe and let us write you a hail policy. Will accept notes for premiums payable October 15th, and will protect you until the 1st, of December. Rates reasonable.

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 Snyder, Texas

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THE STATE OF TEXAS:
 In the District court of Tarrant County, Texas, August Term, A. D. 1913.
 To the Sheriff or any constable of Scurry county, Greeting:
 You are hereby commanded, that, by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the county of Scurry, four weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon M. S. Corbett, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the District Court, to be holden in and for the County of Tarrant, at the Court House thereof, in the City of Fort Worth, on the first Monday in August, A. D., 1913, the same being the 4th day of said month, then and there to answer the petition of Boatmens Bank, a corporation as plaintiff, filed in said court, on the 14th day of March, A. D., 1913, against M. S. Corbett and Ben J. Tiller, as defendants, said suit being numbered 34699, the nature of which demand is as follows to-wit:

That on August 27th, 1908, C. H. Kohler conveyed to M. S. Corbett the southeast quarter of Section 83 Block No. 20, of Lavaca Navigation Company's surveys, certificate No. 45-72 containing 162.79 acres of land situated in Scurry and Borden counties, Texas, expressly reserving the vendor's lien to secure the payment of four promissory notes given in part payments for the purchase price thereof, three for the sum of \$260.00 each and one for the sum of \$410.22, all bearing even date with said deed and all payable at Fort Worth, Tarrant County, Texas, and bearing interest payable semi-annually at rate of 6 per cent per annum, and maturing August 27th, 1909, August 27th, 1910; August 27, 1911; and August 27th, 1912, respectively; and further secured by deed of trust of even date with said deed from said Corbett to G. H. Colvin, trustee, and that on November 23rd, 1908, said Kohler conveyed to plaintiff said notes and lien and deed of trust and that said Corbett has failed and refused to pay any of said notes and has abandoned his said contract and no longer intends to comply therewith and that by reason thereof plaintiff has declared and now declares said contract forfeited and offers to cancel all of said notes when title to said land is vested in it, and that defendant Tiller is setting up some kind of claim to said land. Plaintiff prays that citation issue to defendants that it have judgment divesting all right, title and interest of said defendant to said land out of them and vesting it in plaintiff, for writ of possession, costs of suit and general relief.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said court, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness: E. J. Brock, Jr.; Clerk of the District Court of Tarrant county. Given under my hand and seal of said court in Fort Worth, this 16th day of May, A. D., 1913.

E. J. Brock, Jr.;
 Clerk District Court, Tarrant County, Texas.
 By M. P. Vowell, Deputy. 1-4t

Wanted—Bring me your subscription or renewal to The Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News, \$1.00 per year 44-6m
 OWL DRUG STORE.

The U. S. Government has again reiterated its intention of maintaining its hands off policy in Mexico. A delegation of men who have large business interests in the country of perpetual revolutions waited on Mr. Bryan Saturday and urged him to use his influence in behalf of intervention, stating that American lives were in danger but the Secretary of State informed them that it was his opinion that their interest was in dollars and cents. They went away very angry.—Graham Leader.

That is why they are there. They took the risk let them take such profit as they may.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is Hereby Given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued by the Clerk of the district court of Scurry county, on the 20th day of May, 1913, in a certain cause wherein The State of Texas is plaintiff, and Arthur Longbotham is defendant, in which cause a judgment was rendered on the 17th day of March, 1913, in favor of the said plaintiff, The State of Texas, against said defendant Arthur Longbotham for the sum of five & 35-100 dollars with interest thereon at the rate of 6 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 July 1913, it being the 1st day of said month, at the court house door in Snyder, Texas, within legal hours, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of Arthur Longbotham, in and to the following described real estate, levied upon as the property of Arthur

Longbotham, to-wit:

Lot 5, Block 6, G. & C. Sub. Div. C. H. A. Snyder, Texas, and lot 19, Block 1, Ben. Sub. Div. C. H. A. to Snyder, Texas.

The above sale to be made by men to satisfy the above described judgment for Five & 35-100 dollars, in favor of the State of Texas, together with the cost of suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.

J. B. BOLES,
 Sheriff Scurry County, Texas.
 Snyder, Texas, May 31, 1913.—51-4t

Sanderson and Sabnal have been making preparations to entertain the Dry Farming Congress and when matters had been shaped up there came a five inch rain. Verily it does look like the Lord helps those who help themselves.

Rhea McFarland was here Saturday from Dunn. Mrs. McFarland came in with him to visit Mrs. F. E. Jolly for a few days.

Garden Vegetables in Scurry County.

To show what anyone who has a windmill in Scurry county can do, R. M. White who lives in Snyder, had on the streets a few days ago one cabbage that weighed 10 lbs., and one that weighed 7 lbs. He had one onion grown from a set that weighed 1 1-4 pound and one raised from the seed that was as large as a hen's egg, he says "No telling how large they will grow with two more months to come." He had also some brats that were as fine as can be grown any where. He had three varieties of snap beans, just as fine as Mr. Any Body can raise any where. He raises pepper, lettuce, radishes, okra, collards, and tomatoes, or in fact anything else that he tries.

Some one is ready to say, oh, well well we have had more rain this year than usual. We answer by saying, "That he always does it rain or no rain."

—COMMUNICATED.

The Signal for all the news.

Big Cotton Premium

Offered by

THE FIRST STATE BANK & TRUST COMPANY

We will offer the following premiums to the farmers of Scurry and adjoining counties, who sell in Snyder the bale of cotton that brings the largest amount of money in dollars and cents, the checks in payment to be cashed by us or deposited with us.

To compete for this premium the farmer must register his name, address, farm, weight of bale and amount of check. We will prepare a book for this purpose.

The following are the premiums offered:

1st. Premium	\$20.00	in gold
2nd.	10.00	" "
3rd.	5.00	" "

The checks in payment for the cotton must be issued on either of the Scurry County banks and deposited with us or cashed by us.

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