

# The Snyder Signal

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## CITIZENS FAVOR GOOD ROADS

Enthusiastic Endorsement of Highway Proposition. Main Thoroughfare With Laterals Desired.

One of the most enthusiastic meetings of citizens seen here in many a day was held Monday afternoon in Justice Brown's office to discuss the importance of good roads and the advisability of inaugurating a campaign along that line.

Every wide awake citizen knows that the prosperity of town and country is enhanced by a system of good public roads.

The advantage to the farmers in getting their produce to market is too plainly seen to require argument. The county town that is to be reached only by way of bad roads must pay the penalty for its lack of enterprise, for people will choose to travel distant markets over good roads rather than to pull through bogs and washouts to get to a town nearer by.

Several months ago it became known that a transcontinental highway is in contemplation from Georgia and the Carolinas through Texas and New Mexico and probably to the Pacific coast. There is a disposition on the part of the promoters to survey from Texarkana to Fort Worth, thence through this section of West Texas and to Roswell. A tentative outline has been laid to Sweetwater, or Roscoe, thence to Snyder. Such a road would be worth much to Snyder and it can be had by meeting the reasonable requirements. It will be easy and cheap for Scurry county to do her part for the main thoroughfare and then the matter of construction of laterals will almost take care of itself.

E. J. Anderson acted as chairman for the meeting and made a strong argument on the importance of the proposition. He said there will be a meeting at Corpus Christi on July 10 to consider the location of the Highway and said that Snyder ought to have a representative there. He said other towns are doing it.

H. G. Towle advocated making an effort to secure the Highway. He spoke of having traveled upon the northern Highway and said that institution was an inspiration and general benefit to the countries traversed.

Col. Wilmeth gave his views on road building and considers the Highway as practicable.

Joe Monroe spoke sensibly on the importance of co-operation with outsiders.

Robt. H. Curruite made a good talk relative to working roads—grading, dragging and the like.

A. C. Wilmeth made a motion that a representative be sent from here to the Corpus Christi conference. The motion carried and E. J. Anderson was unanimously chosen as delegate.

F. J. Grayum, W. S. Adamson and H. G. Towle, were made a committee to raise the necessary funds to bear the expense of the representative.

A motion prevailed to appoint a special committee to study and map out a practical right of way through the county for the main Highway. Joe Strayhorn, O. P. Thrane and A. C. Wilmeth were appointed to this work.

W. R. Wren, a prominent and substantial farmer said he was pleased with the proposition and feels sure the farmers all over the county will endorse it. Said he has often wondered why the people of Scurry county have seemed so indifferent about the good roads question. He believes such a system of roads will be greatly to the public advantage.

Judge Buchanan and W. T. Thompson made good sensible talks about good roads and how to get them, and it looked like the meeting was all of one mind.

From the road question, the meeting drifted to the discussion of local co-operation and the patronage of Home Industries. Speakers urged the using of Snyder made brooms and Snyder made cream, as well as rallying to the support of other home institutions like the light and

power plant, the planing mill, the laundry and other institutions that have invested capital, and without which a town is not equipped to cope with other towns in moral and material progress.

## COUNTY FAIR MEETING NEXT MONDAY.

Next Monday at 2 o'clock is the time set for a meeting at the court house of all the citizens of Scurry county who are interested in the County Fair enterprise.

The committee will report permanent organization and the work will be started on that day.

Scurry county has the best crop prospects known here for a number of years and will be able to make a splendid showing. Hundreds of families are coming from the overcrowded portions of Texas to find homes where the climate is unsurpassed where there are no mosquitoes, no malaria, almost no lawlessness, and where the men who own the land will sell it on easy terms, or give tenants a living chance.

Where jails stand unoccupied nearly all the time and churches are well filled with worshippers at every service. We want those home seekers to locate in Scurry county and we should make it a point to present our advantages in a way to attract attention. We have a vast area that ought to be in cultivation. We want to induce owners of unprofitable pastures to sell off in small farms so that we may have a productive farm on every quarter or half section with in Snyder's trade territory. We want to get a collection of products to be exhibited here and then taken to the Dallas Fair and be seen by the thousands of prospectors who will be there next fall.

Don't fail to be here Monday to help push it along.

## Billie Lee Home From Sanitarium.

W. B. Lee and wife returned Wednesday from the Post City Sanitarium where they have been for the past month having an operation on Mr. Lee's leg which has been bothering him for the past 10 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee are quite enthusiastic in their praise of the physicians. Dr. Ponton of Post and Dr. Johnson of Snyder as Mr. Lee was positive that his leg would have to be amputated owing to the advanced stage of decay and the limb being quite crooked, but the doctors removed all the decayed bone and flesh, then by breaking other bones made the leg perfectly straight, and every indication now is that Billie will have a good leg.

Mr. Lee also states that while the sanitarium is small the equipment is complete and of the very latest type.

The attention of the nurses all that one could ask. A good sanitarium is an institution that this country has long needed and the Post City institution is one that any country should be proud of.

Mr. Lee also states that Mr. Liv. Davis who was operated on Monday for appendicitis was doing fine and would be at home some time next week.

## Mrs. Wright Passes Away.

Mrs. Mattie M. Wright, aged 33 years, 11 months, and two days, wife of Mr. T. P. Wright, died at her home in East Snyder at 8:45 o'clock Saturday night after an illness extending over a period of many months. Her ailment was cancerous trouble. She leaves a husband and four sons to mourn her death. She was a member of the Baptist church and of the Woodmen Circle. The funeral took place at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon from the family residence. The services were conducted by Rev. M. T. Tasker.

The bereft husband and children have the sympathies of many friends and neighbors.

## Snake Allows Four Ducks.

Mr. T. P. Oliver of the Crowder community has a big snake got into his poultry yard the other day and when killed it was found that it had swallowed four of Mr. Oliver's young Indian Runner ducklings. He had six hatched off and they were a week old. Now he has only two and it costs about two dollars a piece to get Indian Runners hatched.

Miss Lizzie Eubank visited friends at Post City.

## Mrs. Kate Nelson Retiring Postmistress 17 Years In Service



## SNYDER'S NEW POST MASTER

E. B. Barnes Receives Commission and Assumes Duties, July 1, 1913. Misses Edna Kelsey, Mary Whiteside and Mabel Clark the Clerical Force.

The Post office at Snyder passed out on Tuesday, July 1st, 1913, from the regime of republican control to that of democratic.

Not that the postal system has been transformed, nor that the general system of handling the United States mail is to be something materially different.

It is merely carrying out the great American policy enunciated by Andrew Jackson:—"To the victor belong the spoils."

The passing of the lines of government from Republican to Democratic hands brought with it the distribution of federal patronage in line with the political cleavage and Mrs. Kate Nelson who has had the position of the post master at Snyder for several years under Republican appointment steps down and out to give place to E. B. Barnes, appointed by the Democratic administration.

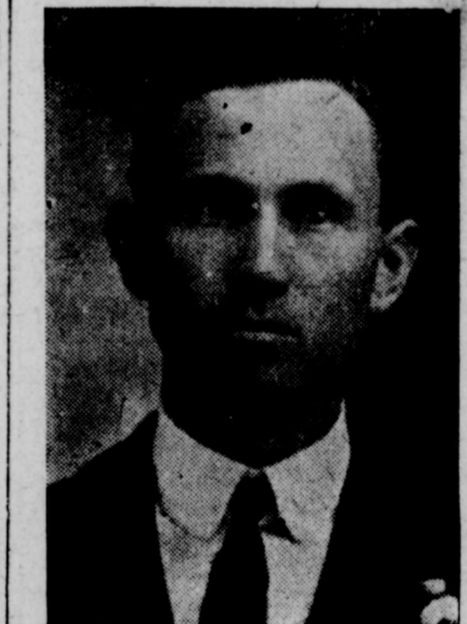
Mrs. Nelson has striven faithfully to give the people good service, and she has conducted the affairs of the office in accordance with postal laws and regulations. The Signal has found Mrs. Nelson and her assistants always courteous and pleasant in their manner and dealings.

Mr. Barnes, the new post master, is an affable gentleman and possesses the educational and business qualifications to make a good official and we feel sure the patrons of the office will be pleased with his management.

The Signal learns that Miss Edna Kelsey has been appointed and qualified as assistant postmaster and that Misses Mary Whiteside and Mabel Clark will be retained in the service for the present, at least.

These two young ladies have served faithfully heretofore and are

## MR. E. B. BARNES THE NEW POSTMASTER FOR SNYDER



liked and appreciated by the people, and it is hoped that the business of the office may justify their retention permanently.

## Sunday Evening Wedding.

Mr. B. P. Moffett and Miss Emma Cruickshanks were married at 6 o'clock last Sunday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cruickshanks, Rev. O. J. Hull officiating.

The wedding was witnessed by quite a number of friends. The wedding march was beautifully rendered by Miss Adelle Harless.

After the ceremony and congratulations the company partook of a delightful wedding supper.

The bride was becomingly dressed in a handsome gown of cream messaline draped with shadow lace, the groom wore the conventional black.

Mr. and Mrs. Moffett are at home on the Lon Smith farm in the Ennis Creek community.

Congratulations are extended.

## Colorado Bridge Located.

Judge Buchanan, Commissioners Brown and Stinson, O. P. Thrane, Pete Brady, Joe Caton, and Joe Strayhorn went over on the Colorado river Tuesday to find the most suitable place for the location of the new bridge. The river has been unusually high and it was deemed a good time to make the survey with

a view to avoiding a possible wash-out.

They examined the river from opposite Ira for several miles down stream and found a point where the river washes against a rock bluff on the far side and makes a turn. The bluff is high on this side and it has about been decided that there is the safest point. It is three miles south and three miles west from Ira. It is not as convenient to the trans-Colorado settlements as was desired but that is believed to be the only point where a bridge would certainly stand against such a river as has been there from the recent rains.

## DR. HUNT AND WIFE GO TO YELLOW STONE PARK

Rev. J. W. Hunt and wife will leave this morning (Friday) for their great trip to Yellow Stone Park some while ago Dr. Hunt was made district commissioner to raise funds in the Sweetwater district for the Southern Methodist University and it was stipulated that if he raised a certain amount by June 30 he would be supplied with a ticket for the great excursion to Yellow Stone Park, and a certain further amount raised would entitle Mrs. Hunt to a ticket for the trip. He has met all the conditions and some to spare and they leave today for the trip.

At Amarillo they will meet others of the party and they expect a great outing.

They will be gone about three weeks. The campaign has been a success. The amount needed to meet the conditions has been raised and more besides and the University is thus assured of permanence.

## Brother Killed at Everman.

Mr. Sam Casstevens received a message Tuesday saying that his brother, Z. Casstevens had been shot and killed at Everman, a small town near Fort Worth. No particulars of the killing were received here. Sam left over the Santa Fe Tuesday evening to go to the scene of the tragedy.

The Star-Telegram prints the following account of the killing:

"Z. Casstevens, 36, was shot and killed by E. W. Winchester on the farm of the latter near Everman Tuesday morning. Winchester immediately boarded an Interurban, rode the five miles to Fort Worth and surrendered to Deputy Sheriff John Alderman at the sheriff's office. He claims he shot in self-defense.

Winchester and Casstevens were neighbors, one mile south of Everman.

The quarrel which resulted in the killing followed the successful efforts of Winchester to dispossess B. T. Howell of a house on a farm leased by Winchester. Winchester obtained an order to dispossess Howell Monday and the latter left the premises. Casstevens is said to have become incensed at the action and, according to Winchester, threatened him. Howell had been working for Winchester as a hired hand for several months.

Casstevens who is also a farmer, went to Winchester's place Tuesday morning to get Howell's personal effects, it is said. Winchester armed himself with a 38-caliber revolver before Casstevens arrived. Winchester claims Casstevens cursed him and was advancing upon him with a large stick in each hand when he pulled the revolver and began firing. Three shots were fired but Winchester did not wait to see if they had taken effect. There were no eyewitnesses.

Winchester is 32 years old and unmarried. Casstevens leaves a wife and two children.

The Star Telegram stated there were no eyewitnesses to the killing of Sam Casstevens' brother, but later it is found that a nephew of the deceased was present and his testimony is very damaging to the slayer.

## Well Loaded Cotton Stalks.

Will Thompson came in Tuesday with a stalk of cotton from his farm on which there were more than forty good healthy squares former and almost ready to bloom. A good stand of cotton in that stage of advancement begins to make a noise like money.

Bring in a sample of your farm products for the fair exhibit.

## FINE RAINS OVER COUNTY

Every Part of County Gets Wetting. Crop Outlook Never More Promising.

Scattered showers fell in different parts of Scurry county last Saturday. Fair rains about Dunn. Snyder got a pretty good local rain. The clouds continued to promise more and there were showers Sunday.

A slow rain fell nearly all Sunday night reaching more generally over the county and Monday morning there was a good down pour.

Fluvanna reports a three inch rain. That region had been exceedingly dry and this rain saves the situation there. On the Divide country they have never suffered for rain this year and they got another good one. From Hermleigh to China Grove, Dunn and on to Ira, the rains were fine. Crowder, Bethel, Dermott—in fact at Snyder and all around, the season is reported fine. The lightest rain report comes from Ennis Creek. Considerable rain fell there, but not enough to make a real good season.

A. T. Bridgeman who lives ten miles northwest of Snyder reports a big rain and he says he will make feed enough to do him a year or two.

The down pour is reported very heavy at Knapp. The Knapp bridge over Bull Creek went down. That bridge has been there ten years. The Knapp country was suffering for rain and it has come just in the nick of time. The rains in the Fluvanna and Dermott country caused a good rise in Deep Creek at Snyder.

Feed stuff is in all stages from just up to headed out and some is being harvested.

Cotton is simply humping and the prospects now are that the gins now have will get all they can do far into next year.

Scurry County has not had so good a promise of bumper crops for many a year.

## Death of Mrs. C. F. Harkey.

Mrs. C. F. Harkey who was bereft in April, 1912, of her husband has never ceased to grieve for her departed companion and life has never seemed to her the same. Her mind has dwelt upon the promise of the glad re-union beyond the tomb and now, that time has come.

For several months her body has been racked with disease which physician, neighbors and friends sought to relieve but she passed peacefully a way on Monday evening of this week and her spirit goes to realms beyond.

She was a consistent member of the Methodist Church.

The funeral took place at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. Services were conducted by Rev. J. W. Hunt.

## Operation For Appendicitis.

The many friends of Mr. Liv. Davis, of the Gents Furnishing store of Kineanon & Davis, were deeply concerned early this week when it was learned that he had gone to Post City to submit to an operation for appendicitis. Dr. W. R. Johnson went with him and assisted on the operation. Dr. Johnson returned Monday evening and stated that the patient was doing nicely. He has been troubled to an extent with appendicitis for about three years and had reached a stage where an operation could not much longer be put off.

## Conservatory of Music.

Prof. Paul E. Pfeifer, Music Director of Stamford College, will open a conservatory of music in Snyder. This will prove of an unusual advantage to our town, receiving the same advantages here, as sending pupils off to colleges and conservatories. Prof. Pfeifer enjoys the reputation as one of the finest teachers in the United States. He teaches piano, violin, vocal, harmony, sight reading and grants teacher's Diplomas. A conservatory will put Snyder in front-ranks with other leading towns and be a most desirable addition.

Joe Merritt says his farm has been wetter this time than he ever knew it.



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**IRA INKLINGS.**

The fine rain makes us all smile.

Constable A. L. Barnett made a business trip to Colorado.

Well, it is raining some more and we all like to see it. Feed is looking fine.

A petition is being circulated asking the oil mill people to keep Geo. Stinson at Ira. Don't know yet what will be done about it. Old George suits us.

G. W. Ang I has ben quite sick but is better now.

We had a big singing here Sunday. Dinner all day and singing on the

ground. Mr. Werner was here to lead. Mr. Berry failed to get here.

Now, Mr. Editor, if you will come to the land of plenty, you wouldn't ve to work so hard. Money is plentiful over here. We never fail on a crop.

Some of our people went to the Masonic picnic and got all they could eat. When a fellow gets hungry let him go to Snyder. Those people know how to feed. I wish they would have another picnic next week.

—HAPPY BOY.

G. A. Grant was here Saturday from near Knapp and paid the Signal a pleasant call. He says his country needs rain. His cotton looks pretty good. He reported lots of cotton blooms. He has 40 acres in cotton and it is fairly uniform in size all over. His maize is nothing to brag about. The rain came.

**POST CITY ITEMS**

From the Post.

Jeff Justice, Jr., was here from Justiceburg last week. He reports fine rains there and everything flourishing.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Rogers came up from San Angelo last Saturday and remained over until Monday visiting friends.

To attempt to conduct a business without advertising is like trying to fish without bait.

Dr. A. O. Scarborough was here from Snyder Monday.

E. H. Higginbotham was here this week from Snyder on his semi-monthly visit to the studio.

This week Wilks Bro. sold to C. E. Callis about seventy head of cows at \$59.00 around. The cattle were delivered last Monday.

Mrs. W. P. Garvin, of Haskel, Texas, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. George Ralston.

Mrs. George R. Bean and children of Lubbock have been visiting her brother, Rev. J. W. Hunt.

Joe Caton and Gilbert Elkins returned Saturday from Dallas.

**ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW**

The Sweetwater Record Says:

A bunch of 25 Mexicans were taken from here to Teague Monday to chop wood.

Pat Kelsey of Snyder was in the City Saturday and Sunday.

Imo Mann attended the Masonic picnic at Snyder, Tuesday.

Gordon L. Mann went to Snyder Tuesday to assist the band boys in the musical program of the Masonic celebration.

J. W. Hunt of Snyder was shaking hands with his many Sweetwater friends Saturday.

Mrs. George Massey visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hull, at Snyder last week.

Sheriff J. B. Boles of Snyder was in the city Friday between trains.

Ira Hensley went over to Snyder Tuesday with his snare drum to assist the Snyder band at the Masonic picnic.

Misses Lizzie and Gladys Watkins of Snyder spent two or three days in the city last week. The former has been connected with Snyder schools for a number of years. These young ladies are representing the Goodrich Sales Company of Dallas. This is a very healthful as well as profitable way to spend a vacation. The young ladies left over the Orient Monday evening and will call on the trade along this route to Alpine, and then the S. P. Route to El Paso.

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**A Good Investment.**  
 W. D. Magli a well known merchant of Whitemound, Wis., bought a stock of Chamberlain's medicine so as to be able to supply them to his customers. After receiving them he was himself taken sick and says that one small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was worth more to him than the cost of his entire stock of these medicines. For sale by all dealers. 3-4t.

J. B. Jordan was here Saturday from Iuna.

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**W. L. PETTY, Snyder, Tex.**

Gov. Brown of Georgia has incurred the everlasting displeasure of the rank union labor people in the following remark: "We were brought face to face with the fact that these unions or combinations of employes of public service or other corporations have forced their wages above those received by workmen in other departments of life who have not formed these aggressively militant combinations."

Mr. J. A. Stavely was here Monday from Fluvanna rejoicing over the fine rain which fell there Sunday night and Monday morning.



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| Roscoe, Snyder & Pacific Schedule |                           |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|
| West Bound                        | East Bound                |
| 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                       |                           |
| Diy Exc S   Sun Only              | South Bound               |
| No. 3   No. 1                     | Sun Only   Diy Exc S      |
| 8:45 a. m.   8:45 a. m.           | No. 2   No. 4             |
| 9:30 a. m.   9:40 a. m.           | 5:30 p. m.   5:00 p. m.   |
| 10:00 a. m.   10:15 a. m.         | 4:05 p. m.   4:15 p. m.   |
| 10:50 a. m.   11:20 a. m.         | 4:00 p. m.   3:45 p. m.   |
| Read Down                         | 1:45 p. m.   2:50 p. m.   |
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SNYDER, TEXAS

**County Odd Fellows Association.**  
The Scurry County Odd Fellows Association will meet in Snyder on July 11th. All the lodges in Scurry county will be represented. Snyder lodge has appointed committees on arrangements and also a program committee to procure a speaker and provide other means of entertainment. It is the aim of the committee to secure a speaker who can present Odd Fellowship in public address in a way that will impress all persons who may care to know more about that fraternal order. The lodges at Snyder, Dunn, Ira, Hermleigh, and Fluvanna will be represented and the Rebekah lodges are invited to take part in the exercises.

**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.  
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**Voters Shy at Amendment.**  
There are probably very few really progressive people in Texas who are opposed to the proposition to provide means by a bond plan to improve the University, the A. & M. College and the Normal schools in the State, but many a voter wants to be assured that this plan is not designed to consolidate the A. & M. with the University and abandon the school at College Station.  
The A. & M. College has grown in the hearts of Texas farmers and it is believed that if it should be moved to Austin it will be lost to the farmers as a school for farmers.  
It is known that an effort was made at consolidation by the legislature and when it failed the bonding proposition was sprung, therefore the matter has a tinge of suspicion.

Another feature to which many people will object, is the proposition to leave the legislature free to issue bonds in any amount that may be desired by boosters.  
Texas people have come to like the plan of submitting bond issues to popular vote, and they will not be quick to surrender this prerogative to the ordinary Texas legislature, and therefore the proposition calls for serious thinking.  
The truth is, there are so many angles to the proposed amendment that some of us are having a serious time trying to study out its full import, and some intelligent and well meaning people are going to hesitate about voting to change the constitution without a clear understanding of the effect the change would have on the welfare of the state.

**Unightly Face Spots.**  
Are cured by Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment, which heals all skin eruptions. No matter how long you have been troubled by itching, burning, or scaly skin humors, just put a little of that soothing antiseptic, Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment, on the sores and the suffering stops instantly. Healing begins that very minute. Doctors use it in their practice and recommend it. Mr. Alleman, of Littletown, Pa., says: "Had eczema on forehead; Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment cured it in two weeks." Guaranteed to relieve or money refunded. All druggists, or by mail. Price 50c. Pfeiffer Chemical Co., Philadelphia and St. Louis. 3-4t.

Darby & Son have moved their plumbing business back to their old quarters on the same street.

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The clean, cool and comfortable Theatre where the best of pictures are shown. An ideal place to spend the evening. Come out and enjoy yourself.  
3,000 feet high class photo plays every night. Also 3 feature pictures every week.  
Continuous show from 8:30 to 10:45 p. m.  
Admission 10 cents.

**A DRASTIC INDICTMENT.**  
Governor O. B. Colquitt has investigated the fee system in Dallas county. The investigation was made by a friend of the Governor, who declares his report includes facts in regard to the scramble over fees that he did not care to make public.  
"I was surprised at the limits to which officials of this county were going in their efforts to pile up fees" he said today. "I not only found that strangers and innocent men were being ground through the fee mill to place a few dollars in official pockets but I also found other things which were absolutely illegal."  
"In one instance I found that certain deputies had grabbed a lot of negroes on practically no charges at all. Then they had induced the negroes to plead guilty. They made out fee bills that seemed ridiculous. One of these fee bills happened to fall into the hands of a former judge of the county who knew the law. He paid the bill to get the negroes out of jail, but he has a list of the fee charges and the county is liable to hear from him later."  
"In the list of fee charges were a number of items the law does not allow. Other items that call for fees had been boosted away up. On investigation I found that this was an ordinary occurrence. I found that if a person was arrested who had influential friends or money, he was treated leniently and allowed to go."  
"But if he was friendless or a stranger, he was put in jail or on the county roads with a nominal fine and a long list of fees. Then the county paid for his board and also reached in its pocket to pay all the officials who had handled his case."  
"I found that justice and the enforcement of the law was subverted in nearly every instance to the garnering of fees. I had long known of the evils of the fee system, but I did not know they were so flagrant."  
Against the amendment are all organizations of the county officials of the state. The sheriffs, the constables exert a tremendous influence. —Dallas Dispatch.

**Surprising Cure of Stomach Trouble.**  
When you have trouble with your stomach or chronic constipation, don't imagine that your case is beyond help just because your doctor fails to give you relief. Mrs. G. Stengle, Plainfield, N. J., writes, "For over a month past I have been troubled with my stomach. Everything I ate upset it terribly. One of Chamberlain's advertising booklets came to me. After reading a few of the letters from people who had been cured by Chamberlain's Tablets, I desired to try them. I have taken nearly three fourths of a package of them and can now eat almost everything that I want." For sale by all dealers.  
3-4t.

Judge J. J. Mansfield, of Columbus, Texas Grand Master of Masonry in Texas, in stating his opposition to Resolution 18, (the University bond amendment,) says in part:  
"The proposition to authorize the Legislature to issue bonds without limitation as to the amount, or the rate of interest to be paid, is so revolutionary against constitutional government that I cannot believe it will receive any considerable support from those who understand it."  
"If it is the proper thing to abolish all constitutional limitations on the question of issuing bonds and paying taxes, then I cannot see that we need any constitutional limitations for any purpose. If the people are to retain no voice in the amount of bonds to be issued and the rate of taxes to be paid, then I cannot conceive of any need for a constitution at all."

**Notice.**  
Notice is hereby given that the City Council of Snyder, will receive bids for the depository of the funds of the City, on Monday July, 23rd, 1913., as prescribed by law.  
Any desiring to bid for this 'und will please furnish the secretary with their sealed bid on or before the 23rd day of July, 1913.  
C. L. Ezell, City Secretary.

**The King of All Laxatives.**  
For constipation, headaches, indigestion and dyspepsia, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. Paul Mathulka, of Buffalo, N. Y., says they are the "King of all laxatives. They are a blessing to all my family and I always keep a box at home." Get a box and get well Price 25c. Recommended by all dealers. 3-4t  
New maize will soon be on the market. The earlier crop is now practically made.



WE SOCK THE KNIFE INTO PRICES ON HARDWARE. A BUSINESS AT LITTLE PRICES IS OUR WAY OF DOING BUSINESS.  
WE ARE NOT AFRAID THAT OUR BUSINESS IS SOON GOING TO BLOW UP. WE ARE HERE TO STAY, BY CARRYING WHAT THE PEOPLE WANT AND BY DOING A SQUARE BUSINESS.

**Blackard-Johnson Hwde. Co.**  
Southwest Corner Square.

**Have You Tried a Sack**



We are headquarters for first class groceries  
Prices and quality always right

**Farmers' Union Store**

**When in Snyder go to D. P. STRAYHORN for Breaking Plows, Harness, Saddles All kinds of Leather Goods. Fine line of Buggy Whips and Lap Robes**  
East Side Square Successors to Stimson Bros.  
**The Best Medicines in the World.**  
"My little girl had hysentery bad. I thought she would die. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy cured her, and I can truthfully say that I think it is the best medicine in the world," writes Mrs. William Orvis, Clare, Mich. For sale by all dealers. 3-4t  
Born in Snyder, Sunday night to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McQuinn, a fine boy.  
The Tokio correspondent in the Terry County Herald says: "Mrs. J. V. Riley of Snyder, Texas, is visiting her daughters, Mesdames R. E. Burnett and W. G. Meyers."



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CROWDER CULLINGS  
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We were once more visited with good rains last Sunday and Sunday night. Crops are looking fine and farmers are wearing a smile from ear to ear.

Sunday school attendance was small last Sunday on account of the rainy weather, and the prayer meeting was rained out.

Miss Nora Turner of Snyder visited in our community the first of the week.

Mr. Ray Pope who has been away at work came home last Saturday.

Little Gertie Cordill of near Dunn is visiting her father a few days.

Mr. Ray Huckabee of Union visited our Sunday School last Sunday.

The Farmers' Union met last Saturday night and elected delegates for the coming County Union.

Misses Viola, Nora and Georgie Turner visited at the home of Mr. W. B. Lemon last Monday.

Mr. Gerald Lemon is working near Ira now.

Mr. W. H. Cordill and little daughter, Gertie, visited Mr. R. L. Turner last Sunday.

Mr. F. I. Townsend lectured here last Wednesday night a week ago.

Miss Lora Lemon spent Sunday with Miss Viola Turner.

Some of the people here attended the Fifth Sunday meeting at Union last week.

Mr. C. S. Busby visited in Snyder last Sunday.

The Crowder boys played base ball at Mr. Bentley's Monday.

Mr. J. T. Biggs and family visited Mr. W. B. Lemon and family Sunday.

Some of our young people enjoyed the party at Mr. S. W. Light's last Tuesday night.

Mr. Anderson and family from near Loraine visited Mr. J. J. Pope and family last Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. W. C. Vick and daughter, Miss Winifred, are attending the town opening at Littlefield.

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FLUVANNA NEWS  
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This part of the country was visited by one of the finest rains Saturday and Sunday, the precipitation being about three inches, which insures the early feed crop. Cotton and other crops will be greatly benefited. Prospects were never brighter for a bumper crop.

Prayer services were held in the Methodist church Friday and Saturday morning by a number of the church people of our town and country praying for rain, and we all feel that their prayers were answered.

Mrs. E. R. Ball's father and sister from near Georgetown came in Thursday of last week for a few days visit.

J. A. Stavely transacted business in Snyder Monday.

D. M. Roberts left Monday for a three weeks visit to different parts of the state.

Dr. J. O. Lane and family left Saturday for Comanche for a two month visit.

Miss Sloan Beaver visited friends in Snyder a couple of days last week.

Mr. D. E. Lane and wife came in Thursday of last week from Com-

anche. D. E. has accepted a position in the City Drug Store. They will again make Fluvanna their home.

Mr. W. B. Dane and family are spending this week on their farm in Borden county. Mr. Boynton is keeping the store during their absence.

Prof. O. L. Howell and family returned Sunday after a three week's visit with home folks in this and Howard county.

Miss Lucile Miller and Miss Lena Coleman of Snyder, came in Wednesday of last week for a few days visit with Mr. J. A. Weems and family.

A number of our people have been gathering plums over on the river the past few days. They all report the crop a banner one this year.

Mr. C. A. Daniels transacted business in the county capitol a couple of days last week.

J. S. Collier attended the Fifth Sunday meeting Saturday at Union School house.

The Farmers' Institute will send four delegates to College Station to attend the annual meeting of that body at A. & M. College, which will be in session there this month.

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BETHEL NEWS  
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The writer was so busy last week getting ready to go to the picnic and had such a big time that he forgot to write entirely.

Bethel has had the big rain that we have been looking for and everything is looking good especially the long faces.

Jim Seabourn had the misfortune to stick a nail in his foot which is keeping him at home for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Hutcheson spent Sunday evening in the Crowder community.

The attendance at our Sunday school was small on account of the showers.

Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Townsend spent Sunday at Mr. Womack's.

Our Farmers' Union met on its regular meeting night with a good attendance and all the farmers ought to get in line.

Oscar, Hutcheson had a very sick horse Monday and had to call the doctor out.

Quite a number of our people were in town Saturday.

Rev. G. H. Gattis will preach here Sunday and we hope everybody will be there.

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BOOKOUT ITEMS  
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We have at last got that good rain we long looked for and everybody is all smiles again.

Dee McClanahan and family from the Wellborn farm spent Saturday and Sunday visiting friends in our community.

Bozs Sanders and wife of Snyder spent several days with Uncle Jep Brown's family last week.

J. I. Burrough attended services at the Methodist church at Fluvanna last Sunday.

Harve and Thell Browning made a trip to Fisher county last week.

Hade Condon and Dick Brown made a trip to Snyder last Monday.

Mrs. Harve Browning is visiting friends in Fisher county this week.

The Bookout people are going to

# RIGHT NOW is the time to buy your summer clothes and footwear.

**Every department of this big store is teeming with unusual values--big selections & wonderfully low prices**

## MEN'S SUITS

of the newest models in two and three button sack and Norfolks The fabrics are all wool and carefully hand tailored.  
**\$8.00 to \$25.00**

## BOYS' SUITS

We are especially proud of our boys suits because they have the same style, the same fit and the high quality of fabrics that make our men's clothes so popular. In addition they are made doubly strong to resist the wear and tear of boy play.  
**\$2.00 to \$10.00**

## LADIES LINEN COATS & DRESSES.

Every lady who sees the magnificent assortment of new ready-to-wear apparel at this store is delighted. You will enjoy seeing the display of Ladies Linen Dresses even if you do not want to buy a single thing. The values are very enticing, offering as they do, wanted merchandise at exceptionally low prices. You will also find a nice assortment of children's dresses of any grade and style. A trial will convince you that it pays to come to this store first.

## FOOT WEAR FOR ALL THE FAMILY

Father, mother, son, daughter and baby can all find shoes to fit them here. Our mammoth assortment combined with our much better than usual qualities make buying here an exceptional advantage. All Prices.

## DRY GOODS

In our dry goods and dress goods department we have the most recent creations of the fabric mills. It is easy to select what you want and you are sure it is in style because we watch out for that important feature.

Quality Merchandise **J. H. SEARS & CO.** Quality Merchandise

build an arbor at Bookout Wednesday for the revival which begins Friday night.

Joe Wilson of our community left last Thursday for a visit in Johnson county.

Several families around Bookout made a trip to Justiceburg last week to hunt plums.

It will do you good to meet the Bookout people since the rains last Sunday.

Friends of the university say the Agricultural and Mechanical college has nothing to fear from the adoption of the proposed amendment because of the increasing demand for practical training in agriculture and the mechanic arts both the college and the university will be crowded for an indefinite period and additional colleges will need to be established in different parts of the state. —San Antonio Express.

**Music Recital.**  
The music pupils of Mrs. T. F. Baker spent a very pleasant evening at her home on Friday evening, June 27. A splendid program was rendered and enjoyed by all.

In the execution of exercises and pieces the pupils gave evidences of careful and painstaking effort on the part of both teacher and pupils.

After the program delicious refreshments were served and after indulging in merry games the class adjourned to meet again in the near future.

—REPORTER.

**Opposed to Resolution 18.**  
Ira Sturdivant paid the Signal a pleasant call Wednesday. In speaking of the proposed constitutional amendment as called for in Legislative resolution 18, he said he is against it.

R. H. Drennan of Hermleigh says when he votes to change the constitution he wants to fully understand the meaning and effect of the change and there are so many sides and corners to the proposition he thinks he will scratch it from top to bottom. He admits there are some good points in it, but he prefers to take the thing in broken doses.

China is said to have cast off inhabitants known as Tartars and a Catholic bishop in China wants to secure Mexican teacher's for that people. From what we have always heard of catching and training Tartars, we are willing for Mexicans to have the job.

**Why We ADVERTISE**

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

**Staple and Fancy Groceries**

**Ely & Leverett**

On the northeast corner but we treat you on the square. Phone 285.

**Home From the Rockies.**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sears returned Wednesday evening from a five week's travel outlog in California, Utah and Colorado. They report a fine trip. They saw lots of the world. Mr. Sears said he was in snow last Tuesday. Those of us who were in Snyder that day were a long way from the snow register.

Ira Sturdivant has the right sort of patriotic spirit about him. He has the Signal sent to a friend in Mississipp, with a view to posting him up and getting him to come here to locate.

**Lest Strayed or Stolen.**—Yearling mare colt, bay, branded "L" on left thigh. Notify . . . Chunk Smith. . . It

Just as **The Liberty Bell** proclaimed  
**Liberty 4th July 1776**  
Just so **THE ARCADE** proclaims  
**liberty from high prices July 4th 1913**



# 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.

## BAKER, GRAYUM & ANDERSON

### Fullilove & Monroe

Implement Dealers

Peter Schutler and Webber wagons and harness, Moon and Ames buggies, surries etc. Eclipse, Favorite, U. S. and Sampson windmills 6 to 14 feet. Pipe casing and pipe fittings 1-4 to 6 inch. McCormick and Deering Binders, Mowers, twine and extras. Buy a Binder or Mower that you can get extras for, we carry them in stock. You see by our list we have the leading line of goods.

What do you think when they tell you they have just as good. Your business solicited in any business or legitimate way.

Respectfully,  
Fullilove & Monroe.

#### WATER IRRITATES

Your skin if you are afflicted with Eczema and the only way to get relief is to cleanse the afflicted part with Zensal Skin Cleanser and then apply Dry Zensal for the scaly, crusty skin, or Moist Zensal for the watery eruption. There are two distinct types and no cure-all will help you.

Grayum Drug Co.  
Snyder Drug Co.  
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#### Calomel is Bad.

But Simmons' Liver Purifier is delightfully pleasant and its action is thorough. Constipation ceases; biliousness goes. A trial convinces. (In Yellow Tin Boxes Only) Tried once used always.

W. M. Midkiff has been here this week after an absence of about a month at his brothers ranch.

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.

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. 52-1mo.



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is of distinct value to the farmer and to all dwellers in rural districts... Communication between members of the family widely separated from each other can be quickly and satisfactorily established by telephone and anxiety and worry dispelled in times of sickness or trouble.

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

### The Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Company



Skeptics may sneer at the fixed laws of nature and scoff the idea that there are special dispensations of providence, but they will have a hard time getting the people of Fluvanna to believe that the good rain that came there was not a direct answer to prayer.

Whatever you have in the way of farm, garden, or orchard products that you thing would be of interest bring it to the court house Monday afternoon for encouragement of the County Fair spirit.

#### JUDGE BARRY MILLER COMING

Will Deliver Public Address at I. O. O. F. Meeting Next Friday.

Mr. T. G. Deffebach of the arrangements committee for the Scurry County Odd Fellows Association wrote to Grand Secretary, W. H. Walker at Dallas inviting him to be here on July 11 to deliver a public address on Odd Fellowship.

Secretary Walker replied this week saying that owing to other engagements, he cannot possibly come, but he has secured consent of Judge Barry Miller of Dallas to come and deliver an address.

It will be a treat to have him here and all the people are invited to hear him.

#### How Foolish.

To suffer from Skin Diseases (itch eczema, ringworm, etc.) when one 50c box of "Hunt's Cure," is a positively guaranteed to cure or your money promptly refunded. Every retail druggist in the state stands behind this guarantee. Ask your druggist and see the guarantee with each box. You don't risk anything in giving it a trial.

#### Some Business Deals.

W. H. Mitchell this week bought a 240 acre farm from J. L. Sligh nine miles west of Snyder.

The Signal learns that B. C. Davenport has this week sold his Hardware business in Snyder to J. A. Daniels, of Harlingen. The new proprietor took charge on Wednesday of this week. While we shall regret to lose Mr. Davenport from our town we extend a cordial welcome to Mr. Daniels.

#### Eastern Stars Visit Sweetwater. Entertain Grand Matron Hill.

Geo. Brown, Jr., took a car load of Eastern Star ladies to Sweetwater last Friday night, returning by moon light. The Grand Matron of Texas, was present, also a number of visitors from other chapters. A most enjoyable evening was spent.

Those of the Snyder party were: Fannie B. Warren, Worthy Matron; Willie Strayhorn, Secretary; Eva Johnson, Martha; Mary S. Brown, Past Matron, and Ida May Ezell.

On Saturday morning, Mattie L. Hill Grand Matron of the order of Eastern Star came to our city to visit with the Snyder Chapter.

A meeting was held at 1:30 and after having the chapter exemplify the work, the Grand Matron made a few slight corrections and gave us a talk which was greatly enjoyed.

We then adjourned to partake of cake and cream after which the distinguished visitor had to rush to catch the 4 p. m. train.

—Contributed by a Member.

Hunt's Cure rapidly destroys itching ringworm, itching piles, Eczema, tetter and like troubles. Under its influence the diseased cuticle scales off leaving a smooth white, healthy skin in its place. A wonderful remedy and only 50 cents a box. 3tf

#### White-Baird Wedding.

Cupid just won't behave. He has been cutting capers lately, and succeeded in piercing the hearts of another Scurry county couple. Last Sunday afternoon, Mr. O. L. White, and Miss Ethel Baird, both highly respected young people of the Lloyd Mountain Community, were made man and wife. The wedding ceremony was pronounced by Elder J. A. Bradbury, in a few well chosen words. The marriage took place at the residence of Mr. Ira Sturdivant, at which place the bride had made her home for a number of years.

It is the wish of this writer, that this union may be, not only a joining together of hands, as the result of mere formality and law, but may it be indeed and in truth, a joining together of minds and hearts.

A number of friends and neighbors gathered to witness the crowning event in the lives of these two, and the congratulations and good wishes of all attend them as they begin the journey of life together.

—A FRIEND.

#### Acme Steam Laundry.

I have the agency of Acme Steam Laundry, of Fort Worth. Basket will leave Tuesday returning on Saturday. The basket will be at Lockhart & King's Barber Shop.

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Mrs. W. A. Walker of Rayland, Texas, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. L. McQuinn.

#### HIGH WATER IN THE RIVER

Colorado Highest Known. Home Threatened by Raging Flood.

The rains have been very heavy on the plains country for the past week and it is said that Colorado river at Ira has been higher than probably ever before known. Mr. W. L. Rhoades has lived near the river for twelve years and has never had sause until now to feel uneasy about high water, but he got up against it Sunday night. The river had overflowed and had come up to his house and even into it. He telephoned conditions to Ira and a crowd of men went out to render assistance should it be necessary, but the crest of the tide passed without doing any serious damage.

#### PROGRAM "DREAMLAND"

AIRDOME

Friday July 4th, the beautiful cut glass Bowl will be given away to the person holding the lucky number, at Dreamland.

This cut glass bowl on display at Grayum Drug Company. Stop and see it.

Ask anyone who has ever visited Dreamland. They will all tell you that they see a good show every time they come. Two shows 8:30 to 10:45

#### Program for July 4th

For Her Boy's Sake... Thanhauser Half Orphan... Majestic Matches... American

Uriah Jones, Hezekiah Brown and John Peter Smith all say that Hunt's Lightning Oil stops neuralgia. Rheumatism and other pains. Just try a 50c or 25c bottle from your druggist.

O. P. Wolfe, Snyder's wide awake City Marshal, came to the Signal office Wednesday with a well fruited stalk of as good cotton as one wishes to see. The stalk is strong and vigorous and carried about 20 forms. Capt. Pack Wolfe says this was a fair sample of an acre that he planted April 27. He also brought in some nice apples from his orchard.

#### Marriage Record.

County Clerk Skinner issued two marriage permits last Saturday. The contracting parties were:

O. L. White and Miss Ethel Virna Baird, and B. P. Moffett and Miss Emma Cruickshanks.

#### 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.

#### Important Information.

To those troubled with English Sparrows:

Take an ordinary cigar box and put in it some wheat, kaffir corn or maize and nail on some post high enough above the ground to keep the domestic animals from it and in a place where the birds congregate.

Keep the box filled for a day or two with this grain; then soak some grain in strychnine like for prairie dogs and place in the box. It will do the work. It is best for neighborhoods to act together.

E. J. ANDERSON,  
Secretary Y. M. B. L.

#### ANNOUNCEMENT.

I have bought half interest with Jim Lockhart's Barber Shop and take this method if announcing the fact to my friends. The business will be conducted under the firm name of Lockhart & King. I will appreciate your patronage.

PORTER KING.

Have you read the ads this week?



H. G. TOWLE  
Jeweler and Optician Snyder, Tex.



ARE YOU SICK.  
Much is said of drugless healing in these days but it has been proven that the proper use of

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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.

WARREN BROTHERS.

### The Sanitary BARBER SHOP

Lockhart & King, Props.

HOT AND COLD BATHS  
IN CONNECTION

North Side Square Next  
door to Rogers & Casteven's

## Davenport Hardware Store

offers for the next

10 DAYS

any thing in  
the store

AT COST

Give us a call.

#### Had Forty Conversions.

Rev. F. L. Hutcheson writes that there have been forty conversions in his meeting at Austwell and it was intended to carry on over last Sunday, but the services had been considerably interrupted by rainy weather.



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.

Intelligent cultivation and intelligent marketing should go hand in hand.

Missouri has consented for the Standard to do an oil business in that state and is not averse to the Pierce people doing likewise.

Editor Tom Marks of the Jacksboro News still insists that the government should buy up a lot of land and sell it off to people who are renting. Some of them would have to be forced to take it.

Pollicker has won against butter milk in the debate of international interest at Dallas between Editor Green of Tyler and Editor Lowry of Honey Grove. Some say the decision was caused by a rumored relation between the buttermilk habit and a noticeable thinness of hair often termed baldheadedness by people with a fondness for explicit terms.—Austin Statesman.

If the decision was caused from such an unholy influence, it was wrong, for Col. Lowry was baldheaded before buttermilk was discovered.

An auto road from Dallas, Fort Worth to Roswell, N. M., via Mineral Wells and Lubbock is being planned.—Jacksboro News.

That road is billed through nearly every town in West Texas.

**Not All Dead Yet.**

A news special from Greenwich, Conn., says:

"Mrs. Clifford B. Harmon, daughter of Commodore E. C. Benedict, is so bent upon having a home de luxe for twenty-eight cats and twenty-four kittens that an appropriation of \$15,000 is planned for the building."

Don't it seem strange that lightning, pneumonia and automobile accidents kill so many sensible people and leave fools alive?

On top of all the other signs of good times comes the news that the pecan crop in Concho county will be an immense one. Grand old Texas.—Austin Statesman.

What is a pecan crop to a fellow when the owners all have their groves posted?

Have you ever noticed how some towns sleep along for years and then have a boom? That comes when its sleepy inhabitants suddenly awake to a realization that combined efforts bring results.—Cleburne Chronicle.

'Twas ever thus.

Atown is judged by the size and quality of its newspapers. When you withhold your patronage from the local newspaper, you are hurting the town just that much.—Lubbock Avalanche.

Some people may not know it, but prospectors always look over the advertising columns of a paper.

The death of 88,800 new born babies in France as a direct result of alcoholism will furnish a potent weapon in the hands of temperance lecturers.—Cleburne Chronicle.

The baby has for a long time been an unwelcome adjunct to the family in France and if one should happen in fashionable circles the chances were that it would go by the alcohol or some other route.

Practically every Daily paper in the state and all the leading educators are arguing in favor of the University Bond Amendment. People would have more faith in the declaration that no harm is meant to the A. & M. College were it not for the efforts made in Austin some months ago to merge the A. & M. into the University.

**KNOWLEDGE FROM EXPERIENCE**

Of course "book farmers" fail sometimes, and some book farmers do not succeed as well as some who never read, but this does not prove that it is not good policy to study one's occupation. But let the man who derides the "book farmer" consider awhile. All that he knows he has learned from others, or as results of hard experiences. If those from whom he has learned would put their experience in books, and if he would add his experiences to the volumes, then the farmers, who wish to learn can have all those experiences at command. All knowledge worth the name comes from experience, and this truth is recognized by the men who are teaching agriculture in the schools and by the departments of agriculture. Tens of thousands of experiments are being made and these are recorded for the use of any citizens. No citizen can afford to make all the experiments, but the government can afford to do so, since the results of failures are borne by all the people. Use the government bulletins. Write to the department at Washington for a list of bulletins and then write for such as you want. They are yours for the asking. If you do not get them then you lose what you are entitled to have.—Farm and Ranch.

Grogan. The water that made Sweetwater famous. Shipped anywhere in the United States in five gallon jugs for 1.25, and fifty cents paid back for the jug which the express company will return free of charge. A sure cure for all stomach troubles. The Grogan Wells, Sweetwater, Texas 3-1t.

The hired editors of the Fort Worth Record and the Dallas Times Herald have exchanged jobs and now each is throwing up to the other what he said under the old regime about the two towns. It were better to let bygones be bygones. Some things are better off forgotten.

W. H. Huebner came in Monday to tell us about the rain. He said he knew all the time we would get rain. He proceeded to pay up in advance for the Signal for himself and two others. A newspaper man has a brotherly feeling for men like that.

**MORE SMALL FARMS NEEDED.**

Commercial Secretaries News Service The average farm in Scurry county contains 364 7-10 acres and in each farm the average number of acres of improved land is 101 6-10. The Farmers Union is strongly advocating the reduction of the size of the farms of this state and its President, Hon. Peter Radford, has previously, thru the press, called attention to the number of large farms in Scurry county. Federal Census Records show that we have 1655 farms that contain more than 100 acres. Mr. Radford claims that if cheap money were available more tenant farmers would become home owners and the owners of these large tracts could be induced to place their property on the market in small tracts.

We now have 1424 farms in this county and 709 of them are operated by tenants.

If an effort were made to induce Central Texas tenants to buy homes in West Texas, we would soon see the big ranches cut up into small farms and occupied by thrifty farmers.

**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 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.

**NUGGETS OF WISDOM.**

Pluck and perseverance are little giants that will not down.

The close-fisted miser who is afraid to trust his dollars in home enterprises should remember that shrouds have no pockets.

Forget yesterday but remember the lessons it taught, remember the fate that overtook the man or the town that made the same mistake twice.

**DON'T LET YOUR LIVER GET LAZY**

**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 relieves constipation and bilious attacks.

When you take Dodson's Liver Tone, you do not have to stay in the hours all day, one of the weakening and harmful after-effects of calomel follow 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.

3-1t.

**Good Samples of Millet**

Our young friends Bill Brooks and J. C. Day came into the Signal office Saturday evening with samples of millet from the W. T. Brooks farm south of town. This millet measured fifty inches in length and the heads are seven inches long. Bill says they have ten acres like it. With a feed crop like that there is no good reason why this country should be grouchy. These samples will be on exhibition at the court house next Monday to add to the fair spirit.

**For Cuts, Burns, and Bruises.**

In every home there should be a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, ready to apply in every case of burns, cuts, wounds or scalds. J. H. Polanco, Delvalle, Texas, R. No. 2, writes: "Bucklen's Arnica Salve saved my little girl's cut foot." The world's best salve. Only 25c. Recommended by all dealers.

3-4t.

James Evans, of Snyder is the guest of G. G. Johnson, of the Hopkins Drug Store, this week. Mr. Evans is returning home from an extended trip into California.—Lubbock Avalanche.

**AMERICAN BEAUTY FLOUR**

The best Flour made. Try a sack once and be convinced.

**Denson & Smith**

Come to **Caton-Dodson's** and call for a card like the following and avail yourself of this opportunity.

**\$1 THIS PUNCH CARD IS WORTH \$1 ONE DOLLAR**

In Obtaining

The Famous **ROGER Silverware**

|                                |        |
|--------------------------------|--------|
| 6 Tea Spoons                   | \$1.78 |
| 6 Desert Spoons                | \$1.96 |
| 6 Table Spoons                 | \$1.99 |
| 6 Medium Knives                | \$2.50 |
| 6 Medium Forks                 | \$1.99 |
| 1 Sugar Shell and Butter Knife | \$1.75 |
| 1 Three piece Child's set      | \$1.85 |
| 1 Berry Spoon                  | \$1.05 |
| 1 Gravy Ladle                  | \$1.85 |
| 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.

Example:—To obtain a set of Tea Spoons, value as above \$1.78, pay in the odd 78 cents and we will accept this card, properly punched out, as \$1.00

**READ THIS CARD**

**CATON-DODSON DRY GOODS CO**

SNYDER, TEXAS

The fellow who stops his paper because he becomes offended at some item that did not suit his fancy, always imagines he is getting even with the publisher, but he is never missed. This only happens occasionally for there are only a few who imagine a paper should contain nothing but what they approve of.—Kent County News.

It was a member of that tribe who threw his bible away and refused to read it because it said: "Pay that which thou owest." Another fellow who believed in sprinkling or pouring as baptism went to a Baptist meeting and wanted to lick the preacher because he contended that immersion was the proper mode. We can do just as well without such fellows.

Snyder and Scurry county should send out a general invitation to home seekers to come here then sell them what they can pay for so as not to load them down with debt. In that way we will get an influx of satisfied citizens.

**Hog Feeding Knowledge.**  
From A & M. College.

"I would like for you to answer the following question, I have six shoats of 70 to 80 pounds weight and two sows that will farrow in the next ten days. I have corn chops, corn, wheat bran, and wheat shorts. Now what part of each ought I to feed to the shoats for a balanced ration; also what of this feed is best for the sow?"

Answer. "It has been found by experiments that wheat bran is not so good as other feeds for hogs. If fed continuously intestinal trouble will set up, as it seems to have a laxative effect. However, it is a good plan to give a feed of this material once in every few days to clean your hogs out. There is no difference in the feed stuffs of corn or corn chops. For pigs of 80 to 100 pounds weight give 2 1/2 pounds of corn and 3 pounds of wheat shorts per day. Sows weighing 200 pounds should be fed 3 pounds of corn and 2 1/2 pounds of wheat shorts per day."

**JULY CLEARANCE SALE**

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.

"The Store Ahead"

**Coates-Coleman Mer. Co.**

NORTH SIDE SQUARE



# Before You

Get ready to buy a **SILO**, make it a point to see

**G. B. CLARK, The Agent**

He can save you money

## Hail Crop Insurance

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.

**Baker Grayum & Anderson**  
Snyder, Texas

## BURTON LINGO CO

Successors to Snyder Lumber Company

A complete line of all kinds of building material carried. Fencing of all kinds a specialty. AGENTS FOR THE CELEBRATED SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINT. SEE US FOR ARBOLUM, A SPECIAL PAINT FOR ROOFS AND CEMENT BUILDINGS. AGENTS FOR THE FAMOUS PITTSBURG ELECTRIC WELD WOVEN WIRE. WE GUARANTEE QUALITY, RIGHT PRICES, COURTEOUS AND EFFICIENT SERVICE.

LET US FIGURE WITH YOU

## Fish Every Tuesday and Friday

THE BEST SHORT ORDER HOUSE IN TOWN

## ELKINS & SON

WEST SIDE SQUARE.

## Higginbotham = Harris & Co.

Dealers in Lumber, Wire, Posts, Paints and Oils,  
Screen Doors, Wire Cloth

Snyder, Texas

## Car of Feed Just Received

A car of Oat, Corn and Maize Chops just received. Come in and get my prices

**C. R. Fellmy's**

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

#### 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 Boatmen's 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 \$360.00 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. Vewell, Deputy. 1-4t

An ardent advocate of the University bond amendment told us a few days ago that the "shacks" on the university grounds used as dormitories, "are a disgrace to Texas." That is the first time we who have never been there, had heard of it. It is another case like the awful picture of dilapidation of the capitol building, drawn by a space writer who wanted a new state house. There is a mark of insincerity about such writings.

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

W. W. Whitehead was in from his farm Saturday and reported conditions favorable.

### A Summer Time Snow.

Here is a news special clipped from the Dallas News which you can file away, if you like so as to meet the stories of "the oldest inhabitant."

"Boston, Mass., June 25.—Although the thermometer registered 80 degrees in the shade yesterday, the mercury dropped today until overcoats were comfortable. In Waltham snow fell for a minute and Moody street was sifted over with the white crystals before it stopped.

"Waltham is the only place reporting snow, but the east wind still is blowing and the weather man says anything is possible in the way of weather in Boston.

"The thermometer showed 55 degrees tonight.

### Snyder Ships Snap Beans.

Local produce dealers broke the record in Snyder last Friday in a shipment of 650 pounds of snap beans to Amarillo. These beans represent the industry and frugality of

Snyder people. Of course this produce could be left to dry up on the vine but since we have to buy beans or do without, why should we not try to get back all we can? Scurry county produces just as good garden truck as can be shipped here from the Coast and there is no good reason why we should not sell ours when we have a surplus.

There is just as much sense in selling a basket of beans or a pound of butter as a bale of cotton, and more clear profit.

### Causes of Stomach Trouble.

Sedentary habits, lack of outdoor exercise, insufficient mastication of food, constipation, a torpid liver, worry and anxiety, overeating, partaking of food and drink not suited to your age and occupation. Correct your habits and take Chamberlain's Tablets and you will soon be well again. For sale by all dealers. 3-4t.

Have you read the ads this week?

### Baptist Fifth Sunday Meeting.

The Baptist Fifth Sunday Meeting began last Thursday night at Union church, five miles west of Snyder, and continued through Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The services were all well attended day and night. Many important subjects were discussed by competent speakers. The ministers attending were Revs. A. J. Leach, Pastor; W. L. Leach; Bradbury, of Abilene; J. D. Lampkin, of Roscoe; M. T. Tucker; C. A. Jones; J. W. McGaha, C. H. Kelly, and O. J. Hull, County Missionary.

There was a good attendance of laymen. A number of people went out from Snyder and gave aid to the meetings by their counsel, their presence and their prayers.

Every man and woman in Scurry county should be willing to help to make the county fair a sure thing.

J. H. Fendy returned Saturday from a business trip in Central Texas.

# 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.

## FIRST STATE BANK & TRUST COMPANY



## INCREASING BUSINESS

We are doing an increasingly good prescription business. The result, where we do prescription work, is of general satisfaction to both the doctor and patient.

You may give your prescriptions with confidence that they will be properly attended to.

N. B. Say the word and your doctor will be pleased to send your prescriptions here.

FREE DELIVERY

PHONE 221

## OWL DRUG STORE

The Drug, Book and Stationery House  
F. V. CLARK, Druggist

T. P. Perkins went to Post Thursday.

Misses Grayum are visiting in Dallas.

The West Texas knocker is no more.

Mr. E. C. Dodson is reported quite sick this week.

Misses Watkins have returned from Sweetwater.

Billy Barlow was here this week billing the Mollie Bailey show.

E. L. Crowder was in town Tuesday looking pleased over the rain.

Mrs. Jim Dawson and daughter Jewell left for Galveston and Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wright Moor were in Saturday from their ranch home.

L. O. Kimbrough reports the recent rains very light in the Ennis Creek country.

Texas people will be slow to vote to change the constitution unless the proposition is plain enough to be easily understood.

Alvin Crowder son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Crowder went this week to Abilene to enlist in the U. S. navy. He passed the required examination some time ago and has now completed the requirements and enlisted for three years.

Miss Etta Aucutt returned Tuesday to her home near Polar after a visit with Snyder friends.

Mr. T. J. Thompson says he is sure there has been more beans raised in Snyder this year than ever before.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Paxton are visiting in Abilene. They will probably go on to Michigan before coming home.

Mrs. Dr. A. N. Harkrider and son have returned from an extended summer visit and the Doctor is glad of it.

Mrs. Doss Caton and little daughter, Burl of Madena, Texas, are here to visit the homefolks, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stokes returned Friday from an extended visit in south Texas. They report a pleasant trip.

Mrs. Dr. R. L. Howell has gone for a visit of a month at Clifton and Turnersville. The Doctor says he is in for one month of batching.

W. W. Echols, cashier of the Hermligh State Bank, and E. O. Echols, also of Hermligh, were business visitors in Snyder, Monday.

Jim Evans came in this week from Roswell, New Mexico. He talks like he may stay here now and enjoy a season of prosperity for which along with the rest of us, he has been waiting so long.

### Lots to Learn at San Marcos.

Mr. John L. Green, one of Scurry county's progressive teachers, who is now attending the Summer School at San Marcos writes home to his father to say that when a boy learns everything that is to be learned at that school he is going some.

Our enterprising cotton weigher, Tom Jenkins is trying to interest the farmers of Scurry county in the growing of long staple cotton. He showed the Signal this week, a sample that measured more than an inch and a half in length.

It is said that the democrats of New York are looking about for a man of the Roosevelt type for mayor of the city. It is probable that Teddy could be induced to take the job.

Mrs. Tim Hooper, of Blackwell, Texas, has a very interesting letter in this issue, be sure and read it. It

### Grand Matron Visits Snyder Chapter

Mrs. Dr. Hill, of El Paso, Grand Matron of the Order of Eastern Star, of Texas, was a distinguished visitor in Snyder last Saturday, the special guest in the home of Mrs. Joe Monroe. At 1:30 Saturday afternoon she met the membership in the Masonic hall and gave some valuable instruction in the work and teachings of the order.

At dinner, at the Monroe home there were present, besides Mrs. Monroe and the guest of honor, Mrs. Dr. Warren, Mrs. M. B. Moore Mrs. Joe Strayhorn and Mrs. Billie Sims.

Mrs. T. F. Baker entertained her music pupils last Friday evening at her home, with a nice home recital and general good time. Cream and cake were served.

George Harris, A. J. McDowell and E. W. Hancock, made a business trip to San Angelo and returned Tuesday.

Miss Agnes Wasson is visiting at Cleburne.

Attend the County Fair meeting Monday at 2 p. m. Court House.

If you have Chickens and Eggs to Sell see us  
C. Nation & Son.

A small bridge over a draw south-east of Ira was washed out by high water a few days ago.

We pay you market price in Cash for chickens and Eggs.  
C. Nation & Son.

If you have Chickens and Eggs to Sell See us.  
C. Nation & Son.

T. P. Perkins, Esq., returned Tuesday from a professional trip to Dallas.

Uncle Ben Davis went to Post City Wednesday to see how Liv. is getting on.

Jasper Burch is able to be up and out again after a severe ailment for about a week.

Most all our merchants have noticed that business has already begun to pick up since the rain.

Mr. Wood is making the Dreamland Airdome Theatre a popular place of recreation for the people.

R. G. McFarland and Frank Crowder were in Tuesday from Dunn. They said it was a ge-lorious rain.

Judge W. S. Payne and family have moved this week into the W. T. Baze house at the big Cotton Woods.

Prof. O. L. Howell, Superintendent of Fluvanna Schools was transacting business in Snyder Wednesday.

People are studying the bond amendment but lots of them are not ready to state their views on the matter.

Miss Fay Hutcheson was hostess to a happy party of her g'rl friends on Thursday morning at the home of Mrs. Hardy.

City Marshall, O. P. Wolfe, returned Wednesday from the City Marshall's convention at Galveston. He reports an enjoyable trip.

Our good friend D. C. Arnett paid the Signal a special call Wednesday and moved his paid up date on ahead. The Lord will always be good to men like that.

### Children's Day Program.

As we were rained out last Sunday night, we will give our program next Sunday night (if not rained out.)

Come, we will do our best to entertain you.

Respectfully,  
Children of Christian Sunday School.

For Sale.  
A god Jersey Cow with young calf. 2-2t. See Harry Winston.

Sheriff Boles sold 51 pieces of property here Tuesday for taxes. One man bought three lots and another bought one. The others revert to the county, unless cleared and redeemed by owners.

See Hardy M. Boyd, for Abstracts, over State Bank. 41-tf.

When Judge Yonge was approached this week for a news item he said: "Nothing only we have a democrat for a post master for the first time in about 20 years."

Mayor Noble says he reckons he is authority on how to fish with empty beer bottles but says he got his bottles from his friend Barnes. Now, it is up to them if other explanations are wanted.

The saloons in Dallas and Fort Worth were locked up promptly at 9:30 Tuesday night. Everybody was looking. We'll see how it works after the new wears off.

Be sure and visit the Baby Show today at 10 o'clock. Wilmeth building. The flower, art and needle work display will come this evening and tonight.

Farmers are beginning to put loads of new maize on the local market. Scurry county will now get back some of the money paid out last year for feed.

We pay you market price in Cash for Chickens and Eggs.  
C. Nation & Son.

Judge Arthur Yonge made a professional trip to Sweetwater this week.

Car of chopped maize, and threshed maize. C. S. Perkins It

H. P. N. Gamble the lawbook man of Austin was here this week.

Mrs. Marvin Wood and children are visiting at Kress.

Jim Ellis made a business trip to Sweetwater.

I KNOW WHERE TO GET THE MEDICINE

OUR DRUG STORE

Rc Remedies for Summer Complaints

Dr. Burr

Have it in the house



LITTLE FOLKS WILL COMMIT INDISCRETIONS — BIG FOLKS, TOO. YOU WILL BE SURE TO NEED REMEDIES FOR SUMMER COMPLAINTS. GET THEM WHILE YOU THINK OF IT. A LITTLE DELAY WILL CAUSE A GREAT DEAL OF PAIN, AND EVEN DEATH MAY COME BEFORE YOU CAN GET THE DOCTOR AND THE MEDICINE.

YOU SHOULD, AT ALL TIMES, HAVE IN THE HOUSE, REMEDIES FOR SUMMER COMPLAINTS.

MAKE OUR DRUG STORE YOUR DRUG STORE.

The Snyder Drug Comp'y

"We give mail orders prompt attention"

# H. G. Towle Solid Gold Wedding Rings, Engraved Free

The Southwestern Telephone company has approved the installation of the o. 12 copper circuit between Snyder and Fluvanna.

Horace Holley was here Tuesday loading out a fourhorse wagon with groceries, etc., for his general merchandise store at Ira.

Rhea McFarland was a pleasant caller at the Signal sanctum Tuesday. He reports elegant rains and the crop outlook was never better.

Misses Della and Elsie Patterson have been visiting the family of W. T. Thompson and returned last Sunday to their home at Pycn.

R. G. McFarland and C. W. Williams were in Saturday evening from Dunn and report a nice shower of rain at Dunn about noon Saturday.

Miss Viola Ellis and little Monte Rose Eowron returned Wednesday morning from a visit with relatives at Snyder.—Lubbock Avalanche.

Uncle Ben Davis went to Post City to see his son who was operated on Monday for appendicitis and he states that he is doing just fairly well.

The Snyder Transfer team took a little spin up at the Santa Fe depot Thursday and the carriage was capsized, though there was no person in it at the time.

### Dr. Brooks Favors Bonds.

Dr. S. P. Brooks, president of Baylor College, in the course of an address favoring the University bond amendment, said:

"During this, your historic year, I hope there may be passed by the voters of Texas the amendment to the constitution making possible the building of the University, the A. & M. college, and the other state higher institutions up to a standard demanded by the natural growth of Texas.

"The issuance of bonds will give immediate relief and distribute the payment thereof to those who in the future as well as in the present, will be the beneficiaries. It does not discriminate nor play one institution off against the other. The A. & M. college will rightly participate in its benefits. Likewise the normals and the college of Industrial Arts.

"It is not to the credit of the state that the insane are not properly and promptly cared for. It is a shame that so many of the buildings now occupied by the deaf and dumb, the blind and the insane are fire-traps built of cheap construction. This amendment makes possible their permanent enlargement and improvement."

I have bought the Passenger department of the Snyder Transfer Co. and respectfully solicit your business. Don't forget that I am still in the produce business and will give you top prices for your produce.  
JIM ELLIS  
Northeast Corner Square.

Lost.—Ten dollar bill some where on the square. \$1.00 reward. Return to Signal office. . . . 3-1tpd

Have you read the ads this week?

### Franco-American Hygiene

A great many of our leading ladies of Snyder and surrounding cities are using Franco-American Hygienic toilet requisites and we want every lady in the country to do the same. We can please you. Call at A. D. Dodson's and Stinson Dry Goods & Grocery Co., for same. Everything pure and sweet, the best in the world  
Mrs. W. A. Watkins,  
3-tf. Representative.

### Mason County Stays Dry.

Mason, Texas, June 30.—Mason county stayed dry by a majority of thirty-one votes Saturday, the last day before the 9:30 closing law went into effect. The vote was 329 for prohibition and 298 against.

### Rebeckahs Elect Officers.


At a regular meeting of Snyder Rebeckah Lodge, No. 26 last week, officers for the ensuing term were elected as follows:  
Mrs. Mattie Payne, Noble Grand;  
Miss Bessie Buchanan, Vice Grand;  
Miss Willie Strayhorn, Secretary;  
Mrs. Sam Hull, Treasurer.

S. E. Leverett, of Cooper, Texas is the guest of his brother, D. S. Leverett. He is accompanied by his friend, Mr. T. J. F. Falkner.

### Brother Plunkett Quite Sick.

Rev. Thos. N. Plunkett, pastor of First Christian Church, was taken seriously sick at his home on Colonial Hill last week and on Saturday was severely stricken with congestion. His physicians, family and friends were made quite anxious about his condition for two or three days but he is much better now.

It pays to read the Signal advertisements each week.



Bring Your Prescriptions To Us.

PRESCRIPTION WORK

is the supreme test of a Drug Store's character.

Our prescription department is run on the principle that your Doctor knows what he wants when he writes his directions and that it is our duty to follow them to the very letter. Bring your Prescriptions to us and you will make the Doctor's work sure, and quicker.

GRAYUM DRUG CO.

The Rexall Store

Free Delivery Phone 37

The Official Tests show Dr. Price's Baking Powder to be most efficient in strength, of highest parity and healthfulness

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

No Alum, No Phosphate of Lime

**Damp Weather Fine For Insects.**  
Estate Entomologist Scholl announced that if the cool weather and rains continued for several days conditions will be ideal for the development of cotton leaf caterpillar and the grass army worm. He advises farmers to look out for these pests and be ready to exterminate them.

cently used the paint brush effectively in brightening up the walls and hall ways of their office building. Manager Duckett and Pat Kelsey are both young men and they keep their premises in apple pie order all the time.

See Hardy M. Boyd, for Abstracts, over State Bank. 41-4f.

The local telephone people have re