

The Snyder Signal

TWENTY-EIGHTH YEAR

SNYDER, SCURRY COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MARCH 26, 1915.

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BIG SPRING STYLE SHOW A SUCCESS

SPRING OPENING ATTRACTED LARGE CROWD OF LOVERS OF CORRECT STYLES

LIVE MODELS; LIVE STYLES

Expensive Gowns Displayed to Best Effect.—Event Was Tremendous Success.—Music

The effete of New York City, Austin, Texas, or any other town as to that matter, could not excel the spirit of spring time manifested in the splendid opening and brilliant display of the newest creation in ladies wearing apparel produced by the great fashion centers of America and Europe shown on living models at specific intervals during the week at the progressive establishment of Caton-Dodson Dry Goods Company, Snyder, Texas.

Beginning on Monday evening with an elaborate program interspersed with band music and stereoptical spot-light stage scenes, this enterprising store assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, presented the first indication of highclass dress reform in the golden west, displayed in a gorgeous manner, causing more interest and enthusiasm than anything ever attempted in the metropolis of western Texas.

Gowns to the value of \$200 were exhibited, as well as the more moderately priced garments.

The occasion has attracted great crowds of interested people, both men, women and children, and nothing but favorable criticism has been heard from any source.

Aside from the specially exhibited goods, the entire store was arrayed in spring-like decorations and all lines of merchandise delightfully placed on exhibition.

Among those noted as live models were: Mrs. E. B. Barnes, Mrs. A. N. Harkrider, Mrs. M. A. Grimes, Mrs. M. M. Adams, Mrs. W. S. Adamson, Mrs. Ward Gross; Miss Whited, Miss Thomas, Miss Mary Nation and Miss Emma Nation.

The Snyder Concert Band made good music for the occasion.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON REPORT

Prices Advanced Last Week in Face of Ginning Report.

The chief news feature of the week in the cotton market was the final Census Bureau report of the season on ginning. It fell flat as a bearish influence, tho' it was larger than even the bears expected. Counting linters and all the production was 16,645,272 bales.

After the figures were issued on the last session of the week the market actually advanced. Gossip of the ring said that Western speculators were coming into the market again.

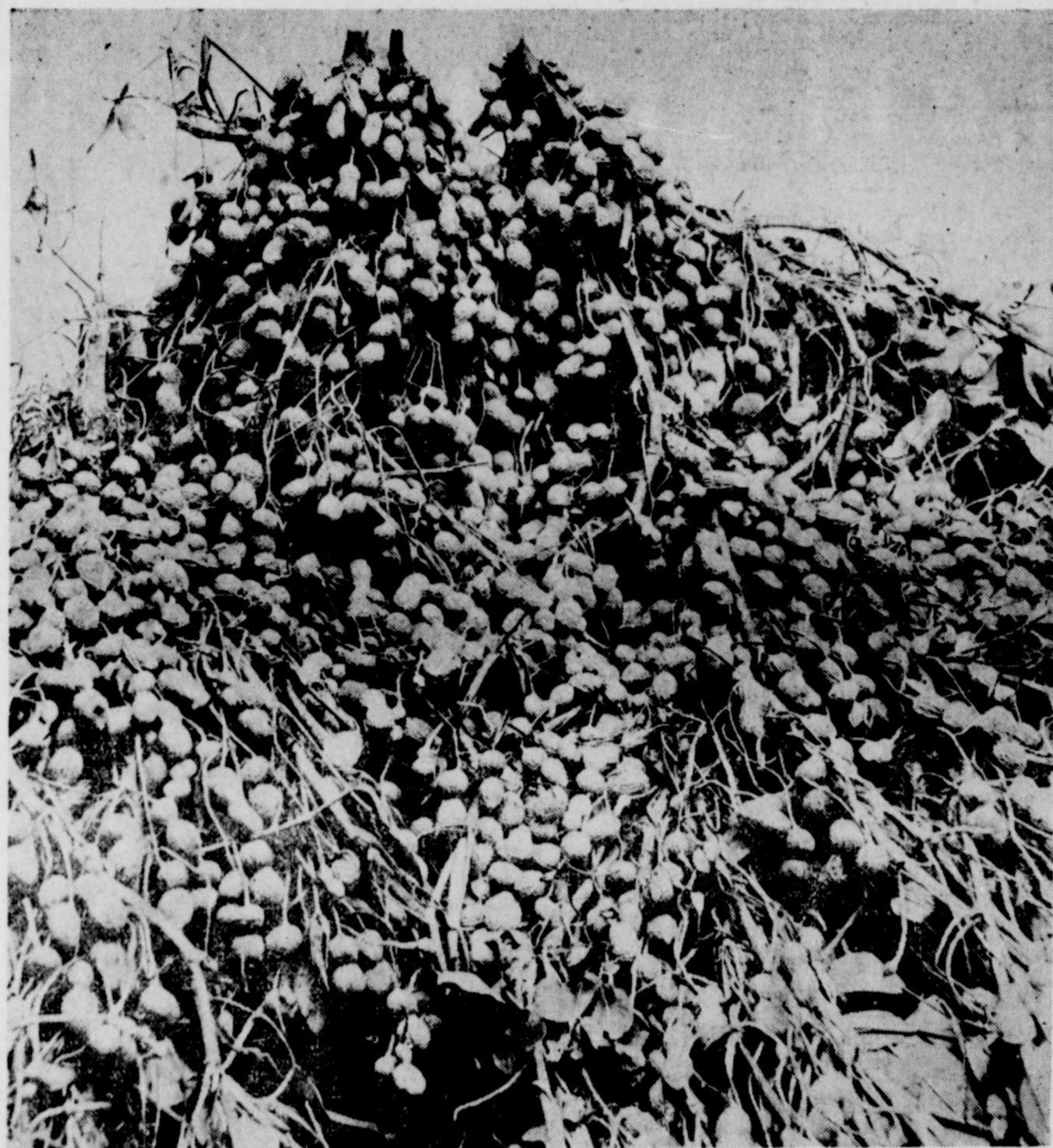
In the early part of the week the market felt a pronounced buying wave which had its inception in Liverpool. On this trading month went 21 to 25 points over last weeks close. Profit taking pared down the advance Friday, but the close was at a net gain of 17 to 22 points.

There have been few occasions this season except at the start when cotton traders were faced by so many uncertainties as now. The shipping situation still is the great stumbling block and undoubtedly it is affecting export business for deliveries months ahead.

Bulls do not feel as certain over the new crop outlook as they did. Recently they were convinced that the South would not plant more than 75 per cent as much cotton as it planted last season, but the recent rapid rise of prices has caused bears to predict that farmers will plant more cotton and less grain than they intended. News from the interior this week will have an important effect on prices.

Prof. R. D. Jackson, principal of the public school at Gail and Editor Oscar Spear of the Borden Citizen were in Snyder Saturday to attend the ball game and paid the Signal a pleasant visit.

This Illustration Showing the Productiveness of Peanuts is Supplied by Dr. I. E. Smith



PEANUT CULTURE IS GAINING FAVOR

IDEA PREVAILS TO HAVE MEETING OF CITIZENS INTERESTED IN THE PROJECT

Last week the Signal suggested the idea of testing out the peanut industry in Scurry county and the article created considerable interest. It has been further suggested that all farmers who are interested in planting and growing peanuts to assemble in Snyder at an early date and discuss plans for beginning the work. The Signal will be pleased to render any possible necessary assistance.

Dr. I. E. Smith, who has recently located in Snyder, has supplied the Signal with an illustration of the productiveness of peanuts in the west which appears in connection with this article and he is also in receipt of the following letter, which is self explanatory.

Big Springs, Texas, March 18—Dr. I. E. Smith, Snyder, Texas: Just received your letter and will give you all the information I can in regard to the peanut proposition. I raised 7500 bushels on 130 acres. Sold 3 cars at 60 cents a bushel, some at 70c and some at 90 cents a bushel. I had the largest acreage of anyone I know of. I made 46 bushels per acre on part of the field. The six acres that was worked under Mr. Means, our demonstrator made 385 bushels. C. F. Morris 100 acres, 40 bushels per acre; T. M. McKinney 13 acres, 45 bushels per acre; Hudson 50 acres, 45 bushels per acre; Stallings 60 acres 2100 bushels; J. A. Kinard 30 acres 115 bushels.

I am going to plant 130 acres this year. I can make a great deal more out of peanuts than I can cotton. I have plowed my last row of cotton. I will take peanuts and hogs and a few good Jersey cows in mine. I don't know any of the boys down there but tell them I said cut the cotton out and put in another acre of peanuts.

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JACK MARTIN GETS TWO YEAR TERM

COURT EXTENDS CLEMENCY TO YOUTH.—TWO SENTENCES MADE CONCURRENT

Jack Martin Tucker, who after working last fall for E. H. Robinson, of the Camp Springs country left in February for other parts, and on the next morning Mr. Robinson found that a lot of his meat had been stolen and W. W. Nelson's saddle was gone. Tucker, or Martin was overtaken near Hamlin with the goods in his wagon. He was taken to Floyd county to answer a court charge. He was arraigned here this week as Jack Martin Tucker, on two counts for burglary and given two years in each case. Judge Thomas told him that as he is young and has a good face he would make the two sentences concurrent and admonished the boy to go to work, be obedient to the rules, attend Sunday School and church and do everything he can to live a correct life from now on.

The young man's father was here when his boy was sentenced.

PROCEEDINGS IN DISTRICT COURT DURING THE WEEK

W. J. Green, fraudulent disposition of mortgaged property. Continued.

Dick Pitts, theft, continued.

F. E. Jolly, embezzlement, continued.

A. E. Tinker, arson, five years in the penitentiary.

Edward B. Jordan, murder, set for Thursday.

Jack Martin Tucker, burglary, two years in the penitentiary.

Jack Martin Tucker, burglary 2 years in the penitentiary.

Jack Martin Tucker, theft of over \$50, dismissed on motion of District Attorney.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Higginbotham and son visited at Hermleigh.

JORDAN MURDER CASE CALLED

AFTERNOON CONSUMED IN CONSIDERING MOTION FOR CHANGE OF VENUE

The Jordan case was called in the District Court Thursday morning. The Court recessed till one o'clock to give attorneys time to consult. Court was called at 1 o'clock. The defense conducted by Woodruff and Woodruff made a motion for a change of venue and the afternoon was principally consumed in sounding public sentiment and arguing the motion.

It was expected that if the motion is overruled, a motion will be filed for a continuance.

The Court room was packed full of people eager to hear the proceedings in the case. This is a case in which Dutch Jordan is accused of murder of his father in February.

MRS. ORNER GETS LIFE TERM

Sixth Trial and Second Conviction of Murder in First Degree for Woman at El Paso.

After six trials and two convictions of murder in the first degree, Mrs. Agnes Orner must serve a life sentence in the Texas penitentiary.

The Court proceeded to overrule her Attorney's motion for new trial late last night and the most sensational case in the history of El Paso county came to a close. Mrs. Orner was charged with poisoning her daughter. Four of her trials were mistrials. A Swedish society in Chicago furnished the funds for fighting her case.

Mrs. Hebie Thomas, wife of Ed. Thomas died Tuesday morning at the Dr. Leslie building north of the square where the family have been residing. She was 32 years old. She leaves her husband and seven children. The remains were buried on Wednesday in Snyder cemetery.

TINKER IS FOUND GUILTY OF ARSON

JURY RENDERS VERDICT TUESDAY EVENING ASSESSING FIVE YEAR PENALTY

NOTICE OF APPEAL IS GIVEN

Trial Consumed Two Full Days and One Night Session.—Strong Legal Talent Displayed.

The District Court was engaged Monday and Tuesday in the trial of the case against Albert Tinker, who is charged with arson in connection with the burning on October 18, 1913 of the old gin belonging to Oz Smith, which was located northwest of the R. S. & P. freight depot. The state was represented by County Attorney W. W. Weems and District Attorney Jas. P. Stinson while the defense was taken care of by Smith & Spiller and A. C. Wilmeth.

The trial jury was composed of W. F. Ramage, B. E. Wagner, A. Parker, E. L. Sewalt, Joe Taylor, J. J. Harris, A. E. Pace, T. H. Huffman, J. W. Huddleston, H. G. Moore, G. F. Light, H. C. Walton.

The theory of the prosecution was that the accused set fire to the gin, using gasoline as kindling. The testimony was in the main circumstantial. A party had been tracked away from the gin and it was found that he had run against mesquite bush and had fallen to the ground on one knee. It is claimed that Tinker's pants had been torn and there were stains on the knee of the other leg.

One witness testified that the accused had tried to get him to take a hand in the burning and a tin can found at the gin after the fire was one that Tinker had been seen with.

The defense claimed that the accused had torn his pants on a wire and that he was at the home of Lon Smith, about a half a mile away when the fire alarm was given.

To offset this alibi plea the State proved by one witness that on the night of the fire Tinker had come running to his car at the northwest corner of the square and asked to be taken to Lon Smith's home and that they made the run to Smith's and had been there for some time before the fire was discovered.

This case has attracted considerable interest and large crowds attended the trial. The court room was almost filled Tuesday afternoon with Scurry county people, including several ladies to hear the lawyers argue the case. Mrs. Albert Tinker had a seat inside the bar by her husband's side and listened to the speeches. The case went to the jury at 6 o'clock Tuesday evening.

As before stated the prosecution relied on circumstantial evidence and the testimony of Lit Chapman who claims that Tinker had sought to get him to help him. The defense denied Chapman's statements.

The Court, in his charge defined arson and the punishment therefor, then instructed the jury as to the law in circumstantial evidence. The Court further charged that "an accomplice witness may be either a principal, accomplice or accessory, that is to say an accomplice is one who is connected with the crime by unlawful act or omission transpiring either before, or at the time, or after the commission of an offense, and whether such witness was present or participating in the crime or not. Now if you believe from the evidence that the witness Lit Chapman occupies with respect to the crime charged, the relation of an accomplice, then before you could convict the defendant on his testimony, you must believe beyond a reasonable doubt that the testimony of Lit Chapman is true, that it shows the guilt of the defendant and that his testimony is corroborated by other testimony tending to connect the defendant with the offense charged.

"The defendant in this case has in terposed a defense known in legal phraseology as an alibi—that is, he says that if the offense was committed as alleged, then the defendant says he was at the time of the commission thereof, at another and different place from that which the offense was committed and therefore was not and could not have been the person who committed the same. Now if the evidence raises in your minds a reasonable doubt as to the presence of the defendant at the place where the offense was committed at the time of the commission thereof, you will find the defendant not guilty."

The jury retired and after about 30 minutes returned and reported the following verdict: "We the jury, find the defendant guilty as charged and assess his punishment at 5 years in the State penitentiary.—J. W. Huddleston, Foreman."

The defendant's attorneys gave notice of appeal.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE SUNDAY MORNING

CROWDER LIVERY STABLE DESTROYED.—SEVEN HORSES PERISH IN FIRE

STRAYHORN SUSTAINS LOSS

Was Preparing to Open Implement and Vehicle Business.—No Insurance on Property.

Snyder had a destructive fire about four o'clock Sunday morning. Joe Strayhorn's iron building west of the Southwest corner of the square was totally destroyed. One room of the building was occupied by Crowder Brothers as a livery stable. Every thing they had was burned. Large quantities of feed and all their vehicles. Seven horses were burned. Six burned to death and a seventh so badly burned that it was necessary that it be killed.

Two of the horses belonged to Mr. Strayhorn, who also lost \$1200 worth of buggies, wagons and implements. Mr. Strayhorn was arranging to open an implement store in one of the rooms, but his stock of goods had not come, except some buggies. He estimates his loss at \$4,500.

Pope Strayhorn had three buggies burned. None of the losers had any insurance.

PRAYER MEETING CONTEST BEGAN WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Wednesday night prayer meetings were well attended. The Baptist, Methodist and Christian churches are in a contest lasting four weeks.

The points are total attendance at all four meetings, largest attendance at any one meeting, largest average attendance and largest percent of membership in attendance.

The attendance on Wednesday night was as follows:

	Total	Per Cent
Methodist	75	16
Baptist	70	19
Christian	53	30

STRANGER DIED MONDAY IN BETHEL COMMUNITY

W. M. Hurst died Monday night at the home of Mr. Bedwell in the Bethel community after an illness of a few hours. He came here a few months ago from Alabama and stayed awhile in Snyder. He has been working in the country as a farm hand. He was thirty years old. His ailment was considered to be congestion though the attending physician thinks the immediate cause of death was heart ailment. He has no relatives here, but is understood to have a brother somewhere in Southwest Texas. Efforts have been made to notify him. The body has been held at the undertaking rooms of R. M. Stokes pending word from his people.

Real Estate Transfers

John W. Stimson and wife to Robert Ralston, Section 80 in Block 2, H. & T. C. survey, \$10 and other valuable consideration, including indebtedness of \$7580.

A. McKiverigan and wife to A. N. Hewitt, lot 1 in block 35 in town of Snyder, \$700.

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 tion Books, Musical Instruments,
 Fine strings and supplies of all kinds.
 Piano Tuning and Organ Repairing a
 Specialty.

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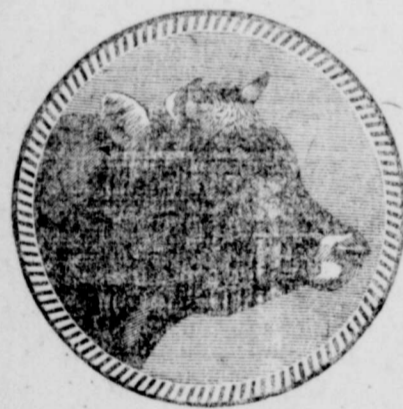
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 and am well stocked. I also carry a com-
 plete line of Fine Caskets, Coffins and gen-
 eral undertaker goods. Highest price paid for
 produce.

Cash or Credit

H. M. Mixon
 Hermleigh, Texas

PEANUT CULTURE IS GAINING FAVOR

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nuts and they will come.—H. J. Graham.

Explanation of Peanut Growing—
 The peanut is beginning to receive
 the attention it deserves. It is a ma-
 chine planted, machine cultivated,
 much less labor than cotton, and
 much more profitable. A contestant
 of the Texas Industrial Congress for
 the 1914 prizes realized 1200 pounds
 of pork from an acre of peanuts
 which at 8½ cents per pound
 amounts to \$102. The hogs gathered
 the nuts, so there was no harvesting
 expense.

The same care should be used in
 selecting peanut seed as in choosing
 seed corn. Take the best shaped pods
 from the most perfect plants produc-
 ing the largest number of matured
 pods, cure them properly and keep
 them dry through winter months.

The man who chooses his seed
 with care should, after two or three
 years, produce almost twice as many
 bushels per acre as the man who
 pays no attention to seed selection.

There are several varieties, but
 most of the nuts grown in Texas are
 of Spanish variety, used for feed.
 Nuts grown for the trade are the
 Virginia Runner, the Virginia Bunch
 and the African, or North Carolina.

The peanut grows best on a sandy
 loam soil, well drained and warm,
 with a clay subsoil. However, loamy
 black lands will produce good yields,
 and the darkened color of the shells
 does not injure the nuts for stock
 feeding or affect their plan produc-
 ing power. Soils that are poorly drain-
 ed or sour, are not suited to the pen-
 nut. If the soil is acid, drain well
 and apply plenty of lime well har-
 rowed in and plant next year. The
 Spanish peanut will mature in ninety
 days under favorable conditions, but
 one hundred ten to one hundred
 twenty days should be allowed. The
 large podded varieties will require
 a longer time for best results.

Any trash, stalks or stubble re-
 maining on the land should be plow-
 ed under in time to decay before
 planting the nuts. If the land is in
 good shape it need be plowed only
 long enough before planting to allow
 the soil to settle. If plowed just be-
 fore planting, however, it should be
 harrowed within a few hours to pre-
 vent loss of moisture. On some loose
 sandy lands it is sometimes possible
 to dispense with the plowing and
 use a disc harrow instead. If the
 soil is very loose it may be necessary
 to roll and drag before planting.

Special priced wall paper. Warren
 Brothers.

An Appreciated Visitor

Our good old friend John Y. Bow-
 en, of Pyren, accompanied by W. T.
 Thompson paid the Signal a visit
 Monday and left the coin to pay for
 his own subscription and for three
 others for a full year. It is a down-
 right pleasure to know such men as
 he is and every time we see him we
 renew our thanks to old Collin
 county for producing and giving us
 such a man as John Y. Bowen.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowen are spending
 a few days here with their daugh-
 ter, Mrs. W. T. Thompson.

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 Brothers.

Prof. A. N. Epps was here Thurs-
 day with the Dunn crowd.

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WHITE BLUFF

We are having some pretty weath-
 er now.

Virgil King is working for Mr.
 Davis.

Coy Watkins is working on the
 road. They are cutting down the big
 hill.

Mr. Rogers and family spent Sun-
 day with Mr. Solomon's family.

It was said that there would be
 a dinner at White Bluff next Sunday,
 but it is a mistake. We are going to
 have Missionary day.

Miss Olga Perriman was visiting
 her parents Sunday.

BLUE EYES

SHARON

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thompsen left
 this morning for Bell county to visit
 their daughters, Mrs. McClure and
 Mrs. Harvey at Rodgers, Texas.

Mr. W. R. Minor has been on the
 sick list this week.

Mr. Hugh Huddleston and family.
 Mr. Geo. Bishop and family spent the
 day with Mr. Cox and family last
 Sunday.

There will be preaching at the
 school house next Sunday by Broth-
 er Hateling.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thompson spent
 Saturday night and Sunday with
 Mr. Russle Thompson and family.

Miss Nora Crowder was the guest
 of Miss Lela Evans last Saturday.

Mr. Joe Crowder, is visiting his
 wife and children this week at Ira.

Mrs. Layne is visiting her daugh-
 ter, Mrs. Russle Thompson this
 week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Minor gave the
 young folks a fruit supper last Sat-
 urday night. All reported a nice
 time.

Mr. George Bishop is on the sick
 list this week.

Mrs. Kellum from on the river
 visited Mr. Palmer Minor and fam-
 ily Saturday night and Sunday.

HERMLEIGH

Last Thursday was "clean up" day
 and "inspection day" for this town.
 The interest manifested by the resi-
 dence portion was remarkable.
 Scarcely was there a home that has
 not been renovated inside and out,
 a strong disinfectant used and made
 more sanitary in every way. The prize
 offered to the cleanest premises be-
 came a tie vote. Mrs. Wilsie Bralley
 and Mrs. Joe Murphy were the lad-
 ies said to have won, but so far the
 tie vote has not been untied. This
 "Clean Up" has meant much to the
 town and now if by a prize or self
 pride the business men could be per-
 suaded to follow this example it
 goes without saying we have the
 cleanest town in our part of the
 State.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Elherd and



Getting over the old stile

Clear skies, green fields,
 full barns for the farmer
 who realizes that the
 order of things has passed.

To be modern is to have
 a Bell telephone. To
 have a telephone is to
 live.

Apply to our nearest Manager or
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You will be pleasantly surprised to see the many
 new and noby goods. Our new goods are coming in
 daily, and we will please you in every department.

Millinery! Millinery!

See Mrs. Moon and buy your new spring hat, the
 styles are the latest, no second hand hats, new,
 nobby, stylish.

Gents' Furnishings

Suits, pants, hats, shoes, oxfords, are new, styl-
 ish and the very best that money can buy.

Groceries Groceries

Our grocery department is full, and overflowing
 with good things to eat and the Famous Acorn Flour

Hermleigh Mercantile Co.

Hermleigh, Texas

daughter, Miss Lillie are visiting
 their daughter and sister, Mrs. O. L.
 Howell. They are enroute to their
 home in Plainview, after spending
 the Winter in Mineral Wells for Mr.
 Elherd's health.

Mrs. J. S. Farr was in Snyder
 Monday.

Misses Mary and Maggie Wilson
 of Dunn were week end guests in
 the Stacey home.

Miss Roberta Joyce came from
 Ciseo Saturday for a short visit to
 her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E.
 Joyce.

Miss Eupha Stacey returned Sun-
 day to her work in Abilene after a
 week's visit with home folks.

E. J. Ely had business in Snyder
 Saturday.

Mrs. Lawrence Godley visited her
 parents here Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Hood is on the sick
 list.

ELUVANNA

A number of our citizens are at-
 tending court at Snyder this week.

Mr. W. B. Dane and family, ne-
 phew of our fellow townsman, W.
 B. Danen moved in last week from
 Durant, Oklahoma and will make
 this their home. We are glad to wel-
 come them into our midst.

W. G. Beaver returned Saturday
 from San Antonio where he attend-
 ed the L. O. O. F. convention.

We are glad to report Master The-
 ran Lane fast recovering from being
 bitten by a rattle snake last week.

D. A. Jones was among the vis-
 itors to Snyder Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lind-
 ley on the 20th a boy. This is the
 eighteenth child to bless their home.

J. E. Jones has purchased the J.
 S. Lane residence, consideration not
 known.

W. R. Hester and W. A. Sealey

were down from Gail Tuesday after
 freight for their merchants.

Miss Pearl Clift visited home folks
 at Hermleigh Saturday.

J. H. Fritz and W. A. Clark were
 over from Gail one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hunter are
 visiting in Midland this week.

Mrs. A. Blanton left last week
 for an extended visit at Belton.

Special priced wall paper. Warren
 Brothers.

Nearly everybody was here Thurs-
 day to watch the proceedings in the
 Jordan case.

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 Brothers.

The Signal extends thanks to Dr.
 Palmer for cash on subscription.

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His Name Was Faucett
 A Mr. Faucett, according to the
 reports committed suicide at Pos-
 City last week. No specific reason
 was assigned. He was a prominen-
 citizen of that community.

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District Judge John B. Thomas,
 Distric Attorney Jas. P. Stinson and
 District Court Reporter Jas. A. Han-
 kerson were pleasant callers at the
 Signal office this week.

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Notice
 Notice is hereby given that the
 Farmer's Union of Scurry County
 will meet in regular session at Snyder
 on Thursday the first day of
 April. J. T. BIGGS, Pres.

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 Brothers.

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Overdrafts

Don't expect the bank to telephone
 you before refusing a check that
 would overdraw you. The check
 must be paid or refused immediately
 and, besides, you should not expect
 the bank to commit a violation of law
 to protect you from your carelessness
 in giving a bad check.

The First State Bank & Trust Co.
 of Snyder, Texas.

The First National Bank,
 Snyder, Texas.

The Snyder National Bank,
 Snyder, Texas.

Of Special Interest to Housekeepers

This is the first of a series of practical talks that will appear in this space every week. It will pay you to read them carefully. They will contain nothing that is not absolutely true, and will prove helpful to the housekeeper in the selection or use of a common, everyday food necessity.

No article used in such small quantities occupies a more important place in household economy than baking powder. On it depends not only the successful preparation but the healthfulness of the food.

Therefore, the character and quality of the baking powder she should use is one of the most important questions which confronts the housewife, and to help her solve it in a satisfactory manner is the purpose of these little articles.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER
Made from Cream of Tartar

AMONG THE MERCHANTS

Coates Mercantile Co present "fig-ure preserving" corsets this week. See their advertisement.

Matthews, the Quality Store is offering special prices on spring wearing apparel for ladies. See announcement in half page ad in this issue of the Signal.

Townsend, Oldham & Co. will make another run on shoes as well as offer excellent designs in spring goods. Don't fail to read the large advertisement in today's Signal.

H. G. Towle has installed the

largest iron safe in west Texas for the purpose of protecting his valuables as well as goods left in his charge for repair. He is making a specialty of eye glasses. See his advertisement.

J. W. Berry, the seed man, is making a specialty of Sudan grass seed and Mebane Cotton Seed, which is supplied him direct from Mr. Mebane at Lockhart, Texas.

The Snyder Ice & Electric Company has just received a car of ice and will supply the local trade until his machinery is installed for local manufacturing. Much of the electric machinery is arriving and Snyder will soon have a modern ice and electric plant.

A move is on foot to move the

Western Union office up town. They have a roll top desk at the Santa Fe station which has been ordered shipped to headquarters. This must not be. If an efficient operator can be induced to handle the local business L. M. Jones, Topeka, Kansas, will assist in arranging the plans. Lets have it right in the heart of the city.

C. R. Fellmy, the Model Tailor, is still offering a Palm Beach suit with each special order of men's suits. Don't fail to give his proposition a liberal hearing.

The piano contest is still raging at the Rexall Store.—Grayum's, the place to get Lyceum reserved seats for tonight.

The Dreamland theatre is attracting larger crowds and the Million Dollar Mystery is making the usual hit on Tuesday evenings.

Baker, Grayum & Anderson announce the sale of Fred A. Grayum's homestead to Mrs. M. J. Thornton.

Closing Announcement

We the undersigned agree to close our place of business each evening at 6:30 o'clock with the exception of Saturdays and First Mondays beginning April 1st and continuing until September 1st, 1915.

Townsend-Oldham & Co. Dry goods and groceries.
Wenninger & Son,
S. J. Castevens,
M. A. Baird,
J. W. Templeton,
E. E. Matthews,
Cash Grocery Company
A. P. Morris,
R. W. Nelson,
Blackard Brothers,
R. Wilmeth,
Denson & Smith,
H. G. Bargmann,
Harpole & Wenninger,
W. Wilsford
Rogers & Co.,
D. P. Strayhorn,
J. Monroe,
Farmers Union Merc.

Mrs. J. D. Sears and Miss Dannie Lee Sears came home a few days ago from Jayton. Miss Dannie Lee's friends will be pleased to know that she has about recovered from effects of an appendicitis operation.

The Signal and Dallas News, \$1.75

AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Last Sunday was a good day. The subject was "Divine Providence" taken from Ezekiel's vision of the Wheel within a wheel.

Nine new members were received by certificate. We welcome these new people into our church and community and pray that they may all be happy and useful among us.

At the evening hour the last of the story of the Prodigal Son "The Elder Brother, who the Master made to represent the scribes and pharisees. He was angry because his father received the prodigal. The Scribes and Pharisees were angry because Jesus received sinners and ate with them. Jesus came to seek and save the lost, but they rejected him, because he received the sinful, etc. We, many of us are not as tender toward the erring as we should be.

Don't forget the prayer meeting—you need it and it needs you.

Sunday morning's subject will be "Consecration."

At the evening hour Evangelistic services, special music by the male quartette at both morning and evening hour. Subject at the evening hour "How to be a Christian in Trade." Services will begin at 8 o'clock sharp.

Just received a car of Ford Automobiles. J. C. Dawson, Agent.

G. M. Maule is here this week doing jury service and paid the Signal a substantial visit and had his date moved up a notch. Mr. Maule and others of his community are anxious to get the mail route to Camp Springs re-instated as it formerly was, so they can get the Signal and other mail from Snyder quicker and more regularly.

Just received a car of Ford Automobiles. J. C. Dawson, Agent.

The Grand Jury turned in three more bills Thursday morning of the felony class. The body were figuring on final adjournment Friday.

NEW SUBSCRIPTIONS AND RE-NEWALS

Bob Preston, Midland,
Geo. Wenninger, Snyder,
Sam Linecum, Vernon,
W. R. McFarland, Dunn,
Evan J. Abbott, Snyder,
E. J. Bell, Route 2,
E. C. Brown, Route 1,
W. F. Ramage, Route 3,
J. W. Woody, Route 2,
J. W. Whitehead, Route 2
T. T. Duncan, Roscoe,
Miss Myrtle Peck, Pyron,
G. W. Wenken, Hermleigh,
A. V. Wade, Pyron,
R. A. Scranton, Abilene,
E. E. Davis, Snyder,
W. E. Sorrels, Ira,
Mrs. Fowler, Burk Burnett,
A. E. Doshier, Dunn
Ed. Joyce, Hermleigh,
J. M. Joyce, Butler, Okla.
J. W. Green, Snyder,
C. S. Smith, Dunn
G. G. Hazel, Tahoka,
M. M. Osborn, Snyder,
R. H. Drennan, Hermleigh,
T. J. Minnick, Fluvanna,
Lee Scrivner, Polar,
C. W. Wilks, Snyder,
Thad Murray, Route 2,
W. A. Louder, Hermleigh,
A. H. Trice, Camp Springs,
W. N. Morton, Maryneal,
N. A. Fowler, Snyder,
G. W. Kemp, Route 2,
J. H. Ellis, Route 4,
W. D. Roberts, Route 3,
B. H. Lewis, Route 1,
Mrs. L. H. Lockhart, Rebstown,
A. F. Jordan, Wadley, Ga.
R. W. Dorsett, Gorman,
S. E. Smith, Rt. 2,
Mrs. Earl Stevenson, Chico,
J. B. Martin, Hermleigh,
Abel G. Barrientes, Arah,
J. M. Nixon, Ira,
W. T. Bowen, Pickens, S. C.,
R. P. Bowen, Ranger Lake, N. M.,
J. T. Bowen, Midway, N. M.,
J. Y. Bowen, Pyron,
James Simpson, Camp Springs,
A. A. Willis, Goldsboro,
Dr. W. A. Palmer, Dunn,
G. M. Maule, Camp Springs,
Jake W. Smith, Hermleigh,
E. B. Smith, Ira,
J. D. Sears, Arah,
R. J. Ellerd, Hermleigh.

Special priced wall paper. Warren Brothers.

Nice Wall Paper at Warren Bros.

ROSCOE CITIZEN DIED IN FORT WORTH FRIDAY

H. Zetzman, a quiet and respectable citizen of Roscoe was found dead in an alley in Fort Worth last Friday night. The condition of the body led to a supposition that he had died from heart failure, but the officers suspect foul play. A patrolman says the body was cold and stiff when found and that it was not there when he went over his beat a short time before the body was found. The stomach was removed to be examined for poison. The body was sent to Roscoe for burial.

Zetzman was a farmer and blacksmith at Roscoe and has a wife and ten children, all grown. He had left Roscoe to go to Shiner to attend the funeral of his mother and it is suspected that while waiting for a train in Fort Worth he went out in town and fell among thugs.

What is 2503?

Barnhart Sues for Damages. Report was made last week of the nonsuiting of the Raleigh Medicine Company against certain parties in Scurry county. One of these parties was George Barnhart, whom the Company had sued for debt. When the case was ruled out on defendant's demurrer, Barnhart proceeded to file a cross action against the Company for damages in the sum of \$10,000. This case was continued to next term of court.

What is 2503?

Her Sister Died Mrs. C. E. Davis returned Thursday from Baird where she has called a few days ago on account of the death of her sister, Mrs. F. F. Rains, which occurred at Baird last Friday. Mrs. Davis moved to Post City some while ago but will hereafter reside in Snyder.

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Spring Time Newness

Truly the breath of spring pervades our entire establishment. Every department is a representation of all that is correct, right and proper to be used this season. New arrivals too, come almost every day, things that are NEW while they are new.

New suits, new skirts, new dresses, new corsets, new gloves, new accessories, new silks, new wool dress goods, new slippers, such an endless variety and assortment.

NOTICE!

Saturday is the Last Day of the Spring Opening

Our store is decorated for the occasion. We would be glad to have you come in if you can. Our efforts to have a "Spring Opening" have certainly been successful and we are glad that so many people have attended.

We are Constantly trying to make "The Big Store" Better
Come in Saturday if You Can

MEN'S NEW SPRING SUITS

We are showing the best line we have ever shown and we can say without fear of contradiction that our prices are cheaper than can be found elsewhere
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We Can Supply You.

OWL DRUG STORE

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Andrews, of Sweetwater have been guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Templeton.

Gasoline, any quantity. Warren Bros.

Tax Assessor Joe Merritt has been kept at home for several days on account of sickness in his family. One of his children has had pneumonia.

SUBSCRIPTIONS AND ADVERTISEMENTS RECEIVED HERE FOR THE DALLAS NEWS (daily), AND THE SEMI-WEEKLY FARM NEWS. RATES AND INFORMATION CHEERFULLY FURNISHED YOU.

41 OWL DRUG STORE

Mr. J. E. McConnell returned the latter part of the week from San Antonio where he went as representative of Snyder Lodge 1. O. O. F. to the Grand Lodge of Texas.

W. D. Roberts, of Route 3 was a unpleasant caller Saturday. He has recently returned from a business trip in New Mexico and says conditions are better here than there. He says lots of cattle are dying there from poverty.

Positively the Signal cannot carry subscribers who are in arrears. If you owe us for a year and don't want the paper any more, why not come in and pay up the arrearage and stop it?

Special price on Wall Paper. Warren Bros.

J. J. Harris was around to see us Wednesday after having rendered his county his services as a juror.

Special price on Wall Paper. Warren Bros.

A. Parker, of Hermleigh, paid the Signal a friendly call while in Snyder this week.

We will buy, sell or exchange with you in most any kind of goods. A. P. MORRIS

Mrs. E. J. Anderson and baby left Wednesday evening for a visit with her parents at Kerens.

What
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2503?

The Signal would be glad to see a movement started to develop a Central Park on both sides of the creek between the two big bridges. If once established, the people will never consent to be without it.

We can paper your room for 50c and up to as nice paper you may want. A. P. MORRIS

G. F. Light of Pyron has been here this week doing jury service for his county.

We repair your old furniture, make it look like new. A. P. MORRIS

Sam Barfoot has been here this week performing jury service and called on Treasurer Lockhart Wednesday for his per diem and struck a bee line for home. He said the old folks had come over from Lamesa to see him and he must get there with something to eat.

King's Candies, for American Queen at Warren Brothers.

Attorney G. E. Lockhart of Tahoka was in Snyder this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Massey were pleasant callers at the Signal office Wednesday evening.

Banking Hours
Effective April 1st and continuing until October 1, 1915 all the banks of Snyder will close at 3 o'clock p. m.

Pat Northcross, County and District Clerk of Lynn county was a business visitor in Snyder this week.

Bring in your old mirrors and have them replated. We absolutely guarantee work. A. P. MORRIS

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Barfoot, of Lamesa are guests of their son, S. W. Barfoot and family at Hermleigh.

Gasoline, any quantity. Warren Bros.

Surveyor W. L. Gross made a business trip to Garza county Wednesday.

Gasoline, any quantity. Warren Bros.

Judge Buchanan is out in the county this week visiting schools.

A Little Talk On The Drug Question.



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J. F. Costin is here from Hermleigh as a special venireman in the District Court.

What
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2503?

Mr. James Simpson has the thanks of the Signal for cash in advance on his subscription.

Bicycle supplies at A. P. Morris.

Judge Woodruff and T. Vard Woodruff came in Wednesday from Sweetwater to take care of the defense in the murder case against Jordan.

Nothing Excels

The high grade of fruit, canned goods and groceries now in stock. All lines are pure and fresh. No shelf worn or out of date merchandise offered as my store is new, my goods are new and it will make you feel like a new person to use the best the market affords. Remember next door to the postoffice.

401f RELIA WILMETH

I have plenty of baled oats and oat straw for sale. See me at once.

C. R. FELLMY
The Model Tailor, North Side Square Snyder, Texas.

W. A. Leuder was here last week from Hermleigh attending Court and paid substantial respects to the Signal while here.

Take Lax Fos for that run down feeling in the spring. Sold by Grayum Drug Company.

A. H. Trice, the up-to-date gin man of Camp Springs dropped a dollar in the strong box the other day to move his date up.

AnSCO Camera for good pictures. Sold by Grayum Drug Company.

George Washington Kemp was here Saturday from his farm three miles north of Hermleigh and will hereafter read the Signal.

The six months old baby daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Bannister has been quite sick this week and considerable uneasiness has been felt.

A. Parker of Hermleigh is doing jury service this week.

EASTMAN KODAKS AND SUPPLIES. H. G. TOWLE

Gasoline Filling Station at Warren Brothers.

Hon. T. F. Baker arrived at home from Austin Wednesday and is busy looking after private affairs. He will go back to Austin in time for the special session of the Legislature which will probably be April 29th. His family will remain there until after the special session.

Special price on Wall Paper. Warren Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Arch Farmer have returned from attending the Odd Fellows grand lodge at San Antonio.

Gasoline, any quantity. Warren Bros.

Miss Zaza Chenoweth came in on Wednesday from Haskell where she is teaching. Her school has been closed on account of small pox. The County officers are expecting a general quarantine against the county.

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41 OWL DRUG STORE

E. J. Ely was here Saturday from Hermleigh.

We couldn't afford to absolutely guarantee all Rexall Goods if they were not first class. Grayum Drug Co. The Rexall Store.

Our friend W. D. Huffman was here Tuesday to consult regarding his chicken show suggestion. The proposition was crowded out last week, but it is a matter that deserves consideration.

Gasoline, any quantity. Warren Bros.

Wednesday was like Spring time and we'll soon know whether or not more of the fruit trees are to bloom.

Gasoline, any quantity. Warren Bros.

W. N. Morton was here last week from Maryneal and called on the Signal and had his date moved up.

Miss Maggie Ramsey who is teaching at Wastella spent Sunday at home.

W. P. Arnold made an auto trip to Gail last Saturday.

See our line of wall paper before you buy. A. P. MORRIS

Thad Murry of Route 2 has the thanks of the Signal for cash on subscription.

For Safety and Convenience use an Eveready Flashlight. Sold by Grayum Drug Company.

Mrs. J. H. Baker, mother of Hon. T. F. Baker, is reported sick.

Dr. and Mrs. A. O. Scarborough returned from a visit to their son, Hugh Scarborough at Waco.

W. H. Stamps came in Monday from Paris. He says the people are wading mud there all the time.

For two weeks the Signal has missed getting into the Friday morning mail and the rural routes were not carried until Saturday. We are trying to not let this occur again.

A. T. Bridgeman was here Saturday from the Bethel country. He says he has his land ready for planting. Has fifty acres or more in wheat and oats and these crops are looking fine. He has already planted his roasting ear patch of corn and will plant more.

Mr. T. B. Favor has been here this week attending Court and was a pleasant visitor at the Signal office. He is one of the solid farmers of the Fluvanna country and always makes a living and some to spare.

SOME WEATHER

Continuing from last Friday the weather has been playing all sorts of tricks. Friday it was cold with spits of snow and by Saturday morning we had real winter with a temperature of 24 degrees and ice on the peach tree blooms and elsewhere. Sunday was cold and Monday brought a strong north west wind with occasional sprinkles of rain.

It is generally believed that most of the fruit crop has been killed. With winter weather holding on with so much regularity the people feel like that when Spring weather comes it will come to stay.

Gasoline, any quantity. Warren Bros.

Bre. J. H. Ellis of Route 4 was here Saturday on his way to his pastoral appointment at Moore's Creek church. Brother Ellis said he felt sure the freeze Friday night got all the fruit.

NOTICE

To the Citizens of Scurry County:
As I have been detained so much this year on account of sickness in my family this winter, it has thrown me behind with my work and I have employed Mr. Pat Johnston as Deputy who will be found in the office in the Court House or on the streets of Snyder any day and if you have not been assessed you would confer a favor on me by calling upon him and rendering your tax at any time you are in Snyder.

Respectfully yours,
J. A. MERRITT,
41 Tax Assessor of Scurry County.

B. H. Lewis, of Route 1, was in town Saturday and shook out the coin for the Signal and Dallas News. He says his folks just have to have the Signal.

Lee Scrivner was in from Polar a few days ago and had his Signal date shoved up a full notch.

Attorney T. F. Houghton of Floydada was attending court here this week representing Jack Martin Tucker in the burglary cases against him in this county.

I have plenty of baled oats and oat straw for sale. See me at once.
C. R. FELLMY
The Model Tailor, North Side Square Snyder, Texas.

A marriage license was issued by County Clerk Skinner Monday for T. J. Vance and Mrs. Amanda Waters.

A little child of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Warren is reported seriously sick this week.

Take Lax Fos for the system. Guaranteed by Grayum Drug Co.

Mr. J. M. Mixon of Ira, paid the Signal a visit Wednesday and joined our big family of subscribers.

Nyal's Family Medicines are sold and guaranteed by Grayum Drug Company.

W. W. Nelson and E. H. Robinson of the northeast part of the county were here Wednesday as witnesses in the burglary cases against Jack Martin Tucker, the young man accused of stealing away in February with Mr. Nelson's saddle and some of Mr. Robinson's meat. The fellow got two years in each case.

Mr. S. E. Smith called in Monday and had his date shoved up and also had the Signal sent away to a relative.

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Another Wonderful Shoe Sale

Our other shoe sale was such a wonderful success that we have decided to give you a chance to buy misses' and children's shoes at a great saving, starting Saturday, March 27th and continuing until the night of the 21st. 200 pairs misses shoes and slippers, sizes 8 1-2 to 2, ranging in price 1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.50 and \$3.00, your choice these 5 days \$1.00

150 pairs of children's shoes and slippers, sizes 2 1-2 to 8 1-2 ranging in price from 75c to \$1.50. Your choice for 5 days 50c

On account of the extreme low price, we will not reset or brad buttons and no shoe exchanged after date of sale.

Remember the Date, Remember the Place

After April the 1st, our Dry Goods and Grocery departments will close at 6:30 p. m., except Saturdays and First Mondays. We will appreciate your making purchases before that hour.

NEW SPRING HOSIERY

We are showing a full line of the celebrated Gordon Silk hose in colors of putty, sand, black and white. The very best silk hose for, per pair \$1.00. Ladies pure silk hose in black and white, sand putty green and lavender, boot top 50c. New clocked silk hose only \$1.00.

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We carry a complete line of the well known Colgate Toilet Articles.
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Fort Worth, Texas—Account Meeting Grand Lodge Hermann Sons, Apr. 12 and 17. Tickets on sale, April 11 and 12. Final limit, April 18th. One and one-third fare, \$9.60 round trip.
Houston, Texas—Account Meeting Lumberman's Association of Texas, April 13th and 15th, 1915. Tickets on sale April 12th and 13th at one and one-third fare. Limited until April 17th. \$17.60 round trip.
Galveston, Texas—Account Grand Commandery Knights Templar, April 7th and 8th at one and one-third fare. Limited until April 10th. Round Trip \$19.55.
San Antonio, Texas—Account Con-

vention Ladies of the Maccabees of the World, April 6th and 7th at one and one-third fare. Limited until Apr 9th. Ticket on sale April 5th and 6th. Round Trip \$17.20.
Plainview, Texas—Account Panhandle Press Association, April 9th and 10th. Round trip tickets on sale April 8th-9th at one and one-third fare. Limited until April 12th, 1915. \$5.20.
Austin, Texas—Account State Sunday School Convention, March 30th and April 1st, 1915. Round trip tickets on sale March 29th and 30th at one and one-third fare. Limited until April 3rd. \$13.15.
Austin, Texas—Account Scottish Rite Reunion, April 15th-16th. Round trip tickets on sale April 14th and 15th. Good until April 18th. \$13.15.
Austin, Texas—Account Meeting State Federation of Labor, April 19 to 24. Round trip tickets on sale April 18th-19th. Good until April 26 \$13.15.
J. M. RODGERS, Agt.
March 26, 1915.

NOTICE OF STOCK LAW ELECTION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Scurry
Whereas, at the February regular term, 1915, of the Commissioners' Court, of Scurry County, Texas a petition of fifty, or more, of the citizens and freeholders of Dunn election precinct No. 11 in said Scurry county, was presented to said court, asking that an election be ordered in said Dunn election precinct to determine whether or not horses, mules, jacks, jennets and cattle shall be permitted to run at large in said election precinct; and
Whereas, the said Commissioners' court of said Scurry County did on the 9th day of February, A. D. 1915, make and enter its order granting said petition, and setting Saturday the 3rd day of April, 1915, as the date on which said election shall be held;
Therefore, I, C. R. Buchanan, as

county judge of said Scurry county, do hereby give notice, as required by Art. 7240 of the Revised Civil Statutes, 1911, that an election will be held in Dunn Election Precinct No. 11 in Scurry county, Texas, at the public school building in the village of Dunn, on Saturday the 3rd day of April, 1915, for the purpose of determining whether or not horses, mules, jacks, jennets and cattle shall be permitted to run at large in said Dunn Election Precinct, which said Dunn Election Precinct is described by metes and bounds as follows. Beginning at the northwest corner of Section No. 7 of the J. P. Smith surveys; thence south 3 miles to the S. W. corner of Section No. 5, said J. P. Smith lands; thence east 1/2 mile South 1 1/2 miles, and east 1/2 mile to the West line of Section 191 in block 3 H. & G. N. Ry Co. survey at N. E. corner of lot 2 of the C. A. O'Keefe acreage plat of the said J. P. Smith lands, thence south with section lines about 3 miles to the south line of

Scurry county; thence east with said south line of Scurry county 7 miles to the east line of Section 26 in said block 3; Thence north with Section lines about 3 1/2 miles to S. E. corner of Section 30 in said block 3; Thence W 1/2 mile, N. 1 mile and W 1/2 mile to N. W. corner of said Section 30; Thence N. with section lines 3 miles to N. E. corner of Section 50 in said block 3; Thence W with section lines to the place of beginning.
J. W. Hancock, W. R. McFarland, and J. J. Head are hereby appointed managers of said election, and they are hereby authorized to select two clerks who are qualified voters and freeholders to assist in holding same.
The polls for said election shall be opened at the public school building in the village of Dunn in said Dunn election precinct at 8 o'clock a. m. and shall close at 6 o'clock p. m. on said election date.
None but legally qualified voters

in said Dunn election precinct and who are also freeholders in said election precinct shall be entitled to vote in said election.
Given under my hand and official seal at Snyder, Texas, this, February 23rd, 1915.
(Seal) C. R. BUCHANAN,
County Judge of Scurry County, Texas. 41
Official Notice
Owners of dogs in the city of Snyder are hereby notified that your dog tax must be paid on or before the last day of March, 1915. The City Council has instructed me to capture all canines without the official tax tag on and after the foregoing date.
O. P. WOLFE,
City Marshal
What is 2503?

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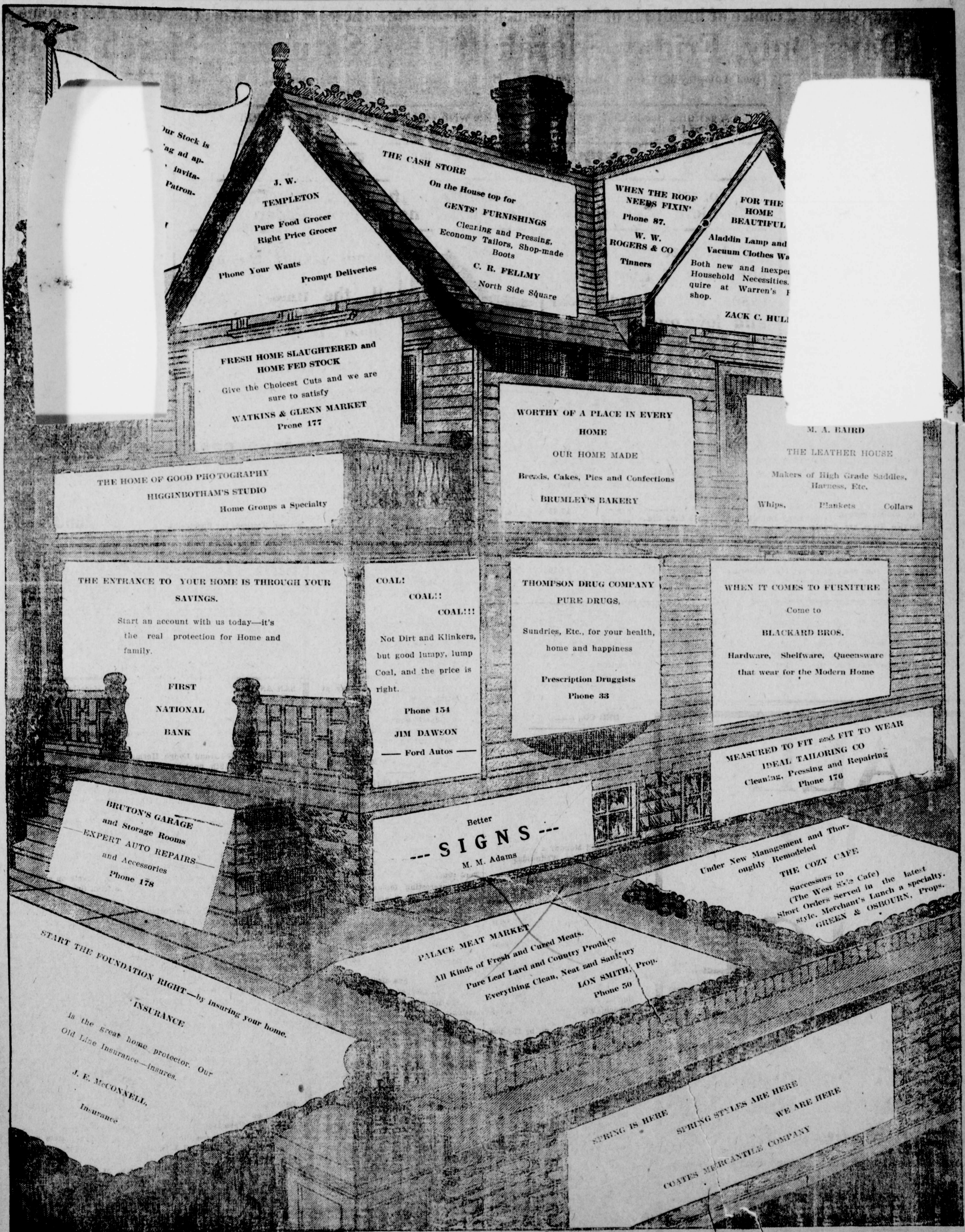
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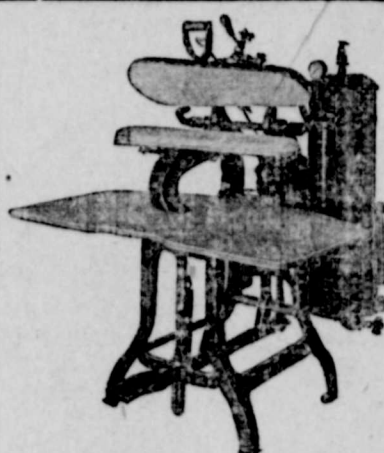
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They are the most economical and "care free" tires made and are used where tires must be depended on and tire troubles cannot be tolerated. Many Double Service style tires are in use in the United States government and European war service. Our output is limited to a certain amount but for a short time we offer the following reduced special prices as an Introductory Offer.

Tires	Extra Heavy	Tubes
28x3	\$ 7.25	\$2.20
30x3	8.60	2.30
30x3 1/2	10.85	3.10
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32x3 1/2	12.75	3.20
31x4	14.25	4.00
32x4	14.90	4.10
33x4	15.75	4.20

34x4	16.70	4.35
35x4	16.80	4.60
36x4	17.45	4.65
37x4	17.65	4.70
35x4 1/2	21.20	5.60
36x4 1/2	22.50	5.75
37x4 1/2	23.60	6.20
35x5	24.40	6.35
36x5	25.10	6.55
37x5	26.30	6.60

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CHURCHES

First Baptist Church

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
 Preaching 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
 Ladies' Aid Monday 4 p. m.
 Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m.
 Choir practice following prayer meeting.
 Teachers' Training Class Friday 7:30 p. m.
 Teachers' Meeting following training class.
 Deacons' Meeting and Conference each first Sunday.
 M. T. TUCKER, Pastor.

Methodist Church

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. T. G. Deffebach, Supt. Everyone urged to be on time.
 Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor.
 Everybody cordially invited to attend our services.
 Prayer meeting and choir practice Wednesday evening.

We urge our people to be punctual and regular in Sabbath School, prayer meeting and church attendance. Remember the church cannot prosper as it should without every member in his or her place. We hope to have a live working church, every man a beam, everybody pull and pull together and all the time.
 J. E. STEPHENS, Pastor.

First Christian Church

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. J. W. Leftwich, Superintendent.
 Pastor Pearn will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.
 The public is invited to be present at all the services.

Midweek service, Wednesday at 7:00 p. m.

Wm. PEARN, Pastor.

Presbyterian Church

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. C. R. Buchanan, Supt.
 Usual interest in Sunday School
 Both the midweek services are in one and are held on Friday nights at 8 o'clock at present.
 Junior Endeavor at 4:00 p. m.
 Ladies Societies at 4 p. m. as follows:
 Ladies Aid on Monday after 1st and 3rd Sundays.
 Missionary on Monday after 2nd and 4th Sundays.

Grace Episcopal Church.

Services every second Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m.
 Sunday School 10 a. m. E. J. Anderson, Superintendent.
 Holy Communion 10 a. m.
 Morning prayer and Sermon 11 a. m.
 E. CECIL SEAMON, Rector

Church of Christ.

Eld. A. B. Lawrence, Pastor.
 Preaching service 4th. Sunday in each month.

Altruists at Work

The Altruistic Club met Wednesday with Mrs. C. K. Buchanan. There were fourteen members present.
 An interesting lesson on Egypt was read by Mrs. Dantzler.
 Mrs. Curnutte conducted a round table talk on Club Activities.
 The Club is taking steps toward improvement of Santa Fe street in the way of graveling and tree planting.
 The Santa Fe has already sent an engineer-landscaper here from Amarillo to improve the grounds at the station.
 It is expected that the Club work of improving the court square will soon be started.

HIS BROTHER ACCIDENTALLY SHOT AT LAMPASSAS, TEXAS

Will H. Vernor, representing the Great Republic Life Insurance Co., of Los Angeles has been in Snyder for several days, but left Monday for Lampassas in response to a message that his brother-in-law, Moore Dale, had accidentally shot himself and was not expected to live. Mr. Vernor was formerly in the newspaper business, having published a paper at Hamlin and other Texas points. He expresses some surprise at the rapid growth of Snyder in the past several years when he visited here before and the substantial manner in which the farming country has developed. Mr. Vernor expects to establish a district

agency for his company at this point and will likely be here for several months.

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SAN ANTONIO—Convention, Ladies of the Maccabees. Tickets on sale April 5th, final limit, April 10th. Fare from Snyder, round trip, \$17.20.

GALVESTON—Grand Commandry, Knights Templar. Tickets on sale April 5th and 6th, limited to leave Galveston April 10th. Fare from Snyder, round trip \$19.55

FORT WORTH—Grand Lodge Herman's Sons. Tickets on Sale April 11th and 12th, final limit April 19th. Fare from Snyder, round trip, \$9.60.

HOUSTON—Texas Lumberman's Association. Tickets on sale April 12th and 13th, final limit April 17th. Fare from Snyder, round trip, \$17.60.

HOUSTON—Convention, Womens Christian Temperance Union. Tickets on sale April 26th and 27th, limited to leave Houston, May 2nd. Fare from Snyder, round trip, \$17.60.

SAN ANTONIO—Fiesta Tickets on sale April 18th to 24th, final limit April 27th. Fare from Snyder, round trip \$15.50.

AUSTIN—State Sunday School Convention. Tickets on sale March 29th and 30th, final limit April 3rd. Fare from Snyder, round trip \$14.05.

CORSICANA—Meeting Praetorians Tickets on sale April 27th and 28th, final limit May 2nd. Fare from Snyder, round trip \$12.55.

AUSTIN—Scottish Rite Reunion. Tickets on sale April 14th final limit April 18th, fare from Snyder, round trip \$14.05.

FORT WORTH—Convention, Daughters of the Republic of Texas. Tickets on sale April 18th, final limit April 22rd. Fare from Snyder, round trip \$9.60.

COLLEGE STATION—A & M. College High School Day. Tickets on sale April 21st and 22nd, final limit April 26th. Fare from Snyder \$14.40.

AUSTIN—Meeting State Federation of Labor. Tickets on sale, April 18th, final limit April 26th. Fare from Snyder, round trip \$14.05

AUSTIN—Dam Celebration. Tickets on sale April 26th to 30th inclusive, final limit May 2nd. Fare from Snyder, round trip \$12.65.

STEPHENVILLE—First District meeting, Texas Congress of Mothers. Tickets on sale April 14th, and 15th, final limit, April 20th. Fare from Snyder, round trip \$9.00.

QUANAH—District Meeting Texas Federation of Womens Clubs. Tickets on sale April 22nd and 23rd, limited to leave Quanah April 24th. Fare from Snyder, round trip \$8.45.

DALLAS—State Convention Texas Rexall Clubs. Tickets on sale April 6th, final limit April 10th. Fare from Snyder round trip \$10.85.

SAN ANTONIO—Meeting of Scottish Rite of Freemasonry. Tickets on sale April 10th and 11th, final limit April 17th. Fare from Snyder, round trip \$17.60.

HOUSTON—Annual Conclave, Loyal Order of Moose. Tickets on sale April 15th, final limit April 19th. Fare from Snyder round trip, \$17.60.

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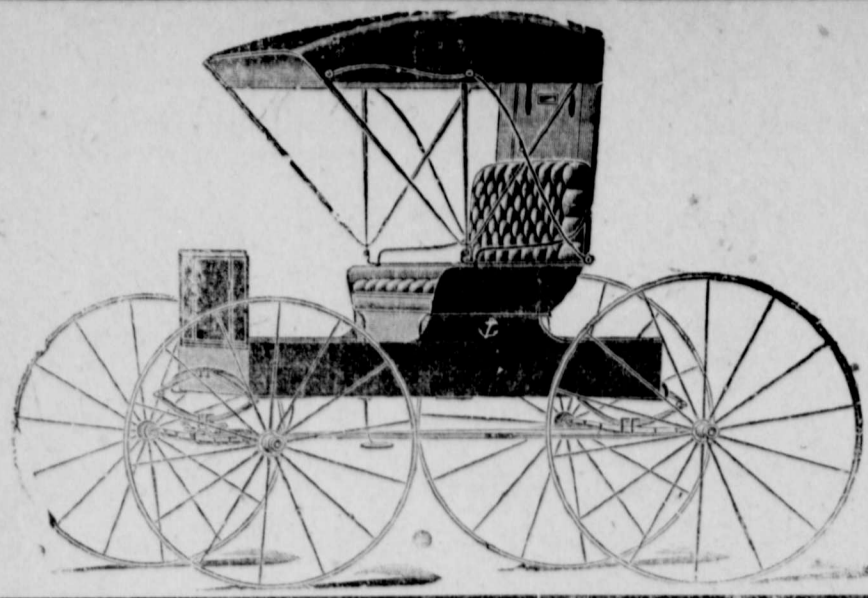
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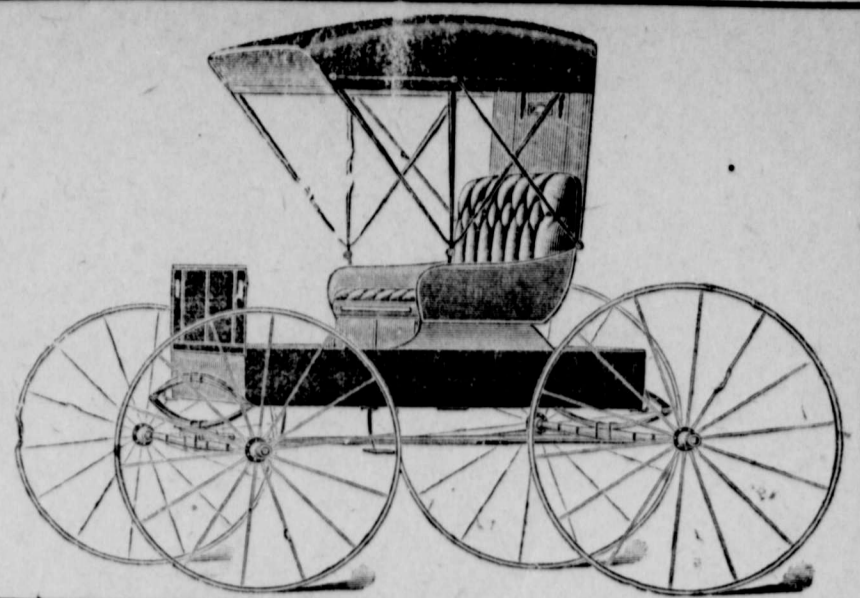
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PRESS OPTIMISM

The Omaha Bee (Rep.): The cause of humanity is pressing President Wilson to abandon his Mexican policy and to adopt a more definite plan for dealing with this pressing problem. All will hope that war may be averted, but the situation in Mexico is rapidly becoming intolerable.

Chicago Journal (Dem.): President Wilson will find the American people solidly behind him in any measures that seem necessary to end the regime of anarchy in Mexico.

It does not follow that "watchful waiting" has been in vain. President Wilson has been patient and forbearing to a degree, but he has been neither idle nor weak. He got rid of Huerta. He has shown his sympathy with the struggling peons. He has proved by accepting the A.B.C. med-

iation and by evacuating Vera Cruz, that this country has no ambition for conquest.

There are the great gains, well worth a little delay. If the United States troops cross the border again they will go to save Mexico from herself and every intelligent Mexican will know it.

Indianapolis News (Ind.): It is easy to intervene, but it is impossible to predict what the effects of the consequences of intervention would be. It has been suggested that if this Government would recognize some man—any man—as de facto ruler, the substantial citizens of Mexico, notably of the capital would rally to his support and make short work of any opposition. Possibly that is an idle hope. But it is certain that there is now, no man whom those with any real interest in the country dare support. The question is whether our moral backing would so strengthen the leader enjoying it as to make it pes-

sible for him, with Mexican co-operation to establish a government.

Louisville Post (Dem.): If the President moves forward the American people will move with him. If he prefers for awhile longer to mark time with all patience and self restraint. In his acts he will act for a united people. When he interferes it will be in a firm most effective. It will be an interference that will benefit Mexico primarily and principally, but it will restore peace and order and personal rights and property rights and will mark a new era in the development of the material resources of Mexico under which prosperity will come to that distracted nation, which none of her own statesmen seem able to conceive.

"Why is Texas called the Lone Star State when it can boast of both Joseph Weldon Bailey and Oscar Branch Colquitt," asks a northern contemporary.—Aransas Pass Progress.

STUDYING TENANT PROBLEMS

Commissioner Walsh, of the Federal Industrial Relations Committee has been holding conference in Dallas with representative citizens of Texas to get a line on the conditions of tenantry in this State. Within the last few years the tenant problem has become a factor in politics and with its present trend it is a foregone conclusion that the land question is soon to be recognized as of paramount magnitude in the politics of the country. The slogan "The landless land for the landless man" has been sounded along the line and the great danger is that the idea may go to the extreme of demanding that right of individual ownership should have certain limitations in order that large holdings shall be disgorged for the benefit of the less fortunate, less frugal and less competent.

Land owners have told the commission of rental customs in Texas and in every case the landlord has sought to safeguard against loss through shiftless tenants and the often changing of occupants of his land. The testimony shows that where a reliable tenant has remained for a number of years he is furnished with respectable surroundings, but where they rent here one year and there the next, neither the landlord or the tenant will take interest in permanent betterments.

In the matter of bringing together the land and the man, there are abundant opportunities for the tenant farmer to own his home if he will.

West Texas abounds in fertile land that can be bought cheap and on easy terms, but there are thousands of people who fear to risk a move and the venture of purchasing in a new country. Other thousands have torn themselves away from old environments and have procured small holdings and are making good. There are tenant farmers in all sections of Texas, who have lived decently, educated their children and accumulated property, and there are others who have groveled and complained against the landlord the seasons and the laws of the State and have succeeded in making a failure in material matters and themselves unhappy.

The commission had before it one man and his wife who told of their twenty-five years of struggle and failure. This was called a typical case and just to prove whether or not such conditions are due to the system or to the man, one banker-farmer at Waxahachie has proposed to give that family a farm and see what he can do with it.

The Commission found two tenant farmers in north Texas who want to give away their children because it is so hard to support them. Men of that type should not be used as a test of any sort of industrial or economic system. The children would probably be better off in the State Orphan Home, but such daddies should be put to work on a state farm and kept there. They are not fit for citizenship.

A witness from San Antonio suggests a change in Texas laws to make conditions more suited to the character and fancy of Mexican farmers. Such a proposition is absurd. If Mexicans are capable of becoming loyal and trustworthy citizens of Texas, let them adapt themselves to our customs, laws and institutions.

The Dallas Conference may possibly serve to a better understanding of industrial relations, but it will hardly result in relieving the tenant situation unless some means can be devised to induce the owners of land to sell on reasonable terms and even

then there will be thousands of people who will prefer to continue their present mode of living.

MEETING ON THE LEVEL

About one half of the people are shy in meeting the other half, because of social caste and yet nearly every one will boast a democratic sentiment of the universal brotherhood of man. It is easy enough to admit to your recognized equals that you are not above yourself, or on the other hand you acknowledge no social superiors, but how do we measure up to these lines:

"To meet upon the level,
Is an easy thing to say,
But, when it comes to practice,
Do we do it every day?"

Do we meet upon the level,
If the brother chance to be,
A little out at elbows,
Or baggy at the knee?

When we meet him in the workshops,
Do we meet him with the grip,
That we do a noted statesman,
On an European trip?

Do you meet him on the level,
And give him just the chance,
That you do a dashing fellow,
With the creases in his pants?

A fortune does not smile on him,
In sunshine or repose,
Do you meet him on the level,
In his second handed clothes?

Do you invite him to your church,
And seat him in your pew,
And warm our hearts by clasping
hands,

As brothers ought to do?"

Henry Ford, the automobile manufacturer, was engineer in an electric light plant in Detroit. Charlie Murphy the baseball millionaire, was a reporter on the Cincinnati Enquirer. Thomas H. Ince, the motion picture magnate was a comic opera comedian glad to get \$50 a week. Charlie Weegham, owner of the Chicago Federal base ball team and a string of restaurants, was a waiter in a quick lunch room.—Midland Reporter.

A young man says if I had lived then I might have done as well. It was 15 years ago.

A newspaper of average circulation visits more people in one day than a single canvasser could in five years. Or again, suppose you had to send letters to the same number of people you reach by one newspaper advertisement; think what it would cost. Newspaper advertising is the least expensive and most productive of all forms of advertising.—The Texas Journalist.

When you see a girl with a bandana around her head and a broom in her hand it is a sign she is day dreaming of a little vine-clad cottage, blooming rose bushes and something animated to spank.—Houston Post.

It is a sign that there is one more practical girl found willing to help her mother.

The Dallas News seems to think the legislature did wrong in refusing to take the election of county superintendents away from the people and putting it up to the school trustees. Ordinarily the News is willing to risk the people.

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EVER SALIVATED BY CALOMEL? HORRIBLE!

Calomel is Quicksilver and Acts Like Dynamite on Your Liver

Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into sour bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bone and should never be put into your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for 50 cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for Calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside and cannot salivate.

Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day; it loses you a day's work. Dodson's Liver Tone straightens you right up and you feel great. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe. No. 19

What is 2503?

Official Notice
Wednesday, March 31 is the last day in which to pay your street tax without penalty. You are respectfully requested to give this matter your immediate attention as I am instructed to enforce the penalties after Mar. 31st. 1915. 41
O. P. WOLFE, City Marshal.

The Sanitary BARBER SHOP

Lockhart & King, Props.

HOT AND COLD BATHS IN CONNECTION

North Side Square Next door to Rogers & Casteven's

YOUR LAND TITLES.

THE SCURRY COUNTY ABSTRACT COMPANY.

Will be glad to abstract your land titles and assist in perfecting same. The time to do this is NOW, while the necessary papers may be secured. Charges as low as are consistent with first class work. See us in the Court House Basement.

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Don't Neglect Your Eyes!



This mounting is not a Stic-Tite

Fitting Glasses is one of our specialties, and we have just received a large assortment of

Stic-Tites

which have a distinctive and inconspicuous look that adds to, rather than detracts from the wearers appearance. The wide-spread popularity of this eyeglass is based upon this fact and also is due to the superior construction and mechanical advantages which it has over other finger piece mountings. Do not allow an optician to insult your intelligence by giving you something just as good, but insist that Stic-Tite be stamped on the inside of the bridge.

Stic-Tites are Sold, Properly Fitted and Adjusted by

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Snyder,

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Special Easter Sale of Dress Goods

For one week, beginning Saturday, we are going to give you a feast of bargains in silks and dress goods that you may be able to get your Easter dresses at a great saving on a better grade of goods.

\$1.50 grade, 40 inch crepe de chene at.....	\$1.05	\$1.00 grade, 44 inch, all wool French serge.....	80c	35c grade, flowered silk waistings at.....	25c
\$1.25 grade, 36 inch silk messaline.....	90c	50c grade, embroidered silk crepe at.....	40c	25c grade, figured crepe at.....	20c
\$1.25 grade, 36 inch silk taffeta.....	90c	50c grade, silk waistings at.....	40c	25c grade, figured rice cloth at.....	20c
\$1.00 grade, 36 inch silk habuti.....	80c	50c grade, silk poplin.....	40c	All 10c grade ginghams, 12 yards for.....	\$1.00
\$1.00 grade, 36 inch embroidered silk crepe.....	80c	50c grade, all wool storm serge at.....	40c	A good grade, 36 inch bleached domestic, 15 yds. for.....	\$1.00
\$1.50 grade, 48 inch all wool English plaid at.....	\$1.20	50c grade, all wool crepe at.....	40c	3, one pound cans Nedra Talcum powder for.....	25c
\$1.25 grade, 50 inch all wool French serge at.....	95c	40c grade, mercerized crepe at.....	30c	2 cards good Pearl Buttons for.....	5c
\$1. grade, 50 inch all wool French serge at.....	80c				

All of the above goods are new, fresh and clean, no left overs from past seasons of merchandising, and they are of the better grade goods that our store is becoming famous for selling. This is an opportunity you cannot afford to miss to get this grade of new merchandise, at the above prices early in the season.

YOUR ATTENTION PLEASE

We want to call your special attention to our ladies and children's hose. No doubt you have not gotten the satisfaction you should out of the hose you have been getting and we ask that you give ours a trial. You will find them in the following grades and styles:

Ladies' pure-thread silk hose, high spliced with linen heel and toe, extra long lisle supporter top in all colors, black, white, sand, battleship grey, light blue and pink at..... \$1.00

Ladies' French lisle, full fashioned 260 needle, extra fine gauge, high spliced linen heel and toe, long lisle supporter top, a rich black that will retain its beauty, and not turn ashy like the other pair you had at..... 50c

Ladies' pure silk fibre, seamless hose, with 4 thread linen heel and toe, extra fine gauge, at..... 50c

Misses pure thread silk hose, extra fine ribbed, with linen heel and toe at..... 50c

Our line of ladies and children's hose at 25c are guaranteed to give satisfaction.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.
Obituaries and notices of charitable or church entertainments, where admission is charged, will be charged for at the rate of 2 1/2 cents per line.

Advertising rates on application. Four weeks constitute an advertising month.

Snyder, Texas, March 26, 1915.

A three-inch snow fell last week at several points in Alabama.

Twenty-five men at Blanket have organized a hog and cattle shipping Club.

The fruit crop in East Texas is said to have been badly damaged by cold.

Sparks from an engine caused the burning of 325 bales of cotton at Brownwood.

The Rail Road Commission heard argument from railroad men on the raise in freight rates last week and in a few days will hear shippers state their side of the question.

LEGISLATURE HAS ADJOURNED.

The Legislature adjourned last Saturday and everybody was in good humor and all were friends. There has been more good feeling and harmony than usual and more good work was done than usual. Ex-Governor Colquitt was there on the day of adjournment and congratulated the body on their good record for political peace and legislative prosperity. Had Mr. Colquitt shown the same regard for legislators that Mr. Ferguson has he might have seen his own administration more successful. Mr. Ferguson has recognized the province of each three departments of Government and while he has devoted himself with commendable wisdom and firmness to the executive branch, he has not tried to butt into the others.

In consequence of this attitude there has been no clashing and the State is better for this harmony and cooperation.

It was expected that the legislature would provide for a change in the constitution to do away with the fee system, but the matter died on the calendar with many other bills, good and bad.

It is a well known fact that officers in thickly settled counties prefer the fee system, and their influence was too strong to be overcome. Had all the proposed constitutional amendments been submitted and adopted, that old document would have been so changed as to be almost new.

The legislature is going to start an investigation into alleged frauds in the acquiring of vast scopes of Texas School land by fraudulent methods. It is charged that for 25 years parties have been filing on lands and having Mexicans to live on them the time limit and then transfer them to people who had furnished the money. Efforts will be made to recover such lands for the State.

Emilio Florez, of San Antonio says Mexicans are happy on their farms in Mexico but as tenant farmers in Texas they find themselves under more unfavorable conditions. The federal commission at Dallas was not probably expecting a joke like that.

LITTLE SIGNALS

An underground message brings the glad tidings that we are to have a flash-light telephone system.

The new telephone directory is the product of the typographical department of the Snyder Signal.

The next thing is to get the Western Union Telegraph office located in the business section.

Curb the court house square and be ready for the electric light uniform system of street lamp posts as soon as Mr. Renken gets them. The "Great White Way" is coming for Snyder.

Most counties are raising the salaries of their respective farm demonstrators—what is Scurry doing?

Snyder is not only the metropolis of the golden west but is evidently a charming "lover's lane" at least there has been considerable courting going on all week.

On again, off again, on again.—Woodrow House.

You may overwork, over-eat, over-estimate, or over-do many other things, but don't over-draw your bank account.

That's one time "creation" failed to materialize.

Be good and you'll be happy, even if you don't have so much fun.

Snyder is to have a "Jitney" service. Look out for the cars!

Agitate the peanut industry. Scurry county can produce them.

Certainly Snyder should have a Chamber of Commerce. We need one every minute in the 24-hours each day.—A real one with money in the treasury.

Snyder is "sporty" enough to support a county club. Lets join hands

and build a club house, dam up Deep Creek, establish a lake and stock it with government fish. This will supply a source of recreation to business people when the stores close at 6 o'clock p. m.

Spring Style Shows are cutting up in Snyder this week.

Strenuous work down at Austin. There's Senator McNealus of Dallas getting so hot under the collar at a fellow member that an attack of nervous prostration ensues. And some of us have thought that all this display of senatorial emotion was just put on to awe the onlookers in the galleries.—Fort Worth Record.

Not McNealus. A Dallas man always takes himself seriously.

The legislature failed to pass the penitentiary reform bill, the pipe line bill or the bill to abolish the fee system. The fee bill has been agreed to, for the legislature to fix salaries of State and District officers and the Commissioner's Courts to fix salaries of County and Precinct officers, but so many members had gone home that a quorum could not be mustered.

A review of the Slatonite will show what the editor accomplished this week and will we hope, justify all errors of omission and commission.—The Slatonite.

The paper carried a good line of advertising. That was the commission and the omission consisted of two blank pages.

Great Britain persists in her determination to maintain a blockade of the seas so that neutral countries shall not carry food supplies to Germany, and it may yet become necessary for the United States to take steps to prevent aid from going from here to England.

Reports from Washington indicate that the war conditions in Europe and especially Great Britain's policy regarding neutral commerce will make it necessary for Congress to meet in special session this spring.

The 34th Legislature seems to have been quite generous in the matter of special appropriations.

A VIRTUOUS JOKE—SPIRIT OF LAW EXPRESSED

Texas stood in line with Congress of the United States and held that foreigners are welcome here, no matter how ignorant, and refused to apply the educational test in the voting privilege. The lawmakers preferred to make voting easy so that Mexicans might hit this country voting. Then in order to make suffrage privileges come handy to everybody they got up a resolution and passed it to permit travelling men to vote anywhere in the state where they might happen to be on election day. This resolution to amend the Constitution went through like it was greased. Since then it has been discovered that some body put in a clause which says "who shall have become a citizen of the United States."

A foreigner may declare his intention to become a citizen and under the present law may vote, but before he becomes such citizen he must be able to read English and must personally sign his name to his application. If this amendment is adopted he must have these qualifications before he can vote.

SHORTSIGHTED LAW MAKING.

It is a weakness of human nature noticeable in grown people as well as children to think of only one thing at a time and for this reason legislators are apt to take up a fad and forgetting everything else, follow off after the one idea. During the session of the 33rd legislature, it so happened that owners of autos in cities were often harrassed by joy riders stealing their cars for a spin. Stories of these outrages were carried to the legislature and a bill was hurriedly passed to make theft of an automobile a misdemeanor, punishable by fine. The State already had a law making theft of property worth more than \$50 a felony, but the lawmakers forgot about it and the consequence is that an automobile thief now has to pay a fine, while his neighbor who shall take a wagon may have to go to the penitentiary.

The Abilene Reporter shows by actual count that Abilene has prospered more substantially under prohibition than it ever did with open saloons.

NEW CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS

The Congressional re-districting bill finally agreed upon put Scurry county in the 18th district with 53 other counties taking in the Panther, the Plains country and nearly all West Texas north of the Texas & Pacific railroad. The district embraces Wilbarger county, the home of John W. Stephens who has been in Congress for a long time. The bill puts Mitchell county in the 16th district thus leaving Congressman Smith and Claud Hudspeth in the same district. Taylor county is in the 17th district. This removes the probability of another contest between Congressman Smith and Judge Blanton, but Senator Brelsford will probably make it interesting for Blanton. The 18th district has lots of fellows who might be induced to go up against John Stephens. There is Wood, of Fisher who is believed to already have a case of aspiration and Johnson of Memphis shows symptoms. Amarillo aspires to be a political town and will incubate two or three Statesmen. Scurry county has the timber alright, but we may decide to use it in building along other lines.

Says the Waxahachie Light: "It is reported that a lawyer up north has succeeded in drawing a will which will enable the children to get the money and cut the lawyers off without a cent." Isn't that swindling?—Claud Callan in Star-Telegram.

Maybe not exactly swindling, but politics. The children are expected to be the voters hereafter.

The Ad League in Fort Worth insists that all advertising to appear next Sunday shall state absolute truth. Why not do it all the time?

The weather man borrowed twenty days of Spring in February and paid it back in March.

Sunday week will be Easter and we are certainly due some warm weather. You might plant your bean patch now and risk it.

McKinney business men are sending packages of farm and garden seed to the farmers in their trade territory.

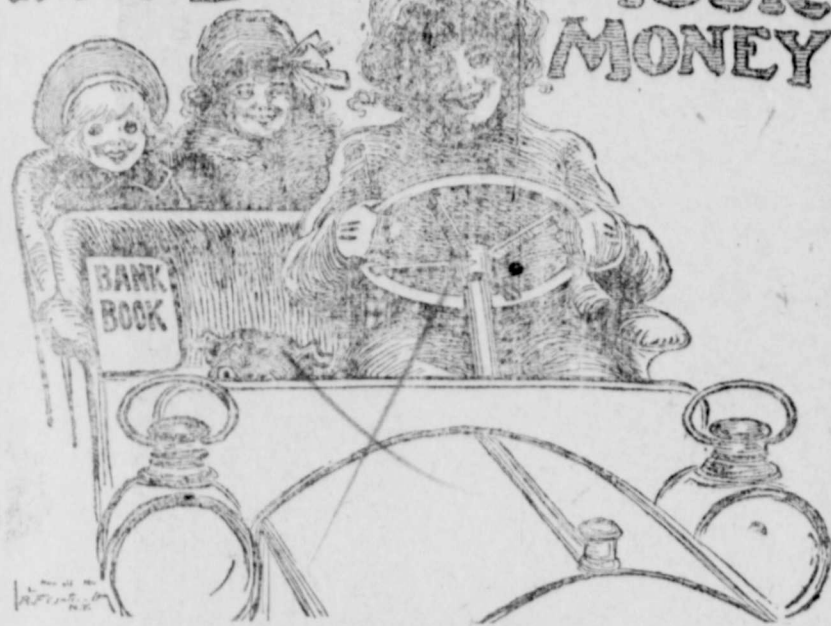
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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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Ed Baze

He has had ten years experience, or see him for anything in the way of pipe laying in the garden or yard. Tools, wagon and horse can be found at rear of Higginbotham-Harris Lumber Co. Telephone 152.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH NOTES

Easter is very near. What does it mean to us? "Good Friday" the day on which our Lord was crucified. A solemn day it should be but somehow in our haste and desire for things temporal we have almost forgotten days, and Easter with its day of death and its day of resurrection should be so thought of as to solemnize the life and lead to a consecration of life to the service of Him who gave himself to the death that all through Him might live.

Last Sunday was a bright day. Cold on the outside but within warm hearts were beating and evidences given of desire to further the Master's cause. The address of the morning was on "Be not fashioned according to this world, but transformed by the renewing of your mind." The attendance was good.

The night service was well attended. The illustrated sermon on the series on "Starlight and Sunshine in Revelation" was from the time Noah left the Ark to the time when Jacob travelled into Egypt. The obedience and faithfulness of Abraham which gave him the title of "Father of the Faithful"; the strange life of Jacob and his trans-Joseph to the truth as he knew it and the result to himself and the nations, were all shown it was demonstrated that truth and honesty stood the test showing that God was faithful when he promised "They that honor me, I will honor."

The church attendance campaign begins with Easter Sunday. It will be a busy day. Sunday School contest with Big Springs and an effort to have double attendance at school and church.

We had a great prayer meeting on Wednesday night. The subject: "The Sympathy of Jesus" was very helpfully presented. The short addresses by Tilmon Perkins, A. C. Wilmeth, Fritz Smith and the Pastor were inspiring. The attendance was 53, of whom 43 were members of the church. This gives 30 per cent of the members present and it is this fact that counts most in the contest. We may not lead in total attendance but if the Baptist and Methodist members are doing better than we are hey are having big crowds, but we believe we are leading in this particular. Let us double up next week.

Next Sunday services at the usual time. Morning service the subject will be "Crucified with Christ," and at night the third of the series of illustrated sermons will be preached. "Emancipation" will be the subject tracing the history of Israel from the time of Moses to the entrance into the Promised land.

Sunday school at 9:45. Over a hundred in school last Sunday. Make it 150 next Sunday.

PASTOR

What is 2503?

DIED

Mrs. Emma Ramsour, wife of R. V. Ramsour, superintendent of the Oil Mill died Monday evening at 6:45. She had been in ill health for several months. She was thirty nine years old. She leaves a husband, two daughters and one son and many loved ones and friends to mourn her loss.

The remains were carried to Bardwell Ellis county, Texas for interment. Bardwell is the family home and the oldest child is buried there. She was a noble christian woman and a consistent member of the Methodist church. The entire community sympathizes with the bereaved ones.

Honored Mother's Birthday

On Friday afternoon, March 12, from 3 to 5 o'clock, Mrs. Ledlow entertained a few special friends of her mother, Mrs. W. P. Crockett.

It was Mrs. Crockett's 72nd birthday and the party was a complete surprise to her.

Chocolate and cake were served. Those present were: Mothers Wright and Lockwood, Mrs. George C. Buchanan, Mrs. S. R. Fickas, Mrs. White, Mrs. Middleton, Mrs. Tindall and Mrs. W. P. Crockett.

See Hardy M. Boyd for Abstracts. Office over First State Bank.

UNION MEETING COMMITTEES

Complete Organization of Forces to be Perfected.—Meeting Will Held in June

Preparations are developing for the great union meeting to be held in June in connection with the churches of Snyder.

The Rev. Orville Edgar Hamilton of Missouri with five helpers will lead the forces and a great meeting is being anticipated.

The following Committees have been appointed and a complete organization of local forces will prepare for the meeting and the coming of the Evangelist:

Building Committee—
Joe Strayhorn, Chairman,
M. Turner,
J. C. Mitchell,
A. C. Wilmeth,
Ed. Ward.

Music Committee—
E. D. Curry, Chairman,
W. M. Curry,
Miss Mabel Stephens,
Mrs. J. C. Hairston,
J. W. Leftwich,
Mrs. Bess Boren,
Miss Jim McClinton.

Finance Committee—
Ernest Grimes, Chairman,
H. G. Towle,
C. C. Higgins,
D. P. Strayhorn,
Fritz Smith,
J. E. McConnell.

Entertainment Committee—
C. L. Ezell,
W. C. Fullilove,
R. C. Grantham,
Mrs. W. B. Stanfield,
Mrs. Geo. W. Harris.

Devotional Committee—
B. D. Black,
J. W. Couch,
C. R. Buchanan,
Mrs. Earl Brown;
Others to be added.

Ushers Committee—
Tilmon Perkins, Chairman,
O. P. Thrane,
Joe Stinson,
T. C. Davis.

Advertising and Publicity Committee—

J. P. Chambliss,
Olin Hardy,
D. P. Strayhorn,
Clifton Perkins.

Conservation Committee—

C. B. Alexander
W. A. Kincannon,
J. L. Andrews,
Pat Johnston,
Geo. W. Brown.
Census committee to be appointed and set to work later.



IN THE RACE

We are jockeys of our fate, not following the pace of THRIFT THRIFT.

WHICH WILL

The young man who works an independence or the idler who spends of charity in old age. Take a tip today.

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Mattresses Renovated. Phone US.
VIVIAN'S MATTRESS FACTORY
OLD BOTTLING WORKS BUILDING SNYDER, TEXAS

OLD SETTLER PASSES AWAY AT ROTAN, FISHER COUNTY

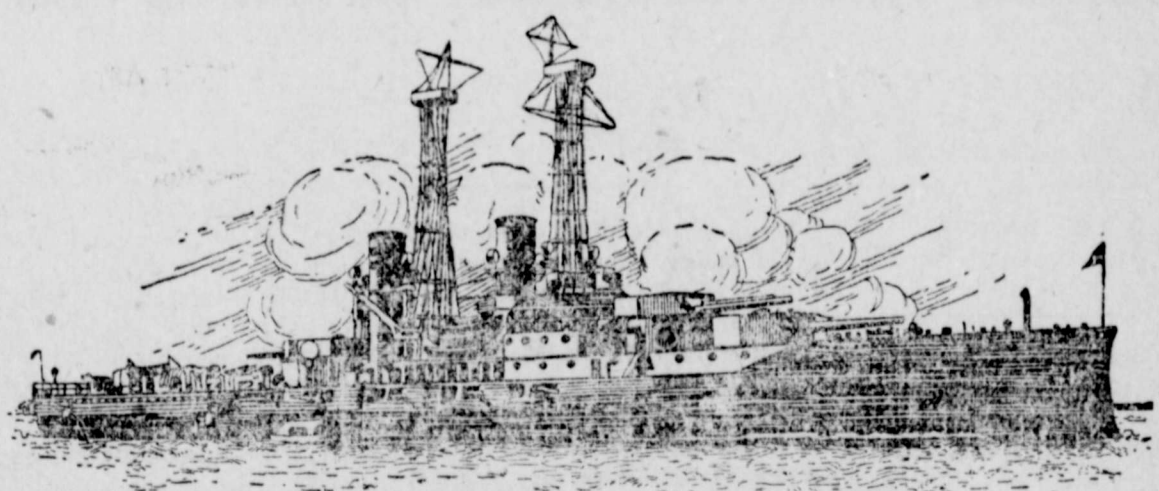
J. W. Crouch an old settler of Fisher County died with pneumonia Monday night at his home near Rotan. He was a prosperous and well known citizen.

J. W. White at Mason sold 500 cows and calves at \$80 per cow and calf.

AMERICAN SAILORS DROWNED IN THE BOSPHORUS

Constantinople, March 23.—Lieut. Commander Wm. Bricker of the United States yacht Scorpion and three American sailors were drowned in the Bosphorus Saturday night.

A small boat in which they were making their way to the yacht became swamped by the high waves and the men were drowned before any assistance could reach them.



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F. J. METTEN,
Chief Engineer.

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FOR SALE—A quantity of Big German, recleaned millet seed for sale Sacked and delivered in Snyder at \$1.25 per bushel. C. H. Kelly, Snyder, Route 2. 42

FOR SALE—My residence in southwest Snyder. Address Geo. Epply, Hermleigh, Texas. 42

FOR SALE—Eggs from Barred Plymouth Rocks. Golden Wyandottes, Pit Games, Pekin and Runner Ducks. \$1.50 for 15 Eggs. D. E. Banks, Snyder, Texas. 37tf

I HAVE THE IMPROVED Mebane Cotton Seed for sale. This seed has turned out from 38 1-2 to 41 per cent lint. 75 cents bushel at seed house. T. V. Cumble, Polar, Texas. 37-7t

Watkins remedies at Farmers Union Store. 37tf

FOR SALE—1 double disc plow, 1 sulky plow, 1 section harrow, 1 stalk cutter. E. J. Anderson. 38tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A bachelor stove, almost new. Anyone wanting a small stove will find this a bargain. Apply to Signal office.

EGGS FOR SETTING—I have a limited supply of Barred Plymouth Rock Eggs for sale at 50 cents per setting of 15 at my residence; 75 cents per setting of 15 delivered in Snyder. \$1.00 per setting where shipped out. C. C. Brackeen. 41

FOR SALE—Full blood S. C. B. Leg horn Eggs for sale. 15 for 75c; 30 for \$1.25; delivered. Five years grading from prize winners. Jim Pagan, Hermleigh, Texas. 44

FOR SALE—Six medium sized, three year old mules, unbroke, cheap for cash or will take good notes. Also two mares 14 1/2 hands high. Mares are good work animals. M. L. Hill, Ira, Texas. 41

FOR SALE—29 horses and mares, 20 mares in the bunch of which 3-4 are extra large animals, all range. These mares produced a good crop of colts last spring and a good crop will be the result this spring. The owner of these animals does not live in this section of the state and offers this bunch of mares at \$55 a round and throw in the colts. A large number of these mares are large and are worth \$150 each. Just think, the mares at \$55 per round with year old colts thrown in and another good crop of colts soon. Stockmen that are interested in range stuff can make 150 per cent on their investment. J. R. Ward, Aspermont, Texas. 41

PROTECT YOUR GRAIN and cotton crop with a hail insurance policy. Cost is too small not to protect yourself. Prompt settlement of losses by the world's largest company. Baker, Grayum & Anderson.

FOR SALE—17 mares, two 3-year olds, six 2-year olds and five yearlings and one 7-year old stallion. All of these mares are unbroke and are large well-made animals; 20 will bring colts in the Spring from this fine horse which is considered one of the best range horses in this section. The Stallion is half Steel Dust and half Copper Bottom. All the mares are brown, bays and sorrels with the exception of two grays. All this stuff is A.1 and for cash can be bought at \$1600 cash, no trade. If you are in the market for a fine bunch of mares and a good horse it will pay you to come and see them. J. R. Ward, Aspermont, Texas. 41

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WANTED

WANTED—Chickens and Eggs. All we can get. Highest market prices paid in cash. Snyder Fruit Co., Phone 35, next door to Maxwell hotel. 40tf

WANTED—Man and wife want some kind of honest employment. Apply at Snyder Signal office. 41

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—Jobs on farms for large boys 16 years old and older to start them at small wages. Address, Emile Reek, Agent, Weatherford, Texas.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—A rain coat. Owner can get same at Signal office, describing property and paying 25 cents for this notice. 41

NO MORE WOOD for sale at L. P. ranch. P. L. Fuller. 41p

FOR SALE—Eggs from my flock of choice Barred Plymouth Rocks. Flock of hens headed by well selected northern bred cocks. At my farm 50c per dozen; by express \$1.25 per 16. Special prices made on settings for incubators. Smith Brock, Hermleigh, Texas. 38tf

SEWING—I am prepared to do all kinds of sewing at my home in north Snyder. Mrs. J. C. Matthews. 37-4p

ROOMS FOR RENT

HOUSE KEEPING ROOMS—All upstairs, for rent for light house keeping. For particulars apply at Signal office. 40tf

BUSINESS CHANCES

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WANTED—A lady agent to canvass for general line of household goods. Apply at C. E. Daniels. Call for Mr. Garrett, after 7 p. m. or after 1 p. m. on Sundays. 39tf

FOR SERVICE

FOR SERVICE—Registered Duroc Boar. Fees \$2.00 cash. Pens at Allen Warren's place. 42

FOR SERVICE—Registered Duroc Male, imported from Clairette, Texas, is out of a litter of 13 pigs. See him before breeding your sows. Will let him go to the country to responsible parties. See W. R. Bell. 42



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LONE WOLF

Well, let Blue Britches in for a short chat with the Signal and its many readers.

Cotton picking is a thing of the past and the farmers are preparing the land. Some have corn and early maize planted. You know the early bird catches the worm, so let them catch the worm and we will go fishing when Spring comes.

We have been having lots of sickness this winter.

H. A. Pagan has been down three weeks with mumps and fever.

Tom Webb has been down with the fever but is out at present.

H. J. Hodnett let his bike get away from him Sunday and he was pretty badly skinned up, but not seriously.

G. A. Pagan came in from Arizona to visit the home folks. But I think he got scared of those umbries, for they court martialled several close to where he was. He said business is sure dull there on the line of Mexico and Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Mahoney visited at Rescoe last week.

P. W. Cranfill is back from the W. O. W. convention and reports a big time.

BLUE BRITCHES

Nice Wall Paper at Warren Bros.

PLAINVIEW

Mr. Horace Marshall and Mr. Roy Roberts from Tatum New, Mexico, have been visiting their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ditto.

We were greatly favored by the presence of Miss Floyd, Mr. John Floyd, Mrs. Ditto and Mr. Roy Roberts the latter giving us a real good reading and a good cowboy song.

Our program was the best we ever had so say many of the members of the Lone Star Society.

Mrs. Emery Daniels has been ill for several days but is better now.

Mr. Stimpson passed through our community Wednesday enroute to Snyder.

Dr. McClary from Crowder has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Callis and family.

Mrs. Herron is not well this week.

Mrs. Roy Myres has improved from her late illness.

Mrs. Trawick has returned from visiting her son in Floydada, she reports a pleasant trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Jones from Crenshaw have been spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Howell.

Allen and Carter's show was in

COULD SCARCELY WALK ABOUT

And For Three Summers Mrs. Vincent Was Unable to Attend to Any of Her Housework.

Pleasant Hill, N. C.—"I suffered for three summers," writes Mrs. Walter Vincent, of this town, "and the third and last time, was my worst.

I had dreadful nervous headaches and prostration, and was scarcely able to walk about. Could not do any of my housework.

I also had dreadful pains in my back and sides and when one of those weak, sinking spells would come on me, I would have to give up and lie down, until it wore off.

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Plainview Tuesday and was enjoyed very much by those who attended.

Mr. Sturgeon has been kept from his plowing this week on account of bad cold.

Miss Nannie Boles is visiting her sister, in Snyder.

Bro. Chas. Jones from Fluvanna preached at Plainview Saturday night, Sunday at 11 a. m. and Sunday night. A good audience each time was present.

Mr. and Mrs. Rice and children Brother Chas. Jones, Miss Beckey Murfree and the writer took dinner at Mr. and Mrs. White's last Sunday.

Warren Brothers for Spectacles.

CROWDER

Some cold days over here lately, but we are hoping for sunshine.

Health hereabouts is better, except for colds.

We are looking forward to the First Monday stock show in Snyder. This writer believes that Scurry Co. ought to have an annual stock show on the first Monday in April.

The school is doing fine.

The little grand child of T. F. Oliver at Bethel is still sick.

S. D. Hayes and R. L. Turner and their families spent Sunday with W. B. Lemon and family.

Mr. Powell of near Dunn was visiting his brother-in-law J. T. Biggs last Saturday.

Miss Ola Busby visited in Snyder.

Singing at Crowder every Sunday evening.

Next Sunday at Crowder Rev. J. R. Plant will preach. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching service also on Saturday night.

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