

# The Snyder Signal

TWENTY-NINTH YEAR

SNYDER, SCURRY COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1915

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## BILLION DOLLAR LOAN IS ASSURED

PLEDGES ALREADY PUT UP THAT SECURE A CONSIDERABLE FRACTION OF AMOUNT

### PRO-GERMANS ARE OPPOSED

Teuton Bankers of New York Will Be Invited to Participate if Sincerity is Clear

New York, Sept. 15—America's billion dollar loan to Great Britain and France seemed well on the way toward accomplishment tonight, in the view of bankers familiar with the pledges offered by the foreign commission during their five days stay here.

This rosy view is reflected in the thoughts of men who have championed the Commission's Cause, but it does not coincide with the sentiments of those opposing the loan nor with the so-called pro-German financiers who were not invited to meet the commissioners.

However, the pledges, it is understood, have secured a considerable fraction of the loan and others are in prospect.

The so-called pro-German bankers of New York will be invited to participate if the commission be persuaded that they are sincere in their expressions of willingness.

The successful disposition of the 1915 cotton crop will depend upon the result of the negotiations now in course, in the opinion of Festus Wade, a banker of St. Louis.

## BOARD OF GOVERNORS TO MEET

MEMBERS URGED TO BE ON TIME THIS AFTERNOON AT FIVE O'CLOCK

The Board of Governors of the Snyder Chamber of Commerce will hold the regular monthly meeting this, Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock in Judge Brown's office at the court house.

It is very essential that all members of the board be present on time as there are several important matters that demand immediate attention, one especial item is a publicity proposition.

Remember 5 o'clock this afternoon. E. J. ANDERSON, J. P. CHAMBLESS, President Secretary.

**North Colorado Association**  
The North Colorado Baptist Association met last week with the church at Pleasant Ridge.

The Association was organized with J. H. Ellis, Moderator, I. F. Tapp, clerk and J. M. Appleton as Treasurer.

All the churches in the Association were represented by letters and messengers.

The annual sermon was preached by Rev. J. H. Ellis.

The Association settled in full with the Missionary.

Rev. S. H. Slaughter of Dallas addressed the body in the interest of missions and raised \$120.

Collections were made for Old Minister's Relief, Foreign Missions, Orphan's Home and Ministerial Education.

The session was pleasant and harmonious throughout.

The work of the meeting was finished on Saturday and the Association adjourned to meet at West Point on Thursday before the second Sunday in September, 1916.

W. A. Luallin and sons, Carlos and Lester of Route 2, were here Saturday and had the Signal started to them.

J. H. Patterson of Route 2, came in Saturday and paid the necessary coin to get the Signal and Dallas News for a year.

## DISTRICT COURT CONVENED MONDAY

JUDGE JOHN B. THOMAS ON THE BENCH—ATTORNEY JAS. P. STINSON PROSECUTING

### GRAND JURY DULY ORGANIZED

Docket Sounded and Cases Set for Trial—Several Bills of Indictment Returned.

District Court convened in September term here Monday morning with Judge John B. Thomas on the bench, District Attorney Jas. P. Stinson and County Attorney Bill Weems looking after the prosecution department, Sheriff W. A. Merrell keeping order, District Clerk Walter Adamson keeping the records straight and Court Reporter Chas. Welch here to make stenographic tabulation of everything that may be said.

The court officers came in Monday over the R. S. & P. and court was called at 10:30. Sixteen men had been summoned for grand jury service and they were all here. The following twelve were selected, sworn in and charged: W. T. Black, A. J. Carnes, J. R. Coker, J. S. Head, J. H. Waldrip, J. H. Byrd, W. L. Butler, J. B. Boles, J. N. A. Staveley, J. C. Maxwell, L. N. Perriman, A. P. Gannaway. John Woody is serving as door bailiff for the grand jury and the riding bailiffs are Jim Bridgman, Woodson Stinson and W. E. Bentley.

The following cases have been disposed of:  
N. Beaver vs. Fred Morris, debt and foreclosure. Judgment for plaintiff.  
W. C. Crowder vs. J. M. Radford, injunction perpetuated.

William Joseph McLean vs. Milton Bryan McLean, partition. So ordered.  
Ferguson, Peters and Price vs. T. & N. O. R. Co., suit for damages. Continued.

Addie Chapman vs. J. B. Coleman, et al. Suit on note. Continued.  
American Well & Prospecting Co. vs. Snyder Development Co, suit on contract. Judgment for plaintiff for \$3,228 and foreclosure on Company's oil well at Snyder.

Avis F. Wright et al. vs. Panhandle & Santa Fe Ry. Co., damages. Set for Thursday of second week.

Mary W. Jordan vs. Sovereign Camp W. O. W., suit on insurance policy. Judgment for plaintiff with writ of inquiry.

G. B. Brown vs. Mrs. M. C. Tidwell suit on note. Set for Wednesday this week.

The case against Dutch Jordan charged with murder, set for next Monday.

Case against J. J. Hunter, Jr. transferred to juvenile court and set for Friday.

C. E. Brown vs. M. C. Tidwell, suit on note. Jury verdict for plaintiff for \$1547.

C. E. Brown vs. V. P. Baker, suit on note. Jury verdict for plaintiff for \$844.47.

C. E. Brown vs. D. I. Harrington, suit on note. Jury verdict for plaintiff for \$760.04.

C. E. Brown vs. O. L. York, suit on note. Jury verdict for plaintiff for \$767.50.

These four cases were sent here from Dawson county and were claims for subscription to railroad bonus funds in Dawson county. Notices of appeal have been filed in all the cases.

T. C. Herrington vs. Jay Herrington. Divorce granted.

Oscar Stewart vs. Estella Stewart. Divorce. Decree granted.

State vs. C. C. Shoemaker, Forgery. Case set for Saturday.

Up to Thursday morning the Grand Jury had turned in five indictments for felony.

**Methodist Auxiliary**  
The Methodist Auxiliary met Monday, September 13th at the church.

After a business session presided over by the president, Mrs. Marshall led a bible study on Daniel.

The ladies will serve dinner and supper next Monday, September 20th at the Townsend-Oldham old stand on the east side of the square.

## WASHINGTON NOT OPPOSED TO LOAN

POPULAR SUBSCRIPTION OR LARGE GOLD EXPORTS OBJECTIONABLE

### NO VIOLATION OF NEUTRALITY

Secretary Lansing Explains Attitude of U. S. Toward Anglo-French Commissions Proposal

Washington, Sept. 15—Secretary of State Lansing explained today that no violation, either of domestic or of international law was involved in the proposed flotation by the Allies of a large loan in this country. He said that the attitude of the Washington government had been announced long before.

The expression of disapproval of loans as "inconsistent with the spirit of neutrality" had been occasioned by a direct request for advice by American bankers concerning loans in general.

The administration, Mr. Lansing explained, was opposed chiefly to loans by popular subscriptions and those taking large sums of gold from the United States.

The new loan he said was essentially a credit loan to pay for the purchase of supplies and would be regarded as a private commercial transaction, not different from a transaction in contraband.

## GOLDEN CARGOES LEAVE NEW YORK

STEAMSHIP MEN ARE HAPPY AND FREIGHTERS LINE THE DOCKS.

New York, Sept. 15—The largest cargoes of grain in the history of this port will begin to leave New York for Europe this week. With a record yield in Canada which will be handled largely through New York, and increasing demand in Europe for grain, the outlook is pleasing to the steamship men. The harbor is lined with freighters waiting for grain cargoes.

According to Loyd Sanderson, general agent for the Pacific Steamship, Royal Mail and Wilson lines, the crops in India are poor and Europe will be obliged to depend chiefly on the United States and Canada for her supply of wheat and oats.

**Slumber Party**

Miss Dura Dawson entertained the following last Friday evening with an "anti-slumber" party:

Misses Ora Wilson, Zonell Harris, Maurine Stone, Corene Witt, Charlotte Sturdivant, Jim McClinton, Lucille Galloway, Janie Warren and Ruby Clark.

After being served a 'scrumptious' supper, we enjoyed a joy ride and big laugh at Charles Chaplin. We then went home and were serenaded by some of the "chivalrous youths" of Snyder who carried tin cans, garbage lids, dish pans and various tin articles for music. The boys were greeted by a "shower bath" instead of a hearty welcome.

Until late hours of the morning "gossip" was the leading feature.

Immediately after breakfast we enjoyed a long ride and then we were peddled out by Dura. We all reported a delightful time and declared Dura a most charming hostess.

P. S.—Mr. Pack Wolfe after learning how successful we were running the boys off has promised each girl a 30-30 rifle to go to the Mexican border.

**More New Citizens**

Mr. G. W. Faulkner, father of Mrs. B. L. Baze has moved to Snyder with his family from Sipe Springs and will reside here. He has one pupil to enter school. He says the boll weevils have destroyed the cotton in the country where he has been living.

## COMMISSIONERS COURT IN SESSION

REGULAR MONTHLY SESSION HELD MONDAY AND TUESDAY

### IMPORTANT ORDERS PASSED

Stock Law Election Ordered to be Held in Election Precinct 14 October 23rd.

The County Commissioners' Court was in regular monthly session Monday and Tuesday.

Present: County Judge C. R. Buchanan, County Clerk, W. T. Skinner, Commissioners Geo. W. Brown, B. F. Dargitz, J. B. Autry and J. E. Thomas.

An order was passed to require the P. & N. T. Ry. Co. to repair the drainage ditch next to the county road on the line between the lands of W. T. Rankin and P. S. McDermott; also the drainage at the end of the railroad bridge on side of public road.

An order was passed to establish Independence School District No. 11.

Returns of school house bond election in Winston School district canvassed and declared carried in favor of bonds.

Order was passed to close Kemp and Lowe streets in the town of Hermleigh.

Warrants were allowed in bounty for 1586 rabbit scalps and 23 wolf scalps.

Special stock law election was ordered to be held in election precinct No. 14 on October 23. E. C. Adams was appointed to hold the election.

County Judge was authorized to make a deed to Mike Sterling to five acres of land embraced in Bluff Creek district at \$15.00 per acre on petition of trustees.

Ordered by the court that the County Treasurer purchase for the credit of the court house bonds sinking fund the \$800.00 of bonds of school district 12 and the \$1400.00 of bonds of school district 22. Said purchase to be at the price of par and accrued interest, subject to the waiver of the State School Board.

It is ordered by the court that the sheriff and janitor be and are especially instructed to report to the County Attorney for prosecution, any person or persons who shall in any manner damage or disfigure the court yard, or place any litter, refuse or waste on same and the county attorney is hereby directed to prosecute vigorously any one who may be guilty of such offense under the laws of the State. Likewise the sheriff and janitor shall report for prosecution any person or persons, who may loaf or loiter about the court yard or within the court house in such manner as to make of themselves a nuisance or bother to any officer or other person who has business about the courthouse or works therein.

## FLOOD SWEEPS OVER MISSOURI

KANSAS AND OKLAHOMA ALSO SUFFER AND DAMAGE EXCEEDS HALF MILLION

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 15—The heaviest rainfall in years is sweeping parts of Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma and the country is facing severe floods and washouts.

The damage already done in the region of Joplin, Mo alone is in excess of a half million dollars.

**El Feliz**

Mrs. J. D. McClannahan was hostess for the El Feliz Club Friday, September 10th.

After the business session forty two was enjoyed.

A delicious ice course was served the members and Misses Hargis and Wallace.

Mrs. Weldon Coats will entertain the Club Friday, September 24th.

## BRITAIN IGNORES PEACE PLANS

LORD ROBERT CECIL COULD NOT THINK OF PROPOSALS THAT WOULD BE ACCEPTABLE

### KITCHENER PAYS A TRIBUTE

England's War Lord Believes That Height of German Offensive Has Passed.

London, September 15—Premier Asquith and Lord Kitchener today presented facts to Parliament concerning the financing of military operations.

They declared that more than three million men had been recruited for the military and naval forces since the war began, that munition factories were springing up and that supplies were vastly increasing.

Lord Kitchener paid a tribute to the Russian armies and expressed a view that the German offensive had passed its height.

Lord Robert Cecil, under-secretary on foreign affairs, in reply to a question of the house, stated that Germany had offered him peace proposals but that he had replied to Germany that he couldn't imagine at the present time what proposals would be acceptable.

## ALL IS QUIET ON THE RIO GRANDE

MEXICANS COMMENCE CELEBRATION OF INDEPENDENCE WITHOUT DISORDER

Brownsville, Texas, Sept. 15—The observance of Mexican Independence Day began here tonight without a single incident of disorder reported from the border.

The citizens have been warned that the Mexicans are likely to indulge in considerable noise and in the display of fire arms.

The killing of three Mexicans yesterday when they attempted to escape from the jail is looked upon with disfavor in military circles. No inquest was held and the bodies were buried by the soldiers.

**Rains and Cotton**

Following several days of hot weather with high winds which resulted in considerable damage to cotton, a light rain, accompanied by much thunder and lightning came up Monday night.

This was followed Tuesday by a gentle rain and Wednesday brought more of it, altogether amounting to an inch and a quarter of rain and still cloudy Thursday. Cotton is still growing and is opening slowly. Not much picking as yet.

There have been no reports of boll weevils in this county and the people are not uneasy on that score, but if damp weather continues, we are in danger of appearance of boll worms. The cotton is good in some parts of the country, but light in other sections. It is learned from talking with farmers that estimates run from a quarter to three-quarters of a bale to the acre.

Unless some new misfortune comes The Signal still adheres to its guess that Scurry county will make 18,000 to 20,000 bales this season.

**Scurry County Baptist Association**  
The Scurry County Baptist Association met on Thursday of last week with the Baptist church at Ira.

There was a full representation of the churches in the territory and good reports were made.

Rev. M. T. Tucker is Moderator and C. R. Lockhart is Clerk. Rev. R. A. Scranton, of Abilene preached the annual sermon and Rev. I. D. Hull preached the Missionary sermon.

The Association adjourned Saturday to meet next year at Hermleigh.

Dr. W. A. Palmer was here Saturday from Dunn.

## SNYDER SCHOOLS OPENED MONDAY

ENROLLMENT FIRST DAY 573—STRONG CORPS OF TEACHERS IN FACULTY

### PROGRAM AT CITY AUDITORIUM

Speakers of the Evening Stressed Cooperation and Strict Home Discipline.

The public schools of Snyder opened in splendid vigor Monday morning with a total enrollment of 573 students.

The faculty this year is exceptionally strong. Supt. Watson is recognized as one of the leading educators and he is supported by corps of well qualified teachers, devoted to their work. The school board is made up of active business men who have the welfare of the school at heart. The board and the faculty have wisely planned for the best school year in the history of the institution. There are 143 students in the high school department already and they have entered upon a course of study along all the higher lines of educational development.

From the primary department on up through the grammar grades and the high school the work is thoroughly systematized, under direction of competent instructors.

The schools were assembled Monday morning and proceeded to settle down to regular work under proper classification.

The public exercises were held on Monday night at the Auditorium. Quite a number of patrons and friends assembled there to discuss school matters.

Chairman Pryor of the school board and Mayor Noble were both reported sick and could not be present.

Addresses were made by Pat Johnston, J. P. Chambliss, C. C. Higgins, T. P. Perkins, Judge Buchanan and Rev. L. S. Knight.

The speakers all urged co-operation and some of them stressed the importance of home discipline. They all pledged loyal support to the school.

The closing speech was made by Supt. Watson and he gave the audience a plain and pointed outline of conditions as they are and as they should be. He stated that every room of the Central building is crowded. One teacher has 66 children in her room and another has 65. There will be at least 200 more enrolled and the question is where can they find proper accommodation?

The Central building ought to be remodeled, enlarged and rendered more attractive. It is unjust to the children to send them to spend seven hours a day amid scenes that would not be tolerated in any well ordered home in Snyder. Mr. Watson pleads for better equipment of laboratory for the studying of the sciences. He says the apparatus ought to be provided for teaching agriculture. The school has thirteen units of affiliation with the University, but the science department is sadly neglected. Let us hope that the people of Snyder will rally to the school and that after this year there may be no more shortness of school room and equipment.

**Passing of Jim Hankerson**

Mr. James A. Hankerson, of Haskell who has been coming to Snyder at every term of the District Court for a number of years has changed his field of work and will come here no more. He has for a long time been Court reporter and official stenographer for the Court of the 39th district and has itinerated along with the district judge and attorney and was quite popular with the lawyers and others about the court house and has the reputation of being one of the most accurate and efficient court reporters in the state.

He has left this district to accept a like position in the Wichita Falls district.

Mr. Chas. Welch, late of Hillsboro comes to this district as Mr. Hankerson's successor. We extend to him the glad right hand.



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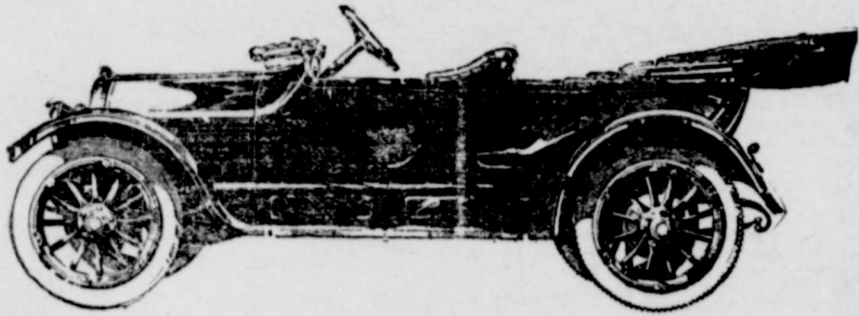
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**CROWDER**  
Lots of sickness. Mrs. Cordell is improving at this writing, but the little boy and girl are reported no better.

Cotton is opening slowly in this locality.

The farmers are busy gathering in their feed. Maize is only tolerably good in this part of the country.

Mr. J. A. Stringer of Erath county has recently moved to our county in the Crowder community. We are glad to welcome him and his family to our community.

Miss Addie Busby is reported improving at this writing. She has had fever about forty days. We hope that he will be up in a few days.

Uncle Pole Ross visited Mr. R. L. Turner a few days ago from Hico, Hamilton county.

Three of the Mr. Benson's and Mr. Wilkins, near Erath county are now casting their lot in our community. We are always glad to have noble young men in our community.

Mr. D. C. Bentley is improving some but is not able to be up much of the time.

The writer and all people of Scurry county extends their deepest sympathy to Mrs. J. T. Ramsey and children for the loss of her husband.

**To the Public**

I have a complete line of Stafford's Type Writer Ribbons and Carbon paper and will sell them as cheap as anybody.

ED. A. WARREN

**Saved His Homestead**

In a civil suit tried several months ago, J. M. Radford obtained a judgment against W. C. Crowder and afterwards certain lands and premises belonging to defendant, situated in Scurry county were levied on and advertised to be sold to satisfy the Radford claim. Defendant later sued out a temporary injunction to restrain the sale, on the ground that the place was his homestead. Mr. Crowder, who now resides in Dallas was here this week with his attorney and presented his case to the court and the injunction was perpetuated.

**Snyder a Good Town**

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Rev. J. E. Stephens and family left Tuesday for Stamford where they will reside. Brother Stephens will enter at once upon his work as financial agent of Stamford College.

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**BETHEL**  
Written for last week:  
Miss Ruth Seabourn was a visitor with Miss Virgie Davis Sunday.

Clyde Dennis who has been visiting relatives in Brownwood is with homefolks again.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wright Moor returned from their trip in South, Texas Friday.

Pete Bridgeman, W. W. Davis and A. L. Bridgeman were Sunday visitors with Mr. J. Wright Moor.

The singing at Bethel Sunday was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Clattyball gave a party to the young folks Friday night. A good time was reported by all who attended.

If the weather permits, some few farmers will start cotton picking here next Monday.

This part of the country wouldn't object to a good rain as plowing and sowing could go on with a rush. The ground is most too dry to allow flat breaking of the soil.

Later: The rain came.  
Mrs. Maggie and Zelma Davis visited Mrs. F. L. Davis Tuesday.

Mr. Clay Braccee was a visitor of Mr. W. B. Seabourn, Sunday.

The cotton crop here will be short of last year's crop, as the stalk is much smaller than last year's. Cotton is well loaded with bolls, as is evidenced by the fact that a stalk 2 feet and 1 inch tall in Jim Seabourn's field had on it 63 bolls and a few squares.

MARK TWAIN

**CRUSTO.**

For shortening, Cake-making, Frying, etc. in place of butter or lard. Use a third less. Townsend, Oldham & Company sell it. 13tf

**CAMP SPRINGS**

Written for last week:  
Orville Braswell left for California last week for a few weeks visit with the home folks there.

John Bedwell and family, who live on the Plains and formerly of Camp Springs were visiting here last week.

Sam Minor who used to live here, but now is a resident of the Plains was visiting here last week. They report fine crops on the plains.

Gus Worsham, formerly of here but now living in Eastland county was back looking around last week.

Mrs. E. S. Dorsett, is improving very slowly. She is in bed most of the time.

J. J. Harris is visiting in Haskell county at present.

Camp Springs gin got its first bale of cotton last week. Two were ginned during the week.

The Singing on the fifth Sunday was well attended from over the county. Several classes were represented and the permanent organization was effected, with Mr. Art Donald of Pleasant Hill Class as president and W. W. Echols of Hermleigh class as vice president. Lloyd Sanders was made corresponding Secretary. The next meeting will be with the Hermleigh class on the 5th Sunday in October.

Mr. Hubert Perry and Miss Nina Hudnall, both of this place were married at the home of the bride here last Sunday evening. Camera joins in congratulations.

The people in this part are getting the concrete habit. Several have built pools and watering troughs. W. S. Reed came to the front with the largest structure, an irrigation pool 20 feet square.

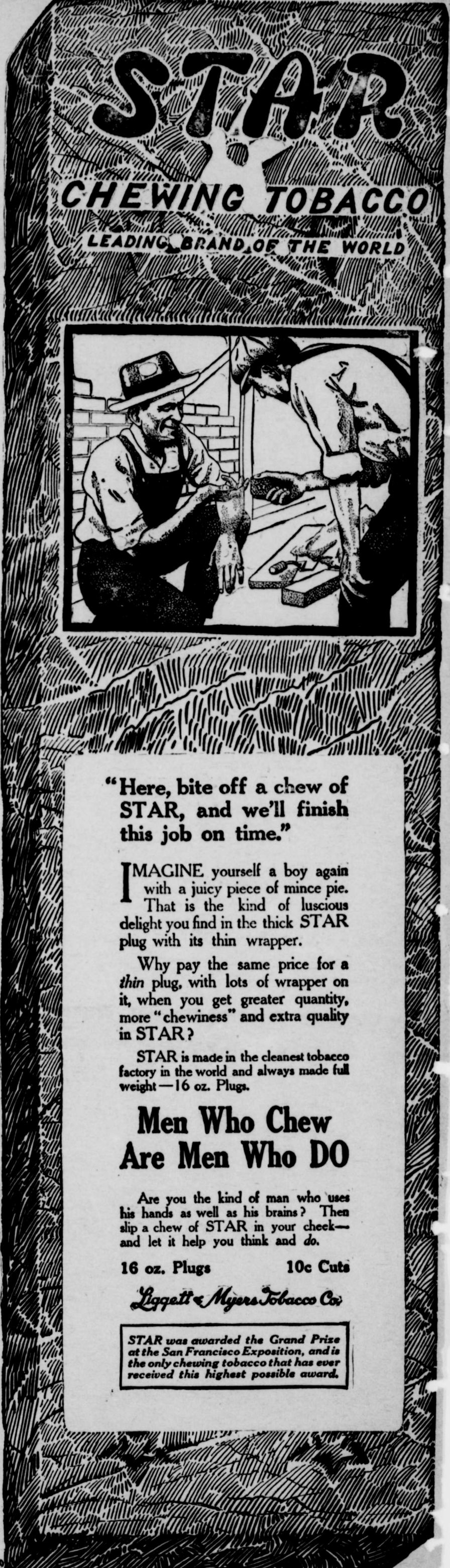
Rev. R. W. Ree, who has been away for some time returned a few days ago.

Evin Finch, Fae Jones and Saille Boone are making preparation to enter school at Snyder next Monday. This is Miss Boone's first year at Snyder, while the others were there last year.


**CAMERA**

**SHERIFF'S SALE.**

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Wellborn, plaintiff, against Bob line 890 5-8 varas to the Southwest Houchin and J. A. Miller defendants, Corner of said survey: No. 1313.

Thence N. 75 E. with south line of said survey 633 1-3 varas to stake for corner:

Thence N. 15 W. parallel with west line of this survey 890 varas to stake for corner:

Thence S. 75 W. parallel with south line of said survey 633 1-3 varas to place of beginning. Containing 100 acres less the land heretofore deeded out of this tract to the R. S. & P. Ry. Co.:

And on the 5th day of October A. D. 1915, same being the First Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all right, title and interest of the said J. A. Miller, John A. Miller, in and to said property.

Dated at Snyder, this 7th day of September, A. D., 1915.

W. A. MERRELL,  
Sheriff of Scurry County, Tex.

Thence S. 15 E. with said section

# NOTICE.

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Post, Texas

## TREATING WHEAT FOR SMUT

A toll of millions of dollars loss is levied against the wheat growers of the Southwest and the Middle West annually through the ravages of smut. This loss is easily preventable and can be avoided in the individual farmers will use the treatment herein given. The "Formalin Treatment" is the one advocated and endorsed by the United States Department of Agriculture, the State and National Experiment Stations and Agricultural Colleges, and is as follows:  
Secure a forty per cent solution of formalin at any reliable drug store. One pound of this 40 per cent formalin solution carefully mixed with 40 gallons of water, is sufficient to treat from 2000 to 2500 pound of wheat.

The seed may be treated by dipping or sprinkling: To dip: Seed should be placed in a gunny sack and submerged in the solution, the liquid being in a barrel or tank. The bag or sack of wheat should be allowed to remain immersed in the solution for at least ten minutes, after which it is taken out, allowing the liquid to drain back into the tank or barrel for a short time. The wheat should then be emptied into a clean place and covered with sacks or blankets for two hours, after which it should be thoroughly dried before sowing.

To sprinkle, prepare a clean place on a canvass or smooth floor and thoroughly sprinkle the place to be occupied by the wheat, with the solution before the seed is emptied upon it. Now spread the wheat upon the space thus prepared for it and sprinkle the solution all over it, shoveling the grain in such way over and over, so as to insure that all of the seed will be uniformly moistened with the liquid. Having thoroughly dampened the wheat with the solution, shovel the grain into a pile and cover with sacks or blankets for two hours, after which it should be thoroughly dried before sowing. Do not allow the wheat to remain wet too long after treating as the germinating qualities may be injured.

Place the dried wheat into sacks that have been dipped in the solution and it will be found a good plan to sprinkle the grain drill with the liquid before putting the seed into it.

Exercise every precaution not to bring the treated seed into contact with grain that has not been treated, avoiding the use of bins that have contained smut infested wheat. The wheat should be treated but a short time before sowing.

H. M. BAINER  
Agricultural Demonstrator, A. T. & S. F. Railway.

**Just Received**  
a car of Schuttler wagons.  
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## THE WORLD'S DEMANDS JUSTIFY TWELVE CENTS

Assuming even a 12,000,000 bale yield of Southern cotton this year (and it will probably be less) this year's world production will be 3,000,000 bales short of the world's conservatively estimated consumption during the coming twelve months. That is to say, the world will consume every pound of this year's crop and 3,000,000 bales of the present surplus.

Secretary Hester of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange estimates last year's southern production (not commercial crop) at 17,000,000 bales. The United States government estimate (16,134,930 plus 79,464 linters) is 16,226,349—practically 17,000,000 bales. This was over 2,000,000 bales in excess of the 1913 crop.

Now what happened with this bumper 17,000,000 bale crop in spite of all the demoralized conditions of trade and finance—the crop of which it was said last fall we should not export 4,000,000 bales? The facts are that the world used so much of it that the total world's visible supply of all cotton in midsummer this year was only 5,435,168 bales against 3,522,276 bales a year before. In other words with a 17,000,000 bale Southern crop to handle, the world's visible supply increased only 1,900,000 bales. What is going to happen this year then, with the South offering 5,000,000 or 6,000,000 bales less

—and the production of other countries also decreased?—Dallas Progressive Farmer.

Trade your old furniture off for new or have it repaired and made as good as new at A. P. MORRIS.

Geo. W. Harris came in Monday from a business trip in Central Texas.

Nature's Mineral Ore for Impure Blood. See adv. in this paper Call at Signal office. 5tf.

A. S. Harris, a prominent business man of Comanche is prospecting in Snyder this week.

## This is the Season of the Year

When a new buggy, new harness and new saddle will be in demand. Maybe your old harness needs to be overhauled. We can do it the Guaranteed Way.

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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, September 17, 1915.

Contracts amounting to \$85,209 have been let for a new building at the State Orphan's home at Corsicana.

With the tariff question lifted out of the mire of politics there will not be much left for politicians to wrangle over.

Some of the witnesses in the election fraud cases at Corpus Christi very innocently tell the court about selling their votes like any other commercial commodity.

It was generous in Germany to offer 15 cents a pound for cotton delivered at a German port. We might be willing to sell the cotton for less than 15 cents, but we'd want it paid for before starting across the water.

A newspaper report was published last week showing the Grand Duke of Russia as the reigning power in the army. Even the Czar was under control of the young man. Now comes a later report and says the Czar has deposed him and put in another war governor.

Business philosophers seem to be agreed that if peace should be re-established in Europe this fall the United States will enter at once upon a season of the greatest prosperity ever known. In that case the wise American citizen will first take advantage of the situation to pay out of debt before assuming new obligations.

Texas people have the opportunity now of deciding whether they prefer a governor who will reduce taxes to a nominal figure and put the state in debt and let the public institutions go to the bad, and one who insists on a high tax rate for a time to pay up the old indebtedness and put the schools, the asylums and the penitentiary system in good repair and keep them so.

Joe Bailey is having the time of his life in Texas this year. Just meeting old friends and telling us how to preserve the principles of old time democracy and save the nation from decadence through new fangled isms. His utterances against socialism and woman suffrage are apt to kindle new fires of opposition to him but he cares more for the purity of representative democracy than for the plaudits of political women and time serving men

## LITTLE SIGNALS

Prof. E. A. Watson's appeal for a new school building and better equipment was a princely move and it is hoped his desires will be realized to the full extent of the public's expectations.

Let's not be "figureheads." Real sho nuff men are required to build a city or an institution.

The Chamber of Commerce membership committee has as yet failed to make a report. This committee is composed of Joe Strayhorn, E. J. Anderson and Marshall Fuller.

Every time it rains a reminder bobs up that we sure do need sidewalks.

Snyder has a city marshal who is not only a sanitary officer, but cleans up everything as he goes. He "lassoed" a gentleman from the country who had taken unto himself too much booze, riding a horse with an un'dy set of harness. The offender was too swift for ordinary capture and Pack had to resort to roping the guy. The offender was presented to the Mayor and yielded to the usual fine.

There are many important things coming up before the Chamber of Commerce—one of the important ones just now is the possibility of a modern hotel structure.

If Deep Creek was dammed we would soon have a lake of water sufficient to justify a water show.

How about the plan to place electric light clusters about the court house lawn?

Don't permit essential improvements to pass unheeded.

Somebody has suggested J. C. McNealus of Dallas as a candidate for Governor against Ferguson in 1916. That might hold Dallas in the limelight for a few months, but that is all. The man who runs against Jim Ferguson next year will later have the opportunity to line up with Judge Ramsey and Blacksmith Williams.

Ambassador Dumba, of Austria, to the United States has been found guilty of trying to promote a strike of the workers in American arms factories and the United States will demand his recall. In event his country refuses to recall him he will probably be handed his passports. That will be tantamount to a declaration of war, but let it come. The United States has borne insults until forbearance has ceased to be a virtue.

## WITH OUR EXCHANGES

From the census bureau comes the information that there are 12,000,000 aliens in this country. The number seems disproportionate to the total number of inhabitants, but if it is even approximately correct, the figures ought to be cut down; not by deporting the aliens, but by inducing them to take out naturalization papers. One who takes advantage of the opportunities offered in this country to come here and secure work and a home owes it to the country as well as to himself and to his family to demonstrate his allegiance by becoming an American citizen.—Fort Worth Record.

The Texas Woman's Press Association has started a movement to raise a fund of \$5,000 to be loaned at 7 per cent interest, the revenue to be awarded to some deserving girl each year

to assist her in taking a course in the school of journalism at the State University. The movement is commendatory and the \$5,000 should be forthcoming at once so that the girl can begin her work at the school this fall.—Plainview News.

W. R. Smith, congressman, from the El Paso district is being urged for appointment by President Wilson on the Court of Claims at Washington, D. C. Many are the prospective candidates for Congress in the 16th District who are entirely willing to have the appointment made. Congressman Smith is about as hard a nut for an opponent to crack as is found in the great state of Texas. Not only has he had things pretty well his way in his own Congressional district, but likewise has he been able to block very successfully those who might desire to gerrymander his district a bit for him. Why should not the ambitious ones in his district endorse him for the Court of Claims?—Austin Statesman.

War is driving women to cosmetics.—Austin Statesman.

You can get out of anything just what you put in it. This applies to life, religion, and pursuit of joy, love and liberty.—Stamford Leader.

But not a wild cat lot in a townsite addition.

The time is coming when every man will have to buy his own land instead of having to marry an Indian lady for it.—Abilene Reporter.

Already the poets have quit writing gushing lines about "Lovely Indian Maiden."

Gov. Ferguson, is quoted as saying that there will not be an extra session of the Legislature this fall, that he does not believe it his duty to spend \$150,000 to redistrict the state. It is said that there is not much else to consider in the way of legislation.—Coltman Democrat Voice.

The people are in the notion to say the Governor is correct.

The Santa Fe is now handling an immense business, both passenger and freight. The number of freight trains is materially increased of late and the passenger trains frequently carry ten or eleven coaches. One north-bound train this week was pulled by two locomotives and carried fourteen coaches.—Post City Post.

This is further proof that the Santa Fe is able and fully warranted in giving the public a two daily train passenger service.

Carranza says that none of his soldiers have crossed the Rio Grande or fired upon Americans across the river. Villa says none of the convention forces have crossed the border, nor committed depredations on American soil. What if all this hubbub about raids and bandits were only a matter of imagination?—Fort Worth Record.

It would be just about as reasonable to imagine that way as to believe that Carranza has not been knowingly permitting soldiers in his uniform to shoot across the river at Americans.

We are informed by responsible parties of the town that all the 'suckers' of Hermleigh went to Snyder last Monday (the first.) According to this statement most everyone in town must be eligible to membership of the inner circle, as the town had the appearance of Goldsmith's Deserted Village on that day.—Hermleigh Enterprise.

Not so much suckers either—they know where to go for profit. Snyder is their county town and Hermleigh folks are just as much at home in Snyder as anywhere.

From the way our farmers are bringing in loads of maize and feterita it seems that the whole country might have enough feed to run thro the "Seven Years" of famine.—Hermleigh Herald.

It might be so if the people would store and hold it. The Egyptians wouldn't have saved their corn if Pharaoh hadn't made them do it, and then Joseph would not have met his daddy and brothers.

Miss Gardner Passes Away.  
Miss Della Gardner, aged about thirty years, daughter of Mr. B. B. Gardner in the Union neighborhood, five miles west of Snyder died Thursday morning after a lingering affliction of several years standing.  
The remains will be buried in Snyder cemetery today.

School satchels, straps, drinking cups, etc. at Grayum Drug Co. 14

The Signal and Dallas News \$1.75.

# To the Farmers of Scurry County:

The Farmers Union Gin Co. has just installed one of the most complete and up to date gins that money can buy. We have installed 5, 12 inch, 70 saw gins. The great invention of this age, THE BRUSHLESS, with screener, feeder and huller brest. Also have bole crusher and 2 cleaners. Are equipped to gin any rough bolly cotton that can be ginned. Have conveniently arranged cotton house, storage capacity 60 bales, equipped with unloading machinery to relieve you of the great task of unloading with your hands should you wish to store your cotton. More improvements will be added on yard for your accommodation as quickly as possible.

We are now ready for business and solicit your patronage. We will gin and wrap your cotton for 70 cents per hundred. We will also gin and wrap your bolly cotton for 70 cents per hundred.

**Farmers Union Gin Co.,**  
By J. P. WATTS, Manager

## MEXICAN SITUATION WORSE

Conditions along the Mexican border are growing worse. Bandits are terrorizing the country. Mexicans in military garb are shooting across the river whenever there is a chance to kill an American. It is evident that General Carranza is doing nothing to prevent harassment and suspicion is growing that political leaders are fomenting strife and doing all they can to make trouble between the two countries. A belief is growing that possibly some Americans are encouraging trouble.

The Huerta-Orozco element are resentful and guerilla warfare is evident.

It was stated in recent press reports that Carranza had been led to hope for German recognition. Since then it is learned that the Mexicans in Texas are buying guns and ammunition and have become so threatening along the border that citizens are moving their families out of the bandit zone.

## Excursion Rates Via



Austin, Texas—Account Professional Photographers' Association of Texas, September 14 to 16th. Round trip tickets on sale September 13th. Final return limit, September 18, at one and one-third fare, \$14.05.

Abilene, Texas—Account West Texas I. O. O. F. Association, September 19-21st. Tickets on sale September 19th. Final return limit September 23rd at one and one-third fare for the round trip \$3.20.

Dallas, Texas—Account Merchants Meeting. Fall series certificate plan. August and September at one and one-third fare. Open to all persons.

Amarillo, Texas—Account Panhandle State Fair, September 21-25, 1915. Tickets on sale Sept 20 to 24. Good until Sept. 26th at one and one-third fare. \$8.15.

Lubbock, Texas—Account Lubbock County Fair, Sept. 14-16. Round trip tickets on sale Sept. 26-27-28, good until Oct. 1, at one and one-third fare for the round trip, \$3.25. Sept. 17, 1915.

J. M. RODGERS, Agent.

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## FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE—Cheap, one Dexter National, wood and coal cook stove, slightly used. Value when new \$25.00 Apply to Owl Drug Store.

FOR SALE—I have 29 high grade, large Durham cows to sell, 4 to 6 years old; also 45 red Durhams coming, two to three year old heifers. All good blooded cattle. One and one-half miles from town. J. W. Russell. 141f

NOTICE—I have two 80-acre farms for sale. Will give good time on them with small cash payment down. One of them is well improved, the other has no house on it. Within three miles of town. Call at Snyder Fruit Company. 16p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A residence, close in, near Central School building. Address C. W. Aucutt, Snyder, Texas. 14.

## WANTED

WANTED—Everybody to know that I manufacture a dope that is instant death to all chicken insects. Guaranteed \$1.50 a gallon. 25 cents on each gallon donated to Orphan Home. Many satisfied customers. You will be satisfied too. E. S. Walker, Route 1, Box 2, Snyder, Texas.

## Resolution

Whereas: a great sorrow has come upon our beloved Sovereign Alexander, in the untimely death of her bright little son, Charles, and our hearts respond to hers in her grief. Therefore be it resolved that we, in behalf of the Woodman Circle, tender her and her family the assurance that we sympathize with them deeply and pray that our Heavenly Father will give the comfort and strength that they need to help them in their great loss, and that their faith may cause them to realize that Charles is now in the sun-

WANTED—Large, Clean, Cotton Rags at the Signal office. Will pay 3c per pound. 11f

MONEY TO LOAN on farm lands at 8 per cent. See J. A. Eubank 15

Bill Chapman meets all trains and will haul your baggage, day or night. Hello 209. 461f.

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## FOR RENT

I have one or two rooms, 2 blocks from the square, across street from Baptist Church, for rent. Mrs. O. F. Trueblood.

FOR RENT—Two rooms, furnished or unfurnished, on West side, for light house keeping. Phone 283 or see J. B. Gildart at Rogers Tin Shop.

FURNISHED ROOMS AND BOARD—See Mrs. P. E. Davenport at T. F. Baker place. 12

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. Apply Mrs. J. W. Templeton.

## LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A L. E. Watterman fountain pen self filler with a square cut on top of cap. Finder please return to Olin Hardy at the Signal office.

Light of God's love and when their journey on earth is ended they will be with him forever more.

Be it further resolved that copies of these resolutions be sent to Sov. Alexander, one to the Snyder Signal and another be spread upon the minutes of the Circle.

Mary A. Baird,  
Lottie Sturdivant,  
E. Earl Brown,  
Committee on Resolutions

The ladies of the Christian church will serve dinner Thursday, September 23.



"What's the Countersign to Success?"—

**Edison Mazda Signs**

# To Contestants.

On Saturday, Sept. 25th we will give 500 votes for each \$1.00 spent at the LACE COUNTER

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Roscoe, Texas

Carranza claims that he is making progress toward a dependable government in Mexico and that Villa's following is disintegrating. He rejects the proposition of the A. B. C. conference and will probably be given a chance to pacify his people.

The question of settlement for the sunken Arabic is to be submitted to the Hague Conference.

Two thousand Mexicans have left Brownsville and moved over into Mexico.

#### People are Better Off

Henry Wellborn was in Tuesday from his big plantation at Knapp. He says cotton over there is not as good as last year. He counts on a fourth of a bale, but the price is so much better it will come out to the good. Mr. Wellborn figures that the people of Scurry county are in better shape than they were this time last year by forty per cent. They were in debt last year, more than now. Then nearly every farmer owed for feed, now they don't owe any feed bills. There are twice as many hogs in the county as last year. The feed crop is practically as good as last year, and even if there is not as much outside market for feed it will bring more if fed to live stock.

#### Notice to Idle Boys and Others

On this the 14th day of September, 1915, it is ordered by the Commissioner's Court of Scurry County that the Sheriff and Court House janitor are hereby especially instructed

to report to the County Attorney for prosecution any person or persons who may in any manner damage or disfigure the Court yard, or place any litter, waste or refuse on same and the County Attorney is hereby directed to prosecute vigorously any one who may be guilty of such offense.

Likewise the sheriff and janitor shall report for prosecution any person or persons who may loaf or loiter about the court yard or within the court house in such a manner as to make themselves a nuisance or bother to any officer or other person who has business about the court house or works there in.

C. R. BUCHANAN,  
County Judge.

#### Features at the Lyric

"Governor's Lady" Monday, "Sunshine Mollie" Thursday. Paramount Productions, five reels. When you see Paramount advertised—nuf sed.

#### Scurry County Cotton

A. M. Herren said the other day that cotton deteriorated during the hot days of high winds. The plant was throwing off squares. Mr. Robinson from Ira, Mr. Seaborn from Knapp, Alex Barnett from Ira, Chas. Burk from Loyd Mountain, W. A. Johnson from his farm 10 miles north, L. N. Perriman from Dermott, W. A. Brownfield from Round Top, T. J. McEntyre from Rough Creek and many other good farmers from various parts of the county say the cotton crop lacks a good deal of being as good as it was last year. J. A. Staveley of Fluvanna said here Monday that he thought for a while it would take five acres over there to make a bale, but it is showing up better now and will beat that figure considerably.

Picking has started in good earnest this week and the gins are all getting under headway.

Cotton sold in Snyder Tuesday at 10:10 and the people are led to hope it is going higher.

T. P. Perkins, Esq., returned on Monday from a visit to his wife's people at Palo Pinto. Mrs. Perkins will spend two or three weeks there with here parents.

Drink Muscadine Punch at Smith's Confectionery. 12tf

T. Vard Woodruff, Esq. of Sweetwater is attending court in Snyder this week.

School time is here and the schools started Monday just like a well regulated machine.

School Supplies, such as tablets, pens, pencils, ink, colored crayon, etc at Smith's Confectionery.

Editor Redman of the Hermleigh Enterprise was a business visitor in Snyder Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Callis, of Route 2, were shopping in Snyder, Monday.

#### CRADLE ROLL

Born in Snyder, September 13, to Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Davis, a girl.

Born in Snyder, Sept. 16, to Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Johnson, a boy.

Born, September 4, at Ira to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Falls, a boy.

Born, September 7, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sumruld, east of Snyder, a boy.

Born, September 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Gus McCarter, west of Snyder, a girl.

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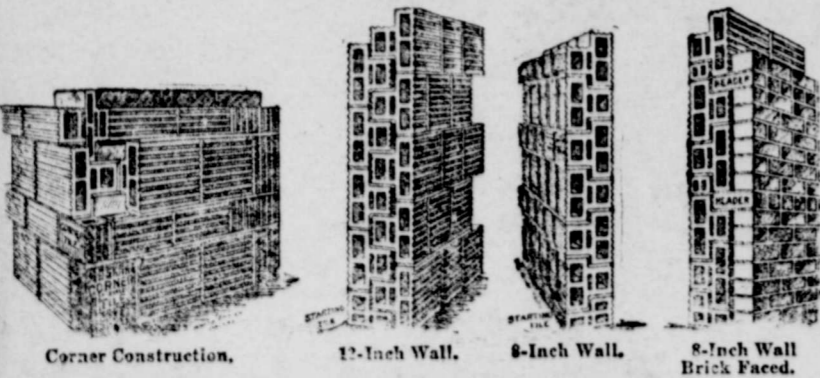
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DALLAS, TEXAS

### SHERIFF'S SALE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
County of Scurry.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Honorable County court of Scurry county, the 17th day of August, A. D., 1915, by W. T. Skinner, Clerk of said court, for the sum of Two Hundred Thirty Four and 85-100 Dollars (\$234.85), and costs of suit in the sum of \$10.85, under a judgment in favor of The Snyder National Bank, in a certain cause in said court No. 605 and styled The Snyder National Bank vs. Fred Klaus and O. N. Sholtz, placed in my hands for service, I, W. A. Merrell, as sheriff of Scurry county Texas, did on the 19th day of August, A. D., 1915, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Scurry County, Texas described as follows, to-wit: All of the South 80 acres (S. 1/2 of the N. E. 1-4) of the N. E. 1-4 of Section No. 76, block No. 20, Lavaca Navigation Company Surveys by virtue of Cert. No. 61-68; Also the Northeast Quarter (N. E. 1-4) of Sec. N. 73, block No. 20, Lavaca Navigation Company Surveys, Certificate No. 42-67, containing one hundred and sixty-two and 46-100 acres, more or less; Also the S. 1/2 and the N. E. Quarter of the North-east one fourth (S. 1/2 and the N. E. 1-4 of the N. E. 1-4) of Section No. 74, block No. 20, Lavaca Navigation Company Surveys in Scurry County, Texas, excepting five acres off the West side of the N. E. 1-4 of the N. E. 1-4 of said section, and levied upon as the property of the defendant, Fred Klaus, and that on the 1st Tuesday in Oct. 1915, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the court House door, of Scurry County, in the town of Snyder, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said execution, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Fred Klaus.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Snyder Signal, a newspaper published in Scurry county.

Witness my hand this 28th day of August, 1915.

W. A. MERRELL,  
Sheriff Scurry County, Texas.

### SHERIFF'S SALE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Scurry.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Honorable Justice Court of Precinct No. One of Scurry County, Texas, the 18th day of August, A. D., 1915, by Geo. W. Brown Justice of the Peace of said Precinct, for the sum of One Hundred Seventy-five and 83-100 Dollars (\$175.83), and costs of suit in the sum of \$3.45, under a judgment in favor of A. E. Finch, in a certain cause in said court No. 1854 and styled A. E. Finch vs. Fred Klaus and placed in my hands for service, I, W. A. Merrell, as Sheriff of Scurry County Texas, did on the 19th day of August A. D., 1915, levy on certain Real Estate situated in Scurry county, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: All of the South 80 acres (S. 1/2 of N. E. 1-4) of the N. E. 1-4 of Sec. No. 76, block No. 20, Lavaca Navigation Company Surveys by virtue of cert. No. 61-68; Also the Northeast quarter (N. E. 1-4) of Sec. No. 73, block 20 Lavaca Navigation Company Surveys, cert. No. 42-67 containing 162.46 acres, more or less; Also the S. 1/2 and the N. E. 1-4 of the N. E. 1-4 (S. 1/2 and N. E. 1-4 of the N. E. 1-4) of Sec. No. 74, block 20 Lavaca Navigation Company surveys, excepting 5 acres off the West side of the N. E. 1-4 of the N. E. 1-4 of said section, and levied upon as the property of the defendant Fred Klaus, and that on the first Tuesday in October, 1915, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Scurry county, in the town of Snyder Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said execution, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Fred Klaus.

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Sheriff Scurry County, Texas.

The Signal and Dallas News \$1.75.

### HERMLEIGH ITEMS

From the Enterprise:  
Miss Oeco Echols visited friends in Snyder this week.

Mr. Teague, living six miles north of town, sold 400 bushels of wheat and 500 bushels of oats this week to local buyers.

Storks visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Bowen, near Pyron Tuesday, September 7th, and left a fine girl.

Mr. W. B. Head, of Dunn, loaded his household goods and live stock on the Santa Fe Thursday shipping them to Riveria in South Texas, at which place he will make his home.

Ed. Channey and family are expected to arrive here this week from Erath county to locate in Scurry county.

W. H. Huckabee two miles west of Snyder says his cotton lacks a lot of being as good as he had last year and that the hot days and high winds of last week caused it to throw off lots of squares and young bolls.

Rev. J. R. Miller, pastor of the Baptist church at Rochester, in company with his wife and W. L. Malone were guests at the Grantham House Monday night enroute to Tahoka.

We repair most anything at A. P. Morris' and stand behind the job. If

L. L. Lightfoot who lives just west of town came to the Signal office Tuesday with three fine large Snyder grown apples to be placed in the Chamber of Commerce collection.

A. J. Gray, of Knox county is attending District court here this week.

### TRY IT! SUBSTITUTE FOR NASTY CALOMEL

Starts your liver without making you sick and cannot salivate.

Every druggist in town—your druggist and everybody's druggist has noticed a great falling-off in the sale of calomel. They all give the same reason. Dodson's Liver Tone is taking its place.

"Calomel is dangerous and people know it, while Dodson's Liver Tone is perfectly safe and gives better results" said a prominent local druggist. Dodson's Liver Tone is personally guaranteed by every druggist who sells it. A large bottle costs 50 cents and if it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness and constipation, you have only to ask for your money back.

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### OBITUARY

Charles Bib, Jr., eldest son of C. B. and Byrd Alexander was killed Tuesday afternoon about 3 o'clock. He was born in Snyder, July 4th, 1904, converted and joined the Methodist church under the pastorate of Rev. J. W. Hunt, in 1912. Charles was one of the most promising boys the writer has ever known. He was always on the Honor roll in Sunday School, studied his Sunday school lesson and was a real bible student. He was always a devout little Christian boy, a perfect little gentleman in manners. He loved boyish sports and was a real live boy in his work or play. It is a great blessing and joy to have been the parents of such a boy. Life for him was very promising, but the fond hopes of parents, loved ones and friends are blighted in his untimely death, he is gone. We shall see him in the home, the Sunday school and church no more. But we weep not as those who have no hope. In the bright home above we shall meet him again to part no more.

The funeral services took place at the Methodist church Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the largest company of people attending that has ever gathered at a funeral in Snyder. There were many beautiful floral designs. One of the most impressive parts of the funeral service was the tribute paid by the Junior department of the Sunday school. They sat in a body with their teachers and passing the casket in single file to review the body, each one placed a bouquet of flowers on the casket until it was covered with them. Rev. J. W. Hunt, pastor of St. Paul's church, Abilene preached the funeral sermon. It was a very beautiful message and full of comfort. The body was laid to rest in the Snyder cemetery to await the resurrection of the just. May our kind Father in heaven bless this affliction to the good of all the bereaved. May he be their portion in their loneliness and grief, is the most earnest prayer of their pastor.

J. E. STEPHENS

### A Reliable Tonic

Many of the people around here know a good deal about this splendid remedy; to those who do not we wish to say that Meritol Tonic Digestive is the greatest strength renewer, flesh builder, and nerve tonic we have ever seen. For people in poor health, weak, run down and played out, those not as strong and vigorous as they should be, we recommend this tonic. Price \$1.00. Warren Brothers, Sole Agents.

There was an old geezer and he had a lot of sense, he started up a business on a dollar eighty cents—the dollar for stock and the eighty for an ad brought him three lovely dollars in a day, by dad! Well he bought more goods, a little more space and he played that system with a smile on his face. The customers flocked to his two-by-four and soon he had to hustle for a regular store. Upon the square where the people pass, he gobbled up a corner that was all plate glass. He fixed up the window with the best that he had, then he told them all about it in a half page ad. He soon had 'em coming and he never quits, nor he would not cut down on his ad one bit. Well, he's kept things a humping in his town ever since, and everybody calls him the merchant prince.—Ex.

### SERVICE STATION

For Dodge Brothers and Ford Cars.

All parts and accessories kept in stock for these cars.  
Just one block west of the Post Office in building recently vacated by the Snyder Garage. Free Air and Filling Station in connection with Service Station.  
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Judge J. Henry Beall, of Sweetwater attended District Court here this week.

### CRUSTO.

For shortening, Cake-making, Frying, etc. in place of butter or lard. Use a third less. Townsend, Oldham & Company sell it. 13tf

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## Saved Girl's Life

"I want to tell you what wonderful benefit I have received from the use of Theford's Black-Draught," writes Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky.

"It certainly has no equal for la grippe, bad colds, liver and stomach troubles. I firmly believe Black-Draught saved my little girl's life. When she had the measles, they went in on her, but one good dose of Theford's Black-Draught made them break out, and she has had no more trouble. I shall never be without

## THEFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT

in my home." For constipation, indigestion, headache, dizziness, malaria, chills and fever, biliousness, and all similar ailments, Theford's Black-Draught has proved itself a safe, reliable, gentle and valuable remedy.

If you suffer from any of these complaints, try Black-Draught. It is a medicine of known merit. Seventy-five years of splendid success proves its value. Good for young and old. For sale everywhere. Price 25 cents. [1-45]

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One can buy 160 acres 10 to 15 miles from Post City, but near a school, at \$20 to \$22 an acre, plus the improvements mentioned above. We will sell you the land and improvements for a payment of \$2 per acre (\$320) down and \$1.75 an acre (280) per year at the unusually low rate of four per cent interest. Notes on or before. Payments cover both land and improvements.

Farms on the plains will be sold during 1915, to be occupied early in 1916, for \$200 an acre down and terms as above. Interest does not start until you go on the land. Next payment Jan. 1, 1917.

Also have just classified and put on the market the breaks, or grazing land. These lands will sell from \$6.00 to \$12.00 per acre. \$1.00 per acre cash, 50c per acre per year until payed out at 6 per cent interest. This goes in tracts of 640 acres and up.

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Low rate excursions to various other points in Texas during the summer months. For full information call or write

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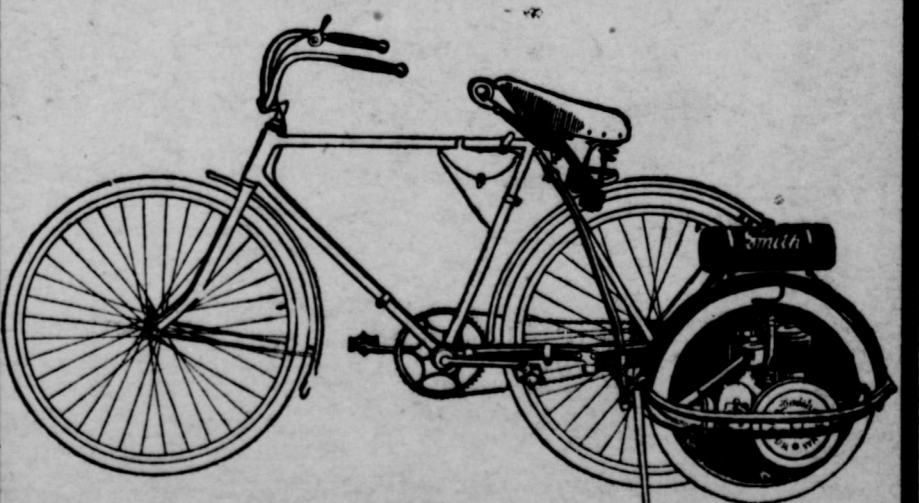
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## Studebaker Automobiles

Have established headquarters in Snyder, located at the M. A. Baird stand on the East side of the Square, where they will exhibit the different makes of 1915 models of this excellent car.

If you are in the market for an automobile don't fail to investigate the qualities of these machines. You will not be disappointed.



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100 Miles on one gallon of gasoline. J. D. BOYD, Agt.

# European War Pictures

Genuine moving pictures of the worlds greatest armies in actual operation, fighting battles. See infantry, cavalry, engineers, air ships, artillery, Red Cross and big siege guns in actual operation.

These pictures were obtained by the Snyder Chamber of Commerce and are guaranteed to be real moving pictures; this same series of pictures is now being exhibited in the larger cities of the United States and will be shown at the

## Lyric Theatre

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SNYDER, TEXAS

SATURDAY, September 18th.

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We represent three of the leading tailoring company's of Chicago and our prices are right.

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GREAT POULTRY SHOW.

Dallas. The poultry exhibit at the State Fair of Texas this fall will in every way be indicative of the importance of this thriving industry. The big building at Fair Park which houses the poultry division has been thoroughly overhauled. New coops have been installed, especially the coops large enough to take care of "flocks"—a new classification this year. A flock will consist of one male and eight females. The usual generous premiums are offered for individual birds and for pens. The Texas Barred Rock Club offers a special prize of \$25 this year for the best dark and light Barred Rock exhibited.

MADE-IN-TEXAS EXHIBIT.

Dallas. A new feature for the State Fair of Texas this year is the Made-in-Texas exhibit. Displays of Texas manufactured products covering more than 40,000 square feet of floor space will be a big boost for home industry. In several of the exhibits machinery will be in actual operation making the products on exhibition. Texas factory products are equal in quality, price, desirability and usefulness to those made outside the State. The Made-in-Texas exhibit was decided on to impress visitors with this fact.

POLO TOURNAMENT ASSURED.

Dallas: This city will be the Mecca of polo enthusiasts during the run of the 1915 State Fair of Texas. Assisted by Captain A. J. Edmonds, the "father of American polo," the State Fair management has arranged for a series of games to be played the first and second weeks. Crack teams from civil life and from the United States Army have already entered—some of the best players in America are assured. Polo will be played on the big athletic field at Fair Park.

Polo is a popular game with all lovers of outdoor sport. It requires courage, keen and active thought, and expert horsemanship. It is now a part of the curriculum in the mounted service of the United States Army.

#### SHARON

Mr. and Mrs. Woolover visited Mr. Earnest Wolover and family last Sunday.

Cotton picking is the order of the day around about here now.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. Joe Crowder is worse at this writing.

B. E. Wagon is building more barn room on his place. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thompson are the proud parents of a girl baby.

Geo. Bishop and family spent Sunday with John Bishop and family.

Mrs. Geneva Thompson and Miss Jessie Minor were shopping in Snyder last Tuesday.

Mrs. Bernice Crowder is spending a few days this week with her brother, Joe Thompson and family.

Miss Agnes Von Roeder was the guest last Sunday of Miss Maudie Wolover.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ikard attended church at Ira Sunday.

#### BLUE EYES

#### BETHEL

The sad news was received here Thursday night that Mrs. John Ramsey who lives near Crowder had died that evening at 6 o'clock.

He seemed in the best of health Sunday. He was taken ill Tuesday and gradually grew worse. Only till just before the end did his relatives know that blood poison had set up.

J. L. Ramsey was born Jan. 22, 1879. In 1900 he married Miss Effie Seaborn. With his family he moved to Scurry county in 1906. He was converted in 1908 and joined the Methodist church and till his death was a devoted member of the Crowder Methodist church.

Mr. Ramsey is survived by a wife and five children. The eldest, Miss Lola is 14. The two boys, Clarence and Jay and three little girls, Lola Jewel and Bonnie May are left fatherless.

Mr. Ramsey left behind two brothers and three sisters, all of whom are living so far from here as to be unable to attend the funeral which took place Friday evening east of Snyder. Mr. Ramsey was a member of the W. O. W., having joined less than a year ago.

#### MARK TWAIN

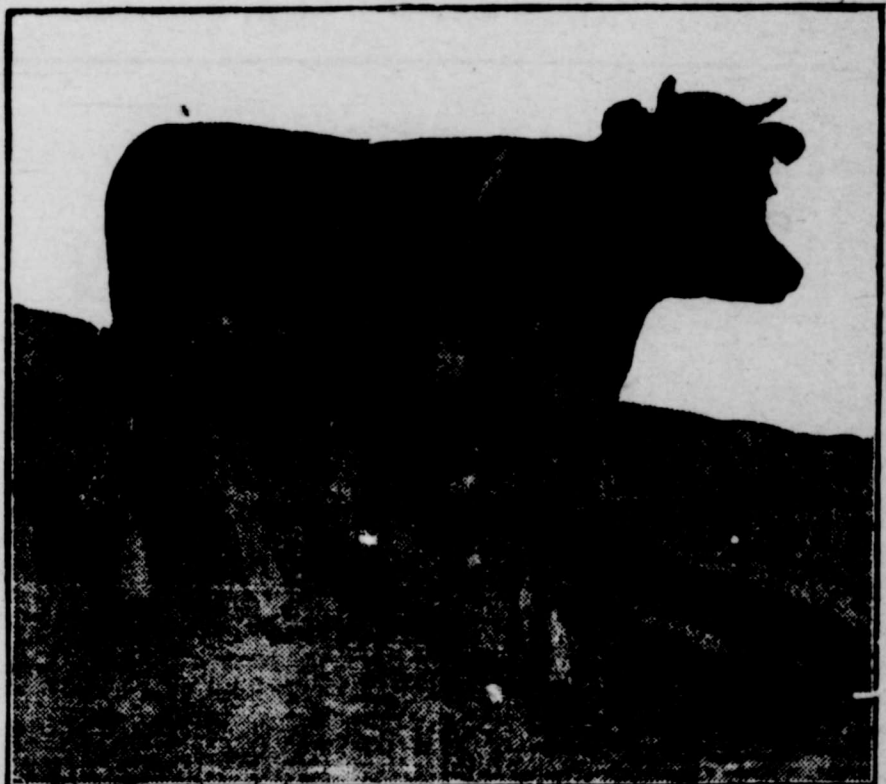


WORLD'S GREATEST AVIATOR TO FLY AT STATE FAIR.

Dallas. Art Smith, the most daring aviator of all time, has been engaged to make flights each day and on six nights during the run of the 1915 State Fair of Texas. This "comet of the air" has recently out-Beached Beachey in every phase of flying at the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

At the State Fair of Texas Smith guarantees to put on all his hair-raising thrillers. In his contract he promises, among other sensations, the from an altitude of about 2500 feet; roll-over loops, finishing within 300 feet following; Ten straight up and over loop-the-loops in absolute succession of the ground—causing the machine to roll over side-ways, wing over wing until upside-down, and finishing by diving and leveling to right-side-up; vertical drop from about 2000 feet down to landing; wing slide in which the machine is rolled sideways until the wings point up and down, machine then falling sideways, tail slide, in which the machine is rolled sideways until the wings point up and down, machine is flown straight up until it "stalls," then falling backward tall first; looping-the-loop at 1000 feet with hands off the steering wheel and arms outstretched; and flying upside down with hands off wheel and arms outstretched.

Smith's night flights are especially sensational when he loops-the-loop not less than a dozen times, his machine all ablaze with brilliant fireworks.



A STATE FAIR PRIZE WINNER.

Dallas. "The Show Window of Texas Industries"—that's the 1915 State Fair of Texas in an nutshell. The State Fair begins Saturday, October 16, and closes Sunday, October 31.

All of the important activities of the State will be represented as never before—agriculture and kindred industries; livestock and the dairy interests; manufacturing—in fact, a splendid array of exhibits mirroring the progress of Texas and the achievements of her people.

The State Fair will furnish an education so practical and so broad as to appeal to all—and particularly does this apply to the splendid exhibits now being prepared by the University of Texas, the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, the College of Industrial Arts, and other educational institutions of the state.

The girls and boys of the State are interested in judging contests and in the prizes offered for boys' and girls' club work; and in the splendid building housing the textile, culinary and fine arts departments there will be much to interest the women and girls of the State.

County exhibits filling to overflowing a mammoth building; three thousand head of registered stock; twenty-five hundred blue-blooded fowls; ten acres of machinery and implement exhibits; an automobile show of 1916 models; a fine art exhibit valued at more than \$100,000; an industrial arts exhibit that will interest the housewife; a superb showing of styles and fashions in women's wear, millinery, jewels; in fact, something to interest every man, woman and child in the state—this gives some idea of the 1915 Exposition.

Offerings in the livestock department are the richest of any in the country. This year approximately \$20,000 in premiums and specials will be awarded for exhibits of cattle, horses, sheep and swine. All of the big organizations in the country with livestock men as members are offering special premiums. Applications for stalls and pens received indicate that the display will be mammoth in proportion.

The dairy and creamery interests will be represented in three divisions—dairy cattle, dairy demonstration and dairy products departments. These three features are of special interest to dairymen and dairy cattle breeders; the awarding of the American Jersey Cattle Club's special premium for the best Jersey cow, get of sire, breeder's young herd, grand champion bull and grand champion female; the twelve days' competitive dairy test for butter fat, and educational displays and lectures dealing with the dairy and creamery business.

A staff of experts from the A. and M. College will spend their time at the Fair giving attention to helping Texas farmers with their home problems. The A. and M. exhibit for the coming Fair is being entirely reorganized.

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Here is where you get your money's worth and a good substantial awakening at the time desired. Try it just one time. Complete of higher-priced and ornamental clocks at popular prices.

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### Carnival All Next Week

The Snyder Concert Band has closed contracts with Reed's Greater Shows, the largest carnival at the present time in the State of Texas. The show that all the county fairs on the plains or in this part of the state are trying to get, consisting of twelve paid attractions. Some of the numerous attractions carried with them are the following: "Stricklands Real Wild West Show with 28 head of stock, twelve cowboys, featuring Hugh Strickland, the Gainesville boy that has won numerous first prizes in the State of Texas, including the \$1,000.00 saddle at the corn show at Dallas; first prize at Garden City this year for riding and roping.

Faulkner's 10 in 1 animal show combined. See ten shows for the one admission, strange and curious animals from all over the world, the largest snake in all the world and only Chacama Gorilla in captivity. Big Feature Vaudeville Show of

14 people, giving performance of real musical and vaudeville numbers that last over an hour.

Motor-dome. Where you see them riding and racing on an almost perpendicular track at the rate of a mile a minute, featuring Bobby Jewell, known as daredevil Jewell, the man that defies the laws of gravity, who, on his little Indian machine rides the upper part of the motor-dome, which is perpendicular at the rate of eighty and ninety miles per hour. A thrill for every moment.

Eli Ferris Wheen. One of the largest made. Three abreast Jumping Horse Carry-Us-All.

Sensational free acts and band concerts daily. Concessions and amusements galore.

Mrs. Kate Nelson after two weeks rest at home left Friday for a tour of her trade territory in the interest of Winona Mills products.

### THE VOICE OF NOW!

It is the present, the today, the NOW in which we are interested. Shakespeare wisely says:

"Tomorrow never yet  
On any living mortal rose or set."

It is the printed page which deals most intimately and with the greatest detail in the movements of the present. It is THE VOICE OF NOW proclaiming to the world the things that are happening today. The government of the United States is NOW gravely concerned in certain aspects of the war in Europe and has had thrust on it several serious international problems which are NOW in process of solution. The American farmer is NOW interested in this titanic struggle, for his interests are being affected by it today and will be tomorrow, and he wants to keep in close touch with it NOW.

EVERYBODY is interested in the cotton crop from the time of its planting to the days of its harvesting and marketing. They want to know "the NOW" in all that pertains to the great Southern staple; they want to know "the NOW" of all other agricultural markets, the latest in modern farming, the facts of the warehousing problem, and all else that pertains to the progress of the time in every theater of life.

The tens of thousands of men and women who know the Semi-Weekly Farm News, know it is "THE VOICE OF NOW," telling in direct and positive tones of what is going on at home and abroad.

"Now is the time  
Now is the hour."  
THE SEMI-WEEKLY FARM NEWS  
A. H. Belo & Co., Publishers  
Dallas, Texas  
\$1.00 a Year, 50c for Six Months  
The Signal and The Semi-Weekly News \$1.75.

Dr. J. P. Avary was here last Friday from Ira and moved his Signal date up a notch.

W. C. Crowder of Dallas, was here on business last week.

### LEARN SHORTHAND

It will pay you well. It is an assured means of good employment. It is more than that. It is an invaluable personal accomplishment—a time and labor saver throughout your life.

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is taught in reliable schools everywhere. Let us recommend one to you. Or we will advise you about self-instruction or lessons by mail. Write to  
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Jerome B. Howard, President.

### AMONG THE MERCHANTS

The Lyric Theatre is now showing in the Baze building next door to the Manhattan hotel while Col. Wilmett will convert the old Air-dome stand into a modern theatre building. After the completion of the new building, the Lyric will occupy same with an unusual line of movie attractions which Manager Merrell is so capable of selecting. Bear with the present equipment until the best can be obtained.

The Chamber of Commerce, thru Mr. E. J. Anderson, is arranging to present to the public at the Lyric Theatre, scenes of the German War next Saturday, matinee and night, the percentage funds to apply on back encumbrance.

Townsend, Oldham & Company have moved to the new building on the west side of the square. They are occupying this building before the modern furniture equipment arrives, things will be delayed in getting thoroughly arranged, however they are doing business right along.

Cress Carlisle is having the building on the east side of the square, formerly occupied by Townsend, Oldham & Co's grocery department, painted red and the interior arranged for the reception of his line of goods, which will be placed on the market today.

The Opera House Theatre, Med C. Ellis, manager, is giving the people excellent shows and the Black Box serial is attracting the usual large crowd each Friday night. The Yoe-man picture was shown Monday to a large crowd and the picture was highly complimented.

In the recent drawing for silverware at the Arcade, the prize was captured by Miss Richards of Snyder, 194 being the lucky number.

C. L. Lockhart says the subscriptions for the up-keep of the cemetery are coming in slow. This is a matter that deserves attention.

Madame Cherrie, of Kansas has accepted a position at Coates Mercantile Company as artistic designer and dress maker. She comes well recommended and desires the ladies of Snyder and vicinity to call and see her.

Signal and Dallas News, \$1.75.

### TREES! TREES!! TREES!!!

If you want home grown trees that are healthy and propagated from varieties that have been tested and do the best in the West, it will pay you to investigate all that claim to have nurseries on the Plains. Plainview Nursery will pay \$5 a day and expenses to anyone who will investigate if they do not find that we have the largest and best stock of home grown trees anywhere in Texas west of Fort Worth or in New Mexico. We are practically the only institution that has a stock of fruit trees ready for market. Agents wanted to sell on commission. For your good and ours too, we solicit your investigation.

THE PLAINVIEW NURSERY  
Plainview, Texas

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Moved to new building on East Bridge Street.

Your business is respectfully solicited.

### Money To Loan

in any quantity on desirable farm and ranch security. Rates as low as eight per cent and for periods from three to ten years.

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SNYDER, TEXAS

Mr. R. B. Baird, one of the substantial and prosperous citizens of the Hobbs community was here Monday with his son Garrett Baird, who came in to re-enter the Snyder schools. Misses Mary and Vera Heath, Miss Ball and Miss Klapproth have rounded out their vacation and are back at their respective posts in school work. The Signal and Dallas News \$1.75.

**30th EXPOSITION**  
**STATE FAIR OF TEXAS**  
**DALLAS**  
**Oct. 16 to 31**

**Attractions & Exhibits**  
**UNPRECEDENTED**

- A splendid array of exhibits mirroring the progress of Texas and the achievements of her people.
- Four bands and a brilliant galaxy of vocal and instrumental soloists.
- Art Smith, wonderful aviator, in day and night flights--the latter to the accompaniment of fireworks.
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**POPULAR RAILROAD RATES**

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We are buying grain of all kinds all over the county. Write or phone us at any time and we will come.

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### Scurry County Singers

It has been announced in some places that there would be a called session of the county convention to begin on Saturday morning at ten o'clock, before the fourth Sunday in

October, but owing to later developments we deem it best not to begin till 8 o'clock in the evening of the same day. Bethel is the place of meeting.

A. T. FINCH  
President, County Convention.

### They are Coming This Way

Persons who have been traveling about the country say there are more people coming on trains and in covered wagons this fall than have been coming in many years. One evening last week as this writer came in over the Texas & Pacific there were passed three camps of movers between Abilene and Sweetwater and it is said that this is about the average sight on all public roads in the west every day. The Big Springs Herald says there are not farms enough in Howard county to supply the demands.

One real estate man in Snyder said last week that if he had fifty farms to rent he could have rented them out in a week.

This demand for homes ought to start a campaign of house building and sod breaking. This demand ought to be met promptly. It has been said that the reason more farms are not being opened is that men who own land are afraid to have it broken because of the probable recurrence of dry years. Even then a tenant will make more money for the land owner than he now get from his untilled lands.

There are thousands of people in these sections of Texas where land prices are high, now looking to West Texas for homes and if we are ever to see the Western country fully settled up we should now make it attractive and attainable.

We will graduate your old violin and put a \$100 tone in it for a small price. Musical instruments in general repaired. A. P. MORRIS.

### Back Again

The editor and wife are back home from a visit of seven weeks at the old home at Ennis, Texas and ready for the fall rush of business. The force held the Signal up to its good standard and a number of people have been frank enough to say they didn't miss us. Nothing is more certain than that if a man drops from the stage of activity the world will move along just the same.

But we are glad to get back and in the harness again to keep record of the advance of prosperity in Scurry county and extend the hand of welcome to the many people who are coming here to get homes.

### NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS

The Stockholders of the First State Bank & Trust Company, of Snyder, Texas, are hereby notified that the annual stockholders meeting will be held in the building of said Bank and Trust company on Tuesday, October 5th, 1915, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the coming year and such other business that may properly come before said meeting.

Respectfully,  
C. L. EZELL, Cashier.

A gang of Mexican bandits attacked an American patrol of seven men above Brownsville Monday, killing one and wounding two others.

We are paying 10 cents per dozen for fresh country eggs. Snyder Produce Co.

### GASOLINE GALLON IS FOUND LACKING

Austin American: Gasoline service stations kept in front of Autin garages are likely to give incorrect measure if not given careful attention, according to C. H. Cross, inspector of weights and measures in his monthly report to the City Commissioners yesterday morning. The official pointed out that the plunger becomes worn after short use and does not force out full gallons up from the tank. He said he was forced to call the attention of many gasoline service station owners to the incorrectness of the measure. He suggested that the measure be taken with an ordinary gallon measure every few days.

Mr. Cross' report also stated that he had during the month tested and approved 102 scales, tested and condemned fourteen and tested and adjusted nine, tested and approved 110 weights and tested and approved 94 measures.

I have the Burton-Lingo Lumber Co. accounts in my hands for collection. Those owing said company will please see me. ALLEN WARREN.

C. O. Laney, a Dallas lawyer and Dr. A. M. Spurgeon, also of Dallas were here Monday attending court. Mr. Laney is one of Dallas county's representatives in the Legislature.

If you want a good smoke buy your cigars at Smith's Confectionery.

### John Ramsey Dead

Mr. John Ramsey, a good citizen of Scurry county, seven or eight miles west of Snyder died last week after an illness of only a few days.

It is learned that on Saturday or Sunday, a pimple or bump developed on his face and a case of blood poison set up and he died Wednesday. He was buried in the Snyder cemetery Friday afternoon.

The members of the Woodman lodge of which he was a member were called together and attended the funeral in a body.

Mr. Ramsey was a good man and his sudden taking off brings sorrow to a large circle of friends.

We will crush maize at our Wood and Coal yard at any time you may bring it in. Floyd and Warren. 15

### Plainview School Matters

A Signal man stepped in the County Clerk's office a few days ago and found Judge Buchanan and County Clerk Skinner signing up an issue of \$800 of school district bonds for the Plainview District five miles east of Snyder. The bonds were voted to improve the school building and the people there will soon have a new modern two room school house with a hall between.

Miss Lizzie L. Watkins has been again employed by the school and Mrs. W. T. Germany will have charge of the primary department.

Just received a car of the noted McAlester Coal. Phone 154. Jim Dawson. 12tf

### Home Made Sorghum

T. F. Ramage, of Ennis Creek was here Monday selling home made sorghum molasses. This western country grows sorghum to perfection and there is no better nor more wholesome and enjoyable soppin' than properly boiled sorghum molasses. Almost anybody could raise his own molasses and save a big item in the cost of living.

Nature's Mineral Ore for Impure blood. See adv. in this paper. Call at Signal office. 5tf.

### Marriage License Record

Clint C. Merton and Miss Nora Turner.  
John Brewer and Miss Marie White.  
A. E. Miller and Miss Audrie Woolover.  
Hubert Perry and Miss Nina Hudson.  
Charlie Statham and Miss Gladys Hester.

EGGS WANTED—Bring your eggs to the Snyder Produce Co. for the highest market price. 13.

### Founder of Baseball Dead

A. G. Spalding, the father of baseball died last Sunday at his home in San Diego, California. He developed the game with its perfection of system and rules and lived to see it take rank as the most popular line of sport of all American games. All classes and conditions of people are its devotees and there is hardly a city, town or village in the world that has not had at some time a baseball team. With many people it has come to be a business and when the season is on it has almost a monopoly of popular attention.

Spalding, probably didn't dream at first of the magnitude to which the game would attain and that it would grow from a sport of doubtful propriety to be a favorite institution to everybody.

## Awarded First Prize

The ALLADIN LAMP wins first award at the Panama Exposition. The fall and winter season is fast approaching. A good light is very essential. We want you to try the Alladin. Here is a special offer to you for just a few days. This is merely to advertise the Alladin. We will allow you \$1.50 to \$2.00 for your Rayo amount will be applied on the Alladin. Now you will have to hurry. Call at Warren Printing Company, Snyder, Texas. This offer is limited. 1tp

### CHICHESTER SPILLS

DIAMOND BRAND  
Beware of Counterfeits. Refuse all Substitutes.  
LADIES!  
Ask your Druggist for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS in Blue and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. TAKE 10 TABLETS. Buy of your Druggist and ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS for twenty years it has been recommended by Dr. J. C. Keeney. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

# If there is anything in the Furniture Line

you desire, bear in mind that we have it. It is time to begin plans for winter and our stock of heating equipment is complete in every respect

WE HAVE

Stoves, Stove-Pipe, Fittings, Drums, Attachments, Etc., FOR ALL YOUR NEEDS

Come in before the rush and lets talk it over.

# Everything From Kitchen to Parlor



Coal costs money. You know it. The winter's coal costs BIG money. You know that also. Yet, half of it is wasted by poor management. Oh, yes it is! Listen and be convinced.

Ordinary soft coal is half gas. An average ton of \$3.00 coal contains about 14,000 cubic feet of gas—common illuminating gas. A gas which will, if properly mixed with air, burn with an intensely hot blue flame. This gas represents the best half of your ton of coal.

This unburned gas and a large portion of the heat IS CARRIED UP THE CHIMNEY by the air leaking cracks in stoves of ORDINARY construction.

There is only one way to save this wasted gas and heat and that is with a



## Cole's Original Hot Blast Heater

which is so constructed that it has no air leaking cracks. In this wonderful heater and fuel-saver the gas is kept under perfect control until oxidized and burned.

It is the only stove that is made tight—holds tight—stays tight.  
It is the only stove that saves the wasted chimney heat.  
It's the only stove that gives you a constant, steady heat with soft coal, hard coal or lignite.  
It will give you all the heat that is in your coal.  
It will hold your fire 36 hours without attention.  
It will burn all kinds of fuel.

It is guaranteed to consume one-third less fuel than any lower draft stove of the same size, using soft coal, lignite or slack.

AND—It is sold you under a guarantee to fill all these claims. Back of this guarantee is the credit and capital of an immense factory and it is worth to you 100 cents on the dollar.

COME IN AND SEE IT. IT MEANS DOLLARS IN YOUR POCKET AND A PLEASED CUSTOMER FOR US.

# Blackard Bros.

Furniture and Hardware



See the name "Cole's" on the feed door of each stove. None genuine without it

Every  
Convenience  
At  
The  
OWL

In business for your  
health; come to us for  
the Best.  
  
Two experienced  
druggists in charge here  
at all times.  
  
Come to us for your  
Drug needs. We ap-  
preciate your business.

**OWL DRUG STORE**

"At the center of the block - Northside"

Just received a car of the noted  
McAlester Coal. Phone 154. Jim Daw-  
son. 12tf

Judge C. C. Higgins and family re-  
turned a few days ago from a visit  
to Lampassas.

Am unloading a car of the cele-  
brated Domino Coal. Phone 154. Jim  
Dawson. 12tf

Mrs. T. J. Faught and Miss Hattie  
have returned to Fort Worth.

Plenty of Coal and Wood now on  
hand. Phone 154. Jim Dawson. 12tf

W. R. Craft, of Fluvanna, passed  
through Snyder Tuesday enroute to  
Fort Worth. He stated that he had  
disposed of his mercantile interests  
to S. P. Smith and is for the present  
waiting for something to turn up.

We now handle the nicest line of  
Stationery in the City, also the latest  
Magazines. 10tf  
**SMITH'S CONFECTIONERY**

L. O. Kimbrough was here Tues-  
day from Ennis Creek. He says his  
cotton is late and good. The plant  
is good size and well loaded with  
bolls and still making. He made a  
good feed crop.

Am unloading a car of the cele-  
brated Domino Coal. Phone 154. Jim  
Dawson. 12tf

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ditto of the  
Plainview neighborhood were here  
Tuesday. Mr. Ditto says his cotton  
crop is just about as good as he had  
last year.

The Ladies of the Christian church  
will serve dinner at the building  
formerly occupied by Townsend,  
Oldham & Co., east side square, next  
Thursday, September 23. A first  
class meal for 35 cents.

Ladies—Remember you can get  
Marvello Face Cream and Powder at  
Coates Mercantile Company. Also at  
Mathews' store. 1tp  
**MRS. A. E. TINKER, Agt.**

We are not advertising any  
big sale but are just giving you  
same everyday bargains.

- 12 cans two lb. Tomatoes 90c
- 12 cans good Corn 95c
- 4 lb. bucket good Coffee 90c
- 12 cans good Kraut 1.10
- 1 ball Gial binding twine 60c
- 100 lbs. Sugar 6.60

These are only a few of our many good bar-  
gains. We are giving you good goods at live  
and let live prices. Dependable goods and fair  
dealing is our motto. Give us a trial.

**Farmer's Union Merc. Co.**

Mr. Reneau, who lives in the north  
east part of town reports that during  
the thunder storm Monday night the  
lightning struck the cut off wire of  
his windmill and tore it loose.

**SOCIETY PRINTING, MONOGRAM**  
stationery, wedding invitations, club  
year books and other classes of print-  
ing that requires typographical abili-  
ty. The Signal.

Messrs. Hood and Bird shipped  
three cars of fat cattle through here  
from Fluvanna Tuesday to the Ft.  
Worth markets. They were grass-  
fed.

The W. H. M. Auxiliary will serve  
a dinner September 20. Place to be  
named later. 12

E. J. Ely and John Adams were  
here Wednesday from Hermleigh.

We have a nice ice cream parlor  
and give good service. Smith's Con-  
fectionery.

Pat Johnston has traded his home  
in West Snyder to Tom Nunn for a  
farm two and a half miles south of  
town.

S. J. Littlepage of the Little  
Egypt district is doing jury service  
here this week.

**CRUSTO.**  
For shortening, Cake-making,  
Frying, etc. in place of butter or lard.  
Use a third less. Townsend, Oldham  
& Company sell it. 13tf

Born, September 14, to Mr. and  
Mrs. E. S. Walker, two miles west of  
Snyder, a boy.

**School Children's Matinee**  
Opera House, Saturday. Every stu-  
dent will be admitted to "MIGNON"  
Matinee for 5 cents.

J. A. Stringer and wife, relatives  
of Mr. C. S. Busby have recently moved  
here from Erath county and are  
living on a farm seven or eight miles  
west of Snyder.

**School Children's Matinee**  
Opera House, Saturday. Every stu-  
dent will be admitted to "MIGNON"  
Matinee for 5 cents.

A. L. Bassinger, of Route 3, comes  
back this week into the ranks of the  
Signal constituency.

**School Supplies**

We have a complete stock of Blue Jay tablets  
composition books, etc.

See our Penny Pencils.

**THOMPSON DRUG CO.**

Phone 33 A Better Drug Store North Side

**Testing Insurance Claim**  
A suit is on the District Court  
docket in which Mrs. Mary W. Jor-  
dan is suing the Sovereign Camp,  
Woodmen of the World for \$1,000,  
the value of a life insurance policy  
carried in her favor by her late hus-  
band J. B. Jordan, who was killed  
near Dunn last February.

Mrs. Jordan is represented by  
Smith, & Spiller and T. Vard Wood-  
ruff. There is no attorney of record  
for the defendant.

The case was presented Tuesday  
morning and the Court granted judg-  
ment for plaintiff with writ of in-  
quiry.

Dinner and Supper served by the  
Methodist ladies, Monday, September  
20th at Townsend-Oldham's old  
stand on the East side square.

**Little Boy's Leg Broken**  
The little son of Mr. and Mrs. W.  
M. Curry fell from a scaffold at  
home Monday and his right leg was  
broken.

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Methodist ladies, Monday, September  
20th at Townsend-Oldham's old  
stand on the East side square.

Rev. J. W. McGaha returned Wed-  
nesday from a ten day tour of New  
Mexico.

**WANTED—You to bring us  
your subscription to the Dal-  
las Semi-Weekly Farm News  
\$1.00 per year.  
OWL DRUG STORE**

**MEXICAN TROUBLE AT  
SAN MARCOS, TEXAS**

Roland Bell, of the Signal, is in  
receipt of a letter from his sis-  
ter, Miss Vela Bell, who is teaching  
in San Marcos, in which she says  
there is much excitement there over  
the Mexican activities.

A letter had been found there  
which said there would be an up-  
rising of Mexicans on the 16th. Some  
of the buildings were to be blown up  
and it is said that a quantity of dy-  
namite is being kept on a Mexican  
farm.

People in the country may move  
into town for protection.

The people of Kyle had planned  
for a big celebration on the 16th, but  
have called it off. Miss Vela says San  
Marcos is full of excited people every  
day. They are expecting the State  
militia to protect them.

Mrs. Forest Jones and little son,  
Virgil, of Tatum, New Mexico are  
here to visit the home folks.

**Cut, Etched and Engraved Glass - - H. G. TOWLE**

**"The New Styles"**  
in Ladies' Ready to Wear are here,  
awaiting your inspection.

Our store has been filled each day with eager buyers that  
have expressed themselves as highly pleased to know that  
they can get the same styles of high grade goods that are  
being shown in the exclusive style shops of the larger cities.

Our garments are all distinctively different which places  
them in a class by themselves marked by originality, fash-  
ion's own creation that takes them from the commonplace  
kind.

Our millinery department is in a class by itself and offers  
dame fashion's latest creations, in charge of artists that will  
give you thier best attention.

A visit to our shop will convince you  
that we have A NEW and BETTER  
GRADE GOODS.

**Matthews**  
THE QUALITY SHOP

Uncle Dick Shotwell says he stands  
ready to be one of the necessary  
number of men to give \$5.00 to put  
a good town clock on the Court  
House.

Take dinner Monday with the Meth-  
odist ladies in the building recent-  
ly vacated by Townsend-Oldham on  
the East side.

**Will Move To It**  
W. B. Vaughan has returned from  
a prospecting trip in New Mexico.  
He says it is a fine country and he  
is going to locate about 14 miles  
from Portales. He says he saw corn  
there that had one plowing and will  
make 40 bushels to the acre. He is  
stuck on the country.

Take dinner Monday with the Meth-  
odist ladies in the building recent-  
ly vacated by Townsend-Oldham on  
the East side.

J. W. Templeton returned Thurs-  
day from Mt. Pleasant.

Take dinner Monday with the Meth-  
odist ladies in the building recent-  
ly vacated by Townsend-Oldham on  
the East side.

**Case of Blood Poison**  
Sam Atnip, one of the Signal's  
good friends on Route 3 was in town  
Wednesday nursing a sore right  
hand from a case of blood poison re-  
sulting from cutting his hand on a  
window pane.

**Features at the Lyric**  
"Governor's Lady" Monday,  
"Sunshine Mollie" Thursday. Para-  
mount Productions, five reels. When  
you see Paramount advertised—nuf  
sed. 14

Deputy Sheriff T. H. Bills was  
here from Hermleigh a few days ago.

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odist ladies in the building recent-  
ly vacated by Townsend-Oldham on  
the East side.

A report came here Wednesday  
morning that a store at Wastella  
had been burglarized Tuesday night  
and it was believed that the depot  
at Hermleigh had been entered and  
pillaged on the same night. Sheriff  
Merrell went to Hermleigh Wednes-  
day and brought in two boys about  
17 years old as suspects. The matter  
is being investigated.

Spalding Athletic goods are guar-  
anteed by Grayum Drug Co. 14

R. A. Irving has recently been ap-  
pointed traveling freight agent for  
the Cotton Belt with headquarters  
at Ft. Worth. Mrs. Irving is visiting  
in Snyder, the guest of her parents  
Dr. and Mrs. A. O. Scarborough.

Mrs. Guy Paxton has gone to Min-  
eral Wells for a few weeks visit.

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Methodist ladies, Monday, September  
20th at Townsend-Oldham's old  
stand on the East side square.

G. R. Ball of Fluvanna is attend-  
ing court here this week.

Dinner and Supper served by the  
Methodist ladies, Monday, September  
20th at Townsend-Oldham's old  
stand on the East side square.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Grimes came  
in from California last Sunday and  
will be here for two months or more.  
We are all glad to have them back  
home.

A man will trade where he can  
find what he wants. We have the  
stock to supply your needs. Gray-  
um Drug Co., The Rexall Store 14

Miss Douglas Fox, of Duck Hill,  
Mississippi, is the accomplished  
guest of Miss Charlotte Sturdivant.

We have the largest and most com-  
plete stock of  
**SCHOOL**  
Books and Supplies  
EVER OFFERED IN SNYDER

**Grayum**  
Drug Co.

*The Rexall Store*

## What You Want How You Want It When You Want It

For anything in the line of printing come to us and we'll guarantee you satisfactory work at prices that are right

M. E. Rosser H. M. Boyd

### ROSSER & BOYD Lawyers

Office in State Bank Building  
Snyder, Texas.



As the OWL is the emblem of wisdom, the BANK BOOK is the badge of success. If you're wise join the order today and successfully solve your tomorrow.

### Snyder National Bank SNYDER, TEXAS

**The Sanitary BARBER SHOP**  
Lockhart & King, Props.  
HOT AND COLD BATHS  
IN CONNECTION  
Agents for Acme Steam Laundry, Ft. Worth  
North Side Square Next door to Rogers & Casteven's

**Manhattan Barber Shop**  
We have opened the Manhattan Barber Shop on South Side of Square and will appreciate your patronage. Everything new and up to date.  
HOT AND COLD SHOWER BATHS.  
**Ketner & Williams**  
Ladies and childrens work a Specialty.



### The place to get

needles and repair parts for any make of machine, or a fine machine at a reasonable price.

I sell the Standard and White, two of the finest machines made.

**J. J. BOYD**  
South of Post Office

### TRY IT! SUBSTITUTE FOR NASTY CALOMEL

Starts your liver without making you sick and cannot salivate.

Every druggist in town—your druggist and everybody's druggist has noticed a great falling-off in the sale of calomel. They all give the same reason. Dodson's Liver Tone is taking its place.

"Calomel is dangerous and people know it, while Dodson's Liver Tone is perfectly safe and gives better results" said a prominent local druggist. Dodson's Liver Tone is personally guaranteed by every druggist who sells it. A large bottle costs 50 cents and if it fails to give easy relief in every case of liver sluggishness and constipation, you have only to ask for your money back.

Dodson's Liver Tone is a pleasant tasting, purely vegetable remedy, harmless to both children and adults. Take a spoonful at night and wake up feeling fine; no biliousness, sick headache, acid, stomach or constipated bowels. It doesn't gripe or cause inconvenience all the next day like violent calomel. Take a dose of calomel today and tomorrow you will feel weak, sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work! Take Dodson's Liver Tone instead and feel fine, full of vigor and ambition.

A. M. Curry of Miles, was here last week, looking after his farm and attended church and Sunday school in Snyder, Sunday.

Born, at Pyron, September 7, to Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Bowen, a girl.

### Scurry County Association

This association has closed the greatest session in its history. It was the greatest in attendance. It was held with the Ira church and the weather was fine, the crops were late and the association being in fine shape the people came out. It was the greatest in spirit. From the first service at 11 o'clock Thursday when Brother R. A. Scranton preached a great discourse on the commission the spirit was fine. Brothers I. D. Hull and A. D. Leach preached mountain top messages but the climax was reached when Bro. Y. F. Walker preached from the fifteenth Psalm. We had some real old fashioned shouting.

The discussions were of a very high order. There was no negative vote nor was there any propped up conditions to prevent one. It was unanimous because the Spirit was there. The work was laid out on a different basis for next year. The order of business called for seventeen committees and then some parts of the work is left out. Next year we will have four reports with four general departments: They are: 1. Association Work. This to include everything pertaining to the association or the churches in the local work. 2. Missions, including all missions outside associational missions. 3. Education, including all forms and parts of education. Religious literature will come under this head as it is a means of education. 4. Benevolence, including orphan's home, sanitarium, old ministers' relief. Other subheads will be added as the chairman of the committees see fit to put them on. This will make the work more flexible and more easily adapted to the growth of this work while at the same time it will be a saving in space in the minutes as well as to simplify the records. It will also simplify the working of the association while in session.

Two fine cash offerings were taken. One for old Ministers' relief and one for the orphans' home. The Ira church and its pastor, R. A. Scranton did the big thing all round in the matter of entertainment.

M. T. TUCKER

The interior of the theatre building next door to the Manhattar hotel has been remodeled and finished in green, thus making a more desirable appearance for the Lyric theatre which showed there to a large audience for the first time, while the old stand will be converted into a regular theatre house for the winter season.

Emmett Banks says he is in the race for treasurer of Scurry county.

Alex Barnett was here Monday looking for cotton pickers.

Judge E. J. Hamner was here on Monday from Sweetwater.

Prof. and Mrs. O. L. Howell will teach this year at Pleasant Hill.

Ed. Raines was here last week from Middlethian, Ellis county, enroute to Crosby county where he will reside. He said lots of Ellis county folks are looking toward West Texas.

### MAY PROVE FATAL

When Will Snyder People Learn the Importance of It

Backache is only a simple thing at first;

But if you find 'tis from the kidneys;

That serious kidney troubles may follow;

That Dropsy or Brights disease may be the fatal end,

You will be glad to know the following experience.

'Tis the honest statement of a resident from this locality.

G. W. Filler, horseshoer, Colorado, Texas says: "I suffered intensely from pains in my back and sides, caused by weak kidneys. I had other ailments common to kidney sufferers. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills highly recommended, I used two boxes and they cured me."

Price 50 cents at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that cured Mr. Filler. Foster-Millburn Company, props., Buffalo, N. Y.

### THE VOICE OF NOW!

It is the present, the today, the NOW in which we are interested. Shakespeare wisely says:

"Tomorrow never yet  
On any living mortal rose or set."

It is the printed page which deals most intimately and with the greatest detail in the movements of the present. It is THE VOICE OF NOW

proclaiming to the world the things that are happening today. The government of the United States is NOW

gravely concerned in certain aspects of the war in Europe and has had

thrust on it several serious international problems which are NOW in

process of solution. The American farmer is NOW interested in this

titanic struggle, for his interests are being affected by it today and will

be tomorrow, and he wants to keep it close touch with it NOW.

EVERYBODY is interested in the

cotton crop from the time of its planting to the days of its harvesting

and marketing. They want to know "the NOW" in all that pertains to the

great Southern staple; they want to know "the NOW" of all other agricultural

markets, the latest in modern farming, the facts of the warehousing

problem, and all else that pertains to the progress of the time

in every theater of life.

The tens of thousands of men and women who know the Semi-Weekly

Farm News know it is "THE VOICE OF NOW," telling in direct and positive

tones of what is going on at home and abroad.

"Now is the time  
Now is the hour."

THE SEMI-WEEKLY FARM NEWS  
A. H. Belo & Co., Publishers  
Dallas, Texas

\$1.00 a Year, 50c for Six Months  
The Signal and The Semi-Weekly  
News \$1.75.

Rev. Cook, of Snyder will preach at the Methodist church next Sunday morning and Rev. J. T. Griswold will preach at night.

Mrs. F. L. Hutcheson has returned from Weatherford.

Mr. M. Stacey was here Wednesday from Hermleigh.

Miss Christine Morrow is back this year in the Snyder High School.

Richard McFarland and J. D. Roberts were here Monday from Dunn.

My studio on the West Side is now open for the fall term. Special terms to beginners.

MISS HARRINGTON, Piano,  
121t Phone 202

## For Sale or Trade

271 acres in Comanche county two miles South of Gustine, well improved land 65 acres in cultivation, orchard, etc., will trade for Scurry county land. Also two 160 acre improved farms in Eastland county, ten miles south of Cisco for Scurry county land For further particulars see

W. L. BUTLER, Camp Springs

## I Have Opened For Business

In the Westbrook building on Bridge Street with a full line of

### Moline Implements

Sweet William and Dutchess Planters, and Tango Cultivators

COME TO SEE ME

### Joe Strayhorn

SNYDER, TEXAS

## World Film Corporation

PRESENTS

# BEATRIZ MICHELENA

Celebrated Prima-Dona

IN

## M-I-G-N-O-N

In 5-Acts

Adopted from Goethe's Masterpiece, "Wilhelm Meister"

Opera House Saturday, Sept. 18

MATINEE --- NIGHT

5c ----- 10c

Beatriz Michelena Playld "Salomy Jane" In Salomy Jane.

## LOOK OUT FOR THE CARS

DO YOU know of anyone who is old enough to read, who has not seen that sign at a railroad crossing?

If everyone has seen it at some time or other, then why doesn't the railroad let the sign rot away? Why does the railroad company continue to keep those signs at every crossing?

Maybe you think, Mr. Merchant, "Most everybody knows my store, I don't have to advertise."

Your store and your goods need more advertising than the railroads need to warn people to "Look Out for the Cars."

Nothing is ever completed in the advertising world.

The Department Stores are a very good example—they are continually advertising—and they are continually doing a good business.

Maybe you run a few ads round out Christmas time, it certainly will pay you to run advertisements about all the time.

It's just business, that's all, to

ADVERTISE in THIS PAPER

## KNOW THY STATE

SILO BUILDING.  
By Peter Radford.



The silo is a development agency and one in which both the commercial and agricultural interests of Texas can successfully co-operate in promoting.

If we are to place our cereal and forage crops on a stable and profitable basis, we must use all helpful devices and processes that multiply the value of the product after production and that enables us to turn waste products into profit. The economies easily possible in these two lines of endeavor are sufficient to make the Texas farmers home owners and wealth accumulators.

Feeding corn direct to stock by the old method, it is authoritatively estimated, adds approximately 30 per cent. to its value, and the farmers using silos will find that when corn is cut at the right time and is fed as ensilage, the efficiency of the feed is increased 40 per cent., making a net gain of 70 per cent. over the market value by feeding to livestock through the silo.

The silo is a manufacturing plant built on the farm, and therefore lends itself to co-operation of the commercial and agricultural interests, and the farmer, by operating it, gets the profit of both the producer and the manufacturer. The farmer does not want bonuses, fee sites, etc., but the commercial interests can materially assist him by making it easy to build silos.

This can be done by making available money for building them on easy terms and at a low rate of interest. It is opportunity, rather than favors, the farmer needs, but when a community has money to invest in promoting agriculture, it can put it to no better advantage than by applying it in encouraging the construction of silos. When so expended, every dollar hits the mark and the merchant and banker spend their money where it does the most good, and they are helping those who help them.

A farmer can build a fair sized silo for two or three hundred dollars, and it will, under ordinary conditions, pay a dividend of 40 per cent. where it is run to its capacity. No better investment can be made than in the construction of a silo.

The silo will help on to maturity crops that are frequently caught by a drought or burned by hot winds, and there is scarcely a year in Texas in diversified farming that the silo will not rescue a crop from the delinquent forces of nature. As a stimulation in diversification alone, it is a valuable agency.

My own observation is that the silo is one of the greatest business educators in agriculture, and, like all great and far-reaching improvements, stamps its characteristics indelibly upon its human associates. It arouses the spirit of enterprise, develops commercial ingenuity, awakens the joy of ownership and will take away the nomadic habits of the tenant farmer and plant within him a desire to own a home. Every farmer in Texas should build a silo.

Seven More Days  
to Wait

# Can't You Wait

???

Keep your Eye on this Space

# Getting Ready For Fall

Although our new fixtures have not arrived, the close of this week will find us comfortably settled in our new spacious quarters on the West Side of the Square, where we ask that each and every one of the people of Snyder and Scurry County visit us and examine our Mammoth Stock--a stock that is expressed in one word "COMPLETE" Whisperings of Autumn are in the air. The change of tints and styles have already begun. Each day adds to the Townsend-Oldham store's new Fall Display; now preparing for its greatest season's business.

The remarkable growth that has made the career of this store so notable, has sprung from the absolute confidence of the people. We shall maintain that confidence as we attained it--by giving them the most Dependable Merchandise at the lowest price that conservative business will permit.

In keeping with the enlargement and beautifying of this establishment -- our lines of strictly Dependable Merchandise have been extend to every department and includes a better grade of merchandise and values than ever before. We are proud of our new quarters, and having joined high quality to low prices, we want you who have helped us to build up a successful business, to continue having a home like interest in our store--by making our Store your Store.

## Tailored Suits, Coats and Skirts

The Word ' ' Becomingness ' ' Strikes the Keynote of the Models in These Pretty Suits.

So wide is the latitude of style. The tailored, demi-tailored and military effects are here, and shown in a variety of materials such as Gabardines, Poplins, French Serges and Wool Serges as well as pretty novelty mixtures -- autumn's newest shades of Blues, Browns, Green and Black. Coats - some strictly tailored - others show light trimming touches of braid; also fur trimmed collars and cuffs are proving popular; belted models; also box and flare effects in coats are styles that prove becoming.

Many military effects are among the complete assortments in our stock. Chiefly of the tailored type, boot top length Skirts are all the go. Priced from \$12.50 to \$50.00

## New Fall Goods on Display

The new millinery - Velvet Hats with a touch of Bright - Art rings true in our exquisite collection of new Fall Hats. They are gloriously beautiful, yet dignified, typifying refinement. Exclusiveness is the keynote. Plenty of them, yet each one different - just the one that is best suited for you.

The new Boots in button and lace - the new Suits, with their graceful outlines and trims of silk braids and furs.

The new Silk Dresses, with their lustrous colorings and exquisite styles.

The new Silks and Woolens in pretty patterns and new colors.

In fact every department is told in one word "COMPLETE."

We offer you golden opportunities in your fall shopping by giving you the "New Things while there're New" and at prices that are neither unreasonable nor burdensome.

## Classy Shoes for Fall

Shoes as well as suits, dresses and hats show a marked tendency toward the fancy models, and our policy of presenting "The New Things while they're New" is no better nor more forcibly demonstrated than in our Shoe department.

The styles for Fall are very attractive and the patterns in both lace and button are made over perfect lines. The front lace is going to be very popular with the button a close second. The principal leathers are to be patent, dull kid, tan and bronze. Next in favor is the Cuban heel. The tops are leather and cloth, with cloth leading in favor.



Shopping with us by mail is guaranteed equally as satisfactory as shopping here in person. Your money cheerfully refunded if you are not fully satisfied.

Send us a mail order to-day, to-morrow or any other day. Our immense stock is at your disposal.

Every order filled the day it is received. Your every want attended to by experienced salespeople, whose one aim is to please you.

You will no doubt be glad to learn that you will be able to come to town and do all your shopping at one place. No matter what your needs Our "COMPLETE" stock consists of Dress Goods, Notions, Millinery, Ladies' Wearing Apparel, Coat Suits, Coats and Skirts, Shoes for Women, Girls, Men and Boys, Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing, Blankets, Quilts and Comforts, Groceries, Hardware, Queensware, Stoves, Wagons, Buggies, and John Deere Binders.

And each and every article of every department is of the highest quality, and at a price that is within the reach of all.

We want every one of you to visit us in our new store where you are always welcome.



If it is not convenient for you to call at our Store in person - we ask that you telephone us your want and we will take the greatest care in filling that want and deliver it to you at once.

We want you to make our Store your Store - so when you are in need of anything remember that we have a telephone in each department, and we are here to fill your wants.

# TOWNSEND-OLDHAM & CO.

FOR EVERYTHING

J. BOARD

Highest Award, Panama-Pacific Exposition, San Francisco

# MEN, IF YOU LIKE GOOD MEALS GIVE YOUR WIFE A HOOSIER CABINET Now!

A well equipped kitchen is one of the natural rights of every good housekeeper. This is the greatest opportunity you will ever have to make your kitchen perfectly convenient, at a bargain price.

You are not the sort of man to expect your wife to go along year after year with no better conveniences in the kitchen than your grandmother had. Men, nowadays, don't cut wheat with a cradle as grandfather did, don't write letters with a quill, or work in the shop with out-of-date tools. You have things up-to-date in your work; you bet you do, and you expect

## 3 Square Meals a Day

right along too. Listen, men! Is it fair to the wife to let her get along with old-fashioned woman-killing household equipments when you can have one of these new Hoosiers delivered tomorrow for only \$1? Of course not. You mean all right. You would like to have a convenient kitchen.

## Just Hand Us a Dollar

We will put one of these five new Hoosiers in your home at a price so low you will think we are cheating ourselves. The Hoosier Company let us make these prices this week to introduce these new models. They are so far below the simply because enormous Hoosier sales have made big factory savings and your wife gets the benefit. Send her one of these at our risk.

- The NEW HOOSIER WONDER—at \$9.00 Less than standard prices—with aluminum table and white enamel cupboards.
  - The NEW HOOSIER SPECIAL—midway between the Hoosier Wonder and Hoosier Beauty in convenience—and equal to the Hoosier Beauty in size.
  - The NEW ROLL DOOR HOOSIER—the only kitchen cabinet with roll doors that are removable and sanitary—no cubby holes or partitions to catch dust or dirt.
  - The NEW HOOSIER BEAUTY—the National step saver; most complete and most practical kitchen cabinet ever made; most popular cabinet in the world.
  - The NEW HOOSIER DE LUXE—all white enamel inside and out—a kitchen cabinet of remarkable beauty.
- SURPRISE HER!**—Send one of these out tomorrow sure. Come in early before some of these styles are gone. Just a dollar now; then a dollar a week for a few weeks. That is all. If she isn't delighted, we will take back the cabinet and hand your money back with a smile. Do this much for you wife NOW. You owe it to her.

**R. M. STOKES, Snyder, Texas**



This is "HOOSIER BEAUTY"  
The National Step Saver

No. 5580  
**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF  
THE  
FIRST NATIONAL BANK**

At Snyder in the State of Texas, at the close of business, September 2, 1915.

Resources	
Loans and Discounts	\$200 485 25
Overdrafts, unsecured	107 75
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	35 000 00
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned and pledged	613 15
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank 6,000	
Less Amount unpaid	3,000 3000
All other stocks, including premium on same	500 3 500 00
Value of banking house Furniture and Fixtures	8 800 00 3 300 00
Real estate owned other than banking house	1 414 00
Net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank	2 940 64
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York-Chicago and St. Louis	5,839.78
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	508.34 6 348 12
Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in 9 or 10)	76 27
Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank	599 98
Outside checks and other cash items	145.92
Fractional currency, nickels and cents	157.54 303 46
Notes of other National Banks	1 235 00
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank:	
Total coin and certificates	10 522 85
Legal-tender notes	1 060 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent on circulation)	1 750 00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$278 056 47</b>

Liabilities	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 60 000 00
Surplus Fund	40 000 00
Undivided profit	16,487.34
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	1,877.32 14 610 02
Circulating notes	35 000 00
Net amount due to approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	5,930.39
Due to banks and bankers (other than included in 5 or 6)	126.31
Individual deposits, subject to check	94,027.70
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days	200.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	213.30 100 507 70
Certificates of deposit	1 920 75
Rediscunts with Federal Reserve Bank	16 018 00
Bills payable, including obligations representing money borrowed	10 000 00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$278 056 47</b>

State of Texas, County of Scurry, ss:  
I, Robt. H. Curnutte, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Robt. H. Curnutte, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 14th day of September, 1915  
H. E. Watkins,  
Notary Public

CORRECT—Attest:  
W. A. JOHNSON,  
W. D. SIMS,  
J. WRIGHT MOOAR,  
Directors.

A good organ at a bargain, at 5¢  
A. P. MORRIS.

Rev. W. H. H. King was here Monday looking about for somebody who might know something, but the grand jury was in session and everybody is mum.

Plenty of Coal and Wood now on hand. Phone 154. Jim Dawson. 12tf

## Go After Business

In a business way—the advertising way. An ad in this paper offers the maximum service at the minimum cost. It reaches the people of the town and vicinity you want to reach.

Try It—It Pays

### Opening of Snyder Schools

The public schools of Snyder opened last Monday at nine o'clock as had been announced. The enrollment in the High School was 143 the first day, but there has been quite a goodly number since. The enrollment new reaches more than 150. The enrollment in the grades is far in excess of the expectations of any persons connected with the schools. There were in all the schools the

first day 573 pupils which is 20 per cent more than there was at the opening of school last year. The teachers are all in their places and doing their work thoroughly. The outlook is the best we have had. The people of Snyder are entitled to the best schools in Texas and we feel that they will get it this year. There are a few suggestions we want to make next week with reference to the relation of the patrons to the schools. They would be made now, but for the

lack of space and time. Please watch the paper next week.

We thank the good people of Snyder for their loyalty to their schools in the past and hope to be able to merit their heartiest co-operation this year.

Respectfully,  
E. A. WATSON

Nature's Mineral Ore— for Impure blood. See adv. in this paper. Call at Signal office. 5tf.

### Altrurians Meet

The ladies of the Altrurian Club held their sixth annual reception at the home of Mrs. E. E. Grimes, Wednesday, September 15th.

The parlors were most tastily decorated in the club colors, green and white, the music room containing baskets of white roses.

The dining room looked lovely in green and white, festooned with roses and ferns marking the table.

The library and hall contained baskets of white roses.

Little Miss Doris Buchanan, sweet and dainty in white silk, with pink ribbons held the card basket.

Misses Dimple Gross, Lois Sears, Lila Curnutte and Ruth Buchanan, in white lingere frocks served delicious nectar.

Misses Francis Harris, Lois Curnutte and Doris Marshall served a salad course.

Mrs. E. B. Barnes and Miss Lucille Galloway rendered delightful music during the afternoon.

In spite of the inclemency of the weather, quite a large number of ladies enjoyed the hospitality with the club ladies.

### Auto Special Rates.

I will make special prices on long auto trips. For full particulars see G. N. Turner. Phone 156. Snyder, Texas. 14-p.

Rev. R. D. Steward, of Rochester, was meeting old friends here Tuesday. He preached in this country ten years ago. He is enroute to visit on the plains.

The Signal and Dallas News \$1.75. I have permanently located in Snyder. Office over the OWI Drug Store. Practice limited to the diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. 42p  
E. SMITH, M. D.

T. J. McEntyre and W. T. Thompson came in Saturday and added some fine heads of maize to the Chamber of Commerce Collection at the Signal of.

Nature's Mineral Ore--

# VITONA

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Rheumatism, Gout, Kidney and Bladder Troubles, Indigestion, Catarrh, Piles, Eczema, Diabetis, Inflamed Sore Eyes, Blood Poison, Old Sores, Erysipelas Flux, Constipation, Female Complaints, from childhood to old age, Fits, Nervous Troubles, or any diseases arising from impure or impoverished Blood and all Skin affections, try

## NATURE'S MINERAL ORE

If you are afflicted with any of the foregoing, send \$1.00 for a month's treatment and full instructions.

Address Postoffice Box P., Snyder, Texas

Money refunded if patient is not fully satisfied with results. See the Mineral on exhibit in Snyder Signal Show Window.

# NEW! NEW! The word that describes in a nut shell the mammoth stock of J. H. SEARS & Co.

New styles, new materials, new colorings, Fashion's greatest creations for fall and winter, personally selected by our buyers in the leading style markets of America. Come Saturday or any other day, examine our immense new stock, visit all our departments and observe the completeness of our assortments, and the exclusiveness of our showing. We want you to come, we like to show our new goods.



**Bischof**

**J. H. SEARS & CO.**

Have just placed on display their Fall line of coats and suits by Bischof.

Our coat suits for ladies are out each day, every express brings us many more. Call and see this line, it is a treat to see the many new fashions.

## Bischof

The Suit with a Reputation for style and quality is now on display.

## Millinery

We have by far the largest line of ladies hats in town. New styles coming daily, many customers pleased with their selections, come get your hat while the stock is large. Prices from \$1.50 to \$12.50

## Men's Suits and Shoes

A big line of Men's shoes now on display. The Walk-Over Shoe for men is creating a big sensation, it is a shoe for you to buy, accept no other kind if it is not a Walk-Over.

200 men's fall suits now on display, prices from \$5.00 to \$20.00

25 men's 3 piece suits, they all go at - \$5.00

We give you an all wool blue serge suit for only \$10.00

Brown, blues, greys and all colors in men's suits at \$15.00

## New Skirts Galore

All styles and colors are on display now. Come get yours before they are picked over.

Prices From

\$2.50 to \$10.00

## Children's Shoes

This department is complete now, heavy and light shoes for the children, white red and black tops.

A big line of girl's school shoes, call and look them over before you buy. Prices from 75c to \$2.50.

A nice misses school shoe, vici, cloth top, sizes from 12 1-2 to 2's, only \$1.50

## New school day wearables for the boys and girls, of such prices that will crowd our floors with mothers this week.

Where is the mother that don't want her daughter dressed neatly while at school. You can't find her. Our big new stock of wearables makes it an easy task to select her school out fit.

We always give the same care and attention, our buyer of this department knows the boys needs, we have especially prepared for him. Come see what we have for the little fellows.

### For the Girl

Pretty new fall gingham dresses for school, cheaper than you can make them. 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00.

New Middies \$1.00.

A heavy fall weight, white drill with white red or blue collars and cuffs, long sleeves, all sizes, ideal for school, get one now, they are going fast.

Boys and girls school hose. Big line of boys and girls school hose arrived. The Black Cat Hose, best in America, every pair guaranteed, prices from 15c to 25c.

### For the Boy

#### Specials on Boys' Suits

We have a suit for every boy, at the lowest price any where. Just received 50 Boys Suits, of heavy weights, for school, sizes 5 to 12. We make them special this week at only \$2.50

An immense stock of Boys' Suits in Norfolk styles, prices from \$3.00 to \$10.00

New fall shirts and blouses for the boy, in all colors at

EXTRA LARGE KNEE PANTS, yes we have them in all sizes as large as 20.

Only 50 cents Price \$2.50

It is a long way to Chicago, so we have brought her latest styles to our floors for your inspection.

## New Hosiery

The Black Cat Hose for all the family now on display.

In all grades and colors.

Silk hose for ladies, prices from 50c to \$1.50.

Out sizes for large women --we will always carry them in all grades, silk and lisle, prices from 25c to \$1.00.

## Men's Hats

A big line of fall styles just arrived in all colors, call and see them, from \$2.00 to \$5.00

## Ladies' Shoes

Our famous ladies shoes are now on display, button and lace boots, black, putty, grey and checked tops. The most complete line of ladies' shoes we have ever shown, Prices from \$1.50 to \$5.00.



We give you a beautiful bronze lace boot, a beauty at only - 4.50

We give you many styles in button and lace, black and colored tops, heavy and light soles, at only 4.00

20 different styles to pick from at only 3.00 and 3.50

15 different styles in vici, gun metal and patents, they are great values, low and high heels, fine for school wear, at only 2.50

50 pair of ladies vici, button, cloth top shoes, welt soles, as long as they last at 1.50

# J. H. SEARS & CO.

West Side Square