

The Snyder Signal

THIRTY-THIRD YEAR.

SNYDER, SCURRY COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, JUNE 20, 1919.

NUMBER ONE

THE REVIVAL MEETING.

Prof. Bledsoe of Austin came in on schedule last Friday and proceeded to get his singers lined up for the revival meeting. The first service was held Sunday at the tabernacle. Bro. Waddill preached Sunday and Sunday night.

Dr. Hay arrived Monday and is holding two general services daily, besides prayer meetings are being held at various places. The people are attending the services, large congregations every night.

The song services are fine, the people sing with spirit and Dr. Hay is preaching in a way to reach the heart and conscience of the people. The meeting is for everybody and all who can sing are urged to go to the choir.

On Tuesday night Dr. Hay preached on Backsliding. He said one may preach regularly and perform the outward duties of a pastor, may teach in Sunday school and perform otherwise and yet be backslidden in heart. None but God and yourself knows your heart. People begin to backslide when they lose relish for private and public devotion, when they cease to love the Bible, when they begin to compromise with sin, to run with old evil crowd and begin a course of fault finding, criticizing the church and get grouchy about everything. The preacher says other folks may take care of their own but he thinks the most undesirable person in the community is a backslidden, grouchy, faultfinding Methodist. He says let people believe and preach whatever church doctrine they will, we are all agreed that the religion of Jesus Christ in the heart is the only way of salvation and of happiness here and hereafter.

Commercial Club Matters.

Joe Stinson is a member of the membership committee for the Commercial Club. He says the reason they have not been out to get members is, the chairman is away on a fishing trip. They'll get busy when Mayor Echols gets home. Mr. Stinson says there will be four grades of membership fees, five dollars, \$2.50, \$1.00 and fifty cents. In this way everybody can get in on the night monthly dues.

It will take money to run the institution if anything is to be done, and there are lots of things to be done. If we are to get up a county exhibit, we should be at it now while the stuff is making. It will be necessary to get a storage place and have some person to collect and care for the products. We believe the farmers will gladly co-operate in the way of bringing in samples of products and by the last week in September we will be able to show a collection fit for the Dallas Fair.

There are other enterprises to be fostered and with a properly financed commercial club we can soon have a new era in prosperity. Other things are doing it and so can Snyder.

Cochran-Davis Marriage.

Mr. Norman F. Cochran of Tyler and Miss Virginia Davis, of Snyder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Davis were married in Snyder last Saturday afternoon by Rev. W. H. Sims and they left at 4 o'clock over the R. S. & P. for Tyler.

Mr. Cochran spent two or three years in Scurry county. He was an industrious young farmer and a young man of fine character. When the war came on he answered the call of his country but didn't get to cross over and see real service. If he had he would have made good. While in training he attended the Dallas Fair two years ago and in an automobile accident he lost a leg and the whole course of his life had to be changed. Since then he has been attending school and the Federal government is now making it possible for him to take a thorough commercial course in the Tyler business college.

Union labor in convention in Atlanta, Georgia, is about to go asunder over what the plebeian wing term the aristocracy.

PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR OF TEXAS

The government of the United States is endeavoring to disseminate principles of Thrift among the people of this nation, that they may learn to avoid waste, save wisely, spend wisely and invest their savings safely and judiciously.

The Government is offering the people of the United States the opportunity of making safe and judicious investments through the medium of Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps, that they may have money invested for any future emergencies or opportunities which may arise.

It has been decided to designate the eight days from June 29th to July 6th, A. D., 1919, inclusive, as "Thrift Message Week" in the Eleventh Federal District, during which time Thrift Messages will be delivered and the benefits accruing from a life of Thrift pointed out.

The entire State of Texas is within the boundary lines of the Eleventh Federal District.

Therefore, I, W. F. Hobby, governor of the State of Texas, do hereby officially proclaim the eight days from June 29th to July 6th, A. D., 1919, both inclusive, as Thrift Message Week, and do call upon the citizens of the State of Texas to join in its observance.

I urge that Thrift Messages be delivered at all public gatherings held in the State of Texas during Thrift Message Week, that Thrift Message Parades be held on Independence Day July 4th, and that all bells in the State of Texas be rung and that all whistles in the State of Texas be blown at 10 o'clock each morning and at 4 o'clock each afternoon during Thrift Message Week and that the purposes and objects of the government's Savings Campaign be given in testimony whereof, I have hereunto signed my name and caused the seal of the State to be hereon impressed, at the city of Austin, Texas, this 13th day of June, A. D., 1919.

W. P. HOBBY, Governor.

By the Governor:
George F. Howard, Sec. of State.

Recruiting Officers Here.

Sgt. Cecil E. Couch of Abilene and Sgt. Chas. Cleffy of Kirksville, Missouri, are here this week in the recruiting service for the army. These officers are stopping at the Manhattan hotel and are ready to explain the service, the pay and other conditions of enlistment. Young men who want to be soldiers have the opportunity open to them.

The Woman's Missionary Meeting.

The Baptist Women held their missionary meeting on last Monday with Mrs. J. J. Taylor. With Mrs. Harpole as leader, the meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. H. E. Rosser. A very interesting program was rendered on the subject: "Christian Education."

Miss Violet Grayum and Mrs. Sims favored us with a beautiful duet.

Mrs. Fred Grayum gave a splendid report from the Ladies' District meeting at Anson.

Meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. I. D. Hull, after which the ladies enjoyed a social hour and very delicious cream and cake.

Reporter.

Junior B. Y. P. U. Program.

Song, prayer, song.
Business, sword drill, song.
Who is Jesus? Lela Isaacs.
Witness and testimony of—
The wise men, Opal Morris.
Mary, Ruby Stokes.
The leper, Lillian Fish.
The Roman Soldiers, Velma Mayo.
His own city, Pearl Forester.
Herod, Almanelle Morris.
The people, Onal Eppley.
His Enemies, Bertha Wilhelm.
His disciples, Rosalie Clark.
His Persecutors, Theresa Cotten.
The Centurian, Lucy Bartlett.
Memory verse.
Leader's ten minutes.
Conclusion by the president.
Song, sentence prayers.
Closing song.

J. B. Bley, Fluvanna's hardware merchant was in Snyder this week.

TAKING NO CHANCES!



By investing your money in War Savings Stamps, you are taking no chances. The Government guarantees their constant increase in value and that you can always get what you have invested, with accrued compound interest, on ten days' written notice to the postmaster. But if you hold them to maturity they are worth the most. 1919 U. S. S. mature in 1924. Save! Have you bought your Thrift Stamp today?

OIL FACTS.

Secretary Guy E. Paxton of the Snyder Oil Association reports something like \$12,000 of the stock sold. They are figuring with three drilling concerns and everything moving along nicely. If anyone in Scurry county wants some of this stock he should get in the game now. It is important that everyone buy all this stock he can in order to hold control of the affairs of the Association at home.

The geologist and others feel sure the oil is there and when it is reached everybody will wish he had taken more of the stock.

Reports have come in this week from the Dunn well that they are drilling and hopeful. W. L. Gillum and Emery Powers came in Tuesday from Oklahoma and hurried away to the Dunn location, but no definite report has come from there on which to base an absolute story.

Oil Leases Filed.

Sixteen lease transfers to the Snyder Oil Association were filed Wednesday at the county clerk's office. Following is a list of owners and acreage: W. O. Aucutt and wife 100 acres, J. S. Head and wife 320 acres Mrs. Nettie Wilson 160 acres, A. C. Westberry and wife 160 acres, E. F. Walker and wife 245 acres, W. H. Shuler and wife 250 acres, Canton-Dodson D. G. Co. 160 acres, W. R. Wren and wife 80 acres, E. C. Dodson 320 acres, J. M. Shannon 640 acres, M. A. Carden 240 acres, J. Wright Moorar 640 acres, Julia and J. Wright Moorar 880 acres, F. I. Towns end and wife 160 acres, J. L. Abbott and wife 160 acres, D. C. Arnet and wife 154 acres.

DISTRICT COURT MATTERS.

J. J. Lee vs. R. D. Davis, trespass to try title, dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

P. Brady vs. Southern Rock Island Plow company, to clear title, judgment for plaintiff.

Mrs. W. R. Guinn vs. W. S. Reed et al., trespass to try title, and for damages and foreclosure, judgment for plaintiff.

State vs. R. L. Terry, perjury, dismissed by the state for good and sufficient reasons.

State vs. Frank Cole, perjury, jury verdict "not guilty", on instruction by the court.

L. Gee, burglary, dismissed on states motion.

Tom Elza came in Thursday morning from Ralls and said there were heavy rains all over the Slaton country coming this way to about Justiceburg.

It is reported that there are quite a number of cases of small pox in the Hermleigh country.

SCHOOLS LINE UP FOR STATE AID.

County Superintendent Howell met the citizens of the Canyon community last Friday night in mass meeting to discuss the proposition of voting more school tax and bonds for the purpose of building a new school house. After some discussion every voters present enthusiastically signed a petition for the tax and bonds. July the 5th is the day set for the voting.

Ennis is to vote next Saturday the 21st on a \$3000.00 for the purpose of building. Nearly half of the schools of the county are getting in line for State Aid the coming year.

It is Mexico's Own Fight.

A force of 3,500 American troops crossed over to the Mexican side Saturday night to prevent the Mexicans from shooting over into the Texas side. It is not intended as an invasion, merely a precaution and it is said both sides in Mexico so understand it. A person not on the ground cannot judge for the necessity of this move, but it is to be hoped that the American government will refuse to take part in the Mexican quarrel. Of course our government recognized the Carranza organization, but that does not obligate us to go to the aid of either faction in their home fight. The so-called Mexican government has been everything but cordial toward the United States and has no claim on us whatever. If the Villa revolution shall succeed in overthrowing the present government it will be Carranza's misfortune and possibly may result in more favorable conditions as to touchy American conditions and American trade. Be that as it may, we should leave them to fight it out and then when they show a stability of conditions other nations will probably know better how to treat with them.

Mexico Resents American Act.

Washington, June 17.—The government and people of Mexico consider as a violation of Mexican sovereignty the crossing of United States soldiers into Mexican territory. Gen. Candido Aguilar, confidential ambassador of President Carranza, declared today in a formal statement issued at the Mexican Embassy.

First Baptist Church.

Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. at the usual hours next Sunday, but the preaching services and the Sunbeam Band will be omitted. Regular services for the following Sunday.

W. H. Sims, Pastor.

Mexican officials are quoted as saying the Juarez incident is a closed matter. Carranza knows the expedition is all that saved his face.

OLD FOLKS SERVICE TODAY

Plans Shape For Active Revival Campaign.

The revival meeting is beginning to get down to earnest work. It has been a discouragement to note how few men have been attending the day services, but there is a coming improvement. Dr. Hay said Thursday that there are very few people 25 years old who have not at some time been religious, but men and women become cold and negligent. They drift away from duty and from God. They may not oppose religion, but they are indifferent. The preacher said he'd rather a fellow would cuss him than to treat him with indifference.

The services at the tabernacle are at 10 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.

Next Sunday the Sunday school will be at the church at 9:45 and preaching at the tabernacle at 11 o'clock.

Men's prayer meeting at Squire Wilson's office at 6 o'clock, every evening and young ladies at 4 o'clock, at the Christian church.

Cottage prayer meetings announced from day to day.

Old Folks Service Today.

Arrangements are being carried out for the Old Folks service today at 10 o'clock. The committee will have conveyance for old people who have no way to go.

The committee are: Mrs. Joe Strayhorn, Mrs. Sed Harris, Mrs. Emmett Johnson, Mrs. I. W. Boren, and Mrs. Will Deak

There has been no direct request for the merchants to close their stores for the day services, but it is hoped that if they do not close for the hour they will see to it that every house is represented at the 10 o'clock service.

It is expected that Sunday will be a great day in the meeting and that all Christian people will get fully into the campaign and a great work be accomplished.

Big Rain Saturday Night.

Snyder had an inch and a half of rain Saturday night. It started about eight o'clock p. m. and rained till midnight. The creek got higher than it had been for a long time, indicating that the country north and northeast got a heavy down pour. I. H. Walton east of Snyder reported an inch and a quarter. W. A. Taylor said it was a good rain at Dunn, just about enough and came just right.

D. F. Wilson said Monday that a bridge on the Colorado road near the Longbotham ranch was washed out.

T. C. Stinson said it was another field washer in the Ira country. Parts of both iron bridges on Canyon were washed out and all the little bridges and culverts gone. Mr. Stinson says there have been fifteen inches of rain fallen there in the last two weeks.

J. I. Burrough reports a good rain Saturday night. That section of the county was badly in need of rain.

A number of Fluvanna men here Monday reported a big rain. Estimates ranged from 2 1/2 to 3 5/8 inches.

Farmers from the Bethel district reported heavy down pour and considerably washed.

It was from a good to a big rain all over the county and there is nothing now considered more sure than a bumper crop of feed and fine prospect for more cotton than the present population can pick in one season.

Missionary Meeting.

The Baptist Ladies Missionary meeting was held June 16, at the home of Mrs. Joe Taylor. Mrs. Forester assisting her.

A good crowd answered to roll call in spite of the rainy weather. A splendid program was rendered, each doing her part well.

There were several visitors present, we are always glad to have them come. A fine free will offering was made.

Our hostesses then served us delicious cream and cake.

Reporter.

Dr. J. G. Parsons of Ira was hurt Wednesday by an automobile getting on his foot.

SNYDER TEAM TO PLAY SOLDIERS

Game of Unusual Interest is Assured for the coming event.

A government recruiting squad from El Paso will be in Snyder next week to solicit recruits for army service and in order to arouse interest and bring the people together the officers in charge have a base ball team with them and at each town they visit they desire to match a game of the National sport with a local team.

That proposition was taken up here last week by some of our local fans and a fine game is assured for next Tuesday.

See the announcement in this paper. Our boys don't often get opportunity to go up against Uncle Sam's players and it will be interesting to see us beat them.

Everybody will want to see the game. Note the personnel of our Snyder team.

The team to represent Snyder in this game will be selected from the following Scurry county boys:

Earl Brown, E. Williams, Bill Grayum, Bill Crowder, Minis Werner, Joe Thompson, C. L. Simmons, Ben Harless, J. W. Frazier, Scott Ross.

E. Williams the pitcher has recently returned from overseas war services and is recognized as a trained pitcher who can deliver the goods.

We want everybody in Scurry county to read this announcement and then let everybody get busy and make next Tuesday, June 24th, a Red Letter day for Snyder.

Read the correspondence and see what is expected of us and the boys will do the rest.

Recruiting Station, U. S. Army, 218 W. Franklin St., El Paso, Texas, June 12, 1919.

Postmaster, Snyder, Texas.

Dear Sir:

We are sending the Base Ball Team of the 7th Cavalry on a trip through our district during the recruiting drive which will take place all over the country from June 17th to July 1st.

We have an open date for a Ball Game in Snyder, Texas, on June 24th, and we hereby issue a challenge to any team in your district on that date.

Please try to arrange this game for us and wire us collect as soon as possible as to what arrangements you have made in this connection so as to enable us to complete our schedule.

A recruiting tent will be placed on the grounds and men of the General Recruiting Service will be there to explain the advantages of the service.

We are mailing you advertising matter and trust you will be able to arrange this game for us.

Thanking you for your hearty cooperation and trusting we will receive an early answer, I am,

Very truly yours,

Hal Daniel,

2nd Lieut. Field Artillery, U. S. A. Asst. Recruiting Officer.

Joint Meeting of Women's Societies

Presbyterian church Thursday, July 3, 1919.

Leader, Mrs. Shell.

Opening Songs.

Prayer, Mrs. Waddill.

Song.

Greetings from Leader.

Roll call, response, by leader of each group, Scripture quotation on subject assigned.

Short talks on the needful Christian Graces.

1st Love, Mrs. McConnell.

2nd. Forbearance, Mrs. Higgins.

3rd. Loyalty, Mrs. Denson.

4th. Gratitude, Mrs. Buchanan.

Vocal Solo, Mrs. Perkins.

Reading, Mrs. Frazier.

Piano Duet, Mesdames Stallings and Wolcott.

Chorus, sixteen young ladies, director, Mrs. Marvin Morrow.

Social hour.

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L. T. Condra was here Thursday from the Ira region and said had another washing rain Wednesday.

WHY SHOULD THEY WORRY?



War Savings Stamps are the umbrellas which protect against the driving rain of adversity. Save and buy them regularly and you will have no cause for financial worries. Have you bought your Thrift Stamp today?

PERSHING VISITS "Y" HEADQUARTERS



General John J. Pershing, American expeditionary force commander, leaving Y. M. C. A., Palais du Glace, Paris, where he congratulated every woman worker personally.

General Pershing's inspection of the Y. M. C. A. canteen, which was unannounced, took up an entire morning and he expressed himself satisfied with the results. At several places he surprised the men at their luncheon. At the Palais du Glace, where 25,000 Americans eat daily, the first information that the diners had of his presence was when the orchestra played the "Star-Spangled Banner," and they looked about to find the commander in chief of A. E. F. standing at attention.

He interrogated a number of the soldiers about the food and the prices, and exhibited the most minute interest in everything pertaining to their welfare. At the Hotel Rochester, a Y. M. C. A. hostelry on the Boulevard Courcelles, he learned with surprise that any private soldier could get two eggs for his breakfast. This was something generals frequently had experienced difficulty in doing.

To the American women workers at the Palais du Glace he said: "I want to tell you that I appreciate what the American women are doing over here. It means a great deal to the army to have the right kind of American women here doing the work you are doing. Not only is it good for the soldiers, but for you, too. It gives you a new perspective on the work of men, and on the war."

CAN YOU BLAME "YANKS" FOR MIXING CENTS AND CENTIMES?

In the early part of the war, the overseas Y. M. C. A. canteen price lists looked like this:

Bull Durham	1 oz. bag	30 cent.
Dukes Mixture	1 oz. bag	25 cent.
Lucky Strike	1 oz. bag	30 cent.
Prince Albert	1 oz. bag	30 cent.
Prince Albert	2 oz. bag	60 cent.
Tuxedo	2 oz. can	60 cent.
Velvet	2 oz. bag	60 cent.

Later in the war the price lists looked this way:

(For the convenience of those not familiar with French currency, a parallel column has been added showing the amounts in United States currency)

	French (Centimes)	U. S. (Cents)
Bull Durham	30	.30
Dukes Mixture	25	.25
Lucky Strike	30	.30
Prince Albert	30	.30
Prince Albert	60	.60
Tuxedo	60	.60
Velvet	60	.60

Many people will probably wonder what proportion of the stories about overcharging by the Y. M. C. A. can be traced to this early omission of United States currency on the lists. The "30 cent." stood for thirty centimes, or five cents in U. S. money. It was not a hard matter for a "Yank" to become confused.

PIONEER SCURRY COUNTY PREACHER DIED IN HOUSTON

Following notice has been sent to the Signal by James Berry of Houston. It is taken from a Houston paper and is deemed of interest here because Rev. Francis, the subject of the sketch lived at Ira several years ago and had many friends in this county.

The sketch follows: After 36 years of service in the Baptist ministry of Texas, Rev. Jas. H. Francis died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. James Berry, 3003 Caroline Street, at 6:30 Tuesday afternoon, aged 84 years.

Rev. Mr. Francis was a native of Kentucky. He came from a family of Kentucky pioneers and spent almost half of his life in the Bluegrass state. His family lived in Allen county, where Rev. Mr. Francis was born.

He came to Texas in 1883, was ordained to the Baptist ministry and preached the Gospel in Texas for 36 years before surrendering his stewardship. During his earlier life he was an earnest church worker and always took an active interest in the advancement of the Christian religion.

Rev. Mr. Francis is survived by four daughters, Mrs. G. A. Autrey of Wolfe City; Mrs. A. W. McDonald and Mrs. James Berry, both of Houston; Mrs. R. P. Lowman of San Marcos; two sons, Messrs. E. G. of Utah, and T. B. Francis of Humble.

BLANTON THINKS HE IS MARKED MAN

Congressman Blanton of Abilene is making progress in politics. He started out to make a fight on certain elements of Union Labor and has succeeded in stirring up a hornet's nest. His speeches in the House have brought President Samuel Gompers to the front in defense of Unionism and in one of his recent speeches refers to the Abilene Statesman as "Beating Blanton". That designation is offensive to the Texan and he rises to a question of "personal privilege" in the House. He says he realizes that he has called down Union Labor resentment in his fight against abuses, for he has received several threatening letters and that while he and his family were out for an automobile spin last week near Washington, somebody fired on his car. He says that shot was intended for him.

Go to A. & M. in Auto Parties.

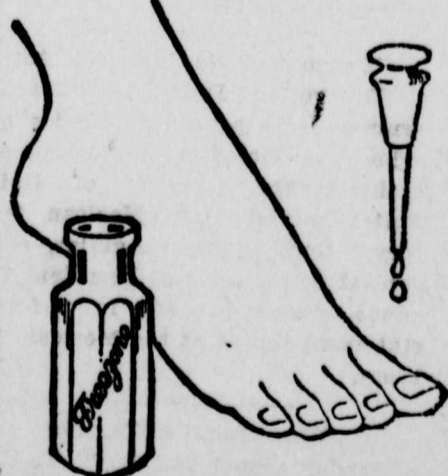
College Station, Texas, June 12, 1919.—While the U. S. Railroad Administration has refused to grant reduced rates to the ninth annual Farmers Short Course, at A. & M. College, which will be held July 21-26, Dean E. J. Kyle hopes to offset the difficulty by inducing the farmers over the state who desire to attend to organize auto parties and come overland.

Ample camping facilities will be provided by the College without charge, for those who want to come in this way and do their own cooking and provide their own bedding, while low rates will be provided in the dormitories and at the Mess Hall for those who are prepared to camp out upon their arrival here.

There are a few republican Senators who seem willing to block the world peace rather than endorse anything Wilson does.

LIFT OFF CORNS!

Apply few drops then lift sore, touchy corns off with fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn. Instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right off. Yes, magic!

A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation.

Freezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful.

A Triumph of Toughness

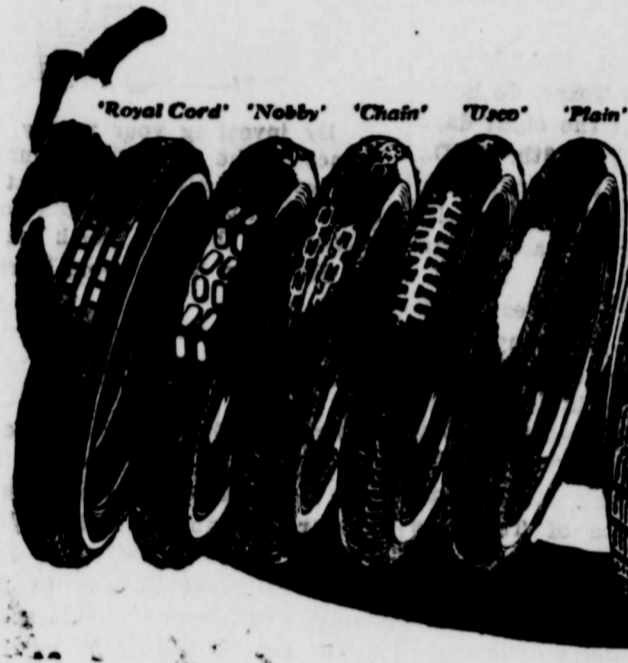
And yet, the 'Royal Cord' possesses amazing buoyancy and life.

That's the secret of this famous tire's success.

Hardihood that means many extra miles, combined with the luxury of easier riding.

Let us put 'Royal Cords' on your car. They are the utmost in equipment—the finest tires in the world.

United States Tires are Good Tires



Dealers

Joe Strayhorn,

D. Dorward Gail.

A market price of \$1,000 each for human toes has been fixed by a Chicago jury in the case of a girl. We have a few toes we would like to dispose of at this price, and might give bargain rates on the two with the biggest corns.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

With a newspaper man's foot encased in brogans, and smelling too foul at night for inspection, it matters little if he has no toes at all, but a toeless tootsy wootsy, of a pretty June bride, would be at a fearful discount for awhile.

Foreigners are being used by political agitators to abuse the American government. If such people dislike our system, why do they come? The government would be doing right to see that they do not stay here.

Buying Blue Ridge Farm.

Austin, Texas, June 13.—The Attorney General has completed an examination of the abstract of title to the several tracts included in the Blue Ridge farm and generally the title is in good condition. The completion of the examination is expected to be followed by a formal tender of the money for the purchase of the farm, under the State's option which is now in litigation in Fort Bend county.

The abstract developed that there are 5,927 acres in the farm and the option provides that the State has the power of purchasing same at \$50 an acre, or a total of \$296,350. The Prison Commission has over \$700,000 in cash and is able to make the tender at any time.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to take this manner of extending to our many friends of Snyder and Ira, our heartfelt thanks and appreciation of the many kindnesses shown us in our recent bereavement in the loss of our husband and father.

Mrs. Sterling and Children.

John L. Bowen of Pyron came in last week from France to his home at Pyron. He says he lacked two days getting on the fighting front. Bernard Simmons is back on American soil and will finally get home. He was in the thick of the fighting over there 72 days.

The Miracle of Harvest.

Plant a crop. Nothing happens. Nothing that one can see. Be patient. The seed sprouts. The stalk pushes its way through the earth. Still no sign of fruit.

Leaves come out. Buds open. Berries begin to form. Still no harvest. Be patient. The fruit fills out. It ripens. It matures. Harvest at last—miraculously increased from a little handful of seed.

Reaping financial reward also takes patience. Savings come so little; interest grows so slowly.

Be patient. The farmer waits through a season for his crop. Raising a fortune is a matter of successive seasons.

Be patient. Once it begins to mature your fortune comes with a rush.

War Saving Stamps are assured of fortune.

The Doctor Away From Home When Most Needed.

People are often very much disappointed to find that their family physician is away from home when they most need his services. Diseases like pain in the stomach and bowels, colic and diarrhoea require prompt treatment, and have in many instances proven fatal before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned. The right way is to keep at hand a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy. No physician can prescribe a better medicine for these diseases. By having it in the house you escape much pain and suffering and all risk. Buy it now; it may save life.

Judge Blanton is now in the class with Clemenceau and Attorney General Palmer. Somebody has tried to kill him.

News reports early this week painted serious clouds, clouds for Caranza and he is getting no German money now to console him.

Certain Senators were very much perturbed because the peace treaty had leaked over to this country before time and they thought they had something that would plague the democrats and they forced an investigation. It turned out that a republican reporter got hold of the document and sent it to a republican paper in Chicago.

LEMONS WHITEN AND BEAUTIFY THE SKIN.

Make this beautiful lotion cheaply for your face, neck, arms and hands.

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quarter pint of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whitener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It is marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands.

It may be expedient to modify the peace terms but we don't like the idea of letting Germany have any sayso in the matter.

The wire strike was not generally observed, says Pres Carlton.

In good years in Texas the waste of products may amount to enough to keep the family. The waste is due to the lack of facilities to save it. There ought to be a way to keep the stuff until it can be marketed.

Little business concerns properly handled may grow to be big ones.

When a fellow has expended more money and labor to produce an article than he can sell it for, he has lost.

Veterinary Notice

I am now located in Snyder and offer my services to all those having diseased animals.

Office Phone 14 Res. 255
C. E. Walker V. S.

A big new discovery in cigarette blending

The big thing about Chesterfields is their unique blend. The *Chesterfield blend* is an entirely new combination of tobaccos. It is a most important development in cigarette making.

As a result, Chesterfields deliver a new kind of cigarette enjoyment — just like a "bite" before bedtime when you're hungry — they SATISFY!

It took the finest selections of TURKISH and DOMESTIC tobaccos and no end of skill and patient experiment to get this blend right.

Was it worth it? Say — just smoke a Chesterfield fresh from the moisture-proof package. You'll say it was worth it, all right!

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

Chesterfield CIGARETTES

— of Turkish and Domestic tobaccos — blended

— a splendid combination of aromatic Turkish tobaccos from Xanthi Cavalla Smyrna and Samsoun

— three of the choicest varieties of Domestic tobaccos grown and only the best grades of each

— careful skillful blending by a secret process that cannot be copied

They SATISFY!

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION.

The State of Texas,
County of Scurry,
In Probate Court.
The State of Texas.
To the Sheriff or any constable of Scurry County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published in the Snyder Signal, a newspaper of general circulation published in said county, at least once a week for twenty (20) consecutive days before the return day hereof, the following notice;

The State of Texas
To all persons interested in the estate of Nancy Ann Harris, deceased and J. C. Harris, deceased.

M. W. Bavousett administrator of the estate of Nancy Ann Harris, deceased, and J. C. Harris, deceased has filed his annual report which said proceedings will be heard by said court on the 14th day of July, 1919, at the court house of said County in Snyder, Texas at which time all persons interested in said estate are requested to appear and answer said proceedings should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Snyder, Texas, this 17th day of June, 1919.

(Seal) W. M. CURRY
Clerk County Court, Scurry County, Texas.

By Willie Norred, Deputy. 3

E. E. Matthews got tired waiting for oil developments and like St. Peter in the hour of disappointment over hopes gone awry, decided to go fishing and left Monday for the Medina river country to try his luck and visit his wife's people.

The coming of a few good crop seasons in West Texas and the development of the oil industry will cause everybody to want to live in West Texas. In three years time Scurry county will have 50,000 people even without oil and with an oil boom there is no telling what the population may be.

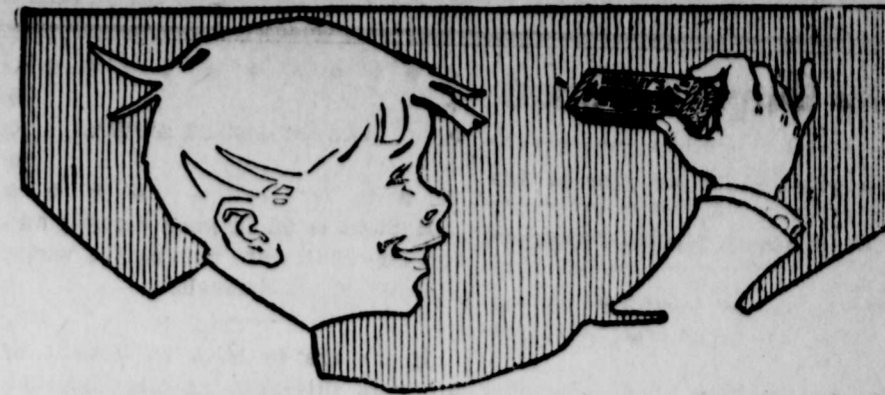
OATS FOR SALE—5 cents per bushel
J. D. Doak's farm, 2 miles northeast of Snyder. 2pd.

A transient woman created a near sensation here last Sunday when she poured a lot of carbolic acid into a cup and then left it unswallowed. It is said she admitted that she intended to drink the poison but her nerve forsook her. No body seems to know her. It is said she went away on the afternoon train.

J. W. Frazier says he is a good singer, but has not been thoroughly tested and admits if a deep test should be made the audience would probably want to "shoot" him.

Mrs. R. A. Childress of Miles is the guest for the summer of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver McElyea.

Wesley Hendryx who, carries the mail on Route one found nearly all the bridges on his route washed out Monday and he couldn't get across Canyon creek anywhere.



Be Sure to Get

WRIGLEY'S

THE wax-wrapped sealed package with WRIGLEY'S upon it is a guarantee of quality.

The largest chewing-gum factories in the world — the largest selling gum in the world: that is what WRIGLEY'S means.

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The Flavor Lasts!

Judge A. V. Logan of San Benita was here Monday. He used to live at Fluvanna and owns property there now. He says he had it in mind to tear down his buildings there to use elsewhere, but things look so good here now he will keep them and believes he will make good with them. He says Scurry county is sure coming back.

Masonic Officers Elected.

At the stated meeting of Scurry Lodge No. 706, A. F. & A. M. held at the Masonic Hall in Snyder, Texas, June 7th A. D. 1919 the following officers were elected for the ensuing Masonic year:

Joda Monroe, W. M. John A. Stavelly, Jr. S. W. J. W. Frazier, J. W. O. P. Thrane, Treasurer, H. J. Bryce, Secretary, Geo. W. Brown, Tiler
The new officers of the Lodge will be installed June 24th.

Mrs. Nannie Chapman and children Florence and Berry left Tuesday for a summer visit in Reagan county.

We meet all Santa Fe trains. Phone your orders in to 14 or 121. Newt Hargrove

Nearly all the menfolks of Fluvanna were here Monday investigating the killing of Joe Stahl.

Postmaster General Bureson has declared that telegraphers may bargain collectively or as individuals. The knights of the keys have gotten first blood.



O. P. Thrane says we can have a revival meeting if the people will get the idea well in heart that we want it.

Mrs. Dr. Fisher who has been here for some time with her father, Mr. Geo. W. Johnson, has returned to her home at Roswell. Bro. Johnson is reported getting along nicely.

For prompt and efficient car service vice day telephone 14, night 121. 11tf Newt Hargrove.

FOR SALE—Registered Big Bone Poland China pigs. E. C. Neely at Grayum Drug Company. 2

Those of our subscribers in arrears will please keep in mind the fact that a newspaper needs money.

President Gompers is credited as saying that organized labor will not accept the prohibition of beer and wine.

"We are quick to guard the industrial interests of our community of seeking to establish and maintain industrial plants within its bounds.



We should be no less solicitous to guard the investments of our community," said Robt. H. Chinnute of the First National Bank today. "If an industry, however small, plans to move to another community, our businessmen and bankers would use every effort to induce its owners to remain. They want its wages to continue to go to local merchants, to buy local homes, and to build up saving accounts. Such business loss directly affects the community's business prosperity.

"Yet when sharpers, dishonest promoters and stock jobbers begin to unload utterly worthless stock and bonds of wild cat companies on our people we make no organized effort to keep them from taking our capital, wages and savings out of our community. Instead of protecting our citizens we are likely to allow these sharpers to ply their trade so long as they do not run afoul of the criminal law.

One of the favorite means of mulching the small investor today is to induce those who have put their savings into War Saving Stamps and other Government securities and transfer their funds into worthless papers. The community, to protect its capital and its property, should organize, if not to punish the sharpers, at least to educate its citizens as to the value of their Government securities and as to the risk of entrusting their money to strangers glib of tongue and unscrupulous in promise and prospectus. Communities who fail to do this fail to realize that some thirty million of people own Government securities but really know very little about the nature or value of bonds and how to use them.

"The 'Baby bonds', The War Saving Stamps are particularly the targets of the vendors of worthless stocks and of stamp scalpers. Owners of these War Saving Stamps ought to know that they are as good as gold and can be readily redeemed for full value, plus interest to date, on ten days' notice at any post office. The scalper, however, even attempts to convince owners of these Stamps that their security has fallen in value in some strange fashion, despite the fact that the stamps can never go below their par value plus the interest accrued today. A favorite trick is to tell persons who have one or more Stamps in a 1918 certificate that these Stamps are valueless unless the certificate is filled with twenty stamps. They then offer to buy these Stamps at a cash discount, or to exchange them for worthless stocks.

"The truth is that War Saving Stamps are as good as gold whether you have one Stamp or one hundred Stamps. The Government on maturity will pay five dollars for the single stamp in a certificate just as readily as it will pay \$100 for twenty of them. Similar arguments are used by the scalpers to discredit the 25 cent Thrift Stamps.

"Where banks, merchants, businessmen and other community leaders fail to make clear to everyone in the community how good Government securities is to hold, they are simply allowing their citizens to be cheated, and are cheating themselves out of investments which ought to be making good business for local business.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

SNYDER, TEXAS

The Snyder Signal

Subscription \$1.50 per year in Adv.
HARDY & CHAMBLESS, Publishers
 Entered in the postoffice at Snyder, Texas, as second class mail matter

Oil advertising 25c per inch for display space and 10c a line for readers. Cash must accompany all orders.

Snyder, Texas, June 20, 1910.

The Chicago Tribune is trying to show that Henry Ford lined up as an enemy to his country in his attitude opposing armed intervention in Mexico and Mr. Ford contends that the Tribune advocated intervention because some of its heaviest stockholders were interested in the Standard oil and Harvester interests who wanted protection.

The labor strikes are dragging along with both sides claiming victory, meanwhile the business in the strike towns suffers.

A big rain cloud lay over the country west of us Wednesday afternoon. Possibly beyond our county border.

Doak's swimming pool is now ready for the summer swimming season.
 It J. M. Doak.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

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 DIAMOND BRAND
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 Get your supply for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS. Each box contains 10 pills. Take 2 or 3 pills 3 or 4 times a day. For constipation, indigestion, headache, neuralgia, etc. Sold by all druggists everywhere.

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- Advertising Insures Success
- Advertising Shows Energy
- Advertising Shows Pluck
- Advertising is "Biz"
- Advertise or Bust
- Advertise Long
- Advertise Well
- ADVERTISE
- At Once

In This Paper



It's no longer necessary to go into the details describing the practical merits of the Ford car—everybody knows all about "The Universal Car." How it goes and comes day after day and year after year at an operating expense so small that it's wonderful. This advertisement is to urge prospective buyers to place orders without delay. Buy a Ford car when you can get one. We'll take good care of your order—get your Ford to you as soon as possible—and give the best in "after service" when required.

Joe Strayhorn, Dealer.
 Snyder, Texas.

HEARD ABOUT TOWN

Harvest is on in good earnest and some estimates are putting the wheat average at 15 bushels.

If we are to have an exhibit of products this year now is the time to be collecting the stuff.

Agricultural Agent Z. D. Kemp states that he will go to Garza county as farm demonstrator.

Peaches and fried chicken are getting ripe.

One reason the people are holding back from starting improvements is a fear that conditions might get a set back. Oil possibilities is about the only thing that can induce men to turn their money loose.

Maize is beginning to head.

Up to now there have been no hot winds to damage corn and if the periodical rains continue we will escape that blight and people who planted corn will be glad of it.

This is one year when the old reliable "Kentucky Wonders" are doing the stunt prolifically.

E. A. Birdwell says we are getting too much rain.

The late planted cotton is getting up in fine shape. Big stout healthy plant ready to grow off and make cotton.

JUAREZ INCIDENT WAS FOR SELF PROTECTION

There can be but little doubt as to the effect the going over the other day of American troops at Juarez will have on Villa. He is apt to swear vengeance, but he may be assured that his actions are being closely watched.

It was not the purpose of our men to interfere in the Mexican fight, further than to protect Americans on American soil. Villa's men with no regard for results were shooting across the line. They were warned against delay so, but gave no heed to the warning.

It seems there was nothing left for the Americans to do but go over and stop it. They did that and immediately returned to their own borders.

It may be that their charge prevented Villa from capturing Juarez, but if so he has only himself to blame. Had he respected American rights, he would have had a clear field.

Anyhow the Texas Congressmen in Washington approve the American drive, and the revolutionists in Mexico will hereafter be more considerate. Surely it was not done to benefit the Carranza people, for they have been especially antagonistic toward this country and have no claims on us.

Top Prices for Hides.
 I will pay top prices for green or dry hides, will also pay cash for all your country produce. 1p
 Lon Pierce & Sons.

Savings Campaign Is Boon To Women

The average family in Texas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and New Mexico is not wealthy enough for the "lady of the house" to have all the little conveniences she wants. Through Thrift and War Savings Stamps, however, the Government has provided a way for the housewife to fit up her kitchen, paint the house, furnish her spare room or embellish the parlor.

Those women who were so wise as to begin saving systematically early in 1910 have nice little sums invested in War Savings Stamps by this time. Eleven War Savings Stamps, some of which cost as little as \$4.12 apiece, will buy a first class kitchen cabinet. In many instances, the housewife would not have saved anything to speak of, had it not been for the War Savings Stamps.

Some of the banner Savings Societies in the Eleventh District are in women's clubs or church societies. Women are quick to grasp the benefits from habits of Thrift. Numerous reports have been received at District Headquarters of the Savings Division at Dallas of women who have started in by putting quarters in Thrift Stamps and who have been enabled to buy desired articles to brighten up their homes. As soon as a War Savings Stamp is bought, it begins earning more money. War Savings Stamps are ready money. They are redeemable with accrued interest at the post-office on ten days' notice, but the longer they are held, the more money they make for their holders.

Have you bought your Thrift Stamp today?

The First Thousand Is Hard To Get

When a man gets \$1,000.00 saved up there are always opportunities for a good investment. It is hard to place much less than that. That is why wealthy men who are self-made advise young men to begin early and save the first thousand.

Until we went to war, it was hard to get started toward that \$1,000.00 unless at least one dollar could be put away at a time. Small change was restless and acrobatic and kept jumping out of our pockets into somebody else's.

Now, however, there is an easy way to get that first thousand. The answer is Thrift Stamps. They cost only a quarter apiece and can be converted into War Savings Stamps. The Government of the United States backs these War Savings Stamps with a guarantee of 4 per cent interest, compounded quarterly. Save and Succeed.

Have you bought your Thrift Stamp today?

Who Is Best Man To Do Your Work?

The best way to have anything is—do it yourself. The best way to get ahead in the world is—save regularly and invest wisely. Your children may be buying Thrift Stamps but the nickels and dimes and quarters they are able to save won't buy a home or a new automobile or a new cultivator. The money to do that will not be saved—unless you save it.

It's easy enough to save if you do it the W. S. S. way. Quarters planted in Thrift Stamps grow into War Savings Stamps and the interest makes them grow like rain does a summer weed. Save for that happy opportunity. If you're not in a War Savings Society—get in one. Be with the crowd. Save.

Have you bought your Thrift Stamp today?

Farmers Find Easy Method of Saving

Farmers who are making a habit of getting a few Thrift Stamps every time they market anything from their farms are finding that they are able to save regularly and that they do not miss the small amounts invested. The average farmer in this section of the country depends largely on his "money" crop, which he harvests once a year. Almost every one of them, however, grows something else which he markets at odd times.

An occasional load of hay may be taken into town and sold. The thrifty farmer also plants peas, beans, okra, lettuce, beets or some of the other vegetables which thrive in the Southwest and for which there is a ready market. Butter and eggs form staple articles to be marketed between seasons. By buying just a few Thrift Stamps each time the farm-wagon makes a haul to town, the farmer or his wife is providing a fund which they will be able to turn to good account later on, for when these Thrift Stamps are exchanged for War Savings Stamps, they increase in value automatically, and may always be turned into cash on ten days, written notice to the postmaster, although the longer they are kept the more they earn.

Have you bought your Thrift Stamp today?

Special Notice!

After due consideration and advising with the president and chairman of the board of Trustees of the E. K. Progressive Insurance, and others who are vitally interested, we have decided to put into effect on this date a campaign for membership at the very small cost of \$1.00 per member.

No one gets any commission out of this fund but on the other hand it is placed in the First National Bank of Snyder, Texas, to the credit of the general fund to pay the first death call.

We decided to do this for the first 1000 members, because we realize the stringency of the times, the scarcity of money and the need of public protection in a good and wholesome, solid insurance policy, we therefore waive all commissions and give you the full benefit of the protection, offered you at cost, based on a death rate in one of the healthiest districts in the U. S. The death rate for the last 17 years being only 2 to 1000 population of insurable age.

Applications will be received by D. F. Wilson and E. K. Smith. If you can't apply in person write either of us and blanks will be furnished you by return mail.

To the citizens of the 50 miles radius of the E. K. Progressive Life and Accident Association of Snyder, Texas. Above we have given our reasons why we feel it our duty to you and yours, and also to the mutual interest of all concerned, this proposition. The death rate of this 50 mile radius is only 2 deaths per 1000 of the insurable ages per thousand population, thereby making it the cheapest insurance you ever bought or can, at this time, in the U. S. A. When we have procured the above 1000 new members, the membership fee will automatically fall back to the \$5.00 per new member. The law of Texas limits the membership to only 2000 members. Thanking you, I am,

Yours Very truly,

E. K. SMITH,
 Secretary-Treasurer.

FLUVANNA.

Mr. A. V. Logan of San Benito, Texas, came in Saturday on a business and a visiting trip. Mr. Logan once was a citizen of our town but moved to the above place some six or seven years ago.

Joe Stahl was shot and instantly killed here about 4:30 p. m. last Friday by J. F. Dowdy. Old threats led up to the shooting. Mr. Stahl had just returned that day from the detention camp at Atlanta, Ga., where he had been interned some two years ago. The examining trial was held the following Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Tate spent from Saturday until Monday at Snyder.

Mrs. J. W. Clawson of Fort Worth is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. W. Browning.

Mrs. David Whitely left last week for Fort Worth where she expects

misfortune of getting her jaw bone broken by a horse kicking her. She was riding one horse and driving some others and one of the horses she was driving kicked at the horse she was riding knocking her off and inflicting a very serious break. At this writing she is reported doing nicely.

Henry L. Tate left last Wednesday for Dallas his future home, after spending two weeks here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tate. He having just recently being discharged from the army.

Mr. and Mrs. Melton Knight left last week for Hico and San Antonio, visiting his sister and parents. He has just returned from overseas service in the army. He informed us that he was yet undecided just where he wanted to locate.

Mrs. David Whitely left last week for Fort Worth where she expects

David to arrive about the fifteenth from France. They will return here for a few days visit before they will go to their home near Tahoka.

A large number of our men attended the examining trial of Mr. Dowdy which was held at Snyder Monday.

A four inch rain fell over this vicinity late Saturday evening, which practically insures the oldest maize planted. Some complaint of the heavy rain washing the crops considerably, also insects are still doing some damage to crops.

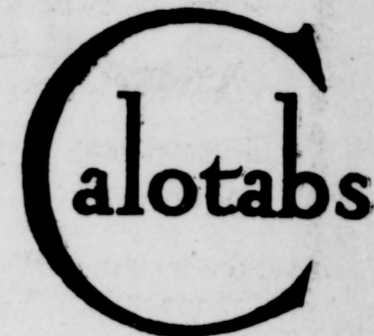
Mr. E. L. and J. W. Sewall left Monday for Seminole on a business trip.

Mrs. J. A. Weems and Mrs. M. E. Spears returned Saturday from O'Donnell where they have been the past three weeks. Mr. Acie Jones accompanied them home. He returned Monday.

Mrs. Dr. Scarborough and son, Hugh were operated on at the Abilene sanitarium some time ago and are now back at home and doing nicely.

C. E. McGinnis is here from Fort Worth this week, watching the oil situation.

The next time you buy calomel ask for



The purified and refined calomel tablets that are nauseless, safe and sure.

Medicinal virtues retained and improved. Sold only in sealed packages. Price 35c.

Base Ball

Snyder vs Uncle Sam

82nd Field Artillery of El Paso

Tuesday June 24th

Game called at 4 p. m.

Teams will play on new grounds three blocks east of R. S. & P. depot.

Small admission fee will be charged to defray incidental expenses.

COZY THEATRE

Presents
Constance Talmadge

Sweet and Pretty, Cute and Cunning
Captive as ever

in
"THE LESSON"

From the Series by Virginia Terhune Van de Water.

The Picture You'll Love---

So will your father, your mother, your sister and brother, your boy and girl, and YOUR SWEETHEART. Next Thursday.

Don't Forget Your Coupons.

Each 25c purchase entitles you to a coupon redeemable by Wm. A. Rogers, in silverware without extra cost to you. Sample of the silverware on display in our show window.

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In business for your health Phone 33
SNYDER, TEXAS.

THE FARMER MUST HAVE RUGGED HEALTH

Many Break Downs and Failures
Due to Exposure and Hard Work

Catarrh in Some of Its Many Forms
Claims Thousands

Every farm family has its medicine cabinet and in almost every one will be found a bottle of Dr. Hartman's World Famous Peruna. For coughs, colds and catarrh it is invaluable. It's use is indicated in all cases of catarrhal inflammation and congestion whether of respiratory organs, stomach, bowels or other organs of the body.

Mr. W. J. Temple of 300 Lincoln Ave., Delaware, Ohio, suffered for years with inflammation of the mucous linings of the stomach and bowels. According to his own story he did not eat a meal for five years without distress. He says: "I am a farmer and must be exposed to all kinds of weather. After years of suffering, a druggist recommended Peruna. I took all together five bottles and am a well man. Formerly, I could not do a day's work. Now, farm work does not fatigue me in the least. Peruna is the best medicine and tonic on the market. Time only strengthens my admiration for it, especially for catarrh and colds."

R. C. Hern was here Wednesday from Hernleigh and says the farms along the way are a delight to look at.

Judge Henry Beall of Sweetwater was here this week conducting the defense in the case of the State vs. Frank Cole.

People are feeding home grown stuff now and eating vegetables from their own gardens.

Mrs. Sam Linecum and little daughter Eula Mae of Altus, Okla., came in Tuesday for a month's visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Johnson of the Plain View community and also to be with her brother Earl who is just returning from over sea.

Attorney G. E. Lockhart of Tahoka has been here this week attending District court.

In a recent county seat election in Gray county it was voted to retain the county seat at LeFors. Pampa received 487 votes and LeFors 312. It requires a two-thirds vote to move a county seat.

Mr. Suter of the Roscoe Times was in Snyder Wednesday.

Amusement Column

A SPLENDID STORY.

Jerry Martin, a bank clerk, in a country town, devotes most of his time to the care of the pet canary of the vice president of the bank. The bird escapes one day and Jerry starts in pursuit. The chase takes him far into the country where he meets some hoboes and instantly his secret yearning for the life of a Knight of the Road overcomes him. He becomes known as "The Watermelon," among the tramps after he has had several gruelling battles, needed to establish his supremacy. When Jerry takes a bath, his valet, Baron Bean, steals his clothes as a protest against reprehensible habits of cleanliness, and this brings about numerous serious as well as humorous complications. Jerry stumbles upon the clothes of a stock broker and when he uses the cards found in a pocket, he is mistaken for the real owner of the clothes and the bank roll contained therein. Then the girl enters upon the scene and Jerry falls in love. Her father is the president of a bank and his enemies in the stock market seek to ruin him, and but for Jerry's strenuousness, they might have succeeded. As it is, Jerry foils the plotters, falls heir to the Vice President's fortune because of his devotion to the canary, and wins the love of his faithful Billy. At Cozy Tomorrow, Two matinees. Starting at 2 p. m.

Notice.

On July 1, under auspices Altruistic club in connection with Jno. H. Crawford of the Cozy Theatre. A programme will be given to raise funds for the public library.

The picture will be: "Little Orphan Annie," and the regular Ford's weekly programme.

Everybody Loves James Whitcomb Riley, and now that they will have a chance to see him in pictures, although he has been dead sometime, but he will be remembered best by his poem:

"Little Orphan Annie's
Come to our house to stay,
An' wash the cups an' saucers up,
And brush the crumbs away."
Watch for ad in next week's paper.

Mr. Crawford's Family Coming.

Mr. John H. Crawford is moving his household effects into Bro. Knight's house in West Snyder and expects his family to come in from Palestine in a few days. They have waited there for the closing of school while he has been here running the Cozy Theatre.

The Dallas Fair dates this year October 6 to 19, promises to be the best in history. The liberal premium lists include just about everything in the scope of human endeavor. Farm, garden, orchard, shops, school, home, kitchen, pantry, dairy, ranch, studio, laboratory, everything in which people are interested.

Villa will probably want to give trouble because our soldiers crossed over and kept him from swatting Carranza's garrison and the Carranza folks raise a kick because we violated their sovereignty.

Eleanor and Lula Mae Dulaney of Colorado were guests this week of Francis Harris.

C. D. Crawford of New Orleans was the guest Monday of his brother John H. Crawford of the Cozy Theatre.

It is learned that Lee Stinson is now at Camp Bowie, and expects to come home in a few days. A man on third base feels nearly home, but some times his last run is delayed.

Seven German peace delegates favor signing the treaty and seven oppose. They are apt to get a signer to break the tie, else Foch is going to break it.

American soldiers in France mixed romance along with war. The transport Pottsburg arrived at Heberon the other day with 69 war brides aboard. It is said that 300 French wives and 20 children have been brought over in the bridal ship since the armistice was signed.

Coy Watkins came in Tuesday with some fine samples of oats from the W. H. Lindley farm in the Pleasant Hill Precinct.

Mrs. C. L. Ezell and children of El Paso are here to visit the home folks while C. L. has gone to watch the oil activities at Ranger.

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION.

The State of Texas:
To the Sheriff or any constable of Scurry county, greeting:
Yu are hereby commanded to cause to be published in the Snyder Signal, a newspaper of general circulation published in said county, at least once a week for ten consecutive days before the return day hereof, the following notice:

The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the welfare of Esther McDermott, a minor, Mrs. Dovie McDermott Edmondson has filed application in the county court of said Scurry county to be appointed guardian of the estate of said Esther McDermott, minor; which said application will be heard by said court at the next regular term thereof to be holden at the court house of said county in the city of Snyder on the 2nd Monday in July, A. D., 1919, the same being the 14th day of July, A. D., 1919, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said proceedings, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Snyder, Texas, this the 13th day of June, A. D., 1919.

(Seal) W. M. Curry, Clerk,
of the County Court, Scurry County,
Texas.

FIGHT STAGED AGAINST RATIFICATION

Senator McNealus of Dallas will oppose ratification of the Woman Suffrage amendment. There is to be a hard fight at the special session over that proposition and we will see where legislators will be charged with standing out against the expressed will of the Texas people, but such charges will not intimidate men who know the analysis of the anti-suffrage vote. It is already ascertained that the bulk of the opposition in May was in south Texas, where anti-prohibition and the Mexican vote is strongest.

Secretary Daniels of the Navy expects battle ships that can move a mile a minute and airplanes that will fly 200 miles an hour. He urges that the navy should continue to build and not stand still like it did following the Spanish-American war. Fact is we are liable to need it. League or no League.

Advertised Letters.

Snyder, Texas, June 20, 1919.
Ayers, Will
Pickens, Mrs. W. M.
The above letters if uncalled for within two weeks will be forwarded to Division of Dead Letters, Washington, D. C.
Respectfully,
E. B. Barnes, P. M.

Mrs. F. J. Helms of Hudd and Miss Winnie Helms of Wichita Falls were in Snyder Monday.

Miss Elsie Davis of Sweetwater is the guest this week of her cousin Miss Ola Mae Davis.

Plant your stubble in cane. Get the seed at the Farmers Union Mer. Co.

"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. Merchants "Most everybody knows my store, I don't have to advertise."

Your store and your goods need more advertising than the railroads need do 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.

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

It's just business, that's all, to ADVERTISE in THIS PAPER

Coming Attractions Cozy Theatre.

Today, "Miss Ambition" by Cornelius Griffith.

The character of this picture is a modern society drama, with scene of action in the slums and wealthy society homes.

Tomorrow, "He comes up Smiling" by Douglas Fairbanks.

Come to the Matinee at 2 or 3:30 p. m. so you won't miss the show or revival services that night. This is a very enjoyable program.

Monday, "Shifting Sand" by Gloria Swanson.

A Triangle picture. They are all good and good for all. Also Vod-a-Vil movies.

Tuesday, "Menly Players" by Kitty Gordon.

Everybody likes this actor. She is good. Ford's Weekly, Canadas Mountain of Tears, Mount Edith Covill.

Wednesday, "2nd Episode Terror of the Range.

A Western Story. Balance of program to fill in yet

Thursday, "The Lesson" a Select picture by Constance Talmadge.

This is a delightful Comedy and those who remember this player know and appreciate her work. "The picture you will love."

Friday, "Everybodys' Girl" by Alice Joyce.

This is a picture I had booked before but did not get to play on account of lights. Alice Joyce is well known here. Her work in "The Lion and the Mouse" and others was very much liked.

Saturday, "Milady of the Beanstalk" by Baby Marice Osborne.

Roy Stokes is here this week from Cisco.

Several transient persons have appeared at Plainview and are trying to induce local labor to demand \$7.50 day for harvest field work. They are probably plain ordinary bolshheviks.

Hamlin citizens have subscribed \$1000 to a fund to provide their school with library and laboratory equipments. We still have genuine Red Top Cane seed that are guaranteed. Get them at 4 cents per pound while they last.



We're Shouting

about the excellent quality of our printing. We don't care what the job may be, we are equipped to turn it out to your satisfaction. If we can't, we'll tell you so frankly.

Let Us Convince You

W. T. Skinner was here this week from Eastland as a witness in District court.

\$100,000.00 At 5 1/2 per cent. **A. J. TOWLE** \$100,000.00 At 5 1/2 per cent.

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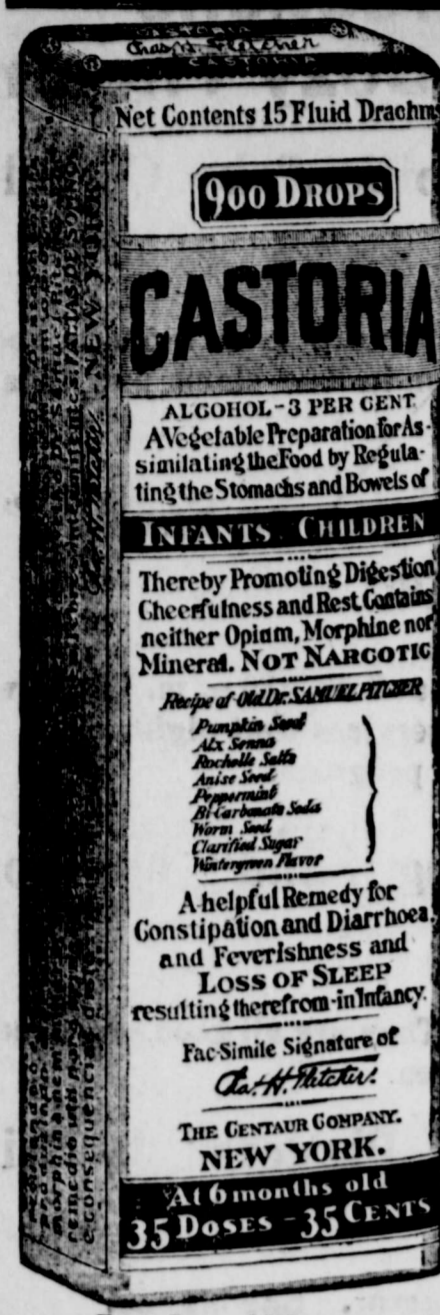
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Most of our buyers pay cash in full, or trade good oil interests as part payment and cash for balance.

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For Infants and Children.
Mothers Know That
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The Hamilton Oil company well, drilling 2 miles northeast of Higgins is down 545 feet. Before they went 225 feet they had gone thru three pockets of gas, at 445 feet they encountered salt water, after which some graffite with some oil was found. They are now going thru very hard rock, and progress is very slow. The driller reported that they would be apt to get oil to the amount of from 50 to 200 barrels per day at a depth of 900 feet.

The Plainview News thinks the evil minded men who object to peek-a-boo waists and short skirts should be blind folded. The real gentleman will refuse to gaze with evil thoughts on woman's apparel.

Clarence Guinn and Wilburn Hull came in from Camp Bowie Tuesday. They were in the real war in France and were transported back some time ago and discharged at Camp Bowie. We are glad to get the boys back home.

Perhaps you have never thought of it, but this disorder is due to a lack of moisture in the residual matter of the food. If you will drink an abundance of water, eat raw fruits and take lots of outdoor exercise you may be able eventually to overcome it entirely. In the meantime use the most mild and gentle laxatives. Strong and harsh cathartics take too much water out of the system and make a bad matter worse. Chamberlain's Tablets are easy and pleasant to take, and most agreeable in effect. Give them a trial.

Mrs. O. P. Trueblood of Dallas is in Snyder to visit her daughter, Mrs. Harvey Shuler.

J. T. Woolridge, of Lubbock, field manager for the Pierce Fordyce Oil people was here Monday.

The people of Marshal, Texas voted down the proposition to take on city management form of government.

Recruiting Party in Snyder.
A recruiting party for the Remount Depot at El Paso were here Monday as agents of the Federal government to get recruits for that department of army service. This party are soliciting men to handle horses. They propose to enlist men of experience in that line of service for as short a period as one year, but the minimum period for inexperienced men is three years. These recruits get complete line of training, a wide range of travel and good pay for service. The party are traveling in a large camouflaged government car that attracts attention, and went from here to Lubbock. The party consisted of 1st Lieut. L. H. Estes, Serg. Richard J. Allen, Serg. George Smith, Jr., Serg. William Potter, and Corp. Joseph Ulmer. They want to enlist physically fit men from 18 to 55 years old and will be back in Snyder in about 30 days.

Man Killed at Fluvanna.
County Attorney Wilmeth and Sheriff Byrd got a telephone call from constable Jim Jones last Friday afternoon telling them to come to Fluvanna quick that Joe Stahl had been shot. The officers left Snyder at five o'clock and made the 20 miles in an hour. They found Stahl dead on a cot in Dane's store and it was readily learned that he had been shot to death by Justice of the Peace, J. F. Dowdy. Five shots took effect. The shooting occurred about 4:30 in the store. It was learned that Stahl had recently been paroled from the Federal prison at Atlanta Georgia where he had been interned for disloyalty for a year or more, and had come back to Fluvanna Friday and it is said was showing a belligerent spirit toward some of the people.

So far as can be learned Stahl had no relatives in this country. He was a blacksmith and had a shop at Fluvanna. It is said that before the United States got into war with Germany he was bold in his declarations in favor of his home country and after this country got into war he kept up his German sympathies and was so boisterous and out spoken in his attitude toward the American government that the officials took cognizance and he was interned as an enemy of the government. Testimony, as to how the trouble was brought about Friday after the man got back to Fluvanna was difficult to learn because the people seemed unwilling to discuss the affair. When it was learned who did the shooting, Col. Wilmeth phoned back to Snyder for Justice Wilson and undertaker Stokes to come and take charge of the body. It was brought to Snyder Friday and buried Saturday and the examining trial set for Monday.

PLANS NATURAL FLOW OF WHEAT.

New York, June 13.—To preserve a natural flow of wheat from the farm, periodical premium covering storage charges will be added to the basic price at various guarantee markets, according to announcement here tonight by Julius Barnes, U. S. wheat director.

These premiums will not be introduced during July when the basic prices prevailing for the last year will remain in effect. For each succeeding month however, premiums will be announced thirty days to advance.

Mr. Barnes also announced railroad rates from inter-mountain and Pacific Coast territory to Galveston and New York soon will be reduced to 56 cents per hundred, the equivalent of 33.5 cents a bushel. This reduction, Mr. Barnes explained, is intended as a relief to the producers in those sections as the grain corporation cannot pursue its practice of making a \$2 blanket minimum price for all wheat at inter-mountain points, but will be obliged to confine itself to paying \$2 at Great Falls, and Salt Lake City, leaving the rest of the western territory to back on the commercial market most readily reached by it. To assure a larger flow of wheat to the gulf ports, Mr. Barnes said he had decided to seek an executive order increasing the number 1 base at Galveston and New Orleans from -2.25 to \$2.30 per bushel. He added he expected this change would become effective July 1.

W. T. Thompson has been at Pyron helping his father-in-law and the boys cut wheat. They cut and shocked 150 acres and think it will average 12 1/2 to 15 bushels.

Marna Looney is here this week from Cisco.

Velvet
THE SMOOTHEST SMOKING TOBACCO

TIME—given the right chance— puts character in a man's face, horse-sense under his hat, and mel-low fren'liness into his tobacco.

Velvet Joe

Time is a big factor in giving Velvet Tobacco its mildness and "character."

Velvet ages for two whole years in wooden hogsheads. During this long period the choice Burley leaves take on a kindly quality of coolness, a rich fragrance, a "taste" that appeals to pipe smokers—old and young.

Don't hurry, but just walk into the next store and lay down a dime and a nickel and say "VELVET"—the tobacco that isn't harsh but is friendly.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.



Roll a VELVET Cigarette

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"my daughter's pains—"

Every mother who has a daughter will be interested in the following letter. It answers the question that thousands of mothers have been asking for years—"What can I do to relieve my daughter of her severe headaches and periodical pains?"

"I have used DR. MILES' ANTI-PAIN PILLS for years and they have always given me prompt relief. My daughter who has been a sufferer of periodical pains and nervous headaches has never failed to obtain relief from these wonderful little tablets. We both thank you from the bottom of our heart for having enabled us to obtain prompt relief from our sufferings. DR. MILES' ANTI-PAIN PILLS have never failed us and we would not be without them."

MRS. WINIFRED JONES, Stockton, Md.

For more than 30 years Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills have been relieving suffering women, men and children from tormenting pain—Headache, Backache, Neuralgia, etc. Ask your druggist for them—keep a box always on hand. They contain no injurious habit forming drug. They give almost INSTANT relief. Cost but a few cents a box.



Senators Lodge and Borah thought they had found something that would put a crimp in President Wilson's popularity. They found that a copy of the treaty had gotten into the hands of high financiers and they wanted to fix an impression that the democrats had submitted it to that element for approval or change. They planned an investigation and it took just two hours to find the newspaper reporter who had brought the document over and gave it to Senator Root. Now the two stalwarts are looking for a new merc's nest.

Twenty one state legislatures have already been called in special session to ratify the suffrage amendment.

H. S. Hart and W. W. Harbour, the latter part of this week shipped a car of young mules they recently sold to Bishop Mule Company of Roscoe.—Seminole Sentinel.

Rev. J. B. McReynolds of Dunn is billed to begin a revival meeting at Seminole June 29.

M. F. Lackey of Fort Worth, assistant manager for the Pierce Oil Corporation was here this week.

R. C. Ledford, manager for the Cheek-Neal Coffee Co., was looking after business affairs in Snyder Monday.

Miss Mary Beck of Eastland is visiting Miss Bertha Wilhelm this week.

Myrtle Henry of Floydada is visiting her aunt Mrs. A. W. Waddill.

Villa is apt to feel aggrieved at the United States for sending troops over to Juarez, but he ought to have been more careful about shooting over the line.

W. H. Ligon of Eastland is visiting kinfolks and friends in Snyder.

STAHL KILLING INVESTIGATED.

Government Representative Geo. C. Busey of Fort Worth was here Monday to investigate the circumstances of the killing of Joe Stahl at Fluvanna last Friday. Stahl was out of internment prison where he had been committed for disloyalty, on parole and was therefore in nominal custody of the federal government and for that reason a government agent was sent here to attend the hearing. A number of citizens of Fluvanna were here to testify. The inquiry was had at county Attorney Wilmeth's office and consumed all of Monday afternoon. At the conclusion of the inquiry Mr. Busey's bond was set at \$1000 to appear at the next term of the District court. The bond was readily signed by a number of responsible citizens.

Olin Hardy came in Sunday morning from Amarillo for a stay of four hours and his mother went home with him Sunday for a visit of two or three weeks.

Shelton Leslie came in a few days ago from France, where he has been fighting the Huns for 16 months.

Something is liable to pop open here before long that will make land prices skin a cat's back.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions. After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Medicine for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Medicine at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free. E. J. CUNNINGHAM & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Billie and Francis Harris were at home Saturday evening to a party of their friends for a chicken fry and it is a cinch they had a fine time. They and some others of the young people have recently returned from school and together with those who had not been away it was a pleasant reunion.



TIME TO RE-TIRE

Spring and Summer is when you get joy out of your automobile. Real pleasure is not obtained unless you have confidence in your casings. It is now time to re-tire. We make a specialty of the celebrated Federal and Fisk tires.

Studebaker Automobiles and accessories.

Gay McGlaugh,
DEALER

Phone 99
Snyder,

Texas.

The announcement is made from Snyder that J. P. Chambless, part owner of the Snyder Signal, and for five years business manager of the Signal, has moved with his family to Waxahachie, where he will engage in newspaper work. The Signal will be conducted by J. S. Hardy and W. R. Bell.—Jacksboro Gazette.

Gen. Villa has married him another wife. He has been married about as many times as he has been dead.

Teething babies always have a hard time of it when this process occurs in hot weather. They not only have to contend with painful gums but the stomach is disordered, bowels loose and the body uncomfortable. The best help you can give the little sufferer is McGEHE'S BABY ELAXIR. It corrects sour stomach, cools and quiets the bowels and helps digestion.

Sold by Grayum Drug Co.

S. Patton reports a peculiar condition of his oats. He has a fine sandy farm a few miles east of town and had only a small patch of oats, which were as fine looking as one could wish for, and they never seemed to suffer for rain. When they were cut last week the bundles seemed very light and on investigation he found that no grain had formed, or at least not enough to be worth anything. However they are fine feed in the bundle and he does not count the crop lost.—Rotan Advance.

We meet all Santa Fe trains. Phone your orders in to 14 or 121. **Newt Hargrove**

The lower house of Congress has voted to appropriate \$750,000,000 for the railroad revolving fund.

We meet all Santa Fe trains. Phone your orders in to 14 or 121. **Newt Hargrove**

Nueces county is soon to act on a proposition to vote a \$2,000,000 road bond issue.

Lame Back Relieved.

For a lame back apply Chamberlain's Liniment twice a day and massage the muscles of the back over the seat of pain thoroughly at each application.

Dimple Gross of Abilene is visiting the folks in Snyder.

Weekly Health Talks

A WORD ABOUT THE KIDNEYS

BY DOCTOR WATSON.

People are easily frightened when they think something is the matter with their lungs or heart, and well they may be; but few people understand the dangers of diseased kidneys. These organs have a duty of vital importance to perform, and if they are diseased, there is no telling how or where the symptoms may appear. The kidneys are filters, and when they are healthy they remove the poisons from the blood and purify it. When the kidneys are diseased, the poisons are spread everywhere, and one of these poisons is uric acid. The uric acid is carried all through the system and deposited in various places, in the form of urate salts—in the feet, ankles, wrists and back—often forming bags under the eyes. Sometimes the resulting trouble is called rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica and backache. Finally, come stone in the bladder, diabetes and Bright's disease.

Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., in recent years, discovered that a certain combination of remedies would dissolve uric acid (urate salts) in the system. He found this combination to be harmless, so that he made it up in tablets, of double strength, and called them Anuric Tablets. They dissolve uric acid in the human system a hot coffee dissolves sugar. If you have uric acid troubles, don't delay in taking Anuric Tablets, which can be secured in the drug stores. You can write Dr. Pierce, too, and he will tell you what to eat and how to live so that more uric acid will not form in your system. Dr. Pierce will not charge for this advice.

CALLED HER FAMILY TO HER BEDSIDE

Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady, But Now She Is a Well, Strong Woman and Praises Cardui For Her Recovery.

Royse City, Tex.—Mrs. Mary Kilman, of this place, says: "After the birth of my little girl...my side commenced to hurt me. I had to go back to bed. We called the doctor. He treated me...but I got no better. I got worse and worse until the misery was unbearable...I was in bed for three months and suffered such agony that I was just drawn up in a knot..."

I told my husband if he would get me a bottle of Cardui I would try it... I commenced taking it, however, that evening I called my family about me... for I knew I could not last many days unless I had a change for

the better. That was six years ago and I am still here and am a well, strong woman, and I owe my life to Cardui. I had only taken half the bottle when I began to feel better. The misery in my side got less... I continued right on taking the Cardui until I had taken three bottles and I did not need any more for I was well and never felt better in my life... I have never had any trouble from that day to this."

Do you suffer from headache, backache, pains in sides, or other discomforts, each month? Or do you feel weak, nervous and fagged-out? If so, give Cardui, the woman's tonic, a trial. **7, 72**

TARIFF SOUGHT TO CHECK COMPETITION IN GLASS TRADE

Washington, June 12.—Japanese competition has become a menace to the American chemical glassware industry, which has been developed during the war, to supply goods formerly obtained only from Germany. This was brought out during a hearing Wednesday before the Ways and Means Committee of the House on a bill fixing an ad valorem duty of 60 per cent on the imported product.

Dr. E. C. Sullivan of a glass works at Corning, N. Y., was one of the witnesses. "We believe that if the chemical glass industry can be protected until it can get on its feet it can take care of itself said Dr. Sullivan.

"We are now threatened with Japanese competition. Sets of glass beakers manufactured in this country sell for \$1.85. Similar Japanese beakers are selling in New York for \$1. We cannot cut prices at this time and believe a duty of 60 per cent is necessary. The provision in the present law enabling chemical glassware for educational institutions to be admitted free of duty also should be eliminated.

"The chemical glassware industry is important from a military point of view if for no other reason."

Children that are affected by worms are pale and sickly and liable to contract some fatal disease. Whites Cream Vermifuge expels worms promptly and puts the child on the road to health. Sold by Grayum Drug Co.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Hardy of Jackson, Mississippi, were guests for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brownfield. Mr. Hardy and Mrs. Brownfield are cousins. The guests were enroute to Los Angeles, California. In company with Messrs Brownfield Mr. Hardy visited the Signal office, presumably to see if all Hardys look alike. Frankly we may as well admit that the Mississippi is the more handsome man of the two.

TO SELL OR TRADE—General Merchandise, also feed and grain; clean well bought stock. Doing good business. Cause, sickness. W. B. Dane, Fluvanna, Texas. 11f.

Mrs. C. R. Lockhart and children left a few days ago for Austin to reside. Charlie is there in the State Treasurer's office.

County Clerk Curry issued a marriage license Monday for Mr. H. C. Campbell of the Plains and Miss Ora Farr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Farr of Hermleigh.

President Wilson is coming home in a few days and will tour the country in behalf of the League of Nations.

Space writers have been saying that Germany wants the ex-Kaiser to come back but Herman Mueller says he is not wanted.

"BAYER CROSS" ON ASPIRIN

Always Ask for Genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin"



Only Aspirin Tablets with the safe "Bayer Cross" on them are genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin," owned and made by Americans and proved safe by millions of people. Unknown quantities of fraudulent Aspirin Tablets were sold recently by a Brooklyn dealer which proved to be composed mostly of Talcum Powder.

"Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" should always be asked for. Then look for the safety "Bayer Cross" on the package and on each tablet. Accept nothing else! Proper directions and dosage in each Bayer package.

Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.

It seems the peace conference finally agreed that Germany can keep an army of 200,000 men and the Germans can be more easily controlled in the League than out of it. These concessions have been made to Germany and yet that arrogant autocrat hesitates to sign up.

Mrs. R. V. Butler and children who have been visiting C. R. Buchanan for the past three weeks have returned to their home at Meridian, Texas.

Miss Ara Cornelius has returned from Amarillo where she has been teaching Expression.

PROFESSIONAL
N. C. LETCHER
Dentist
Office in Williams' Building
Snyder, Texas.

It is said that a certain well posted oil man in Snyder is so sure that an oil boom is coming to Snyder that he is buying up a number of town lots and dilapidated houses with a view to being ready to house the people when they come.

American Labor is beginning to see that the wide spread strike agitation is playing into the hands of bolshevism.

BRACE UP

Do you feel old before your time? Is your back bent and stiff? Do you suffer urinary disorders? Don't despair—profit by Snyder experiences. Snyder people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Here's a Snyder resident's statement.

Mrs. M. Neal, says "About two years ago when I would bend over to pick up something, it was painful for me to straighten again, as the pain in the small of my back was so severe. I was greatly annoyed by the irregular action of my kidneys and mornings I would feel awfully tired and languid.

Doan's Kidney Pills had been used by other members of my family with such good results that I took them. I only had to use one box of Doan's when my back was strengthened and my kidneys regulated. I take a dose of this medicine occasionally now as a preventive."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Neal had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Representative Dent of Alabama thinks a standing army of 400,000 men will be enough for protection of American welfare. That may do, provided a bunch of about 200 Texas cowboys can be held along the Mexican border with instructions to go after bandits when ever there are raids.

The vatican denies that Rome is taking any part in efforts to restore the monarchy in Austria

Angeles and Vila are making it interesting for Carranza soldiers at Juarez, the old wretch has had trouble ever since the supply of German money was cut off.

SPECIAL TAX VOTE OF INDEPENDENCE DISTRICT

In the report of the special school tax election held in Independence School district there were 39 votes cast. Of these 21 were for the tax and 18 against.

The allies have given recognition to Admiral Kolchak's all Russian government at Omsk.

Wanted Sacks 4 and 6 cents each

Highest Prices Paid for Produce & Hides. Feed and farm seed of all kinds. **Henderson & Merrell** Successors to Ketner Bros.

THEY DID IT, THAT'S ALL.

Star-Telegram.

"The boys just went in and licked the Germans. There is no need to say more. That was what they trained to do and what they accomplished. It's conceded to say that Americans won the war, but it is true that the war would never have been won by the Allies without them. They put those boys in between two flanks of French in the Champagne sector. They were the point of the triangle. That point went right through the Germans toward Berlin. If it had not been for the armistice, it would have hit Berlin instead of merely touching it."

Such is the tribute of Col. I. J. Phillipson, commanding officer of the One Hundred and Forty-Third Infantry to the men who served under him. That was his comment as they arrived in Fort Worth Wednesday.

"There is no need to say more," he said. And he is right. "The boys just went in and licked the Germans" sums it up admirably. They taught the world that the motto of the American soldier is "victory or death" and they placed America at the forefront of the nations. To say that they did that—did it without hesitating and with a vigor and a spirit that amazed and thrilled the world is enough to make all Americans proud of them and to understand the eternal debt we owe them.

It is such men that Fort Worth and Texas and Oklahoma are welcoming. They are men who "just went in and licked the Germans" and thus saved civilization. And now they are coming home. How is it possible for us to welcome them adequately and in keeping with what they have done.

Lodge and Borah are making clumsy progress at manufacturing party issues. When they spring a trigger they find it missed he mark and the rebound leaves them dazed while the Wilson ideas grow bigger and stronger.

The Texas Press Association at San Antonio last week elected Sam Fore of Floresville resident and voted to meet next year in Houston.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years Always bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Tuttle*

WHY NOT COLD STORAGE PLANT IN SNYDER.

If some enterprising man or association of men would establish a cold storage warehouse in Snyder it would save thousands of dollars to our people. In that way fruit, vegetables, butter, eggs and many other products could be cared for and marketed without loss. Without such an institution a few pounds of butter and a few dozen eggs will glut the market, and as for vegetables, which are now abundant, there is practically no market. With cold storage facilities a manager could keep in touch with the outside world who could find market for everything we grow. We hope the commercial club will take up a proposition along that line and provide ways for the people to realize on the extra efforts made to produce crops.

NEW PERFECTION OIL COOK STOVES



"CANNING season, with its crowded kitchen hours, is just one of those times when busy housewives most appreciate the dependable New Perfection—the oil cook stove with the Long Blue Chimney Burners."

From New Perfection advertising—Successful Farming—May, 1919.

It drives a steady flow of clean intense heat directly against the utensil—no smoke or odor. Instead of one big sweltering fire, the New Perfection gives many different heats—ready instantly wherever you turn the flame—and the flame stays where set. Burners are brass and last for years.

Sold by all good dealers—ask your dealer to demonstrate this Long Blue Chimney Burner.

THE CLEVELAND METAL PRODUCTS CO. 7810 Platt Ave. Cleveland, Ohio

DEALERS NOTE—The Magnolia Petroleum Company is the distributor of these products in your locality. Complete stocks are carried by them at conveniently located points.



Vacation Sale

Free goods for you all the week of June 23rd to 28th inclusive.

THE PLAN: If you buy any two of the articles displayed, we will give you the third.

PURPOSE: This plan was developed by the United Drug Company as an advertising plan for the merchandise of their manufacture. They sacrifice their profit, we break even and you win.

Don't delay but come early in the week, our stock is limited and like the One-cent sale stock will surely be depleted during the first few days.

Grayum Drug Company

Quality
Snyder,

The Rexall Store

Service
Texas.

Classified Advertisements

'PHONE 88 RATES ONE CENT PER WORD FOR EACH INSERTION. NO AD TAKEN FOR LESS THAN 25 CENTS.

WANTED—by Mrs. Sidney Johnson, a girl to cook and assist in house work, write, see or call phone 9024, Snyder, Texas 51tf.

SWEET POTATO PLANTS—Nancy Hall, Porto Rico, Pumpkin Yam, Bunch Yam, Southern Queen; post-paid, 500, \$1.75; 1000, \$3.00. By Express 5000 \$12.50, 10,000 \$22.50, 20,000 \$42.00, cash with order. Wire for quantity prices. Prompt service, full count, careful pack. Liberty Plant Company, Crystal City, Texas. 50tf.

FOR SERVICE—A Jersey male at my place of business one block from northeast corner square. Telephone 262. W. T. Baze. 49tf

FOR SALE—Blueprint ownership maps, of Scurry county. See Mrs. H. H. Cotton at Scurry County Abstract office in basement of court house. 41tf

LOST—Wednesday night, between my home and the tabernacle, a Colorado gold brooch stone. Mrs. Nora Crawford. 1

Perhaps you have never thought of it, but this disorder is due to a lack of moisture in the residual matter of the food. If you will drink an abundance of water, eat raw fruits and take lots of outdoor exercise you may be able eventually to overcome it entirely. In the meantime use the most mild and gentle laxatives. Strong and harsh cathartics take too much water out of the system and make a bad matter worse. Chamberlain's Tablets are easy and pleasant to take, and most agreeable in effect. Give them a trial.

George T. Parkhouse of Dallas, Texas, visited his daughter, Mrs. E. B. Barnes and family a few days the first of the week. Mr. Parkhouse has just returned from the Cotton Oil men's convention which convened in its twenty-sixth annual convention in the city of Memphis, Tenn., at which meeting he was elected honorary president of the association for life. Mr. Parkhouse assisted in organizing the association 26 years ago, was six times its president, and has attended each yearly meeting since that date.

LEMONS WHITEN AND BEATIFY THE SKIN.
Make this beautiful lotion cheaply for your face, neck, arms and hands.

At the cost of a small jar of ordinary cold cream one can prepare a full quarter pint of the most wonderful lemon skin softener and complexion beautifier, by squeezing the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, whitener and beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces of orchard white at any drug store and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It is marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands.

A Sad Story.
A sad attempt at suicide was reported from Dermott Saturday about 7 p. m. Loy Edmondson, a son of Geo. Edmondson. Loy had shown signs of mental derangement for the past three days and the family had kept watch over him, until about early sundown when the vigilance was relaxed and Loy was allowed to enter his house alone, in a very short time he emerged from the house covered with blood. Those near by saw that he had slashed his throat and was bleeding to death. Drs. Johnson and Rosser were summoned hastily from Snyder. They found the wounded man had cut the wind pipe entirely in two. Had severed all the muscles and blood vessels down to the fatal ones but had not cut the jugular vein. But for the timely aid of Boze Strivner he would have likely bled to death before the Doctors arrived. He had grasped the bleeding throat and held it tightly lessening the hemorrhage. After two hours work the wound was successfully sewed together and Loy will likely get well.

It is learned that Loy is about 32 years old and has a family. He was taken to a sanitarium at Temple this week where it is hoped he may recover and be well and at himself again.

The Doctor Away From Home When Most Needed.

People are often very much disappointed to find that their family physician is away from home when they most need his services. Diseases like pain in the stomach and bowels, colic and diarrhoea require prompt treatment, and have in many instances proven fatal before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned. The right way is to keep at hand a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy. No physician can prescribe a better medicine for these diseases. By having it in the house you escape much pain and suffering and all risk. Buy it now; it may save life.

To Prevent Belching!
Make a regular habit of eating slowly, masticate your food thoroughly, and you may have no further trouble. If you should, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper.

Our soldier boys are coming home bigger, stronger and better men. They manifest firmness of character and there is no swagger or looseness about their bearing. They are real men. A credit to themselves and their home country.

"Little Orphant Annie" Cozy Theatre, July 1st.

Lazelle Huckabee, Roy D. Blair and Johnny Gladson came in home from Camp Bowie Wednesday. These boys are just from the war zone in France and they have had real war time experience.

Light rain here Thursday afternoon.

American Troops Invade Mexico.
The reckless way in which the Villa troops were shooting across the border at El Paso was deemed reason enough why American troops should cross over the dividing line and stop it.

The troops crossed at a point 12 miles east of the city and got into a fight with the Villa out posts and captured nine men and a hundred horses. Angeles and Villa withdrew from the vicinity of Juarez.

The Associated Press correspondent at El Paso says:

"El Paso, Texas, June 16.—American troops that participated in the punitive expedition against the Villa rebels in and near Juarez last night and today, were billeted in barracks at the camps on the American side tonight and were asleep before dark after their 24 hours of preparation and execution. As a rear guard to the cavalry, artillery and engineer columns which wound over the mesa from the city, seven ragged, high hatted Mexican prisoners were herded towards the Fort Bliss stockade by a detachment of the fifth cavalry while another cavalry detachment drove a herd of 100 Mexican horses and ponies captured from the Villa forces to the remount station.

While no official report of the cavalry operations have yet been prepared for Brigadier General James B. Erwin and Major General Cabelle it was unofficially stated tonight at Fort Bliss that approximately 50 Villa followers were killed and the prisoners, horses and mules captured.

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The Echols-Davis fishing party have returned from a trip to the fishing holes along the Pecos river and Mayor Echols reports catching a fish that weighed 15 pounds. W. T. Thompson says the reason the Mayor outstrips his fish story is that the mayor's report came in last.

W. J. Brown of Fluvanna was doing jury service in Snyder this week.

Mrs. S. J. Casstevens has gone to Abilene as representative of the Snyder Eastern Star.

Mr. J. W. Joyce and family left Thursday for a summer visit in Brown county.

Miss Janie Warren is in charge of the prescription department at the Anderson-Echols Drug Store.

Boost the Public Library by going to the Cozy July 1st.

We ought to have some sort of an agency in touch with the consuming world so we could find market for our produce. It is poor economy to grow stuff and let it go to waste.

The E. K. Progressive Mutual Life and Accident Association of Snyder Texas, the Cheapest Insurance known. See D. F. Wilson, Local agent. 2

Don't buy hay. Plant cane seed. Get them from the Farmers Union Mer. Co. 2.

B. A. Hull and family of Eastland are visiting in Snyder this week.

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Clifton Perkins, Esq., is on a business trip to Houston and other points in south Texas.

Earl Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Johnson, has come home from war service in France.

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NO ACCIDENT WEEK.

Agent J. A. Stallings of the Santa Fe hands the Signal this announcement:

Complete details for staging 'No Accident Week' June 22nd to 28th inclusive, have been decided upon by the Safety Representatives of Railroads in the Central Western Region, according to announcement from the offices of the Railroad Administration today.

Mr. H. A. Adams, Regional Supervisor of Safety, has conferred with about seventy Safety Officials of the various lines, the meeting having been held in his office in the Burlington Building.

"It develops that the roads in this jurisdiction have, in the aggregate, approximately three hundred and five thousand (305,000) employees and that each employee is going to be asked to keep from being injured himself, or of being the cause of injuring a fellow-employee.

"Bulletins, rallies, moving picture exhibits of an educational nature, personal appeals, and many other forms of getting into close touch with all employees will be utilized and it is estimated that before June 22nd there will be few, if any railroad workers in the Central Western Region who will not be 'Watching His Step' and avoiding personal injury.

"This movement, covering as it does a vast territory and affecting an enormous population of high class industrial workers is said to be caus-

ing unusual interest in every city and town in the west.

"The 'No Accident Week' was determined upon by Mr. Hale Holden, Regional Director of Railroads, who believes that the cause of Safety

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generally may receive material impetus as a result of it."

The Snyder Signal has rounded out 32 years and starts this week into Vol. 33.

The Star-Telegram is surprised to learn that a majority of the Texas legislature favor ratification of the National Woman Suffrage Amendment, since Texas voted down the state amendment. Possibly the legislators understand that the little majority does not represent the better element of Texas' people.

Why pay more when you can get Belle of Wichita for \$6.50 at Farmers Union Mer. Co.

Lame Back Relieved.
For a lame back apply Chamberlain's Liniment twice a day and massage the muscles of the back over the seat of pain thoroughly at each application.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions. After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Medicine for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Medicine at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free. C. W. FINEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Mr. A. M. Avant is here from Marfa. He says the government is fortifying in all the border country. A permanent fort is being established at Marfa and a big force of soldiers already there. He regrets that it became necessary to stop the reckless shooting across the border and admits that we could not make war on Mexico without a declaration and now he thinks after we get through in Europe we will have to tell Mexico what to do and see that she does it.

See "Little Orphant Annie, July 1st at Cozy Theatre.

Uncle Dike Shotwell was down town Wednesday with samples of his onion crop and they are fine. He had one onion that weighed thirteen ounces. Said he has 70 pounds, all as fine as these on an average.

Why not plant the weed patch in cane. We have the seed and the price is right.

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