

# The Snyder Signal

THIRTY-THIRD YEAR.

SNYDER, SCURRY COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, APRIL 9, 1920.

NUMBER FORTY-THREE

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Mayor Fuller made an interesting inaugural talk, promising to do his best to promote the general welfare of Snyder and he is backed by a live wide-awake Council, all men of sound business judgment and progressive ideas. And now we hope to have named a board of City Development to work with the Council for material advancement and civic improvement. Such a board to work in conjunction with the Council can do a great work in getting new enterprises and developing the business of the city in many ways.

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All our regular services next Sunday. At the morning service, 11:00 o'clock, there will be delivered a special message for our people on the subject, "The Present Call to Baptists." Let all our people be present. Evening service at 7:00 o'clock. An interesting and helpful subject will be discussed.

It is now time to complete the paying of the first fifth of our pledges in the 75 Million Campaign, as all the amount for the first year must be in before May 1. Please see to it at once. Bro. F. A. Grayum is treasurer of this fund and will receipt you for the amount at any time. Please do not overlook this other week.

W. H. Sims, Pastor.

### School Fund Increased

The State Board of Education at Austin recently added one dollar per capita to the school apportionment for this year and the apportionment now is \$8.50. This is the highest ever known in the history of the State.

### SPIRIT OF PROGRESS AND MATERIAL PROSPERITY

Any town or country that expects to build up cannot afford to hark back to old time ways. Of course the fathers laid a solid foundation. Their plans were sufficient for their day. They provided such accommodations as they needed and provided the means to pay expenses of maintaining their institutions. They even went further than their day. They knew that the population would increase and that the vast scopes of virgin territory would be peopled. They knew that cities would grow up, that railroads would come, that great schools would be founded, that commerce would reach out to all the world and they left the hands of posterity unfettered so that coming generations could provide means for the acquisition of advanced plans and methods to meet conditions as they might later be developed.

The fathers looked forward instead of backward. No, town, no community, no state or nation can keep step with the progressive spirit of the times, and keep itself in a groove from generation to generation. The town council has served us well. The council government has been good in other towns. Boards of aldermen have striven to build cities, but they have been under a handicap.

Progressive towns have seen fit to adopt the commission government and their citizens say they prefer it. It gives them opportunity for new enterprises and to beautify the city and provide civic comforts.

The City of Snyder some day will outgrow the aldermanic system and be ready to take on the newer and stronger element of development.

### Ladies Aid Meeting

The monthly business meeting of the Ladies Aid Society was held Monday afternoon.

After singing those two inspiring songs, "On Higher Ground" and "Just When I'll Need Him Most," Mrs. Gross read Luke 2nd, and made some appropriate remarks. Mrs. Rogers led in prayer.

The president then took charge. The attendance was quite an increase over the last meeting for business. All the reports of the various committees were very encouraging. The treasurer's showed that we still had quite a nice sum on hand after expenditures for last month. The finance committee recommended that all the ladies of the church make their contributions through the treasurer of the Ladies Aid Society, and the president appointed Mesdames Wrenn and Barton to assist the treasurer in seeing the ladies and securing their pledges. Secretaries of the three circles, Central, East and West, reported much work done in the way of visiting the sick and sewing to secure funds for Society.

Plate committee recommended purchase of new collection plates and were authorized to purchase them.

The proposition of the Snyder Record to give the Society a liberal per cent for all subscribers secured was rejected.

Mesdames C. Stevens, Morris and Adamson were appointed a committee to make arrangements to paper pastorium.

Society voted to condense week of prayer into three days, beginning with missionary meeting at Mrs. Cunningham's third Monday this month.

Dismissal with prayer by president. —Reporter.

### Woman's Missionary Auxiliary

The Woman's Missionary Auxiliary of the M. E. Church met in regular session Monday afternoon. After a very appropriate devotional led by Mrs. Yoder, there was a short business session. The Mission study was conducted by Mrs. Lee T. Stinson, subject: "The Question."

Mrs. W. A. Doak will conduct the Bible study at the next meeting.

### MONTHLY REPORT OF RURAL SCHOOLS OF SCURRY CO.

Practically all vacancies caused by sickness and resignations have been filled now by teachers holding certificates and the schools are moving along nicely again. The remaining part of the school should be the best of the year. The weather will, doubtless, be favorable and the days longer and no excuse for tardiness and absence.

Teachers and trustees should investigate the funds and ascertain the date of closing at least one month before the term ends. Plan something for the close of school. As a rule the school drags up to the close without a program or something to break the monotony, is a dull one.

Requisitions for the new books for another year should have been made April 1st by the teachers. The law forbids me to approve their vouchers until this is done.

Blanks for custodians have been sent out and his report should be made by them with the help of the teachers by the time school closes. After this report is made, the 5 per cent commission due them for the handling of the books can be paid through the County Superintendent's office.

Quite a number of the districts are to vote on an increase of the local tax this spring, realizing that something must be done if they are to have a school worth while next year.

State aid has been granted to nineteen schools of the county. We want to make it twenty-five another year. What schools want to be one of the six others? Elsewhere is a statement from the Department of Education relative to this aid.

In next week's paper will appear the program of the Trustees Day to be held soon.

O. L. HOWELL, Co. Supt.

### Methodist Church

Sunday school at 9:45. A splendid lesson and efficient teaching. Supt. Rogers wants to see you there this time. Preaching at 11 and 7 o'clock. Our Presiding Elder, Bro. G. S. Hardy, will preach at both hours. Let us have a full attendance for his fine messages. Quarterly Conference immediately after the service Sunday evening. I hope that the officials of the church will be at this service. We will have the administration of the Lord's Supper at the close of the morning service. This is a good time to place your membership with us. We were very glad to receive J. B. Curry last Sunday. A most cordial invitation for you to worship with us. Good music at all our services.

J. H. Hicks, Pastor.

### Card of Appreciation

We wish to take this method of thanking our neighbors and friends for their loving kindness during our darling boy's illness and death. You will never know until you go through with the same just how we appreciate your goodness. We also want to thank Dr. Morrow for his faithfulness and our friends at Snyder who so sympathetically came to the end. Also Brother Sims and Brother Leslie for the many consoling words. May our Heavenly Father watch over, guide and protect you all in our prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kemp and Carl.

### Oil Showing in Long Well

Mr. Jones, of Jones Brothers, who are drilling the well on the Long ranch near Durham was in with a sample bottle of water from the well which has a fine showing of oil. They went into the oil at 326 feet late Wednesday and are shut down to bale out the water and mud. It looks good and Mr. Jones believes they have the oil.

### Former Snyder Lady Married

A news item comes to the Signal from Amarillo in a newspaper clipping which says,

"William T. Stringer of Gainesville and Mrs. Sybil Coates of Texarkana were married by the Rev. M. M. Davis at his home 4509 Live Oak street. Mr. and Mrs. Stringer will make their home in Greenville."

That her mother died Thursday evening Snyder a few years ago and was popular in social circles.

### SNYDER LINES UP FOR CIVIC ADVANCEMENT

Every member of the City Council of Snyder is a successful business man. Every one a wide awake progressive citizen, interested in the growth of the town and country.

Every member of the Board of School trustees is a high minded citizen, educated and interested in building up the school interest in Snyder. Now, we hope to see a concerted move started to build here a new High School building that will furnish every possible educational advantage and be a credit to the city.

A number of towns have a committee of citizens called the board of city development to work in connection with the City Officials and the school board to bring business enterprises and look after various phases of city improvement and it is to be hoped that Snyder may adopt such a plan.

There are big plumes for Snyder if we are public spirited enough to get out and pull them. There are good reasons for believing that with proper efforts the M. K. & T. Railroad can be brought to Snyder.

Another enterprise that is in order is the County Exhibit of Poultry, Stock Farm exhibits and industrial accomplished billed to be held here next fall.

### Knights Templar Banquet

The annual Easter Service of Snyder Commandery Knight's Templars was observed Sunday morning at the Baptist church with Rev. W. H. Sims officiating. The Knights were in full uniform.

The service was taken from the Twenty-eighth chapter of St. Matthew and was beautifully discoursed upon by the minister. Special music suitable for the occasion was sung by the choir and Mrs. W. H. Sims and Miss Violet Grayum sang a duet in their usual pleasing manner.

After services the Commandery, with their ladies repaired to the Manhattan Hotel where an elegant banquet was served to about eighty present.

Sir Dr. R. G. Davenport acting as toastmaster very ably introduced the following speakers who creditably did honor to the occasion.

Welcome address—Sir M. E. Rosser.

Response—Sir Rev. J. H. Tate. Our Temple—Sir E. J. Anderson. To the Ladies—Sir Bernard Bone. Response—Mrs. O. P. Thrane. Building for the Future—Sir E. B. Barnes.

It was indeed a splendid occasion with many visitors and a memorable event in the annals of the Commandery.

### Baby Reeves

The little two and a half years old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Reeves of Fluvanna, died last Monday afternoon. The child first became ill with pneumonia; following this malady stomach trouble and disorder of the brain set up. The patient lingered between two worlds for nearly three weeks. Finally, after all had been done that patient attendants could do the little light went out, the immortal spirit was released from its failing tabernacle of clay, and passed from earth to paradise—the home of all the little ones who cannot remain with us. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Jas. H. Tate and the remains interred in the Fluvanna cemetery Tuesday afternoon.

### MASTER RUSSELL JOHNSON IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Mrs. Roxie Johnson's little son Russel who has been sick for some time recently developed appendicitis. Mrs. Johnson took him to the sanitarium at Lubbock Monday night for an operation and news came from there Tuesday that it is a very serious case—both appendicitis and peritonitis, and there is not much hope of his recovery. Mrs. Perry Morris and Johnnie Johnson went to Lubbock Tuesday night to do what they could in the case. The child's appendix was found to be in a serious condition.

C. C. Wyatt and R. M. Day are keeping things busy in auto and electric lines in the old post office building the Woodrow hotel block.

## IMPRESSIVE EASTER SERVICE AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

### SCHOOL CONTESTS, EXHIBITS AND AWARDS

It is admitted that the exhibits and exercises of the Scholastic meet last week were the most complete ever shown here. There were about 20 schools represented and every line of contest was represented.

The Art Department shown in the corridor of the court house was of much interest. Following is a report of awards in that department.

The judges' report on our school exhibit follows:

#### Domestic Art

1st award—crochet yoke by N. J. Roggenstine, Lloyd Mt.  
2nd award—crocheted centerpiece Emely Turner, Dunai.

#### Manual Arts

1st award—miniature house and furniture, by John Bailey, Hermleigh school.

#### Basketry

Straw mat by Cecil Moore.

#### Bethel School

Plans for an ideal home—Vernell Stinson, Snyder.

#### Architectural Designing

Hines Sims, Snyder.

#### Paintings

1st award—Animals, by Sylvester Knight, Camp Springs; 2nd award—Woman knitting, by Lola Dee Higginbotham.

#### Drawings

1st award—Dress designing No. 1, by Lola Dee Higginbotham; 2nd award—Bunch of Lilies, by Dora Myers, Bethel school; 3rd award—Skelton figure, by Ruth Clift, Hermleigh.

#### Political Maps

1st award—Transportation, routes and chief products map, by pupils of Bookout school; 2nd award—United States by Cecil Worley.

#### Relief Maps

1st award—North America, by Homer Huddleston, Bison; 2nd award—Aubrey Huddleston, Bison.

#### Original Poem

Chateau-Thierry, by Dosta Callis, Bookout.

#### Penmanship

1st and 2nd grades, Hermleigh.

#### Cut Work

Group of Easter Chickens, 3rd and 4th grades, Hermleigh.

### State Aid for Schools

Austin, Texas,  
O. L. Howell, Co. Supt. Scurry Co.  
Dear Sir:

The State Board of Education, at a special meeting held on Saturday, March 20th, has granted State Aid to the schools of your county to the amount of \$6,930. The voucher for this sum will be sent to your county depository as soon as the Comptroller's department can attend to the matter.

On account of weather and road conditions over the State, it has been impossible for this department to visit the schools of your county, and this action is taken in order that the schools may receive this aid before the time when otherwise they must close. This aid has been finally granted without visitation, with the understanding that our supervisors will visit these schools as soon as possible this session. If, on visiting a school, a supervisor should find that it has not met the conditions, then in granting State Aid for next year, this fact will be taken into account, and it is probable that a deduction will be made from aid that may be granted that school next year. The law gives the State Superintendent the right to grant appropriations when the school has done its best to meet the conditions.

Sincerely yours,

Annie Webb Blanton.

State Superintendent.

### Youth Died at Foch

A young son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kemp died last Thursday at their home near Hermleigh. He was recently brought home from a Fort Worth sanitarium where he had been under treatment without any improvement.

Under the auspices of the Order of the Knights Templar, a beautiful and very impressive Easter service was held last Sunday, at 11 o'clock, in the Baptist church. The Six Knights assembled at the Masonic hall from which place they marched in double file to the church, where they were seated in a body just before eleven o'clock. Many of the members of this ancient order were dressed in their uniforms, consisting of black Prince Albert coats, large white plumes in their military hats and polished swords at their sides, thus, presenting an attractive appearance.

Rev. W. H. Sims preached the special sermon, using as his text, Matt. 28.6, "He is not here, for he is risen, as he said. Come, see the place where the Lord lay." The preacher brought up several of the time-worn objections to the possibility and truth of the resurrection of the body of Jesus Christ. These objections were adequately answered and it was made clear that the truth of the resurrection is established, not only in the Holy Scriptures, but in profane history as well, beyond the possibility of a reasonable doubt. Attention was called to the fact that, the disciples and even the apostles themselves did not expect the resurrection of the body of their Lord; hence, they were convinced by the overpowering weight of evidence brought to bear upon them, including the several miraculous appearances of the Saviour among his disciples and, finally, his ascension into heaven where he ever sits at the right hand of the Father to make intercession for all those who believe in and follow Him.

The speaker also emphasized the fact that, "If Christ be not raised your faith is vain; ye are yet in your sins." And, "They also which are fallen also in Christ are perished." But, since there can be no well founded doubt of this resurrection; then we have positive assurance of the resurrection of our bodies, to which the soul will be reunited and, in the case of the righteous, dwell in eternal peace and supreme happiness in the presence of their redeemer in eternity.

Following the sermon, the K. T.'s proceeded to The Manhattan where a splendid dinner and appropriate toasts were enjoyed by the Six Knights and their wives.

### The Oil Outlook

After losing part of the bailer in the hole the Post City company drilling on the Payne ranch about 3 miles west of Justiceburgh, have succeeded in drilling this out and are now drilling in black shale at 2150 feet. This well is attracting more attention among the real oil men than any other is this section at present. At 1465 feet a big showing of oil was encountered and another good showing of oil was had around 2100 feet with some smaller showings in between and more or less gas all along. If this well was being drilled in a proven field it would be considered certain for a producer.

The Jones Drilling Company have had an oil showing at 236 feet on the Long Ranch. A heavy flow of mineral water has so far out of any chance of testing this showing but drillers think it is good for a small producer.

Considerable mystery surrounds the McCall well on the old 18 ranch in the southwest part of Fisher county at about 1600 feet. Tankage is being erected for some purpose and it is reported on good authority that considerable showings have been encountered under blue shale. This may be the same sand that was supposed to have had a chance for a good producer near Roscoe several years ago.

Dr. T. L. Wilson is getting the laundry equipment for business and expects to open up in a few days.

Gay McGlaun's oil business and Wesley Hendry's Cash Garage are now located on Scarborough street, and they are doing rushing business.

As a politician Mr. Hoover looms up as a great joke.

President Wilson is to spend the summer in Massachusetts.

The stock yard strike in Chicago has been condemned by the Federation leaders as illegal.

It is believed that the fruit crop is all killed, but there will be lots of things for exhibit next fall in the Poultry, Pet Stock and farm products show.

The bituminous mine workers have agreed to accept the wage scale of 27 per cent increase and will continue at work—unless some other notion strikes them.

The Government has decided to dismiss 10,000 clerks in the various departments in the District of Columbia. These are people who were given soft jobs during the war and their services are no longer needed.

The railroad office force at McKinney all wear overalls during work hours to offset the high cost of clothing. If all people will do that, it would soon become a popular fad. Clean overalls make decent apparel.

Governments are instituted among men for the promotion of happiness and the upbuilding of society, but there are lots of people who fail to get a share in the happiness. Some folks couldn't be happy without something to kick about.

Lieut. Gov. W. A. Johnson of Memphis is acting Governor of Texas this week while Governor Hobby is in Washington attending a cotton conference and using all his powers of argument to prevent the laying of an embargo against Texas cotton, a step threatened because of the boll-worm.

Senators Borah and Johnson are mad because Gen. Wood is about to lick 'em in the Republican primaries and are charging that Wood is too extravagant in using money. We believe they are right about it, for Wood proposes to come to Texas to strengthen the Republican party here. That is a waste of money for Bailey and Poindexter are here and doing all they can for the Republicans.

Mr. Bailey is very candid. He has no use for President Wilson and he says so and he has a very contemptuous opinion of the currency law of the Wilson administration, known to the people as the federal reserve act, which established twelve reserve banks and destroyed the power of Wall street financiers and those be-

hind them to create or manufacture made to order panics or to centralize the money of America in the city of New York. —Fort Worth Record.

The United States Government necessarily spent immense sums of money during the world war. Big things were accomplished in a short time. It required skill and action to meet the demands and to get skilled workers and other help, big prices had to be paid and this caused the incurring of a heavy debt, but the administration is now meeting the obligation. During March the public debt was reduced in the sum of \$175,000,000 and it is said the debt now outstanding is \$24,698,000,000.

**Where Does He Live?**

The publicity secretary of the Democratic campaign committee contributes the following reference to Mr. Bailey's citizenship conditions:

In the Dallas Morning News of Tuesday, March 23, there appeared a special telegram from Lexington, Kentucky, telling about the former Senator disposing of a large number of trotting horses on Hinata farm, Russell Cave pike, which property he has under lease. The concluding sentence of the special item is as follows:

"Mr. Bailey has bought twenty-nine acres of land six miles from Lexington and will build a big country home thereon."

State Press of the Dallas Morning News on Sunday March 21, told of receiving a communication from a lawyer in Eastland, Texas, in which the attorney wrote "concerning the diversifying candidate:"

"His home is in Washington, his cemetery lot in Gainesville, his heart in Germany, his ranch in New Mexico his horses in Kentucky and his bee-hawes in Texas."

Under a commission government a city can make progress and secure concerns that otherwise would be out of reach, and under a commission ways can be found to get side-walks built in the town and when that is done your property will be worth more.

The Democrats of Scurry county should not neglect to take interest in political affairs. There are politicians in Texas engaging tactics to destroy the Democratic party, and it must not be done. A. C. Wilmett was elected County Chairman two years

ago and he will soon call on all Democrats to fall in line. There is no place this year for a fence straddler.

The Democratic convention at St. Joseph, Missouri, passed resolutions endorsing the Democratic administration and elected a solid administration delegation to the San Francisco convention. The followers of Senator Reed organized the convention and expected, to condemn Wilson and send an anti-Wilson delegation but the Democrats got control and unseated the Reed crowd and refused to send Reed or any of his kind to the convention. The Reed men volted.

President Wilson believes that with Article 10 of the League of Nations Covenant stripped of its force and meaning the instrument would be not only worthless, but mischievous and therefore he favored defeat of the emasculated measure. He would have been untrue to himself his country and the Allied nations if he had accepted it. The Republican leaders started out to destroy Wilson's popularity and would do anything to oppose his measures, and therefore their machinations have have defeated the peace treaty. Henceforth the foreign powers will look upon the United States as hav-

ing failed to keep true to a pact. Our country will feel the effects and all because the Lodge crowd wanted to defeat the policies of a democratic administration.

"I Lost My Best Customers Thru Rats," Writes J. Adams.

"Used to have the busiest Restaurant in town until the news spread that the kitchen was infested with rats; lost a lot of my best customers until I tried RAT-SNAP. Haven't a pest in the place now. Restaurants should use RAT-SNAP." Three sizes, 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by W. G. Ralston.

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**Joe Strayhorn Agent**



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## SPRIT OF PROGRESS AND MATERIAL PROSPERITY

Any town or country that expects to build up cannot afford to hark back to old time ways. Of course the fathers laid a solid foundation. Their plans were sufficient for their day. They provided such accommodations as they needed and provided the means to pay expenses of maintaining their institutions. They even went further than their day. They knew that the population would increase and that the vast scopes of virgin territory would be peopled. They knew that cities would grow up, that railroads would come, that great schools would be founded, that commerce would reach out to all the world and they left the hands of posterity unfettered so that coming generations could provide means for the acquisition of advanced plans and methods to meet conditions as they might later be developed.

The fathers looked forward instead of backward. No town, no community, no state or nation can keep step with the progressive spirit of the times, and keep itself in a groove from generation to generation. The town council has served us well. The council government has been good in other towns. Boards of aldermen have striven to build cities, but they have been under a handicap.

Progressive towns have seen fit to adopt the commission government and their citizens say they prefer it. It gives them opportunity for new enterprises and to beautify the city and provide civic comforts.

The City of Snyder some day will outgrow the aldermanic system and be ready to take on the newer and stronger element of development.

## Ladies Aid Meeting

The monthly business meeting of the Ladies Aid Society was held Monday afternoon.

After singing those two inspiring songs, "On Higher Ground" and "Just When I'll Need Him Most," Mrs. Gross read Luke 2nd, and made some appropriate remarks. Mrs. Rogers led in prayer.

The president then took charge. The attendance was quite an increase over the last meeting for business. All the reports of the various committees were very encouraging. The treasurer's showed that we still had quite a nice sum on hand after expenditures for last month. The finance committee recommended that all the ladies of the church make their contributions through the treasurer of the Ladies Aid Society, and the president appointed Mesdames Wrenn and Barton to assist the treasurer in seeing the ladies and securing their pledges. Secretaries of the three circles, Central, East and West, reported much work done in the way of visiting the sick and sewing to secure funds for Society.

Plate committee recommended purchase of new collection plates and were authorized to purchase them.

The proposition of the Snyder Record to give the Society a liberal per cent for all subscribers secured was rejected.

Mesdames C. Stevens, Morris and Adamson were appointed a committee to make arrangements to paper pastorium.

Society voted to condense week of prayer into three days, beginning with missionary meeting at Mrs. Cunningham's third Monday this month.

Dismissal with prayer by president.

## Woman's Missionary Auxiliary

The Woman's Missionary Auxiliary of the M. E. Church met in regular session Monday afternoon. After a very appropriate devotional led by Mrs. Yoder, there was a short business session. The Mission study was conducted by Mrs. Lee T. Stinson, subject: "The Question."

Mrs. W. A. Deak will conduct the Bible study at the next meeting.

## MONTHLY REPORT OF RURAL SCHOOLS OF SCURRY CO.

Practically all vacancies caused by sickness and resignations have been filled now by teachers holding certificates and the schools are moving along nicely again. The remaining part of the schools should be the best of the year. The weather will, doubtless, be favorable and the days longer and no excuse for tardiness and absence.

Teachers and trustees should investigate the funds and ascertain the date of closing at least one month before the term ends. Plan something for the close of school. As a rule the school drags up to the close without a program or something to break the monotony, is a dull one.

Requisitions for the new books for another year should have been made April 1st by the teachers. The law forbids me to approve their vouchers until this is done.

Blanks for custodians have been sent out and his report should be made by them with the help of the teachers by the time school closes. After this report is made, the 5 per cent commission due them for the handling of the books can be paid through the County Superintendent's office.

Quite a number of the districts are to vote on an increase of the local tax this spring, realizing that something must be done if they are to have a school worth while next year.

State aid has been granted to nineteen schools of the county. We want to make it twenty-five another year. What school's want to be one of the six others? Elsewhere is a statement from the Department of Education relative to this aid.

In next week's paper will appear the program of the Trustees Day to be held soon.

O. L. HOWELL, Co. Supt.

## Methodist Church

Sunday school at 9:45. A splendid lesson and efficient teaching. Supt. Rogers wants to see you there this time. Preaching at 11 and 7 o'clock. Our Presiding Elder, Bro. G. S. Hardy, will preach at both hours. Let us have a full attendance for his fine messages. Quarterly Conference immediately after the service Sunday evening. I hope that the officials of the church will be at this service. We will have the administration of the Lord's Supper at the close of the morning service. This is a good time to place your membership with us. We were very glad to receive J. B. Curry last Sunday. A most cordial invitation for you to worship with us. Good music at all our services.

J. H. Hicks, Pastor.

## Card of Appreciation

We wish to take this method of thanking our neighbors and friends for their loving kindness during our darling boy's illness and death. You will never know until you go through with the same just how we appreciate your goodness. We also want to thank Dr. Morrow for his faithfulness and our friends at Snyder who so sympathetically came to the end. Also Brother Sims and Brother Leslie for the many consoling words. May our Heavenly Father watch over, guide and protect you all is our prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kemp and Carl.

## Oil Showing in Long Well

Mr. Jones, of Jones Brothers, who are drilling the well on the Long ranch near Durham was in with a sample bottle of water from the well which has a fine showing of oil. They went into the oil at 326 feet late Wednesday and are shut down to bale out the water and mud. It looks good and Mr. Jones believes they have the oil.

Former Snyder Lady Married

A news item comes to the Signal from Amarillo in a newspaper clipping which says,

"William T. Stringer of Gainesville and Mrs. Sybil Coates of Texarkana were married by the Rev. M. M. Davis at his home 4509 Live Oak street, Mr. and Mrs. Stringer will make their home in Greenville."

That her mother died Thursday even Snyder a few years ago and was popular in social circles.

## SNYDER LINES UP FOR CIVIC ADVANCEMENT

Every member of the City Council of Snyder is a successful business man. Every one a wide awake progressive citizen, interested in the growth of the town and country.

Every member of the Board of School trustees is a high minded citizen, educated and interested in building up the school interest in Snyder. Now, we hope to see a concerted move started to build here a new High School building that will furnish every possible educational advantage and be a credit to the city.

A number of towns have a committee of citizens called the board of city development to work in connection with the City Officials and the school board to bring business enterprises and look after various phases of city improvement and it is to be hoped that Snyder may adopt such a plan.

There are big plumes for Snyder if we are public spirited enough to get out and pull them. There are good reasons for believing that with proper efforts the M. K. & T. Railroad can be brought to Snyder.

Another enterprise that is in order is the County Exhibit of Poultry, Stock Farm exhibits and industrial accomplished billed to be held here next fall.

## Knights Templar Banquet

The annual Easter Service of Snyder Commandery Knight's Templars was observed Sunday morning at the Baptist church with Rev. W. H. Sims officiating. The Knights were in full uniform.

The service was taken from the Twenty-eighth chapter of St. Matthew and was beautifully discoursed upon by the minister. Special music suitable for the occasion was sung by the choir and Mrs. W. H. Sims and Miss Violet Grayum sang a duet in their usual pleasing manner.

After services the Commandery, with their ladies repaired to the Manhattan Hotel where an elegant banquet was served to about eighty present.

Sir Dr. R. G. Davenport acting as toastmaster very ably introduced the following speakers who creditably did honor to the occasion.

Welcome address—Sir M. E. Rosser.

Response—Sir Rev. J. H. Tate.

Our Temple—Sir E. J. Anderson.

To the Ladies—Sir Bernard Bone.

Response—Mrs. O. P. Thrane.

Building for the Future—Sir E. B. Barnes.

It was indeed a splendid occasion with many visitors and a memorable event in the annals of the Commandery.

## Baby Reeves

The little two and a half years old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Reeves of Fluvanna, died last Monday afternoon. The child first became ill with pneumonia; following this malady stomach trouble and disorder of the brain set up. The patient lingered between two worlds for nearly three weeks. Finally, after all had been done that patient attendants could do the little light went out, the immortal spirit was released from its failing tabernacle of clay, and passed from earth to paradise—the home of all the little ones who cannot remain with us. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Jas. H. Tate and the remains interred in the Fluvanna cemetery Tuesday afternoon.

## MASTER RUSSELL JOHNSON IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Mrs. Roxie Johnson's little son Russel who has been sick for some time recently developed appendicitis. Mrs. Johnson took him to the sanitarium at Lubbock Monday night for an operation and news came from there Tuesday that it is a very serious case—both appendicitis and peritonitis, and there is not much hope of his recovery. Mrs. Perry Morris and Johnnie Johnson went to Lubbock Tuesday night to do what they could in the case.

The child's appendix was found to be in a serious condition.

C. C. Wyatt and R. M. Day are keeping things busy in auto and electric lines in the old post office building the Woodrow hotel block.

## IMPRESSIVE EASTER SERVICE AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

### SCHOOL CONTESTS, EXHIBITS AND AWARDS

It is admitted that the exhibits and exercises of the Scholastic meet last week were the most complete ever shown here. There were about 20 schools represented and every line of contest was represented.

The Art Department shown in the corridor of the court house was of much interest. Following is a report of awards in that department. The judges' report on our school exhibit follows:

**Domestic Art**  
1st award—crochet yoke by N. J. Roggenstine, Lloyd Mt.

2nd award—crocheted centerpiece Emely Turner, Dunn.

**Manual Arts**  
1st award—miniature house and furniture, by John Bailey, Hermleigh school.

**Basketry**  
Straw mat by Cecil Moore.

**Bethel School**  
Plans for an ideal home—Vernell Stinson, Snyder.

**Architectural Designing**  
Hines Sims, Snyder.

**Paintings**  
1st award—Animals, by Sylvester Knight, Camp Springs; 2nd award—Woman knitting, by Lola Dee Higginbotham.

**Drawings**  
1st award—Dress designing No. 1, by Lola Dee Higginbotham; 2nd award—Bunch of Lilies, by Dora Myers, Bethel school; 3rd award—Skelton figure, by Ruth Clift, Hermleigh.

**Political Maps**  
1st award—Transportation, routes and chief products map, by pupils of Bookout school; 2nd award—United States by Cecil Worley.

**Relief Maps**  
1st award—North America, by Homer Huddleston, Bison; 2nd award—Aubrey Huddleston, Bison.

**Original Poem**  
Chateau-Thierry, by Dossia Callis, Bookout.

**Penmanship**  
1st and 2nd grades, Hermleigh.

**Cut Work**  
Group of Easter Chickens, 3rd and 4th grades, Hermleigh.

### State Aid for Schools

Austin, Texas,  
O. L. Howell, Co. Supt. Scurry Co.  
Dear Sir:

The State Board of Education, at a special meeting held on Saturday, March 20th, has granted State Aid to the schools of your county to the amount of \$6,930. The voucher for this sum will be sent to your county depository as soon as the Comptroller's department can attend to the matter.

On account of weather and road conditions over the State, it has been impossible for this department to visit the schools of your county, and this action is taken in order that the schools may receive this aid before the time when otherwise they must close. This aid has been finally granted without visitation, with the understanding that our supervisors will visit these schools as soon as possible this session. If, on visiting a school, a supervisor should find that it has not met the conditions, then in granting State Aid for next year, this fact will be taken into account, and it is probable that a deduction will be made from aid that may be granted that school next year. The law gives the State Superintendent the right to grant appropriations when the school has done its best to meet the conditions.

Sincerely yours,  
Annie Webb Blanton,  
State Superintendent.

### Youth Died at Foch

A young son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kemp died last Thursday at their home near Hermleigh. He was recently brought home from a Fort Worth sanitarium where he had been under treatment without any improvement.

Under the auspices of the Order of the Knights Templar, a beautiful and very impressive Easter service was held last Sunday, at 11 o'clock, in the Baptist church. The Sir Knights assembled at the Masonic hall from which place they marched in double file to the church, where they were seated in a body just before eleven o'clock. Many of the members of this ancient order were dressed in their uniforms, consisting of black Prince Albert coats, large white plumes in their military hats, and polished swords at their sides, thus, presenting an attractive appearance.

Rev. W. H. Sims preached the special sermon, using as his text, Matt. 28.6, "He is not here, for he is risen, as he said. Come, see the place where the Lord lay." The preacher brought up several of the time-worn objections to the possibility and truth of the resurrection of the body of Jesus Christ. These objections were adequately answered and it was made clear that the truth of the resurrection is established, not only in the Holy Scriptures, but in profane history as well, beyond the possibility of a reasonable doubt. Attention was called to the fact that, the disciples and even the apostles themselves did not expect the resurrection of the body of their Lord; hence, they were convinced by the overpowering weight of evidence brought to bear upon them, including the several miraculous appearances of the Saviour among his disciples and, finally, his ascension into heaven where he ever sits at the right hand of the Father to make intercession for all those who believe in and follow Him.

The speaker also emphasized the fact that, "If Christ be not raised your faith is vain; ye are yet in your sins." And, "They also which are fallen also in Christ are perished." But, since there can be no well founded doubt of this resurrection; then we have positive assurance of the resurrection of our bodies, to which the soul will be reunited and, in the case of the righteous, dwell in eternal peace and supreme happiness in the presence of their redeemer in eternity.

Following the sermon, the K. T.'s proceeded to The Manhattan where a splendid dinner and appropriate toasts were enjoyed by the Sir Knights and their wives.

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### The Oil Outlook

After losing part of the baller in the hole the Post City company drilling on the Payne ranch about 3 miles west of Justiceburgh, have succeeded in drilling this out and are now drilling in black shale at 2150 feet. This well is attracting more attention among the real oil men than any other is this section at present. At 1465 feet a big showing of oil was encountered and another good showing of oil was had around 2100 feet with some smaller showings in between and more or less gas all along. If this well was being drilled in a proven field it would be considered a producer.

The Jones Drilling Company have had an oil showing at 286 feet on the Long Ranch. A heavy flow of mineral water has so far cut of any chance of testing this showing but drillers think it is good for a small producer.

Considerable mystery surrounds the McCall well on the old 18 ranch in the southwest part of Fisher county at about 1600 feet. Tankage is being erected for some purpose and it is reported on good authority that considerable showings have been countered under blue shale. It may be the same sand that was supposed to have had a chance for good producer near Roscoe several years ago.

Dr. T. L. Wilson is getting the laundry equipment for business and expects to open up in a few days. Gay McGlaun's oil business and Wesley Hendry's Cash Garage are now located on Scarborough street, and they are doing rushing business.

As a politician Mr. Hoover looms up as a great joke.

President Wilson is to spend the summer in Massachusetts.

The stock yard strike in Chicago has been condemned by the Federation leaders as illegal.

It is believed that the fruit crop is all killed, but there will be lots of things for exhibit next fall in the Poultry, Pet Stock and farm products show.

The bituminous mine workers have agreed to accept the wage scale of 27 per cent increase and will continue at work—unless some other notion strikes them.

The Government has decided to dismiss 10,000 clerks in the various departments in the District of Columbia. These are people who were given soft jobs during the war and their services are no longer needed.

The railroad office force at McKinney all wear overalls during work hours to offset the high cost of clothing. If all people will do that, it would soon become a popular fad. Clean overalls make decent apparel.

Governments are instituted among men for the promotion of happiness and the upbuilding of society, but there are lots of people who fail to get a share in the happiness. Some folks couldn't be happy without something to kick about.

Lieut. Gov. W. A. Johnson of Memphis is acting Governor of Texas this week while Governor Hobby is in Washington attending a cotton conference and using all his powers of argument to prevent the laying of an embargo against Texas cotton, a step threatened because of the boll-worm.

Senators Borah and Johnson are mad because Gen. Wood is about to lick 'em in the Republican primaries and are charging that Wood is too extravagant in using money. We believe they are right about it, for Wood proposes to come to Texas to strengthen the Republican party here. That is a waste of money for Bailey and Poindexter are here and doing all they can for the Republicans.

Mr. Bailey is very candid. He has no use for President Wilson and he says so and he has a very contemptuous opinion of the currency law of the Wilson administration, known to the people as the federal reserve act, which established twelve reserve banks and destroyed the power of Wall street financiers and those be-

hind them to create or manufacture made to order panics or to centralize the money of America in the city of New York. —Fort Worth Record.

The United States Government necessarily spent immense sums of money during the world war. Big things were accomplished in a short time. It required skill and action to meet the demands and to get skilled workers and other help, big prices had to be paid and this caused the incurring of a heavy debt, but the administration is now meeting the obligation. During March the public debt was reduced in the sum of \$175,000,000 and it is said the debt now outstanding is \$24,698,000,000.

**Where Does He Live?**  
The publicity secretary of the Democratic campaign committee contributes the following reference to Mr. Bailey's citizenship conditions:

In the Dallas Morning News of Tuesday, March 23, there appeared a special telegram from Lexington, Kentucky, telling about the former Senator disposing of a large number of trotting horses on Hinata farm, Russell Cave pike, which property he has under lease. The concluding sentence of the special item is as follows:

"Mr. Bailey has bought twenty-nine acres of land six miles from Lexington and will build a big country home thereon."

State Press of the Dallas Morning News on Sunday March 21, told of receiving a communication from a lawyer in Eastland, Texas, in which the attorney wrote "concerning the diversifying candidate:"

"His home is in Washington, his cemetery lot in Gainesville, his heart in Germany, his ranch in New Mexico his horses in Kentucky and his he-hawners in Texas."

Under a commission government a city can make progress and secure concerns that otherwise would be out of reach, and under a commission ways can be found to get sidewalks built in the town and when that is done your property will be worth more.

The Democrats of Scurry county should not neglect to take interest in political affairs. There are politicians in Texas engaging tactics to destroy the Democratic party, and it must not be done. A. C. Willmeth was elected County Chairman two years

ago and he will soon call on all Democrats to fall in line. There is no place this year for a fence straddler.

The Democratic convention at St. Joseph, Missouri, passed resolutions endorsing the Democratic administration and elected a solid administration delegation to the San Francisco convention. The followers of Senator Reed organized the convention and expected, to condemn Wilson and send an anti-Wilson delegation but the Democrats got control and unseated the Reed crowd and refused to send Reed or any of his kind to the convention. The Reed men volted.

President Wilson believes that with Article 10 of the League of Nations Covenant stripped of its force and meaning the instrument would be not only worthless, but mischievous and therefore he favored defeat of the emasculated measure. He would have been untrue to himself his country and the Allied nations if he had accepted it. The Republican leaders started out to destroy Wilson's popularity and would do anything to oppose his measures, and therefore their machinations have defeated the peace treaty. Henceforth the foreign powers will look upon the United States as hav-

ing failed to keep true to a pact. Our country will feel the effects and all because the Lodge crowd wanted to defeat the policies of a democratic administration.

**"I Lost My Best Customers Thru Rats,"** Writes J. Adams.

Used to have the busiest Restaurant in town until the news spread that the kitchen was infested with rats; lost a lot of my best customers until I tried RAT-SNAP. Haven't a pest in the place now. Restaurants should use RAT-SNAP." Three sizes, 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by W. G. Ralston.

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The Car that climbs the hill on high.

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Make an appointment with us and let us Demonstrate its many advantages to you.

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You want a Spark Plug that does not fail in an emergency—a steady, reliable go-to-do-it and do-it plug. That's the **Watkins Spark Plug** Watkins Quality and Watkins guarantee stands behind this plug, also behind all the 187 products. A stock of these goods are kept at W. G. Ralston's grocery store

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Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a "Bayer package," containing proper directions for Headache, Colds, Pain, Neuralgia, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for nineteen years. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Aspirin is trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoacetic acid ester of Salicylic acid.

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**Joe Strayhorn Agent**



**What One Neighbor Told Another**

"Have you heard the good news?"

"Dr. Price's Baking Powder is now produced with PURE PHOSPHATE and is sold at about HALF the price charged when the powder contained Cream of Tartar. When the grocer told me, I just threw away that alum mixture I have been using because it was cheap, and ordered a can of

**DR. PRICE'S Baking Powder**

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**NOTICE OF FINAL REPORT.**

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry county, Greeting:

E. L. Moore, Guardian, of the estate of Willie Lafayette Moore, Irving C. Moore, and Linnie O. Moore, Minors, having filed in our county court his final report of the condition of the estate of said Willie Lafayette Moore, Irving C. Moore and Linnie O. Moore, Minors, together with an application to be discharged from said guardianship, you are hereby commanded, that by publication of this writ for twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the county of Scurry, State of Texas, you give due notice to all persons interested in the Report for final settlement of said estate, to file their objections thereto, if any they have, on or before the April Term, A. D., 1920, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said county, in the city of Snyder on the 12th day of April, A. D., 1920, when said Report and application will be considered by said court.

Witness, W. M. Curry, Clerk of Scurry county.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at my office in Snyder, Texas, this the 17th day of March, A. D., 1920.

W. M. CURRY,  
County Clerk, Scurry County, Texas.  
By Ada Riley, Deputy.

**Notice by Publication in Probate THE STATE OF TEXAS**

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published (in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been published continuously and regularly for a period of not less than one year in your county) at least once a week for 3 consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, copies of the following notice:

**THE STATE OF TEXAS.**

To all persons interested in the estate of Harbin Lafayette Smith, deceased.

J. C. Stinson filed an application in the County Court of Scurry county on the 25th day of March, 1920, for administrator of the estate of Harbin Lafayette Smith, deceased, with will annexed, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 12th day of April, 1920, at the Court House of said County, in Snyder, at which time all persons who are interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Snyder this 25th day of March, 1920

W. M. CURRY,  
Clerk County Court, Scurry Co., Tex.  
By Ada Riley, Deputy.

**For Sale**  
Single Comb Brown Leghorn eggs 15 for \$1.50, and \$8.00 hundred.—Mrs. Warren Sturgeon, Foch, Texas.

**NOTICE BY PUBLICATION IN PROBATE**

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry County, Greeting:

**The State of Texas**  
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published (in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been published continuously and regularly for a period of not less than one year in your county) at least once a week for three consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, copies of the following notice:

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

To all persons interested in Person or estate of

Minnie Lee Rothrock, Minor.

Forrest Jones has filed an application in the County Court of Scurry County on the 20th day of March, 1920, for guardianship of both person and estate, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 12th day of April, 1920, at the Court House of said County, in Snyder, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said person and estate are required to appear and answer said application, 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 20th day of March, 1920.

W. M. CURRY,  
Clerk County Court, Scurry County, Texas.  
By Ada Riley, Deputy.

**What Mrs. Brenninger, of New York, Says About Rat Poison.**

"Rat-SNAP is the only one that prevents disagreeable odors after killing. Also like RAT-SNAP because it comes in handy cakes, no mixing with other food. You don't have to dirty your hands, it's the best for household use try RAT-SNAP Three sizes, 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by W. G. Ralston.

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Who knows when the fire will break out next. Protect your property by insuring in a strong, old line company, represented by Boren & Erwin.



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**An Enjoyable Occasion**

Beginning with the first of last year the women of the different church societies have been having joint meetings of all the societies and church workers. These meetings are held on the 6th Monday making them come quarterly. Feeling the need of a closer fellowship, and the bringing together our forces for the discussion of such subjects as are equally important to us all, these meetings afford us an opportunity for such.

On last Monday afternoon, March 29, something like 90 or 100 women gathered at the M. E. church with the Methodist ladies as hostess.

The meeting was opened with a piano solo by Mrs. Pamiltor after which we sang that good old song, "Onward Christian Soldier."

Mrs. Higgins led the devotional and in the lesson read reminded us of our duty as personal service workers, and as Christ's helpers to ones less fortunate than ourselves.

The special music reading and papers were especially good and thoroughly enjoyed by all.

How we do need to emphasize the "Gospel of Clean Living," as was brought out by Mesdames Chinn and Buchanan in their discussion.

It is to be hoped that the fathers and mothers of our little city will help to encourage our young people in wholesome thinking and living.

After a most interesting program we were to make ourselves at home visit and howdy with each other, which we gladly did. Delicious white cake and ice cream, served by our hostess, added much to the pleasure of the afternoon.

After having had a very enjoyable social hour we each departed feeling that such occasions are truly helpful. Let them continue.

—Reporter.

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**Among the Exchanges**

Some towns that were heretofore entirely unknown now occupy great big greasy spots on the map. Oil did the work for them.—Waxahachie Light.

Then again, there are towns that had about seven thousand inhabitants before the census taker came around that now show to have "shrunk up."

The Lockney Beacon reports a 25 per cent increase in salary of teachers at that place and Slaton has raised salaries. The Snyder school board have done the same way. Secretary Joe Taylor says he doesn't know where the money is to come from, but we must pay it or ruin our schools.

The Taylor County Times predicts development of something besides petroleum, if the price of oil continues to go up.

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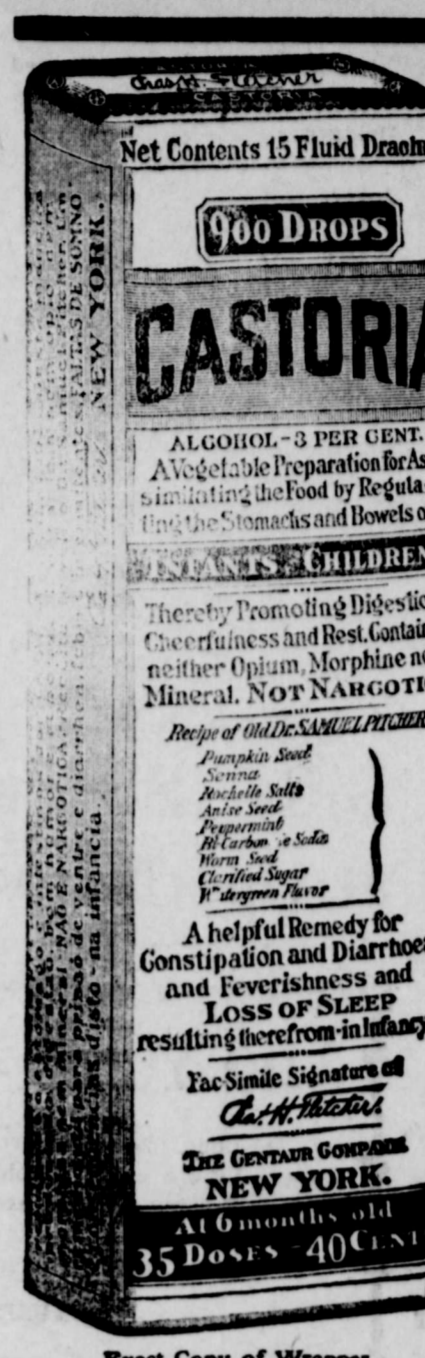
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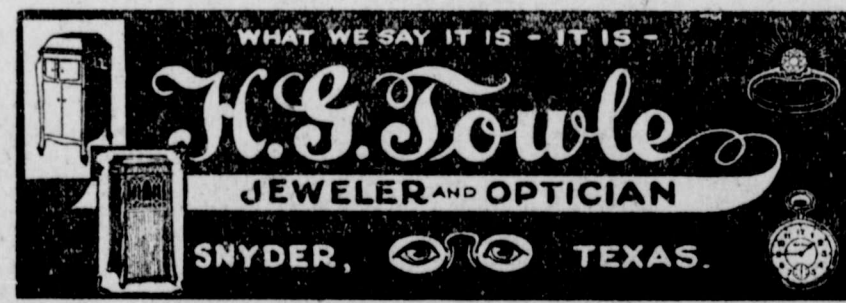


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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry county, Greeting:

E. L. Moore, Guardian, of the estate of Willie Lafayette Moore, Irving C. Moore, and Linnie O. Moore, Minors, having filed in our county court his final report of the condition of the estate of said Willie Lafayette Moore, Irving C. Moore and Linnie O. Moore, Minors, together with an application to be discharged from said guardianship, you are hereby commanded, that by publication of this writ for twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the county of Scurry, State of Texas, you give due notice to all persons interested in the Report for final settlement of said estate, to file their objections thereto, if any they have, on or before the April Term, A. D., 1920, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said county, in the city of Snyder on the 12th day of April, A. D., 1920, when said Report and application will be considered by said court.

Witness, W. M. Curry, Clerk of Scurry county.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at my office in Snyder, Texas, this the 17th day of March, A. D., 1920.

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Herein fail not, but have you this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Snyder this 25th day of March, 1920

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On last Monday afternoon, March 29, something like 90 or 100 women gathered at the M. E. church with the Methodist ladies as hostess.

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The special music reading and papers were especially good and thoroughly enjoyed by all.

How we do need to emphasize the "Gospel of Clean Living," as was brought out by Mesdames Chinn and Buchanan in their discussion.

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Let them continue. —Reporter.

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**Among the Exchanges**

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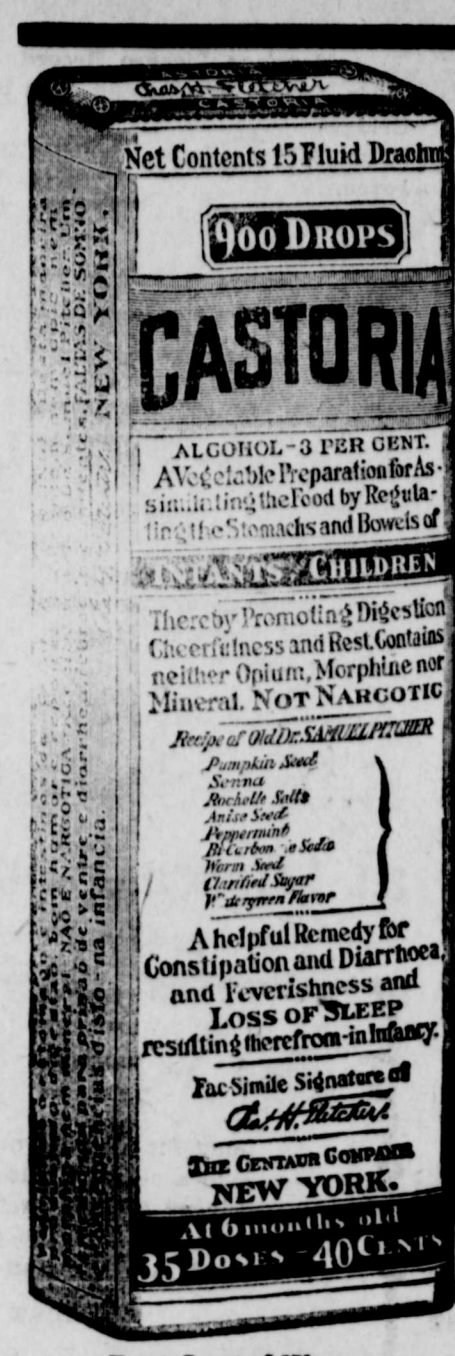
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# The Snyder Signal

THIRTY-THIRD YEAR.

SNYDER, SCURRY COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, APRIL 9, 1920.

NUMBER FORTY-THREE

## HANK: AND HIS ANIMAL FRIENDS By Walt McDoug



WALT MCDUGAL









Hopkins County will plant about 2,000 acres in watermelons.

Parker County will plant a big acreage of sweet and Irish potatoes.

Only in the extreme portions of West Texas are farmers still offering cotton to the ginner.

Live stock has come through the winter in West Texas in good shape and practically without feed.

Mr. Statum, a farmer of Donley County, raised 85 bales of cotton on 84 measured acres of land.

J. T. Sharp, a farmer living near Weatherford, received \$2,000 from a crop of 12 acres of peanuts.

One-third of the members of boys Agricultural clubs of Texas are members of hog raisers clubs.

The Ranger section is turning a little toward truck growing in order to reduce the high cost of living in the oil fields.

Probably sixty per cent of the tomato plants of Smith County have been killed. The fruit crop has sustained some losses.

Early fruit and vegetables have been killed by the frost in the territory around Lockhart; also some corn has suffered a like fate.

Santa Anna has shipped her second carload of eggs. Coleman County is to have one of the biggest poultry shows in the state this year.

At the annual pure-bred sow sale, held at McKinney March 6, J. J. McClain sold a Duroc sow for \$1,850. Mr. McClain bred and raised the sow.

Growers have organized at Big Spring, county. The plan of the Association collective buying and selling and storage of wool and concentration.

A crop in the Laredo section has black ten days by the severe cold temperature as low as 32 degrees in the lower Rio Grande Valley.

from inspectors of the Cattle Commission of Texas indicate that at present in Texas are cattle shipments are being

raisers of West Texas Government for several hundred

Sweet potato curers of Texas have decided to advertise the Texas product under the name of "Dixie Sweets" and intend to ship 150,000 bushels to the Northern and Eastern markets. Over one million dollars is now invested in sweet potato curing plants in Texas.

Farmers in the Hico section are buying tractor machinery. Many farmers over the state are buying tractor machinery in order to make up for the scarcity of labor which made it difficult for them to cultivate and harvest the 1920 crops.

The Whitesboro Fruit Company, which has between 500 and 600 acres of Early Wheeler and Elberta peaches, burned smudges during the cold spell and it is thought most of the fruit in this big orchard was saved. Smaller orchards, that were not protected by smudges, in all probability will produce no fruit this year.

Wheat acreage in Texas has been greatly reduced this year, owing to the heavy rains last fall and which continued through the planting season. Only from 25 to 30 per cent of wheat acreage has been planted, as compared with last year's acreage. In the northwest portion of the state thousands of bushels of wheat are still unthreshed.

At a meeting in San Antonio on March 21, the Pecan Growers of the San Antonio territory, organized for the purpose of promoting the growth of pecans in that section, and also for the best methods of marketing them. Ike T. Pryor, who is said to be one of the largest pecan growers in the world, was elected President of the Company.

With favorable climate conditions and little interference from pests, the 1920 cotton crop in Texas will yield about 4,500,000 bales, according to an estimated forecast of S. S. Frazier, secretary of the Texas Cotton Ginner's Association. The estimate represents about a 30 per cent increase over the yield in 1919.

The West Texas lamb crop this year is a record breaker. Flocks are said to be producing a lamb for every bred ewe, which would make a 90 per cent crop, but conservatively the crop will be at least 75 per cent. The season ends April 20 after which shearing begins and continues through May and June.

must eradicate the pink boll worm if not want other cotton-growing states use a rigid quarantine against Texas. Louisiana Department of Agriculture has declared quarantine against the state on cotton seed, meal and hulls, as protection against the spread of pink boll worm, recently discovered at Cameron Parish, Louisiana.

Frank A. Briggs, writing in the Dallas News, from East Texas, says that it is as much a curiosity to see a razorback hog in East Texas as it is to see a long-horned steer in West Texas. Texas is going strong in pure-bred hogs, and this is well, for Texas is a thorough-state made up of thorough-bred people, and is fast coming into its own as one of the best states in the United States.

Address recently held a thorough-bred hog and sold \$22,530 worth of their valuable hogs. Fifty-one head of Poland China sows were sold for \$442.00 each. Lewis, of Childress County, sold a eleven-month gilt for a consideration of \$3,000. Alexander, who has one of the largest hog farms in the state, near Childress, sold many of his hogs at this sale at high prices.

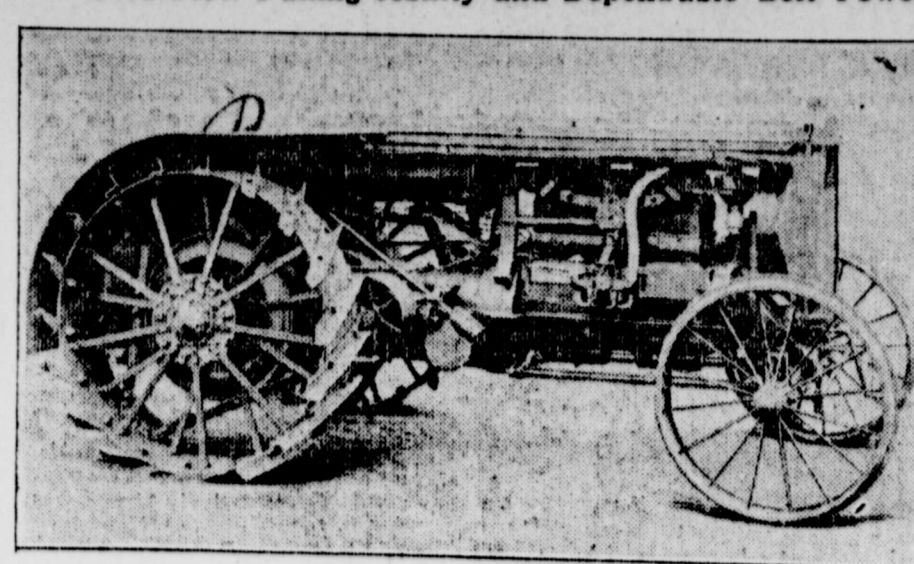
Hunter, member of the Federal Board, in charge of pink boll worm, in consultation with Governor and members of the State Agricultural Board have that the only safe method to handle the pink boll worm situation in Texas is no longer a question of whether there is such a thing as a pink boll worm in Texas, because of the establishment of non-cotton in Arkansas and Mississippi and a quarantine against cotton on seed. This pest was first reported in 1843. It was introduced about 1911 where it caused a loss of at least 20 per cent of the crop. In Hawaii it destroyed \$1,000,000.00 annually. All worm agree that the creation of a pink boll worm should be the most successful way to get it out. This was done in Texas, in 1919, by the State and M. College.

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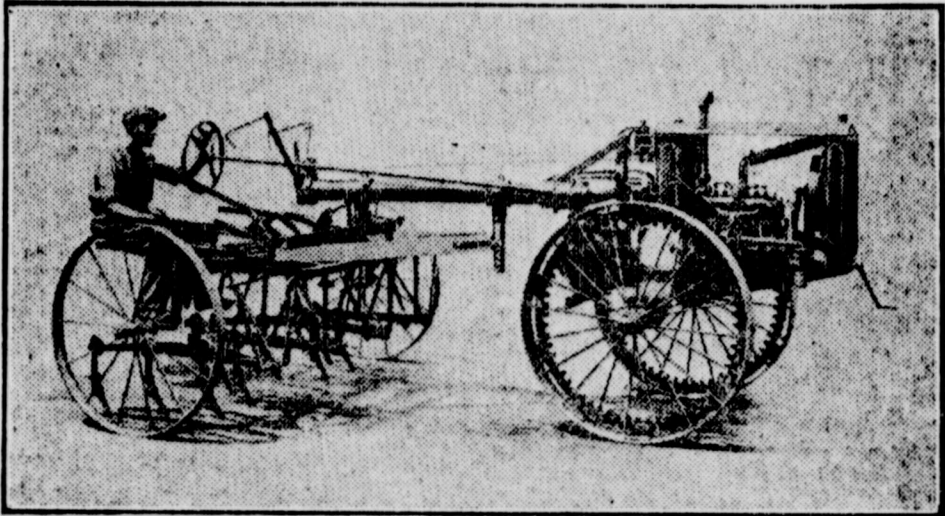
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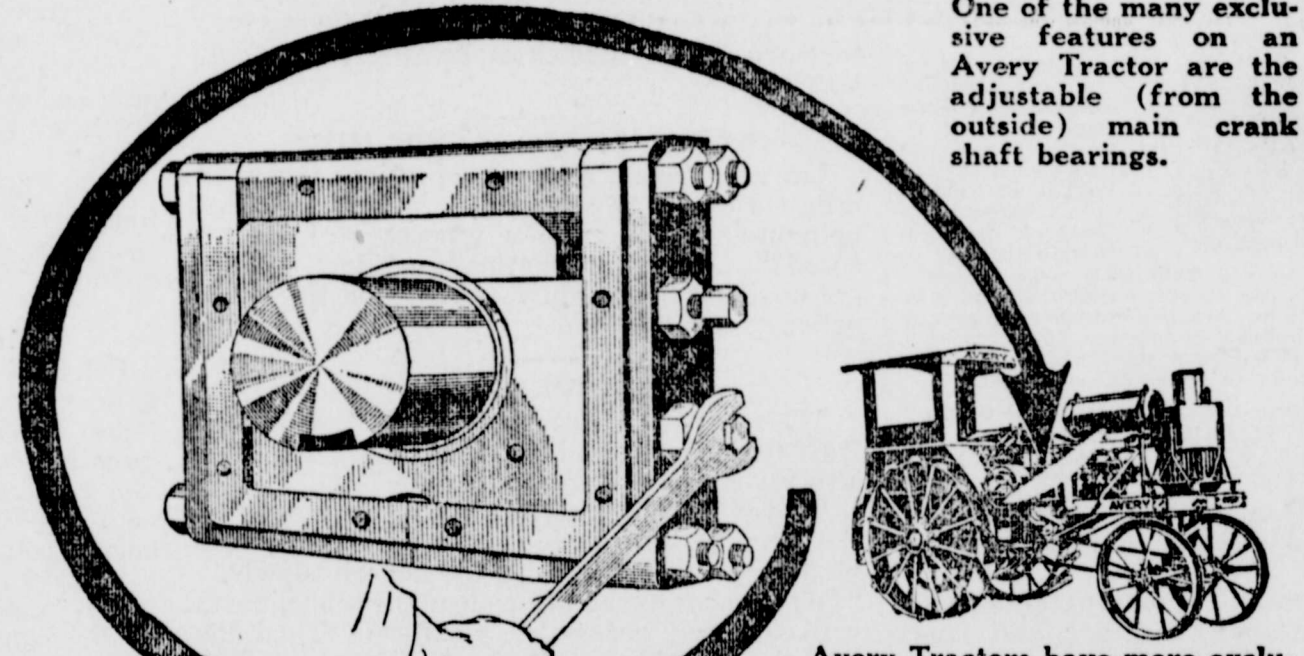


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**FORT WORTH HIDE & WOOL MARKET**

Market firm and steady. The following prices were paid for hides, wool, etc. by Nortex Hide & Produce Company, at Fort Worth, Texas, March 27, 1920:

Green hides by express	.15
Green salt hides by freight	.17
Bulls and damaged, usual reduction.	
Dry flint hides	.30
Dry salt hides	.27
Bulls and damaged, usual reduction.	
Green salted horse hides, large, each	6.00
Green salt horse hides, medium, each	5.00
Fonies and damaged, half price.	
Green salted hog skins, each	.50 to .60
Sheep pelts, each	.50 to 1.50
Shearling sheep, small pelts, kids and damaged pelts, usual reduction.	
Furs, according to grade.	
Wool, according to grade.	

H. B. Dorsey, Secretary of the Texas Grain Dealers' Association, said that the recent rain which has fallen over the greater part of north central and west Texas was of great benefit to the grain crops. Corn especially needed rain in order to bring it out of the ground. There is some complaint in Denton County of green bug damages. This bug has also appeared in Dallas, Collin, and Grayson Counties. Federal and State Departments of Agriculture have been asked to take the necessary precautions to prevent the spread of the insect.







#### School Trustees Elected

The school trustee election last Saturday in Snyder resulted in the election of Hugh Boren, D. P. Strayhorn, W. M. Curry and Pat Johnston. The holdovers are Clifton Perkins, A. D. Erwin and A. P. Morris. E. C. Dodson leads here for the position of County trustee.

#### Her Mother Died

Mrs. W. B. McCormick, who was called last week to the bedside of her mother at Moody, telegraphed to Mr. McCormick late Thursday that her mother died Thursday evening and the funeral would be held Saturday.

#### Print Paper Goes Higher

The Signal has this week received late quotations on print paper and that commodity has taken another upward jump. It is becoming more and more serious for publishers, and

The bride resided for a time in cause of the shortage and price and others may have to go.

A number of country weeklies have raised their subscription price to two dollars a year.

The Signal has no notion of doing that but must insist upon approximately, cash in advance for subscriptions. The Signal is not being sent out to anybody as a free circulation and it knows that its subscribers will come in some time during the year and pay us, but with the cost of production going higher it becomes necessary to fudge on the quantity of paper to be used and therefore the necessity of asking all in arrears to rally to us and enable us to get by.

#### Are You Happy?

To be happy you must be well. If you are frequently troubled with constipation and indigestion you cannot be altogether happy. Take these disorders. They are prompt and effectual, easy and pleasant to take.

#### Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

The great benefit derived from the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been gratefully acknowledged by many. Mrs. Benjamin F. Blake, Decatur, Ill., writes, "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is by far the best medicine for colds and coughs we have ever used in our family. I gave it to my children when small for croup and have taken it myself."

J. W. Joyce left last Thursday for Amarillo to take a position in a drug store in that town. His family will join him there when he can get a residence.

Mrs. Will's is now in charge of the Woodrow hotel. Just now the house is closed to guests and is being thoroughly renovated. A new awning is being built and the entire hotel, dining room, bed rooms, parlor and lobby are all being brightened up and the hotel will soon be open for business.

FOR SALE—Good milk cow with three months old calf. See W. M. Curry at Signal office 42

Dr. R. G. Davenport who has been to Vernon returned home Thursday.

The School Meet prize list is unavoidably carried over for next week's paper.

Send in Singer sewing machine payments to Singer Co., Sweetwater, so you will not be bothered with a collector.—Singer Sewing Machine Co.

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Carrol Davidson of Camp Springs says he is not in politics. He is farming and waiting for an oil well to come in at Camp Springs.

R. E. Joyce of the Foch precinct was in town Saturday and moved his Signal date up.

J. B. Curry has accepted a position with J. E. Ketner groceryman. J. B. says he wants his friends to call on him when in need of something to eat. He also carries a fine line of toothpicks.

Mrs. B. F. Smith and Albert of Lockney spent Sunday in Snyder and left Monday for a visit in South Texas. Mrs. D. P. Lane went with them.

Bro. Halley place near Ira sold this week through Dodson and Taylor.

John L. Webb and T. L. Sheppard on Route No. 2, are improving their homes by building additions to their residences.

Mrs. Maxwell and Mrs. Banks have gone to Plainview to be with their father, Rev. A. B. Roberts, who is seriously sick.

Good millet seed clear of Johnson grass and weed seed. Come and get them.—S. J. Johnson. 46

Try us for groceries during April. We have the goods and can deliver on short notice.—Farmers Merc. Co. 43

Mr. Clyde Phillips and Miss Pearl Bridges were married in Snyder last Sunday by Rev. W. H. Sims.

LOST—Childs white crochet hat, between Economy store and Central school building. Return to Signal office and receive reward. 43p

East Texas Pure Home Made Ribbon Cane at Templeton Store. 42 I have secured my help and you do not need to wait for your work as it can be done at once.—First State Bank Basement, P. Benbenek. 46

C. C. Johnson, who has been in the service of Uncle Sam in the navy and who has been most everywhere in the world during the war, has been discharged and returned home this week. Mrs. Gladys Johnson (nee Brown is, of course, very happy this week.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kemp all join in feelings of sympathy in the death of their 13-year old son who was taken from them at their home at Foch last week. He was an unusually bright and intelligent boy and a favorite among his teachers and fellow pupils in school.

B. F. Davis and Liv Davis place sold this week by Dodson and Taylor

## What's On at the Cozy

### Today

"THE MINTS OF HELL," With William Desmond, Vivian Rich and Others. Filmed on "Lilimuit" Divide, in the midst of an arctic winter. A story of the days of Klondike.

### Tomorrow

...BRYANT WASHBURN in "A VERY GOOD YOUNG MAN."

### Monday and Tuesday

"THE LUCK OF THE IRISH." An Allan Dwan production, REALART PICTURE, and Harold McGrath story. Bargain Matinee 3 p. m. Monday.

### Wednesday

11th Episode "Invisible Hand." Comedy, "JAZZ and JAILBIRDS," and Lightening Bryce, Western Serial.

### Thursday

"PICCADILLY JIM," with OWEN MOORE. A Selznick Comedy. A Saturday Evening Post story by P. G. Wodehouse.

### Friday and Saturday

"WHEN THE CLOUDS ROLL BY," with DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS. Funnier, Better and more entertaining than his last, "His Majesty, the American." And Don't forget, see Harold Lloyd in "From Hand to Mouth."

## Removal Notice

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Of the Snyder Signal, published weekly at Snyder, Texas, for April, 1920.

State of Texas,  
County of Scurry.

Before me, a County Clerk, in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared J. S. Hardy, who after having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor of the Snyder Signal, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to-wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor managing editor and business managers are,

Publisher, Hardy & Curry, Snyder, Texas; editor, J. S. Hardy, Snyder, Texas; Managing editor, J. S. Hardy, Snyder, Texas, business manager, W. M. Curry Snyder, Texas.

2. That the owners are; (Give names and addresses of individual owners, or if a corporation, give its name and the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of the total amount of stock.)

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J. S. HARDY, Editor.  
Sworn and subscribed before me this 3rd day of April, 1920.  
(Seal) W. M. Curry,  
County Clerk, Scurry Co., Texas.

**New Subscribers and Renewals**

- E. F. Walker, Snyder.
- C. V. Hall, Slaton.
- T. E. Grimes, Route 4.
- A. H. Trice, Camp Springs.
- M. A. Carden, Arah Route.
- Nellie Lockhart, Dalhart.
- J. S. Hill, Snyder.
- J. L. Campbell, Fluvann.
- Coy Watkins, Dermott.
- A. P. Ganaway, Poch.
- A. C. Shotwell, Snyder.
- Ollie Chenaweth, Snyder.
- Interstate Oil Dev. Co., Los Angeles, Cal.
- C. F. Snyder, Freeport, Ill.
- J. D. Doak, Route 5.
- W. J. Turner, Snyder.
- S. J. Carter, Parrott, Ga.
- J. L. Belcher, Ira.
- R. L. Higgins, Arah Route.

**Attended District Conference**

The delegation from the Methodist church in Snyder who attended the District Conference last Friday, Saturday and Sunday report good meeting. Every charge but one in the district was represented and the work of the church was reported in good shape.

Bro. Hicks preached for the Conference Sunday. The next meeting, 1921, will be held in Snyder.

The delegation from here were Rev. J. H. Hicks, wife and son; T. C. Davis, E. B. Baugh, Mrs. C. C. Higgins, Mrs. R. M. Stokes, Mrs. Joe Strayhorn, Mrs. B. S. Gann, Miss Zonelle Harris, Miss Ola Mae Davis.

A rather serious wreck occurred on the Abilene Southern Railroad Sunday when five cars of the south-bound train went into the ditch between Gulon and Ovalo and were burned. Three of the cars were filled with gasoline, one was a car of coal and the other a car of merchandise. The trainmen report that the gasoline became ignited immediately after leaving the tracks, the flames quickly enveloping the other cars.—Abilene Reporter.

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Applicants must have reached their twenty-first birthday on the date of the examination, with the exception that in a State where women are declared by statute to be at full age for all purposes at eighteen years of age on the date of the examination will be admitted.

Applicants must reside within the territory supplied by the post office for which the examination is announced.

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Snyder school children are making gardens at school and are learning lessons in actual life that will be of great value to them in coming years.

The fact that the great achievement of the Democratic administration in establishing a number of Federal Reserve Banks has clipped the wings of Wall Street and saved the financial power to the people, has been brought home so strong to Mr. Bailey, it leads him now to say that Federal Reserve Bank notes are not good money.

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**THE R. M. DAY COMPANY**

115 North Scarborough, Snyder, Texas

Received a large shipment of batteries for all the popular cars.

If you are having Battery trouble, come in and let us test your battery and generator and maybe we can save you some expense.

Prompt and satisfactory service is our motto.

LOOK FOR THE RED BALL TRADE MARK

**"Modern" Firearms & Ammunition**

Shooting Right



**Your Bank Account**

- Provides an explanation of all your expenses
- Gives you the buying power of ready cash
- Furnishes a valuable business reference and credit builder
- A means of realizing your personal ambition, with a safe depository until then

**WE CAN SERVE YOU ACCEPTABLY**

**---WILL YOU GIVE US THE CHANCE?**

**THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK**

**School Trustees Elected**  
The school trustee election last Saturday in Snyder resulted in the election of Hugh Boren, D. P. Strayhorn, W. M. Curry and Pat Johnston. The holdovers are Clifton Perkins, A. D. Erwin and A. P. Morris. E. C. Dodson leads here for the position of County trustee.

**Her Mother Died**  
Mrs. W. B. McCormick, who was called last week to the bedside of her mother at Moody, telegraphed to Mr. McCormick late Thursday that her mother died Thursday evening and the funeral would be held Saturday.

**Print Paper Goes Higher**  
The Signal has this week received late quotations on print paper and that commodity has taken another upward jump. It is becoming more and more serious for publishers, and the bride resided for a time in cause of the shortage and price and others may have to go.

A number of country weeklies have raised their subscription price to two dollars a year.

The Signal has no notion of doing that but must insist upon approximately, cash in advance for subscriptions. The Signal is not being sent out to anybody as a free circulation and it knows that its subscribers will come in some time during the year and pay us, but with the cost of production going higher it becomes necessary to fudge on the quantity of paper to be used and therefore the necessity of asking all in arrears to rally to us and enable us to get by.

**Are You Happy?**  
To be happy you must be well. If you are frequently troubled with constipation and indigestion you cannot be altogether happy. Take these disorders. They are prompt and effectual, easy and pleasant to take.

**Chamberlain's Cough Remedy**  
The great benefit derived from the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been gratefully acknowledged by many. Mrs. Benjamin F. Blake, Decatur, Ill., writes, "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is by far the best medicine for colds and coughs we have ever used in our family. I gave it to my children when small for croup and have taken it myself. J. W. Joyce left last Thursday for Amarillo to take a position in a drug store in that town. His family will join him there when he can get a residence.

Mrs. Wills is now in charge of the Woodrow hotel. Just now the house is closed to guests and is being thoroughly renovated. A new awning is being built and the entire hotel, dining room, bed rooms, parlor and lobby are all being brightened up and the hotel will soon be open for business.

**FOR SALE**—Good milk cow with three months old calf. See W. M. Curry at Signal office 43

Dr. R. G. Davenport who has been to Vernon returned home Thursday.

The School Meet prize list is unavoidably carried over for next week's paper.

**Send in Singer sewing machine payments to Singer Co., Sweetwater, so you will not be bothered with a collector.**—Singer Sewing Machine Co.

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Carroll Davidson of Camp Springs says he is not in politics. He is farming and waiting for an oil well to come in at Camp Springs.

R. E. Joyce of the Foch precinct was in town Saturday and moved his Signal date up.

J. B. Curry has accepted a position with J. E. Ketner groceryman. J. B. says he wants his friends to call on him when in need of something to eat. He also carries a fine line of toothpicks.

Mrs. B. F. Smith and Albert of Lockney spent Sunday in Snyder and left Monday for a visit in South Texas. Mrs. D. P. Lane went with them.

**Bro. Halley place near Ira sold this week through Dodson and Taylor.**

John L. Webb and T. L. Sheppard on Route No. 2, are improving their homes by building additions to their residences.

Mrs. Maxwell and Mrs. Banks have gone to Plainview to be with their father, Rev. A. B. Roberts, who is seriously sick.

Good millet seed clear of Johnson grass and weed seed. Come and get them.—S. J. Johnson. 46

Try us for groceries during April. We have the goods and can deliver on short notice.—Farmers Merc. Co. 43

Mr. Clyde Phillips and Miss Pearl Bridges were married in Snyder last Sunday by Rev. W. H. Sims.

**LOST**—Childs white crochet hat, between Economy store and Central school building. Return to Signal office and receive reward. 43p

East Texas Pure Home Made Ribbon Cane at Templeton Store. 42

I have secured my help and you do not need to wait for your work as it can be done at once.—First State Bank Basement, P. Benbenek. 46

C. C. Johnson, who has been in the service of Uncle Sam in the navy and who has been most everywhere in the world during the war, has been discharged and returned home this week. Mrs. Gladys Johnson (nee Brown is, of course, very happy this week.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kemp all join in feelings of sympathy in the death of their 13-year old son who was taken from them at their home at Foch last week. He was an unusually bright and intelligent boy and a favorite among his teachers and fellow pupils in school.

B. F. Davis and Liv Davis place sold this week by Dodson and Taylor

## What's On at the Cozy

### Today

"THE MINTS OF HELL," With William Desmond, Vivian Rich and Others. Filmed on "Lillimuit" Divide, in the midst of an arctic winter. A story of the days of Klondike.

### Tomorrow

BRYANT WASHBURN in "A VERY GOOD YOUNG MAN."

### Monday and Tuesday

"THE LUCK OF THE IRISH." An Allan Dwan production, REALART PICTURE, and Harold McGrath story. Bargain Matinee 3 p. m. Monday.

### Wednesday

11th Episode "Invisible Hand." Comedy, "JAZZ and JAILBIRDS," and Lightning Bryce, Western Serial.

### Thursday

"PICCADILLY JIM," with OWEN MOORE. A Selznick Comedy. A Saturday Evening Post story by P. G. Wodehouse.

### Friday and Saturday

"WHEN THE CLOUDS ROLL BY," with DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS. Funnier, Better and more entertaining than his last, "His Majesty, the American." And don't forget, see Harold Lloyd in "From Hand to Mouth."

## Removal Notice

The Magnolia Petroleum Co. has moved its office from the S. J. Casstevens Building to the building formerly occupied by Gay McGlaun next door to O. L. Wilkison Lumber Co. When in need of oil call No. 447.

We will appreciate your business.

**Magnolia Petroleum Company**

W. S. BRAUCHAMP, Agent.

## You Can Get it at Matthews

We have no apologies to make on our goods and can look you straight in the eye and tell you that it is the best that can be had. Your purchases should be safeguarded in this time of the High Cost of Living by getting merchandise that will give satisfactory results in Quality and Style.

You eliminate any chances when making your purchases here. As you know that it will represent the highest Quality, Latest Style and Best Workmanship. It will not cost you anything to see our goods and be convinced as many other satisfied customers have done.

Just received new Coat Suits, Skirts, Shirt Waists for Summer wear. Write Garments always have a pleasant surprise about them, as they are all individual in Style, and something that you had not thought of but so new in style that they are irresistible.

## A Pleasure to Show You

### For Men of Good Taste

First mentioned will be E. & W. Collars. Everyone knows they are better.

Our line of neckwear will appeal to the man that appreciates genteel patterns made of the best material and in all the latest styles.

Hosiery that appeals to the man who cares for Quality and Refinement. Just the thing that you did not expect to find in so small a town. They are the kind you find in city Specialty Shops. Yes, they are real. Don't be surprised to find it here. Our motto is "Quality First."

A big line of Suit Cases, Hand Bags, Steamer Trunks.

**If it is Quality You Want,  
Come to See Us.**

**Matthews, THE QUALITY SHOP**

## Middy Dresses For Misses

WE HAVE A NICE ASSORTMENT OF MIDDY BLOUSES FOR LADIES AND MISSES. DON'T FAIL TO SEE OUR LINE OF

## Kuppenheimer Suits

DRESS SHOES, PANAMA AND STRAW HATS, AND A BEAUTIFUL LINE OF SILK AND MADRAS SHIRTS FOR MEN

**Caton- Dry Goods  
Dodson Company**

Statement of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, Etc., Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912.

Of the Snyder Signal, published weekly at Snyder, Texas, for April, 1920.

State of Texas, County of Scurry.

Before me, a County Clerk, in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared J. S. Hardy, who after having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor of the Snyder Signal, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to-wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor managing editor and business managers are,

Publisher, Hardy & Curry, Snyder, Texas; editor, J. S. Hardy, Snyder, Texas; Managing editor, J. S. Hardy, Snyder, Texas, business manager, W. M. Curry Snyder, Texas.

2. That the owners are: (Give names and addresses of individual owners, or if a corporation, give its name and the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of the total amount of stock.)

J. S. Hardy, Snyder, Texas; W. M. Curry, Snyder, Texas; Olin F. Hardy, Amarillo, Texas; J. P. Chambliss, Waxahachie, Texas.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: None.

4. That the two paragraphs next above, giving the names of the owners, stockholders, and security holders, if any, contain not only the list of stockholders and security holders as they appear upon the books of the company but also, in cases where the stockholder or security holder appears upon the books of the company as trustee or in any other fiduciary relation, the name of the person or corporation for whom such trustee is acting, is given; also that the said two paragraphs contain statements embracing affiant's full knowledge and belief as to the circumstances and conditions under which stockholders and security holders who do not appear upon the books of the company as trustees, hold stock and securities in a capacity other than that of a bona fide owner; and this affiant has no reason to believe that any other person, association, or corporation has any interest direct or indirect in the said stock, bonds, or other securities than as so stated by him.

J. S. HARDY, Editor. Sworn and subscribed before me this 3rd day of April, 1920. (Seal) W. M. Curry, County Clerk, Scurry Co., Texas.

Advertisement for Remington-Union Firearms & Ammunition, featuring a 'Modern' .22 caliber rifle and 'Shooting Right' slogan.

New Subscribers and Renewals

- E. F. Walker, Snyder. C. V. Hall, Slaton. T. E. Grimes, Route 4. A. H. Trice, Camp Springs. M. A. Carden, Arah Route. Nellie Lockhart, Dalhart. J. S. Hill, Snyder. J. L. Campbell, Fluvann. Coy Watkins, Dermott. A. P. Ganaway, Foch. A. C. Shotwell, Snyder. Ollie Chenaweth, Snyder. Interstate Oil Dev. Co., Los Angeles, Cal. C. F. Snyder, Freeport, Ill. J. D. Doak, Route 5. W. J. Turner, Snyder. S. J. Carter, Parrott, Ga. J. L. Belcher, Ira. R. L. Higgins, Arah Route.

Attended District Conference

The delegation from the Methodist church in Snyder who attended the District Conference last Friday, Saturday and Sunday report good meeting. Every charge but one in the district was represented and the work of the church was reported in good shape.

Bro. Hicks preached for the Conference Sunday. The next meeting, 1921, will be held in Snyder.

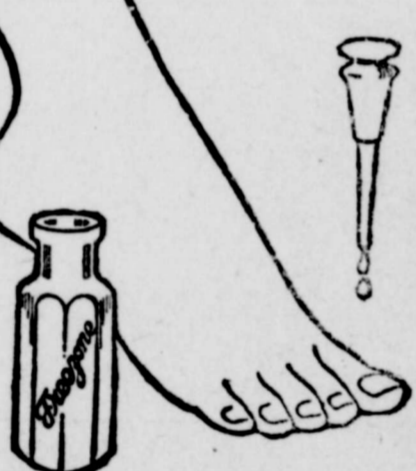
The delegation from here were Rev. J. H. Hicks, wife and son; T. C. Davis, E. B. Baugh, Mrs. C. C. Higgins, Mrs. R. M. Stokes, Mrs. Joe Strayhorn, Mrs. B. S. Gann, Miss Zonelle Harris, Miss Ola Mae Davis.

A rather serious wreck occurred on the Abilene Southern Railroad Sunday when five cars of the south-bound train went into the ditch between Guion and Ovalo and were burned. Three of the cars were filled with gasoline, one was a car of coal and the other a car of merchandise. The trainmen report that the gasoline became ignited immediately after leaving the tracks, the flames quickly enveloping the other cars.—Abilene Reporter.

Remember we close at 5:30 in the evening. Phone us your orders so as to get them before that time.—Farmers Merc. Co. 43

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 out. 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.

FOURTH-CLASS POST-MASTER EXAMINATION

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held at Colorado, Texas, on April 24, 1920, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth-class postmaster at Ira, Texas, and other vacancies as they may occur at that office, unless it shall be decided in the interests of the service to fill any vacancy by reinstatement. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was \$315 for the last fiscal year.

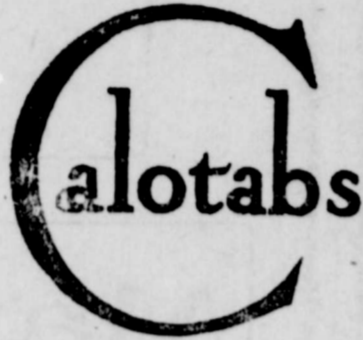
Applicants must have reached their twenty-first birthday on the date of the examination, with the exception that in a State where women are declared by statute to be at full age for all purposes at eighteen years of age on the date of the examination will be admitted.

Applicants must reside within the territory supplied by the post office for which the examination is announced.

The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who can comply with the requirements.

Application blanks, Form 1753, and full information concerning the requirements of the examination can be secured from postmaster at the place of vacancy or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

To abort a cold and prevent complications, take



The purified and refined calomel tablets that are nauseless, safe and sure. Medicinal virtues retained and improved. Sold only in sealed packages. Price 25c.

States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Applications should properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington, D. C., at the earliest practical date.

A Daily Newspaper.

Place your subscription at this office for the Abilene Morning Reporter, a daily newspaper devoted to the advancement of this section of Texas.

We have an attractive Clubbing offer on the Abilene Morning Reporter and the Snyder Signal one year \$6.50.

When Your Farm Stock is Sick, Look For Rats.

Disease among farm animals don't just happen. Rats are carriers of dangerous plagues—hog cholera, foot and mouth disease and that terrible of all scourges—Bubonic plague. Farmers should throw around premises RAT-SNAP. It's sure and safe. Three sizes, 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by W. G. Ralston.

THOUSANDS PROCLAIM THE MERITS OF PE-RU-NA

Read Their Letters Mrs. Martha C. Dale, R. F. D. 1, Cannon, Del., writes: "I am entirely cured of chronic catarrh of the stomach and bowels by PE-RU-NA."

Mr. J. Bayer, Glendale, Oregon: "There is no medicine like PE-RU-NA for catarrhal deafness."

Mrs. Kate Marquis, Middleburg, Ohio: "PE-RU-NA cured me of catarrh of the head and throat."

Mr. J. H. Collins, Wesson, Mississippi: "PE-RU-NA makes me feel vigorous and able to work without that tired, weak feeling I usually have otherwise."

Mrs. P. Ludvigsen, Austin, Minnesota: "I got rid of my liver trouble and can eat anything since taking PE-RU-NA."

Mrs. L. Hearing, 283 East 169th St., New York City: "For catarrh of the head and stomach, I have found PE-RU-NA better than any other medicine."

Mr. W. H. Edgar, 49 Cooper St., Atlanta, Georgia: "PE-RU-NA cured me after I had suffered fifteen years with rheumatism."

Mrs. Leona Dodd, R. No. 3, Madison, Tennessee: "PE-RU-NA is a grand medicine for coughs and colds."

So many diseases are due to catarrh and catarrhal conditions, makes PE-RU-NA the best medicine in the world to have on hand for emergencies and general health protection. Thousands of families are never without a bottle of PE-RU-NA or a box of PE-RU-NA Tablets in the medicine cabinet. That is the safe way. You can buy PE-RU-NA anywhere in tablet or liquid form.

Coal oil at 21 cents and gasoline at 32 cents is an indication that there is money in oil, but it looks like the law of supply and demand has become a dead letter.

Snyder school children are making gardens at school and are learning lessons in actual life that will be of great value to them in coming years.

The fact that the great achievement of the Democratic administration in establishing a number of Federal Reserve Banks has clipped the wings of Wall Street and saved the financial power to the people, has been brought home so strong to Mr. Bailey, it leads him now to say that Federal Reserve Bank notes are not good money.

Subscribe for the Signal.

Mrs. J. A. White Says "If You Have An Automobile, Keep Rat-Snap." "If I knew about RAT-SNAP in winter, would have saved \$120. My car was in the garage for a few weeks during bad weather; when I went take it out, found that rats had eaten great holes in two new tires. Got them later with RAT-SNAP." Three sizes, 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by W. G. Ralston.

Advertisement for ITCH! Honey Back, featuring an illustration of a person scratching their back.

Advertisement for BROWN AND OX-BLOOD SHOE POLISHES, featuring a large 'ZIN' logo and text: BEST FOR HOME SHINES—SAVE THE LEATHER THE BIG VALUE PACKAGES. Also PASTES and LIQUIDS for Black, Tan and White Shoes. THE F. F. DALLEY CORPORATIONS LTD., BUFFALO, N. Y.

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Billie Harris is at home from Clayton, New Mexico, to visit his mother.

J. L. Lovelady of Collin county has been the guest of O. L. Morrow.

E. B. Smith has recently sold his rug store business at Ira to Edgar Taylor.

Ben Davis Jr. was in town Saturday from Ennis Creek. He is a real farmer now.

Col. Noble and Dr. Rosser aver at Ike Bosen got his arm hurt at the skating rink.

Dr. R. L. Howell of Brownwood went several days here this week looking after business matters.

Mr. J. H. Day left this week to sit his old home in Central Illinois. This is his first visit in 39 years.

Ollie Morow declares that within a week after the poultry show eggs had gone up five cents a dozen in Snyder.

Messrs. Key & Carter have opened a shop on Scarborough street where they make repair and paint automobiles tops and cushions.

Mr. J. B. Coston of Collin county and Roy Coston of Foch were pleasant callers at the Signal office Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kelley left Tuesday for Wichita, Kansas, where they will spend a few months and probably may locate there permanently. They left instructions to have the Signal forwarded to them at that place.

**SPRING FEVER**

Following Colds, Grip or Flu, Headache, Watery or Poisoned Blood

(By Dr. Valentine Mott.)

At this time of year most people suffer from what we term "spring fever" because of a stagnant condition of the blood, because of the poisons (poisons) stored up within the body during the long winter. Eat too much meat, with little or no green vegetables.

Bloodless people, thin, anemic people, those with pale cheeks and who have a poor appetite and feel that tired, worn or feverish condition in the spring-time of the year, should try the refreshing tonic of a good alterative and blood purifier. Such a tonic as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is a standard remedy that can be obtained in tablet or liquid form. Made without alcohol or wild roots and barks.

AN MARCIAL, N. MEX.—"I suffered two years with frequent headache pain in my left side and the small of my back. I was despondent and so nervous the least racket would upset me. I wrote to the Specialists at the Hotel, and was advised to use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery the Anuric Tablets. I did so and immediately began to get better. My poisons disappeared and in two weeks' time my health was regained. I took six bottles of each medicine and of the 'Pleasant Pellets' for regulating my bowels. I am now in perfect health and enjoying life. I cannot say too much in praise of these medicines and the kind and zealous attention given me."—Miss MIE COYSLAND.

Old settlers assert that Saturday night was the first time since 1877 that the leaves on the trees have been killed by a freeze.

We appreciate your business and can give you quick service. Phone us your wants.—Farmers Merc. Co. 43

Anyone knowing Martin Johnson or his whereabouts please notify Catherine Elizabeth Johnson, care Western Union, Mineral Wells, Tex.

J. B. Smith of Greenville, Texas is here visiting his two sons, Gale Smith of the Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co., and Bert Smith, barber of Ira.

In selling my business I kept all account. Am making preparation to leave about 15th of April and all knowing themselves indebted to me will please call and settle at once.—W. W. Echols.

Tom Crowder has found the geographical location of Punkinville. T. C. Stinson told him the place is about 400 centimeters to the northwest of the mouth of Catfish Creek in the Coon Valley sector about thirty six miles as the crow flies beyond the rattlesnake den in the Coyote mountains.

Mr. J. B. Chambers and family of Corpus Christi are visiting Mrs. Geo. Harris and other Snyder friends.

One fellow was heard to say Sunday that he wanted to buy his wife an Easter hat like those the Sir Knights were wearing, but found the supply exhausted.

Horace Holley had troubles of his own last Saturday even though he has no opponent in race for County Judge. The School folks were having their contest, exercises and Mrs. Holley claimed this for her day off and delegated Horace to take care of their two boys. The only way he could succeed was to turn them loose and follow them in their perambulations. He fed them on candy, peanuts, pop corn and cones of cream, and when they moved he tried to keep in sight, finally he said, it is too big a job. If they were two young mules I'd know what to do but I must find their mother.

**How Diphtheria is Contracted**  
One often hears the expression, "My child caught a severe cold which developed into diphtheria," when in truth was that the cold had simply left the little one particularly susceptible to the wandering diphtheria germ. If your child has a cold when diphtheria is prevalent you should

take him out of school and keep him off the street until fully recovered, as there is a hundred times more danger of his taking diphtheria when he has a cold. When Chamberlain's cough remedy is given it quickly cures the cold and lessens the danger of diphtheria or any other germ disease being contracted.

**UNSHAKEN TESTIMONY**

Time is the test of truth. And Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test in Snyder. No Snyder resident who suffers backache, or annoying urinary ills can remain unconvinced by this twice-told testimony. J. J. Burnett, Snyder, says: "I suffered most every year with rheumatic trouble and weak kidneys. Fin-

ally, I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and bought a box at the Grayum Drug Co. Doan's quickly strengthened my kidneys and cured me of the rheumatic trouble. Since then, I occasionally have used Doan's to keep my kidneys normal."

... AGAIN PRAISES DOAN'S ...  
Mr. Burnett gave the above statement January 17, 1912, and on April 15, 1919, he added: "My faith in Doan's Kidney Pills still remains the same. I think them a wonderful kidney remedy."

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

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

**ANNOUNCING**

Arrival of our car of Rock Island Planters, Sled Cultivators. Our car of Wiggle-tail Cultivators will be in town in next few days. Don't fail to see us about your Pekin wagon. Will be near R. S. & P. depot.

Also Have Harness and Repair Shop.

**D. P. Strayhorn**  
Snyder, Texas

**WINDMILL MEN**

We do all kinds of windmill work. All work guaranteed. See us or call Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co.

**Terral & Haddow**



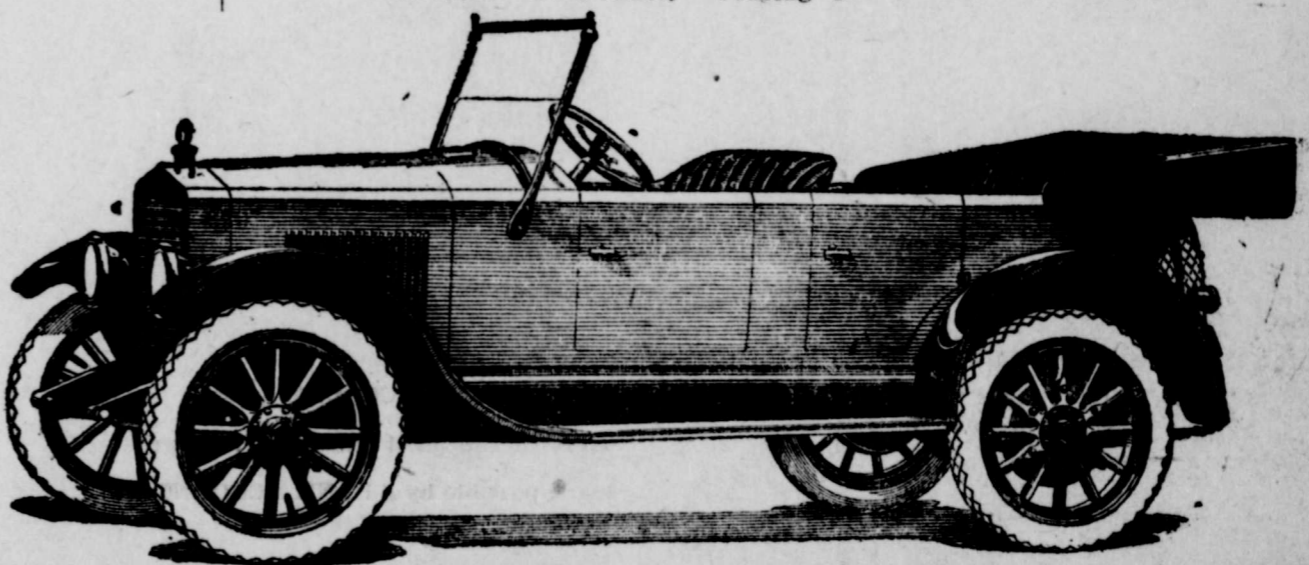
**Y**OU'LL be surprised how little it costs to operate this Chevrolet "Four-Ninety" Touring Car.

Twenty-five miles on a gallon of gasoline is not an unusual record. Tires last an unusually long time. Repairs are few and far between. Care-free, regular performance is the Chevrolet rule.

Yet with all its economy and low price, Chevrolet "Four-Ninety" Touring Car is a handsome, roomy, comfortable car—a car you can be proud to own.

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SNYDER, TEXAS

Chevrolet "Four-Ninety" Touring Car \$795 f. o. b. Flint, Mich.



**Standard Windmills**

IF YOU WANT A WINDMILL YOU WANT THE BEST. THE STANDARD IS FIRST CLASS IN EVERY RESPECT. THIS MILL IS MADE IN TEXAS FOR TEXAS WINDS. NO TROUBLE ABOUT REPAIRS. A CAR-LOAD JUST ARRIVED.

COME AND PURCHASE ONE WHILE WE HAVE THEM IN STOCK. ALSO HAVE A FEW MONITOR WINDMILLS. WE HAVE PIPE AND PIPE FITTINGS. PRICES RIGHT.

**O. L. WILKIRSON LUMBER COMPANY**

FOR SALE—A double disc plow, in good condition. See F. A. Hamer at Second Hand Store. 44

LOST—On last Saturday, one cameo brooch. Somewhere on the streets of Snyder. Return to Signal office and get reward. 43pd

FOR TRADE—A good hack to trade for single buggy and harness.—J. I. Burrough, Dermott, Tex. 43pd

FOUND—Ladie's black straw hat. Left at the Signal office.—R. H. Mitchell.

FOR SALE—Single Comb White Leghorn eggs. 15 for \$1.50.—P. D. McKinnon, Foch, Texas, R. A. 44pd

I have secured my help and you need not wait for your work as it can be done at once.—Boyd & Son old stand, on Scarborough St., P. Benbenek. 46

Vocational training is essential in the equipment of boys and girls for the duties of life. In this busy age, concentration is a necessity.

The report of the women's joint missionary meeting reached the Signal office Thursday afternoon and is unavoidably left over for next week.

V. T. Wasson is here this week from Wichita Falls.

Judge J. P. Stinson of Abilene was here this week.

W. D. Sims and wife, Mrs. Eral Henry, W. A. Johnson, Liv Davis, T. C. Davis, W. H. Anderson and wife, W. W. Echols and wife, with others, all of Snyder, attended the funeral of little Boyce Kemp, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kemp, at Pyron, last Friday.

Mrs. Ben Smith of Lockney, Mrs. Stone of Lamesa and Mrs. D. P. Lane of Snyder left here Monday for Austin to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Hull are here from Dallas. They are moving to Rising Star.

Jim Echols of Victoria is visiting relatives in Snyder.

Mrs. D. P. Yoder's Sunday School class had an enjoyable Easter egg hunt Saturday evening.

Mrs. Josie Doak Roberts of Dallas is here to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Doak.

E. F. Cole is visiting his parents this week at Cisco.

Born in North Snyder to Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Higgins, April 7, a boy.

Rev. I. D. Hull returned Wednesday from a missionary conference at Sweetwater.

Mrs. Nelson, formerly of the Woodrow hotel, has leased the Palm Cafe.

County Court will meet next week

Mr. McAfee has been engaged as Court House janitor.

Ed Darby is building quite an addition to his shop on Bridge street.

Mrs. Cotten and her mother returned Thursday from Dallas.

Out of his fantastic world of shod feet, Grogan built dreams about one pair. Every day at four o'clock they passed his basement window.  
**SEE IT AT COZY MONDAY**

Joe A. Elliott of San Angelo, connected with the Texas Oil Company, is scouting this week in Scurry county and takes the Signal to keep posted.

Car Jersey milk cows, some fresh, others springers, best of breeding, for quick sale at low prices, a bargain in the lot.—Hugh Echols, Maxwell Hotel. 43pd

Uncle Ben Davis said Tuesday that his cow sneezed Tuesday morning.

Charlie Harless believes there is one sure way to get some of the geologists to report favorably on given territory.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry of California are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Elmer Long.

A. B. Holland of Sweetwater taking over the Singer Sewing Machine agency here. He is also planning to put in a branch house of the Geo. Allen Music Co. of San Angelo.

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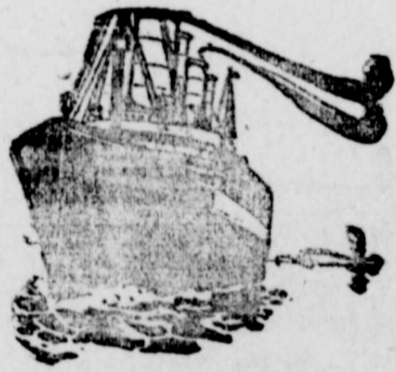
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and we have added cold drinks and ice cream to our complete line of fresh home made candies. We also have a good line of tobaccos, cigars, cigarettes and chewing gum, and we are still selling the best hamburgers made.

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as your BANK ACCOUNT grows. Most of the good things of life are made possible by a BANK ACCOUNT.

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It is always a pleasure to show you at our store and we appreciate the privilege just the same if you don't buy. Make use of our rest room and late magazines.

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Ladies' and Men's Dry Goods,  
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is the most popular because it does give most perfect results. It has the biggest demand because it is the most dependable. The fact that it is the biggest seller proves that it is the best. A trial will convince you that there is none "just as good." Buy again—if you are not satisfied take it back and get your money back.

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— \$1,500,000.00 CAPITAL —

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Billie Harris is at home from Clay, New Mexico, to visit his mother.

J. L. Lovelady of Collin county has been the guest of O. L. Morrow.

E. B. Smith has recently sold his drug store business at Ira to Edgar Taylor.

Ben Davis Jr. was in town Saturday from Ennis Creek. He is a real mer now.

Col. Noble and Dr. Rosser aver that Ike Bosen got his arm hurt at skating rink.

Dr. R. L. Howell of Brownwood spent several days here this week after business matters.

Mr. J. H. Day left this week to visit his old home in Central Illinois. It is his first visit in 39 years.

Billie Morow declares that within a week after the poultry show eggs will go up five cents a dozen in Snyder.

Messrs. Key & Carter have opened a shop on Scarborough street where they make repair and paint automobiles, tops and cushions.

Mr. J. B. Coston of Collin county and Roy Coston of Foch were pleasant callers at the Signal office Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kelley left today for Wichita, Kansas, where they will spend a few months and probably may locate there permanently. They left instructions to the Signal forwarded to them at place.

**SPRING FEVER**

Following Colds, Grip or Flu, Watery or Poisoned Blood

(By Dr. VALERINE MOTT.)

At this time of year most people suffer from what we term "spring fever" because of a stagnant condition of the blood, because of the poisons (poisons) stored up within the body during the long winter. Eat too much meat, with little green vegetables.

Foodless people, thin, anemic people, those with pale cheeks and who have a poor appetite and that tired, worn or feverish condition in the spring-time of the year, should try the refreshing tonic of a good alterative and purifier. Such a tonic as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is a standard remedy and can be obtained in tablet or liquid form. Made without alcohol, wild roots and barks.

MARCIAL, N. MEX.—"I suffered 40 years with frequent headache pain in my left side and the small of my back. I was despondent and so was the least racket would upset me. I wrote to the Specialists at the Hotel, and was advised to use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I did so and I immediately began to get better. My pains disappeared and in two weeks my health was regained. I used six bottles of each medicine and of the 'Pleasant Pellets' for regular my bowels. I am now in perfect health and enjoying life. I cannot say too much in praise of these medicines and the kind and courteous attention given me."—Miss FAMILIE GOND.

Old settlers assert that Saturday night was the first time since 1877 that the leaves on the trees have been killed by a freeze.

We appreciate your business and can give you quick service. Phone us your wants.—Farmers Merc. Co.

Anyone knowing Martin Johnson or his whereabouts please notify Catherine Elizabeth Johnson, care Western Union, Mineral Wells, Tex.

J. B. Smith of Greenville, Texas is here visiting his two sons, Gale Smith of the Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co., and Bert Smith, barber of Ira.

In selling my business I kept all account. Am making preparation to leave about 15th of April and all knowing themselves indebted to me will please call and settle at once.—W. W. Echols.

Tom Crowder has found the geographical location of Punkinville, T. C. Stinson told him the place is about 400 centimeters to the northwest of the mouth of Catfish Creek in the Coon Valley sector about thirty six miles as the crow flies beyond the rattlesnake den in the Coyote mountains.

Mr. J. B. Chambers and family of Corpus Christi are visiting Mrs. Geo. Harris and other Snyder friends.

One fellow was heard to say Sunday that he wanted to buy his wife an Easter hat like those the Sir Knights were wearing, but found the supply exhausted.

Horace Holley had troubles of his own last Saturday even though he has no opponent in race for County Judge. The School folks were having their contest, exercises and Mrs. Holley claimed this for her day off and delegated Horace to take care of their two boys. The only way he could succeed was to turn them loose and follow them in their perambulations. He fed them on candy, peanuts, pop corn and cones of cream, and when they moved he tried to keep in sight, finally he said, it is too big a job. If they were two young mules I'd know what to do but I must find their mother.

**How Diphtheria is Contracted**  
One often hears the expression, "My child caught a severe cold which developed into diphtheria," when in truth was that the cold had simply left the little one particularly susceptible to the wandering diphtheria germ. If your child has a cold when diphtheria is prevalent you should

take him out of school and keep him off the street until fully recovered, as there is a hundred times more danger of his taking diphtheria when he has a cold. When Chamberlain's cough remedy is given it quickly cures the cold and lessens the danger of diphtheria or any other germ disease being contracted.

**UNSHAKEN TESTIMONY**  
Time is the test of truth. And Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test in Snyder. No Snyder resident who suffers backache, or annoying urinary ills can remain unconvinced by this twice-told testimony. J. J. Burnett, Snyder, says: "I suffered most every year with rheumatic trouble and weak kidneys. Fin-

ally, I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and bought a box at the Grayum Drug Co. Doan's quickly strengthened my kidneys and cured me of the rheumatic trouble. Since then, I occasionally have used Doan's to keep my kidneys normal."

**AGAIN PRAISES DOAN'S**  
Mr. Burnett gave the above statement January 17, 1912, and on April 15, 1919, he added: "My faith in Doan's Kidney Pills still remains the same. I think them a wonderful kidney remedy."

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

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**ANNOUNCING**

Arrival of our car of Rock Island Planters, Sled Cultivators. Our car of Wiggle-tail Cultivators will be in town in next few days. Don't fail to see us about your Pekin wagon. Will be near R. S. & P. depot.

Also Have Harness and Repair Shop.

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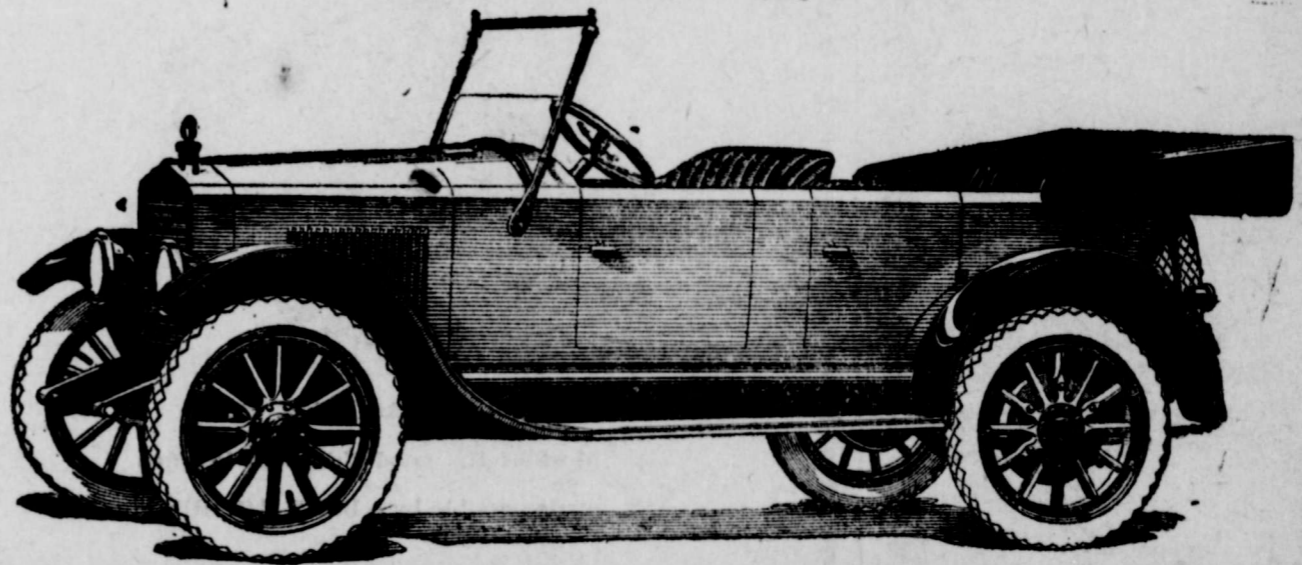
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IF YOU WANT A WINDMILL YOU WANT THE BEST. THE STANDARD IS FIRST CLASS IN EVERY RESPECT. THIS MILL IS MADE IN TEXAS FOR TEXAS WINDS. NO TROUBLE ABOUT REPAIRS. A CAR LOAD JUST ARRIVED.

COME AND PURCHASE ONE WHILE WE HAVE THEM IN STOCK. ALSO HAVE A FEW MONITOR WINDMILLS. WE HAVE PIPE AND PIPE FITTINGS. PRICES RIGHT.

**O. L. WILKIRSON LUMBER COMPANY**

FOR SALE—A double disc plow, in good condition. See F. A. Hamer at Second Hand Store. 44

LOST—On last Saturday, one cameo brooch. Somewhere on the streets of Snyder. Return to Signal office and get reward. 43pd

FOR TRADE—A good hack to trade for single buggy and harness.—J. I. Burrough, Dermott, Tex. 43pd

FOUND—Ladie's black straw hat. Left at the Signal office.—R. H. Mitchell.

FOR SALE—Single Comb White Leghorn eggs. 15 for \$1.50.—P. D. McKinnon, Foch, Texas, R. A. 44pd

I have secured my help and you need not wait for your work as it can be done at once.—Boyd & Son old stand, on Scarborough St., P. Benbenek. 46

Vocational training is essential in the equipmet of boys and girls for the duties of life. In this busy age, concentration is a necessity.

The report of the women's joint missionary meeting reached the Signal office Thursday afternoon and is unavoidably held over for next week.

V. T. Wasson is here this week from Wichita Falls.

Judge J. P. Stinson of Abilene was here this week.

W. D. Sims and wife, Mrs. Eral Henry, W. A. Johnson, Liv Davis, T. C. Davis, W. H. Anderson and wife, W. W. Echols and wife, with others, all of Snyder, attended the funeral of little Boyce Kemp, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kemp, at Pyron, last Friday.

Mrs. Ben Smith of Lockney, Mrs. Stone of Lamesa and Mrs. D. P. Lane of Snyder left here Monday for Austin to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Hull are here from Dallas. They are moving to Rising Star.

Jim Echols of Victoria is visiting relatives in Snyder.

Mrs. D. P. Yoder's Sunday School class had an enjoyable Easter egg hunt Saturday evening.

Mrs. Josie Doak Roberts of Dallas is here to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Doak.

E. F. Cole is visiting his parents this week at Cisco.

Born in North Snyder to Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Higgins, April 7, a boy.

Rev. I. D. Hull returned Wednesday from a missionary conference at Sweetwater.

Mrs. Nelson, formerly of the Woodrow hotel, has leased the Palm Cafe.

County Court will meet next week

Mr. McAfee has been engaged as Court House janitor.

Ed Darby is building quite an addition to his shop on Bridge street.

Mrs. Cotten and her mother returned Thursday from Dallas.

Out of his fantastic world of shod feet, Grogan built dreams about one pair. Every day at four o'clock they passed his basement window.

SEE IT AT COZY MONDAY

Joe A. Elliott of San Angelo, connected with the Texas Oil Company, is scouting this week in Scurry county and takes the Signal to keep posted.

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Uncle Ben Davis said Tuesday that his cow sneezed Tuesday morning.

Charlie Harless believes there is one sure way to get some of the geologists to report favorably on given territory.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry of California are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Elmer Long.

A. B. Holland of Sweetwater taking over the Singer Sewing machine agency here. He is also planning to put in a branch house of Geo. Allen Music Co. of San Angelo.

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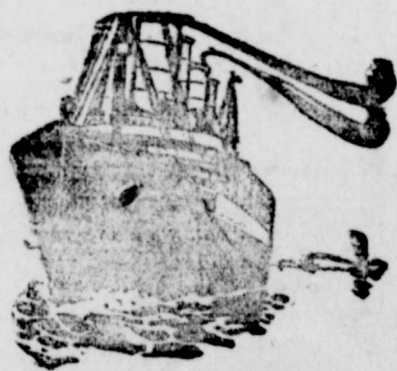
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