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BYRANT-LINK COMPANY BUYS BLACKARD STOCK.

The Bryant-Link Company of this city has purchased the hardware and furniture stock of "Kin" Blackard of this city, possession to be given January 1, 1925. The Times-Signal is informed that the Bryant-Link Company will remove its present stock into the building now occupied by Mr. Blackard, and will continue to handle a large line of furniture in connection with its present stock of merchandise.

The Times-Signal understands, and it is with a feeling of regret, that Mr. Blackard and family will probably leave Snyder and Scurry County on account of Mrs. Blackard's health. Mr. Blackard told a Times-Signal reporter that he would probably locate somewhere on the coast.

The Bryant-Link Company is one of the largest concerns in West Texas, and one of the strongest financially. It, therefore, needs no introduction. They have operated a large store in Snyder for about three years, during which time they have made many friends and have built up an enviable business.

GERMAN CITIZEN DIES FOLLOWING OPERATION.

A. D. Johnson accompanied J. A. Sagner to Lubbock this week where Mr. Sagner was operated on for rupture. Mr. Sagner died following the operation. Deceased was 80 years old and a native of Germany. He was without means and his burial expenses were defrayed by Scurry County. Judge Holley ordered the Judge of Lubbock County to bury Mr. Sagner at the expense of this county.

LOCAL INSURANCE MEN WIN FIRST PRIZE.

Messrs. Keith & Taylor of this city won 1st prize offered by the United Fidelity Life Insurance Company to their agent writing the greatest amount of insurance during the month of September. Messrs. Keith & Taylor are hustlers and are accustomed to winning the prize, but they simply went clear over the top this time, writing more than \$100,000 worth of insurance during September.

HIGHLY RESPECTED CITIZEN PASSES AWAY.

J. C. Wheeler, one of the county's best citizens, died at his home 14 miles west of Snyder September 25, aged 69 years and 19 days. Deceased was born in Missouri, but has been a resident of Snyder for a number of years.

Funeral services were conducted at the city cemetery Saturday, September 27th, by Rev. Bonner of Roby. Mr. Wheeler leaves a wife, several children and many friends to mourn his loss.

NOW SELLING LYCEUM TICKETS

The ladies of the Parent-Teachers' Association are now selling season tickets for the Dixie Lyceum Course. Season tickets for adults only \$2.50, school children, \$1.00.

There will be six numbers, one each month, proceeds to be used in paying the debt on the home economic equipment. The P.-T. Association is the best auxiliary of our school, and deserves the best support of every school patron in the district.

JACK BOONE SERIOUSLY INJURED.

Jack Boone, a well-known mechanic of Hermleigh, was seriously injured Wednesday evening in rather an unusual manner. He had started to Snyder, but had gone but a short distance when something went wrong with his car. He got out and was working on the machine when a service car met another car at the same place where Mr. Boone had stopped his car. For some reason one of the passing cars struck Mr. Boone, fracturing one of his hips. He was taken to Lubbock to the sanitarium, where late reports were to the effect that while Mr. Boone was seriously injured it was thought that he would recover.

TOO MUCH COTTON STEALING.

Cotton stealing is getting too common in this part of the country. Farmers from nearly every part of the county have reported loss of cotton during the past few days. One farmer remarked on the streets of Snyder this week that it was not safe to let seed cotton remain in the field over night.

S. P. Wellborn, Ernest Taylor and E. L. Lollar attended the big Masonic gathering at Abilene during the fair.

Mrs. H. P. Wellborn and daughter have returned from a visit at Glen Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Thomas of Oklahoma City visited their sister, Mrs. J. E. Hamlett, last week.

ELECTRIC RATES REDUCED BY UTILITIES COMPANY.

The Snyder Utilities Company makes announcement that commencing with the first of October minimum rates for electric service will be reduced from \$1.75 to \$1.50 per month load, on residence and business connections per 1 kw connected, placing the Snyder minimum on a parity with the largest utilities companies of the State.

They further make statement that the power lines extension to Hermleigh is an assured fact and that construction thereon will commence at once. Some delay has been caused in obtaining the right-of-way but this now practically is in shape and Hermleigh should see the new system installed before the year is out.

New combination rates have also been established for home lighting, cooking and heating which will give to the Snyder housewives an opportunity to avail themselves of an additional service and which is proving especially popular wherever tried. Inaugurating this service the Snyder Utilities Company has engaged the special services of Mrs. Mildred A. Kees, culinary expert, cook book author and authority on electrical cooking for the week commencing October 13th, when this lady will lecture and demonstrate daily for the benefit of the Snyder ladies.

A CORRECTION.

Last week there appeared in the classified columns of the Times-Signal and ad for Roy Garner in which he was advertising a farm for sale. The location was given in the ad as being 5 3-4 miles west of Snyder when it should have read 1 3-4 miles west. We are always glad to make these corrections when they are called to our attention and you will find the ad this week with the correct location.

PARENT-TEACHERS MEET.

The Snyder Parent-Teachers' Association met for the first meeting of the year in the high school auditorium, September 25.

The meeting was called to order by the first vice-president, Mrs. Fritz R. Smith. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved after which the association was favored with a piano solo, prelude, by Miss Helen Boren.

There was no set program for the afternoon except the lecture by Dr. Howell, who was to speak on "Physical Examination of School Children, but on account of so few parents being present it was decided to postpone it until a later date.

Suggestions were made as to the work the Parent-Teachers' Association may undertake this season, some of which were: Better equipped libraries, office equipment and an athletic field.

A definite report from the treasurer will be made at next meeting.

Mrs. Stallings' resignation as president of the association was accepted and Mrs. Thrane was elected by acclamation. Miss Runkles' resignation as secretary of the association was accepted and Miss Gladys Boren was elected to succeed her.

The finance committee reported \$.98 in the bank.

The advertising material for the lyceum has been received and the sale of tickets will begin soon.

The meeting adjourned to meet again October 23.

SECRETARY.

MONEY AND MORALS.

Lenox, Mass., is all astir because the two daughters of a millionaire banker of that city eloped with an electrician and the family chauffeur. But why raise a stir over such a thing as that? We wouldn't give a thoroughbred, red-blooded American—don't care if he was a scavenger, just so he was honest and honorable—for all the foreign fakes with handles to their names a white man couldn't pronounce on the face of the earth.—Scurry County Times.

We read the item with interest and wondered what kind of a fit society threw around Lenox when the two daughters ran away with the chauffeur and the electrician. But after all, it was better for these two American sisters to wed Americans than to have taken their money to Europe and bought titles and got men for husbands that would have proven an apology. We understand that chauffeurs and electricians make dandy good husbands for American millionaire girls. But you can't always tell what the children of millionaires will do. Over at Chicago two sons of illustrious millionaires kill a youth just for the thrill of it. They killed the poor boy just to see him kick in chicken killing fashion. Too much money ruins the morals and judgment of rich men's children.—Slaton Times.

Mrs. Rena Grantham of Justiceberg visited here Sunday.

ORGANIZATION OF SENIOR CLASS.

On September 25, the Senior class had a meeting to organize their class. The following officers were elected. Bucher Bennett, president; Ruby Sparks, vice-president; Mary Francis Hamlett, secretary; Helen Boren, treasurer; Fritz R. Smith, sergeant-at-arms; Tip Messimer, reporter.

We decided to keep the same colors and motto we have had since we entered high school. White and gold were our colors and "Build for Character and not for Fame" our motto. We also decided on white carnation for our flower and twenty-five cents for our class dues.

The class has not yet decided what they will do for the school but it will be something that will benefit both the student now and the students that will remain in high school a few years longer.—Reporter.

IT ALL DEPENDS

Ben F. Smith, of the Slaton Times is undoubtedly the limit. He said in last week's issue of the Times that a certain man brought a young possum to the Times office, and went on to say how well he liked 'possum, and how long it had been since he had eaten any, and then—just because the poor old farmer with the 'possum didn't bring along a sack of potatoes also and say to Ben "Here, take, eat ye all of it," Ben wound up his tale of woe as follows: "The catch of Mr. Cox was a young one and exceedingly poor. It must have traveled a long way from its former place of habitation." This again reminds us of the old story of the "Fox and Grapes." The fox, after finding that he could not get the grapes, remarked, "Oh well, they're sour anyway!"—Scurry County Times.

Lay off of our 'possum and 'taters. You Scurry County folks can't boast of such toothsome eatables. We told it straight when we said we liked 'possum and the 'taters thrown in. We understand that a 'possum ranch is to be started in Yellow House Canyon, in which even we will have to keep constant watch to keep you under-cap folks off the grass. We raise 'taters and why not the 'possums? In fact everything is raised on the Plains, including trouble, if you want to start something. Well, just come up next season when our 'possum and 'taters get ripe. We will put you in the position of the negro that fell asleep before the fireplace with a fat 'possum baking on the coals. Along comes a stray negro, eats the 'possum and greases the sleeping negro's lips. When he awoke he rubbed his stomach, smacked his lips and stated: "It tastes like 'possum, but fore the Lord my stomach gives a lie to the suggestion that I have been 'possum fed." Come to Lubbock County.—Slaton Times.

It all depends on how a fellow was raised. Folks down here in God's country don't have to eat varmits, but can and do enjoy the "choicest fruit of the land," such as 'taters, without the 'possum, and fried chicken and rich brown gravy, for instance. Come down, Uncle Ben and we'll show you some real living. Don't have to wait for chickens to get ripe, they are in season right now.

COTTON 25.10.

O. Freeman of Gail delivered a bale of cotton here Saturday for which he received 25.10. It pays to buy it and sell it in Snyder.

SHOW ENJOYING GOOD ATTENDANCE.

G. Bert Davis' show opened for a week's engagement in this city Monday, is enjoying a fine attendance at each performance. The show is always spoken of in the very highest terms. In fact, the Times-Signal has heard the remark more than once: "It is the best tent show that has yet come to Snyder."

The show is under the auspices of the Snyder Municipal Band, an organization that deserves the very best possible support of the people of Snyder and community.

HAREY SHULER UNDERGOES OPERATION.

Harvey Shuler underwent an operation at a Dallas hospital Wednesday. Late reports stated that Mr. Shuler was doing nicely and unless complications should set up, he would be home in a few days.

"UNCLE" BEN DAVIS GOES TO HOSPITAL

"Uncle" Ben Davis, one of Scurry County's best citizens, left this week for McKinney where he will take treatment under an eminent physician of that city. "Uncle" Ben's hundreds of friends in Snyder and Scurry County will join with the Times-Signal in wishing for him a speedy recovery.

2466 BALES WEIGHED TO DATE AT SNYDER YARD.

O. McClinton, public weigher of Precinct No. 1, reports that there have been 2,466 bales of cotton weighed at this yard up to Thursday noon. It was the intention of the Times-Signal to furnish a report of the number of bales ginned by each gin of the county but owing to delays and trouble caused by "our press" it has been impossible to devote the time that this report would require, but we will do our very best to give you this report next week. A conservative estimate of the number of bales for the county up to date would be about 5,000.

WHERE IS IT THEN

The Snyder Times is authority for the statement that an evangelist recently declared that hell was only 18 miles away from Amarillo. If that is true, we shall expect Lindsey Nunn to have one of his best reporters interview the devil and get a red hot story from his as to the conditions in his domain and also what he thinks of various things on the earth, and publish same in the Daily News.—Plainview News.

If hell is 18 miles from Amarillo and it lies in a southerly direction that would bring the seat of his Satanic Majesty's power around Canyon. If anybody should suggest that Slaton was the seat of the devil's power, or in plain English, hell itself, we would rise up in meeting, so riled up would we be. If we were in Editor Warwick's place at Canyon we would immediately wire for an explanation from this North Texas editor who has recently braved the wilds of the West and located under the caprock on Deep Creek. If hell is only 18 miles from Amarillo, as assured by the visiting evangelist, we would suggest that hell has two seasons, one extremely cold in the winter, and one as warm as hell in the summer. We therefore conclude that Editor Martin and the evangelist aforesaid were talking through their hats.—Slaton Times.

First Christian Church Notes.

We had an extra good attendance at Sunday School last Sunday morning. Let's have a large one next Sunday. You will enjoy our Sunday School services. We have good music and an interesting service every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. You are invited.

Bro. Sparks filled the pulpit at both the morning and evening services last Sunday and delivered two very fine sermons. Preaching next Sunday at both the morning and evening hours as usual. You are invited to attend and we are sure that you will enjoy hearing Bro. Sparks speak as he always has a wonderful message and delivers it in a very strong manner. Don't forget the hours, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

AGED LADY BREAKS HIP.

"Grandma" Grantham, one of Snyder's most excellent women, had the misfortune to fall and break her hip one day last week. Mrs. Grantham is about 90 years old and has hundreds of friends in Snyder and community who will deeply regret to learn of her misfortune.

TAHOKA WINS FIRST GAME FROM SNYDER, 19-0.

Last Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock Snyder and Tahoka played football on the Wolf Park field. The game resulted in a score of 19-0 in favor of Tahoka. While the Snyder team lost they played an exceptionally good game. Until the last half the ball was never on Snyder territory, but it seems as if in the last half that the Tahoka team got in some extra kicks. The line-up for the game was as follows:

SNYDER

Smith End
Lloyd Tackle
Etheridge Guard
Carroll Center
B. Etheredge Nowlin
McPherson Davis
Fesmire End
Nicholas Linkk
Bennett P. A. Nowlin
Golden Halfback
Woodsley Leftback
Fullback

TAHOKA

Baldrige
Sanders
Hunter
Curry
Wells
Linkk
Nowlin
Knight
H. Wells

Brother Sparks will preach for us again Sunday evening. Everybody invited to come.

Our Sunday School is still moving along. We are always proud to have new members. Come out, folks, and be with us every Sunday evening. Don't miss, come, we need you.

Engene Sanbers and family attended the show at Snyder Tuesday night.—Little Sunshine.

B. M. Bailey and grand-mother visited at Hamlin Sunday.

H. W. Harless transacted business at Rotan Monday.

Judge Jesse (Red) Harris was at Anson Monday on legal business.

Douglass & Mitchell, the sewerage contractors, were here Tuesday on their way to Floydada where they have a large contract with that city.

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LIONS CLUB LUNCHEON.

Although the regular luncheon of the Lions Club was not very well attended, those present had their usual pep. The hospital proposition was discussed with considerable enthusiasm, it being the opinion of each present that the hospital ought to be built.

The matter of giving Snyder and Scurry County more of the publicity that both the town and county deserve was also discussed and steps toward that end were taken.

The Lions Club is sponsoring a number of big projects and each member ought to do his best to attend the regular meetings, for no club or any other organization can accomplish much without the full and complete co-operation of the club or organization as a body. Let every member of the club put forth an effort to be present at the next meeting.

PLEASANT HILL DOTS.

With the continued dry fall weather cotton is stocking fast and cotton picking will soon be in full swing and everybody happy.

Grandpa Hiser left Wednesday for the Arbuckle Mountains for an indefinite stay. Said he would probably fish and trap there this winter.

Miss Mamie Merritt and Mr. Bill Merritt spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Estelle Williamson.

Mr. John Moody visited at Union Sunday.

Those reported sick last week are better at this writing.

Mr. G. H. Henley and family of Colorado City visited his father Sunday.

Mr. J. H. Lewis and wife visited with W. M. Adams and family Sunday.

Miss Laurence Adams visited Misses Nora and Rhoda Merritt of Union Saturday night and Sunday. Quite a bunch of the Pleasant Hill folks attended the singing at R. H. Mitchell's of the Plainview community Sunday night. Every reported fine singing and general enjoyment by all.

Estelle and Luther Williamson visited Uncle Claudie Williamson of Turner Saturday night and Sunday.

Bill Styles, Earl Shepherd and others went to Sweetwater Sunday after cotton pickers but didn't have any luck we understand.

Next Sunday is our regular singing day. Come hear us and help us sing.

Calvin Champion, a Pleasant Hill boy, who has been away quite a while was seen in Snyder Saturday.

DERMOT TNEWS.

Everybody busy gathering feed and picking cotton at this writing. Mr. and Mrs. cmfwypetacmfwypeta Mr. and Mrs. Walter Farmer of Abilene are visiting relatives at Dermott.

Mr. L. W. Hulsey from McCaulley spent Saturday night and Sunday with his son, L. R. Hulsey returned home with him to spend the week.

Mrs. A. H. Grigg has been sick but is some better now.

Miss Jean Grigg of Snyder spent the past week with her mother, Grandma Welch of Ranger. She returned home with her daughter, Mrs. Sallie Scrivner Monday to spend the winter. We are glad to have her back with us again.

Mr. Jesse Wilson and family from Snyder drove out to see his parents Sunday in a new Dodge car.

A party last Saturday night at Mr. and Mrs. Jim Steel was enjoyed by a large crowd of young people.

Harvey Green field and family have moved to Epler Switch. He is placed assistant foreman of that division of the Santa Fe.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Carter of near Fluvanna spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. W. F. Wilson.

Mrs. Sallie Scrivner and Grandma Welch spent Sunday evening with their friend, Mrs. L. R. Hulsey and Mrs. W. T. Rhea.

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ENNIS CREEK WEEKLY.

Cotton picking is most of the excitement at this day. Everybody is sure busy and wishing for longer days.

If you are looking for cotton picking you had better not come to Ennis you will sure find yourself a job.

At this writing I believe everybody is well and enjoying the fine weather we are having.

J. W. Shipman has bought J. A. Johnson's crop. Mr. Johnson is moving to the Plains country this week where he has bought him a place.

Mr. Aloin Floyd took real sick the latter part of last week. He says he feels much better.

Mr. Frank Prather made a flying trip to the Plains Sunday and back.

Prof. Smith is picking cotton this week, not because he likes it; says it is good for his health.

We have another family from Raines County—Mr. Gee, who moved on B. M. West's farm.

J. F. Prather and family attended church at Woodard Sunday.

Miss Lillian Colclazer spent Sunday with Miss Edna Galyon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ezell spent Sunday evening with J. D. Robison and wife.

Mrs. Blaine Smith's mother from Justiceburg visited her Sunday.

The mayor of Ennis Creek got up Sunday morning feeling quite blue. After worrying a while he decided if he would take himself a good bath, and let his mustache grow out to improve his looks that he would be more popular in the next election.

There was quite a little excitement up at Ennis Creek grocery the first of the week just as it happens the mayor of Ennis walked up so they just passed the bottle around so it won't be carried to court.

There was a large crowd out to hear Bro. Dorset Sunday.

He will be with us again next Sunday at eleven and will begin Sunday school once more. Everybody come and take part in it.

The singing concert was put off until Saturday night. We will have with us four of the best singers of the South.

Most of Ennis went over to Union to sing last Sunday evening. Next Sunday evening is our singing evening. We would like to have Union over with us Sunday evening and all the rest of the good singers if they wish to come.

As everybody is so busy these fine days we are having there is nothing much to write about.—Andy Gump.

Friends of Rev. J. T. Bryant are in receipt of word that his mother-in-law, Mrs. Keathley, died at Cisco on Tuesday of this week. Rev. Bryant is in Cisco but has notified his friends that he will be in Snyder in time to fill the pulpit next Sunday at the Presbyterian church.

Chas. W. Jones went to Sweetwater this morning on a business trip.

E. E. Brumley of Post City came in about 11 o'clock last night to get a supply of bread from our local bakers. Mr. Brumley stated that two truck loads of cotton pickers from the San Antonio country had arrived in Post yesterday afternoon on their way to the plains and after eating at his place they were cleaned out. That he might have bread to supply his trade and to serve this morning he made the above mentioned trip. He knew he could "get it in Snyder."

J. H. Byrd returned Tuesday from a trip to Portales, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Sims and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Henry attended the Abilene fair the past week.

Mrs. Prewitt Garner, Mrs. Jessie Wenninger, Miss Winnie Garner and Miss Virgie Rysel went to Colorado Saturday evening.

Mrs. Lottie Brewer of California spent a few days the past week visiting her brothers, George and Giles Garner.

Mrs. Dick Mitchell was shopping in town Tuesday.

The Times-Signal regrets to report that the condition of Grandma Grantham, an account of whose injury is reported elsewhere in this issue, is in a serious condition.

J. S. Garner has added another chair to his postoffice Barber Shop, making it a three-chair shop.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Stinson are visiting in Abilene. They will visit in Bell County before returning home.

Ralph Bailey of Lubbock is visiting his sister, Mrs. Dr. Hicks of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Waskom, Miss Ella Mae Joyce attended the Baylor-Simmons football game in Abilene Saturday.

J. Ingle Adams, who has been with the Standard Oil Company at Corsicana, is here for a few days visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Adams and recuperating from a severe attack of boils.

Fred A. Grayum of Waco was here the first of this week visiting relatives and greeting old friends. Fred is one of the Kansas City Life Insurance Company's live representatives.

AN APPEAL BY THE PASTORS OF SNYDER.

To the Church Members, Teachers, Parents and Citizens of Snyder and vicinity:

As pastors who are interested in the religious welfare of the community, we feel it our duty to address you in this communication:

Within a radius of three miles of the courthouse in Snyder, there are at least 4,000 people who ought to attend services at the churches of our city. A recent census taken by the various congregations showed an attendance of 753 in the Bible Schools of our churches. In the morning preaching services there were 673 people and in the evening preaching services there were 405 present. In other words less than 19 per cent of our people are in our Bible schools, little more than 16 per cent in the morning preaching services and little more than 19 per cent in the evening preaching services.

We happen to know personally that this per cent is above the average of the neighboring towns, but the appalling fact still remains that 80 per cent of our people are untouched by our churches. There is but one truth for us to remember in the promises: "Whatsoever you sow, you shall also reap."

There is a nation-wide and world-wide indifference to religious matters which ought to call forth the united effort of all those who love the Lord and who love His truth and who pray for the coming of His kingdom. Whether you be a Christian or not, you will readily admit that you would not live in a community which did not have church privileges.

In this world-wide apostasy from

the faith and in this growing age of unbelief, it behooves every good citizen to arise and by precept an example, strive to avert the inevitable catastrophe which will come upon us as a result of this indifference to eternal things. You are responsible in a large measure, for the ideals and standards which maintain in your home. Shall you by precept or example contribute to the maelstrom which is destined to sweep over our nation if it continues in this state of indifference to God and His truth.

As we are now facing promotion day in some of our Bible schools, and as the weather has gotten cooler, we call upon everyone of you to face the situation and line up next Sunday morning for a forward movement all along the line. Will you not see to it that your household is unanimous in church and Sunday school attendance next Sunday?

- W. T. ROUSE, Chm.
- I. J. SPARKS, Sec.
- J. T. BRYANT.
- C. E. JAMESON.
- E. CHRISTIAN.

J. P. Beck, Sam Casstevens' right hand bower, the Woodrow's famous biscuit eater and all around good fellow, visited his daughter, Mrs. Annie Hull at Rotan Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Dodson of Pasadena, California, are visiting relatives and friends in this city.

Mr. and M's. Lon Adams of Rotan visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Weathersbee and daughter, Miss Aline, of Rotan, visited E. E. Weathersbee Sunday.

Rob Strayhorn and family of Rotan were here Sunday visiting relatives.

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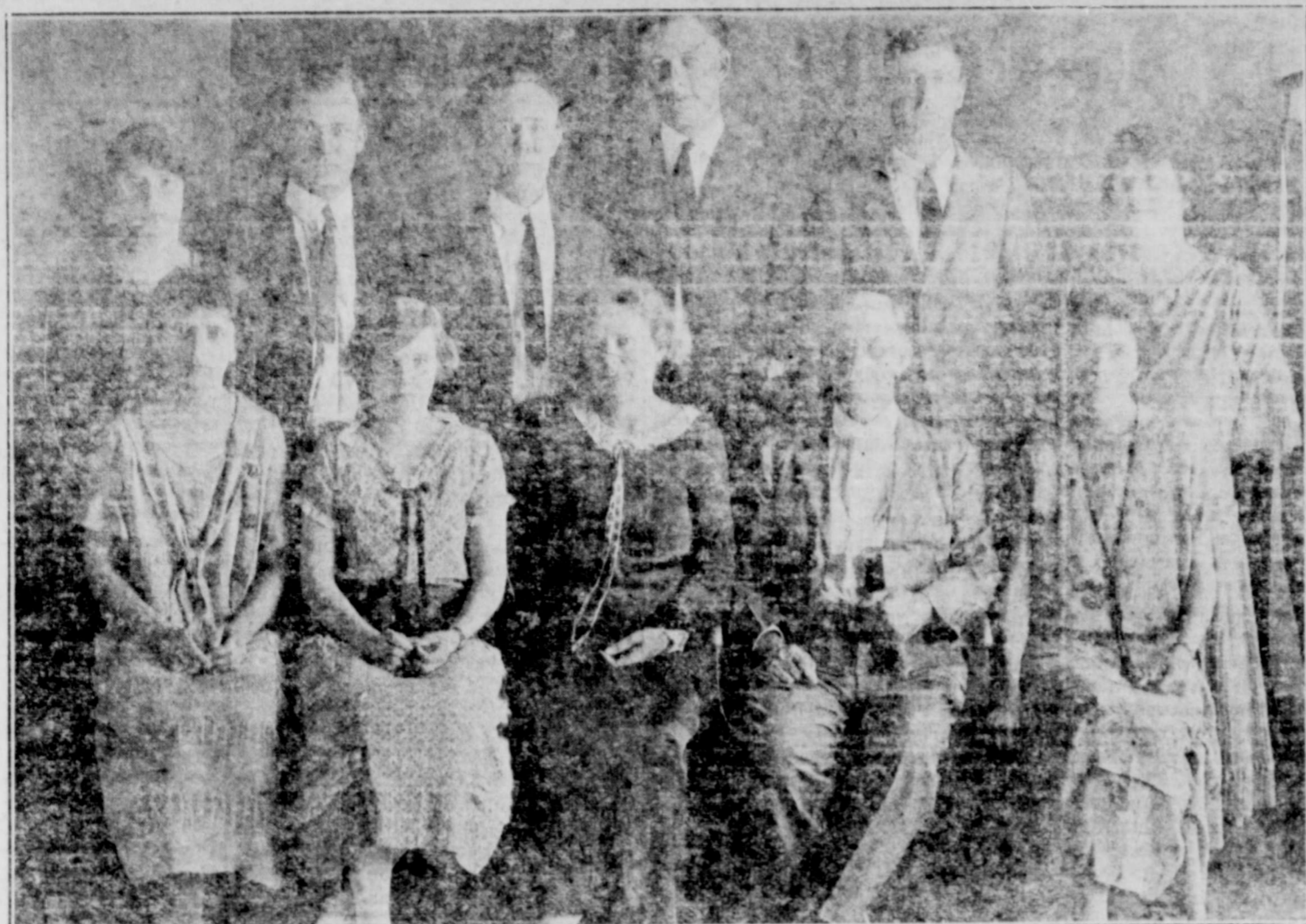
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Standing left to right—Miss Ora Thompson, Secretary and Treasurer; T. H. Duff, Teacher and Social Lecturer; A. P. Morris, Teacher and Equipment Director; Howell Harpole, Teacher and Assistant Teacher Training Class; Elvied Thompson, Teacher and Chairman of Social Activities; Mrs. W. M. Morrow, Teacher and Choirster.
Sitting, left to right—Miss Jean Griggs, Teacher and social Committee; Miss Ruth Rosser, Teacher and Pianist; Mrs. A. P. Morris, Teacher and Departmental Classification Officer; E. C. Dodson, Supt. Junior Department; Miss Nealy Squyres, Assistant Superintendent and Assistant Secretary.

The offices mentioned in connection with that of teacher is the departmental organized work. Each officer in this departmental organization seemed so fittingly adapted to these several positions, is why? they are there.

Each and every officer is supposed to be on a soliciting committee for the entire year.

A Brief Reminiscence of the Past Year.

Absolute harmony has reigned throughout the junior department. Co-Operation has been universal. Each Sunday morning is like the reunion of a family—each seems happy to meet all the others.

Christian fellowship reigns supreme.

The pastors and general superintendent have the hearty co-operation of the entire department, children and all.

We are gradually gaining in numbers all the time. The children have made the memory work sufficient to meet the demands of the standard of excellence in the junior department.

We have had over twenty-five conversions, some between Sundays at home, some in their classes during the recitation period, some in the assembly room, in our opening service. Many of these children will lead in prayer anytime called upon.

Full 85 per cent of those who will be promoted to the Intermediate Department are Christians. Our enrollment is from 80 to 103 while our regular attendance is not what it should be. Sad feelings doth o'er my spirit steal, and tears doth fill mine eyes when I must confess that I am to blame, but I'd rather be to blame than for the parent to bear the blame, for non-attendance.

The aim that has been, and will be, of the junior officers and teachers is: To teach the Bible to the children and point them to a crucified Savior for the remission of sin. We want to mould them into such character as will enable them to make

home a better and happier home, to make life to them a sweeter and better life, to help them to make the world better off because they have lived.

Next Sunday is the beginning of the new Sunday School year. The teachers and officers will meet at 9:30 for reorganization and readjustment.

Miss Rhoda Martin has been elected to fill Miss Ruth Rosser's place as teacher and pianist, Miss Ruth having gone to Simmons University where her opportunities for doing good will be greater than they ever could be here. Space forbids any more. E. C. DODSON.

ALTRUIAN CLUB MEETING.

The club met in its second session Sept. 26, 1924, with Mrs. Joe Stinson with 16 members present and three visitors, at 3 o'clock, our present time of meeting. The house was called to order by our president. The reports of recording and corresponding secretary and all standing committees were so efficiently done that we were happy to see such precision and co-operation so early in our year's work. We especially want to make mention of the committee on education on their work planned for fire prevention. We are to make an especial drive along this line, and have the hearty co-operation of the faculty in school to teach this to the school children this year. We expect this to mean much to our town and we appreciate the help the teachers will give us.

At this time we had a very interesting report given by our reporter of Federation news—Mrs. E. J. Anderson, on the Biennial meeting recently held in California. She told us that Mrs. John Sherman is elected National Federation President. There were reports in this meeting from 40,000 clubs, and there were delegates from England, France, Spain, China, Japan—in fact from all over

the world, and it was said the general theme of the meeting from all over the world was for peace. The subject of prohibition was discussed and again that great body of representative women, whose ages varied from 14 years to 84 years, took the same decided stand for prohibition.

Following this report was an unusually interesting roll call on "an Indian name of a place in Texas and how derived."

The special assignments in our lesson were well prepared and rendered. Our lesson was the 1st lesson in Texas history—our study for the year. It was well taught by Mrs. Patty King.

We were glad indeed to welcome Mrs. Lee Stinson into the Altruian Club as a new member.

Our hostess now served us with a very appetizing two-course plate lunch.

We meet Oct. 10th with Mrs. A. C. Freuitt.

A. AND M. STUDENTS RETURN FROM NATIONAL MATCHES.

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, Oct. 1.—Three students of the A. and M. College of Texas have returned to the college from the national rifle matches held at Camp Perry, Ohio, from September 1 to 20. They were on the eighth corps area team and won their place by virtue of making the highest grades in the summer training camp held at Fort Sam Houston. They were given a three weeks' intensive course in rifle firing

and participated in two days of competition.

Miss Bill Long and Miss Marguerite Riley spent last week-end with Miss Lois Johnson of Sweetwater.

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CAMP SPRINGS NEWS.

There was a large crowd at Camp Springs Sunday afternoon, and had fine singing.

Miss Mary Higgins of Snyder was in Camp Springs Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Hattie Simpson and children spent the Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Horton.

Miss Allie Horton of Itan is visiting her relatives at Camp Springs.

Everyone in this part of the county is engaged in cotton picking.

Mr. Pharago and family attended church here Sunday. DIXIE.

Although auto races will feature the speed programs on Monday and Friday, Al Sweet's singing band of Chicago, free acts and a play by play flash of the world's series base ball games on an electric board in front of the grand stand will be other attractions.

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A Paris, Texas, negress, who is 120 years old declares that she has seen the "stars" fall twice. Maybe she has. We've seen "stars" rise after we had fallen, or after something else had fallen on our "bean." But as to what the old negress has seen no one will question, especially women of today who are particular about telling their age.

Say, Mr. Business Man! Listen! Are you doing anything to help bring business to this good town? or are you reaping where you have not sown? Suppose every merchant were to sit back and make no effort to get folks to come here to trade? what would become of our town? Why, the streets would grow up in weeds. The big mail order houses never stop going after business because they know that the best way to get business is to go after it.

Every person who wants to see the farmers of Scurry County get on their feet ought to lend a helping hand in making the big poultry show to be held here in November a big success. Not only will the old hen cackle the mortgage off your land, but she is just as sure for a fellow's breakfast as a dime is for a doughnut. What is more tempting to the appetite these mornings than two "straight up"? Therefore, not only get ready for the big poultry show but take hold and help its promoters to get the show ready.

And Rotan officers have decreed that there shall be no more dog fights staged in the city park of that live little city. Dog fights are a time-honored sport, dating back as far as the reign of King Ahab and King Jehu, whose dogs no doubt took part in the fight over the wicked queen whose body was devoured by dogs. A dog fight will never lose its fascination for boys and some some men. It is the nature of dogs and cats to fight, so why not those who enjoy the favorite pastime of dogs witness those animals' friendly bouts? Besides, these are "dog days," while the nights during any season seem to be reserved for the cats.

A report from Moscow states that a professor of that city has discovered a new disease that resembles the "flu." It is said that the new disease makes one sicker than the "flu" but is not so fatal. Sicker, nothing! The only reason why the "flu" is not fatal in every case is because the patient is sometimes too sick to die. Don't talk to us about a disease that makes a fellow sicker than the "flu." We had the doggone disease only recently, and while delirious we wrote the following poem which just about tells how we felt:

No Mistake About It.
Just hey you felt you could not say,
Because you'd never felt that way.
In ev'ry place a pain or ache,
It seemed that ev'ry bone would break,
Or separate at ev'ry joint—
You couldn't die—you'd passed that point.

Cold chills were speeding on a track
All up and down your aching back,
And ev'ry time they turned a curve,
They had a blow-out on a nerve.
And all the pains in human ills
Were in the race with all those chills,
White all the time they raced and aped,
They had headquarters in your head,
Nobody knew just what to do,
They only knew you had the "flu."

*FLU: The grip and its kindfolds in a family reunion. Doggerel Dictionary, page 320.

TOO MUCH RELIGION.

"A man without a religion is like a horse without a bridle." The above, accredited to the Latin, appeared in a recent issue of the Abilene Reporter. That may be true in part, but a horse, if permitted to follow the dictates of his instinct, or "horse sense," as some may prefer to call it, will go straighter and make fewer mistakes than he would with the bridle reins in the hands of some religious fanatic. The truth is, there is too much religion in the world today, that is, too many kinds of religion. Every nation, no matter how benighted, has some form of religion, but the only religion that will ever redeem and save this old world is the religion of Jesus Christ. Therefore, what the world needs is fewer so-called religions and more genuine Christianity shed abroad in the hearts of men.

Man's Chief Interest

She had gone out to dinner with her suitor. She had felt in particularly gay and sprightly mood, and had talked, she felt, quite entertainingly of this and that. Many had been the amusing incidents she had told.

But toward the end of the evening her suitor seemed very dejected and unhappy.

"What has been the trouble? Did anything happen today to make you blue?" she asked. Surely the evening had been a success.

"No, the day was a very good one," he said.

"But tonight? Haven't you enjoyed it?" she asked, surprised.

"Well," he returned, "you know a man likes to talk about himself when he takes a girl out, and you haven't given me a chance all evening."

Momentous Question

The following anecdote is taken from the "Life of the Rt. Hon. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman," by J. A. Spender. A picture appeared in an English paper which bore the title, "Is It Peace or War?" in which Campbell-Bannerman was photographed talking with King Edward. Around them visitors stood at a respectful distance. A friend of his said later: "The artist has hit you off very well." Campbell-Bannerman looked at the picture quizzically and said: "Would you like to know what the king was saying to me?" The friend said he would. "He wanted to have my opinion whether halibut was better baked or boiled."

Bird Does Scavenger Work

The adjutant bird is a voracious carrion-eating East Indian stork, sometimes 8 feet in height and 14 feet in expanse of wings, with a large bill, the skin of the head naked, and a pouchlike appendage on the interior surface of the neck. The plumage is black or ash-colored, and furnishes the marabou-feathers of India. The adjutant feeds on frogs, fish, reptiles, etc., and is the scavenger of Indian towns. It derives its name from the central gravity with which it stalks along.

Turkish Name for Capital

Stambol is the Turkish name of Constantinople. It is specifically applied to that portion of the city—Constantinople proper—that lies south of the Golden Horn, as distinguished from Christian Constantinople, lying on the north side. Stambol occupies the site of ancient Byzantium and contains the mosque of St. Sophia, the Seraglio and almost all the antiquities to be seen in the city. Christian Constantinople is pre-eminently a commercial quarter. The name is written also Istanbul.—Kansas City Star.

Tom Huffman shipped a car of cattle to St. Joseph, Missouri, the past week.

Mrs. Joe Stinson, Frances and Mary Lynn Nation, Miss Vadie Runkles and Miss Cecile Strayhorn attended the ball game at Abilene last week.

Wayne Boren attended the big ball game at Abilene last week.

Rev. C. E. Jameson went to Fluvanna Wednesday where he preached Wednesday evening and assisted Presiding Elder R. A. Stewart to hold quarterly conference Thursday. Rev. Jameson preached at Gail Friday.

MRS. CORA MEGRAIL LECTURES IN SNYDER

Last Monday night Mrs. Megrail was advertised to speak at the City Auditorium on the Objects and Principles of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan. Mrs. Megrail is a National speaker for the Women of the Ku Klux Klan and is a well known speaker. G. Bert Davis, who opened his show in Snyder on the same night co-operated with the lecturer and started his show early that the speaker could deliver her lecture from the stage of the theatre. The show was "Traffic In Souls" and in the second, third and fourth acts had various lines and settings that set forth the true principles of the Klan. The show was put on in fine style and was enjoyed by one of the largest crowds that ever attended an opening show in Snyder. Mrs. Megrail delivered an interesting lecture which she told some interesting facts to a large and appreciative audience.

Egyptians First to Employ the Epitaph

The word "epitaph" originally meant a sepulcher. Then it was applied to the monument marking a place of burial, and later it was used exclusively to designate the inscription on the monument. Inscriptions of this kind, it appears, were originated by the Egyptians. From the Egyptians the custom of using them spread to the Greeks and Romans and finally to all Christian nations, says the Pathfinder. Usually an epitaph consists of some sentiment or expression of affection or faith in addition to the name of the deceased and the dates of his birth and death.

Despite the fact that they are invariably associated with such solemn things as death and bereavement, epitaphs are often highly amusing. In some instances their humor is evidently deliberate and intentional, but usually it is the result of faulty English or some accident of diction.

Bridegroom Must Be Coy

Custom has imposed upon brides in Assam a considerable amount of trouble before their prospective husbands are safely tied up. On her wedding day the bride is garishly attired in a gown flashing with brilliants, and with a band of jewels holding up her veil. She goes to the house of the bridegroom-to-be. The door is open. The bride and her attendants rush in and search the house. The search continues until the bride discovers the seemingly reluctant bridegroom. When found he resists vigorously before the bride finally overcomes him and carries him off in triumph. The growing of tea is the sole occupation of Assam, and it is after the hustle and bustle of the harvest that the Assam man, or rather Assam woman, takes her mate.

Band Instruments

"Reed instruments" comprise all wind-blown instruments in which the sound is produced by means of a reed attached to the mouthpiece; cornets and other instruments in which the tone is produced by blowing directly into the mouthpiece, usually metal, are known as "brass instruments." The difference is generally indicated by the words "brass," "wood" and "reed." "Reeds" in the band are saxophone, bassoon, clarinet, oboe and flageolet, generally.

Many Kinds of Pencils

Ordinary black pencils are made in more than fifty varieties, hard and soft. The variety of pencils made with different-colored leads is also considerable. But apart from these the pencil manufacturer issues a variety of pencils made for quite different purposes that are seldom seen by the general public. Special pencils may be had for marking on polished metals, porcelain and patent leather, while there are others with which one can write legibly on glass.

Moon Superstitions

In certain races the man in the moon, far from being a criminal, is a being who, on account of great wisdom, was transferred to the moon, from which he could see all.

To the Chinese he is Yue-tao, who arranges all marriages. The medicine men of the old Red Indian tribes received their power by departing into the middle of a lake and holding consultation with him.

PROGRAM FOR THE WEEK

COZY Theatre

FRIDAY NIGHT, THE 3RD.

'Ruggles of Red Gap'

A Paramount picture that never a moment lags—never a second that is without a new surprise and thrill. You'll be glad you went to see this film. Also our Gang Comedy,

"Stage Fright"

SATURDAY MATINEE Same pictures as Friday.

SATURDAY NIGHT

'The Desert Outlaw'

A blazing story of cowboy trails. Also William Fox Comedy

"The Unreal News Reel No. 4"

MONDAY AND TUESDAY The 6th and 7th

'Long Live the King'

A romance of golden youth, royal love and adventure with Jackie Coogan in the greatest role of his career. Pathe comedy

"Up and at 'Em"

(Note:—This program under auspices and for benefit of Twentieth Century Club.)

WEDNESDAY, THE 8TH

"The Love Bandit"

A ringing story of timberlands, of red-blooded men fighting for fortune and love, where heavy fist and hob-nailed boot are victors. Also Fox news and Larry Semon Comedy.

THURSDAY, THE 9TH

'The Eternal Flame'

The drama magnificent. A brilliant romance of France's gayest courts. Gorgeous in spectacular sweep, mighty in dramatic sway. Also showing Educational comedy, "BUSY BUDDIES"

LATE TEXAS NEWS OF INTEREST

Since January 1, 1924, 5,580 automobiles have been registered in Potter County.

At a meeting of the Lions' Club at Amarillo, a vote for Butte and Mrs. Ferguson was taken, and Butte received 46 votes and Mrs. Ferguson received 16.

W. P. Griggs, a Confederate veteran, died at his home south of Baird Wednesday at the age of 79 years.

Prof. B. W. Bittle, who recently resigned as head of the English department at College Station, died suddenly of heart disease at his home in Bryan Sunday, at the age of 70 years.

An epidemic of smallpox has broken out at the State Insane Asylum at Austin. Late reports stated that there were 75 cases. The disease at first was pronounced chickenpox. No deaths have yet resulted.

The Masonic order gained 6,000 members during the past year. There are now 1,00 lodges and 129,000 members in Texas.

Judge A. A. Clarke, a well known lawyer of Shackelford County, died a few days ago at Albany.

W. S. Anderson, aged 22 years, son of Judge W. S. Anderson of the Thirty-Seventh District, was found dead

in his room at the Jefferson Hotel in San Antonio Sunday with a bullet hole in his head.

Rotan officers have issued a decree that there are to be no more dog fights in the city park.

Sarah Washington, a negro woman said to be 120 years old, died the past week at Paris.

Miss Lucy Breeding of Wheeler has been appointed to act as County Judge in the absence of Judge L. D. Miller.

J. E. Allen, a well known cattleman of Albany, died at a Waco sanitarium at the age of 69 years.

The little village of Emhouse, near Corsicana, was practically wiped out by fire Wednesday.

Mrs. C. B. Reed, aged 38, of Lula, Oklahoma, was drowned Wednesday when the car in which she was riding turned over in a shallow lake near Floydada.

Kemp, Kaufman County, suffered a \$50,000 fire Wednesday night when the light plant, a store and several automobiles went up in smoke.

The Rev. W. S. Garnett, pastor of the Midland Baptist church, has resigned to accept the pastorate of the Magnolia Baptist Church at Houston.

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Snyder has furnished you a good cotton market.

Snyder furnishes you a market for everything you grow, and its banks and other enterprises assist you in times of need.

On the other hand, you and your land and your cattle and cotton have helped to make Snyder, and Snyder is still depending on you just as you are depending on Snyder.

Then CO-OPERATION MUST BE THE WORD.
Therefore, let's all pull together.

The Scurry County Times-Signal
Your HOME Paper

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

MARY GRAHAM BONNER

MR. MOON'S MORNING

It was almost morning. Such a beautiful clear morning as it was, and though later on in the day it would be warm, it was cool and fresh in the early hours.

Soon the sun would be up, but as yet Mr. Moon was the ruler of the sky. "Mr. Sun will be here soon," Mr. Moon said, as he looked over the sleeping villages and towns and farms and cities.

"But I will take a little peep at morning just as morning arrives." Mr. Moon sat up in the sky—on the edge of nothing, it appeared, and soon he saw a little girl named Mahalla walking along a country road.

"Why, there is my little friend Mahalla," said Mr. Moon to himself. "But even if he had said it in a very loud tone of voice he was too far away for Mahalla to have heard him really."

He couldn't shout at her—especially as morning was coming along and he was feeling sleepy.

"Why, there is Mr. Moon," Mahalla said as she looked up at him.

"What a pretty moon you are, sitting off in the sky like that."

It was a shame, but Mr. Moon didn't hear that speech. He was almost asleep now, but he woke himself up and blinked his eyes and looked about him some more.

Mahalla was still looking at the moon. She had been allowed to get up very early as she had wanted to see the



"Why, There Is Mr. Moon!"

moon disappear and the sun rise for the day.

And upon one morning she had been told she could do this.

Later in the day she would probably be very sleepy. But now she felt wide awake and very cheery.

There was something so fresh and nice about the early morning.

It made her feel so like doing things—why, she knew she could do anything now, she felt so strong and well and full of life.

"Oh, it is such a beautiful morning," Mahalla said.

If it had not turned out to be a beautiful morning Mahalla had planned to turn over and go to sleep and get up early on another morning.

But the night before all the signs had been for a good day following, and when Mahalla jumped out of bed as the buzzing alarm clock shrilly awakened her she could see that the day was perfect.

She gathered some flowers which were covered with dew.

And she listened to the birds as they began to awaken and to chirp and to talk over their plans for the day.

Mr. Moon up in the sky was very much pleased.

"I'm getting a little glimpse at the morning," he said, "and it is so pleasant."

"It is almost like an early morning belonging to Mr. Moon," Mahalla said. "He is up still and not many others are up."

"I think I shall call the very early morning Mr. Moon's morning time."

All through breakfast Mahalla was so gay and so happy. The flowers she had plucked were so beautiful, and Mahalla was full of the early morning and of the beauties of it, and of Mr. Moon and of Mr. Sun who had taken his place in a most magnificent fashion.

She had loved the wonderful air of the early morning. But as the day grew older Mahalla began to grow quite sleepy.

But what did it matter? She had seen Mr. Moon's morning and had thought it very, very lovely.

Tongue Twisters

Sally skipped seven sentences.

Lillie likes lovely lighted lamps.

Fifty foolish flies fought furiously.

Sammy sold sixty seds Saturday.

George got Gregory's good groceries.

Anna's aunts ate apples and apricots.

Sarah's sister Shirley sailed South Saturday.

Tilly told teacher to teach Tommy telegraphy.

Beautiful Barbara brought Benjamin brass buttons.

Silly Sally sat sullenly sewing Sammy's swimming suit.

UNITED STATES COTTON GINNING REPORT.

The number of bales ginned prior to September 16th, 1924, for the United States is as follows:	
Alabama	223,178
Arizona	6
Arkansas	72,658
California	4,723
Florida	8,844
Georgia	288,131
Louisiana	160,341
Mississippi	226,980
Missouri	7
North Carolina	24,212
Tennessee	2,4
Texas	1,476,936
All Other States	248

Total for the U. S. 2,662,636
Cotton consumed during the month of August, 1924, amounted to 357,455 bales. Cotton on hand in consuming establishments on August 31 was 552,669 bales, and in public storage and at compresses 810,913 bales. The number of active consuming cotton spindles for the month, was 28,945,603. The total imports for the month of August, 1924, were 4,136 bales and the exports of domestic cotton, including linters, were 277,641 bales.

RESOLUTIONS.

The following paper was unanimously adopted by Presbytery of Abilene, September 17, at Breckenridge, Texas.

We, your special committee appointed to draft suitable resolutions relative to the long, faithful and efficient service of Rev. Jas. H. Tate, who has for the past fourteen years served as stated clerk and treasurer of this Presbytery.

Whereas, the condition of his health has made it necessary for him to discontinue his services in this capacity and, whereas, no Presbytery has had a more faithful, efficient and pains taking stated clerk; be it, therefore

Resolved, That we regret exceedingly his inability to serve us longer. That we appreciate to the fullest extent all that he has meant to us in his

official work, together with his helpful service in all matters of the Presbytery.

That we commend him and his good and faithful wife to the tender care of our loving Heavenly Father, and earnestly praying that if it is His will that he may be restored to health and strength and spare many more useful years in this Presbytery. Be it further:

Resolved, That we commend most heartily the church at Fluvanna where he has served so long and acceptably for their loyalty and tender loving consideration in this time of his protracted disability. Be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of this Presbytery, a copy be mailed to Bro. Tate, and a copy be mailed to the Fluvanna church and one to the press.

Committee.
B. F. RHODES,
A. G. FITZGERALD,
E. B. SURFACE.

JOSEPH T. BRYANT,
Moderator.

FRED S. ROGERS,
Stated Clerk.

PREACHERS IN POLITICS.

Ex-Attorney General Postmaster Burleson wants the preachers out of politics.

The Burlesons have honorable mention in Texas history as preachers and soldiers. It is about time they were furnishing a narrow minded bigot.

Jeremiah brought bad news to his country when an enemy was approaching and he was put in jail. Isaiah brought good news and calmed the fears of the king and people.

John the Baptist reminded Herod that he was violating the law and lost his head. The Savior was thought to be in politics when he said: "My kingdom is not of this world." He was crucified.

Paul and the other apostles were in politics when they were accused of "turning the world upside down."

If the preachers were lined up with Mr. Burleson they would be good fellows and he would call attention to that fact.

The preachers as a class are good citizens and are foremost in every good work.

There were two Baptist preachers murdered with Fannin's men. Like wise two fought in the battle of San Jacinto. All down the line preachers with other good citizens met the foe and labored for their right.

The writer has worked the roads, served on the juries, cultivated a farm, raised a family, paid his debts and fought the outlaws without missing an appointment to preach. I shall claim an equal share with Mr. Burleson in the government of the state and verily I believe I will get it.

How do you feel about it, reader? —E. B. F., in Jayton Chronicle.

OVERLAND ENDURANCE RUN.

The new improved Overland car was started Tuesday morning at 8:30 a. m., on a 100-hour endurance and economy test from the jewelry store of Mr. H. G. Towle, the run being of an official nature.

The committee is composed of Mayor F. R. Smith, W. C. Meadows, W. S. Beauchamp, H. G. Towle, Gay McGlaun and M. T. Miller of the Willys-Overland factory.

The speedometer will be covered so that the mileage will not be known until after the run is made.

The car being used is a stock model.

Read the Want Ads for profit.

Flower Sale!

We have a bigger stock of Pot Plants than we can winter and we are offering them in a sale

TEN FOR \$1.00

These are on display in the Meat Market West of the Postoffice. We keep in stock Choice Cut Flowers and are prepared to do all kinds of designing.

BULBS WILL BE IN SOON

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Why Rent FARM?

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226,000 ACRES

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Ernest Taylor

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PATENTS GRANTED TO TEXANS.

Compiled by Munn & Co., Patent Attorneys.

Of 827 patents issued in the last week, Texas inventors obtained 12. Do you know any of these inventors? That these inventions are worth while is attested by the number of patents that already have been assigned for manufacture and sale. In other cases the inventors are planning to manufacture them themselves or still are negotiating for assignments or royalties.

The following information is compiled by Munn and Company of New York and Washington, patent and trade mark attorneys.

Summer T. Pike of Dallas. Faucet. This is a faucet adapted for dispensing liquids, such as lubricating oils, in a sanitary and economical manner. Its object is to overcome certain disagreeable features in the operation and construction of the type of faucets commonly used for such purposes.

William A. McCartney, of Texas. Indicator holder. This invention provides a device for supporting adjacent the room number of a hotel mail and key box a card bearing the name of the person occupying the room. It may be very cheaply produced and may be applied to the present construction of mail and key boxes without in any manner altering the same.

John T. Carroll of Houston. Rotary Hoop saw. This is a power operated saw which is portable and easily operated by means of a low-powered motor. It is adapted to saw off stumps or trees below the surface of the ground quickly and expeditiously.

McMaster Elyvester Blackburn, of San Antonio. Automatic pump control. This is used for controlling oil well, for automatically throwing the pump out of operation when the liquid level has descended to a predetermined extent.

Henry Freund, of Houston. Cooking attachment for automobile motors. The attachment includes a tubular manifold with a tubular upstanding neck. A clamp is releasably secured on the neck with stays upstanding from the clamp and outwardly turned, forming a support, with engaging means carried by the

stays and adapted to engage with an object on the support.

Osmyn Mowers, of Houston. Pump. This is an improvement for pumping oil, water or other fluids from wells of any depth. It is adapted for use in the pumping of liquids containing quantities of sand or sediment which tends to wear both the pump barrel and the plunger. This invention provides a device which will operate in the ordinary pump tubing without the necessity of supplying special working barrels in which to operate.

Thomas E. Windle, of Fort Worth. Indicator for linotype compositors. The object of this invention is to provide a simple mechanism which may be attached to a linotype machine at small cost and which will, be of great convenience, because it will indicate to the operator where he stopped work, thereby saving time and many errors avoided.

Walter C. Trout, of Lufkin. Crown block. This invention relates to crown blocks for use on derricks such as are employed in the drilling and pumping of deep wells in the production of gas, oil, and sulphur.

Clark Gunter, of Gunter. Receptacle for tobacco and cigarette papers. This is a receptacle of small dimensions and makes a very nice appearance, which may be carried in the user's pocket without unduly bulging the same. The receptacle is intended to hold a package of cigarette papers and a quantity of tobacco. Separate compartments are supplied for the tobacco and cigarette papers.

Vester L. Hudson of Atlanta. Fuel burner. This is for use in connection with steam boiler furnaces. It provides a burner which is of compact, simple and inexpensive construction.

John C. Winter, of Waco. Sighting drill system and device. This is designed for use in instructing soldiers and others unfamiliar with the use of firearms in the sighting of a rifle or other firearm.

John D. Goodrum, of Houston. This relates to new and useful improvements in a hair holder. It provides a holder designed for application to the human head for holding the hair firmly in position so that it may be cut or bobbed. It is useful in cutting or bobbing long hair and is designed to hold long hair in position so as to obtain a uniform cut.

With a half score of America's most famous dirt track pilots facing the starter's flag in a series of six speed events on Monday and Friday, Oct. 6 and 10, automobile racing the "sport of kings," will be one of

the featured events of the All-West Texas Exposition at San Angelo, Oct. 6 to 11.

Stokes returned Sunday from Ft. Worth where he spends a portion of his time in the interest of his monument business.

Joe Strayhorn went to Dallas Tuesday to see if he couldn't locate some Fords for cold storage. He said that he didn't care whether he found a Ford refrigerator, a Ford bootlegger or a factory agent, but so he was able to get hold of a few of the vintage of 1924.

Prof. E. D. McIver and Bob Gray were here from Gail Tuesday. Prof. McIver will teach the Sharon school the coming term.

W. F. Bertram has traded his home in West Snyder to J. C. Hood for Mr. Hood's residence near the light plant.

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Quilt, blanket and man's coat, between Rotan and Slaton. Finder please send to Mrs. Russell Boyd, Slaton, Texas. 18-11-p

LOST—White and black spotted pig, weighs about 60 pounds. Please notify Mrs. Kate Thompson. Phone 442. 18-11-c

LOST—Bill fold Wednesday night. Contained currency, receipt and deposit slip. For reward return to Bailey, at Bryant-Link Co. 18-11-c

FOR SALE

FOR RENT—One 8-room house, \$25 per month, located in East Snyder. Call or see R. T. Carroll, Dermott, Texas. 18-11-p

SMALL FARMS FOR SALE—140 acres, 8 miles of Hereford; one-half mile good school, 5-room house and outbuildings; 130 acres cultivation. Price \$35; small payment, easy terms. 270 acres raw land, level, 5 miles Summerfield; \$20 per acre; small payment, easy terms. We have any size tract you want. Some exchanges. Low prices and good terms. Located in Deaf Smith, Castro and Garner Counties. The Garden Spot of the Plains. Elliston, Jones, Bray Land Co., Hereford, Texas. 18-2t-p

BOURBON RED Turkeys for sale for breeding purposes. J. L. Carroll, Route 1, Snyder, Texas. 17-4t-p

I HAVE two houses and lots for sale. A small cash payment down and time on balance. See me at Court House. G. F. Darby. 10-tf-c

FOR SALE OR TRADE for Snyder property, a good home in Floydada. J. C. White, Woodrow Hotel, Snyder, Texas. 16-4t-p

FOR SALE—160 acres improved land, 4 miles east of Snyder. See A. M. Curry, Snyder, Texas. 17-2t-p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—131 acres farm land located 1 3-4 miles west of Snyder. Improved, 110 acres in cultivation. Also good mules and farm tools. Good Jersey cows that are subject to registration. Plenty

feed to make crop on. Terms. See Roy Garner, owner, Snyder, Texas. 17-tf-c

WILL SELL piano or trade for stock. C. S. Perkins, Sr. 17-2t-c

FOR SALE.

Good Sandy land farm, close to Snyder; 350 acres, well improved. 142 acres, one mile of Snyder, well improved. 220 acres adjoining Maryneal, Nolan County. J. H. HAMLETT. 17-2t-p

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Fine home on paved highway in a live town only an hour's drive from Dallas. Will sell at a sacrifice or would trade for Scurry County land of equal value or would be willing to give or take to equalize values. Apply at the Times-Signal office. 17-tf

MISCELLANEOUS

C. E. Ferguson has some improved land near Tullia, ranging in price from \$21 to \$45 an acre, also one of the best buys in Snyder. 14-tf-c

BOBBED HAIR is here to stay. We receive the latest styles once a month from Chicago, and we can cut it the very latest way. Good competent, courteous barbers. Jim Lockhart's Barber Shop. 13-tf-c

I HAVE opened the dining room at the Alamo hotel, and invite the public to give my meal service a trial. We serve meals country style and feel sure that we can please you. Mrs. Dora Allen. 10-tf-c

IF YOU wish to take art this season, see Miss Alma Nelle at the Alamo hotel. 16-tf

30c COTTON—\$20.00 LAND

Either the cotton is too high or the land is too cheap. For one acre of land will usually produce from one-fourth to one-half bale of cotton annually—worth from \$35 to \$75. One crop will frequently more than pay for the land. We will sell you the land for \$12 to \$20 per acre on long time payments and at a low rate of interest. If you are interested in securing a home for yourself and family where there is no boll weevil and where the climate is fine and the water good, write today to W. A. SoRelle, General Agent for the Spearman Lands, 17 Santa Fe Building, Seagraves, Gaines Co., Texas, for descriptive literature, giving prices of land, terms, etc.

WAKE UP.

I have invented medicine for Catarrh and pyorrhea and will sell

enough to cure any case of either for one dollar. If it is to be mailed send \$1.25, to pay for mailing and postage. I sell medicine for all diseases. Be it understood there never was a cancer on the inside of anybody. Before you go to the butcher pen come and see me. North of Snyder Tire and Rubber Co., Snyder, Texas. Dr. R. F. McLarry. 17-tf

HERMLEIGH LADIES—I will handle bulbs and bulb bowls in my gift shop this fall and will be glad to have you call and see the nice lot now in stock. Mrs. Walter Gentry, Hermleigh, Texas. 18-11-c

BULBS—The bulbs have come and you can get most any kind you want by calling at the residence. Bell's Flower Shop. Phone 350. 18-11-c

WHEN in need of a service car, call 359, day or night. Meet all trains if not out on trip. A. L. Bassinger. 15-tf

BIG AD AND BIG SALE.

The Economy Store used two full pages in this issue to tell about the big sale that this store is inaugurating and which will begin Friday, October 3. Mr. Henry Rosenberg, the proprietor of the store, knows the value of printers' ink, particularly if it is put on paper that goes into a majority of the homes in a trade territory and is read by each member of the family.

The Strayhorn Motor Company sold 49 Fords and tractors the past week. Mr. Strayhorn says that he would have a pretty good business if he could only get the Fords for his customers.

The Times-Signal is glad to state that George Cox is improving. He was able to come to town Thursday. Miss Cecil Strayhorn spent the last week-end in Abilene.

TENNIS CLUB ORGANIZED.

Tuesday evening a tennis club was organized at the high school. There were thirty-two boys present. From that material Snyder ought to have a fine tennis squad. No officers were elected. Another meeting will be held next week.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Commissioners Court of Scurry County will receive bids on one road tractor at Snyder, Texas, on the 13th day of October, 1924, at 2 o'clock p. m.

HORACE HOLLEY, County Judge, Scurry County. 16-4t-c

Read the Want Ads for profit.

Fall Opening

VERY SUCCESSFUL

Our formal fall opening which commenced Monday, and will continue until Saturday, has been very successful, for which we wish to thank the good people of the county.

But Don't Forget

There are many wonderful Coats, Frocks and Hats, still to be had here. New ones have come in daily. Saturday is the last day of the opening. Come early and see the big showing for that day.

COATS



Warm and Luxurious Fall Coats

Are offered in authoritative styles that will last with the coat. They are featured in plain and novelty weaves, either fur-trimmed or not, as you wish. These coats will stand steady wear, and retain their splendid appearance.

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Are varied and interesting, both in fabric and style. Unusual values included in our new fall selection, which has been chosen with care. You can count on finding something that will just suit your purpose and your purse in this selection.



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New creations, new styles at very moderate prices. Remember Saturday is the last day of our opening week. Delay. Come today.

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TREASURY GETS \$5,251,903 FROM 146 NATIONAL FORESTS.

Receipts from timber sales, livestock grazing, and other forms of uses of the 146 National Forests totaled \$5,251,903 during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1924 according to the Forest Service, United States Department of Agriculture. This sum is paid into the United States Treasury.

Timber sales brought in \$3,020,037, and fees for grazing permits brought in \$1,915,561. The third highest amount was paid for the lease of National Forest land for summer homes and for other purposes, this form of forest use having brought in \$207,637. Leases of water power rights brought in \$82,915. Miscellaneous uses of the National Forests, including trespass damages, accounted for the balance.

The 17 National Forests in California sold the most timber, with the National Forests in Washington and Oregon second. The National Forests in Utah, Nevada, and Southern Idaho grazed the most livestock, with the forests in Arizona and New Mexico second.

Compared with the receipts for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1923, the receipts for this past year were \$83,915 less, the decrease being caused by the smaller number of livestock grazing permits issued for horses, cattle and sheep. Timber sales this past year exceeded the former year by \$308,799. Summer home leasing and water power leases also increased. Grazing receipts, however, fell off \$425,924.

THE EDITOR'S BEATITUDES.

Blessed are the merchants who advertise because they believe in it and in their business; for their prosperity shall increase many fold.

Blessed are the country correspondents who send in their well-written items every week; for fame of their friendly neighborhoods shall go abroad in the land.

Blessed is the woman who sends in a written account of a party or wedding; for she shall see the details of the function and the names of her guests correctly reported.

Blessed are all those who do not expect the editor to know everything but who call him up and tell him whenever an interesting event occurs to them; for they shall have a newsy paper in their town.

Blessed are they who do get their copy in early; for they shall occupy a warm place in the editor's heart.

Blessed are all those who co-operate with the editor in his efforts in behalf of the community; for their own shall be known far and wide as a good place in which to live.—Peetz (Colo.) Gazette.

Miss Marguerite Riley and Miss Bill Long toured to Abilene for the week-end fair.

HOOF AND MOUTH DISEASE NOW IN TEXAS.

HOUSTON, Texas.—Harris and Galveston Counties and parts of Brazoria and Ft. Bend Counties east of the Brazos river were officially quarantined on every border for hoof and mouth disease.

No products of the soil may be shipped from their borders while the quarantine is in effect.

Forty-two government inspectors are working with local and county officials who have been assigned to enforce the restrictions.

The action was taken at a meeting here this morning. Cordons of guards of state, county and federal officials have been thrown around the ranches of Dr. William Jacobs and Tom C. doon, Jr., where the disease originated.

Nearly 1,200 head of blooded cattle have been ordered shot to prevent the spread of the disease.

THE MARTIN FAMILY MIGRATES.

The editor's family, all except J. L. Jr., arrived in Snyder on the west-bound train Monday forenoon from Royce City. By the time this issue of the Times-Signal shall have reached its readers, we hope to be comfortably domiciled in our new quarters, the James property, in West Snyder, which until recently was occupied by Mr. Orr, the insurance man.

The editor feels that so far he has not had a chance at giving his readers the very best that there may be in him, but now that he and his tribe are once more living at home, your editor hopes to be able in a very short time to give you good people a paper that measures up to our ideals of a country weekly. But in order to accomplish such a thing, we must needs have the very best moral and financial support possible on the part of the people of Snyder and Scurry County, for no man or set of men can build a first-class paper without the co-operation of the people among whom it circulates.

PUPILS WILL EDIT DEPARTMENT IN TIMES-SIGNAL.

In order to inculcate the art of composition, a better use of words and punctuation marks, and that the pupils of the Snyder public school may be able to become more practical, the editor of the Times-Signal has offered to turn over a department

American Telephone & Telegraph Company 140th Dividend

The regular quarterly dividend of Two Dollars and Twenty-Five Cents per share will be paid on Wednesday, October 15, 1924, to stockholders of record at the close of business on Saturday, September 20, 1924.

H. BLAIR-SMITH,
Treasurer.

ment of his paper each week to the Snyder pupils. The space allowed the pupils is to be used for school notes, innocent jokes, short compositions, etc. All matter intended for publication, however, must first be approved by one or more of the high school faculty.

The editor trusts that both teacher and the pupil will avail themselves of this opportunity, as such a department would not only have a great instructive value to the pupils but would also add "pep" to the school spirit of Snyder as well as to the Times-Signal as a local paper.

Read the Want Ads for profit.

NO KU KLUX ON JURY.

A Haskell attorney by the name of Murchison, who represented a Mexican in district court here last week, charged with transporting liquor, asked each jurymen if he was a Ku Klux, and when he found one he promptly and neatly excused him.

If he hoped to clear the Mexican by selecting non-Klansmen, he was surely disappointed, because the jury gave his client a year and a day.

We might add for the enlightenment of this Haskell gentleman that no lines are drawn in Fisher County between Klansmen and non-Klansmen when it comes to serving their county

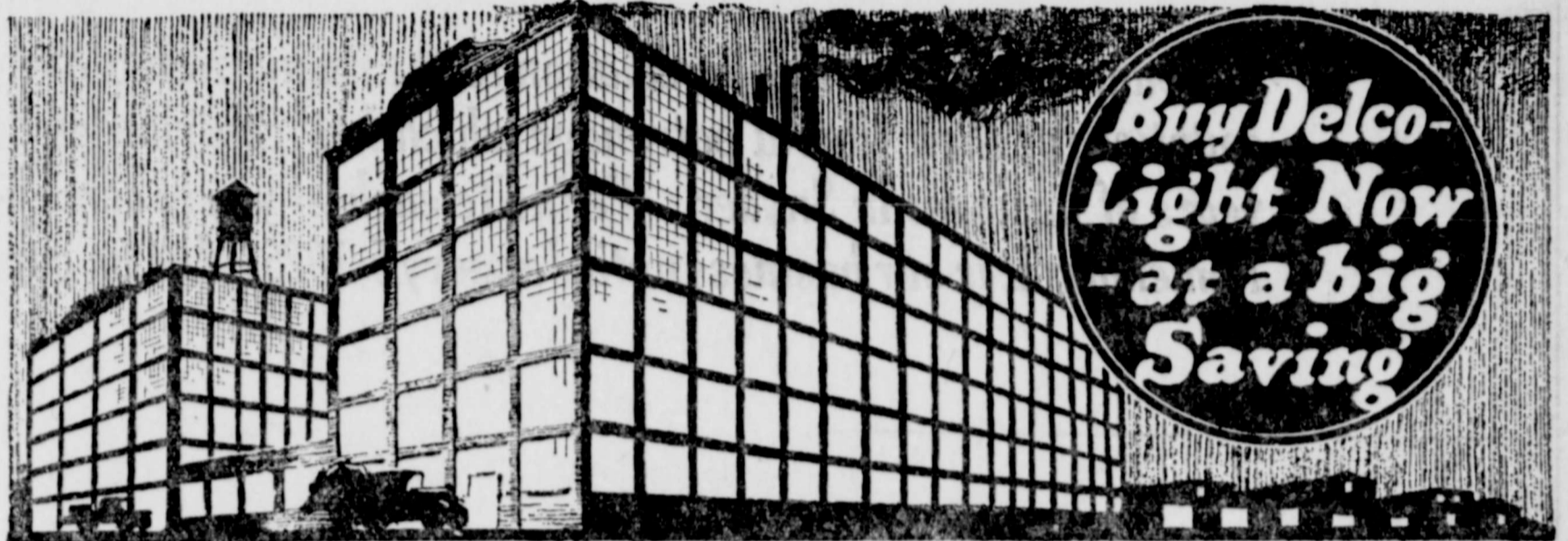
and state. There are good citizens both in and out of the Klan, and for him to assume that he could get a verdict of not guilty because he had a non-Klan jury is a reflection on non-Klansmen in Fisher County.—Roby Star-Record.

Purses aggregating \$3,000 have lured the cream of the nation's gasoline fraternity. The San Angelo fair has been fortunate in receiving entries from a host of famous stars who happen to be en route from the great Middle West fairs to the race classics of Southwest Texas, Louisiana, Alabama and Florida.

A. AND M. ANIMALS WIN ALL PRIZES AT SHOW.

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, Oct. 1.—The A. and M. College herd of dairy animals won 1 first prize, all championship, highest awards on Jerseys, Guernseys and Holsteins at the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo the past week. The herd will next be shown at Wichita Falls, Dallas and Waco. The prize money won at Amarillo was sufficient to pay all expenses incident to taking the animals the long distance.

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This Is Your Chance to Save

I have put my carload proposition up to the Delco-Light Company at Dayton. The Delco-Light Company is willing to

ship the carload, which will result in a great saving in freight. It is possible for me to make a proposition that will mean an unheard-of saving for you. By ordering on the Carload Plan I will save a large amount in freight and handling charges, and by making all installations in one group I can put Delco-Light into your home—installed, ready to turn on the switch, ready to flood your home with the blessings of electrical sunshine, at a price that will represent a big saving.

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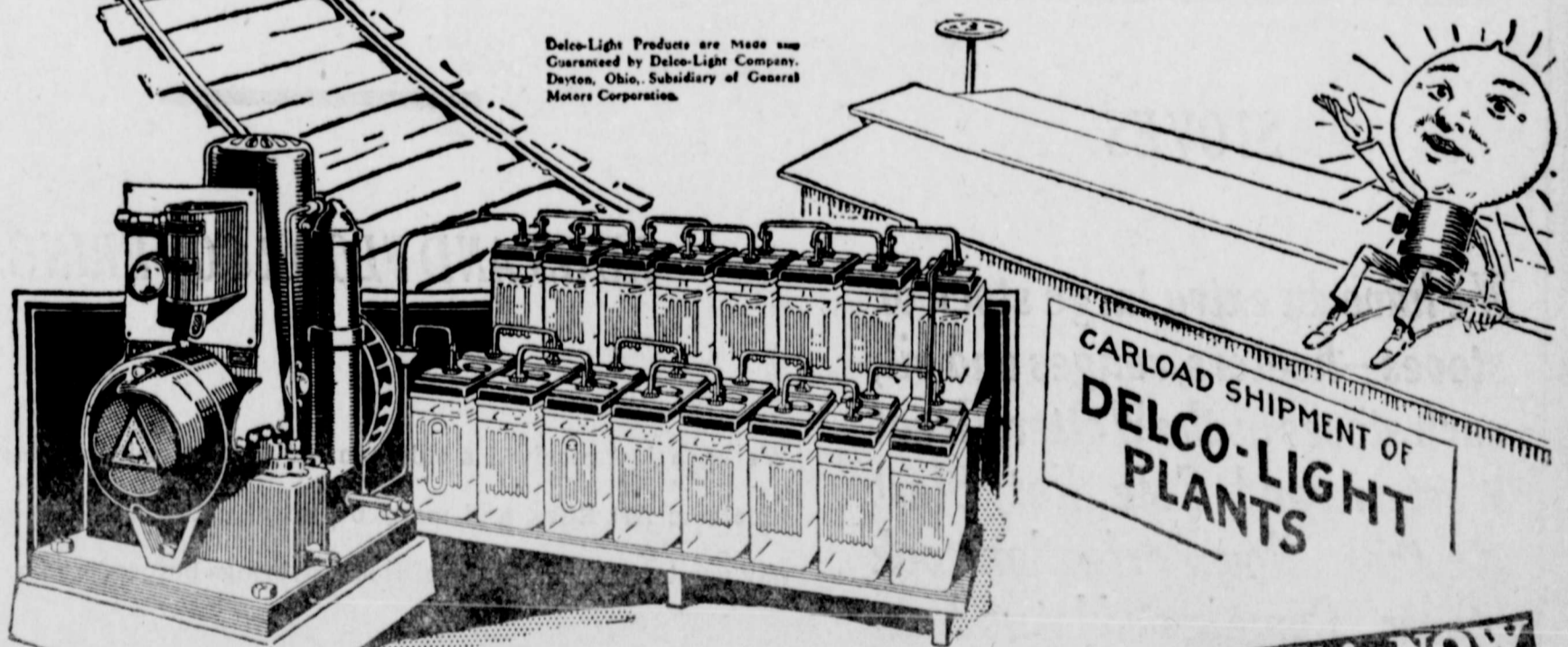
The number of plants that I have arranged to get on this plan is limited. You will have to act quickly. You will have to respond immediately. But the terms are so generous, the price so low, the advantages so great, that if you ever at any time in the future expect to modernize your home to make it a better, healthier, happier place in which to live and work, now is the time to do it.

Mail the coupon or telephone now for further details.

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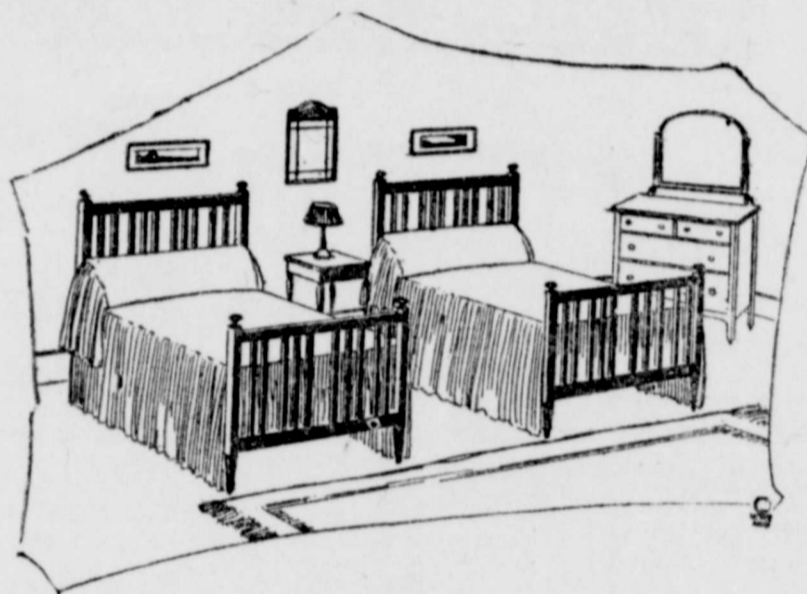
FURNITURE AND HARDWARE

We are not going to offer you anything but the highest grade Furniture, Hardware, Stoves, etc. No reduced prices. We have sold our business to the Bryant-Link Company—sale to be completed January 5—and they want us to reduce our stock. We have one of the largest stocks of Furniture and Stoves in West Texas and we are going to use every legitimate method known to move this immense stock.

We want to express our appreciation to the many friends and patrons in Scurry and adjoining counties for their liberal patronage which has contributed so much to our success in our 13 years of business in Snyder. We invite each of you to come here and supply your home needs. Remember it is our business until January 5, 1925. Let us continue to serve you.



A well furnished Dining Room is essential to every home. You can furnish your Dining Room economically and well by taking advantage of the attractively arranged displays now on view here.



When Planning Your Bedroom

An easy way in which to choose the Furniture for your bedroom is to come and let our stock offer you suggestions. Both modern and period designs are ready for your approval.



The importance of correct furniture and furnishing in the modern home cannot be over emphasized, if you wish to entertain your friends in a manner that will do yourself and your husband credit. The best way to insure proper furniture is to come here to make your selections.

STOVES

We have an extra large stock of stoves—heaters, ranges and oil, such stoves as the Wetter, Great Western and Cole Hot Blast Heaters. New Perfection cook stoves. Come in and let us demonstrate.

RUGS AND FLOOR COVERINGS

We have just received a shipment of 9x12 Axminster Rugs. Genuine Linoleum Art Rugs, and many beautiful patterns of linoleum. It will pay you to see our display of floor coverings before buying.

HARDWARE, GUNS AND AMMUNITION

We have one of the largest lines of Hardware to be found in West Texas. Also queensware, glassware, graniteware and aluminum. Hunting season is here and we have on hand a large stock of guns and ammunition.

Blackard Hardware Co.

THE - STORE - THAT - OUTFITS - THE - HOME - COMPLETE

POULTRY FACTS

POULTRY SPECIALIST SAYS NO BEST BREED

Which is the best breed is a question often asked us. In answer we have to say that there is no best breed. You can find good and poor layers, large and small birds comparatively in every breed. It is the strain more than the breed that is really the more important thing to consider.

There are three recognized general classes of poultry, the small birds or so-called egg producing class, the medium-sized bird, or the so-called dual purpose class, and the extremely large or the meat class. There is no great distinction between the egg class or the dual so far as the egg production is concerned, for many of the medium meat breeds are good egg layers. And in the small sized birds which are considered for egg laying only, there are oftentimes found individuals that will weigh from five to five and one-half pounds, and these would make a fairly good meat bird.

In regard to the breed you would like to have, it is suggested that you decide upon whether you want eggs primarily, or whether you want general purpose breeds. When you have made this decision, pick out the breed which you like best, because this is the breed with which you will get the best results. Then after you have picked the breed that you like best, buy your stock or eggs from a breeder whom you know has bred for the thing that you desire. This may be egg production, or it may be show purposes, or it may be a combination. You can find many breeders who have bred for egg production, but their stock may not be worth very much for show purposes. You can find breeders who have bred for show purposes and their stock, in turn, may not be worth very much for egg production. You can find a small per cent of breeders who have combined these two qualities and, of course, their stock would naturally be worth more because of this combination.

Just as a parting caution be sure you know the breeder from whom you are buying your stock and be sure that he has the strain of birds which have the qualities which you desire.—H. Emberton, Poultry Specialist, Colorado Agricultural College.

"Hatch Early" and Get More Eggs From Poultry

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Profits in poultry raising depend to a large extent on the earliness in the season that chickens are hatched. Because of this fact a slogan of the United States Department of Agriculture has been "Hatch Early."

The earlier in life a pullet commences laying the greater the number of eggs produced during the first laying year, department poultry experts say. Pullets should be in laying condition the first part of October, if good winter egg production is to be expected. The more eggs laid during November, December and January, the greater are the annual profits.

The department points out that in order to commence laying in October, pullets of the Plymouth Rock, Rhode Island Red, Wyandotte and similar breeds should be hatched the latter part of March or the first part of April. Pullets of the Leghorn, Ancona and similar breeds should be hatched the latter part of April or the first part of May.

Late-hatched chicks are rarely as profitable as early-hatched ones. When hatched late, they are not able to make as good growth during the hot summer months and do not mature in time to start laying in the early fall. There is little danger of farmers hatching chicks too early.

POULTRY NOTES

Wet brooder floors have caused the death of thousands of little ducklings.

One cannot expect strong, lively chicks from poorly selected hatching eggs.

Any bird lacking vigor and constitution should be removed from the breeding pen. Unhealthy birds have no place there. Aiming for quality rather than quantity gets healthier chicks.

A good dry mash, fed by means of hoppers, should be before the hens all the time. In the morning feed your grain in deep straw litter and again at night, but let the hens eat all the mash they want.

A good-sized breed is usually considered best for the farm in spite of the fact that the small breeds may lay a few more eggs per year.

Incubator failures are usually the fault of the operator, but skill comes with practice and following the instructions accompanying the machine.

Early spring is nature's most favorable growing season. Early hatched chickens have the advantage of this favorable growing season and a longer growing period.

FLUVANNA NEWS.

Roland Squires returned from Lubbock last Tuesday. We are glad to report he is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Sewalt spent Sunday here with relatives. Mrs. Chas. Shewmake is slowly improving.

Rev. C. E. Leslie preached at the Baptist Church Sunday.

Mrs. W. L. Forrester has moved back to Fluvanna. Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Boren visited at Lamesa Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Sims and baby spent Sunday in Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cross from Ozona, Texas, visited O. S. Wills and family.

Rev. Bryant of Snyder will preach the 2nd Sunday in each month at the Presbyterian Church.

H. W. Landrum and Rev. Wells of Liberty Hill, Texas, spent a few days with relatives and friends. Mr. Landrum was looking out a location, he said Snyder looked mighty good to him and that he might move there in about two weeks.

Rev. Wells, pastor of the Baptist Church at Liberty Hill, made a talk to the Sunday School teachers and parents after Sunday School at the Methodist Church. All present enjoyed the talk and I am sure was benefited by it. The talk was very interesting and instructive, one of the best Sunday School talks we ever heard. We very much regret that every Sunday School teacher and parent did not hear it.

Owing to the scarcity of help to pick cotton and at the solicitation of most of the school patrons, the trustees and teachers have postponed the opening of school two weeks, Oct. 13. It is our understanding that the term will not be cut short but will still be a nine-months' school.

Don't forget that next Sunday Rev. B. A. Moores will preach at the Methodist Church. Come in time for Sunday School, we need you.

CHINA GROVE.

After two weeks will try to write again.

No news of interest now except everybody is picking cotton. What ain't picking are hunting pickers, so everybody that hasn't got anything to do just come to China.

Mr. Kert Barber and son, Claud, of Lorenzo, Texas, were in this community last week on business.

Mr. Willie Mize and family of Cuthbert community spent Sunday at Mr. Dean's.

Most everybody around China attended the fair at Colorado.

Mr. Willie Brooks is reported real sick at present.

Mr. Floyd Merkel and family spent Sunday at Mr. Earl Brown's.

Mrs. Jim Johnson's mother, Mrs. Russell and grandmother and Bro. Hill came in this week from Joshua, Texas.

Mr. Anton White from Loraine spent Sunday evening with his mother.

Mr. Joe Wilson of Colorado spent Sunday evening with Mr. Frank White.

With best wishes to the Signal. HAPPY.

To the West Texas Press:

Upon complaint of innumerable farmers and business men in the Panhandle that wild geese and ducks were destroying the crops of that section and that something should be done to alleviate the situation, the West Texas Chamber of Commerce presented the facts to Governor Neff with the request that he in turn take the matter up with W. W. Boyd, game commissioner for Texas, and if possi-

ble relieve those counties, most affected by the past, from the operation of the game law. In reply thereto Game Commissioner Boyd in a communication today had the following to say: "Replying to your favor of the 13th instant, addressed to Governor Neff, will say that Section 24 of the game laws provides that where any wild birds, fowls, or wild animals are destroying crops, the commissioner is authorized to permit them to be killed, without consideration of open season or bag limits, but the commissioner must be furnished a statement of facts, sworn to by party seeking such permit, with the endorsement of the county judge.

However, in case of migratory birds or fowls, such as wild geese and ducks, it would also be necessary to obtain a permit from the Department of Agriculture at Washington.

If you desire to get in touch with department, address correspondence to E. W. Nelson, Chief, Bureau of Biological Survey, Washington, D. C."

Therefore the West Texas Chamber of Commerce is requesting those communities in the Panhandle most affected to take action as indicated.

Respectfully yours, PORTER A. WHALEY, Manager.

W. D. Huckaby, Bay Dunn and Sheriff-elect Byrd returned Tuesday from a tour of New Mexico.

Will Vilking left Tuesday for Quitman, Mississippi, for an extended visit.

Miss Kimmie Golden went to Ralls last Thursday to visit friends.

Miss Gladys Wainscott of Hamlin visited Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Weathers-see last week.

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Meet All Trains.

Long Trips a Specialty

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Office Phone 14

Residence Phone 121

for Economical Transportation



Smith-Webb Motor Company

Have Just Unloadde 3 Car Loads of Chevrolet Automobiles Come and Get Yours They Are Selling Fast

SMITH-WEBB MOTOR CO.

Located Motor Service Station W. E. Smith R. W. Webb

Corn - Oats

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Give Us a Trial

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Come in and Look

Jackie Coogan

In His Greatest Photoplay

"Lo g Live the King"

BY MARY ROBERTS RINEHART

Produced Under Personal Supervision of JACK COOGAN, Sr.

Directed By VICTOR SCHERTZINGER

Pathos, comedy and tense drama cleverly woven into a wonderfully entertaining motion picture presenting the boy that is loved by millions in his most amazing characterization.

A romance of golden youth, royal love and thrilling adventure, in which Jackie appears as the boy prince of everybody's dreams amid the sensational intrigue of a Balkan court. It is a magnificent production, reflecting the romantic splendor of a far-off kingdom, and Jackie, as Crown Prince Otto, has the biggest role of his career.

A METRO PICTURE

Cozy Theatre

Monday and Tuesday

Oct. the 6th and 7th.

MATINEE AND NIGHT. ADMISSION 15 AND 35c

Under auspices and for benefit of Twentieth Century Club

IT'S TIME TO CHANGE OIL



With cold weather on the way, the summer weight oil you have been using in your car will not give satisfactory service. We will put in the correct weight Oil in a few minutes if you will drive in. No charge for the service, you just pay for the oil.

GOOD GASOLINE

Yours for Better Service

Neely Filling Station

We Appreciate Your Patronage.

1000 POUNDS

Skinned Hams

ON SALE

Saturday and Monday

AT

23c per lb.

These are Sterling Brand Hams—are of the finest on the market—and as we made a special purchase is the only reason we are able to make this exceptionally low price. We fully guarantee the hams to be of the very best grade—equal to any hams on the market that sells regularly for 35c. Now is the time to buy your winter's supply of cured meats.

Ware's Grocery

Phone 437

Save Our Trade Buttons and Get Aluminum Ware

Regular \$12.50 Sheep Lined coats, belted model, large beaver collar, double breasted, Special

\$7.95

Regular \$9.00 Leather Vests, Leather Sleeves, Chamois Lined, a bargain. Extra Special

\$4.95

Ladies' Pure Thread full fashion, all colors, Regular \$2.00 grade

\$1.69

Cotton Sacks, standard 8-oz. 7 1-2 feet long.

\$1.63

Cotton Sacks, standard 8-oz., 9 feet long

\$1.83

LOOK

Over our Ladies' Ready-to-Wear before buying.

Men's \$27.00 Serge \$18.35
Men's \$35.00 values \$22.85
Men's \$45.00 Serge \$26.85
One lot odd Dress Coats for men \$5.95

Men's Dress Shirts

Large Assortment to Select From
Men's \$1.25 dress shirts 83c
Men's \$1.50 dress shirts 98c
Men's \$2.00 dress shirts \$1.35
Men's \$2.50 dress shirts \$1.69
Men's \$3.00 dress shirts \$1.95
Men's \$3.50 dress shirts \$2.45

Men's Pants

Large assortment of men's pants to offer during this sale.
Men's \$3.00 dress pants \$2.19
Men's \$3.50 dress pants \$2.69
Men's \$4.00 dress pants \$2.95
Men's \$5.00 dress pants \$3.69
Men's \$6.00 dress pants \$4.85
Men's \$1.50 khaki pants \$1.19
Men's \$2.00 khaki pants \$1.49
Men's \$2.50 khaki pants \$1.89
Men's \$2.75 8-oz. duck pants \$1.83

Men's New Fall Overcoats

One lot Men's new Fall overcoats in the latest patterns, belt model, plaid back, all wool, regular \$30 value, our price \$17.85
Men's \$11.50 value, special purchase \$8.85

Boy's Shoes

Boy's \$2.50 work shoes \$1.65
Boy's \$3.50 work shoes \$2.85
Boy's \$3.00 dress shoes \$2.39
Boy's \$4.00 dress shoes \$2.95
Boy's \$5.00 dress shoes \$3.29

Men's Dress Shoes

Big assortment of guaranteed all solid leather foot-wear, in all styles and sizes.
Men's \$3.50 Dress Shoes \$2.69
Men's \$4.00 Dress Shoes \$2.95
Men's \$5.00 Dress Shoes \$3.29
Men's \$6.00 Dress Shoes \$4.39

You will find all the new Ready-to-Wear for Ladies, Misses and Children, all Men's and Boys' New Fall Suits, Hats, Caps, Underwear, Work Clothes and Shoes, all Ladies', Misses' and Children's new Shoes and Oxfords for Fall and Winter all Staple Goods; all kinds of new Fall and Winter Goods for the entire family stacked as high as your head. Our goods will absolutely measure up to the standard both in quality and style and, of course, the prices will be under any and all competition. Come!

ECONOMY DRY GOODS CO

"THE PRICE IS THE THING"

Next Door to Manhattan Hotel

South Side Square

NOTICE: No Bonus or Commission are Paid Anyone to Conduct This Sale. We are Running This Sale Ourselves, Thereby Giving Our Customers the Advantage of Saving **ECONOMY DRY GOODS CO., Snyder, Texas**

One case of new Cotton Checks, just the thing for making quilts—extra special, a yard 9 1-2c

One big case outing flannels, all new, all colors, extra heavy, regular 20c yard, our price, a yard 15 1-2c

Extra large size 64x76 Cotton Blankets, weighs 2 1-2 each, regular \$3.50 grade, our price \$2.49

New Curtain Scrim, just received, regular 15c grade, a yard 9c

Guaranteed fast color linene suiting in all colors, regularly 50c grade, special 29c

All wool serge in black, brown, navy blue and red, regularly \$1.00 grade, special 79c

Women's and Misses' all wool worsted scarf, all colors, regular \$3.50 values, special \$1.69

Children's good grade school hose in black or cordovan, all sizes, extra special 13c

Large size pink and blue bordered Turkish Towels, just the things for gifts, regular 75c, special, ea. 39c

Men's heavy blue work shirts, full cut, all sizes from 14 1-2 to 17, special 63c

Ladies' Silk Hose, all colors, silk top Ipswich Brand, regular \$1.25 quality, our price, a pair 73c

Oil cloth in fancy colors or solid white, buy now, special 31c

One big lot of new fancy Zephyr Gingham, all new fancy colors, just the thing for school dresses, yd 16c

This Coupon **\$1.00** In Trade Good for **\$1.00** or over during this sale Purchase of \$10.00 or over during this sale only.

Boy's \$1.75 corduroy Pants, the pair 98c
Boy's \$2.00 Wool Pants, the pair \$1.19
Boy's \$2.75 wool Pants, the pair \$1.39
Boy's \$3.00 one-piece corduroy Suits \$2.19
Boy's \$7.00 Suits \$4.95
Boy's \$8.00 Suits \$5.65

Men's and Boys Caps

Regular \$1.25 values 69c
Regular \$1.50 values 95c
Regular \$2.50 values \$1.69

Men's Boots and Bootees

Guaranteed all solid leather Boots or Bootees
Men's \$7.50 Bootees \$5.85
Men's \$9.00 Bootees \$6.95
Men's \$14.00 cow boy Boots \$10.85
Men's \$15.00 cow boy Boots \$11.45

Men's Hats

Men's \$3.00 Hats \$2.49
Men's \$3.50 Hats \$2.85
Men's \$5.00 silk lined Hats \$3.95
Men's \$5.00 silk lined velvet Hats \$3.69

STETSONS

\$7.00 values \$5.45
\$7.50 values \$6.15
\$9.00 values \$7.35

Ladies' Oxfords and Slippers

Ladies' this is your chance to save on foot-wear.
Regular \$2.95 value \$1.69
Regular \$3.50 value \$2.69
Regular \$4.00 value \$3.19
Regular \$5.00 value \$4.35
Regular \$6.00 value \$4.85

Men's Work Shoes

All guaranteed solid leather work shoes
Men's \$2.50 work Shoes \$1.69
Men's \$3.50 work Shoes \$2.69
Men's \$4.50 work Shoes \$3.19
Men's \$5.00 work Shoes \$3.65
Men's \$6.00 Army Dress Shoes \$3.95

One lot of Ladies' new slip-over Sweaters, all wool, regular \$5.00 value for

\$1.95

One lot all colors suiting, 36 inches wide, special, a yard

49c

Men's O. D. Flannel Shirts, Army Style. Reg. \$2.95 Grade

\$1.79

Ladies' Patent 1 strap Slipper, regular \$2.95 grade, special

\$1.69

300 Pairs Ladies' low heel Vic Kid Comfort Shoes, regular \$2.95 grade

\$1.49

NOTICE

Store Closed Thursday to arrange for this big Sale. Wait

Ladies Silk Hose
in all colors
Extra Special

39c

One case New Fall
Cotton Checks, extra
special

91-2c YD

Ladies' Felt House
Shoes, regular \$1.00
values, all colors

73c PR

One Big Case Cotton
Flannel, extra spe-
cial, a yard

151-2c

Men's Khaki Work
Pants, regular

\$1.19

Men's heavy 8-oz.
brown duch pants,
ular \$2.25 grade

\$1.83

200 pair Cotton Blan-
kets, 2 1-2 lb. 64x76, all
new \$3.50 grade, a pair

Good Grade Turkish
Towels, Bleached
Size 14x28, Special

11c EACH

Men's Handkerchiefs
good quality. Special

4c

APRONS
Ladies' Percal Aprons
All sizes and colors.

Special
88c

Best Grade 36-inch
Cretonne. Regular
25c value. Special

171-2c

3-lb. Cotton Batts. Reg-
ular 75c Grade. Special

59c

100 pair cotton blan-
kets, size 54x76. All
new \$3.00 grade, a pr.

\$1.69

Extra Special Men's
15c grade hose

8c PR

25 doz. Men's Wool
Hose, extra special

15c

Men's Blue Overalls
Good Quality
Regular \$1.50 grade

89c

Men's Blue 2.40 wt.
Heavy Denim, regular

\$2.00 grade
\$1.29

Ladies' Tennis One-
Strap Canvas Slip-
pers Ked Brand, reg-
ular \$1.50 Grade

49c

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The Economy Dry Goods Company, next door to Manhattan Hotel, Snyder, Texas, opens their **FIRST ANNIVERSARY** and **FALL OPENING SALE** on Friday, October 3rd, at 9 o'clock, and this Sale lasts 15 selling days. Brand new Fall Merchandise will be offered to the public. Our buyer has just returned from the East where he purchased new goods for cash far below the market value. We are offering you this merchandise on this same basis. Come, look us over. Be on time Friday morning, October 3rd, at 9 o'clock.

Our Reason for This Sale

In honor of our First Semi-Anniversary, or six months in Snyder, we announce our First Anniversary and Fall Opening Sale. This sale is a concrete expression of our appreciation of the liberal patronage the people of Snyder and the surrounding territory have given us. Such values that we are now offering you, mark a fitting observance of our first anniversary. These items could not be purchased in the regular way to offer at the prices quoted, but advance planning and our willingness to sacrifice profit in honor of the occasion, bring you these most wonderful values. **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:** To endeavor always to merit you fullest confidence, to link this store with the civic growth of Snyder and with the social life of the community—these things shall guide us to even broader achievement. —**THE ECONOMY DRY GOODS CO.** Next Door to Manhattan Hotel.

Men's Clothing

Next to Manhattan Hotel, Snyder, Texas

Bargains picked from

Boys' New Fall Clothing

All new now ready for the Boys for school; new

Neighboring County News

Boiled Down for Busy Readers

J. W. Watkins, an employe at the gypsum factory near Sweetwater, had one of his fingers crushed a few days ago by getting it caught in some of the machinery at the plant.

Mrs. Samuel Compere of Sylvester died last Saturday at the age of 61 years.

Mrs. Ben Roberts of Sweetwater was operated on at the Baptist sanitarium in Abilene Saturday, and late reports stated that she was in a critical condition.

Mrs. J. H. R. Lagow of Sweetwater was severely injured Friday when the car in which she was riding collided with another car on a bridge four miles west of Abilene.

Edgar Q. Simmons, a former resident of Sweetwater, died a few days ago in Arizona of cancer of the stomach.

Up to last Thursday Rotan had received 2,000 bales of cotton this season.

The small child of Mrs. R. L. Lovett of Rotan, got a nickel lodged in its throat one day last week. After local doctors had failed to dislodge the coin the child was taken to Sweetwater for an operation. Later reports stated that the coin was still in the child's throat.

R. I. Bates, a well known and highly respected resident of Roby, died in that city the past week of pneumonia. He was 69 years old.

There are four nice homes now under construction in Roby and a number of others to be built this fall.

J. C. Wyatt of Roby was thrown from his automobile near Sweetwater Sunday and perhaps fatally injured. A woman who was in the car with Mr. Wyatt sustain a dislocated shoulder.

Mrs. C. L. Hargrove of the Spade community in Mitchell County sustained a broken arm Thursday while cranking a car.

loss is over a billion and a quarter dollars.

It has been estimated that a tuberculosis patient is under care on an average of two and one-third years. Probably for at least the last year he is unable to earn anything. We can estimate the average annual earnings of a person at \$1,000.

The Texas Public Health Association, through the money raised by the annual tuberculosis Christmas seals, has been endeavoring to reduce the death rate from tuberculosis. In the registration area the death rate from consumption has been reduced from 200 per 100,000 in 1904 to 97 per 100,000 in 1922.

PLEASANT HILL.

If the wind don't blow me away will try and write a little this morning.

Nearly everybody is busy picking cotton.

Gillum Bros. are sowing wheat.

S. S. Daughtry planted barley last week.

Ernest Burris' baby is reported to be quite sick. Hope the little fellow will soon be well again.

The twin babies of Mr. and Mrs.

Charlie McDaniel were sick last week.

Mrs. Trousdale and Grandma Gillum were on the sick list last week, but they are all o. k. now.

J. M. Allen and little son visited at T. W. Derden's last Sunday.

Mr. Otis Dauhtry went to Union last Sunday evening to singing.

The young folks at Pleasant Hill have organized a B. Y. P. U. We understand they meet at the church every Sunday evening. This is nice and I think each and everyone ought to go and do all they can to make it a success. It will also prove a blessing to all that go.

SPRING FLOWER.

GREAT TRICK RIDING BY BUCK JONES.

A new high record for daring horsemanship is hung up by Buck Jones, the popular western in "The Desert Outlaw," the newest William Fox offering which will star Buck at the Cozy Theatre on Saturday.

"Handcuffed horsemanship" is the sensational trick riding novelty which Buck Jones flashes before the astounded eye. It's the greatest riding of Buck's long hard-riding career—a stellar performance. And there's

still a greater thrill in store when Buck, still handcuffed, rides the brake-beam of a railroad car, and at the risk of his life, ingeniously frees himself from the handcuffs.

The bully action plot of desert love and outlawry, written by Charles Kenyon, was directed by Edmund Mortimer. Evelyn Brent is Buck's little leading lady, and the distinguished cast includes DeWitt Jennings, William Haynes, Claude Fayette, William Gould and Bob Klein.

Rev. J. T. Bryant, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, was called home to Cisco this week on account of the serious illness of Mrs. Bryant's mother, Mrs. G. W. Keathley.

GOOD FOR WEAK EYES.
The quick action of simple camphor, hydrastis, witchhazel, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash astonishes people. One small bottle helps any case weak, sore or strained eyes. Aluminum eye cup free. Grayson Drug Store.

THE DALLAS NEWS TO OFFER BARGAIN.

We are in receipt of a letter from The Dallas News, stating that reduced mail subscription rates will be announced not later than Dec. 1. This is no doubt good news to many newspaper readers who buy their daily newspaper by the year.

The News stated it printed more news and more pages during the year just passed than any other Texas newspaper. The number of pages exceeded that of the next newspaper by 1,200. The letter also brought out the fact that the News maintained the highest priced news-gathering organization in the Southwest, its pay roll for this class of service being 53 per cent higher than the next newspaper.

According to their statement, the News also maintains ten leased wires, which exceeds that of any other Texas newspaper.

This news, concerning the big State newspaper which has meant so much in the growth of Texas, will be of interest to the entire reading public.

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 1.—D. E. Breed, Executive Secretary, Texas Public Health Association, states that tuberculosis is one of the most costly diseases now affecting mankind, both in treatment and in money lost because of sickness.

In 1922 there were 106,000 deaths from tuberculosis in the United States, and it is estimated that there were about 954,000 active cases. Tuberculosis cuts off two and a half years of life from the complete expectation of every individual. If each individual were to add only \$100 to the community wealth for a year, tuberculosis would cost the community \$250 per person. Among the 5,000,000 persons in Texas, this

Forced to Sell FOR CASH

We have such a large amount on our books, and collections so slow, we are forced to sell strictly for cash beginning October 1st, in order to get the money with which to meet our obligations.

It is impossible for us to quote you prices of groceries for the grocery market is very unsettled and prices are constantly changing and we are going to make special prices every day on our entire stock. It will pay you to investigate these offerings for we know you will make a big saving by taking advantage of the

SPECIAL PRICES

We invite you to make a comparison of the quality of groceries offered and our prices. They will stand comparison.

YOUR PATRONAGE APPRECIATED

Co-Operative Grocery Company
J. E. KETNER, Manager.



The Stadium
3955—Black
4955—Brown

Why we "Fashioned" these Oxfords to Fit Snug at the Ankle

ANKLE-FASHIONED oxfords were designed to fill the wants of the thousands of men who resented wearing oxfords that began to gap at the ankle almost before their "newness" was gone. Because their pliable tops are fashioned in the making to gently clasp the ankle—to conform to its shape—your Nunn-Bush oxfords, properly fitted, will retain their trim neatness through life.



Baugh & Webb
Nunn-Bush

Give Us A Trial

On your next bill of groceries. Your patronage solicited on Quality and Staple Groceries.

"A Square Deal Is Our Motto"

Will Clark Grocery

PHONE 307

Try Our Sunday

DINNER

AMERICAN CAFE

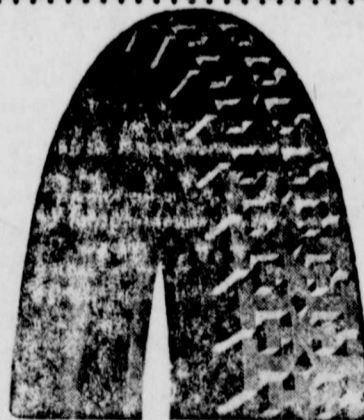
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Farmers' Friend

BUCKSKIN

Low Pressure

CORDS



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Churches

Presbyterian Church, Fluvanna.
We are glad to announce that Rev. J. T. Bryant of Snyder will preach for us at the Presbyterian church of Fluvanna on the second Sunday, Oct. 17th, morning and night. We cordially invite the public to worship with us.
JAS. H. TATE.

First Baptist Church.
Next Sunday is promotion day in the Sunday School. Let everyone be about fifteen minutes early. It will take some time to get things straightened out. Will you not see to it that your entire household is present and on time?
At the evening hour the pastor will deliver the first of a series of sermons to the women of the church.

The series will be as follows:
"Woman's Sphere of Service in the Social Life of the Community."
"Woman's Sphere of Service in the Home."
"Woman's Sphere of Service in the Church."
W. T. ROUSE, Pastor.

Senior Epworth League Program, Oct. 5, 6:30 P. M.
Subject, In His Steps.
How Jesus Cheered the Discouraged and Fearful.
Scripture—Matt. 9:2; John 14:1; Luke 12:13-34—Ellen Jameson.
Song, Prayer.
Solo—Ophelia Darwood.
Announcements.
Song.
A Discouraged Sufferer, Matt. 9:2-8—Edith Darby.
Troubled Hearts (John 14:1)—Hal Yoder.
Discouraged Workers in the Kingdom of God, Luke 12:31-34—Ula Richardson.
Reading—Ruby Nell Johnson.
Roll Call.
Benediction.

At the Church of Christ.
Bible Study at 10 o'clock.
Preaching at 11 and 7:30.
Our house was almost full last Lord's day. We will expect it to be full next Lord's day.
Come and bring your friends. A welcome awaits all who will come.
The writer preached at Sharon last Sunday in the afternoon; had large crowd.
E. CHRISTIAN, Minister.

Sunday School at Ennis.
Sunday School at Ennis next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Let everyone in the community come.
Preaching at 11 o'clock. There will be special music at the Sunday school and preaching service.
Come and help get the Sunday school started.
E. S. DORSET.

Methodist Church Notes
Rev. Jameson, the pastor, will preach at the Methodist Church Sunday both morning and night. Subject, morning service, "The Charac-

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ter of Jesus." Night service, "Jesus Love for Humanity."
The public is invited to attend all of the services. Annual conference is drawing nigh.
C. E. JAMESON.

Senior B. Y. P. U. Program Oct. 5, 1924.
Foreword—President.
Baker.
Introduction—Sam Dorfman.
Bible Reading in the B. Y. P. U.—Charlie Starkey.
What Place Has the Bible in My Scripture, Psalm 119:9-16—Lura Baker.
Personal Life—Derrek Hosea.
Plan to Give the Bible a Place—Lois Smithers.
Special Emphasis Upon Study—Mrs. Trigg.
Read with Reverence for the Author—Mr. A. C. Alexander.
The Bible an Up-to-Date Book—Mr. A. C. Alexander.
Read and Respond to Bible Truths—Tim Cook.
Reduce Reading to Practice—Janie Martin.
All members are urged to be present at 6:30 sharp.

JACKIE COOGAN COMING IN HIS BIGGEST FILM.
With more than \$400,000 spent on the construction of the sets alone, Jackie Coogan's latest picture, "Long Live the King," his first under the \$1,500,000 Metro contract which was given him recently, ought to fulfill all the advance reports which were

broadcasted throughout the country at the time this picture was in the making in Hollywood.
That it is an unusually lavish and beautiful production is substantiated by the fact that it contains several exact duplications of famous European structures. One is of the famous castle of Neuschwanstein in Bulgaria, a landmark in European architecture, another of the world-renowned opera house at Dresden, Germany, and still another of the beautiful cathedral in Herzegovina, the shrine of millions of European viators. A special research staff sailed from Europe for Hollywood at the time production was begun with exact designs and plans for the duplication of these famous structures.

"Long Live the King" is an adaptation of Mary Roberts Rinehart's famous novel of the same name. It was directed by Victor Echertzinger from the continuity by C. Gardner Sullivan and Eve Unsell and photographed by Frank Good and Robert Martin. William Van Brincken was research expert and J. J. Hughes art director. The picture was produced for Metro under the personal supervision of Jack Coogan, Sr.

G. M. Garner is attending the reunion of the Confederate veterans at Fort Worth this week.
Dr. O. L. Howell is in Brownwood this week on business.

A. L. Bassinger, one of Snyder's service car men, and Paul G. Carter of the Times-Signal force, spent Saturday in Wichita Falls.

CARD OF THANKS.

We write thanking the friends and neighbors for their kind help and attention shown us during the sickness and death of our dear sister, Miss Nannie Tolson, September 7. May God's richest blessings rest on each and everyone of them is our prayer.
MR. T. W. TOLSON.
MRS. M. E. WEEMS.
MRS. MOLLIE WINN.

A. M. Herren, one of our farmers of the Clairemont community, was in town Saturday. Mr. Herren says that his part of the county is awfully dry.

Judge Phillip Young and Mrs. Young of Lamesa were here Thursday, Mr. Young being here on matters pertaining to court.

W. S. Duckworth and mother visited at Post City Sunday.

R. B. Bryant of Stamford and Guy Speck of Post City, members of the firm of Bryant-Link Company, were here last week on business.

J. G. Key, 'key', 'lock', and 'safety vault', of Justicebury, was here Tuesday. When we get a little better acquainted with him we are going to ask him to let us fish in his big pond next summer.

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Lesson for October 5

THE CHOICE OF THE TWELVE

LESSON TEXT—Matt. 19:1-42.
 GOLDEN TEXT—Freely ye have received, freely give.—Matt. 10:8.
 PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus Chooses Twelve Friends.
 JUNIOR TOPIC—The Twelve Apostles.
 INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Partners With Jesus in His Work.
 YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Urgent Need for Full Time Christian Workers.

Having set forth the laws of the kingdom in the Sermon on the Mount, and His power to administer the affairs of the kingdom in the miracles of the eighth and ninth chapters, Matthew now sets before us the methods which the King adopted in the propagation of the kingdom. It should be clearly noted that this chapter does not outline the policy of missionary endeavor in this age. To teach it thus will be a grievous blunder. The following divisions of the chapter suggest the dispensational aspects of the lesson.

1. Instructions Bearing Immediately Upon the Apostles' Work to the Death of Christ (vv. 1-15).

In strictness of interpretation these teachings have no application to any later period.

1. The Ministers Chosen (vv. 1-4). These twelve humble men were chosen and commissioned to carry forth the work of the propagation of the kingdom. They were not commissioned with church truth. These twelve stood in a peculiar relation to Israel.

2. The Sphere of Their Mission (vv. 5, 6). They were to go only to Jews. They had no message for Gentiles, or even Samaritans. After Pentecost this sphere was widened. (See Luke 24:46-49; Acts 1:8). This would be a strange restriction to place upon ministers today.

3. Their Message (v. 7). "The kingdom of heaven is at hand." This meant that the promised kingdom of Israel was at hand, that Jesus Christ, the promised King, was present and ready to set up His kingdom if they were willing to have it. This differs widely from the message of the ministers today. After the church is translated, the same message will be taken up for a brief time by the remaining remnant. (See Acts 15:13-18; Rom. 11; Rev. 7).

4. The Supernatural Authentication of Their Mission (v. 8). They were clothed with power to work miracles. These wonderful works were really done by the twelve. Where is the minister today who is so foolishly as to try to fulfill this?

5. Their Maintenance (vv. 9, 10). They were to make no provision for their support, but to depend wholly upon the Lord who sent them. They had received the message and power gratuitously, and they were to give it in the same way (v. 9). Happy, indeed, would we be today if we had more ministers who are willing to trust the Lord for their support instead of bargaining for a stated salary!

6. Responsibilities of Those to Whom the Message Was Delivered (vv. 11-15). Upon entering the city or town they were to inquire for a respectable place to stay. Into that home they were to bring peace. If the people would not receive them or hear their message, they were to pronounce judgment upon them, and the turning of the Lord from them was symbolized by the ministers wiping the dust from their feet when turning from the people who rejected their message.

11. Instructions Concerning the Testimony From Pentecost Onward (vv. 16-23).

After Pentecost, testimony for Christ would be fraught with great danger. Both Jews and Gentiles would assail the messengers with the most bitter persecutions. They were scourged in the synagogues before heathen magistrates. Instead of bringing peace to the homes they brought divisions of the fiercest kind among families. In their defense they were to rely upon the Holy Spirit to aid them. These conditions were literally fulfilled in the period from Pentecost to the destruction of Jerusalem. Since the fall of Jerusalem no one has ever been scourged in a synagogue.

111. Teaching Applicable in All Ages (vv. 24-42).

The disciple has the position of oneness with his Master. He is to courageously declare the whole counsel of God, though violently opposed, for so completely is the Lord identified with His disciples that He accepts treatment of them as treatment of Himself.

Seeking the Mercy of God
 We implore the mercy of God, not that He may leave us in peace in our vices, but that He may free us from them.—Pascal.

Share in His Blessings
 Only those who belong to the Lord's people have a share in His richest blessings.—Evangelical Teacher.

Great Faith
 Great faith must have great trials.—Evangelical Visitor.

A. AND M. HAS LARGEST ENROLLMENT THIS YEAR.

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, Oct. 1.—The A. and M. College of Texas has begun its year's work with a student body nearly 200 larger than any previous one. Although there is a heavy burden of disciplinary work on the officials of the college due to the crowded dormitory conditions, a successful year is anticipated. The enrollment is 2130. Military drill was held this week for the first time with an army of cadets numbering 1900.

MRS. BEN SMITH'S SISTER DIES.

Word was received Sunday by Mrs. B. F. Smith, associate editor of the Slaton Times, of the death of her sister, Mrs. Lester, at Wallace, Texas. Mrs. Smith was out of town and never received the message in time to reach Wallace for the funeral which was held at 10 o'clock Monday morning so she remained at home.

Mrs. Lester had been in bad health for several months and Mrs. Smith had visited her three times the past summer. The writer knew Mrs. Lester for several years and she was a noble Christian woman and to know her was to love her.

She leaves several sons and daughters, a mother and several brothers and sisters.

We extend to Mrs. Smith our sympathy in this her hour of sorrow.—Slaton Slatonite.

Mr. Claude Dorser and Mr. Bill Parsons were in town Saturday from Ira.

NOTICE TO BOND BUYERS.

The Board of Trustees of Dunn Independent School District of Scurry County, Texas, will receive bids on twenty-two thousand and 00-100 (\$22,000.00) Dollars schoolhouse bonds of said district, said bonds are of the denomination of \$500.00. Due and payable in 40 years from date with an option of payment after five years from date, bearing interest at the rate of 5 1-2 per cent, payable annually. All bids must be sealed and addressed to J. C. Beakley, president of the Board, Dunn, Texas.

Said bids to be accompanied by a cashier's check for 5 per cent of the amount of said bid.

Bids will be opened at Dunn, Texas, at 2 o'clock p. m., September 30th, A. D., 1924. The School Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

J. C. BEAKLEY, President.
 W. A. JOHNSTON, Sec.

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ELECTION NOTICE.

CITY OF SNYDER, COUNTY OF SCURRY, STATE OF TEXAS.

Whereas, the Aldermen of the City of Snyder, County of Scurry, State of Texas, deems it advisable for the said City to adopt the provisions of 1911, governing street improvements.

Therefore, it is hereby ordered by the Aldermen of said City that an election be held on the 14th day of October, 1924, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted:

Shall the City of Snyder, County of Scurry, State of Texas, adopt the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, of the Revised Statutes of Texas of 1911, governing street improvements.

Said election shall be held at the City Hall, in the City of Snyder, County of Scurry, State of Texas, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said election:

Earnest Taylor, presiding judge; Mrs. O. P. Thrane, assistant judge; T. A. Boren, assistant judge; Mrs. W. R. Bell, clerk; Mrs. W. B. Dane, clerk.

Said election shall be held and the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas regulating general elections and by the provisions of Article 1016 of the Revised Statutes of 1911, and only qualified voters, who are property taxpayers of said city, shall be allowed to vote and all voters desiring to support the proposition shall have printed on ed on their ballot the words:

"For adoption of the provisions of Chapter 11, Title 22, of the Revised Statutes of 1911, governing street improvements."

And those opposed shall have printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the adoption of the provision of Chapter 11, Title 22, of the Revised Statutes of 1911, governing street improvements."

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proper notice of said election and the Mayor is directed to cause notice of said election, one at the place designated for holding said election, and two other notices in two public places in said City, at least thirty days prior to the date of said election.

The Mayor is further authorized and directed to have said notice of election published in some newspaper of general circulation published in said City, which notice shall be published once each week for five weeks, the date of first publication being not less than thirty (30) full days prior to the date of the election.

FRITZ R. SMITH,
 Mayor, City of Snyder, Texas.

ATTESTED:
 A. C. PREUITT,
 City Secretary, City of Snyder, Texas.
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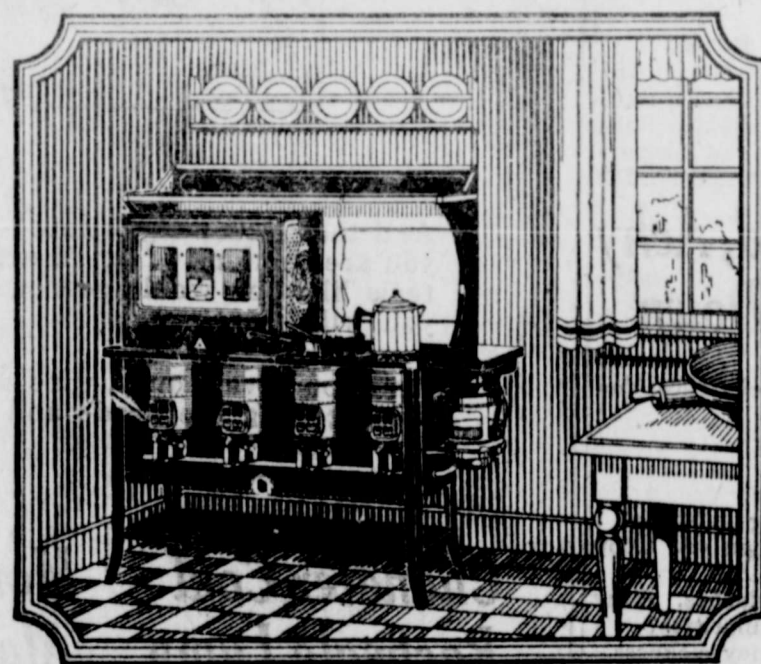
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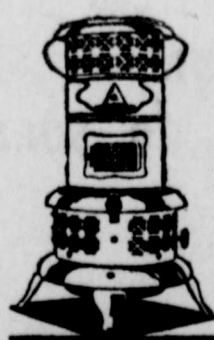
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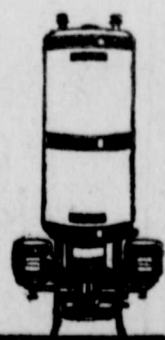
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