

An Ostrich Tip



Miss Parrot—A friend in the business gave me this lovely plume and the tip that feathers will be fashionable this year.

Was Only Joe



He—Thought I saw you with your favorite author at the window a while ago.

Just So



"Why do they call them proofs?" "In this case it's a proof that you're a peach."

The Footruler



New Clerk—Have you a footruler in this office? Old Employee—Yes, it's to keep 'em quiet while you work.

Current Events



"Where is the news from along the river in this paper?" "In the column of Current Events."

No Pay—No Room



Boarding House Mistress—He was a very sociable fellow, but, as he didn't pay his rent, I had to get rid of him.

His Training School

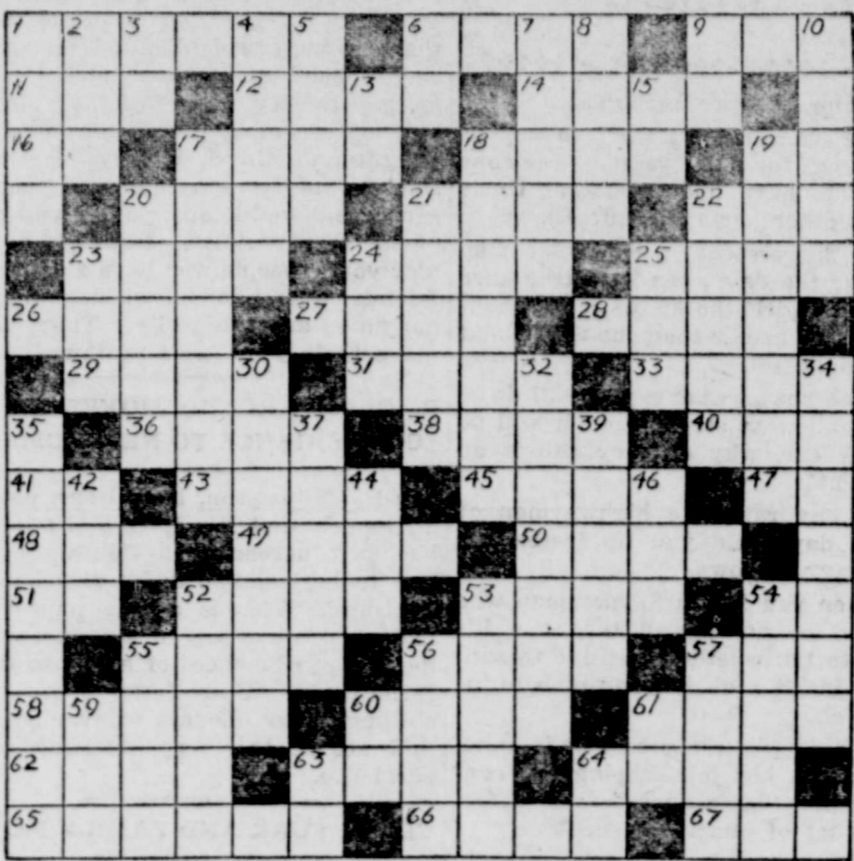


"You're a wonder. How did you get that proficiency in making while making

T. U. FIELD WORKERS UNEARTH CAVES NEAR TEMPLE.

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 15.—Evidence pointing to the existence of a left-handed Indian of long ago was recently unearthed by anthropology field workers from the University of Texas on an expedition near Temple.

ing rocks near Temple are caves where Indians lived and died long before the white men ever set foot on American soil, it is declared.



- Horizontal. 1—Stiffen 2—Part of a ship 3—Short poem 4—Play on words 5—Italian city 6—Acquire by labor 7—Month of Hebrew calendar 8—Part of the whole 9—Transportation charge 10—Point of compass 11—Strike an attitude 12—Possess 13—Obstruct 14—External opening of the ear (pl.) 15—Turn toward 16—Quite a few 17—Hell 18—Classify 19—Like 20—Pain 21—Long narrative poem 22—Open slightly 23—Seek 24—Only 25—Boy's name 26—Part of verb "to be" 27—Flesh 28—Part of a church 29—Note of musical scale 30—Number below eleven 31—Mud 32—Torn 33—Printing measure 34—Small 35—Sort 36—Like 37—Linear measure (pl.) 38—English statesman (Eighteenth century) 39—Australian bird 40—Baking accessory (pl.) 41—Insignificant 42—Yawn 43—Chinese money of account 44—Went down 45—Crumby deposit, chiefly clay and calcium carbonate, used as a fertilizer 46—Acquired by labor 47—Ancient capital of Phoenicia 48—Limb

WORKING CHILDREN.

The organizations that are backing the child-labor law, and trying to get an amendment to the constitution giving congress power to regulate it and to control the employment of children up to the age of 18 years are moving heaven and earth to accomplish their ends.

We believe the average Snyder resident feels that he is already being assessed a sufficient sum to operate the government. We don't believe anyone in this community at least is anxious to have additional taxes added just to support another bureau at Washington that would provide several thousand fat jobs and accomplish nothing more than is now being accomplished by state laws.

EXPECT BIG YEAR.

Auto manufacturers are now fixing their quota of production for 1925, and they are doing so very carefully. Last January they made their figures too high, and had to retrench before the summer was over, because people did not go "auto crazy" like they did in 1923.

AT A PREMIUM.

No longer can they poke fun at the small towns of this country, for they are coming into their own. Towns like Snyder can rejoice at every increase in population of the big town, because with each increase comes a pushing out and a growing desire of those who have lived in them for years to get out into the rural districts or suburban settlements.

The day will come, in fact it is just about here, when the smaller community can provide for the needs of citizenship as well or better than the great city. Its library, schools, churches and stores are more accessible and just as efficient, and without the distractions so common to thickly populated districts.

DON'T PEDDLE GOSSIP; EASY TO GET THE FACTS.

Don't be a rumor-peddler. Get the facts about your city and its business before accepting as authentic the statements of thoughtless knockers. Ridiculous, unfounded stories, detrimental to Snyder's interests never start from people who are "sold" on Snyder.

Get the facts and tell them to the newcomers to Snyder. Sell him on Snyder. Sell him the idea that a fellow who gets his living out of a town and puts nothing back into it except a rumor or two is a poor citizen.

PICKED UP ABOUT TOWN.

Roy Stokes says the quickest way to straighten bowlegs is to ride around awhile with three or four in a flivver coupe.

Harvard University is said to be the oldest American college. It was started back in the days when young men went to school to study.

The happiest girl in the world is the one with bowlegs who discovers that another girl is knock-kneed.

We see in a magazine that the Hindus eat bamboo seed. We'd be afraid they'd make our joints stiff. "They say the Japanese don't care much for dogs," says Joe Caton, "but I can't figure where this ought to make a good dog feel bad."

Most women's idea of a "creation" is a hat that costs \$20 more than it is worth.

When we told Bro. Davidson that New York is soon to have a building 88 stories high he merely smiled and said: "Even that won't get New Yorkers into heaven."

Ernest Taylor says he couldn't ask for anything more in life than to own an undertaking establishment right alongside a railroad crossing.

6 Per FEDERAL FARM LOAN 6 Per c'nt Farmers' Opportunity STOVALL & STOVALL Local Representatives DALLAS JOINT STOCK LAND BANK We represent seven Old Line Insurance Companies



New

value—new quality—a new line of Chevrolet models even better than ever before. Chevrolet has become the world's largest producer of automobiles with modern, 3-speed transmission by making quality cars to sell at low cost. Now this Chevrolet quality has been greatly increased.

New

chassis—with larger, stronger frame; new semi-elliptic, chrome vanadium steel springs; stronger axles, rear axle of the finest construction—banjo type housing with greatly strengthened gears; improved, fully enclosed dry-plate disc clutch requiring no lubrication; extra heavy brake bands; and many improvements on the powerful Chevrolet motor.

New

bodies—of even greater beauty and comfort. All models have new radiator of more beautiful design, made of non-rusting airplane metal. All closed models have new and exceptionally beautiful Fisher bodies with the new VV closed-body one-piece windshield and automatic windshield wiper. Balloon tires on all closed models and disc wheels on the Sedan and Coupe.

New

finish—all models are now finished in Duco—the new finish that retains its color and lustre almost indefinitely and withstands the severest usage. These are but a few of the quality features of the new Chevrolet—quality features that you would expect to find only on cars of much higher price.

R. W. WEBB MOTOR CO. Located at Motor Service Station

SUPERIOR STOCK & POULTRY FEEDS A Full Line of Superior Feeds

At this time of the year it is necessary to use care in the feeding of your chickens that you may obtain the best results. We recommend "Superior" Feeds.

A Complete Line of Feeds, Garden and Field Seeds in Season

MARTIN BROTHERS Grain and Seed Co.

Phone 15

A. L. Martin

Walter Martin

West Bridge St.

Classified

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Bull dog pup. Black around one eye and black spot on tail. Return and get reward. Mrs. R. W. Webb. 32-1t-c

LOST—Mule Jersey. White flank. Small piece of rope around neck. Notify Magnolia Petroleum Co. Phone 447. 32-1t-c

WANTED

WANTED—Young men and young women to qualify for stenographic, bookkeeping, secretarial and managerial positions. Big demand for those who are qualified. Special rates. Enroll now. Positions secured for graduates. National Business College, Abilene and Snyder, Texas. 16-tf-c

WANTED—Second-hand telephone in good condition. See or call J. L. Carroll, Snyder, Texas 32-1t-p

WANT to buy 12 White Leghorn roosters. They must be good. Call or phone T. W. Gabbert, Dunn, Texas. 32-1t-p

WANTED—Experienced posting machine bookkeeper wants position. Write J. W. Rogers, Snyder, Texas. 31-2t-p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished bed room, 2 blocks from square. Phone 405. 32-1t-p

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A bunch of fresh and heavy springer Jerseys, at a bargain. E. O. Battles. 31-2t-p

FOR SALE—Few first class Rhode Island Red cockerels at \$2.50 each. See W. R. Bell. 31-2t-c

IF YOU want to buy some Vendor's lien land notes see D. D. Daniels. 31-2t-p

FOR SALE.

My entire ranch in tracts to suit purchaser, 4,000 acres farming land from \$20 to \$30 per acre. 500 acres in cultivation from \$35 to \$40. All improvements with the \$40 land. Grazing land from \$5 to \$10 per acre. Well located and plenty of water. Good terms. Emmett Johnson, Snyder, Texas, Box 446. Phone 9034-F3. 30-tf-c

GLENDALE HATCHERY.

I have bought the Glendale poultry farm. I will start hatching the 19th of January. I am booking orders for chicks. White Leghorns, \$16 for 100; Reds, \$20 for 100. I will do custom hatching. Glendale Poultry Farm. A. A. Hester, proprietor. 30-tf-c

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—Two horses, harness, two tons planting seed, two tons maize and roughness. Would trade for a Ford truck. B. T. Wells. 32-1t-p

FOR SALE—Standard sewing machine with all attachments. Does splendid work. Price reasonable. Mrs. C. M. Erwin, two blocks south school building. 32-1t-p

FOR SALE—Some good used cars: 2 Dodge touring, 1 Dodge roadster, 2 1924 Chevrolet touring, 1 1923 Chevrolet touring, 1 Chalmers roadster, 2 Ford touring, 1 Ford roadster, 1 Ford coupe, 1923, 1 Chevrolet coupe 1923, 1 Chevrolet roadster, 1923, 1 Ford truck 1923 model, 1 Maxwell touring car 1924. R. W. Webb Motor Co., Motor Service Sta. 31-2t-p

ROSS is anxious to sell you a bargain in his improved farm near Snyder. See his notice elsewhere on this page. 31-tf-c

FLOWERS—We have our flowers at the residence and carry a nice line of pot plants, cut flowers, gold fish, canaries and love birds. Phone 350. Bell's Flower Shop. 32-2t-c

MULES from 1 to 4 years old, also work horses in good condition for sale. Prices right. W. D. Owen, Snyder, Route 5. 32-3t-p

WANTED TO TRADE—West half of block A, Grayum & Nelson Addition to Snyder for good late model touring car. Dodge, Chevrolet, Overland or Ford preferred. C. H. Ozmer, Newcastle, Texas. 31-2t-p

FOR SALE OR RENT—My home in East Snyder, now occupied by Judge Holley, for sale or rent to responsible party. Possession given Jan. 1st, 1925. Six rooms, well improved and all necessary out-buildings. If interested, see C. E. Pierce, Snyder, or write owner, Mrs. G. A. Hamlett, Baird, Texas. 29-tf-c

FOR SALE—Four-room house on quarter block, located in Northeast Snyder. Price \$1,000. E. Gabel, Snyder, Texas. 29-4t-p

FOR SALE—Six-room house with bath, good barn and garage, all located on whole block of land five blocks from public square, Snyder, Texas. Will sell at a bargain. E. Gabel, Snyder, Texas. 29-4t-p

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.

FOR SALE—Sand for flues, mantles, plastering, and gravel for stucco work, tanks and foundation. Pit one mile west of town or will deliver. Jack Middleton, phone 9000-2L-1S. 30-16t-p

FOR SALE—Span of good, well broke, gentle mare mules. Harry Scott, Snyder, Texas, Route 5. 30-tf-c

FOR SALE—40 cords Mesquite wood at \$4.00 per cord. Two and one-half miles south of town. Elvin Thompson. 29-4t-p

FOR SALE—Part of block 7, Grayum & Nelson addition. C. E. Smith, Snyder. 32-3t-g

FOR SALE—Second-hand and new safes. Cash or terms. Write us and our representative will call. Hoera-Rosenthal Safe Co., Fort Worth, Texas. 32-1t-c

FOR SALE—60 acres one-half mile of the city limits of Snyder, well improved. Good five-room residence with sewerage and running water, and good out-buildings. C. E. Ross, Snyder, Texas. 32-tf-c

MISCELLANEOUS

WILL take 200 head cows to pasture; good grass, water and stock fields. R. L. McMillan, Route 3, Box 41. 31-2t-p

An Ordinance regulating traffic while the Fire Department is responding to fire alarms, and while engaged in fighting fire, and prescribing penalties for violations, and declaring an emergency.

BE IT ORDAINED, ETC.

Section 1.—Upon the approach of any vehicle or apparatus of the Fire Department of this city answering an alarm of fire, the driver of any vehicle other than a vehicle of the aforesaid Fire Department, shall as closely as possible to the right-hand curb and stop, and shall not follow within six hundred (600) feet after the said vehicle or apparatus of said Fire Department has passed. No vehicle, except by direction of the Chief of the Fire Department, or other officer of said Fire Department, shall approach or park within six hundred (600) feet of a fire at any time.

Section 2.—All vehicles pertaining to the Fire Department of this City shall have prior right-of-way upon all the streets and avenues of this City, and it shall be unlawful for any person, owner, driver, motorman, chauffeur, engineer, conductor, or any other person in charge or control of any buggy, wagon, carriage, street car, automobile, engine or train, or any other vehicle propelled by whatsoever motive power, to carelessly, wantonly, wilfully or maliciously delay any fire apparatus of this City in going to or coming from any supposed or actual fire.

Section 3.—Any person who shall violate in any way any of the provisions of this ordinance, or who shall fail or refuse to comply therewith, shall, upon conviction, be fined in any sum not less than \$5.00 or more than \$100.00.

Section 4.—Whereas, public safety, and the free and efficient operation of the Fire Department of this City, demands the immediate passage of this Ordinance. Therefore, an emer-

gency exists requiring a suspension of the rules providing for the reading of ordinances on three separate dates; such rule is hereby suspended, and this ordinance is placed on its first reading and final passage, and shall be effective and in full force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved this 5th day of January, 1925.

Attest: FRITZ R. SMITH, Mayor. A. C. PREUITT, City Secretary. 32-1t-c

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Scurry. To the Creditors of the Co-Operative Grocery Company, Incorporated, of Snyder, Texas:

You are hereby notified that the Co-Operative Grocery Company, of Snyder, Texas, on the first day of January, 1925, executed an assignment conveying to the undersigned all its property and assets for the benefit of such of its creditors as will consent to accept their proportional share of its estate and discharge it from their respective claims and that the undersigned accepted said trust and has duly qualified as required by law.

All creditors consenting to said assignment must within four months after the publication of this notice make known to the assignee their consent in writing and within six months from the date of this notice file their claims as prescribed by law with the undersigned, who resides at Snyder, Texas, which is also his post-office address.

Witness my hand, this the 9th day of January, 1925.

W. C. HAMILTON, Trustee for Benefit of Creditors.

WAREHOUSE BURNED AT ROSCOE.

Last Friday about noon the warehouse belonging to the Roscoe Drug Company was damaged by fire of undetermined origin. Damage to the extent of about five hundred dollars was done to the building and the stock in storage. Prompt action by the fire department prevented much more damage being done to the warehouse and adjoining buildings. —Roscoe Times.

RULING ON FORGED CHECK LAW IS MADE.

AUSTIN.—The First National Bank of San Angelo must pay Mrs. W. A. Glasscock of that city \$495 because they paid a forged check out of her deposit, the supreme court decided today. The decision settles a law principle in dispute for a long time in Texas.

Ed J. Thompson, local Delco dealer reports the sale of a lighting plant to O. L. Holladay of Ira.

SAVE with Safety at Your Rexall Drug Store

Don't shiver in bed! Warm the sheets with a Kanteek hot water bottle. And remember that a Kanteek can't leak, because it is moulded in one piece.

Guaranteed for Two Years

Grayum Drug Company
(J. S. & W. M. Morrow, Props.)
The Rexall Store

"The store that sets the pace."

NEW!

at **Bantau & Fish (Tailors)**

The J. L. Taylor line of samples for spring. We know you will expect great things of J. L. Taylor this season, you will expect the latest and most stylish patterns, supreme quality of material, and the price to be in line with the high quality of workmanship. We assure you that you will not be disappointed in any one of these things. The samples are here—NOW. We extend a special invitation for you to see them today.

PHONE 60

Bantau & Fish

Learn the Way

Morse Bantau Earl Fish

No drama greater than the drama of life—no life-drama that hits the heart as this. Here 'mid the scenic grandeur, the glory and marvels of the true West unfolds the story of a man who proved himself a man clean through. 20,000,000 Have Read and Loved It!



Cozy Theatre
Monday and Tuesday
January 19th and 20th
ADMISSION—Children, 20cts; Adults, 40c

The General Cord

Not only big mileage but more power—less gasoline

You probably never thought of your tires as having any effect on your motor power and gasoline consumption. Yet in some tires it is so great that it acts as a tremendous drag on motor power, and increases fuel consumption.

That there is such a great difference in the effect tires have on motor power and gasoline consumption has been clearly demonstrated in a series of tests conducted by the General Tire and Rubber Company as well as by many outside and disinterested tire users in the past two years.

GENERAL SERVICE STATION

Phone 338

Old Maxwell Hotel, 2nd door west Ford Garage.

NOTICE!

We have purchased the battery business of the Snyder Battery Shop from Chas. Cleavenger, and will continue to conduct the business under the old firm name and at the same location.

We are equipped and prepared to handle any and all kinds of battery work on short notice.

We Guarantee Our Work

Snyder Battery Station

Phone 338

Victor Longbotham. J. S. Joyner.

Financial Statement of Scurry Co. Banks Show Prosperity Here

SCURRY COUNTY BANK STATEMENTS.

If the condition of a county's banks reflect the financial condition of the county, Scurry County must be in a very prosperous condition.

The three strong banks of Snyder by the following statements show combined loans amounting to \$918,487, with individual deposits of \$1,449,206. The five banks of Scurry County which include the First State Bank of Fluvanna and the First State Bank of Hermleigh, have total loans of \$1,061,092, with total deposits of \$1,788,466.

By studying the statements below it will be seen that every bank in the county is in a highly prosperous condition, which not only shows the excellent condition of the people of Scurry County, but also shows that the money of Scurry County depositors is in good hands and in safe keeping due to the efficient and conservative methods employed by Scurry County bankers.

With five good banks with total resources amounting to \$2,387,457.73, the Times-Signal sees no reason why Scurry County folk should not be able to stem the tide during the year 1925.

So trade in Snyder or your home town during the year now entered upon and thereby do your part toward keeping your town and your home business institutions in a prosperous condition, bearing in mind the fact that when you help them, you directly help yourself.

No. 307.

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the FIRST STATE BANK & TRUST COMPANY,
at Snyder, Texas, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1924, published in the Scurry County Times-Signal, a newspaper printed and published at Snyder, Texas, State of Texas, on the 15th day of January, 1925.

Resources.	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$132,530.00
Overdrafts	1,033.49
Bonds and stocks	2,500.00
Real Estate (banking house)	15,600.00
Other real estate	19,361.00
Furniture and fixtures	3,600.00
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand	228,709.64
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	4,691.87
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	8,394.09
Other resources: County warrants, \$1,157.57; live stock acct., \$300	1,457.57
Total	\$417,877.66
Liabilities.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus Fund	12,500.00
Undivided Profits, net	4,594.52
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	1,123.99
Individual Deposits, subject to check	346,034.11
Time Certificates of Deposit	7,911.00
Other Liabilities: Reserve for taxes	1,714.04
Total	\$417,877.66

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Scurry.
We, Ernest Taylor, as president, and S. W. Hamlett, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
ERNEST, TAYLOR, President.
S. W. HAMLETT, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 6th day of January A. D. 1925.
(Seal) **A. J. TOWLE,**
Notary Public Scurry County, Texas.
CORRECT—ATTEST:
BETTIE F. HOWELL,
P. M. BOLIN,
ALLEN WARREN,
Directors.

No. 294.

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the FIRST STATE BANK,
at Fluvanna, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1924, published in the Scurry County Times-Signal, a newspaper printed and published at Snyder, State of Texas, on the 15th day of January, 1925.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts, personal or collateral	\$ 69,099.37
Overdrafts	1,550.95
Bonds and stocks	500.00
Real estate (banking house)	3,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	2,500.00
Due from other banks and bankers, and cash on hand	56,813.05
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	1,546.34
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	2,301.85
Acceptances and bills of exchange	12,109.96
Total	\$149,421.52

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	\$ 12,500.00
Surplus fund	1,215.00
Undivided Profits, net	2,754.00
Individual deposits, subject to check	132,786.42
Time certificates of deposit	166.10
Total	\$149,421.52

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Scurry.
We, D. A. Jones, as vice-president and T. L. Winston as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
D. A. JONES, V-President.
T. L. WINSTON, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of January, A. D. 1925.
(Seal) **J. W. LEFTWICH,**
Notary Public Scurry County, Texas.
CORRECT—ATTEST:
C. M. BOREN,
C. E. REEDER,
Directors.

No. 205.

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the FIRST STATE BANK
at Hermleigh, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1924, published in the Scurry County Times, a newspaper printed and published at Snyder, State of Texas, on the 15th day of January, 1925.

Resources.	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$ 73,506.75
Overdrafts	817.97
Bonds and Stocks, Federal Int. Banking Co.	400.00
Real Estate (banking house)	2,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,500.00
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand	145,445.56
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	2,393.15
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	5,378.47
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange	3,035.34
Other Resources	1,382.31
Total	\$236,359.55

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	\$ 25,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	3,263.87
Individual Deposits, subject to check	206,474.20
Time Certificates of Deposit, School Account	1,621.48
Total	\$236,359.55

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Scurry.
We, W. Gentry, as president, and D. J. Niemeyer, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
W. GENTRY, President.
D. J. NIEMEYER, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of January, A. D. 1925.
(Seal) **J. N. JACKSON,**
Notary Public Scurry County, Texas.
CORRECT—ATTEST:
B. Y. REA,
J. A. HOOD,
JOE ROEMESCH,
Directors.

Charter No. 7635

Reserve District No. 11.

Report of Condition of the THE SNYDER NATIONAL BANK,
at Snyder, in the State of Texas, at close of business on Dec. 31, 1924.

RESOURCES.	
1. a. Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign exchange or drafts, sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c)	\$435,749.80
2. Overdrafts, unsecured	1,983.84
4. U. S. Government securities owned:	
a. Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	40,000.00
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities.	19,619.15
6. Banking House, \$28,200; Furniture and fixtures, \$8,350	37,050.00
7. Real estate owned other than banking house	118,365.00
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	55,412.32
10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks	162,911.88
11. Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in Items 8, 9 and 10)	4,501.78
13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 12)	7,646.38
14. a. Checks and drafts on banks (including Federal Reserve Bank) located outside of city or town of reporting bank	\$11,755.88
b. Miscellaneous cash items	475.15
15. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	2,000.00
16. Other assets, if any	32,333.333
Total	\$929,805.01
LIABILITIES.	
17. Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
18. Surplus fund	25,000.00
19. Undivided profits	5,239.41
21. Circulating notes outstanding	39,100.00
24. Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in Items 22 or 23)	7,841.69
26. Cashier's checks outstanding	9,274.45
Total of Items 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26	\$17,116.14
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):	
27. Individual deposits subject to check	672,087.99
29. State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond	18,896.68
32. Other demand deposits	52,364.79
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32	\$743,349.46
Total	\$929,805.01

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF SCURRY ss:
I, A. C. Alexander, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
A. C. ALEXANDER, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Jan., 1925.
CHARLIE STARKEY, Notary Public.
CORRECT—ATTEST: **J. J. KOONSAN, A. D. ERWIN, O. P. THRANE, directors.**

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness during the illness and death of our husband and father and also for the many beautiful floral offerings.
Mrs. G. W. Cox,
Mrs. R. Hebel,
Mrs. R. L. Berger,
Cox,
S. Nutter,
Gladys Cox.

REBEKAHS HAVE BIG TIME.

Snyder Rebekahs, assisted by the Ira lodge, had a big time here Monday night. After the work of conferring degrees was over, refreshments were served. The Rebekah lodge here is taking on new life and is said to be growing rapidly.
J. W. Couch of the Snyder garage was here from Abilene Wednesday on business.

SNYDER ODD FELLOWS HELP INSTALL OFFICERS AT HERMLEIGH.

John Baze, C. L. Banks, Alfred Temple, B. L. Baze and B. L. Littleton of this city went to Hermleigh last Thursday night and assisted in the work of installing the officers of Hermleigh lodge No. 667. The Hermleigh Odd Fellows have just completed a fine two-story brick building with a commodious hall on the second floor, which alone is proof of the order's prosperous condition. Friday, Hermleigh entertained the Scurry County Odd Fellows' Association, which consists of Snyder, Hermleigh, Ira, Pyron and Loraine lodges. Loraine is not in Scurry County but belongs to the association. Snyder Odd Fellows carried off the third degree banner. Snyder Odd Fellows who attended the association declare that Hermleigh folks entertained them royally.

WHY MEN FAIL.

There is a cause for everything! Nothing ever "just happens." If a man is promoted to a better job there is a cause. If a man loses his job there is also a cause.
There are many causes that lead to failure. Here is a list of the most common causes:
1. Finding fault with the other fellow but never seeing your own.
2. Doing as little as possible and trying to get as much as possible for it.
3. Spending too much time showing up the other fellow's weak points and too little time correcting your own.
4. Slandering those you do not like.
5. Procrastination—putting off until tomorrow something that you should have done day before yesterday.
6. Deceit—talking friendly to the other fellow's face and stabbing him in the back as soon as he turns around.
7. False belief that you are smart enough to reap a harvest of pay before sowing a crop of honest service.
8. Disloyalty to those who have trusted you.
9. Egotism—the belief that you know it all and no one can teach you anything.
10. Last, but not least, lack of the necessary training and education to enable you to stand at the head of your line of work.
Look this list over and check yourself up by it. If none of these causes for failure apply to you, then you are to be congratulated, because you are a success!

Girls of the home economics department of the Snyder school gave the members of the school board and their wives and husbands a supper Tuesday evening. My, it must be a fine thing to be a member of the Snyder school board!
Mrs. J. S. Richards of Itasca has returned home after a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Templeton of this city.

PROGRAM FOR THE WEEK COZY Theatre

FRIDAY, JAN. 16.
Leo Maloney, in
"Not Built for Runnin'"
The story of a driftin' cow-puncher who is not built for runnin'. Also Our Gang Comedy.

"Big Business"
SATURDAY MATINEE
Same pictures as Friday night.

SATURDAY NIGHT
"The Painted Lady"
George O'Brien and Dorothy Mackail, from Larry Evans Saturday Evening Post story. Also Imperial comedy.

"Stolen Sweeties"
MONDAY AND TUESDAY, January 19 and 20.
Harold Bell Wright's powerful novel

"When a Man's a Man"
An epic drama of a man who found himself—found love then sacrificed all as only a man can. Also showing Pathe Comedy.

WEDNESDAY, the 21st.
William Farnum in
"The Man Who Fights Alone"

Introducing "Fighting Farnum" as a Paramount star. His great talent and virile personality made more entertaining than ever in this expertly produced drama of a plucky man's winning fight for life and love. Also showing Fox News.

THURSDAY, the 22nd.
"Between Friends"
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DELIGHTFUL TIME.

The Woman's Victory Bible class meeting January 7 proved the hospitality of Mrs. Strayhorn...

Several favorable reports were given from committees formed to do special work during Christmas.

Mrs. Stokes, in her usual sweet way presented from the class small gifts to Mrs. Funk and Mrs. Alexander...

Our next meeting will be an old-fashioned candy pulling with Mrs. Davidson assisted by Mrs. Garner...

After a dainty and bountiful salad course had been served Mrs. Strayhorn broke the rule of one course...

INCOME TAX IN A NUTSHELL.

Who? Single persons who had net income of \$1,000 or more or gross income of \$5,000 or more...

When? The filing period is from January 1 to March 15, 1925.

Where? Collector of internal revenue for the district in which the person lives or has his principal place of business.

How? Instructions on Form 1040A and Form 1040; also the law and regulations.

What? Two per cent normal tax on the first \$4,000 of net income in excess of the personal exemptions and credits.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Scurry.

Whereas, on the 8th day of December, 1924, a petition was presented to the Commissioners' Court in regular session...

And it appearing that said petition bears the requisite number of signatures of qualified land owning, tax paying voters of said precinct...

Now, therefore, we, Horace Holley, County Judge; J. Monroe, Commissioner Precinct No. 1; J. F. Dowdy, Commissioner of Precinct No. 2; R. Bishop, Commissioner Precinct No. 3, and J. R. Coker, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4...

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this state and county and who are resident land owners and taxpayers in said precinct shall be entitled to vote at said election...

This order shall be due notice of said election and it is directed that said order shall be published in some newspaper in said Scurry County for thirty days before the date of said election...

Done by order of the Commissioners' Court this the 8th day of Dec., 1924.

HORACE HOLLEY, County Judge.

J. MONROE, Commissioner Precinct No. 1. J. F. DOWDY, Commissioner Precinct No. 2. R. BISHOP, Commissioner Precinct No. 3. J. R. COKER, Commissioner Precinct No. 4.

FLUVANNA NOTES.

There has been quite a bit of real estate changing hands in Fluvanna and vicinity lately.

Charlie Hunnicutt and Charlie Johnson, each have purchased a 160-acre farm from the Spindler Cotton Co., about 1 1-2 miles southwest of town.

Sam Wooten has traded for a 90-acre block of land 3 miles west of town.

Our fellow townsman, J. M. Hunnicutt, father of Dallas, Texas, purchased a 217-acre farm about 4 miles west of town.

John Glover has purchased 320 acres of land from Mrs. Lanham, 2 miles north of town. We understand he has sold 200 acres of this tract to John McDonald.

F. J. Moore from Borden County has purchased the concrete building formerly owned by Mr. Lane and will put in a stock of groceries right away.

G. R. Ball has sold his place to his sons, Ethan and F. G. Ball.

The Serratt Bros. are moving their cafe in the Boss Stavelly building this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Garner of Garden Grove, California, are visiting Mrs. Garner's brother and family, Mr. J. F. Dowdy.

Messrs. Hebert and Roy Laster of Seagraves are visiting here.

Miss Vernay Boynton left Monday morning to attend school at Snyder.

Mrs. L. F. Beaver and son, Buster, carried Mae Frances to Colorado to take the train for El Paso to attend school.

Mrs. Chas. Shewmake left yesterday for Post for medical treatment.

Messrs. E. V. Boynton and Will Clawson are attending court this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Baker and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stovall of Gail were shopping in Fluvanna Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Higgins, Jan. 8, 1925, a girl.

Mr. Martin, living on Mr. Freeman's place, lost his home and household goods last Sunday night by fire, caused from a defective flue.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Clawson and daughter visited at Westbrook Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Campbell left Sunday for Colorado to be with their son, Curtis, who is seriously sick with appendicitis.

IS YOUR WORK HARD?

Many Snyder Folks Have Found How to Make Work Easier.

What is so hard as a day's work with an aching back?

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Many folks have found relief through Doan's Pills. They are a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys.

Snyder people recommend Doan's. A. S. Baker, blacksmith, Snyder, says: "The sharp, cutting pains in the small of my back were so bad I could not stoop and it was impossible for me to do any heavy lifting."

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GOOD COP SPOILED WHEN FOX FOUND THIS FILM STAR.

George O'Brien, leading man of "The Painted Lady," will come to the Cozy Theatre on Wednesday is the athletic son of a great father—none other than San Francisco's internationally known police chief.

It takes a big man to hold down that job. And it takes just as big a man to hold down O'Brien, Jr.'s job as a William Fox film star.

It's a case of father and son both making good in big ways.

At that, George might have become a cop like his dad; if he hadn't swum into the ken of William Fox's long telescope, ever scanning the film hori for new and undiscovered genius and screen talent.

Fox may have spoiled a perfectly good future police chief, but he made a star. And the whole world is the gainer by it; for "O'Brien's million dollar smile" is just as familiar to the folks of 37 countries as to America's millions.

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GORILLA HUNTING.

In a letter to the Times, London, "M. P. L." writes as follows:

A man, who after once killing a member of any of the ape tribes, to do so a second time must be callous indeed. May I give an experience?

It was a colobus. After being shot it placed its paw over the wound and just looked at me, seeming to ask, "Why have you done it?" Then its mate, with a little one, appeared from some leafy corner, and, coming quite close, told me in unmistakable language the sort of brute I was and felt, and finished by pelting me with sticks. A few days later, at dawn in the depths of a Uganda forest, I met a large troop of baboons, strangely enough in a long column, marching two and two, with four old ones acting as monitors.

Neglected Cough Dangerous—How to Stop It Quickly

When the delicate tissues of your throat are raw and sore from coughing, and your strength is exhausted with the constant hacking, you may fall an easy prey to more serious trouble. So stop the cough the quickest you can, before it creeps too deep. By a very simple treatment you can stop the spell practically at once, and relieve the heaviest cough often in 24 hours.

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thought once to have been of arboreal habits, but now degenerate." If the slaughtering of wild life be not stopped the Genus Homo will soon have the world all to himself, and a horribly dull place it will be.

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A new oil lamp that gives an amazingly brilliant, soft, white light, even better than gas or electricity, has been tested by the U. S. Government and 35 leading universities and found to be superior to 10 ordinary oil lamps. It burns without odor, smoke or noise—no pumping up; is simple, clean, safe. Burns 94 per cent air and 6 per cent common kerosene (coal oil).

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A chartered Training School is conducted by Miss Anne D. Logan, R. N., Superintendent. Bright, healthy young women who desire to enter may address Miss Logan.

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Yes, Martha, by parcels post is a pretty nice way to have goods sent to your home, but by all means examine the goods before you make your purchase. Snyder merchants keep the goods in stock, and you can make your purchases, see what you are buying and can take the purchase home with you.

Big Spring's water is the best in Texas. Coming as it does from the Trinity sands it is also a permanent supply. With this formation underlying practically this entire section we can secure all the water needed when we go after it in a systematic manner. Exploration work is now in progress.—Big Spring Herald.

Say, aren't you covering a whole lot of territory? Snyder's water by test is 99 per cent pure. We don't see how you could beat that for good water, except by the taste, and pure water is like the water Snyder has—tasteless.

We have just read of the death of Amarillo's weather prophet. It must be an awful task to be a "weather man" in Texas, where the climate ranges from semi-tropical to Amarillo. Of course the man died, weather prophets in Texas either die or resign after a few months trying to control drouths, sand storms and northers.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Respass and little daughter visited their parents the latter part of last week. They were from Baird.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Carroll was buried at Hernleigh last Thursday.

Too Late to Classify

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished house-keeping rooms, two blocks east of public school building. Call 227. 32-11-p

I HAVE a good Fordson for sale, and will take in a span of good mules. See D. D. Daniels, Snyder, Texas. 32-21-p

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WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Seventeen members of the adult society met at the church Monday afternoon, January 12.

After a short business session led by our president, Mrs. Stokes, our Bible lesson was entered into. Sister Davidson, our leader for the afternoon, gave us a very instructive lesson on the first chapter in our new book, Life as a Stewardship.

Next Monday our superintendent of mission study, Mrs. Lee Stinson, will lead our mission lesson.—Reporter.

NEXT SUNDAY WILL BE BIG DAY AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

The First Christian Church of Snyder has extended an invitation to the members of that denomination at Dermott and Polar to be present and take part in a "big dinner" to be served in the church by the local members. This will indeed be a great affair, as a large attendance is expected to be on hand. The dinner will be served after the morning service and after the dinner has been served the crowd will be entertained with some special music furnished by the Martin Orchestra. In the afternoon Bro. Sparks will deliver a sermon. There will be no services that night. Everyone is invited to attend this dinner next Sunday, January 18.

THE ALATHEAN CLASS.

The Alathean class of the Baptist Church met with Mrs. H. J. Brice Thursday, January 8. After the regular business meeting we were organized into parties of four to take a journey in our car "Imagination." When ready to start we found 18 parts missing from our car. After finding these parts we made a delightful tour of places of interest in the United States, finally ending at the camping grounds of Snyder.

The dining room represented Snyder. We found this the most delightful place we had visited.

Beautiful shade trees and blooming plants are always welcomed the traveler, but Snyder added to these sufficient tables, each with a lunch box to accommodate us all.

The boxes contained a delicious picnic lunch of sandwiches, eggs and pickles and coffee was served in tin cups. Following this lunch the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Glenn, served fruit salad with whipped cream, fruit cake and waffles.

Those enjoying the afternoon were Mesdames J. W. Patterson, W. W. Gross, S. J. Casstevens, Lyman, Wren, John Spear, W. A. Morton, Melvis Neal, Will Shaw, C. T. Glenn, H. E. Rosser, C. E. Fish, H. L. Davis, Geo. Northcutt, Benard Longbotham, T. B. Ware, A. C. Alexander, Youngblood, W. R. Bell, Rob Blackard, Wade Winston, M. A. Adams, Edward Glenn, O. S. Williamson, W. R. Merrell, H. P. Brown, C. F. Sentell, Charles Noble, A. A. Bullock, A. L. Stoker and the hostess, Mrs. H. J. Brice.—Reporter.

PRESBYTERIAN MISSIONARY AUXILIARY.

Subject—National Missions. Leader—Mrs. Bert Baugh. Song—"America." Scripture—Matt 5:30-20. Prayer—By Leader. The U. S. a Christian Nation—Mrs. Wilburn. Christianity and Racialism—Mrs. Webb. National Missions, the Need and the Service—Mrs. Ferguson. Working for the Bible in the Schools—Mrs. McCoach. Sentence Prayers. Business—Closing Prayer. January 19, 3 p. m., at the home of the president, Mrs. S. T. Elza. Each member is urged to be present. Visitors always welcome.

MRS. NEAL GROSS ENTERTAINS.

Mrs. Neal Gross entertained the first time after the Christmas holidays on Tuesday, January 7, the Sine Cura Bridge Club. After four spirited games of bridge the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Chas. L. Harless and Mrs. Wm. Wilsford served the fol-

lowing plate luncheon: Chicken croquettes with mushroom sauce, creamed asparagus, bread and butter sandwiches, pickles, olives, Osgood pie and coffee. The members present were, Mesdames E. J. Anderson, L. O. Smith, R. H. Curnutte, Ivan Dodson, Ernest Taylor, Jack Harris, Ruth Johnson, Dixie Smith, A. J.

Towle, E. H. Hamlett and Ben A. Waskom. Guests were, Mesdames Gertie Smith, T. L. McMillan, Chas. L. Harless, O. P. Thrane, Wm. Wilsford, W. E. Smith, Chas. Cooper.

L. C. Wasson, formerly of Snyder but now of Fort Worth, was here this week on business.

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I am,

J. K. 'Kin' Blackard

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Neighboring County News

Boiled Down for Busy Readers

G. L. Pancoast, a former resident of Big Spring, died at Dallas last week of pneumonia.

The statements of Colorado's two banks show the following totals: Deposits, \$2,100,000. Resources, \$2,500,000. Cash, \$1,340,000.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Morgan of Colorado died the past week of pneumonia.

The Mitchell County board of school trustees announces that it will strictly enforce the compulsory school law in Mitchell County this year.

W. L. Smith, for many years a resident of Mitchell County, died near Palacios Sunday of apoplexy.

Melvin G. Wyatt, a barber of Colorado, and Miss Bessie Copeland of Roscoe were married at Sweetwater Monday.

Mrs. W. T. Carter, a former resident of Rotan, died at Lorenzo and was buried at Rotan the past week.

George Weldon, aged 16 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Klepper, died at Rotan Sunday.

J. L. Klepper died at his home in Rotan the past week.

Howard County has ginned 22,000

bales of cotton this season, a considerable increase over last year.

Postal receipts of Big Spring for the past year totaled \$22,226, an increase of more than \$2,000 over the preceding year.

Dr. I. E. Smith, a former resident of Big Spring, died the past week at Houston where he had gone in quest of health.

The following marriages were reported in Howard County the past week: Herber Smith and Miss Annie Whitmire of Midland; J. R. Petty of Big Spring and Miss Bessie Lucile Moore of Brownwood.

H. A. Geron, aged 28 years, died at his home in Roscoe Tuesday of tuberculosis contracted during the war.

The two state banks of Roscoe showed the following in their last financial statements: Loans, \$272,995. Deposits, \$544,275.

The two banks at Anson showed total loans amounting to \$607,561, and individual deposits of \$1,529,142.

Merkel has three banks with business well divided among them. The combined loans according to the last statements were \$724,918, with deposits amounting to \$1,694,931.

THIRD LYCEUM NUMBER, "THE GHOST BETWEEN."

"The Ghost Between" was originally presented at the 39th Street Theatre in New York, with Arthur Byron, in the role of the young doctor. It met with the unqualified approval of the critics who hailed it as a new idea cleverly handled and developed into a really great play.

It is to be presented here on the evening of January 19, at School Auditorium, by the Carlyle Players, with a cast of Broadway actors, personally chosen and coached by Richard Carlyle, well known New York actor-producer, who, during the past year, played an important role in "The Seventh Heaven" and handled the understudy part for "Lightnin' Bill Jones" in the great play, "Lightnin'."

There are but four characters in this splendid play—the "Doctor," the wife, the doctor's friend and the nurse. Three is a powerful punch in the story and yet the play abounds in wholesome fun and clean humor. It is a remarkable combination of thrills, suspense and irresistible comedy.

"The Ghost Between" is essentially a love story. The Doctor thought that his wife worshipped the memory of her dead husband. The wife worshipped her husband, but misunderstood his apparent coldness as indicating he was tired of his bargain. Each misunderstood the other's motives, and it might have proved disastrous had it not been for the discovery of an interesting chain of circumstances that, of course, resulted in a happy solution of their imaginary difficulties. There are some big dramatic moments in the play, as well as lots of sparkling comedy.

CANYON NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor and Mr. Taylor's brother and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Karnes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kruse of the Ira community, Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, daughter and son, visited Mr. and Mrs. Sterling last Sunday week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Layne and chil-

dren visited Mr. and Mrs. Andy Logan and children Sunday of Pleasant Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Burrow visited Mr. and Mrs. Smith Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sorrels and children of the Ira community. Mrs. J. B. Taylor and daughters, Fay and Evelyn, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Sterling Sunday.

Miss Vivian Sterling spent the night with Miss Wilma Smith last Tuesday night.

Mrs. Henery gave us a party Saturday night which was enjoyed by all present.

We forgot to mention last week that we had a very successful box supper Christmas night and in spite of the cold weather had a pretty good crowd. We wish to thank those who contributed to it and helped to make it a success. First prize given to the prettiest girl was a beautiful Wahl fountain pen, won by Miss Faye Morgan of Union. The ugly boy prize was a big stick of Texas long-horn peppermint candy, won by Clark Light also of the Union community.

There was singing here Sunday night, but on account of the bad weather we didn't have much success.—Just We Two.

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

If the committee in charge of preparations for the dinner to be given at the church next Sunday has not called on you, look them up and find out what you can do to help make this affair a big success. It has been impossible for them to see everyone so find out who they are and communicate with them at once.—Reporter.

MRS. ROBBIE JONES.

Alma Jones was born in Arkansas 19 years ago. She came to Texas with her father and mother a little over a year ago. The writer said the words that made her the wife of Robbie Jones, April 5, 1924, in July, 1924, I baptized her and Robbie into Christ. She was a devoted member of the Church of Christ and one of

our best singers. We miss her in our assembly each Lord's day. The writer was called to the Lubbock Sanitarium and was with her in her hours of suffering. Her life upon this earth ended Sunday evening, January 4, and we laid her pale body to rest at Snyder Monday evening, January 5.

It is indeed sad to see one so young and happy cut down so early in life, but the Lord knows best, hence we must bow to his will. I have not words at my command to say all the good things about Alma that ought to be said. We all loved her. She was often in our home and she always came with a smile. Our heart goes out in sympathy to her loved ones. She has left an old mother and father and some brothers and sisters back in Arkansas and a heart-broken husband here, but they can all look up through their tears and hope to meet Alma in that land

where there is no tears and sad good-byes. May they claim the promises of the Book of all Books which says "Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord for they may rest from all their labors and their works will follow them."

We cannot bring Alma back to this earth but we can go to her. She has just stepped across the dark river. We all must cross. So, may the good Lord comfort your broken hearts with his precious promises in my prayer.

E. CHRISTIAN,

NOTICE.

The Executive Committee of the Interscholastic League is hereby called to meet at office of county superintendent Saturday, Jan. 17, at 2:30 p. m. Important business. Every number of committee is urged to be present.

E. A. WATSON,
Director General.

INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM, JAN. 18.

Introduction—Alvin Risinger. Scripture Reading, John 1:41, 42—Polly Porter.

Peter the Fisherman—Buster Stacy.

Peter the Faithless—Ledy Poteet.

Peter the Witness—George Glenn.

Peter, the Fearful—E. W. Lewis.

Peter the Shepherd—Lahoma Lowery.

Peter the Ball—Leota Glenn.

Peter's Letters—Howard Alexander.

Sword Drill—Mrs. Shaw.

AT THE CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Bible study at 9:45. Bro. Bankhead will preach at 11. Come out and hear him.

We had a splendid crowd at church last Lord's day.

Come and be with us in our worship.

E. CHRISTIAN.

KNAPP NEWS.

Well, we had the box supper at Bison Saturday night. There were not many present but we had a nice time. Especially did the young folks and kiddies enjoy the fishing pond.

Mr. Cas Cary, an old timer of Scurry County, has moved back to our community from Lubbock.

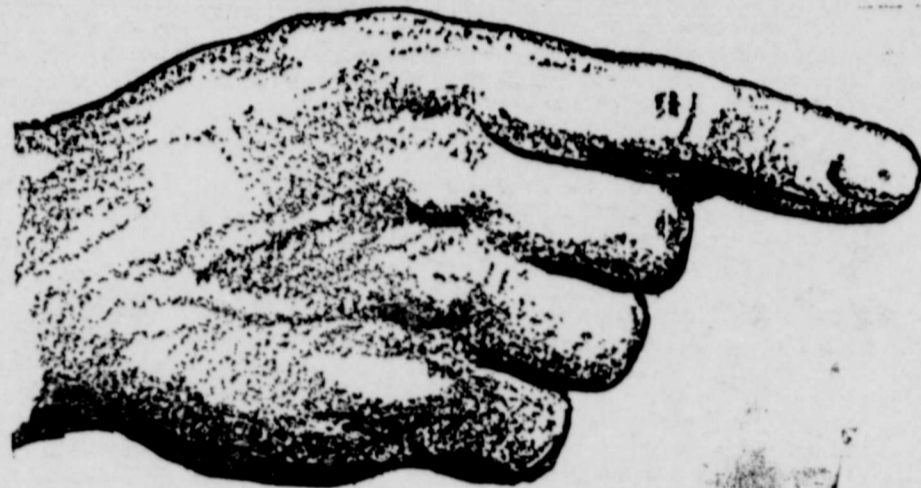
Grover Wall has moved from Bison to the Crowder community. We regret to see Mr. Wall's family leave us.

The Sharon basket ball team came up last Friday afternoon and played the Bison team, but we won't venture to tell what the scores were.

Mrs. Ben Thorp's mother has been visiting hr recently.

News is about as "scarce as hen's teeth" so will quit and do better next time, providing something happens that is worth telling.—Mazie.

You Had BETTER HURRY!



Monday, Jan. 19
Positively Last Day
of this
Money Raising SALE!

The ENTIRE STOCK of the
Economy Dry Goods Company
GOES in This SALE ~ Nothing Reserved

Positively the greatest sale that has ever been held in this county

DRY GOODS

- 20 pieces 36-inch service brown domestic. Special price, 9 yards for **\$1.00**
- 30 pieces 36-inch standard bleached domestic, 8 yards for **\$1.00**
- 750 yards 35c grade fancy and plain check, 32-inch gingham, per yard **21c**
- 1000 yards 30c grade fancy and small check gingham, per yard **18c**
- 300 yards 36-inch new dark pattern fast color percales, 25c grade, per yd **17 1/2c**
- 350 yards Toile du Nord gingham, new pattern, 40c grade, per yard **26c**
- 150 yards 72-inch, \$1.25 grade table damask, in new designs, per yard **69c**

Every piece a cut price now; Nothing reserved. Come! Come!

DRY GOODS

- 5 pieces 36-inch heavy brown domestic, 25c value, per yard **15c**
- 25- pieces, 36-inch spring water bleached domestic, extra fine count, 30c value, per yard **17c**
- 200 yards 36-inch bleached Indian Head domestic, 35c value, per yard **26c**
- 300 yards 48-inch oil cloth in fancy, 40c value, per yard **29c**
- 15 dozen large heavy bath towels, with fancy blue borders, Special, each **27c**
- 10 dozen large, heavy wash rags, in all fancy designs, Special, each **8c**
- 10 dozen large fancy bath towels, regular 45c values, Special, each **33c**

Lowered prices that mean fifteen days of fast selling

DRY GOODS

- 50 ladies' fancy color satine bloomers, in all colors, \$1.25 values **79c**
- 10 dozen ladies' winter weight union suits, regular \$1.25 values **93c**
- 1 big lot children's unions, in sizes from 2 to 16, both fleeced and ribbed **59c** UP
- 300 yards mottled outing, solid colors or fancy, 20c value, per yard **14 1/2c**
- 300 yards No. 200 fancy bed ticking in fancy stripes, 35c values, per yard **19c**
- 100 dozen spools thread, in all numbers, in black or white, Special, per dozen **35c**

If you consider values don't miss this Sale. Come, read these money-raising prices.

LADIES' SHOES

- \$3.50 ladies' slippers in patent or kid skin strap. Special **\$2.45**
- \$4.50 ladies brown, all leather kid lace Ox fords. Special **\$3.69**
- \$4.85 ladies' brown shingle lattice light tan lace Oxforfs. Special **\$3.69**
- \$4.85 ladies black shingle, lattice black kid lace Oxforfs. Special **\$3.69**
- \$6.00 value ladies' light tan Paris step in pumps, Special **\$4.85**
- \$7.50 value ladies one-strap Paris step in pumps in black or light tan. Special **\$5.35**

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SNYDER, TEXAS

A Carload of PIGS

Monday, January 19

These pigs will weigh from 40 to 70 pounds each and will be good buys. You had better see me now if you want some small pigs to feed.

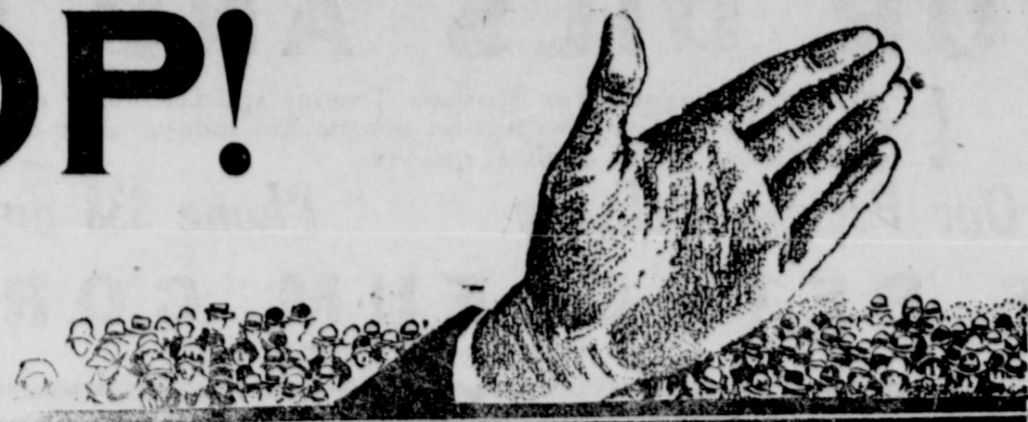
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Step this Way

**Mid-winter
Clearance
SALE!**

Beginning Sat., Feb. 17.

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Than Ever Offered!**



After Inventory

We find that we are still too heavily stocked on winter merchandise, and that we have been carrying too large a stock of all merchandise—Our December sale was a success—but our stock must be further reduced.

SUITS and O'COATS

CUT in PRICE

1-4 to 1-2

400 Suits and 150 Overcoats of Society Brand, Goldworth Zander & Miller and other famous makes. Come look over—you'll be surprised at the assortment we have to offer.

LEATHER VESTS—SHEEPSKIN COATS

1-3 Off

Hundreds to select from. We must have thought everybody was going to buy a leather vest this winter. They didn't do it. So we have got to get rid of them regardless of the price. Come and get yours. Will have lots of cold weather yet and they will be good next winter.

Florsheim Shoes

\$10 \$11 \$12 Values

Sale Price \$8.85 \$9.85 \$10.85

The largest assortment of Florsheim shoes in West Texas to select from. Nunn-Bush, and all other shoes cut in price 20 per cent.

SHIRTS

1-4 to 1-2 Off

Wilson Bros. Imperial, Earl & Wilson, and other standard makes. Every kind and size. Our wool shirts, Wilson Bros. in fancy plaids are included.

UNDERWEAR

1-4 Off

Winter weights, Vassar, Wilson Bros., Chalmers, splendid garments. Victor heavy ribbed, fine for all kinds of wear.

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Travelo Jackets, Tom Nye, Victor heavy ribbed, fine for all kinds of wear.

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Wilson Bros. Vassar and other standard makes. In staple weaves, fancy shades and imported patterns. In fact every kind to fit the taste of the most conservative or the most extravagant dresser.

MALLORY HATS

\$6.00, \$7.00, \$8.50 values, Sale price \$3.95, \$4.95, \$5.95. 28 dozen to select from. All the latest colors and shapes to select from

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HAROLD BELL WRIGHT NOVEL REACHES SCREEN.

For many years speculation has been rife as to the filming of Harold Bell Wright's valuable and world-renowned that they were to be given everlasting life on the silver sheet. Principal Picture Corporation made a transaction with the noted author whereby that company could film all of the Harold Bell Wright novels.

The fight is completed—"When a Man's a Man," and the Cozy Theatre announces it as its stellar attraction for its screen during the coming week.

"When a Man's a Man" is considered as one of the most forceful of all Wright's books. It was selected as the first for the screen, not alone by the producers, but by the author himself. Wright spent days—weeks, in fact, with the directors and producers, lending all possible assistance in the sincere endeavor to keep the film story in actual mesh with the book.

The cast includes some of the best players in filmland, and is headed by John Bowers, Marguerite de la Motte, Robert Frazer, George Hackathorne, and many others of equal note.

The story is laid in the cattle land of Arizona, and deals with the endeavor of an eastern millionaire to make an honest-to-goodness man out of a shell fashion plate in which he appeared for many years. The story is tense, thrilling, with a beautiful love theme running throughout its many interesting chapters. It will be seen as a First National attraction.

BUDGETING CONFERENCE.

A budgeting conference of the Mitchell-Scurry Association will be held in the First Baptist Church in Colorado at 9:30 a. m., January 19. A large attendance is desired.
M. C. BISHOP.

A WISE MOVE.

A dispatch from Washington says a ten-year program under which \$40,000,000 would be appropriated for purchase of forest land and for forest conservation would be authorized under a bill just introduced by Senator McNary, of Oregon. It provides for the purchase of 8,000,000 acres at points where flood danger is becoming greater and greater each year as the timber is cut away. We have never been strong for reckless expenditure, and that is largely what happens to our river and harbor appropriations. But we do believe it would be a wise move for this government to invest some of its surplus millions in the purchase of forests, in every section of the United States. The slaughter of timber means a day when the entire country will either be subjected to floods that will destroy both life and property, or billions will have to be spent in construction work intended to do just what forests are now doing—preventing floods. We can't help feeling that this kind of investment is as sensible as any congress could make.

JUNIOR LEAGUE, 2:30 O'CLOCK.

Leader—Grace Avery.
Hymn 32.
Prayer.
Scripture—Judge 7:1-22.
Repeat the Pledge.
Hymn 213.
Talk—Obedience to Parents—Kenchen Pritchett.
Announcement and Offering.
Hymn.
Benediction.
All members be at church promptly at 2:30 Saturday afternoon for a social hour.

Andrey Burney went to Lubbock Wednesday to consult a specialist in regard to one of his eyes.

GRANDMA DOAK DEAD.

W. E. Doak received a message Wednesday from Mission, Texas, stating that his grandmother, Mrs. M. E. Doak, had died in that city of pneumonia, and that her remains would be shipped here on the early Friday morning train for burial. Funeral will be held some time Friday at the Methodist Church in this city.

"Grandma Doak," as she was familiarly called, was 79 years old and came to Scurry County 25 years ago. She was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Z. F. Samples at Mission when she died.

HANDLED 15 CARS OF DRESSED POULTRY.

The Model Farm Producers' Association are now clearing away the temporary buildings used in dressing and otherwise handling its products during the fall and winter season. The company handled 15 cars of dressed poultry this season, and which brought a considerable sum of money to Snyder and Scurry County. The company may put up permanent buildings before another season opens.

BUYS INTEREST IN GENERAL SERVICE STATION.

J. B. Joyner has purchased an interest in the General Service Station from Victor Longbotham. Mr. Joyner is experienced in this line of work and these two boys are on the lookout for anything that will improve their service to the motoring public.

Mrs. Carl Yoder was in Crowell last week visiting and closing up a deal in which Mr. and Mrs. Yoder traded their residence in that city for another residence with a handsome cash difference.

T. U. HAS LARGE COLLECTION OF NEWSPAPERS.

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 15.—Not only newspapers from every important city in Texas and from many cities of the other states, but files of very old papers among the newspaper collection at the University of Texas make this the most valuable and complete newspaper file in the Southwest, according to D. E. McArthur, supervisor of the newspaper collec-

tions. The library also has an excellent collection of foreign papers. Many people have access to these files and use them. Not only students of the university writing history, economics, government and even English theses, but people from all parts of the State come to make use of the papers. One man came from Mexico to look over the files of old Mexican revolutionary papers, to gather material for some historical work.

Judge W. W. Beall and son, Graham Beall, of Sweetwater were here Monday afternoon attending to business and visiting with relatives.

Miss Donnoletta Minor of Roby visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Minor of Snyder the past week.

O. S. Green, groceryman of Dunn, was in the capital Monday on business. He says that business in the city of Dunn is pretty good.

Baugh & Webb
are Giving Away a
Chevrolet Touring Car

Removal Notice!

We have moved our Dry Goods and Hardware Stock to the Blackard Hardware Company location on the North Side of the square. The Dry Goods department is located in the building formerly occupied by the furniture department of the Blackard Hardware store.

We will continue our furniture stock in the building formerly occupied by the dry goods department of our store on the south side. We will have one of the largest displays of furniture in this store to be found in West Texas.

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EMPTY SEATS.

"Are you going to church this morning, Susie?" asked Dr. Clark, laying back in his easy chair with the morning paper. "A doctor who is out day and night can't be expected to go."

"No, I made jelly yesterday, and I am tired. I am faithful enough to stay at home this cloudy morning," and Mrs. Clark curled up on the couch with the Bible she had not opened for a week. But it soon dropped from her hand. She was aroused by a strange voice saying, "Now, my good imps, what have you done today to weaken the kingdom of God?"

The voice came from a suspicious looking personage seated on a throne of human skulls. Around him were gathered a crowd of terrible things, each with a crown of fire, in which gleamed some name, such as malice, envy, pride, hatred, and kindred passions.

"We have been busy today making empty seats in churches," began one. "Nothing could please me better" answered their king.

"I persuaded one man that he had a headache, and kept him from a sermon that would have changed his whole life," said one.

"I induced one good man to slip to his store and make up his books," said another.

"Good," said the king. "He'll soon give up the Sabbath altogether."

"I was able to get one young man to visit some old friends," said one imp.

"I worried one good sister about her bonnet until she decided to stay at home till she got a new one," spoke up the imp labeled "Pride." "And I made several women who were hungry for God's word stay at home to repine over their trials. I just said to them, 'O these rich people don't care for you; you can't wear fine clothes, so I wouldn't go where I was looked down upon.' That way I kept many poor people at home whom the rich would have been glad to see."

"That is one of the ways to cheat poor people out of heaven that I know of," answered the king, with approval.

"I induced a good number of people to think they were not strong enough to go out," said one called "Indifference." "Of course all of these men will be at their business tomorrow even if they feel worse, but they could not go to church where they would have no special mental or physical strain. And the ladies would have been able to clean house or go calling, but I made them think they couldn't walk to church unless they felt perfectly well."

"Very good," said the king with a grin. "Sunday headaches might often be cured by etting out in the

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"About eight years ago my wife got down with liver and stomach trouble. . . We tried all week to help her, . . . but she didn't get any better. One day I said to the doctor, 'I believe I will try Black-Draught, it helps my liver.' He said that I might try it and to follow directions. She was nauseated and couldn't eat or rest. She began taking Black-Draught and in two days she was greatly improved and in a week she was up."

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air and backaches forgotten by thoughts drawn to higher things. But you lying imps must use every weakness of the flesh to help make empty seats." They all smiled, for in their kingdom lying was a great accomplishment. "To make ladies think that their servants need no Sunday privileges, is good," said one.

"Very true," said his superior. "As long as we can get Christian people to cause, or allow men and women to work during rest hours, we can keep many empty seats in the churches, and men and women away from God."

"Confidentially," said the king, "when I find a Christian who has no more concern about the weather on Monday than he has on Monday; determined to make as much effort for spiritual gain as he would for worldly profits, I just give him up. It is no use to try to drag back the man or woman who goes to God's house in all kinds of weather."

"I am able to do a great deal with some of the ladies of the congregation," spoke up the imp labeled 'fashion of this world.' I can make some people stay at home because the new hat didn't come or because their clothes are out of fashion, or they have not gotten a new cloak."

"I have a better scheme than that," said another. "These people you keep away are indifferent, generally good-for-nothing folks who are hardly worth getting into the kingdom of his Satanic Majesty, but I have a plan that empties seats of the workers of the church."

"That is just what we want," said the king.

"I make these people overwork on Saturday. For instance, I induce some good man the preacher depends upon, or some devout Sunday School teacher to make Saturday the busiest day of the week. I just keep him rushed with neglected things till late at night, and then he over-sleeps himself, or is sick the next day and can't get out."

"Splendid way," said Satan. "Yes, it works well with delicate women. If they clean house, or have Saturday company, they can be kept

home without knowing they have broken the Sabbath. A late party on Saturday night helps with empty seats."

"You are doing finely, my imps," his majesty said warmly, for his breath was a flaming fire. "Preachers may work and pray over their sermon all the week, but there will be no results in preaching to empty seats. One of the most important things we have to consider is how to keep people away from churches on Sunday. Your plans are excellent, but I might suggest another good point. All preachers have some imperfections, some faults of manner or speech. Get Christians to criticize them, especially before their children. If you can stir up a spirit of fault finding against the preacher among the members, it will help make empty seats. Just as soon as a Christian begins to stay at home from one excuse or another, I know I have a mortgage on his soul, which if he does not shake off I will fore-close on the day of judgment."

"You have none on mine," cried Mrs. Clark, who had been listening with abated breath, "I'll go to church

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DR. BELL'S PINE-TAR-HONEY FOR COUGHS

if only to defeat you."

"What's the matter, dear?" asked the doctor. "Have you been dreaming?"

"Perhaps so, but I'm going to church, if I get to my seat just in time for the benediction. I'll cheat Satan from this day out of one empty seat."

She has kept her word, and influenced many others to let nothing trifling keep them from God's house.

And one church, at least, has begun to grow, and will soon be a power for God because it has no empty seats.—Selected.

EYES HURT? TRY THIS

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PNEUMONIA SHOULD BE QUARANTINED.

"Pneumonia is a communicable disease, being both infectious and contagious, and all precautionary measures, including quarantine, should be used for the treatment of cases of this disease, as with scarlet fever and diphtheria," states Dr. Malone Duggans, State Health officer.

"Fatalities from pneumonia are more than from any other of the prevalent diseases and attacks of this disease should be carefully guarded against," further states Dr. Duggan. Statistics show that more than 100,000 people died in the registration area of the United States during 1923, with the death from pneumonia being in some cases as high as 50 per cent of all cases reported.

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First National Bank
Snyder National Bank

ENNIS.

We, having seen no news from this community, decided to send a few items.

The sermon delivered Sunday morning by Rev. J. W. Shipman was appreciated.

School is progressing nicely with an enrollment of 90 pupils.

Dee Robison, our efficient merchant, believes in making Ennis grow. He has just completed a new store and also a new residence.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith have a new boy in their home.

Misses Vera and Rue Horsley were guests at a house party in Loraine the past week-end.

H. S. Moore of Snyder visited W. A. Wade and family Sunday.

J. D. Robison and wife and Miss Ethel Robison were visitors at Dee Robison's Sunday.

Miss Lillian Colclazer spent Saturday and Sunday with the Sattlers Hart.

Taylor Ramage was a visitor at Tom Martin's Sunday afternoon.

Miss Exie Mae Daniell and Jim Wilson spent a few hours in Snyder Saturday.

J. F. Prather and family were visitors at L. O. Kimbrough's Sunday. Miss Sue McKeown spent the week-end in Snyder.

Herman Galyean visited I. C. Davis and family Sunday.

Miss Allie Prather, who is teaching at Lone Wolf, spent a few hours here Sunday afternoon.

Dee Robison and wife were guests of H. S. Hart and family Sunday night.

Nick West and wife of Dunn were recent visitors at the home of B. M. West.

The Fluvanna basket ball team and the Ennis team played an interesting game here last Friday afternoon, the score being 8 to 12 in favor of Ennis.

Ewell Daniell and Miss Thelma Parker of White Bluff were Snyder visitors Sunday.

Prof. J. E. Smith spent a few hours in Fluvanna Friday afternoon. —Dixie.

THE TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB.

The Twentieth Century Club met Tuesday, Jan. 6, with Mrs. Wade Winston. Mrs. J. J. Taylor leader for study hour. Seventeen members answered to roll call with current events.

Mrs. Brice read a paper on Why Myths Are Suitable Children's Literature.

Mrs. Rosser, the Story "Proser-

pine." Mrs. Dorward—"The Miraculous Pitcher."

Mrs. Noble—"The Death of Bader."

Mrs. Smith—Short Talk—How the Knowledge of Myths Helps the Adult Reader.

The following officers were elected for next year: President, Mrs. R. W. Webb; first vice-president, Mrs. H. E. Rosser; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. E. Wade Winston; recording secretary, Mrs. W. W. Smith; corresponding secretary, Charles Noble; treasurer, Mrs. C. F. Smith.

The hostess served a dainty 2-course luncheon to members and Mesdames Clyde Funk, H. B. Winston, Clyde Boren, Melvis Newton, Earl Henry.—Reporter.

YOUNG WOMEN'S MISSIONARY AUXILIARY.

The Young Women's Missionary Auxiliary met Monday, Jan. 12, at the home of Mrs. Cantrell. After the business session we finished our study on "The Child and America's Future."

The hostess, assisted by Mrs. Ham-

lett, served dainty refreshments to 14 members.

The next meeting will be at the church, Jan. 19.

Friday evening, Jan. 2, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Towle entertained the members of the Young Women's Missionary Auxiliary and their husbands. After a pleasant evening spent playing double "42" the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Hamlett and Mrs. Randall, served delicious refreshments to Messrs and Mesdames Dodson, Gross, Ward, Darby, Sims, Cantrell, Hicks, Green, Lockhart, Hamlett, Randall and Rev. and Mrs. Davidson and hostess.

METHOD CHURCH.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m., A. C. Preuitt superintendent. Classes for all. Epworth League, Junior, 3 p. m. Epworth League, Senior, 6 p. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "The Land of Beginning Again." Evening subject, "The Lost Soul."

You are invited to all the services. Church warm and comfortable. Worship with us. A. B. DAVIDSON, Pastor.

The Opening of Pennant Service Station

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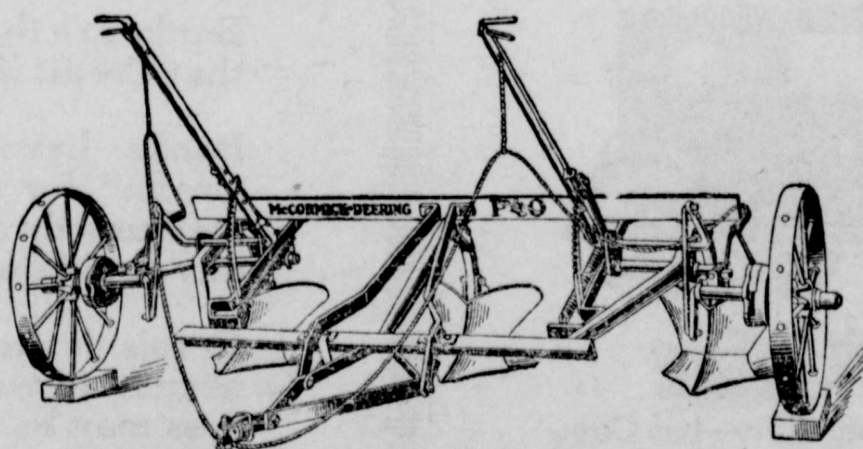
Dry Goods Ready-to-Wear Millinery Hardware Furniture Implements

IMPLEMENTMENTS

A complete stock of John Deere and P. & O. Implements. Two car loads recently unloaded. Only a few of the many different purpose implements we carry can be listed in this advertisement. Call and allow us to show you others.

LISTER PLANTERS

John Deere and P. & O. single and double row lister planters are made for the hard service of West Texas soil. They give long service at minimum cost.



PLOW EXTRAS

Large stock of buster points, lister points, etc., carried in stock. If it's a plow extra we have it. Our stock of plow extras is the biggest in the West.

STAG SULKEYS

The John Deere Stag Sulkey, built especially for Texas, is a riding plow, riding middle breaker and riding sweep, all in one. It is properly balanced, pulls light, and has unusual clearance (21 inches).

WHEAT LAND LISTER

Use a P. & O. wheat land lister with your tractor and get the best results.

Complete stock of walking middle busters, built to stand lots of hard service.

HARNESS

Full line of harness, collar pads, collars, hames, trace chains, bridles. Many other things that is very useful about the farm.