



SOCIETY AND CLUBS

VERNELLE STIMSON, Society Editor

EL FELIZ MEETS WITH MRS. T. L. McMILLAN.

Mrs. T. L. McMillan was hostess to the El Feliz Club at her home Friday, January 15. An hour of forty-two followed the business session. A two-course luncheon was served to Mesdames Austin Erwin, O. P. Thrane, Geo. Northcutt, Fritz R. Smith, Chas Cooper, A. J. Towle, H. G. Towle, W. W. Hamilton, Wm. Wilford, W. E. Smith, Lee T. Stinson, Hugh Boren, Joe Stinson, Bob Warren, Ernest Taylor, P. M. Chambers, Gerie Smith, Pat Brown, Robt. Curran and Pearl Shannon of Colorado City.

MRS. W. E. SMITH HOSTESS TO ALTRURIANS.

Mrs. W. E. Smith was hostess to the Altrurian Club members at her home, Friday, January 22. Sixteen members and substitutes were present. Mrs. J. T. Whitmore led the lesson on "Group of Southern Writers" and a study of the two poets, Edgar Allan Poe and Sydney Lanier. Mrs. T. L. Stinson gave a splendid paper on "Southern Women Writers." A very interesting number on program was a debate on "Is the South as Fertile a Field for Literature as the West?" Affirmative, Mrs. W. W. Hamilton; negative, Mrs. E. A. Anderson. Mrs. Cullin C. Higgins conducted a parliamentary drill. The hostess served a delicious two-course luncheon to the members and Mesdames Ernest Taylor, J. J. Taylor, Otto Williamson, T. L. Lollar, Hugh Boren and Pearl Shannon of Colorado City.

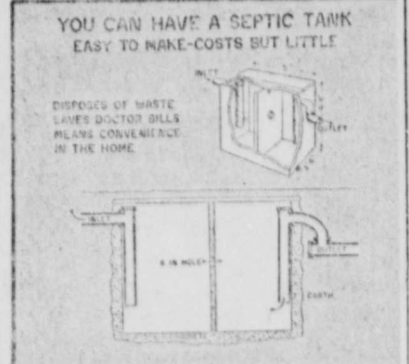
POWERFUL PLOT IN NEW MELODRAMA

Stripping the roof from a great metropolitan newspaper, and showing most intimate details as well as revealing the absorbing moods and impulses of the human hearts that animate the great plant with an almost electric atmosphere of fascination. Emory Johnson has builded, perhaps, better than he knew in "The Last Edition," a smashing F. B. O. drama of newspaper life which takes the screen at the Palace Theatre next Friday for a two-day engagement. From the superb performance of Ralph Lewis in the role of Tom MacDonald, the assistant foreman of the press room, down to the most important extra, the acting is excellent. Mr. Lewis' delineation of such a note of sympathy and sincerity that he makes the spectator feel his love for his pressman, and puts over with vital pathos the sudden rush of anger which causes him to fling a heavy wrench into his beloved machinery as it grinds out the story of his son's disgrace. Mrs. Emile Johnson wrote the story for "The Last Edition," as she has done for all of the Johnson successes, and she has evolved a well-ordered, cohesive and powerful plot which piles striking situation on top of situation into a veritable mountain of outstanding drama. Lila Leslie, Frances Tague, Rex Lease, Ray Hallor, Cuyler Supplee, David Kirby, Wade Boteler, Leigh Willard and Will Frank compose an exceptional cast.

8,000 ATTEND FARMERS' SHORT COURSE AT SNYDER

hire some one to press the button. "But that is alright," she declared. "I'll be glad for them, but mother must have some improvements along with her part of the work. Yet, do you know, that many times if a husband knew that his wife needed things or changes made she might have them. But if mother says nothing about it, whose to blame? Remember, dad and mother are partners." Mrs. Randlett suggested necessary cooking utensils and the arrangement of those and the furniture in the room. "The kitchen should be cheerful," she declared, "since mother must spend most of her time there.

Life savers are life savers.



This was one of the interesting items used in connection with Mrs. Randlett's lecture. She declared that every home should have one.

"A septic tank is not complicated and does not require an expert to build it. Any farmer who can mix cement can have a septic tank for his home. It costs little; it lasts years; it needs cleaning only once in a great while; it makes the farm home sanitary; it saves work for the housewife."

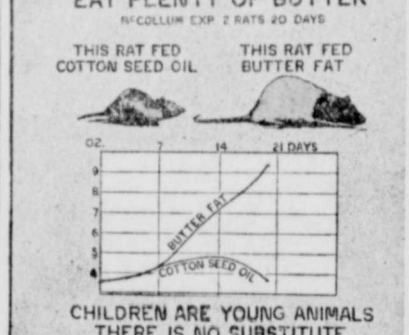
"Bird" and "Poultry" Woman." Mrs. Randlett said that she had been called both the "Bird woman" and the "Poultry Woman," but that was alright as long as nobody happened to make the mistake of calling her the "Old Hen."

She is indeed fond of talking about and working with poultry. She said that a fine flock of poultry provided food for the family, and also something to sell every week. She stated that she knew many club boys and girls who were putting themselves through school with money realized from the sale of their poultry.

"Every day will be pay-day in the poultry industry if you pay strict attention to culling," said Mrs. Randlett. "All boarder hens and those scrub roosters must be gotten ready for market, even if they do not bring much. You can cut it down 100 per cent on the profit side of your account book even then."

"The poultry raiser who is making a profit is the one who culls every time he visits the poultry yard. Cull all the time."

Mrs. Randlett used the above chart to show the difference between the good layers and the poor layers. Rural Use of Milk Emphasized.



The speakers of the Short Course emphasized the use of milk. The chart shows two rats which were fed exactly alike except one had cottonseed oil and the other had butter fat. The rat fed cottonseed oil could not grow because it received no vitamins. "Folks who sell all their butter fat and feed their family oleomargarine and vegetable oils are depriving their children of a birth-

right—the chance to develop a strong body, steady nerves, and a vigorous mind.

"In addition to furnishing the health-giving, growth-promoting vitamins which all children must have, milk supplies plenty of lime in an easy digested form."

THE COW BEFORE THE JURY



THIS JURY WILL RENDER A FAIR DECISION WILL IT BE TO THE BUTCHER OR BACK TO THE BARN?

"No man can know, absolutely, the value of a cow until she has been before the infallible jury, consisting of the milk scales, the Babcock test, the feed record, and the milk record," E. T. Ebersol said in his lecture on "The Farmer's Cow and Live Stock."

"The verdict of the jury enables you to know whether the cow is returning less than her cost; just playing even with you; or is actually making for you a fair return for the feed consumed, the labor expended and interest in your money."

Mr. Ebersol declared that rural life should be made attractive. "Fathers and mothers are largely responsible for the boys' and girls leaving the farm. Boys sharing profits and losses of the farm are willing to stay.

"Boys' and girls' clubs can be a great deal of help. There's the pig club, the cotton club, the corn club and others, that with active leaders, regular meetings, definite projects, 'pop' meetings, and above all, ideal standards, will enable the boys and girls to live on a higher plane and with a wider vision of life.

"It is an honor to be a demonstration agent, and an honor to have one to work with. There should be in each club an adult leader who is interested in boys and girls for only willing workers make good club members."

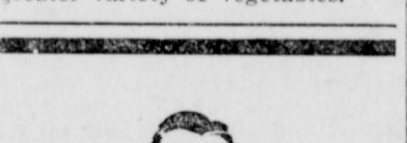
"Prizes are often the rewards for some part of the club work. Yet such rewards are perishable. It is that definite something accomplished that makes the work worthwhile.

"A good lesson to learn, boys and girls, is 'How little I may expect of the other fellow, yet how much he expects of me!'" Soils.

Table titled 'ILLINOIS SYSTEM OF PERMANENT SOIL FERTILITY' showing various soil components and their corresponding fertilizer recommendations.

Mr. Ebersol seemed to take great pleasure in telling our Scurry County Farmers of the "Illinois System of Permanent Soil Fertility." He denied the fact, however, that the pleasure was derived alone from the fact that the system was from his native state, and assured us that the system was extensively and successfully used outside of Illinois.

Growing Your Own Living. Mr. Hawkins made an impressive talk urging the farmers to grow vegetable gardens with a greater variety of vegetables.



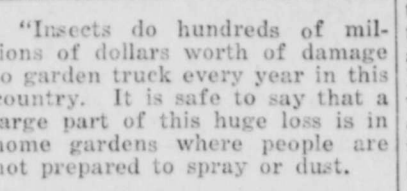
"The best spring tonic may be grown in your own garden with little expense. Canned foods mean money sent away because you don't grow your own living. Grow your living in your garden and be able to use your money for something else.

agriculture in every school," declared Mr. Bryant. "Why not teach the children the things that they can use?" Mr. Bryant also declared that he had thoroughly enjoyed the two-day program; that it had been splendid; and that everyone who had attended had benefited.

County Agents Express Appreciation. Our County Agent, Jno. F. Carmichael, expressed his sincere appreciation to the congregation of the First Baptist Church for the use of their building, the business men of Snyder for their support, and the faculty, and others who lent their service and co-operation in any way, and particularly to the speakers from the Extension Department of the International Harvester Co., Mrs. Gordon W. Randlett, Messrs. L. A. Hawkins, E. T. Ebersol and Herman G. Jensen, who entertained and instructed with their splendid program.



Insects do hundreds of millions of dollars worth of damage to garden truck every year in this country. It is safe to say that a large part of this huge loss is in home gardens where people are not prepared to spray or dust.



"Give to the world the best that you have. And the best will come back to you."

L. H. Johnson Wins Radio. As a climax to the two-days' Farmer Short Course, conducted by International Harvester Co. representatives, a two-hundred dollar radio was given away by that company to the fortunate ticket holder, L. H. Johnson of the Turner community was the lucky man.

Record Attendance at Short Course. Mr. L. A. Hawkins informed the Times-Signal representative Tuesday evening that the attendance of near eight thousand people at the short course session in Snyder was indeed a record attendance.

"It is the largest attendance we have had present at one of our short courses since I have been managing the short course crew, which covers a period of four years. It would be hard to conceive of better co-operation among the town's people and farmers."

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Announcements

CITY ELECTION. April 6, 1926.

City Marshal—C. P. (Uncle Pack) WOLF. C. E. DARRBY. COUNTY AND DISTRICT OFFICES.

Table showing election results for Precinct and State.

Representative 118th District—JOE A. MERRITT.

For Sheriff—F. M. (FRANK) BROWN-FIELD. L. T. (TOM) CONDR. WALTER CAMP.

For County Judge—F. A. CARY. A. RHOADES. HORACE HOLLEY.

For Justice Peace, Precinct No. 1—J. Z. NOBLE. For County Treasurer—MISS IDA KELLEY. (Re-election) MRS. EDNA B. TINKER.

For Tax Assessor—J. I. BAZE. STERLING A. TAYLOR. J. W. STIMSON. JIM PAGAN.

For County Clerk—A. N. EPPS. MRS. ETHEL CHERRY EILAND. MRS. KATE COTTEN (Re-election) MABEL Y. GERMAN.

For District Clerk—JEAN GRIGGS. County Supt. of Public Instruction—A. A. (PAT) BULLOCK (Re-election) Public Weigher (Precinct No. 1)—EDGAR WILSON. (Re-election) For Public Weigher of Precinct No. 4 (Hermleigh)—T. J. HODNETT. J. E. VAUGHN. W. A. JOHNSTON.

Public Weigher, Precinct No. 13—D. P. AMMONS. J. H. JEAN. JEWELL BENNETT. For Commissioner Precinct No. 3—J. W. HANEY. For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4—W. A. JOHNSTON.

Mrs. Jack Harris and little son, Martin, returned to the city this week from San Antonio where they have been visiting with Mrs. Harris' mother.

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SANS SOUCI CLUB ENJOYS EVENING OF BRIDGE.

The Sans Souci Club met at the home of Miss Myrtle Harrell Tuesday evening, January 26, with Miss Harrell and Mrs. Marie Palmer Green as hostesses. An hour of bridge was enjoyed, after which a salad course was served to 12 members and Mrs. J. W. Templeton, Jr., of Houston.

SCARBOROUGH STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST

Everybody cordially invited to attend services with us on Sunday, three services. Bro. Whit will be the principal speaker and will bring us a message of the gospel of Christ that we will enjoy. We are especially anxious that every Church of Christ be represented. Why not dismiss your communion services and come over and break bread with us? We will welcome you, one and all. Saturday evening service at 7:30, Sunday morning preaching service at 11 a. m. also in the afternoon and again Sunday evening at 7:30. Bro. C. C. Bankhead will have charge of the song services. S. A. RIBBLE, Missler. W. A. JOHNSTON FOR COMMISSIONER.

The Scurry County Times-Signal is pleased to announce W. A. Johnston as a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. 4.

Mr. Johnston was appointed to fill out the unexpired term of Mr. Coker, resigned, and is, therefore, not asking to be re-elected, but is really asking to be elected the first time, as he has served only since last April.

Mr. Johnston has been a resident of Scurry County since 1881, cast his first vote in Scurry County and cast the last vote so far in the county, and says that Scurry is still good enough for him.

Mr. Johnston is a road builder, he and his associates, the County Judge and other members of the Commissioners' Court having since many miles of excellent road built. Mr. Johnston was appointed to a place on the commissioners' court. He says that the experience he has had incident to the ten months' service as a commissioner only the better fits him for still better service, and that if elected he will do his best to serve the people of the county in as capable way as he knows how.

R. C. Naugle of Dallas will be in the Western Union office here for two weeks in the absence of B. F. Gammond, who is taking his vacation.

JIM PAGAN FOR ASSESSOR.

Jim Pagan called at the Times-Signal office Wednesday, threw down the wherewith and remarked "I've been in Scurry County twenty-eight years, never asked for an office before in my life, but tell the readers of the Times-Signal that I am in the race for Tax Assessor. If you say too many good things about me of course I'll come in and have you make corrections next week, but be sure to say that I am already in the race, and expect to stay in until the voting is over."

All right, Mr. Pagan. Before this time next week there will be probably from 6,000 to 10,000 people in Scurry County know, by having read this notice, that you are in the race.

With twenty-eight years spent in the county, Mr. Pagan really needs no recommendation. For the benefit of those who might not know him, the Times-Signal has no hesitancy in recommending him as a most excellent citizen and is qualified for the office which he seeks.

George Stinson of Glenrose visited in Snyder last week with his mother, Mrs. T. C. Stinson.

What You'll See at the Theatres This Week

Palace: FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, January 29th and 30th "The Last Edition" Emory Johnson's Master Melodrama of the Newspaper World. Also Mack Sennet Comedy—"Giddap" MONDAY AND TUESDAY, February 1st and 2nd. Norma Talmadge, in "Secrets" WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, February 3rd and 4th. WILLIAM FOX presents WAGES for WIVES A merry drama based on the family bank roll, with Jacqueline Logan and an all-star cast. Do you give your wife half your salary or does she take it all? See how it works out in this picture. Also Fox News and Education Comedy—"Baby Be Good" Cozy FRIDAY NIGHT, January 29th. Leo Maloney, in "Ranchers and Rascals" A fast action tale of love and lies in the Great West. Also chapter 3 of "The Ace of Spades" that thrilling adventure, mystery serial, and a two-reel special comedy. SATURDAY MATINEE Same pictures as Friday night SATURDAY NIGHT, January 30th "S. O. S. Perils of the Sea" With Elaine Hammerstein, smashing sea story of souls lost and fortunes won. And to melt you laugh, two-reel Imperial Comedy—"Strong for Love"

Federal Land Bank Money - Can be paid off any time or will pay itself off in 34 years' time. A. J. TOWLE, Sec.-Treas. Phone 196

Towle's "That's Where I Got My Watch Repaired" Did you ever stop to think that the balance-wheel in that delicate little piece of machinery called a watch travels 16 miles per day? It cannot do this and give you the best service unless you "feed it" and look after it. How long has it been since you had it thoroughly cleaned? If it doesn't keep perfect time, it is apparent that there is something wrong. Then bring it to us and we will service it for you. There is nothing in the Jewelry line that our experienced and expert repairman cannot satisfactorily repair for you. H. G. Towle

Spring Has Sprung. Here are our new spring suits and topcoats—just arrived! They're so full of stylish snap it made us feel peppy just to open the cases and look at them! Come in and see how our new spring lines affect you! Abe Rogers "HIMSELF" BASEMENT FIRST STATE BANK & TRUST CO. PHONE 26. Quick, Careful Service. No speed lost, no bluster or careless handling here. You'll find accommodations smoothly and skillfully carried out. The charges are as low as standard permits. Texas Service Station Phone 15 Snyder, Texas

Snyder Insurance Agency. "Have you taken every precaution against the spread of contagion," asked the doctor, visiting the colored family. "We suah have, doctor," chorussed the family, "We've bought a sanitary cup and we all drink from it." Take every precaution against the spread of fire * * * but don't stop there. Get sound insurance protection from this agency of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company. H. J. Brice I. W. Dodson I. W. Boren, Jr.

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By placing a portion of your weekly or monthly income in a savings account with this bank you build a secondary strength that will probably prove to be a life-saver to you in the event you are thrown out of employment, become sick or make a crop failure. One simply cannot go on from time to time spending all of his income without being seriously embarrassed at some time in life for the lack of immediately available cash. One can invest their money in good securities and confront an emergency some time which will demand immediate cash and have to sacrifice the securities at a low price.

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FRIENDLY



A. Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. Will Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clay, Mrs. D. L. Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Shepherd and a host of our young people and by the interest that was manifested by all. We will say that we are each and everyone benefited greater by far by having attended the short course than the mere receiving of a radio set. We have received new ideas and these ideas we will put into practice on our farm and make a greater Pleasant Hill in a greater Scurry County. "Enough said."

Mrs. S. C. Bills was shopping in Snyder Wednesday.

We have several cases of sickness in the community. One of the severest cases is that of Mrs. John Merritt and we hope that they are all on the road to health now.

Bud Logan was seen the other day sharpening his ax. Upon being questioned it was learned that he was going a grubbing. Our only advice is "Bud," use discretion—"Cock of the Hollow."

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I am again placing myself before the people of Scurry County, and asking for the office of District Clerk. I have served you for the last four years to the very best of my ability, and if re-elected will continue to give you the very best service that I am capable of. I have had a very good solicitation to be in the campaign, so am now announcing my candidacy for the office again. Will appreciate your support and influence. Thanking you for your past support and kind consideration, I am, Yours very truly,
JEAN GRIGGS.

DEEP CREEK.

The principal of Deep Creek school is absent this week on account of sickness.

Deep Creek attended the short course at Snyder this week.

Paul Claybrook was absent last week on account of sickness.

The box supper that was given at Deep Creek last Friday night was enjoyed by everyone.

Calvin Long is absent this week on account of sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Crowder spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wade.

Mr. and Mrs. John Buchanan of Fluvanna spent last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Kennedy.

O. R. Tankersley gave the young folks a party Saturday night and everyone had a nice time.

Check Tankersley and Bessie Brownfield were married last Saturday afternoon. They will make their home in Veilmore.

O. R. Tankersley went to Big Spring Wednesday.

WOODARD SCHOOL HONOR ROLL.

First Grade, Leon Eades and Veleri Robison. 2nd grade, Rosanna Reynolds. 3rd grade, J. D. Robison and Christine Robison. 4th grade, Kenneth Eades. 7th grade, Bill Popcoe.

EAST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Song and Bible Study at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Also Saturday night by Bro. L. C. Bankhead of Lamesa, Texas. Bro. Bankhead is great. He made many friends during his meeting here in August and September and no doubt will meet with a great welcome. Let every member be present and bring someone with you.

Bro. Bankhead is anxious to meet his many friends.—Reporter.

Back Given Out?

Are you dragging along day after day with a dull, nagging backache? Do you feel tired, lame and aching; suffer sharp, torturing pains at every sudden move? Then look to your kidneys! Colds, strains and overwork weaken the kidneys and bring on throbbing backache and knife-like twinges. Don't risk serious kidney disease! Use Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys. Read what this Snyder resident says:

W. P. Thompson, farmer, says: "I had such sharp, cutting pains over my kidneys I could hardly do any stooping or lifting. I had dizzy spells when specks came before my eyes, blurring my sight. My kidneys were weak and I had to get up at night to pass the secretions. Doan's Pills from the Stinson Drug Store cured me of the attack."

60c. at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

UNITED CHARITY—HOW FUNDS WILL BE HANDLED.

The drive or canvas for united charity netted about \$300. If anybody wants to help this worthy cause, they may send a check for one dollar or more to any of the pastors of the city.

We do not intend to turn cash over to the poor, but we shall purchase food, coal, medicine, shoes, etc., as these things seem to be needed.

Each case will be investigated and no money will be paid out except on a check signed by two pastors. We shall do our best to handle these funds economically and wisely. If you haven't helped send us a check payable to "United Charity," Jeff Davis, S. A. Ribble, I. J. Sparks, H. J. Manley, B. W. Dodson.

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ENNIS CREEK.

There isn't much news from Ennis this week. The snow was too deep for many visitors it seems.

School Notes.

The seventh grade English class met Monday afternoon and organized a "Good English Club. The officers are as follows: President, Allen Davis; Vice-President, Nell Floyd; secretary and reporter, Callie Mae Prather. Our colors are "Purple and Gold," our motto, "Education Will Win." Our flower, "Violet." We adjourned to meet again Friday afternoon, the twenty-ninth.—Reporter.

Mrs. Smith's sixth grade class is making some books on "Manners," and other subjects, too. We haven't read them yet or had a report of them either, but we are sure they are good. They look neat anyway.

Miss Sue McKeown's room is planning an "Honor Roll." Of course, everyone is going to work to put their name on the "roll."

from Ira visited their daughter, Mrs. Tom Martin Wednesday.

Mr. Fowler, who has been suffering from an attack of throat trouble is better.

We surely have a full school now, as there have been over one hundred pupils enrolled.

School seems to be progressing nicely.

Faye Taylor is suffering severely from a bone felon on her thumb.

Bobbie Adams and family visited Mrs. N. L. Adams of Snyder Sunday.

Misses Eddie Lynn Howell and Estelle King, teachers in the Ira school, spent the week-end with home folks at Snyder.—Cor.

DUNN NEWS.

We had a little snow Thursday night, which was appreciated by most all the farmers, as some of the soil was getting a little hard and dry.

The school children sure did enjoy snow balling while the snow was on the ground.

Mr. Ross of Colorado City has finished his new barber shop at Dunn, and has started business in the shop. We all welcome Mr. Ross into our community, and wish him success in his work.

R. D. Sherrod and family spent a real enjoyable Sunday with relatives at Roscoe, Texas.

Rev. J. E. McDermitt of Abilene, visited in this community the past week.

Miss Johnnie Ivy spent Sunday night with Miss Vesta Grubbs.

W. F. Wilkins has purchased a new Chevrolet, also Miss Zula Smith has a new Ford.

Miss Pearl Garner was absent from school on account of sore throat, and bad cold Monday.

Mrs. Mable Worley, who has made Dunn a very good postmaster, has moved to Bledsoe, Texas, where she will make her home. We regret very much to see Mrs. Worley leave us. We hope for her happiness and success in her new home. Mrs. Ellis Parker will take her place as postmaster.

The junior boys of Dunn school have organized a pep squad, to "hurray" for Dunn's basket ball teams. They have about twelve members. They invite every junior boy of Dunn community to come and join and help "root for Dunn's team." Lark Collum was elected leader of the pep squad. He was leader before of a pep squad in Oklahoma. Sure he will make a good leader for the boys. Come on, boys, and join and help Dunn junior boys out.

The Ladies' Missionary Society meets at the Methodist church at three o'clock on every Tuesday afternoon after the first and third Sundays of each month. Let all the ladies come who can, and help us in our work. Be sure and help us to our next meeting which will meet Feb. 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Bowlin of Ackerly have moved to Dunn and like their new location.

PLEASANT HILL.

"The Roar of Hell Roaring Hollow."

We have all been snowed under this week, that is, all except John L. Webb, Rob Woody, T. C. Bills and son, Albert, who answered the call of the wild and went a wolf hunting over on John L.'s ranch on the Colorado River. And did they catch? "You tell the world."

It is a great pleasure to report seeing so many bright and shining faces from Pleasant Hill at the S. H. short course. Among the outstanding ones were that of Hon. J.

WALTER CAMP FOR SHERIFF.
(Communicated)

In this issue of the paper will be found the announcement of Walter Camp for Sheriff and Tax Collector of Scurry County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July, 1926.

Mr. Camp states at the outset that he is making the race unpledged to any set or faction; that he has been solicited by many friends whom he believes have nothing but a desire to see the sheriff's office energetically, honestly and efficiently managed. He is in position to make the County such a sheriff. Mr. Camp would go into the office to make the county such a sheriff. Mr.

CANYON NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives in Snyder.

Albert Krop and family were visitors in Canyon community Friday. There was no church and Sunday School Sunday, on account of the big snow.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. DeLoach

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Removes from the skin all itching spots, insect bites, and all other skin troubles. It is also a wonderful poultry tonic, blood purifier, head builder, and eye preserver. It contains none of the harmful ingredients of other health building remedies. Keeps the skin clear, smooth, and healthy. "Prevention is cheaper than cure." Keep your back free of spots and insect bites and their misery, in good luck, soon through the winter and you will get good health and drug bills in the spring. As applied to the face, it will remove all spots and pimples. Use it as directed on the tin. Strongest form of the product.

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Two-room Apartment, furnished or unfurnished. Sleeping room and other conveniences.

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"I open six honest, serving men; (They taught me All I know) Their names are WHAT and WHY and WHEN and HOW and WHERE and WHO"

WHAT was the Declaration of London? WHY does the date for Easter vary? WHEN was the great pyramid of Cheops built? HOW can you distinguish a malarial mosquito? WHERE is Canhera? Zeebrugge? WHO was the Millboy of the Slashes? Are these "six men" serving you too? Give them an opportunity by placing

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SHALL WE CONSOLIDATE OUR SCHOOLS.

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This part of the consolidation scheme has especially aroused much discussion. Some are maintaining the idea that the consolidated district would have to assume the bonded indebtedness of the two original districts. Let us see what the State Department has to say in regard to this from a letter which I have at hand. Read this closely:

"In the event common school districts are consolidated, it is not legally obligatory upon the consolidated district to assume the bonded indebtedness of the original districts are not assumed by the consolidated district, it will be necessary for the trustees of the consolidated district to levy on the territory of the original districts the bond tax necessary to liquidate the bonds."

As we can see from this, each district might legally be allowed to pay off its own bonded indebtedness. The consolidated district does not have to obligate

rate of one dollar, it is not necessarily true that the tax rate of the consolidated district would automatically become one dollar. Of course this should be granted, that the district might vote such a rate. The law, however, provides for uniformity and not for a dollar tax. In the second of this series of articles, it will be clearly shown that in case of two or more districts consolidating with the Fluvanna district, it would not be necessary for a dollar tax to be levied to support the school of the consolidated district. One or more other districts, other than the Favors district, or being mentioned for consolidation. The next article will show that in case such other district did decide to consolidate, a uniform tax rate over the entire district would not necessarily have to be as much as a dollar, in order that the school of the consolidated district might be supported.

Proposed Transfer Plan.

The next question which naturally arises in this explanation is the question of the transportation of children from the Favors district to the consolidated school. I am outlining the proposed transfer plan. See if you do not think that

it would function satisfactorily. But first let us notice Section 8, Bulletin 193, Texas School Laws: It is hereby further provided that the sum of \$1,000.00 necessary for each rural consolidation effected during the biennium ending August 31, 1927, between two or more common school districts, provided the total scholastic population does not exceed five hundred in such consolidated district; provided such consolidation results in the erection of a rural high school building with not fewer than four teachers or the addition of at least one room and one teacher as a consequence of the consolidation, to the high school already provided, and resulting in a school of not fewer than four teachers."

You will immediately note that the proposed consolidation would meet the requirements necessary for this bonus. Of course, a new teacher would be added. The Fluvanna school already has a good class-room not in use. A letter from the department states definitely that in case of our adding another teacher and equipping this room, the bonus would be given. It would be well to note that such bonus is provided only during biennium ending August 31, 1927.

The next Legislature may not offer such a bonus. In connection with this there is certain aid for transportation. Note this from Section 9, Bulletin 193, Texas School Laws:

"Consolidated rural schools, formed in accordance with Section 8 of this act (just quoted) which make provision for the transportation of pupils to and from said school at public expense, may be granted from this fund, in addition to the amount provided in Section 8 of this act, a sum equal to one-half the cost of transportation, in amount not to exceed \$500.00 for any one school. As a matter of fact, the district would be eligible for only \$1,000.00 for the first year, since the following is true:

Section 10: "Except as authorized in Sections 8 and 9, no district shall receive a total of more than \$1,000.00 in any one year under the provisions of this act. However, the district would be eligible to receive this amount the second year.

Figures will later be given to show that the tax roll of the districts consolidating would pay for the additional teacher and all the transportation charges. We see, however, that the district would receive considerable aid in the transportation business. The \$1,000.00 bonus offered would buy a new truck and fully equip it so that the safe and regular transportation of the children from the Favors district would be insured. The proposed transportation plan also has this provision. Since it would be necessary to employ another teacher in the consolidated district, a man teacher could be employed. This man, as is done in many consolidated districts, could live in the Favors district and drive the truck back and forth each school day. In this way, all dissatisfaction would be eliminated in so far as trouble or misconduct on the part of school children being brought in to the consolidated school is concerned. When they got on the truck, they would be under the sole charge and control of the teacher driving the truck. Also, think of this fact; since this teacher would live

in this district, he could start early enough to make sure of seeing that every child in the district who came to the consolidated school, was on the truck. A new truck driven by a responsible school man, who had control of the children thereon, would make of this proposed plan an ideal, successful transportation scheme. This plan is working successfully in a score of consolidated districts in Texas already.

Honeycutt Says Road Will Be In Shape.

Probably the next thing which should be mentioned in explaining this proposed consolidation, is the matter of the road. I think that this statement from one of our good citizens and commissioners will suffice. This statement was voluntarily made as he will affirm. Note it:

"I am interested in anything for the betterment of the schools in this county and district. I will guarantee the roads to be passable, not part of the time but all the time, to and from ever district which consolidates with ours."

He has power to do this. Should not we be thankful for such an offer, folks, and take advantage of it? Public-spirited citizens of the type of this man are beginning to get a vision of the possibility of a real school here. Why not all get a vision and join in? Let's make the move a success.

Finally.

Space will not permit of my saying any more at this time. As mentioned, next week I shall try to explain the benefits to all involved of this proposed consolidation. Study the plan for yourself and come to a decision. If you think that such a move is for the best, stand for it against all odds. We should stand for our convictions at all times, and especially at a time when such a move as this is on. Remember that the consolidation sometime back between these two districts was not the same plan as this one. Judge this one on its own merits. This is permanent; the other was temporary. This plan is by election; the other was by the county board. This plan is not a make-shift.

FLUVANNA SCHOOL NOTES.

Those making 90 or above in their school work and who make 95 on department, and are not absent, or tardy over once, are put on our school honor roll. The roll for last week was as follows:

Third Grade—Juanita Landrum, Annie McDonald.

Fourth Grade—Bernice McDonald, J. W. Haynes, Cora Gleghorn.

Fifth Grade—Bud Boren, Lorena Coleman, Inez Beaver, Erlene Morris.

Sixth Grade—Paul Moore, Rosa Marie Clawson, J. T. Beaver, Roxie Lee Holdridge.

Seventh Grade—Pauline Haynes Bro. Moore.

Eighth Grade—Lane Roddy, Burline Boynton, Lloyd Ainsworth.

Ninth Grade—Anna Lee Cowan, Mollie Flournoy, Emma Leta Landrum.

Tenth Grade—Jeta Landrum.

The chapel service was conducted by the seniors Tuesday morning, Jan. 19, which was enjoyed by all. The program consisted of the following numbers:

Song—School.

Duet—Venah Boynton, Angie Reading—Mrs. Moore.

Haynes.

Story—Emma Leta Landrum. Piano Solo—Ruth Truss. Song—School.

School News—Mae Frances Beaver.

Prayer.

A number of visitors were present at this chapel service. They complimented the seniors highly. The school and community is proud of its senior class. They are working hard; they are taking an interest in the school. They are getting to the point that all their worthwhile activities do not have to be directed. This speaks well of any class. Their department record last month averaged almost A.

We are proud of the interest being shown in our school by the visitors. We invite you to visit us anytime.

Miss Sealey's room consisting of seventh and eighth grades will have charge of chapel January 26. Be there.

We are proud of the work being fostered by parent-teachers' association. Join in with them and catch the spirit of interest in the school.

Some of the scholars of the county are planning to go in a body to Snyder for agriculture course, given there on Jan. 25 and 26. Should our school go? What is your opinion?—Reporter.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NOTES.

The Synodical executive secretary of National Missions of the Presbyterian Church, the Rev. Geo. W. Fender, will preach here next Sunday, Jan. 31. All members are urged to be present at the services morning and evening to hear Dr. Fender.

Remember to be present for Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. We wish to begin on time. Will you not co-operate with your superintendent?

HARLAN J. MANLEY, Minister.

JUDGE VARDIMAN DEAD.

Judge J. P. Vardiman, one of the best known citizens of Kent County, died last Monday of paralysis. His remains were buried Tuesday at Clairmont. Many years ago Judge Vardiman practiced law at Jayton, and will be well remembered by many of the older Scurry County residents. He leaves a wife and eight children.

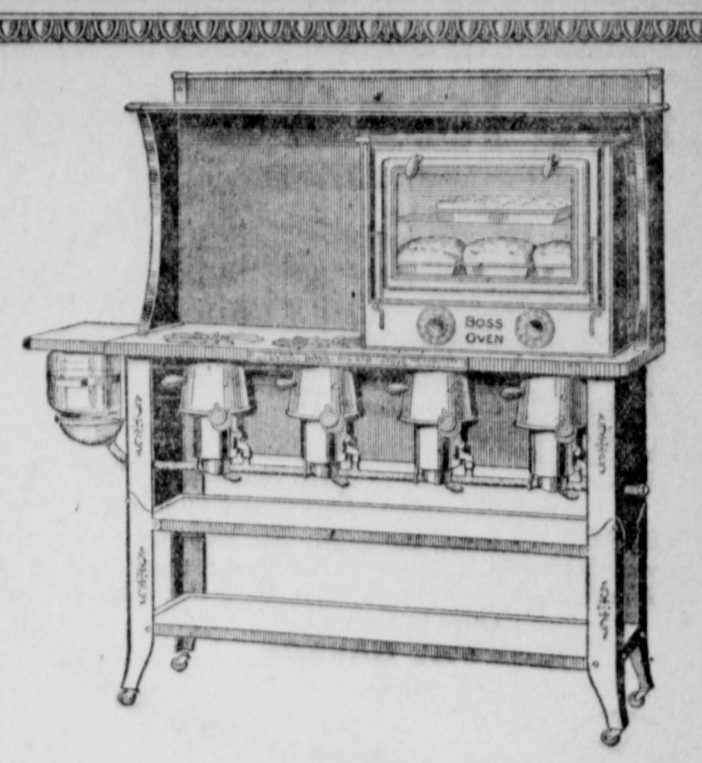
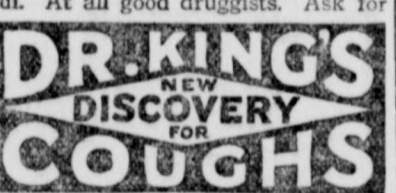


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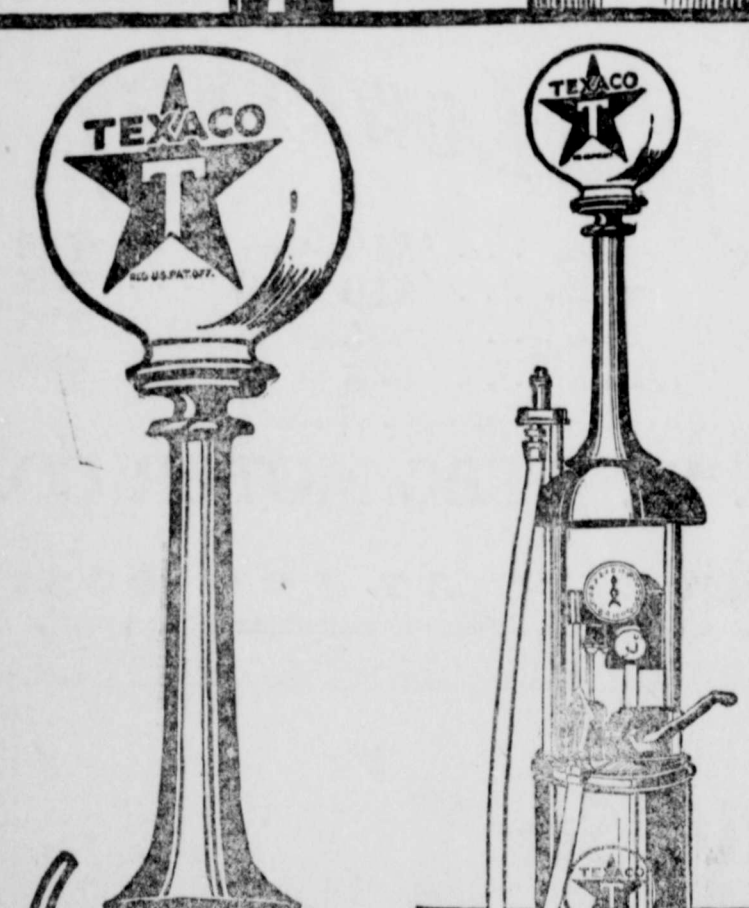


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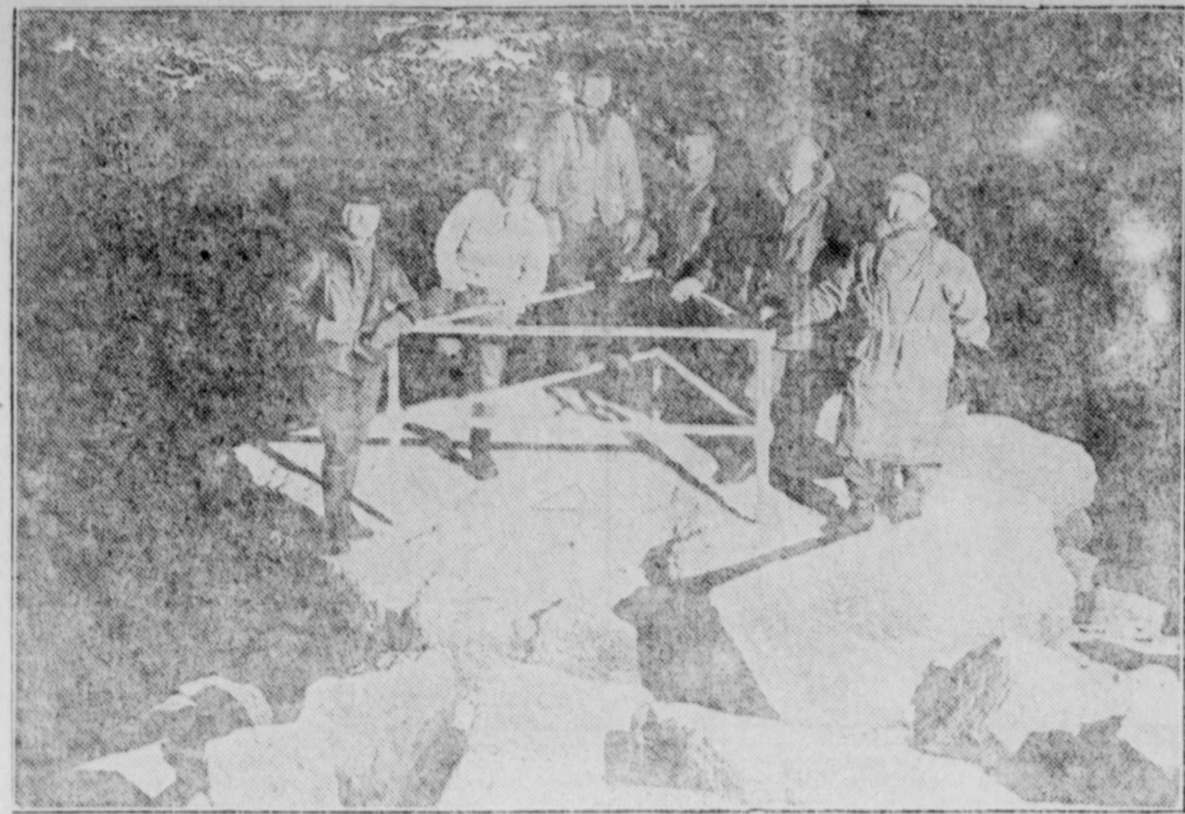
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and the prevalence of sickness, nine members of the Auxiliary No. 1, met at the church on Monday afternoon for a missionary program, with Mrs. Joe Strayhorn as presiding officer. Devotional was conducted by Mrs. E. W. Dodson, who gave interesting comments on the Scripture reading.

Mrs. I. W. Boren then led in the discussion of the day's lesson.

After the lesson, refreshments consisting of pie and hot drinks, were served to the members and also to the members of Auxiliary No. 2 and a pleasant social hour spent.—Supt.—Pub.

MAMIE RUTH ABCRCROMBIE.

Whereas, God in his infinite wisdom, has seen fit to call to himself Mamie Ruth Abercrombie on January 23, 1926, and

Whereas, Mamie Ruth will be missed among her little friends in the Junior Christian Endeavor, in Mrs. S. T. Elza's Sunday School class and among her little school mates,

Whereas, it was said of her, "she is the eldest looking child I ever saw" and her sweet smile will not be forgotten, but will long be an inspiration to us for cheerfulness, and

Whereas, we must realize that God was really for Mamie Ruth and that loving her church and her Christ as she did we may be assured that she is gone to a blessed reward; there be it

BASKET BALL.

Friday, Jan. 18, the Snyder Tigers journeyed to Dunn to play the Owls. The game was fast and hard-fought. Stacy, Tiger forward, was high point man with 16 points. The game was entwined by a friendly (?) fistfight. The final score was 20-23 in favor of Dunn.

Saturday, Jan. 16, Dunn came here to play the Tigers. This game was very fast and hard-fought. Wooley, the running mate of Stacy, took off the high point favors. The Tigers won by the score of 19-24. A professional referee from Burkburnett called the game to the satisfaction of the spectators.

Standing of the Teams—Boys.

Team	W	L	Per.
Snyder	3	2	1.667
Dunn	3	2	1.667
Hermleigh	2	0	2.000
Girls.			
Team	W	L	Per.
Snyder	3	3	0.100
Dunn	3	1	2.333
Hermleigh	2	0	2.000

SIKES.

CHINA GROVE NEWS.

Everybody seems happy after the big snow we have had; guess it will be of benefit to the farmers putting up their land.

Quite a few from different communities were present at the fourth Sunday singing at Valley View Sunday. All reported a nice time.

Bob Bryant and family from Colorado has been visiting with Joe Hirston and family the past week.

Tom Webb's son from Oklahoma has come to spend the winter with him.

Ewell Coles and Miss Thelma Snider attended a forty-two party at Miss Othelma Brazwell's Saturday night.

Mrs. Mat Allen, who has been sick for some time, was taken to the Sweetwater Sanitarium, but is reported some better now.

Grandpa Seale, who has been

AN ODD NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY. Ten members of the AdAmAn Club of Colorado Springs, Colorado, decided that they wanted to spend New Year's Eve in an unusual spot, so they decided to climb to the summit of Pike's Peak, which is a few miles from Colorado Springs, and which is one of the highest peaks in the United States. This photo shows the city of Colorado Springs bathed by moonlight, when the photo was made on New Year's Eve. The Club set off flares to tell Colorado Springs that they were at the top, and a few minutes later their radio receiver announced that the flares on the peak were seen by the residents of Colorado Springs. The temperature was 3 below zero. Photo shows the members of the Club on the top of the peak, where they posed for their photo.

Sea-Sickness Easily Avoided Says This Star

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Elaine Hammerstein Suggests Air Cure.

Many people dread taking trips by boat because of their fear of sea-sickness. According to Elaine Hammerstein this fear should be banished once and for all time.

"It's mostly imagination," said the popular young star. "I don't say that the motion of the boat in rough water doesn't affect certain people in an unpleasant manner, but I do say that usually the wrong methods are followed in dealing with this particular sickness."

"I know there are a hundred ways suggested by as many travelers for overcoming the malady. But I think that I can speak with a little authority having been involved recently in storms that are very far from the usual ones experienced by the average traveler. I studied the situation well while on location for the Columbia feature, 'S. O. S. Perils of the Sea.'"

"Many of the cast felt a slight dizziness after a couple of days, and I don't blame them. Some of the scenes called for real storms and we waited around in rough water until they came along."

"I soon learned that refusing to let yourself be overcome by the sick feeling is a very important thing. I ate sparingly but had lots of fruit. Mr. Robert Elliot, my leading man, followed my advice and for the first time in his life he told me he wasn't ill on the water."

Miss Hammerstein's latest feature, the sea drama, comes to the Cozy Theatre next Saturday. In the supporting cast are William Franey, Pat Harmon, Jean O'Rourke, Frank Alexander and J. C. Fowler.

J. E. Huffman's baby girl is convalescing from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Little Billy Morgan is in bed with a severe case of pneumonia.

Mrs. Ed Martin is on the pony list this week.

Novel Mebane is real sick with something like flu.

We saw quite a number from this community at the short course lecture Monday afternoon. Tuesday, will give a list of those that I saw there: J. T. Biggs and wife, Byron Wren and wife, Henry Moore and wife, D. E. Glover and wife, Ernest Pemberton and family, H. H. Jeffries and family, T. D. Kiker and family, Jim McNamee, Sherman Blakely, J. E. Huffman, John Gail, W. H. Huckaby, A. H. Eastman, L. H. Johnson, who held the lucky ticket for the Radio, Mr. J. W. Ramsey and others whose names we can't recall.

The Sunday Schools were snowed in Sunday and the fourth Sunday is not a regular preaching day at either of the churches.

The snow is on the ground yet, not thawing out very much. It is thought that there will be a good season in the ground when it does get melted. We are all afraid that we will have to go to work.

Well, as the news items got snowed under with everything else, I will go and get the milking done.

—Reporter.

JUNIOR B. Y. P. U., JAN. 31.

Why We Should Believe in Missions.

Song.

Sentence Prayers.

Business.

Song.

Introduction—Weldon Alexander.

God Believes in Mission—Eva Grubb.

God's Book is a Missionary Book—A. C. Alexander, Jr.

Jesus Believes in Mission—Hilda Gene Williamson.

Jesus Was a Missionary—Billie Morrow.

Millions Are Still Lost—Louetta Byrd.

The Lost Cannot Be Saved without Christ. Elaine Upton.

Jesus commands Us to Tell others—Lois Cobb.

Jesus is Depending on Us—Marjorie Smithers.

Poem—He's Counting on You—Othie Upton.

How Can Juniors Be Missionaries now?—Maxine Shuler.

Leader's Ten Minutes.

Sword Drill.

Closing Song and Prayer.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Senior Play.

The Senior class of the Snyder high school will give a play Friday night, Feb. 5, 1926, "The Winning of Latane," is the name of the play. It is a good comedy.

Resolved, That we extend our sympathies to the bereaved mother, father, sister, brothers and aunt, that we bid them look to our Heavenly Father for comfort, who is ever "our refuge and strength and a very present help in trouble, be it further.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family and that a copy be furnished to the Times-Signal for publication.

Signed,

MATTIE E. CLARK,
MRS. S. T. ELZA,
CLARA B. MITCHELL,
Committee.

DR. J. W. HUNT WILL PREACH HERE.

At the Methodist church next Sunday at 11 a. m. Dr. J. W. Hunt, of McMurry College, will preach to the people of Snyder. Dr. Hunt, as the people well know is a speaker of real ability and a great congregation should hear him next Sunday morning.

At 7:15 p. m. the pastor will preach. Two good messages and a hearty welcome at the Methodist church next Sunday. Come to the church of the glad hand next Sunday. You are most cordially invited.

B. W. DODSON, Pastor

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our daughter, Mamie Ruth.

JOHN ABCRCROMBIE AND FAMILY.

CHANGE IN PREACHING DATES.

I will preach at the Turner schoolhouse every 4th Sunday and Sunday night instead of the 3rd as heretofore, and at Canyon every 1st Sunday and Sunday night, and at Knapp the 2nd Sunday and Sunday night.

J. W. McGAHA.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY—METHODIST.

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may not always tell the owner that he has half and half or similar variety, because they buy it all on that basis anyway; and usually it is better diplomacy on the buyer's part to keep the owner in a "good humor anyway—even tell him he has "good staple" to get that result. But never-the-less if they are qualified cotton men they know half and half cotton or it's crosses and relatives when they see the samples.

The second objection is, that it reduces the price of lint by producing more lint to the acre than most other cotton. What we want and need is a smaller crop of lint and better lint. Of course the best way to reduce total yield would be to reduce acreage, but as long as it seems we cannot do that we must use all other practicable means of cutting lint production. As one of them, let us cut out planting Half and Half.

We need a high type and an uniform type of cotton in the Snyder territory so that we may have a better name and get a better price for it. Big Springs and Colorado attained some degree of success in this direction, but we can get together and work together in Snyder and beat what they have done. Let's do it.

I want to ask our county demonstrator Carmichael, the Chamber of Commerce of Snyder and everybody else to discuss, agitate and advertise this proposition continually. Then call a mass-meeting of farmers at Snyder where we might farm an association or otherwise pledge ourselves to plant one good variety of cotton over the county and leave out half-and-half and kindred types. It seems to me there is no bigger field for our county demonstrator to serve us than to take a lead in this matter. After thorough agitation call a mass-meeting of farmers or farmers and business men, pass resolutions there to cut out planting half-and-half, and thereafter keep the agitation up and enforce it. What do you say, Carmichael? Yours for a uniform and better cotton in Scurry County.

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