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SNOW is surely the wine of the angels, whose chiefest virtue is purity.

Snow must be, also, the cordial of some of the mothers I know. I say addressed to Southern farmers, so, because snow is willing to lose the identity of its perfect flakes in order heart by Scurry County, believes the to feed the ambitions of fields and Chamber of Commerce, bankers, coun-

nourishment of God's love.

Snow assuredly was on Mount nai when Moses received the Ten Commandments, else he could not have translated them to us so purely

I imagine that death in a snow- a full supply of good seed. ... His Great White Throne.

makes me love my fellow man more price," the Board declares, and myself less.

terday.

are to be trusted. By there's one states not only to diversify and grow Little Pat Bellock plays the plaincase right here in Snyder where the food and forage crops, but to limit tiff's part, while gigantic Jake Smyth men can run them, and how many getting a small amount of credit.

The Parent-Teacher Association is putting on a play tonight whereby See COTTON ACREAGE, Page 8 funds will be raised to help install a cafeteria for Snyder's public schools. The men are just actors—that's at! You will want to see "The Womanless Divorce Case,"

You will get almost 120 minutes of solid laughs, which will be worth twice the admission price. But, more than that, you will be helping to install a modern department into local schools that will save time, money

and patience. Contract for the addition was let Wednesday by the P-T A officials.

the subject at hand: But isn't it Wednesday noon in the dining room funny that we call the organization of the Manhattan Hotel. Three banveal that "Mother"-Teacher Associa- Snyder and several guests. tion would be a more appropriate line. \* \* \*

will tell you so.

thing over 12,000 acres of land ter- accordion, also appeared on the musi- A. G. Eiland when the accident ocraced, is neither the most-terraced cal program, following two songs by curred. Mrs. Falls and three of the county in the state nor in West the men present. Two entertaining children received minor bruises and Texas, as a state dispatch would lead readings were given by Miss Martha cuts. They were treated at the folks to believe.

The Howard County reporter probably made a mistake when he made such a statement. His error gives me an opportunity to crow a bit over Seurry County's terraced acres. Judge Horace Holley is authority for the statement that more than 65,000 acres of land have already been terraced in this county, and that more than 10,000 more acres will be terraced through official agencies, exclusive of private terracing projects in 1930.

If the Howard County news story was even half correct, Scurry County must have the most terraced land of any county in the state. I guess I'd better not make such a rash statement, though, until I get some statistics on the subject.

When "Dad" Short and those other fellows get here in two weeks to put "We can all really look forward with over another terracing program, maybe I'll have enough figures at hand to make Scurry County terracing stock go up several points in the minds of its strongest advocates.

#### **Jack Winsett Draws Full House to Church**

Many persons were turned away from the First Baptist church Sunday night, when Rev. Jack Winsett,

in the Old World. The crowd included people from and, now at the Palace Theatre. her six-month-old bull pup, which to underbrush. They had called and all parts of the county and several She nearly did faint when the run-her was companion all-sufficient, was waved lanterns and flashlights. Some was found four miles from home . . . Palace Monday as

## Less Acreage to Cotton 1930 Plea

Reduce the cotton acreage! That warning, issued early this week by the Federal Farm Board, is

The warning should be taken to ty agent, and others interested in the welfare of the county's farmers. To price several cents within two or three o'clock.

I think the white crown of glory every farmer in the county who is by the Parent-Teacher Association is as they should be finished. Men and ou The heads of many old people I now relying on uncertified seed could that it moves too fast and furious for boys will be shown how to use the know must be snow, with its cold purchase at least enough to plant a folks to get their breath between farm levels and where to start terdestroyed by the warmth of human few acres in long staple, so that by laugh spasms. the year following they would have The school cafeteria, for which containing to terraces.

to end this life. Then I would be is another bit of advise given South the play. Homer Springfield is di- with a level is asked to bring it to paid to the renter of the city farm. andst God's greatest symbol of pureern farmers by the Federal Farm rector, with Mrs. Hugh Taylor, presite the school and gef it adjusted, and on the disposal plant property, it was ity, which must be the material of Board. "If Southern farmers should dent of the P.T. A. in the manager's assist in showing others how to use decided. Twenty per cent of the next raise their own food and feed and, in role. Rain bulls me and pleases the sense addition to that should raise the food Just to keep your mind limbered of land in Scurry County to be ter- the city furnishing the equipment. of rhythm in my soul; wind terrifies that Southern city people eat so far up concerning the all-star cast-take raced, and hundreds of applications

tude of the government Board:

ous to reduce the cotton acreage in der.

Starting the year off with a meeting full of spirit and interest, the Not that it has much to do with Business Men's Luncheon Club met

HOWARD COUNTY is a great the session. Miss Eula Pearl Forgu- Christian church. county. Even its inhabitants son rendered several piano numbers Mr. and Mrs. Falls and their six while the men partook of their noon- children were returning to their home But Howard County, with some day meal. F. T. Wilhelm, with his after a visit in Snyder with Mrs. Gray. Judge Horace Holley was con- Emergency Hospital. scripted into service on his harmonica; his numbers were breakdowns

of other days. Several of those present spoke on V. A. Teacher Goes the oil prospects and past developments in Scurry County. H. J. Brice and O. P. Thrane were speakers on more than 13 per cent of the area of Lubbock last week. the county is under lease to the Mag-

nolia Petroleum Company. look for 1930," was conservatively ture department. system of banks is on a firm basis, discussed. courage, get down to work and pull through the crisis nicely," he stated. Little Miss Fowler Starts Out to See the Towle, Snyder business man, who is in a Lubbock hospital, for the club. S. C. Ross of Hermleigh and J. M. Hill of San Antonio were club guests.

#### Real Runaway Seen In New Palace Film

"Cowboy Preacher" from Abilene, faint when her old western wagon she would go out into the world and leigh and Camp Springs. lectured on the Holy Land as he figured in a runaway during the investigate. presented motion pictures of scenes filming of "The Wagon Master," She wasn't bothered with a car The searchers had climbed hills and way, discovering America, if you Universal picture starring Ken May- or with other grown-up things. Only beat through the gullies and scant please.

from other counties. Rev. W. F. away developed into the real thing. her escort on the New, Year's Day of them had gone to their homes for for 1930 Misses are healthy creatures. Schildkraut's first picture since Falls is visiting with Miss Polly Mer-Ferguson, pastor, expressed himself The runaway was staged over a tour.

# **DIVORCE CASE**

quality cotton, and thus increase the torium this (Friday) night at eight er either horses or farm tractors,

tract has already been let, will be Every man that can ran a level is Utilities Company, joined. storm would be the most perfect way Raising of their own food and feed the beneficiary of all proceeds from urged to be present, and every man

> itt, W. F. Cox, Dr. J. G. Hicks, Joe in the county. The Federal Farm Board is anxi- Stinson, Roy Strayhorn and Carl Yo-

ist's role. formers include Willard Jones, Otis place of meeting. Carter, M. Y. Lewis, Jimmy Smith, and Jones & Son. Thirty high school boys will compose a flapper chorus.

Music will be furnished by the c'clock. Admission prices will be 15 cents for grade school students, ents for adults.

## Persons Injured as

A new Ford sedan, in which Edunder question the "Parent"-Teacher quet tables were filled to capacity by win Falls and family of Ira were Association. Attendance records re the business and professional men of rading, and a Chevrolet coupe, driven M. Y. Lewis, secretary-treasurer. Mr. consumed about half of the time of 10 o'clock at the corner by the First will be made at the next Wednesday assist.

The cars were slightly damaged.

the subject. Mr. Thrane declared J. P. Jamison, vocational agricult it is necessary for the convenience of that proof of big companies' faith ture insrtuctor in the Snyder high the people to have a hatchery here. in the future oil program of Seurcy school, attended the South Plains The experience our people had last County is evidenced by the fact that district meet of vocational men is year of dealing with concerns out of

were present and a very interesting put this machinery here.

## STATE MEN TO HOLD TERRACE SCHOOLS HERE

On January 23 M. R. Bentley, ag-It's lucky for Snyder folks that the program. In addition to these men ment shows a profit of several thou-I think snow must be the manual the warning is added a plea to raise et a sold estre will be some machinery demission the warning is added a plea to raise et a sold estre will be some machinery demission the warning is added a plea to raise et a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning is added a plea to raise et a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning is added a plea to raise et a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning is added a plea to raise et a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning is added a plea to raise et a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning is added a plea to raise et a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning is added a plea to raise et a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning is added a plea to raise et a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning is added a plea to raise et a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning is added a plea to raise et a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning is added a plea to raise et a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning is added a plea to raise et a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning at a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning at a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning at a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning at a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning at a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning at a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning at a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning at a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning at a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning at a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning at a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the warning at a sold estre will be some machinery demission to the wa of the Israelites, tinetured with the a longer staple product next year, so wise, they'd Lurn up with laughter onstrators showing what the Martin street and bridge fund, and the sink- J. P. Jamison, local vocational teach- temperature, which ranged around that the county may again become when they see "The Womanless Di-ditcher and the Corsicana grader can ing fund are in good shape with each er in Snyder high school. recognized as a producer of a high vorce Case" at the high school audi- do building terraces, with farm pow- balances,

> The only trouble with the sensa- the right way, and with the least Snyder News. It is pointed out that practically tional comedy drama being presented amount of work to really finish them

same. There are thousands of acres clerk. Juresses include W. C. Ham- more in the county. There should be The following article in Monday's ilton, J. M. Claunch, H. L. Davis, at least two levels and five men train-I am glad it snowed in Snyder yes- Star-Telegram summarizes the atti- S. A. Larne, Henry Brice, A. C. Preu- ed to run them in every community

THE WOMEN usually get the South during the coming season | Hon. Warren Dodson is attorney the courthouse, and everyone will see more than their share of and has issued a statement urging for the plaintiff, while Hon. W. N. actual terraces built from beginning credit, if my bachelor ideas the farmers in the cotton growing Corry will plead the defendant's case. to end. What about your communwomen are doing a lot of work and their cotton planting to land which will be the defendant. Harvey Shu- will plan to be on hand January 23

## high school band from 7:30 until 8 Dodson as President

The attorney will succeed Prof. C. Baze, sergeant-at-arms, Wedgeworth, who has occupied the The executive committee is com-

Harris, second vice president; and ren Dodson, O. M. Latimer. luncheon at the Manhattan Hotel,

## Hermleigh to Start

The Hermleigh Herald has this to planned for the Scurry County town: raises the total to \$3.25 for the year. After thinking and planning for town with the inconvenience of it. About 25 district representatives has in part induced Mr. Tucker to

Suyder National Bank, who had been speaker being C. L. Davis, state su- in one of the Harris buildings for- to a Dallas News estimate. assigned the subject "Financial Out- pervisor in the vocational agricul- merly occupied by the Louder real estate and the Herald offices. This growing people of this community.

## CITY COMES TO **CLOSE OF YEAR**

Reports of City Secretary A. C. centural engineer of the A. & M. Prenitt to the city council in its regextension service, and A. K. (Dad) plar monthly meeting Monday night Short, of the Federal Land Bank at show that Snyder finances were in Houston, will assist County Agent excellent condition at the close of W. O. Logan in an all-day terracing 1929. The sewer and water depart-

Terraces will be laid off and built, standing will be given in next week's

and light plant franchise to Glean council, following a discussion district manager of the Texas Public

profits will also go to the renter, with lavor of the poultry course in his in Thursday's Abilene Reporter-News

The report of P. M. Bolin, building me, and tells me of the Creator's as the climate and soil will let them, a look: Rev. W. F. Ferguson plays for such work on file in the county inspector, for the year 1929 shows might; sleet angers me, for it is slick there would be small danger of any the judge's part. Dwight Monroe is agent's office. Every farm level should fhat Snyder permits totaled \$151,150. and treacherous and dull; snow cotton surplus or of an unprofitable the bailiff, and J. S. Bradbury is the be busy, and there should be many Eight thousand dollars of this figure as December permits. 4.

# has served as temporary chairman as long as interest is shown.

the fall. Warren Dodson was named presi- president; J. M. Bannister, second gestions. 25 cents for high school students, 35 dent of the Business Men's Luncheon vice president; A. C. Prenitt, adju-Club for the coming year at its first tant; W. W. Hull, finance officer; meeting of the year Wednesday noon. Roy Hendricks, historian; A. B. Make League Plans

Cars Collide Sunday central chair for nearly four years. posed of Harrie Winston, A. C. Preu-Other officers elected were: A. A. itt. Walla D. Fish, J. E. Sentell, Bullock, first vice president; Jack W. R. Johnson, Lee T. Stinson, War-

J. E. Sentell is chairman of the by Allen Stephens of the Nin R Lewis succeeds H. J. Brice as scribe, service committee. Warren Dodson, A program of spice and variety reach, collided Sunday night about Installation of the new officials R. L. Howell and J. E. Lemond will

posed of A. B. Baze and Sterlin A. ney will be held early in February.

On the social committee are L. T. Chick Hatchery Soon Stinson, W. P. King, W. D. Fish and in March, were also made at the spe Thomas A. Kennard.

Dues for the year were set at S1 say of a new hatchery which is being which, with national and state dues Gus Rosenberg, past post commanseveral months, R. B. Tucker known der of the Brownwood Post, who visto everyone as "Ginner Tucker," has ited at the meeting, gave some helpdecided to put a small hatchery in ful suggestions. The new comman-Legion stands.

new member.

case eggs, poultry-dressing and eggbreaking plants are paying Texas

Sam Jenkins returned to Lamesa optimistic for financial prospects. He Plans for sponsoring judging teams new machinery for hatching will be Wednesday morning after a short brought word that the federal reserve to go to Lubbock in March were an added convenience to the pourtry visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

The small daughter of Mr. and as the afternoon sun began to tell | Crying? Not she, She peered Mrs. A. C. Fowler ,living five miles high-noon good-bye. south of Camp Springs, had seen only Neighbors were called to the scene smiled at her rescuers. two New Years.

. . Then men from adjoining com- | Cold? Not after the faithful pup So, when the first Sunday noon of munities who did not know the Fow- had burrowed out a bed for her, 1930 dawned bright and clear and lers . . . At last a posse of 400 or where sleep must have come during Edith Roberts was called upon to warm, the little Miss decided that more, from Rotan and Snyder, Herm- the night.

rest and food, intending to return Little Miss Fowler will see many, "Show Boat," he again proves his rell.

over the edge of a protecting rock and

All night the search continued seeing the world in her two-year-old "Rayenal" of "Show Boat," as the ed grain have been mixed by Mr. Hill

## Old Man Winter Back on the Job

## **CANYON HEARS**

The first meeting was held last has gone up several points, A detailed report of the city's 1929 Thursday night, and a good crowd of Scurry County awoke Wednesday meeting that they might gain more temperature gave a slick surface unknowledge on poultry production.

ng, housing, breeding, incubation, in- this time, reports indicate. try products will be discussed.

ommunity and is anxious for his indicates: has a good farm shop in connection to Austin. the boys in the shop.

A number of lessons were given in Tuesday from a fractured skull has produced an average of at least ler is the plaintiff's mother, while all day and see and learn as much as mander of the Will Layne Post No.

M. Y. Lewis unrayels the manicure possible about the best construction 181 of the American Legion for 1930 days under the direction of Mr. The reported authoring from the cold. The of terraces? Watch next week's pa- when the veterans of Scurry County mison and County Agent W. O. Lo- winter grape is this section when said Songsters and other special per- pers for further announcements and met in the Chamber of Commerce gan on poultry and feeding of dairy to be practically destroyed by the hall Sunday afternoon in the first cows. The lessons will be taken op freeze, session of the year. Mr. Winston again in the near future and continued West Texas Coaches and all fly-

since re-organization of the post in In these discussions and lessons on Texas," various phases of farm interests, the C. Metz Heald, Taylor Councy 'public is cordially invited to attend Year are: L. T. Stinson, first vice and offer your experiences and sug- ley, already seriously damaged by dry

## In Snyder Saturday

The executive committee of the county Interscholastic Leave met Saturday afternoon in the courthouse following the monthly teachers session. E. H. McCarter of Fluvanna,

director, was in charge. It was decided that the boys' and girls' basketball eliminations would Melvin Newton heads the member- be held separately instead of togethship committee, which is also com- er, as in former years. This tour-

Tentative plans for the Interscholastic League meet, to be held late cial meeting.

#### Many Farmers Say **Green Pastures Pay**

"Sweet clover was green in late To Lubbock Meeting Hermleigh. The demand for this der gave a talk on carrying on the summer when other pastures were service has become so enormous that principles for which the American dried up, and cut my feed bill half in two," said W. B. Sims, dairyman of tinue with the new firm, with Mr. O. M. Latimer was received as a Bethel community, near Waxahachie. Eager in the manager's role. He "I can produce butterfat three to five, cents per pound cheaper while I have Exclusive of live shipments and sweet clover pasture," said George number of Abilene and other West Bohner of Olton, Lamb County, Another fellow from Jones County add-Vice President O. P. Thrane of the program was given, the principal The new hatchery will be located farmers \$15,000,000 a year, according ed that his sweet clover was green and furnishing some grazing after a pleasing business during its stay sudan dried up.

> Several hundred demonstraters from all parts of Texas have found out that an acre of sudan grass per cow enables them to produce milk and Prairie Dog Man Is cream at almost half price compared to ordinary pasture and dry feed.

Crop planning time is drawing near -and if these thoughts are worth while, some acres will be used for feed and grazing, where livestock and World, But 400 Men Get on Her Trail feed and grazing, where livestock and poultry furnishes the pay days and food for the family, believes County Agent W. O. Logan.

## Schlidkraut Stars in

Frightened? Not when she was establish Joseph Schildkraut, the most romantic personage at present on the south plains in the concerted on the screen. In "The Mississippi drive against the animals. Ferguson, pastor, expressed himself as being well pleased at the hearty reception given the visitor.

The Union Chapel B. V. P. U. presented a playlet called "The Three Visitors" preceding Rev. Winsett's preceding Rev. Winsett's program.

It wasn't long nutil the child was staged over a tour.

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After more than three weeks of dry, spring-like weather, Snyder and Scurry County were given a deathgrip at the hands of Old Man Winter early this week-a grip which leaves coat of whiteness and a belowfreezing temperature as The News goes to press Thursday.

An evening school has been organ- Patches of sunshine dotted the the 20-degree mark for three days,

ladies and gentlemen was present, morning to find a coat of sleet on its They voiced a continuation of the fields and streets, to which the low til an inch and a half snow fell Weil-The course will consist of 10 or 12 nesday night. Parts of the county ssens in poultry. The calling, feed- were visited by light snows before

cets, brooding, diseases of poultry. Several cars have been overturne! After a series of lessons, the market- on the slick streets and highways, but ng and grading of poultry and poul- no serious injuries have been report-

Mr. Harris, the local superinten- The cold wave has been general i. dent of Canyon school, is heartily all of Texas, as the following account

patrons to avail themselves of this Winter weather of the new year, oportunity to learn more about farm which made its descent upon West. poultry production. Canyon is for North and North Central Texas Tuestunate in having a man like Mr. Har- day, continued Wednesday night to ris to head their school system. He grip the state with ice from Amarillo

with his school, and his boys are Sleet, snow and rain, freezing as it outting out some work which is a fell, were reported from many poin's redit to the community. And the over a wide area, with traffic on highhome economics department, headed ways and airways practically tied up. by Mrs. Harris, will dog credit to One death in West Texas was inmany schools with three times her directly attributed to the ice. B. D. enrollment. Most all the equipment De Briest, fireman for the Santa Fo. in this department has been made by railway who shaped from the top of his ice conted engine at Coleman, died

ing schedules were cancelled in West

weather, have been almost completely ruined by the sub-freezing tempera-

Some livestock loss was feared on the staked plains where snow and sleet formed a thick, hard covering, The sleet in the Panhandle turned to snow Wednesday. Minimum temperature recorded for the state was at Pampa, where the therm registered 10 degrees Tuesday. A crust of frozen sleet covered the

#### Howard Dry Goods Leaves for Abilene

with mercury hovering near 20 and

lower South Plains area Wedn

below in the vicinity of Lamesa.

The Howard Dry Goods Company moved late last week to Abilene, where the local stock was combined with another stock to form a firm that will operate under the same

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Eager, who have conducted the Snyder store since its establishment here, will conwill be associated there, as here, with Mr. Howard, who is interested in a

Mr. Eager stated before he left Saturday that the store had enjoyed in Snyder, and that only a larger field in Abilene tempted him to leave,

## Working in County

J. M. Hill of San Antonio, representative of the United States Biological Survey, has been in Scurry County for several days assisting County Agent W. O. Logan and farmers who are interested in the extermination of

prairie dogs. The prairie dog, Mr. Hill states is one of the most destructive of small animals to growing crops of any to be All-Talking Picture | found in the country. He has been sent here to help curb their inroads Just one starring role sufficed to on farmers of this section.

More than 27,000 pounds of poison-

President, Mrs. C. R. Buchanan.

Ladies' Aid.

Meetings: Second and fourth

Mondays in each month, 2:30

p. m. President, Mrs. S. T. Elza.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.

Victory.

Meetings: Second Wednesdays

Meetings: Third Friday eve-

nings in each month. President.

Friendly Helpers.

Meetings: Last Thursday in

ach month. President, Mrs. L. T.

in each month. President, Mrs.

Crusaders.

#### DIRECTORY AND CALENDAR FOR CLUBS OF SNYDER

Object: Closer cooperation be- Allen Warren. tween town and rural women. Meetings: The second Saturday in each month at courthouse, 3 p. m. Club sponsors a woman's exchange each Saturday afternoon in the Snyder News office. President, Mrs. W. W. Hamilton.

SAN SOUCI.

Object: Pleasure. Meetings: struments. Meetings: First Wed-Second and fourth Fridays in each nesday in each month. President, month. President, Mrs. Forest Mrs. A. C. Preuitt. Instructor: Sears.

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S CLUB.

plished: Better Business Women Meetings: Third Thursday evefor a Better Business World, ning in each month at the high Meetings: First and third Tues- school auditorium. President, day evenings in each month. Mrs. Mrs. Hugh Taylor. C. R. Buchanan, president.

THURSDAY NIGHT BRIDGE CLUB.

T. Raybon, president.

MOTHER'S SELF CULTURE

Tuesdays in each month. Presi- Jenuary 10. President, Mrs. dent, Mrs. B. M. West.

TWENTIETH CENTURY

Texas and varied programs. Meet- with January 7. President, Mrs. ings: Alternate Tuesdays begin- R. H. Curnutte.

COUNTY FEDERATION. | ning January 7. President, Mrs.

EL FELIZ CLUB.

Object: Pleasure. Meetings: Alternate Fridays beginning with January 17. President, Mrs. L. T. Stinson.

MUSICAL COTERIE.

Course of study: Musical in-J. W. Crowley.

PARENT-TEACHERS.

Object: Close ecoperation between the teachers and parents.

ALPHA STUDY CLUB. Course of study, art and dramatics; also varied programs. Object: Pleasure. Meetings: Meetings: Second and fourth Alternate Thursday evenings. W. Tuesdays in each month. President, Mrs. J. E. Sentell.

ALTRURIAN CLUB. CLUB.

Course of study: Foreign arts.
dramatics, music and sculpture.
Meetings: Second and fourth

Course of study: Shakespeare's

Julius Ceasar and History of
Western Literature.

Meetings: Second and fourth

Alternate Fridays beginning with Joe Caton.

SINE CURE CLUB.

Object: Pleasure. Meetings: Course of study: Legends of Alternate Tuesdays beginning

#### Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hicks Entertain.

ning when Mr. and Mrs. Hicks and home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Raybon. months \$78.50. esses to a company of their friends. lunches served by the hostesses.

passed to the gentlemen, indicating evening were Misses Brentz Ander- garments, 10; hours of nursing, 6. made there that the dining table Joe Jenkins and Beverly Chambers. should be relieved of its burden of tempting viands. Plates were piled high with turkey and all the contrib Victory Class Meets utory foods that enter into the mak- With Mrs. Avary. ing of a savory feast, while the couples repaired with them to the living room to find their places at prettily appointed tables. Return trips to the W. E. Doak and E. F. Wicker, en-Others make a sum of \$2 100 per dining room to replenish empty plates tertained the Victory Sunday School cent pupils from a total attendance Entertained Monday. evidenced the appreciation of the cul- Class of the Methodist Church Wed- of 213.

Later the tables were cleared and many delightful games of bridge and forty-two were played, while the radie which Santa Claus had brought contributed a full share of entertain-

The guest list included the followtell, O. P. Thrane, J. G. Hicks, C. R. Buchanan; Misses Loyce Clark, Hattie and Gertrudo Herm; and Homer Springfield.

#### W. M. S. Holds Business Meeting.

A business meeting was held Monday afternoon by the Woman's Mis- Guests were Mmes. Cal Wright and mas, and a Christmas tree was had sionary Society of the Methodist H. B. Winston. church. Mrs. R. H. Odom was chairman of the meeting, and various plans for the new year's work were dis- Alathean Class Meets

Study books on the subject, "Hn- In Day Home. man Needs," were ordered, and the ladies are very enthused over the loeal work that is to be carried on by Melvin Neel and B. M. West, enter- the class quartet, composed of Mmes. the society.

#### Mrs. L. T. Stinson Hostess to El Feliz.

Members and guests of the El Feliz Club were entertained by Mrs. L. T.

A pretty color scheme of red and Year's decorations. Dainty plate favors were pieces of evergreen foliage.

the hostesses served a delicious refreshment course to Mmes. H. J. Brice; W. H. Cauble, A. J. Cody, Com Ezell, G. A. Hagan, C. W. Harless, C. C. Higgins, W. M. Scott, H. M. Blackard, A. C. Preuitt, C. J. understand, but we are here to play Yoder, R. H. Curnutte, P. C. Che- it, and now is our time."

for lack of room, should have a long green vegetable coloring. The jelly ence for Cuban heels for campus footpillow between them, separating them, will be enjoyed with lamb.

nault and R. L. Gray.

#### Misses Raybon Give Slumber Parties.

At seven-thirty slips of paper were Miss Roberta's guests on Saturday letters of cheer, 4; flowers given, 16; moderate oven 10 or 12 minutes.

Mrs. J. P. Avary, assisted by Mmes.

During the business session, the following report was made: Thirtynine visits to sick and strangers had been made, three bouquets sent, six bership during the three months. garments made and four trays sent.

Poems appropriate for each month telephone calls, 133. of the year and which were sent to J. C. Dorwood. Flower and picture contests afforded much entertainment

The hostesses served delicious re-

Mrs. Lum Day, assisted by Mmes. tained members of the Mathean Sun Marion Newton, Earl Henry, Melvin day school class of the First Baptist Newton and J. E. Sented favored the church Thursday afternoon at the class with an appropriate number. home of Mrs. Day.

After the business session, the hostesses served a delicious luncheon to Ladies Aid Meets the following members: Mmes. S. J. Casstevens, C. T. Glenn, I. A. Grif-Stinson Friday afternoon in her love-J. B. Pierce, W. R. McFarland, O. Randolph, T. J. Shaw, J. B. Tag green was earried out in the New gerd, E. L. Tare J. O Spear, Coy Watkins, W. G. Williams, J. S. Bradbury, W. B. Hampton and O. S. W.I Forty-two games were enjoyed and liamson. Mrs. W. R. Wren was a

#### Play Your Part.

David Starr Jordan says: "Today J. C. Derwood, A. E. Wiese, R. S. is your day and mine; the only day Snow, George Northeutt, members; we have; the day in which to play Mmes. O. Randolph, Tom Boren, W. our part. What our part may sig-W. Hamilton, Camp. I. A. Griffin, nify in the great world we may not

Flavor a few glasses of your apple dressy oxfords instead of sandals for Children who must sleep together jelly with mint extract and color with afternoon, and are showing a prefer-

#### Mrs. Hagan Hostess To Sine Cure Club.

Mrs. G. A. Hagan was hostess to the Sine Cure Club Tuesday after- garnish for lamb chops. Slice whole

High score prizes for bridge games were awarded to Mmes. Dixie Smith

Lee, Wayne Boren, O. P. Thrane, W. D. Beggs, T. L. Lollar, Joe Stinson and Ivan Dodson, guests.

#### Euzelian Class Gives Quarterly Report.

ing committees gave reports as fol- slicing if you like.

ued at \$20 given to a needy family. Apples valued at \$1 given to two families where there were children. Medicine obtained from city fund and taken to a home where there was sickness. Collection of clothing

November - Thanksgiving dinner given to a worthy family valued at \$8. Dinner to a sick family valued at \$1.50. Stove given to a poor family valued at \$6.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. James Misses Roberta and Evelyn Raybon ued at \$28. A gift of \$5 given to well mixed, add the oats and salt. Ralph Hicks was a delightful hospi- entertained with slumber parties Fri- city fund for Christmas cheer. Total Melt the butter or butter substitute

> Sundays; Mrs. G. H. Leath, 100 per | cent for five Sundays; Mrs. Charles Noble, 100 per cent for four Sundays. Senior A Class

inary accomplishments of the host nesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. The officers met in 10 weekly busimembers were enrolled in active mem- anan.

Visits in interest of the class, 52;

West, Ray McFarland, Allen Warren, the class officers and teachers. The W. J. Ely, Joe Strayhorn, Mary class held a love feast at Nora Sen- Buchanan. Banks, Sed Harris, Walter Merrell tell's with 28 members present. The and Charles Lewis, class members. class room was decorated for Christat the class room the Sunday before Christmas, at which time the class members exchanged gifts.

The recent contest closel and the losers will entertain with a part Monday night, January 13, at the

home of Mrs. Wraymon I Sims, After the business was transacted

## With Mrs. Boren.

Mrs. Tom Boren was hostess to church Monday afternoon at her

An enjoyable social hour was spent and delicious refreshments were served by the hostess to about 16 mem-

Unwrap meat as soon as it is delivered, and place on a clean plate in the coldest part of the refrigerator. A piece of parchment paper may be loosely laid across the top of the meat but not wrapped around it.

#### Sensible Heels.

College girls are now adopting

#### NEW RECIPES

Fried Oranges.

Grilled oranges make an unusual and cook as you do grilled tomatoes. Chicken Pie.

Cook a fat hen until tender. Take meat from bone and put in pan in-The hostess served delicious re-tended for use. Put in sufficient stock freshments to Mmes. J. M. Harris, in which chicken was cooked to rise Albert Norred, A. D. Erwin, W. B. nearly to top of meat. Make short biscuit dough and put on top (never Dixie Smith, R. H. Curnutte, Ernest in bottom) and bake in hot oven. Taylor, Fritz R. Smith, members; Make gravy out of remainder of stock Mmes, J. G. Hicks, Wayne Williams, and serve as quickly as pie is baked. 20th Century Club Standing injures the crust.

American Rarebit With Deviled Eggs. One-half pound cheese, one-half one tablespoon butter, one can to- lesson. The Euzelian class of the Baptist mato soup (if tomato flavor's desired, Sunday school held its regular busi- otherwise use two cups milk for liness session January 2, at the home quid). Shred the cheese with a fork, home each day-how would I use of Mrs. J. E. Sentell, with Mmes. Mix flour, mustard, and seasonings, it?" Mrs. I. A. Griffin discussed Olfie Bruton and Willard Jones as Melt butter, add seasonings and eith- Jean Lafitte, Man and Pirate. A joint hostesses. Twenty-four mem- er soup or milk. Stir until smooth. legend, The Uneasy Ghost of Lafitte, bers answered roll call with New Add the cheese. Stir until melted, was told by Mrs. Ollie Bruton. Mrs. Year's resolutions. The business sest then add sliced cooked eggs. Pour Richard Webb gave a talk on Lafitte sion was conducted by the president, over crackers or hot toast and serve lore, and a legend of Theodore Al-Mrs. Clyde Boren, in which all stand- at once. Eggs may be deviled before liston was told by Mrs. Joe Stray-

Spoon Bread. Two cups cornmeal, two and onea whole, by Mrs. Guy Lemond-- half cups boiling water, two tablespoons melted butter, one and one-half tenspoons salt, two eggs, one and onehalf cups buttermilk, one teaspoon soda. Mix water and cornmeal and bring to the boiling point and cook five minutes. Beat eggs well and add valued at \$10 given to a family of Beat well and bake in a well greased pan for 25 minutes in a hot oven. Serve from the same dish with spoon. Enough for six.

One egg, one cup rolled oats, on December Box of toys sent to tablespoon butter, one-half cup brown our part of the box was 75 gifts val- add the sugar and when these are Banks.

100 per cent for 10 Sundays; Mones. gether, chop in butter, add enough sie Brackeen. George Northeutt and J. P. Jamison, milk to make a soft dough and the 100 per cent for seven Sundays: ground cheese. Drop on a buttered Mmes. Clyde Boren, J. M. Harris, tin from a tablespoon. This recipe

Miss Effie McLeod was hostess at ness meetings and all absentees were a party given for the Snyder high reported every week and either called Senior A class Monday evening at or visited. Seven inactive and new the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Buch-

Forty-two games were enjoyed during the evening and the hostess, assisted by Miss Joe Hailey and Mrs. Second vice president reported -- Buchanan, served a lovely two-course ing: Messrs, and Mmes, J. E. Sen- the class by a former member, Mrs. Committee cleaned and made the class plate lunch to the following guests Lloyd Thompson, were read by Mrs. reem more attractive. Five quarter and members of the class: Misses ne ctings were held warch were social Hazel Cauble, Lucille Brown, Adele as well as financial. Chas as a whole Baugh, Leota Glen, Sadie Mae Bruvis'ted Mrs. W. F. Fergeson in a ton, Ruby Dunnam, Julia von Roedquarterly meeting. Class officers er, Olene Stevens, Hattie Lee, Treva freshments to Mmes. J. C. Dorwood, held 10 weekly business meetings. Hart, Joe Hailey, Mrs. Buchanan; 1. W. Boren, W. H. Cauble, R. H. The president served a dinner to all Messrs. G. L. Huestis, Paul Claybrook, Cloyce Drinkard and C. R.

Cottage Cheese Pudding.

Two cups cottage cheese, one-fourth cup bread crumbs, one-half cup sugar or honey, one-half cup raisins, cherries, prunes, or apples, one-fourth cup melted fat, two eggs slightly beaten. Mix thoroughly and bake like custard.

#### Biscuit Dough.

Two cups flour, four teaspoons baking powder, two tablespoons fat, onehalf teaspoon salt, about one-half cup milk. Mix and sift dry ingredients. Cut in fat until like fine meal. Add liquid to make a stiff drop batter.

Learn to know the attachments of your machine and how to use them. the Ladies Aid of the First Christian kind of material you are using. Use Keep your tensions adjusted to the good needles and the right size for your thread and the material to be

#### Mrs. Rosser Hostess To T. E. L. Class.

The T. E. L. Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church was entertained in the home of Mrs. H. E. Rosser on Wednesday afternoon, Jan-

An interesting program was enjoyed and the hostess, assisted by her daughter, Miss Marian Rosser-served delicious refreshments to nine class members and two guests.

## Meets Tuesday.

Mrs. T. H. Duff was hostess to teaspoon salt, dash of paprika, four the Twentieth Century Club Tuesday hard-boiled eggs sliced, one-half tea- afternoon at her home. Mrs. W. J. spoon mustard, one tablespoon flour, Ely was leader for the interesting

> Members answered roll call with "If I had four hours leisure in my horn. After the program, a parliamentary drill was conducted by Mrs.

J. J. Taylor. The hostess served a delicious re freshment plate to Mmes, H. M. Blackard, Ollie Bruton, H. J. Brice, P. C. Chenault, W. J. Ely, C. E. Fish, I. A. Griffin, W. T. Raybon, Joe Strayhorn, J. J. Taylor, Allen members. Guests were Mmes. Melvin Newton, A. A. Bullock, Ixion Joyce, A. E. Duff and Frank Arnett.

#### Miss Laura Banks Entertains Saturday.

Mrs. Laura Banks entertaine Buckner Orphans Home consisting of sugar, one-fourth teaspoon salt, one- with a party Saturday evening at 235 gifts, all wrapped and addressed; half teaspoon vanilla. Beat the egg. the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L.

and delicious candy were enjoyed. tality center on last Saturday eve- day and Saturday evening at the value of personal service for three and stir into the mixture. Add vanil- Guests were Misses Glenna Bella la. Drop by spoonfuls on a greased Whitten, Kathleen Thomas, Zuia Miss Sallie Boone were host and host Games were enjoyed and midnight Individual report for class-Visits baking sheet and spread very thin Smith, Erlene Martin, Cleo Whitten, to the sick, 52; trays of food, 20; with the back of a spoon. Bake in a Ruby Thomas, Mary Bess Abercombie, Eula James, Margie Thomas, Bessie Lee James, Messrs. Graham that the lady whose name was writ- son, Charline Ely, Jeanette Lollar, First vice president reported as Two cups flour, four tablespoons Smith, Ernest Thomas, Burton Henten on the paper was to be the com- Gwendolyn Gray and Leona Samples. follows the attendance record for Oc- butter, three teaspoons baking pow- ley, Price Holt, Vernon Wade, Mopanion of the gentleman drawing the On Friday evening, Miss Evelyn tober, November and December, and der. one-half teaspoon salt, milk, six zelle Rogenstein, T. B. Green, Joe name in an adventure beginning at had as her guests Misses Janice and period of 13 Sundays-Mmes, Mc tablespoons ground cheese. Sift the James, Gene Gladson, Roscoe Hays, the dining room. A discovery was Evelyn Erwin, Ruby Lee, Martha Carty, Earl Henry and Guy Leacond, flour, salt, and baking powder to- Rex Gladson, Selton Way, and Kel-

Baked Bananas

This is a southern dish and said Marion Newton, 100 per cent for six will make approximately 15 biscuits. to be delicious. Peel and season with a pinch of salt, some lemon juice, sugar and a few dioes of butter. Bake slowly until tender.

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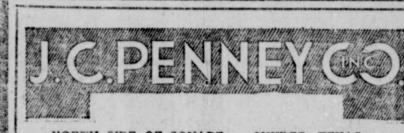
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pected happens. There are many and Minnesota fourth with 433,268. ood tinned dishes. Crackers should lways be in the house. Buying there small boxes insures crispness.

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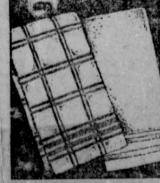
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#### **Political Announcements**

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For County Clerk of Scurry County: MAREL Y. GERMAN (Re-election)

For Sheriff of Scurry County: F. M. BROWNFIELD (Re-election)

For County Attorney of Scurry County: WARREN DODSON (Re-election)

For Superintendent of Scurry County Schools: A. A. BULLOCK (Re-election)

For Treasurer of Scurry County: EDNA B. TINKER (Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2: H. C. FLOURNOY (Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: J. R. COKER

For District Clerk:

LOUISE E. DARBY (Re-election)

#### The Snyder News Creed.

For the cause that needs assistance; For the wrongs that need resistance: For the future in the distance, And the good that we can do,

#### The Barber Shop.

It used to be a jolly place And swap the latest yarns: But the girls have stopped all that. No prize fight pictures on the walls, The pink Gazette is gone. The waiting men sit silent, With now and then a yawn. Each time the barber calls out "Next!" The flappers all arise. If some poor gent claims his turn, They freeze him out with -The girls go to fights and games. Their shyness has all flown. There soon won't be a spot on earth That men can call their own. "Bob," in Big Spring Weekly News,

#### The "Gin" Marriage Law.

Probably the leading topic of discussion around of a third has been built up into solid health, most courthouses these days is the "gin-marriage" law. or don't get married at all. The subject has come in place, only to take it off and start all over again. for a lot of editorial comment in the Texas press. This "We'll take that baby," said the man. "He'll be a one, from the Sweetwater Reporter, hits the nail pretty, worker." squarely on the head:

an attack at the hands of county clerks who are planning been the leader of his class at college and has never been a state meeting to organize a campaign for the law's heard of since. repeal or modification.

"They charge that the law has worked to reduce the haps he just couldn't amount to anything." number of marriages in Texas to an alarming degree. appear that the complaint is founded on the reduction man knows why he failed." in fees, which would not be a valid reason for repealing the law. However, there are other reasons that do bear

weight. "First, the law was improperly drawn when it required only one of the two members of the marriage ed. Not birth alone, but will power, has made them contract to undergo a health examination. If protection what they are, of health is the idea back of this law its present form is ridiculous, for it can guarantee nothing. Both parties

should be required to show proof of good health. "Secondly, the law can easily be side-stepped by going into adjoining states, but there is no way to regulate that. The number of persons who evade the law in this fashion is small, so that argument against it is negligible.

"The law is good in that it does prevent almost alcogether the actual gin-marriages, the sudden, overnight, unthinking marriage of persons who are intoxicated at the time and who if soher would not get married to each

"This law needs a change, and only one change, its broadening to include women in the requirements for health certificates."

The Midland Reporter-Telegram columnist uphoids the law to an extent, in these words:

"Midland attorneys talked to with regard to the socalled 'gin-mating' which resulted in the three-day macringe law say, contrary to the epinion expressed by many court officials, the law should be maintained for at least two years, pointing out the fact that most of those who are incensed at it are merely those who are cop who brought him in stood by while the doctor exammissing their fees.

"It is true that Texas couples are crossing the state man's been drugged." The cop went white and shivered.

THE SNYDER NEWS ords to prove that 63 Texas couples came over in one day to be married. The Texas County and District day to be married. The Texas County and District Clerks Association doesn't know exactly what to do about the matter, and has called a special session. They

"But a Midland attorney talked with Saturday weat to the heart of the matter when he logically stated that without having to sign their name. the purpose of the new law is to preserve the marriage contract. This cannot be done when, under the influence of liquor, a couple, unsuited to each other, rush into wedlock as a 'party gesture.' Another matter that prompted the law was the fact that social diseases would the Post Office at Snyder, Texas, under the Act of prevent marriage. Passing of examinations of reputable physicians are required by the new law.

"The fact that the new statute is a one-man law has nothing to do with the matter, one would be inclined to and about the only way anyone can that he was the only clerk to advocate strongly its retention in a poll also is apart from the issue. Governor Moody knocked over the lawmakers by his quick signature of the bill, about 20 minutes after it was placed on his desk. It is sometimes well to have a dictator in democracy. Arbitration is worth something more than once in a lifetime,"

#### A Strapping Youngster.

Texas is younger. What a youngster! He reminds you of the mythical Paul Bunyan, of the American woodsman. Paul Bunyan cracked all his cradles. He Cal does not tell his wife everything. 4.38 persons in Texas, figuring on burst out of all his clothes. His voice, as a suckling infant, was like the bellow of a Hereford bull."

"In 1917 cotton production in Lubbock County, in car, The owner is the one who, after the south high plains, was all of 947 bales. Ten years you pull the door shut, always opens later it was 46,418 bales. In 1922 wheat production it again and slams it harder. in the Texas Panhandle was 9,000,000 bushels. Seven years later, in 1929, it was around 42,000,000 bushels. Twenty years ago Texas produced practically no grain sorghums. Now she turns out 60,000,000 bushels a year.

"Twice Texas has hit the two-billion dollar mark in the value of her agricultural products, which is a thing no other state has achieved.

"History in the Southwest has been compressed. It has been intense. It is still compressed and intense. The Southwest has never yet stood still. Perhaps the only true pioneering left in America is in parts of Western Kansas, West Texas, and Oklahoma, where the plow is raping the virgin sod. But it is a different pioneering from that of the past. These pioneers do not work in loneliness and isolation, with crude implements, primi tive means of transportation, and inadequate knowledge. They have at their command the knowledge of the laboratory, the inventions of the machine shop. They pioneer to the tempo of the machine age."-Gove Hambridge in January "Country Gentleman."

#### What Makes Us What We Are?

By BRUCE BARTON.

Recently there came into my possession the photograph of five brothers whom I have known very well all my life. The pictures were taken when the eldest of the five was only eight years old.

The first thing that impressed me was the resemblance of each one to all the others. Anybody, looking at them, would have known at once that they were children of the same father and mother.

Even more striking was the fact that today, when their average age is forty, they seem to have changed very little. I had no difficulty in laying the baby pictures on the desk and saying: "This is Joe, and this is John."

One might jump to the conclusion, from such an exhibit, that experience and will-power have very little to. do with character.

Yet I know that each of these five boys has been changed, and by exercise of his own free will.

The hot temper of the eldest has been cooled by self control; he has become far sweeter and more tolerant. The impatience of another, which made him quick to start new things and quick to leave them half finished,

has been transformed into steady staying power. By exercise and self discipline the physical weakness

Another told me that he and his wife went to an oc-Briefly, the law calls for a three-day notice of intention | phan asylum to adopt a little boy. For a couple of hours to marriage and a medical examination for the man, they watched two hundred youngsters playing on the It seems that county clerks den't like the idea of having floor. One of them was trying to fit the cover onto a their fees cut down by couples who go into other states tin can. Time after time he struggled to push it into

I discussed this subject once with a shrewd observer "Texas' so-called 'gin-marriage' law is coming in for of the human race. He mentioned the man who had

"Perhaps he had some hidden illness," I said, "Per-

My friend disagreed vigorously, "He could have! "If that is the only argument against it, it would hanged himself," he said. "Deep down in his heart that Personally, I believe this. The pictures of my five

friends tend to confirm this belief. They are what they were as children, but they are so different. . Each has molded himself, and not merely been mould-

A man sat down in a swell restaurant and pointed to a line on the French menu card and said to the

waiter, "Gimme some of that." "Sorry, sir," answered the waiter, "the band is play-

James: "Father, what's the difference between ma-

jority and minority?" Father: "Well, a majority rules my boy, but a minority tells it how to do it."

Sybil: "What does college-bred mean?"

Felix: "Do you know that you have to have two lienses to get married?"

Inez: "No, what are they?" Felix: "Automobile and marriage."

Victoria: "Merely a big loaf."

They laid him out on the police station floor and the ined him. Finally the doctor arose and said, "That line to be married. One Oklahoma county shows rec- "That's right, sir, it's my fault; I drug him six blocks.

#### "Cuss the Editor."

The Dalhart Texan has just pulled "cuss the editor week," when evervone was privileged to write any thing they wanted about the editor results. Comments from different editors indicate that every week is 'cuss the editor week" in most towns, as few people really like the editor. It is impossible to print things that will always suit the opinion of every reader, but as for that matter, every public man has his share of cussing. noceros hide and follow-the leadings of his own judgment .- McLean News.

#### Exchanged Squibs.

ocrat said a word about it.

When I was a boy they would gram. not even let us go fishing on Sunday. 3

It has been discovered that even

It is easy to tell who owns the Year with one month estimated.

bed and at least another third in bad. its efficiency if not removed.

#### Safety Slogans.

He passed a flivver on a hill? The lawyer just has read his will.

He thought his car would never skid. He left behind a wife and kid.

He rushed across a railroad track. Don't wait for him-he won't be back.

#### Those Luxurious Bathrooms.

Announcement that Americans u ,000,000,000 pounds of soap a year ems to indicate that the Saturday night bath is becoming a nightly institution in practically every Amercan home; and we are inclined to agree with the New York World in giving most of the credit to the manufacturers of the American bathroom

A few decades ago bathrooms lacked tiled floors and enameled walls. Tubs were apt to be of shiny tin or zinc. Hof water could be obtained from the faucet only after considerable trouble. The scene of the weekly ablutions, in other words, just naturally wasn't attractive.

Bu now? The bahroom, in most houses, is the most attracive room in the building. It is luxurious, Hoover spent a Sunday recently in gleaming in its cleanliness, efficient the Virginia hills where the fishing to the utmost degree. It fairly begs is said to be good. Not even a Dem- the householder to climb into the tub. Small wonder that the bath is most popular! - Midland Reporter - Tele-

#### TIPS FOR MOTORISTS.

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Clean out your gasoline filter once in a while. The best gasoline has solid substances in it and they will We spend a third of our lives in ultimately clog the filter and impair

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Sam: "My wife is a great vocalist. Why, I have known her to hold her audience for hours-

Bo: "Get out!" Sam: "After which she would lay it in the cradle and rock it to sleep.

the cotton gins produced annually in Dallas manufacturer.

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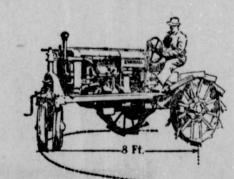


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The Story So Far.

where he had been stooping to my

Chapter I-Sam Stanley, wealthy keyhole. owner of the Desert Moon Ranch, informs his housekeeper, Mary Magin, had been the cause of Sam's divorcing his wife, in the penitentiars. Sam has adopted a boy, John, now grown Mrs. Ollie Ricker, Martha's marse,

lives with them. Chapter II-Hubert Hand, a wanderer, and Chadwick Caufield, John's wartime buddy, who is an expert ventriloquist, are the other members of the track with his suspicion. Prob- still on earth, she would come here. answering. "I have been in Enthe household. The girls arrive.

Chapter III .- Mrs. Magin has an uneasy feeling that there is a sinister motive in the twins' presence at the ranch, and her suspicions are strengthened by the girls' mysterious prowl ing around the place. John becomes engaged to Danielle. Caufield shows a pronounced liking for Gabrielle .

Chapter IV.—Gabrielle's actions when she receives a letter from France arouse and mystify Mrs.

Chapter V .- Sam learns Canneziano is soon to be released from the peritentiary and he tooks for him to come to the ranch. The househot! with the exception of John, in town for the mail, and the twias, tegether upstairs, are in the living room when Gr.brielle comes down and, with Cauwe'd, soes into the garden. Canfelle, fr. r. upstairs, cats to her sister. Caufield comes back alone. In a few minute Danielle comes into the living

Chapter VI.-Mrs. Magin finds Gabrielle, choked to death, with to- know one solitary thing about you about the ring. It-didn't mean any bacco ashes beside her. Despite her that would be of any importance if terror at the discovery of the body, I told it to the world. Anything she realizes that the ashes must be that you think you know about me. I will admit that I didn't like it pipe smoker, and conceals them before calling the household. Caufield

commits suicide. verdict is murder and suicide. Sam scream; that you stayed there, quiet finds a note left by Caufield confess- and alone with it for ten minutes, ing he killed Gabrielle, but the ranch- before you gave the alarm?" er proves he could not have done it.

Now go on with the story-

CHAPTER-VIII Clews.

All the while I was getting a make- thing about your lonesome five minshift dinner ready, that last thought utes, or longer. I'll tell you how I of mine kept bothering me like the know. I came out of my room at smell of something burning. So, as the minute you opened the attic door. soon as dinner was over, I told the I saw you leave the hall to run uo Indian girl, whose name was Zinnia, the steps. I went on down stairs. to manage the dishes the best she Chad was kidding around down

I took up some dinner on a tray what he wanted with, fortunately with me, for Mrs. Ricker and for for you, or I'd have said you'd got-Martha. Mrs. Ricker opened ther | ten the door opendoor. I managed to get the infor- "And-and." I couldn't keep my mation that Martha was awake, at teeth from chattering, "you think I last, and that Mrs. Ricker had just killed her, than?" been helping her with her bath.

tioned.

"I-suppose so." She edged the telling." door shut in my face. -

I went into my room and combed horror." my hair. I can always think better "All right. Tell the jury. Tell when I am doing some absolutely un- them, too, why you came rushing out John's father. important thing like that. But, to of your room, as you did just now,

and foamed. pocket. Chad's suicide. Chad's note We are both innocent. But- Fifty- father and son. of confession. Gaby's fear. Mrs. fifty? Shut mouth for shut mouth?" Ricker alone in the house. What it His talk about telling a jury scared pleasant, for I did not want to be was that Danny knew and dared not

Sam's pipe ashes- Lands alive! What had been the matter with me? Sam was the only member of our household who smoked a pipe, but he was not the only man in creation who did; nor was his the only pipe, I supposed, that had ever dropped and spilled its contents. A very nice and comforting thought, if I could have fooled myself into believing it.

Try as I might, I couldn't keep from thinking that part of Sam's talk was bluff-that is, soon as I got away from him I thought that. Did it mean that he was trying to shield Chad. No, it could not mean that. Besides, Chad himself had surely been trying to shield someone. Sam? Gaby had feared someone, when she had left the house. No woman had ever feared Sam.

Mrs. Ricker had hated Gaby. But. so had John hated Gaby. Mrs. Rick-

er had said- John had said-I jumped to my feet, holding my head in my hands. I could not endure thinking. I must stop it. I must find work to do; someone to talk to. I ran across my room and pulled open the door, just in time to "I'd Had No Idea of see Hubert Hand straighten from

"Hubert Hand," I said, "why are you listening to my keyhole?"

"I wasn't listening. I was looking. Gabrielle, are coming to the ranch to the bunk, Mary. You might as well with her for a while. live, their mother being dead and cut it out yourself." With that he I should have been there, long be- little pointed beads,"

had come to me. In a minute I un- in Gaby's room, I suggested that we to manhood, and a girl, Martha, 21, derstood. Since he had been at my go somewhere else.

> above a whisper. "Mary," he said, receive it." my nut today-that's all. I guess I said.

swear to God I'm innocent. But they are going to try to pin it on me, and they may not have much trouble doing it. I want to make a bargain with you. You'll get the best of ir, for I know d-n well that I'm innocent, and I don't think thaat you are bring you up some good, hot soup; entirely. It is this: if you'll keep

Fifty-fifty. Will you do it?" "Hubert Hand," I said, "I don't

"Sure of that? Sure that you are willing to have me broadcast that CHAPTER VII-The coroner's you found the body; that you didn't

"I was sick, stunned, dizzy with

"Probably any jury would believe that, all right. Just the same, I'll bet it would save you a lot of trouble. now and later, if no one knew anycould, and I went off up to my room, there, collecting keys. I didn't know

"Rot! She had ben dead for hours. "Is she all right, now?" I ques- Rigor was complete. No, all I think is that you know more than you are



me. I had heard of third degrees. I doing any clear thinking, those last rette holder. It fell to pieces in my quizae, zkaz nyx palf, vizk nyxo when she read the letter to me. knew that if I ever told anyone but few days." Sam himself, about those pipe ashes,

"Don't? Well, I want you to keep Danny pointed to the fireplace, We knew you had been there, listen- had escaped the flames.

"Lands alive!" I said. I'd had no idea of telling that, anyway. It was none of my business."

"Fine! I don't have any idea of telling anything, either. It was none of my business. Shake on it." I let him take my hand. I said

yes, when he made me promise. I felt like I'd been associating with a side-winder.

their father, Daniel Cameziano, who turned and walked on down the hall fore. I went right in, apologizing I took it from her and looked at

picion of me, for something. Pos- | don't want to be alone; but I do | had all the beautiful, expensive thing | sibly he had a good reason for that want to sit here. I feel as if here, such as this. Your clothes are pret suspicion. As good a reason as I with all her things around me, I ty and tasty, but they aren't near the had, for suspicioning Sam, and John, wight-get in touch-I mean-some quality of Gaby's. and Mrs. Ricker. He was clear off thing might come to me. If she is She hesitated a moment before ably I was just as far off with mine. Wouldn't she? And she would try, gland for the past eight years, while He turned quickly and came back I am sure, to give me a sign. Some- Gaby has been on the continent to me. He looked up and down the thing to help-to help all of us. If where beautiful things are more ple hall. He lowered his voice to just it should come, I want to be here to tiful, and cheaper."

cared a lot more for the girl than ! "No. I suppose not." She leaned thought I did. By 6 -d, I believe I back in her chair and sihed, and her me. loved her. It is hell having her clear arms dropped straight down over the one. But my hanging for her muc- chair's arms. The engagement riag der isn't going to do her any good; that John had given her slipped from her finger and came rolling toward Horrified, I backed away from me. I scrambled to pick it up. When him. For one wild moment I thought I rose from the floor she had jumped that the man was confessing to me. to her feet. She was ashy, shaking "No!" he said. "Not that! I'll and trembling as if she had a chill.

"Mary! Promise me that you'll never tell that, not to anyone. It didn't- It couldn't mean anything." "It means," I said, handing her the ring, "that you are wasting away. You'd better let me go down and

or an eggnog." your mouth shut. I'll keep mine shut. She clung to me, "Don't leave me, Mary, I am afraid. I am dreadfully afraid. Promise that you won't tell thing."

from Sam's pipe, he being the only I'm glad and willing to have you any too well myself. There, just as e was asking for a sign, the ring,

> tell. All that it means is that the by airplane." ring is too large for you."

opposite me, her hands clasped on miles of the ranch without every manlooked into my eyes.

silly, futile little accident. The ring in, and slip off again." note to me was all affection. Living, ko celebration."

"Heartless!" I spoke sharply in again." spite of myself. "If the Creator ever I picked up the carved ivory eigamade a man with a bigger heart than Sam Stanley's, nobody's ever saw

"He has been good to you," she "I tell you, I was trozen stift with said. "But you give him his own way about everything." I reminded her that Sam was

"Uncle Sam is not John's father." day, my thoughts whirred, and tossed, white and trembling. Don't like your she said. "John is uncle's adopted thoughts, all by your lonesome, do son. They are so different, so utter-Sam's pipe ashes. The key in my you? Come on, Mary. Be a sport. ly different, that they could not be

> "Maybe not," I said, trying to keep snapping at the poor child on this day, "but no real son ever loved his father better than John loves Sam. He all but worships him, and he has, ever since he was a little fellow."

> "I know, I know, Sometimes I think John cares more for uncle than he does for me. Mary, tell me, honestly. Do you think John loves me as much as he loves Uncle Sam? I should hate to have John have to choose between uncle and me."

> "That is foolish talk. Why should John ever have to choose between you and Sam?"

> She sighed and shook her head. A sudden certainty came to me. Whatever it was that Danny had refused that morning to tell me, whatever it was that she had said that she dared not tell, had had something, somehow. to do with Sam.

> "What I cannot understand," Danny said, "is that Gaby knew that she might be killed. And yet, so far as anyone knows, she did not do one thing to help herself. If only, only she had confided in me! Surely I could have found some way to help

> her-to save her." "You know, dear," I said. "I think that Gaby was not-well, at least not

the words would choke the life out of her disappointment. But now- Who questioned, me, as I would want them to do. | could be quite sane with such a fear "Yes. Snapped in two, And she "Hubert Hand, I'm going to be confronting her? Yet-she left all leved it." honest with you. I don't know what of her things in order; as if, delibit is you want me to keep my mouth crately, she prepared for death. She on the table, and took up a folded What I judged to be the signature may have left out entire paragraphs.

still about that conversation you I crossed the room and looked into "Glorious Gaby: Be a good sport. overheard between Ollie Ricker and it. Papers had recently been burned Be a darling. Be game-that is, be me in the cabin. She went back to there. I took the poker and stirred Gaby, and meet me this afternoon, get her parasol and saw you coming. the fluttering, black bits; but nothing around four-thirty, in the cabin. H.

> "I believe," said Danny, "that you are the only one in the house who hasn't looked at what Gaby had in "but Hubert Hand swears that he ters in the signature, "Sirsi." her bag-"

lying limp on the table.

She picked it up, brushed it flick- and Chad all the time?" As I was trying to hurry past Ga- eringly with the tips of her fingers. As I was trying to hurry past Ga-by's door, Danny opened it, and and blew on it, as if she were trying is fied, the coroner's jury, at the inwife's twin daughters, Danielie and or trying to. This keyhole peering is asked me if I would come in and sit to blow something off of it. "Everything," she explained, "sticks to the

> I stood watching him, trying to ae- and trying to explain. But, when it closely; but I could see no speck I stood watching him, trying to account for an odd sense of relief that I saw that she meant for us to sit of ash, no minute particle of tobacco, in answer to what I imagined I saw nor of dust.

"Lands alive! I thought you girls' Twe gone at this all wrong. I'm off "It won't come, Danny, dear," I had lived together, all these years." "No," she said, and picked up Gaby's cigarette case, and handed it to

> It was made of dull gold with her monogram, "G. C." set in tiny black We are all overstrung, overwrought. opals, with green and blue lights I didn't thean to speak so sharply." flickering in them as if they were "I know. Were you looking for

I set it down and picked up another little gold box. It had powder, rouge, lipstick, and a mirror in it. I had seen it often enough before. 1 put it back on the table and took up a beaded coin purse that matched the large bag. It was entirely empty.

billfold is missing. She surely would Here it is." not start to go anywhere with not a cent of money. Doesn't it look as if its envelope, this is what met my she had been robbed?"

"Only," I said, "if anyone had "Paexzazlytp! f-y nyx ogrgrago, the valuable gold eigarette case, and ahhalo, vhgt nyx elplzgf, rg zkg ky vanity case?"

which had fitted snugly enough, I had be hard to dispose of, Mary," Danthought, had dropped off. But, of ny's voice, always low, grew lower course, I had to put up a brave front still with her intensity, "there is one thing that no one has thought of "Nonsense," I said. "I won't tell Daniel Canneziano could have reached anybody, because there is nothing to here from California in a few hours,

"I had thought of that. But, Dan-Danny sat down in a deep chair, ny, no airplane ever came within 20 her knees, and leaned forward, and jack of us hearing it, and rushing out with our heads tipped back to gape "Definite things, Mary," she said, at it. Airplanes aren't stealthy things, "are always so wise. This was a you know, that people can slip up

has dropped off, I suppose, half a "But on the third of July two airdozen times this week. Gaby's last planes passed over, going to the Tel-

if Gaby could have taken John away "On the third," I reminded her, "as from me, for herself, she would have advertised. And you know how much done it. Dead-she wants us to mar- noise they made. And how we all ry. I know that. As for any other went out and watched them, from implication- If only Uncle Sam tiny specks in the south until they were not so heartless," she finished. were tiny specks and lost in the north

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"I know. I thought it was only "Was this broken in her hag?" I yef fgao, 1-rafg-"

sheet of paper, and opened it, and was, "Sirsl." read:

"Well!" I said. "Yes, I know," Danny answered.

"He could have gone to the cabin out." rious about its contents. It was later, when the men went to do the "No," she said, "you see, the letter "Mary," her voice changed sudden-

"I suppose so. He must have sat is. She didn't rend the signature, quest, of his innocence, Mary," her voice went all tense again, " does it seem to you that the jury was very readily satisfied?"

I spoke sharply, too sharply to her in her attitude. "Never mind about "It is a beautiful thing," I said. the jury being easily satisfied. Sam to manhood, and a girl, Martha, 21, derstood. Since he had been at my physically healthy but weak-mind d. keyhole, he must have had some susnorning that he would find the murlerer if it took every dollar he had in the world to do it. Sam is going to et to the bottom of this. Be sure of

"I-wonder," she said.

"Mary!" she exclaimed, close to a reproach; "I merely wonder, whether or not Uncle Sam will succeed."

I looked at her brown eyes, all sad and swollen with tears, and at the deep, dark circles under them, and I was ashamed. .

I put my arm around her shoulders and drew her close to me. "Honey," I said, "forgive your old Mary.

something else, on the table? There was nothing else in her bag."

"I was wondering," I said, "about that foreign-looking letter she got on the second of July. Did she burn it, with the other things?"

"Oddly, she didn't. I found it in her desk. Or, rather, beneath her "Isn't it queer that that should be it; or knew that none of us could cmpty?" Danny asked. "And her read it. It was written in code.

Code, indeed! When I took it from eyes:

robbed her, why would he have left rn fgao atf jan j-asn, abzgo zkg c

idlenegf r-yta e-lpa prieg, "p-yoon, least, I don't remember--"

on the first page. There were four don't know. She read to me what syeazy pages, all closely typewritten, she said was a copy of the letter;

asked.

"I am sure, if I dare be sure of "Yes, but what did she tell you the anything, that it was written by a letter contained?" man named Lewis Banermont."

wrote that note several weeks ago. "If he signed his name Lewis," I course- Or you may ask John to window. I followed her. I dreaded seeing that bag again; but I was cu-four."

seeing that bag again; but I was cu-four." She walked to the table by the Too, we know that he was playing said, "then 'S' would be 'L,' and 't' tell you. It-it was an insult from

chores. Or was he right with Sam 's' comes twice in the last word, and by as did her manner, "do you know there are no duplicate letters in Lew-

I have copied only the first lines "I thought that she did. Now-I She may have changed it, in any "Do you know who wrote this?" I way, in order to keep her terrible secret from me."

"It is too long even to Levin to I counted the letters of "Lewis" on tell, now. And-I don't want to tell my fingers. Five, the number of let- it again; not today, I have told John all about it, you see. Later,

(continued on next page)



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### The Desert Moon Mystery

Kay Cleaver Strahan

(concluded from preceding page)

why Uncle Sam asked me-almost commanded me-to be in the living room at three o'clock today?"

"No, Danny, I don't. But he told Mrs. Ricker and me to be there, too. I guess he just wants to talk to all of us, together."

"Oh-talk! What good is talk going to do? Talk, in a place like this, now, where there is not one true, certain thing to get hold of, anywhere; where not one of us can believe in another-"

She put a quick hand to her lipe : her eyes widened; she turned, and hastily pushing aside the heavy curtain ,went through the clothes closet into her own room.

I sat still, at the desk. The pape before me, and the sharp pencil in my hand, tempted me to make a list. as they always do in books, of the clews, to date. I wrote:

"Locked door.

"Key in my pocket. "T. A. (I put only the initials o tobacco ashes.

"Chad's suicide. "Chad's note. What person was

he trying to shield? "What did Hubert Hand think that

I had overheard in the cabin? "Mrs. Ricker's threat.

"Contents of the beaded bag. "Empty match-box.

"Empty purse. Missing bill-fold. (Robbery?) "Crumpled handkerchief. (Tears?

pleading?) "Broken eig. holder.

"Hubert Hand's note.

"The code letter. "Gabrielle's note to Danny."

My face burns, even yet, when I



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ng that list of clews, have written another one; a list that, step by step, just as sure as straigh ahead, would have led to the guilty person.

Why did I not take into consideration the fact that, for two months, the Canneziano girls had been searching for something on the Desert Moon -something which I was all but certain they had not found?

Why did I not give a thought to the fact that John, after a scret conversation with Gaby-according to Mrs. Ricker-had been clean and clear away off the place since early afternoon until evening?

Why did I not include in my list the fact that Gaby had given the gold nonkey to Martha?

Why, instead of trying to puzzie out the code letter, did I not read between the lines of Gabrielle's last

However, at the time, since it was of my own making, I was quite well satisfied with my list. I took it to the table to check over the items. Sam had put the key, with which I had opened the attic door, alongside the other things there.

I picked it up, now, and looked at it for the first time. I had not look-



What Had Become of the Key to the Attic Door?

ed at it, I had merely used it, the ficials this year. United States Sen- clerk and vote an absentee ballot. realize that, at half-past two o'clock night before. My heart jumped up ator Tom Connally, who was chosen on the afternoon of the fifth of July, in my throat. It was not the key in 1928 for a six-year term; a few of election all voters living in a city if I had been possessed of just one to the attic door. It was a rusty old state senators and district judges of 10,000 inhabitants or more, who lick of sense, I could, instead of writ- pass key that had hung on a nail in who are elected for four-year terms, have moved their residence within the

have found that old key, under the the 18 Congressmen, will be required ing precincts. chamois skins, and the rest, that hung an "off year" only for presidential around it and over it in the broom candidates.

Read Chapter IX of "The Desert Moon Mystery" in next week's Snyder News. ..

He was an artist of the impressionistic school, and he had been known to sell pictures,, but it didn't happen often. He was carrying some of his work to an art dealer's, when he met a fellow artist. Suddenly he

quickened his pace. "What are you hurrying for?" asked his comrade.

"See that man over there?" was

the reply. "Yes, what of it?"

"Well, he is a creditor of mine. Like impressionistic art, he looks better from a distance.'

"Well, I heard daddy complaining don't have bills.'

WHAT'S WRONG AND WHERE?



How good are you at finding mistakes? The artist has intentionally ade thirteen obvious ones in drawing the above picture. Some of them are

easily discovered; others may be difficult. To the first person bringing to this office a list of corrections for the thirteen mistakes, two passes to either the Ritz or the Palace Theatre will be Hollie and Leverett Lewis, Leonard given. To each of the next two persons bringing in corrections, one pass to either theatre will be given. The same person or persons may not receive free tickets on consecutive weeks. No answers will be judged before Friday.

These "What's Wrong and Where" pictures are weekly features in The Snyder News. Watch for them—and win one or more free tickets.

#### Texas Political Calendar for 1930

year is of interest to every News expenses. reader who has not seen it elsewhere. It follows:

Texans will elect a new set of ofnore years than I could remember. who are not obliged to run every two city, must report to the tax collector. Whoever had put this key in my years will be on "easy street" insofar July 24 .- Day upon which county pocket, must have been well acquaint- as campaigning for re-election is con- clerk shall send absentee votes to the ed with the Desert Moon kitchen, to cerned, but everyone else, including presiding judges of the respective votbrooms, and mops, and dust rags, and to stand for re-election. It will be

Republican Primary.

The Republicans will be required to hold a primary on July 26, the same day the Democrats nominate their candidates. Under Texas law parties that poll more than 100,000 votes for governor in a general election are required to hold primaries. It will be the second time Texas Republicans

have ever held a primary. The political calendar for the year

January 31.-Last day for payment of poll tax or to otherwise qualify by obtaining voting credentials.

June 2.-Last day for candidates for state offices and district offices, in districts containing more than one county, to file requests to have their names placed on the ballot.

June 9 .- Meeting of state executive

June 14 .- Last day for county and precinct candidates and district candidates in districts composed of only and not an angel that brought your one county, to file requests to have Still, she was ambitious. names placed on ballots.

June 16 .- County executive comabout the size of the bill, and angels mittee meets to determine the order of names on ballot and estimate expenses of election.

> June 23 .- Last day for candidates expenses incident to holding election.

June 26 to July 1 .- Candidates must file their first report of campaign expenses not more than 30

June 26 to July 1 .- Time for votappear before a notary public and equest ballot.

neeting to prepare ballot.

The Associated Press political July 14 to 18 .- Candidates must summary of Texas for the coming file second statement of campaign

who intend to be absent from county on date of election to appear before titled "The Three Visitors."

July 22.-Four days prior to day the broom closet, off the kitchen, for and three or four state officials also city or from without the city to the

July 26.—Primary election day; polls open at 8 a. m. and close at 7 p. m. Precinct conventions are held to elect delegates to county convention.

August 2.—County executive committee meets to canvass results. County conventions are held.

August 5.—Last day for candidates to file third reports of expense.

August 11.—State executive committee meets to canvass returns.

August 23.—Date of second primary. District convention meets to canvass returns for district candidates.

September 1 .- Meeting of state ex-

ecutive committee September 2.- Meting of state con-

November 4.-General election. November 14.-Candidates should file reports of expenses with the county judge.

There was a little girl in West Philadelphia who aspired to use cuss words. Only she had been brought up to know that they were very bad.

One day very recently this young lady of seven years saw the opportunity of a young life. The housewant to be disturbed. The little miss sought to enter. She grew angry to pay assessments for their share of when she discovered that the door

wass locked. "Let me in, Annie!" she yelled. The housemaid told her to run along. "Let me in," persisted the youngnor less than 25 days prior to date of ster. "If you don't let me in I hope you'll die." Still no result.

"If you die I hope you can't get rs who are absent from county to to heaven." The threat was futile. "Then you can go to h-l." And, having said what she wanted to say, July 14 .- Primary committee in the young lady went about her busiUNION CHAPEL

Miss Vernia Stephenson, Cor. Rev. Wilkerson was visiting in the

ommunity Sunday. Miss Margaret Carrell visited Miss

Lois Yantis Sunday.

Ruby Stephenson Sunday. A large number attended the serv-

ices at the Baptist church Sunday at Elmer Kiker of Rotan visited his Rev. Kelly, pastor. Epworth League and four sisters.

Friday and Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carrell and Robert Huggins of Snyder visited Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Stephenson Sunday.

Miss Ethel Lynn Hays left last Thursday for Canyon, where she will enter West Texas State Teachers Col-

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and family are moving this week to Tahoka. The community regrets their going, and wishes for them much happiness and good luck in their new home.

#### METHODIST WINNERS IN CONTEST GIVE SOCIAL

The Friendship class of the Methodist church has been divided into two groups and has conducted a contest to create more interest. The contest has been very interesting, and the winners and friends were entertained at the church last Friday

Sandwiches and apples were passed to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Biggs, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis, Misses Allena Vernia Stephenson, Lois Yantis, Faye Brumley, Esther and Venie Bearden, Brumley, Margaret Carrell; Messrs. Brumley, Doyle Bratton, Ory Yantis, and Mr. Bullock of Gail.

#### WATCH PARTY COMBINED WITH DEVOTIONAL HOUR

Last Tuesday evening a watch party combined with a devotional hour was held at the Methodist church. The first part of the evening was

composed of a prayer service. Then the B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist church presented a playlet ea-

A social hour was then enjoyed, and both young and old took part. Just before the old year passed out devotional hour was conducted by a devotional hour was conducted by the Epworth League, which lasted until the new year was ushered in. Everyone went away having had

an evening of pleasure and feeling EARLIENE REYNOLDS DIES better for having attended.

> CHURCH NOTES. Baptist Church.

Sunday school each Sunday at 10 Sunday. Rev. T. L. Nipp, pastor. Colorado. She was five years, two Miss Florine Bullard visited Miss B. Y. P. U. each Sunday at 6:30 months and 21 days old. The family

Methodist Church.

parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Kiker, each Sunday at 6:30 p .m. W. M. S. We sympathize with this family, meets twice a month.

> Singing. Community singing each second and fourth Sundays. Everyone invited. Hollie Shuler, president.

Prayer Meeting. nesday evening. Everyone cordially er prices. The Texas turkey crop in

IN CROWDER COMMUNITY

Erliene Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Reynolds of Crowder community, died Sunday, December a. m. Services each first and third 29, at 2:15 p. m., in the hespital at left for Glen Rose, where the child was buried in the Rainbow cemetery. Sunday school each Sunday at 10 Those who are left to grieve over the m. Services each second Sunday. little one are the parents, one brother

for we know how hard it is to give up one of our loved ones .- A Friend.

Althouh the Texas turkey crop this year is estimated at 1,800 cars, 550 more than that of 1928, its value Union prayer meeting each Wed- is \$3,000,000 less, because of the low-1928 was valued at \$8,000,000.

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#### STRAY SHOTS FROM SOLOMON

#### From T. P. A. Travelers Magazine. WATCH YOUR STEP.

The only man you need fear is yourself. There is a man living in your house who is lazy, thoughtless, breachy, tricky and naturally crooked. It will take all your time to watch him during the three hundred and sixty-five days of the year. You may make yourself believe these traits are not there, but just give the "old man" half a chance and see if he will not develop a crop that will shame the devil. "He that trusteth in his own heart is a fool." Put that down You may imagine you are not lazy, but just warm a seat for a little and you will soon find out the hold the old fellow will have you trying in argue darkness is light. Keen von where he belongs.

#### GOOD RESOLUTIONS.

sweep over this world if some of the Cyrus W. Kay working with other vulged the debris of a camp site, with thirds that people do would be left members of the society, of which he massel shells, hammer stones, hearths, prione from now on. There is the is president, followed similar discov- arrow-heads and flint blde-scrapers. woman who insists on getting on the eries last spring when the attention Interested as to the probable age of elevator before the people get off, of nationally known scientists from the discoveries, he found that there and the man who forces his way into the Smithsonian Institution have ex- was no permanent water supply with- preach the first Saturday and Sunday a crowded street car when the pas- pressed the opinion that the discov- in many miles, indicating a very great of each month. sengers are trying to get off. There eries appeared to be "worth investi- age as such a camp would need a deis the fool who points guns at folks gating" further. and the idiot who says, "I told you so." There is the neighbor who borrows your axe and fails to return it. E. B. Sayles, member of the society. peared. and the fellow who hogs the road with his automobile and parks in front of your driveway. It would bring on the millennium in a year if people would just quit their meanness. Then what a glorious thing it ness. Then what a glorious thing it teresting specimens. In unearthing the weather. Many of the mortar Sunday. Preaching by the pastor, son, Joe, of Ennis Creek, were Hermwould be if men would talk less and do more, if preachers would preach the spear point it was shattered, but holes are 13 to 17 inches deep, while Rev. R. L. Montgomery, every second but visitors Thursday of last week. do more, if preachers would preach to the rich as faithfully as they do has been placed together again by those in the slantwise stones are only Sunday and Saturday evening before E. J. Ely, Jr., and Henry Murphy to the poor. How happy the world Dr. Ray. would be if everybody were to follow | One of the most important of the the precept, "Whatsoever you would recent discoveries of deep sites was that men should do unto you, do ye made by Dr. Ray in company with even so to them."

#### DISCERNERS OF SPIRITS.

We have heard men pick sermons to pieces who were "discerners of spirits" of a different kind from those It was at this site that the large meant by the apostle. It is funnier charcoal bed between 60 and 75 feet than a barrel of monkeys to hear long was found in the high bank of some old moral leper give the preacher pointers on how to present his from six to eight feet below the surevangel. It would make a sad horse face its entire length. Excavations laugh to hear a man discourse on the resulted in finding bones and teeth proprieties who makes his money, not of unidentified animals. Numerous by the golden but by the brass rule, mussle shells, man-made flint chips, or who knows more the points of a flesh scraper and a hammer stone race-horse or the rules of poker than on which a bruised ring was discernthe moral law. The world is full of able indicated it had been used in people who know how but are willing making arrow points and spear heads. to let somebody else do it. An ounce of good practice is worth all the criti- spear point in a vertical bank of a cism and theory a man can scratch creek at a depth of eight feet. In ily. on paper or spit into the air. Be- another place two flint hide-scrapers fore you start on the mote in the were found at a depth of six to seven other fellow's eye, be sure that the feet. beam is crowbarred out of your own. Dr. Walter Hough, a nationally Sunday. sort that is lived.

#### EVERLASTING KICKERS.

place to that is where querulous fault- gravel under 11 feet of soil. finding harps upon its single discordant string of woe day in and day; formation is not known completely, out. It is no wonder men take to the age of these deeply buried finds drink and some women to the lunt- is undetermined. tic asylum. Since the doing away Recently a ranch owner (his name of the ducking stool the scold has and locations of all finds at present become one of the settled ills which, are withheld by the society so that Taylor of Snyder Wednesday. like smallpox, taxes, the long ser- investigations may be continued withmons, are always with us. In trade out interruption from curiosity seekthere are men who never have a good word to say of anybody or anything. They bark at their help, quarrel with thine hand findeth to do, do it with their creditors and villify goods they buy with a consistency that is born of a cross-eyed nature. One of these kickers returned some goods the other worth 10 per cent more than the invoice price in the meantime. On the made something out of your business. H. B. Patterson. discovery of this the wholesale house and better still, out of your self. shook hands with itself and forgave the kicker. He is stil Wondering why LAMESA JUDGE SOON TO they are so pleasant about it.

ONE IDEA. It is a good thing to be a man of Lamesa ,candidate for U. C. Con- S. W. Light, has returned to Abione idea, but don't thrust it under gress from this district, will begin a the nose of friend and foe until the series of visits to each of the 50 coun- on's Business College. world wearies of you and your hobby, ties in his district thi week. He will It isn't the hen that eackles loudest peak before luncheon clubs in some of that lays the biggest egg. It is not the cities.

Poteet and Victor Drinkard, who the holidays in their homes in boy named Bewis Jefferson, January the fellow with the loudest mouth His first visit will be to Brown- Snyder, have returned to Turner to that does the work. The man who is field this week, and then Snyder and resume their school work.

day and generation. "Whatsoever said.



#### Fossilized Remains Indicate Man Was in Texas Many Centuries Ago

many thousands of years ago.

The recent discoveries, made by De

end near Abilene by Dr. Ray and thousands of years, long ago disap-

the Rev. J. Richard Spann of Abilene while on a Saturday afternoon search. He has done further excevation with Prof. O. O. Watts of Simmons University and E. B. Sayles. creek. This charcoal bed, ranging

Last summer Dr. Ray found a

The best kind of preaching is the known anthropologist of the Smithsonian Institution, viewed some of the finds while here last spring. He home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. and Dr. Ray found several flints J. S. Head, of Turner. Kicking is a good thing in its which supposedly were made by huplace, but the place for the everlast- man beings. These were buried in ing kicker is in hell. The nearest what appeared to be undisturbed

Since the geology of the gravel

thy might." Is it worth doing? ought to be the first and greatest question and the second is like unto it, how much am I going to put into it? Go day and it was found that they were fore next year dawns you will have

#### OPEN CONGRESS BATTLE J. R. Payne, of Turner.

Judge Thomas S. Christopher of

conscientiously doing one thing is the Lubbock. None of his speeches will an who is moving the world. Next pertain to politics, Judge Christopher doing one big thing, the man who, states. The visits will serve as a me- to fix that car?" p to his ability, does the several dium for the candidate to become bet- Mechanic: "I'm afraid it will take hings he is at well, is a force in his ter acquainted with the district, he a long time, sir. That's the only job

The unearthing recently of a large ers) reported to Dr. Ray that he had chair had, on your anatomy. You bed of charcoal six or eight feet be- found some holes in a ledge of rocks may grow hot at the suggestion that low the earth's surface in which bones which he believed were made by Inyou should swerve from the straight and teeth of animals not yet iden- dians. Dr. Ray investigated and line, but before the month is out, the tified were imbedded and the finding upon visiting the site counted 84 oval of arrow heads and spear points holes. He expressed the belief they strengthens the belief among members were ancient mortar holes, hollowed eye on the "old man." Keep hun of the Texas Archeological and Pal- in the rock by man. It is known contelogical Society in Abilene that that such holes were used by Indians human beings inhabited this section for pounding mesquite beans and other foods.

Further search in the vicinity dipendable water supply and that this The latest find was made last week- supply, through natural changes over

> Further indication of the extreme shallow depressions.

#### TURNER NEWS

#### Miss Lorena Patterson, Cor.

Mrs. Olan Caldwell of Union visit- each Sunday. ed Mrs. R. M. Johnson Monday after

the week-end with his parents, Mr. nesday evening. and Mrs. J. R. Payne. There have been six new; pupils en-

rolled in the school at Turner since the Christmas holidays. hart spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. H. B. Patterson, and fam-

Misses Mell Thompson and Tiney Poteet, and Victor Drinkard visited their homes in Snyder Saturday and

Audrey Head, who has been at Lubbock attending Texas Tech, is at

(Delayed one week)

Jewell and Alma Bratton have started to school at Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patterson and

children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Caton of Snyder. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Payne and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Sterlin January 1.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Johnson, who January 1. spent the Christmas holidays in Min-

eral Wells, have returned home. Thelma Payne started to school of both the seventh and eighth grade January 1.

Mildred Patterson, who is working n Snyder, spent the Christmas helidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Elmer Payne, who is working in Sweetwater, spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Mary Light, who spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. lene, where she is attending Draugn-

Misses Mell Thompson and Tiney

Fred: "How long will it take you | Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bates, January

#### FLUVANNA NEWS

#### Mrs. J. G. Landrum, Cor.

Mrs. Mary A. Stavely spent Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Dalton spent Sunday in Post. Miss Mildred Roddy of Abilene is

visiting homefolks. John Stavely and family spent

Sunday in Southland. E. A. Boles and Jess Cook spent the week-end in Portales, N. M.

his Jersey cows for Ft. Worth. Bill Dane and son, Troy, of Abilene, were in Fluvanna the first of book Sunday and Monday.

Rev. C. M. Deere left Monday with

the week on business. J. T. Sturdivant left Monday for Hérmleigh in answer to a phone call the funeral of W. P. Starr at Odell

that his father was very low. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hunnicutt left Monday for Abilene. Mrs. Hunnicutt is under medical treatment at Abi-

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Chapman, Jr., er spent Sunday with Mr. Chap- tives and friends. man's father.

Thomas Sturdivant, wife and baby of Hermleigh spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mis. friends and relatives. J. T. Sturdivant.

Andrew Cain and family of Big Spring spent part of last week with Mrs. Wayne Williams and little Lubbock Sunday Mrs. Cain's parents, Mr. and Mrs. II. II. Haynes, and other relatives.

E. H. Josey and family and Mrs. HERMLEIGH NEWS Charles E. Stephens and children of Big Spring spent Sunday with the J. G. Landrum family. Mrs. Orah M. Josey returned with them.

Little Miss Izora Patterson entertained a few of her friends last Sunday with a dirner. Those enjoying the day and dinner were Misses Cora and Inez Gleghorn, Mozell Patterson, La Vern Sewalt, Ovella Fulford and Mary Nell Nesbitt.

#### CHURCH NOTES. Primitive Baptist.

Rev. R. B. Hester of Snyder will

#### Methodist Church.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preach- of last week. ing by the pastor, Rev. J. I. Kelly. every first and third Sunday. Prayer meeting at 7:30 each Wednesday evening. Epworth League at 7:15 each Sunday evening.

#### First Baptist Church.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. each fourth Sunday, and the fourth Sun- left Thursday of last week for Lubday. Prayer meeting each Thursday book, where they will attend school.

#### Presbyterian Church.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Jas. H. Tato, Mrs. R. M. Johnson visited her every second and fourth Sunday. laughter, Mrs. E. M. Price, Sundey. Christian Endeavor at 7:30 p. m.

#### Fluvanna Baptist.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preach-Mrs. J. R. Payne has been confined ing by the pastor, Rev. D. G. Wells, to his bed for the last few days with every second and fourth Sunday. B. Y. P. U. at 7:30 p. m. each Sunday. Elmer Payne of Sweetwater spent Prayer meeting at 7:30 each Wad-

#### Church of Christ.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. W. A. Barnhill, every third Sunday. Bible study Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Lott of Dal- for the ladies each Monday at 3 p. m.

#### Courthouse News

Births Registered. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Sterling, a boy,

January 1. Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Whitaker, a

boy, January 1. Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Louis, a girl amed Barbarie, January 1.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Cleavenger, a girl named George Nell, January 1. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burleson, a

boy, January 1. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Conrod, a girl, January 1. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stillman

Snow, a girl named Myllis Jeanine, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Morrow, a boy,

Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Ferguson, girl, January 1. Mr. and Mrs. Freeman O. Cren-

Thursday. She intends to take part shaw, a boy named Freeman, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John Gray, a girl,

January 1. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Vaughn, a boy, January 1. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brenman, a

girl, January 1. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burney, a boy named Joe Rue, January 1. Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Erwin, a boy, January 1. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Harris, a girl,

December 31. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Williams, girl, December 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Blakely, a boy named George Elwood, January 3.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cook, a girl. January 6.

What the world needs is fewer

## About Snyder People attending the lecture given by Rev. Jack Winsett at Snyder Sunday

#### Phone 266 When You Have Guests in Your Home or Go Out of Town

tors in Pecos Sunday.

Ed Bartlett of Winters was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brownfield

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gray and daughters spent Sunday on the D. K. Allison ranch near Post.

Duke Murphy was a visitor in Lub-

W. M. and J. W. Scott attended Mrs. R. L. Bell.

visitor first of the week.

and Freeman Chapman of Sweetwat. Snyder first of the week visiting rela- are visiting with relatives in Pitts-

Kansas, returned to his home Monday Taylor were visitors in Lubbock Philasedan. morning after a visit in Snyder with day.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Blackerd, with her mother, Mr . J. C. Cudd, at

Mrs. J. O. Kelley, Cor.

New Year's day in Sweetwater.

were Fluvanna visitors Sanday.

Misses Nadine and Catherine Todd.

dress to Snyder.

day afternoon.

J L. Vinsyard bas changed his ad-

W. W. Early and son, W. W., Jr.,

Misses Ila and Vera Early visited

Ed J. Thompson of Snyder was a

"siness visitor to Hermleigh Mon-

W. W. Early and C. M. Perry

vere Camp Springs visitors Thursday

Superintendent Pat Bullock of Sny-

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hood of Sny-

O. B. Carthen's parents of Sweet-

water ate 'New Year's dinner here

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith and

Mr. Cole of Flavanna has moved his family here. He will be with Mr.

Chandler in the blacksmith business.

with them last Wednesday.

der were visiting in Hermleigh Sun-

Big Spring Sunday.

R. H. Stovall Monday.

Ward Simpson and Miss Alma more happy birthdays Hood have been visiting with friends in Abilene this week.

Bose Reader of Stephenville was in Mrs. Nelson Dann and children

Ernest Hester of Garden City, Mmes. W. T. Raybon and J. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Adams visited

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Arnold of Snyder dan. were visitors in the C. E. Ross home.

Will'e Kimzey and family spent here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Willie White are the proud parents of a fine baby boy, born January 1, 1920. A fine New Year's present, I say.

Mrs. Howell left Saturday of last until mother was ready. week for Arizona to make her home. We regret very much losing Mrs. Howell from our community.

Bernard Gleastin, Joe Groves, C. E. Ross and family, Mr. and Clyde Rhes, and Mrs. Jim Kelly

Grandma Leslie was 90 years old Sunday, January 5, and many of her Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bell were visi- daughter, Mary Ellen and Mr. and friends had planned to belp her col-Mrs. Lewis Blackard were visitors in brate the occasion in a big way. But Sunday morning she got up not feeling well, and before the day was over Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Stovall of Hale | bad the doctor with ber. She was Center were guests of Mr. and Mrs. suffering from a severe cold. We hope, however, that she will soon he up again, and also wish for her many

The little two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fowler norther town, wandered away from the house Mrs. R. H. Odom spent the week. Sanday. Friends and neighbors go. end at Cross Plains with her mother, ered from far and near, searching diligently all through the night, and finally, about sunrise Monday morn-Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Deakins were ing, the child was found, unharmed guests at the opening of the new except for the exposure. The little Marion Newton was a Fort Worth Hilton hotel in Lubbock Friday eve- six-month-old pup was guarding the babe when found.

New Cars Registered.

Winston Bros., Snyder, Ford pak-Wayne Groggan, Snyder, Ford

C. C. Burroughs, Snyder, Ford

Schley Adams, Snyder, Ford tellin. A. D. Bruton, Snyder, Chrysler John L. Green, Snyder, Ford so

Henry Richter, Knaep, Ford Hugh Taylor & Co., Snyder, Fo. 1

J .C. Carter, Hermleigh, For

D. P. Yoder, Snyder, Chaved

A ludy came to call and as mother was not quite ready to see callers, Billy was sent down to talk with h-

"How old are you?" called the "Nine," said Billy. "And what grade are you in at

"The second," said Billy, "but it's the teacher's feult.

### der was a Hermleige visitor Tueslay

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## HIGHWAY GARAGE

Ralph Hicks, Prop.

#### Banks Optimistic in New Year, He says

Editor Norman of the Hermleig 1 a third of a bale to the acre during Herald has optimistic ideas concern- the last five years. ing Scurry County's future. He The warning is given that last

wrote, in last week's issue: ports, the county is in much better history save 1925 and 1926. The condition than it looks, just as one board, in its statement, says: "Noth- Relief. glances at it. There is plenty of ing but crop failure in Texas in 1929 folks and getting it back is the trou- ican cotton than the world will take President. ble. There are too many people who at a fair price." where the trouble lies.

taining, and when the people of the 17,500,000 bales, while a 10 per cent the President, will decide whether are "chicken-minded" to say the least, south learn not to produce more of reduction in the 1929 acreage, even we are to carry out the promises made and that they have already arrived to 11 times for sixpence a time and she any given commodity than a market with the yield of 1926, would have by both major political parties in the the point where they know and prac- was always home before I'd get theze can be found for, these hard times given a crop of but 15,750,000 baies last campaign to put agriculture on tice true diversification. will come no longer.

Hard times never come until the would have been but 13,500,000 bales. spend-thrift sons.

### **Business Now Close**

more closely associated now than ever average of 16 cents a pound on mid- give agriculture the benefit of the before, J. E. Sentell, Snyder attor. dling 7-8-inch staple of the 1929 crop, tariff. It would raise the price of ney, told Scurry County teachers in the board means to see to it that the wheat 21 cents a bushel, that of corn their second monthly session of the price will be at least that much for 121/2 cents a bushel, and that of cotschool year at the courthouse Satur- the crop of 1930, "This is not so, tou two cents a pound, above the day. Adoption of business methods The Federal Farm Board can not world price. in schools, large and small, was cited protect farmers when they deliberate- It is the only possible way to give Standpoint" featured the meeting. do at planting time.

table discussion on "Types of Exam- no cotton next spring until they have the tariff were effective, wheat would has 33,000 egg room, type of examination as compared reasonable supply of home-raised food country than in Canada or Great Bri-

libraries should be used more freely average of the last five years." by students. As an incentive, he is library books. Every school in the eral Farm Board. much use of the books. The state in conference Monday with Governor nipeg, just across the line, and 12 en plans to install a 16,000 capacity clear hot boiling water. before aid is granted, and that \$10 bankers' association.

started to his eistern to get some struck the house, knocked the pitch- tion from C. S. E. Holland of Hous- raised to 42 cents,-on paper. container all out of shape. Some Association, who expressed the be- more to raise wheat in Kansas than capacity. people will cite this example as one lief that the only way to get relief it does in Canada, as the investiga- The Idalou Electric Hatchery has of the evils of drinking water, Fx. would be to undertake the task of tion showed it does, and wheat is 18 space for 16,000 baby chicks.

#### Sheriff's Sale.

tae of an execution issued out of the gress to aid the farmers in helping tariff law. county court of Scurry County, Text themselves." on the docket of said court, on judy markets of the world." against said defendant for \$559.75. only three or four per cent of the old grandmother wearing a nightcap. with 10 per cent interest thereon per cotton after nine years' work. signated in Scurry County, Texas, to | 9G per cent," he said.

town of Snyder, Texas:

20 in the T. N. Nuan Addition to the . "It is necessary that the farmers in their hands,

town of Snyder, Texas: Third tract: Forry acres lying on being competitors of one another," he the east side of Section No. 153, in said. correction deed from S. J. Casstevens existed peculiar to as many communicalfe said. to J. A. West, dated May 20th, 1924. ties made it imperative that the recorded in deed records of Scurry board maintain a "flexible" policy

above described real estate.

of January, A.D. 1930.

County, Texas, in Book 51, on pages insofar as it could under the law 222 to 224, inclusive, referred to and which created it. made part hereof for full description of said 40 acres of land; And that said property be sold as be competing," Legge kaid.

under execution in satisfaction of said. It is proposed to set up a super judgment fixing a lien on said lands, cooperative organization of \$30,000,levied on as property of said defen- 000 capital through/ which the stare

in Vebruary, A. D. 1930, same being said.

10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., or regional or local groups. I will offer for sale and sell at pub- Williams said a meeting would be He agetion, for eash, to the highest held in Washington Friday when it b oder, all the right, title and interest was hoped to perfect organization of of the said Roy West in and to said the corporation which would act as

Witness my hand, this the 9th day | Farmers will be obliged to give up certain "rights and prerogatives," F. M. BROWNFIELD, when they enter into the organiza-Sheriff of Scurry County, Texas, tion, Williams said. This phase of

#### COTTON ACREAGE

(Continued from Page 1)

year's cotton acreage was too large. According to general financial re- Greater, in fact, than any year in To the farmers of America:

spend more money than they make is Had there been a yield in 1929, such as was produced in 1926, it is When every man becomes self-sus- declared the crop would have been while with the average yield the crop equality with industry or whether we Lubbock's two hatcheries have a

men who are at the source of our Stress is laid on the fact that money supply make a survey and see whereas the 10,000,000-bale crop of that people are going too far in debt. 1923 sold for \$1,600,000,000 that the At these times money matters tight a 18,000,000-bale crop of 1926 sold for up that people might come to their less than a billion dollars. Thus, it senses. It is similar to a father in is urged, although they picked and duty. an effort to check up on a set of ginned 8,000,000 more bales during 1926 than they had in 1923 the farmers of the South not only did this the debenture amendment, which, if work for nothing but paid \$600,000,- accepted by the House and the Presi-000 for the privilege of doing so.

Friend of Education Some cotton farmers think that be- than it has been for more than 60 cause the Federal Farm Board has years. Business and education are being been lending to cooperatives at an This debenture amendment would

Superintendent W. C. Hooks of The Federal Farm Board recom- For instance, we have a tariff now ery takes care of 10,000 eggs. the Dunn schools conducted a round mends that Southern farmers plant of 42 cents a bushel on wheat. If inations," during which the essay first provided acres enough for a be 42 cents a bushel higher in this with the newer types was freely dis- and feed. The board further recom- tain. mends that no land be planted to But the market reports show May County Superintendent A. A. Bul- cotton which has not produced at least wheat selling at \$1.27 a bushel in Progressive, with 49,000, is to put Accompany with spinach, kale or lock told the teachers that the school one-third of a bale per acre on the Kansas City, \$1.45 in iWnnipeg, Calin 16,000 more, while Mrs. Binion's other greens.

each room must be had in the school representatives of the farmers' and The tariff commission made a The Lynch Hatchery and Poultry

Just as a farmer near Mesquite money toward a campaign to organize bushel more to raise wheat in the Lockney, where the Smith Hatch-

"It is absolutely necessary that farmer in Kansas. the farmers group themselves into a The farmer is not asking for a duce at Spur has 36,000 egg room.

ment rendered in said court on May He said that one Texas cooperative 14th, 1929, in favor of said plaintiff, organization had been able to handle

annum from date of judgment, and "We can not reach the other 96 her kneecap. costs of suit, reciting that a writ of per cent individually, since the board attachment issued out of said court must deal solely with cooperative or-

Chairman Legge told the confert the sale of their cotton, First tract: The N. 100 feet of ence that if the attitude of "wonder-Lot No. 3, in Block 21, in original ing what the 'fool' farm board is go- who said he was the only farmer in ing to do," continues the real relief attendance on the conference, declar Second tract: Lot No. 2 in Block will not be much.

get together and quit this thing o

"There are no two states in har | mony on this thing; they all seem to !.

dent; and that on the first Tuesday organizations will work, Williams

February 4th, 1930, at the courthouse | The question up to Texas is whethdoor of Scurry County, Texas, in the er it shall operate to seek aid through lowe of Snyder, between the hours of statewide cooperative organizations.

the super-structure.

#### Congressman Says Farm Relief Fight Now at Its Height

By JOHN E. RANKIN, Member of Congress From Miss.

The fight is on now for real Farm

is now at stake, and may be deter- and proposed increases reveals. mined within the next 60 days.

tages from which he is now suffer- Hatchery having 24,000.

The Senate has performed a great a capacity of 52,000 eggs.

It has written into the tariff bill dent, will come nearer placing agri-Continuing, the statement says: culture on equality with industry

as the chief evidence of this merging. Iy over-plant. What the board will the producers of those commodities as the chief evidence of this merging. By over-plant. What the board will the benefit of the tariff. It is the Barron Electric Hatchery now has five boiled poratoes and a little onion Education From a Business Man's crop will depend upon what farmers only way to make the tariff on them effective.

nada, and \$1.48 in Liverpool, En- Hatchery can turn out 9,000 baby gland. Thus instead of wheat being chicks at one hatching. offering a certificate of award to Texas cotion farmers must organ- 42 cents a bushel higher in the Uniteach student in the county who, ac- ize themselves into a central agency ed States, as it would be if the tariff 16,000 eggs. cording to his or her teacher, has before they can share in the relief were effective, it is 18 cents a bushel made special efforts in reading of offered by Congress through the Fedlower in Kansas City than in Win-hill Hatchery, 24,000, and the broodnipeg and 21 cents lower than in Living plant to be added there for 25,county measures up to rural aid li- This was the message brought by erpool. And even at Minneapolis and ooo, while the Star Feed and Hatchbrary requirements, but the superin- Alexander Legge, chairman, and Carl Chicago it was selling on the same ery is putting in 33,000 capacity

thorough investigation last year of Farm at Hale Center boasts of 52,000 more yearly per room must be in . It would be possible for the farm the cost of raising wheat in this coun- space. board to furnish speakers and edu- try and in Canada, and reported to cational matter, and possibly lend the president that it costs 42 cents a is in reasing 30,000 more.

educating the farmers to the real cents a bushel higher in Canada than | The Ralls Hatchery is giving room meaning of the farm board act. He it is in Kansas, then the Canadian for 15,000 eggs. said he believed this would require farmer is making 60 cents a bushel. The Crosby County Hatchery at more profit on his wheat than is the Crosbyton, has 12,000 capacity.

The state of Texas, county of thorough organization if anything is bounty. All he wants is justicedone," Williams said. "The Federal equality with industry under the tar- eapacity, is doing business. Notice is hereby given that by vir- Farm Board was created by Con- iff, so long as we have the present

The debenture would make that be added. as, by the clerk of said court, on He declared that there must be a tariff effective on agriculture and January 9th, 1930, in the case of centralized agency to "absolutely would give to the growers of wheat, W. R. West vs. Roy West, No. 1063 control the flow of the product to the corn, and cotton the benefits of the tariff now enjoyed by industry.

> We have seen pictures of a dear But we never saw one of her showing

in said cause on March 14th, 1929, ganizations and we can not afford to the proposal was touched on by Preswas on March 14th, 1929, levied on distribute relief in the way of addistribute T. O. Walton of Texas A. & M. ail the undivided interest of said de- vances on cotton to only three or four College, who gave it as his opinion fendant in and to the following lands, per cent to the exclusion of the other the farmers should be permitted to exercise some kind of an option over

Charles B. Metcalfe of San Angelo d that the bankers held the solution

"If they will insist on loaning money to farmers who do not over plant cotton and quit calling then Block No. 3, H. & G. N. Ry. Co. Sur- He pointed out that there could loans on farmers who are endeavorver, lying in Scurry County, Texas, not be a "cut and dried" program, but ing to hold cotton for better prices, and fully described by field notes in declared the varied situations that they will solve the situation," Met

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## **SOUTH PLAINS IS CHICKEN MINDED**

By AL HILL Lubbock Journal Staff Writer.

If every one of the 30 hatcheries The question has been stripped of of the South Plains area were run- earnestness. money, but that is not the seat of prevented a total yield of 16,000,000 all camouflage, and the issue is now ning to capacity, a total production the trouble. Getting money to the bales in the belt. That is more Amer-squarely before Congress, and the of 1,093,000 baby chicks every 21 days I'd be starved long since but for my would be obtained, a check-up of pres- | cat." The fate of American agriculture ent hatcheries, their total capacity

> This check-up further reveals the Within that time Congress, and fact that farmers of the South Plains

are to shut the door of hope in the present total capacity of 164,000, that farmer's face and leave him to endure of the Swain Feed & Hatchery Comindefinitely the economic disadvan- pany having 141,000 and the Lubbock

Weimhold's Hatchery at Sudan has

The Plains Electric Hatchery at Littlefield has a present capacity of 45,000 and will increase another 46,-

At Levelland the Levelland Electric Hatchery now can take care of is to be another 52,000 egg hatchery tin cans and paper sacks. installed by Major H. Rogers.

Brownfield now has 16,000 egg ca- right around and go in debt again. pacity and will add 16,000 soon, while And we call such a man a farm the Brownfield Hatchery can take er!- Exchange. care of 12,000.

Meadow is to have a new hatchery with 6,000 capacity.

48,000 capacity, with 23,000 to be added, while the D. H. Davis Haten-

ditional egg-space added.

The Post Hatchery has room for

Snyder is the home of the Greenincubator soon.

the farmers of Texas by districts, United States than it does in Cana- ery is located, takes care of 47,000. water in a metal pitcher lightning Williams said, replying to a ques- da; hence the tariff on wheat was Floydada Hatchery now has 24,000 with 12,000 more to be added. The er from his hand and twisted the tou, representing the Texas Bankers Now, if it costs 42 cents a bushel Marshall Hatchery here has 24,000

The Crockett Hatchrey and Pro-

Silverton Hatchery, with 16,000

Petersburg Electric Hatchery now has 16,000, with another 16,000 to

The Myrick Farms, near Shallowater, takes care of 33,000. Demand is increasing for high grade roosters and hens. Good chickens

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#### "Och, your honor," said he, "Shure "But for what?" asked his astonished interrogator.

are wanted more than ever before.

Poultry raisers are keeping better

Practically every one of these hatch-

"Your cat, how so?" Shure, your honor. I sowled her

"My eat," rejoined the Irishman.

#### Is He a Farmer?

mid who won't fool with hens, hogs chops place half an apple, cored but

der and the apple is done.

No feed in the bin. " And no canned goods an the certar. But his family still needs to eat. 16,000 eggs at one time, with an- So he will wear a path to the groother 16,000 to be added. And there cery store this winter and live out of

Even though he may have paid him-Chrisholm's Electric Hatchery at self out of debt this year he must turn

To make a good corned beef hash put a pound of cooked corned beef through a meat grinder, with about to flavor. Mix well, add a dash of cayenne, and pat into a lightly greased heavy iron skillet in an even layer. The O'Donnell Electric Hatchery Cook over low heat until a golden brown crust is formed, then place in Tahoka Hatchery now can keep a pan or lid over the skillet, and turn skillet and cook. Slip whole onto : Slaton has two hatcheries. The platter and garnish with parsley.

> Several times a year, or whenever waste water begins to run away slowly from the kitchen sink or wash tubs or other plumbing, the pipe should soften the grease. Follow with a strong solution of caustic potash (lye) DON'T WORRY about your spending

Money may be spent right and left, if there's any left.

## PALACE Theatre

PROGRAM FOR WEEK VITAPHONE PICTURES

VITAPHONE

#### Friday-Saturday, Jan. 10-11 "The Wagon Master"

Featuring Ken Maynard in hi first talking and singing picture. A brand-new bagful of riding tricks is uncorked by this all-American western acc with the aid of his famous horse, "Tarzan."

Also: Comedy and Fox Movietone News

#### Monday-Tuesday, Jan. 13-14 "The Mississippi Gambler"

an all-talking picture featuring Joseph Schlidkraut of "Show Boat" fame. Women and cards -they were his only interest in life until he met the ONE girl in all the world. With Joan Bennett and Carmelita Geraghty.

Special Talking Comedy with Lloyd Hamilton in "Don't Be Nervous"

#### Wednesday-Thursday, Jan. 15-16 "Hold Your Man"

with Laura La Plante in an all-talkie. All star cast assisting. She sought romance in Paris and found that she had

left it at home.

Also an All-Talking Comedy, "Ticklish Business."

#### Why He Left.

"I hadn't quite figured on taking ooks on their flocks than heretofore. my vacation at this time," said Skinepelse to a stranger in the smoker, Invariably these mornings I have to A short time ago a poor Irishman rout the kid out of bed, so he can applied for relief, and upon some do the various chores of the day behe was a proper object for parochial this morning early I went into Jinicharity, enforced his suit with much mie's room and applied the flat of my hand to him where it would do

"There," I said upon returning to my own bedroom, "I guess that will wake Jimmie all right. I went to his parts of sugar to one of water, all room, turned back the bedclothes and gave him a good spanking."

"'What?' shrieked my wife, 'Jimmy stayed with the Jones boys last night, and I put mother in his room!" "So I left the house early, and here I am on my vacation!"

Instead of making apple sauce to The one-crop tarmer who says it's serve with pork, serve baked apples heaper to buy feed than to grow it, occasionally. With very thick pork and cows, didn't win his bet in 1929, hot pecled, on each chop after it has expected to see him drop dead when comments the December 1 OklaLoma been browned, and gook in a casser he received a 13,000 volt shock, but Farmer Stockman.

COLORADO WOMAN HURT IN FT. WORTH ACCIDENT

ries will be in operation by Janu- as the train slid out of the station, the Missouri-Kansas-Texas railway. The Bluebonnet, passenger train of "but I'm taking it just the same. plowed into an automobile at a grade crossing in Ft. Worth Wednesday, seriously injuring Mrs. T. M. Bailey doubt being expressed as to whether fore the sun gets so blamed high. So Addie Roberts of Colorado, The sisters were on their way to visit a reiative when the accident occurred.

> For sweetening punches and fruit beverages, made syrup, using two cooked together for about 10 minutes and cooled. This sweetens more uniformly than granulated sugar and is more economical.

"I have a fine idea for a slow motion film," said the author.

"What is it?" asked the producer.

"Two Scotchmen going into a theatre to buy tickets."

Workers with a lineman at Spur He has no meat in the smokehouse, without water, until the meat is ten-climbing down from the pole, inquired, "When do we eat?"

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tendent stated that few schools make Williams, cotton member of the board, day at \$1.34, or 11 cents under Winhatchery equipment. H. G. Niedecklater flush again very thoroughly with Mollie and me, and save enough to or caustic soda, and half an hour money for 1930. Trade with Just FOR RENT-Furnished bed room .start a bank account.

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Snyder, Texas.

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20-tfc der Hatchery, H. G. Niedecken. 18-tfc GET 16c GAS from Terry at the old OUR 16,000-EGG INCUBATOR will be here January 15. Book your or-(20tfc) ders now for chicks and custom hatching. Chicks will be priced according to quality. Hatching, 3c an egg.—Snyder Hatchery.

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