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SCURRYLY SPEAKING

GEORGE Washington was just a few years ago tomorrow. Just a few years ago? No, just yesterday, when America was in her swaddling clothes—when the sons of men went forth to war. Because folks probably tire of this column every week, and because the words of Washington himself compose a classic editorial at the bottom of this page, I shall be kind to readers by using only two paragraphs.

ELIGIBILITY OF GUARD PROVEN

Delbert Burdine, guard on the Snyder basketball team, was declared eligible to engage in interscholastic league contests, at a meeting of the district executive committee in Abilene Wednesday afternoon. Big Spring charged that Burdine was ineligible for failure to comply with rules of residence and guardianship, and the local player was called from the floor during the district tournament last week-end just before the Colorado game.

Snyder was represented by W. N. Corry, high school principal, and Coach Otis M. (Red) Moore. Mr. Corry entered a counter protest from Snyder, endeavoring to show that the meet had been conducted without regard to rules of fair competition, that playing hours had been changed without notice, and that morale of the Snyder team had been broken when Burdine was called off the floor just before the Colorado game, in which the Tigers were eliminated from the tournament. None of the protests were encouraged. Local school authorities state that nothing could possibly have been done, but that the protests were entered in order to vindicate Snyder's position.

B. H. McLain of Sweetwater, director of the tournament at Big Spring, was made defendant in chief, defense counsel and star witness for the defense, all in one, according to the Abilene Report.

Superintendent R. O. Martin of Blackwell's charge that Divide, Nolan County representative that reached the tournament final, was ineligible, not having been certified as the county champion, was dismissed.

Besides R. D. Green, director-general of the district, and W. D. Arnett, athletic director of the district, members of the committee present were W. O. Willingham, Albany; L. S. Johnson, Stamford; E. M. Connell, Anson; Ben F. Pusk, Colorado, and J. L. Boren, Baird. About 20 men attended the hearing.

Charley Lockhart Is Snyder Visitor This Week; Is Candidate

Charley Lockhart, candidate for state treasurer, was a Snyder visitor early this week. The former Scurry County man, who is a brother of Jim Lockhart, was making new friends and shaking hands with old ones as he circled Snyder square.

Mr. Lockhart, before his removal to Austin, was treasurer of Scurry County for 16 years. He has been depository manager in the state treasury department for 10 years. He pledges, if elected to the office, his seeks, faithful and efficient service to every public trust.

"I am looking to my friends in Scurry County to place my name before the people of Texas," Mr. Lockhart said Monday. "I intend to canvass parts of the state thoroughly, but my chief efforts will be directed toward getting my old and new friends to working for my election."

Auto Is Recovered After Cards Mailed

When J. A. Woodfin, city marshal, sent out cards describing a stolen car, to officers of surrounding communities Saturday, he did not expect to receive a reply within 24 hours. But he did.

Dan Smith, who lives six miles east of town, missed his Chevrolet roadster from his place Friday night. The officers were notified. Cards were mailed. Sunday an officer phoned from Colorado with the statement that the car had been recovered. The marshal returned it to its owner after getting it Sunday night.

The machine was found in first-class shape, with the exception of an emptied gasoline tank, on the highway, near Lorraine.

P. T. A. RAISES FUNDS FOR NEW EATING PLACE

The new Snyder school cafeteria is financed and sponsored solely by the Parent-Teacher Association is the assertion of C. Wedgeworth, superintendent of schools, and Mrs. Hugh Taylor, president of the sponsoring group.

The assertion was made when reports claiming that the cafeteria is being partly financed by the school board, were circulated.

"Every penny of equipment placed in the cafeteria rooms, and every repair bill, were paid by the Parent-Teacher Association, according to the superintendent. The cafeteria has been a success from its beginning to the present time, and school officials are well pleased with it; but the board has not furnished and will not furnish any amount for financing the enterprise."

Funds for providing the cafeteria have been secured through several sources. Two plays have been staged by the P. T. A. Members have held benefit parties of various kinds in their homes. Chickens were voluntarily brought to school by pupils and teachers, funds from the sale of which went directly into equipping the new eating rooms, and which were not used in any way by those to whom the cafeteria has been leased.

Both Mr. Wedgeworth and Mrs. Taylor state that Mrs. W. C. Hamilton and O. S. Williamson, to whom the cafeteria has been leased, have handled the eating place satisfactorily in every respect, and that the growing patronage of students and faculty members evidences its acceptance as a needed asset to the school system.

COMMITTEES NAMED BY C. C.

Committees for carrying on work of the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce for the new fiscal year were chosen by the board of directors at their session Thursday evening of last week. The following were chosen:

Finance committee—O. P. Thrane, chairman, A. A. Bullock, Clarence Wenninger, J. C. Stinson, Joe Caton, Ernest Taylor.

Membership committee—Warren Dodson, chairman, J. M. Harris, W. C. Hamilton, H. L. Davis, W. W. Smith.

Entertainment committee—C. Wedgeworth, chairman, H. P. Rogers, Earl Fish, Mrs. L. T. Stinson, Mrs. H. G. Towle, Ralph Odum.

Publicity committee—Willard Jones, chairman, George F. (Jimmy) Smith, Andy Anderson.

Good roads committee—Horace Leath, chairman, A. C. Prentiss, Horace Holley.

Agricultural committee—J. P. Jamison, chairman, Harrie Winston, W. O. Logan, Joe Roemisch, Henry Richter, C. E. Trussell, O. H. Holliday, W. A. Taylor, W. M. Boussett, T. Cornelius Davis, Miss Jessie Lee Davis.

New business committee—H. G. Towle, chairman, Clarence Wenninger, Clyde Shull.

WORK ON ROAD IS UNDER WAY

Work on the strip of almost ten miles on Highway No. 7, between Hermleigh and the east county line, was started early this week, according to County Judge Horace Holley. The contract calls for completion of the work within 140 working days from the early part of this month.

A new route, surveyed early in the winter by state engineers after considerable controversy concerning the designation, will be followed, cutting about a mile from the present winding, unpaved route. The new road will go straight east on the outskirts of Hermleigh, rather than turning to the left, as the present routing does. It will follow the R. S. & P. tracks most of the distance.

The contract calls for complete grading of the road, and placing of permanent drainage structures. State engineers have assured Scurry County that the strip will be paved within the next 12 months if the present policy of highway building is carried through.

Combs May Be Speaker at C. C.'s Feed

Judge C. E. Combs of Stamford, West Texas Chamber of Commerce director, will probably be the chief speaker at the annual Scurry County Chamber of Commerce banquet next Thursday evening at 7:30, at the Presbyterian church.

O. P. Thrane, finance committee chairman of the local organization, who has attempted to secure Judge Combs' consent to be here, has received no negative answer, and is certain that the Jones County speaker will be present.

C. Wedgeworth, chairman of the entertainment committee, is planning a full program for the evening, according to Secretary J. W. Scott. Ticket sales are in the hands of the directors. More than 100 places are expected to be filled. District Judge Fritz R. Smith will be toastmaster for the occasion.

Invitations and complimentary tickets have been sent to chambers of commerce at Abilene, Sweetwater, Gaft, Big Spring, Lamesa, Colorado, Roscoe, Ralls, and Rotan.

BULLOCK GOES TO N. E. A. MEET

A. A. Bullock, county superintendent, left by train for Atlantic City, N. J., Wednesday night, where he will attend the annual convention of the National Educational Association. The educators will hold forth in the "boardwalk" city February 23-28.

Mr. Bullock plans to be gone for two weeks. His office will be in charge of Miss Mabel Isaacs during his absence.

Direct contact with the leading educators of America and other countries will be of benefit to his efforts to put Scurry County to the forefront educationally. Mr. Bullock believes. Problems of school teaching and school management will be approached from every angle.

At Fort Worth the Snyder man will join other school men of Texas, who will continue in a body to the eastern coast city.

Teachers Meet to Be March 8 Not March 1

Date for the regular monthly session of Scurry County teachers has been changed from March 1 to March 8, according to Superintendent A. A. Bullock.

A complete program will be announced next week.

SIXTEEN SCHOOLS ALREADY ON INVITATION TRACK MEET BOOK

Sixteen schools have sent word to Director W. N. Corry that they will enter teams in the invitation track and field meet to be held in Snyder Saturday, March 8. Twelve of these include schools to which invitations were extended, and four are from uninvited schools, which request for entry will be honored.

Awards in the meet will be made in both class A and class B divisions, although competition will be together. Interscholastic League rules will be followed, except that any school may enter any boy who is in school at the present time.

Acceptances of the invitations extended last week are expected from the remaining 18 schools are expected within a few days, according to the director.

Mrs. Hamilton and J. C. Smyth Talk to Grammar Students

"The Four-Square Girl" was the subject on which Mrs. W. W. Hamilton addressed the junior high schools in their special meeting on February 7.

As an illustration of the four ways of growth, Mrs. Hamilton quoted the scripture pertaining to the growth of Christ, that he "grew in wisdom, in stature, and in favor with God and man." To use simpler terms, she called them growth in knowledge, growth in size, social growth, and spiritual growth, and showed how each was necessary to make a four-square or all-around girl. She emphasized the fact that if one was cultivated to the neglect of the others, a girl would become "lopsided."

The talk was very interesting and instructive, and was enjoyed by all the girls. On Friday morning, two weeks ago, the boys of grammar school were honored with a visit by J. C. Smyth. The visitor gave a clever impersonation, after which he talked to the boys on "The Train of Life." He impressed on the boys to live a clean, straight life, doing the things that would make them good citizens and clean men.

The boys enjoyed his visit, and were happy to have him with them. We hope to have more of the men of our town to visit us and become inspiration to our boys.—Reporter.

Census Supervisor Is Here This Week

Irvin E. Barr of Lubbock, census supervisor for the district of which Scurry County is a part, was in Snyder Wednesday conferring with Mmes. E. J. Anderson and O. P. Thrane, who will take the county's manufacturing and distribution census.

Arrangements were completed for beginning the census within a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Newton were visitors in Plainview Sunday.

Exhibits for V. A.'s Will Be Saturday

Saturday, February 23, the vocational agricultural classes of Snyder high school will exhibit their project work to the people of Scurry County on the public square.

There will be calves, sheep, poultry, swine and other things of interest to the public. Record books will be an exhibit for each project, to show class of production.

J. E. Jamison, V. A. teacher, states that the public is cordially invited to visit the exhibits and ask questions about the work and plans for the future progress of the vocational program in high school.

Saturday, March 1, the grain judging team of Snyder high school will go to Floydada and compete in a judging contest sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce of that city. Three boys selected from the V. A. classes of high school will represent the local school in the contest.

QUARTET GOES TO SAN ANGELO

Four Scurry County officers attended the semi-annual session of the West Texas Sheriff's Association in San Angelo Thursday and Friday of last week. Sheriff F. M. Brownfield, Deputies Oliver Wills of Fluvanna and W. D. Hooper of Hermleigh, and County Judge Horace Holley composed the group.

The sheriff says the meeting was the most successful he has attended, and he is looking forward to another great time when the officers meet in Brady in the fall. The state convention of sheriffs is to be held in El Paso later in the year.

More than 150 law enforcers from all parts of West Texas attended the session.

Mr. Brownfield says there was only one sheriff in the congregation smaller than himself, but that he took in the convention as fully as if he had been six-foot-four. The judge says the sheriffs wouldn't let him into the group picture, which was being displayed in the court house Wednesday.

W. T. Raybon made Club Leader Again

W. T. Raybon was re-elected as president of the Snyder County Club at its annual election last week, and Dr. J. G. Hicks will serve as vice president. G. A. Hagan was again selected as secretary-treasurer. Dr. Hicks was formerly a director.

The new board of directors is composed of Earl Fish, Ivan Dodson, Dr. W. R. Johnson, Ernest Taylor and Charles Harless.

More trees will be placed on the course, two miles north of town, during the coming year, it was decided. Other improvements will be made also.

Fifty-four active members are on the club's roster.

Sports Club of High School Has Banquet

The Sport's Club, recently organized in the Snyder high school, enjoyed a banquet given Thursday evening, February 13, in the new school cafeteria.

Those present for the delightful occasion were Messrs. Lucille Brown, Brent Anderson, Bobbie Chambers, Mildred Harless, Audra Jenkins, Marguerite Persons, Marjorie Harless, Floye Brownfield, Ida Sue Wallace, Charline Ely, Jemette Lollar, Gwendolyn Gray; Messrs. Homer Springfield, John Billy Beggs, Dodson Smith, G. L. Huestis, N. R. Clements, Otis Moore, Johnnie Jenkins, Gordon Gray, Creston Fish, Cloyce Drinkard and W. O. Logan.

District Track Meet To Be Held March 18

The district track and field meet for interscholastic league division No. 9 will be held in Abilene April 18 and 19, it was learned by W. N. Corry, Snyder high principal, at the district committee meeting Wednesday. The tennis tournament will be held in the same city April 11.

Coach "Red" Moore of the Tiger track and field men is now on the job with more than 30 thirty-clad candidates. The basketball men who are also track performers are included in the new group of regulars.

SNYDER STEPS ON BIG SPRING, LOSES TO WOLF

After whipping the Big Spring Steers, 20 to 18, on the opening day of the district-basket ball tournament at Big Spring last week-end, the Snyder-Tigers were defeated by Colorado in the semi-finals. The Wolves won the title of the western half of the district in the finals when they defeated the Divide entry from Nolan County.

Burdine, Snyder guard, was taken from the floor just before the game with Colorado, due to an ineligibility protest from Big Spring, which had been defeated by the Tigers on the previous day. His absence from the game, plus the fact that the Tigers were forced, against rules of fair competition, to play Colorado early in the morning following the Big Spring tussle, are claimed to have effected the morale of the team and caused erratic play. The Wolves won an early-season game from the Tigers on Mitchell County court, but the locals later walloped the Coloradans by a more decisive score.

Abilene, who won the eastern half title, defeated Colorado, 22 to 17, in the first game of a two-out-of-three series Monday night at Colorado. The second game of the series was scheduled for Thursday night of this week. The Tigers defeated the Abilene entries in two games played this season.

TRIO JAILED IN ROBBERY HERE

Three boys with a supreme trust in Lady Luck burst a glass in front of the Highway Garage Wednesday morning just at daylight, and escaped with \$20 in small change. Several merchants and others who had come to town early heard the crash, and several witnesses saw the young men drive away in a small coupe.

Sheriff F. M. Brownfield, who was notified at once, phoned officers in surrounding towns to be on a lookout for the robbers. A telephone call from Deputy W. D. Hooper of Hermleigh a few minutes later informed local officers that the car had passed through that town. The sheriff and Deputy Horace Leath set their noses to the trail, and caught up with the alleged cash register riflers just after the Roscoe officers had arrested them.

The three are now in the county jail, and their ear is in custody. Small coins totaling \$47.50 in value were taken from the boys' pockets by the officers. Most of the money was in nickels and dimes, and half dollars was the largest denomination.

One of the boys claims Amberst, in the Panhandle, as his home, and the other two say they hail from East Texas.

League Meet to Be Held on March 21-22

The Scurry County division of the Interscholastic League will hold its yearly meet in Snyder, March 21 and 22, it has been decided by executive officers.

Preparations are being made by schools in all parts of the county to enter teams in field, track and literary events. Director E. C. McCarter of Fluvanna believes that the 1930 meet will be the most successful in the county's history, and he looks for winning teams to go to the district meet.

Snyder school officials assure entrants that the 1930 officials, and all other arrangements will be made when title for the meet comes.

"Hot Tamale Land" To Be Club Musicales

"Hot Tamale Land" will be the outstanding stage production of the year for Snyder, Homer Springfield, director, believes.

The musical comedy by that name, which will be sponsored on the high school stage by the Business Men's Luncheon Club early in March, will include a select cast whose parts will be chosen carefully, Spring says. The first production will probably be called "some time" this week. Proceeds from the play will go toward payment of the bandmaster's salary.

D. S. Coffman of Dallas is in Snyder for an indefinite period of time working with the Texas Electric Service Company.

From The Farewell Address

... As avenues to foreign influence in innumerable ways, such attachments are particularly alarming to the truly enlightened and independent patriot. How many opportunities do they afford to tamper with domestic factions, to practice the arts of seduction, to mislead public opinion, to influence or awe the public councils! Such an attachment of a small or weak towards a great and powerful nation dooms the former to be the satellite of the latter.

Against the insidious wiles of foreign influence, I conjure you to believe me, fellow-citizens, the jealousy of a free people ought to be constantly awake; since history and experience prove that foreign influence is one of the most baneful foes of republican government. But that jealousy, to be useful, must be impartial, else it becomes the instrument of the very influence to be avoided, instead of a defense against it. Excessive partiality for one foreign nation, and excessive dislike of another cause those whom they actuate to see danger only on one side, and serve to veil and even second the arts of influence on the other. Real patriots who may resist the intrigues of the favorite are liable to become suspected and odious, while its tools and dupes usurp the applause and confidence of the people to surrender their interests.

The great rule of conduct for us, in regard to foreign nations, is, in extending our commercial relations, to have with them as little political connection as possible. So far as we have already formed engagements, let them be fulfilled with perfect good faith. Here let us stop ...

—George Washington.

Mrs. Webb Hostess
To 20th Century.

Mrs. R. W. Webb was hostess to the Twentieth Century Club Tuesday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. Della Hailey. Leader for the interesting study lesson was Mrs. P. C. Chenault.

During roll call, current events were given. Mrs. B. M. West told of the "White Steed of the Prairie." A reading was given by Martha Gray, club guest. Mrs. Joe Strayhorn discussed the first corn crop in Texas. Episodes at ranch community dances were discussed by Mmes. H. J. Brice, I. W. Boren, Allen Warren and C. E. Fish. A reading, "The Ambulance in the Valley," was given by Mrs. I. A. Griffin, and Miss Eloise Scott, club guest, gave a talk on "Camp Fire Girls."

Delicious two-course refreshments were served to the following club members: Mmes. H. M. Blackard, I. W. Boren, H. J. Brice, P. C. Chenault, Nelson Dunn, W. J. Ely, C. E. Fish, I. A. Griffin, H. E. Rosser, W. T. Raybon, Joe Strayhorn, J. J. Taylor, Allen Warren, B. M. West, W. W. Smith and O. S. Williamson. Guests were Misses Joe Hailey, Effie McLeod, Martha Gray, Eloise Scott, and Mrs. Della Hailey.

Bruton-Vandiver
Wedding Friday.

Leman Vandiver and Miss Sadie Mae Bruton were united in marriage on Friday morning, February 14, at the home of Minister W. M. Speck.

The bride was dressed in a lovely blue crepe and had accessories to match. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bruton of this city, a graduate of the mid-term graduating class of Snyder high school, and for the last month has been employed as librarian at the school.

Mr. Vandiver is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Vandiver of the Plainview community.

The young couple will make their home near Snyder in the Plainview community.

Mrs. Gibson Hostess
To San Souci Club.

On Friday evening, Mrs. Dan Gibson entertained the San Souci Club at the home of Mrs. Dora Cunningham.

The Valentine motif was used in the attractive decorations.

Bridge games were enjoyed, after which Mrs. Gibson served very delicious refreshments to Mmes. Wayne Boren, Albert Norred, J. M. Harris, J. P. Nelson, Lewis Blackard, Forest Sears, Jesse Sellers, J. E. Hicks, Melvin Blackard, Misses Sallie Evelyn Boone, Neoma Strayhorn, Hattie and Gertrude Herm, Edith Grantham, and Blanche Mitchell, members. Guests were Mrs. Dora Cunningham, Misses Mattie Ross and Maurine Cunningham.

Latest Styles in Show.

The latest modes in settings, furniture and gowns are seen in "Paris," Irene Bordoni's first film vehicle, the colorful First National picture at the Palace Theatre Monday and Tuesday. All the settings and furniture are futuristic, while the gowns are up-to-the-minute and then some. For Miss Bordoni is not only an actress but a creator of fashions.

Georgia Rose cold cream, 35c—at Stinson's.

Alumnae to Have
Banquet March 3.

The alumnae of the University of Texas will have a Texas Day Banquet on Monday evening, March 3. All exes are invited to attend. Call either telephone 126 or 233.

Club Members Meet
With Husbands.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Brice entertained members of the Twentieth Century Club and their husbands Thursday evening, February 13, at their home.

Valentine decorations were very attractive, and in serving the delicious two-course refreshments, Mrs. Brice was assisted by Misses Maurine Stinson, Mary Ellen Martin, May Rogers, Mrs. George Webb of Baird and Mrs. Guy Stoker of Eastland, who wore dainty aprons and hats carrying out the Valentine motif.

Forty-two games were enjoyed during the evening. The guests were: Messrs. and Mmes. H. M. Blackard, I. W. Boren, C. E. Fish, W. T. Raybon, J. J. Taylor, P. C. Chenault, Ollie Bruton, Roland Bell, O. S. Williamson, A. L. Stoker, J. C. Dorwood, George Northcutt, C. F. Sontell, Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Rosser, Dr. and Mrs. I. A. Griffin, Mmes. Joe Strayhorn, W. J. Ely, Guy Stoker of Eastland, George Webb of Baird, Misses Neoma Strayhorn, Loyce Clark, Mary Ellen Martin, Maurine Stinson, Roberta Ely, Frances Northcutt, May Rogers, Estine Dorwood and Roberta Raybon.

Ripple Tea Given
Saturday Afternoon.

Mrs. Dora Cunningham, assisted by her daughters, Misses Mattie Ross and Maurine Cunningham and Mrs. Dan Gibson, entertained with a forty-two party Saturday afternoon for the benefit of the new cafeteria fund.

After forty-two games, the hostesses served delicious refreshments, carrying out the Valentine motif.

Those present were Mmes. C. R. Buchanan, J. P. Morgan, Joe Strayhorn, H. L. Wren, P. C. Chenault, J. W. Crowley, S. J. Cassstevens, Martin Norred, Wade Winston, Hugh Taylor, J. P. Jamison, B. M. West, J. Monroe, W. G. Williams and C. E. Fish.

Great Men Party
At Jones Home.

Pauline Jones was hostess to 18 members of the Spiz B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist church in a "Great Men" party, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Jones, Thursday evening of last week.

Hearts, hatches, airplanes, and silhouettes of great men born during the month of February served as attractive decorations in the reception room. A number of games and contests, most of them carrying out the birthdays of Washington, Lincoln, Lindbergh, Lowell, Longfellow, and Daniel Boone, were played by the guests. Contests carrying out the Valentine motif were also conducted.

Tempting refreshments were served to Misses Mabel Isaacs, Lila Mae Williamson, Allene Tate, Maurine Cunningham, and the hostess; Messrs. Arthur Duff, Erton Tate, Barney Dunnam, Roy Irvin, Alvis Erwin, Hershel Rucker, Jack Isaacs, Davis Shaw, Ross Shaw, Lee Price, J. C. Smyth, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Newton and son, Melvin, Jr.

Thirty-Five Snyder Women
Attend Sweetwater Meeting

The Sweetwater Business and Professional Women's Clubs entertained 85 out-of-town guests with a seated ten Sunday afternoon, February 16, from 3:00 to 5:00 o'clock.

The Elks hall was effectively decorated throughout with tall baskets of spring-like flowers. Scarlet carnations and tulips graced the table which held the punch bowl.

The guests were met at the door by Miss Edna Cordell, chairman of the Sweetwater social committee, and passed in turn by Miss Madeline Nebbett and Mrs. W. W. Hudson to the receiving line which consisted of the entire personnel of the Sweetwater club, headed by Miss Lorene Williams, president.

Snyder, with 35 delegates, arrived first. The guest book was presided over by Miss Evelyn Hudspeth. They were closely followed by an Abilene delegation of 19 and by the same number from Colorado. San Angelo was represented by 10 members, and Stamford by two. Miss Theo Williams furnished music while the guests assembled.

After an address of welcome, Miss Williams turned the meeting over to Miss Emma Lee Hemby, vice president, who introduced the entertainers. Little Miss Joyce Turner opened the program with clever personality songs. She was followed by her mother, Mrs. P. H. Turner, who gave two highly diverted numbers. Miss Roberts Warren demonstrated the art of tap dancing. A quartet of Gypsy Girls sang several numbers.

B. & P. Club Meets
Monday Evening.

The Business and Professional Women's Club held a very interesting meeting at the Chamber of Commerce hall Monday evening.

The business meeting which preceded the program revealed, through reports of standing committees, that all departments were actively at work to promote the aims of the club.

The alert health committee reported flowers sent to the sick and names were given of those members who were in need of a bit of sympathy. Two names were added to the membership list, those of Mrs. Bertha May Brooks and Miss Lillie R. Herbert.

The publicity committee, evidencing a desire to extend their service, were authorized to issue a bulletin at the club's expense.

It was decided that the unsold articles which had been contributed to the Christmasazaar would be placed in a grab bag and sold at fifty cents a grab. The finance committee was instructed to make arrangements for the event.

Membership for the club in the Chamber of Commerce for the remainder of the active year was asked for upon a schedule of two and a half dollars per month dues. This indicated that the club is asking the Chamber of Commerce to be allowed to co-operate in community service. Daisy Smith and Kathrine Thraue gave interesting reports of the reception which the Sweetwater women tendered the clubs of the district Sunday afternoon.

The program was in charge of three members of the health committee, namely, Louise Darby, Alma Frank and Clair Claunch. The theme being "Health," roll call was answered by response to: "One thing I do to keep well." Mrs. A. C. Pruitt was a visitor. She played the accompaniment to a vocal selection sung by Ophelia Blackard.

The visit of Dr. Cureit was a novel surprise. Evidently, the hostesses knew, from the roll call, that the safeguards to health being practiced were insufficient, and they brought this handsome young doctor, at their own expense, to prescribe and minister to those who were suffering in any way from ills and discomforts of life. Dr. Cureit proved to be decidedly a ladies' man, and his understanding of the category of human ills, together with his ready remedies, was very remarkable. He performed temporary cessations from the pangs of such painful maladies as: Lean pocket-book, troublesome neighbors, enlargement of the grocery bill, bald-headed husbands, sour temper, and many other chronic diseases. Another remarkable thing about Dr. Cureit was the striking resemblance he bore to our voluble member, Maurine Cunningham.

Mattie Ross Cunningham read a very able paper on the subject of "Good Health as a Business Asset." The hour of meeting was changed from 7:00 o'clock to 7:30, the regular time being on the first and third Tuesday evenings in each month.

Recall antiseptic, pint, 50c—at Stinson's.

Recall alcohol, pint, 40c—Stinson's.

El Feliz Meets in
Stoker Home.

El Feliz Club members and guests were entertained in the home of Mrs. A. L. Stoker, several miles northwest of Snyder, Friday afternoon.

Forty-two games were played, and the hostess, assisted by Mrs. George Webb of Baird and Mrs. Guy Stoker of Eastland, served two-course refreshments to Mmes. Hugh Boren, H. J. Brice, W. H. Cauble, A. J. Cody, J. C. Dorwood, G. A. Hagan, C. C. Higgins, T. L. Lollar, George Northcutt, R. H. Odum, Gertie Smith, R. S. Snow, L. T. Stinson, H. G. Towle, A. E. Wieso, Wade Winston, club members. Guests were Mmes. O. P. Thraue, J. Monroe, C. E. Fish, C. F. Sontell, George Webb of Baird and Guy Stoker of Eastland.

The meeting was thrown open for an informal round table discussion. The president of each club recounted recent achievements and told of plans for future work. Committee chairmen compared notes and exchanged ideas in a fine spirit of mutual helpfulness.

Snyderites present were: Mmes. C. R. Buchanan, Hallie Strickland, Zilpha Teague, W. W. Smith, W. W. Hall, Billy Frank, Mabel German, J. M. Claunch, Joe Caton, R. E. Gray, A. G. Eiland, Sam Cassstevens, M. E. Miles, Woodie Scarborough, Edna Tinker, O. P. Thraue, Mable Deakins, Ottilie Lollar, L. E. Darby; Misses Anne Duncan, Mattie Clark, Elinor German, Elva Lemons, Gladys Mitchell, May McClinton, Maudie Harrel, Georgia Bolin, Effie McLeod, Jessyle Stinson, Eloise Scott, Marilu Rosser, Martha Gray, Marguerite Penson and Blanche Mitchell.

After the enjoyable forty-two games, Mrs. Chenault served delicious refreshments to Messrs. and Mmes. R. L. Gray, T. A. Kennard, E. P. Sears, H. M. Blackard, W. G. Williams, W. W. Smith and Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Avary.

Woodman Circle Has
Two-fold Meeting.

The Woodman Circle had a two-fold meeting at the home of Mrs. Banks last Friday afternoon—a regular business meeting and a Valentine entertainment.

The reception room and the dining room were beautifully decorated in Valentine reminders. A lovely decorated chair was provided for Mrs. Anna Moffett, the oldest member present. All the other members gave her a rising salute with the salute of honor.

Our new district manager, Mrs. Jennie B. Garner, was present. She made an interesting talk on our orphans' and old people's home at Sherman.

After the business session was over, the members and guests enjoyed themselves in a Valentine entertainment, after which delicious refreshments were served.

Forty-Two Party
Friday Evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stoker entertained with a forty-two party Friday evening at their home, several miles northwest of Snyder.

Beautiful Valentine decorations were seen in the entertaining rooms, and also a profusion of lovely flowers. After the enjoyable games, Mrs. Stoker served delicious refreshments to the following guests: Messrs. and Mmes. O. S. Williamson, J. Monroe, O. P. Thraue, H. J. Brice, H. P. Brown, L. T. Stinson, J. C. Dorwood, George Northcutt, Roland Bell, W. H. Cauble, Mrs. Guy Stoker of Eastland, Mrs. George Webb of Baird, and Frank Stoker.

DIRECTORY FOR ORGANIZATIONS
IN CHURCHES OF CITY

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH. Meetings: First Thursday in each month. President, Mrs. Clyde Boren. T. E. L. Meetings: First Wednesday in each month. President, Mrs. H. L. Rosser. Alathean. Meetings: First Thursday in each month. President, Mrs. W. M. Scott. Estradoma. Meetings: Second Wednesday afternoon in each month. President, Mrs. Wayne Williams. Faithful Followers. Meetings: First Wednesday in each month. President, Miss Al'n Bowers. Mrs. Eiland's Class. Meetings: First Monday evening in each month. President, Miss Maxine Shuler. FIRST PRESBYTERIAN. Missionary Society. Meetings: First and third Mon-

days in each month. 2:30 p. m. President, Mrs. C. R. Buchanan. Ladies' Aid. Meetings: Second and fourth Mondays in each month. 2:30 p. m. President, Mrs. S. T. Eliza. M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH. Victory. Meetings: Second Wednesdays in each month. President, Mes. J. C. Dorwood. Crusaders. Meetings: Third Friday evenings in each month. President, Miss Joe Hailey. Friendly Helpers. Meetings: Last Thursday in each month. President, Mrs. L. T. Stinson. CHURCH OF CHRIST. Ladies' Bible Class. Meetings: Every Wednesday afternoon, 3 p. m. Teacher, W. M. Speck. FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST. Ladies' Aid. Meetings: Every Monday afternoon in each month. President, Mrs. J. M. Hamlett.

DIRECTORY AND CALENDAR FOR
CLUBS OF SNYDER

COUNTY FEDERATION. Object: Closer cooperation between 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: Second and fourth Fridays in each month. President, Mrs. Forest Sears. BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S CLUB. Character of work to be accomplished: Better Business Women for a Better Business World. Meetings: First and third Tuesday evenings in each month. Mrs. C. R. Buchanan, president. THURSDAY NIGHT BRIDGE CLUB. Object: Pleasure. Meetings: Alternate Thursday evenings. W. T. Raybon, president. MOTHER'S SELF CULTURE CLUB. Course of study: Foreign arts, dramatics, music and sculpture. Meetings: Second and fourth Tuesdays in each month. President, Mrs. B. M. West. TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB. Course of study: Legends of Texas and varied programs. Meetings: Alternate Tuesdays begin-

ning January 7. President, Mrs. Allen Warren. EL FELIZ CLUB. Object: Pleasure. Meetings: Alternate Fridays beginning with January 17. President, Mrs. L. T. Stinson. MUSICAL COTERIE. Course of study: Musical instruments. Meetings: First Wednesday in each month. President, Mrs. A. C. Pruitt. Instructor: J. W. Crowley. PARENT-TEACHERS. Object: Close cooperation between the teachers and parents. Meetings: Third Thursday evening in each month at the high school auditorium. President, Mrs. Hugh Taylor. ALPHA STUDY CLUB. Course of study, art and dramatics; also varied programs. Meetings: Second and fourth Tuesdays in each month. President, Mrs. J. E. Sontell. ALTRURIAN CLUB. Course of study: Shakespeare's Julius Caesar and History of Western Literature. Meetings: Alternate Fridays beginning with January 10. President, Mrs. Joe Caton. SINE CURE CLUB. Object: Pleasure. Meetings: Alternate Tuesdays beginning with January 7. President, Mrs. R. H. Curnette.

Miss Webb Hostess
To Friends.

Miss Mavis Webb entertained a few of her friends Friday evening at the home of her sister, Mrs. No-1 Banks, in Borden County.

Those enjoying the delightful occasion were Misses Dorothy Egerton, Allene Curry, Doris Deak, Jauncey Thompson, Edid Sears, Adelle Jauch and Nana Bess Egerton.

Dinner Party at
Manhattan Friday.

Miss Margaret Deakins, assisted by her mother, Mrs. E. M. Deakins, entertained with a lovely dinner party Friday evening at the Manhattan Hotel.

Tables were centered with bouquets of beautiful red carnations and other decorations carried out the Valentine motif.

After the delicious three-course dinner had been served, forty-two and bridge games were enjoyed.

The guest list included Misses Janice and Evelyn Erwin, Clarine Ely, Cavendish Gray, Maurine Lamber, Ada Nelle Teague, Jeannette Lollar, Ruby Lee, Beverly Chambers, Fern Wright, Brentz Anderson, Dixie Lee Davis, Saxton West, Leona Samples, Lonetta Byrd, Johnnie Mathison and Mary Janet Smith.

Per-tout aspirins, 100's, 49 cents, at Stinson's.

Birthday Party for
Helen Cauble.

On Saturday afternoon from 3:00 until 5:00 o'clock, Mrs. W. H. Cauble entertained with a party honoring her daughter, Helen, on her thirteenth birthday.

Many lovely presents were received by the honoree. Various games were played during the afternoon, and delicious cream and angel food cake was served by the hostess.

Guests were Misses Frances Northcutt, La Frances Hamilton, Estine Dorwood, Nell Carlton, Mary Margaret Towle, Allen Garner, Frances Stinson, Virginia Wills, Margaret Miller, Christine Robinson, Evelyn Erwin, Rose Anna Reynolds, Roberta Ely, Netha Lynn Rogers, Florentz Winston, Beverly Chambers and Billy Cauble.

S. S. Class Enjoys
Party Thursday.

Miss Martha Gray's Sunday school class of the Methodist church enjoyed a party given Thursday evening, February 13, at the home of Miss Fern Wright. Games were played, and delicious refreshments served.

Those present were Misses Allene Curry, Doris Deak, Ruth Yoder, Margaret Deakins, Leona Samples, Dinawen Bridgeman, Fern Wright, Hazel Bannister, Martha Gray; Messrs. Adrian Banks, Dan and J. T. Trice.

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FLUVANNA NEWS

Mrs. J. G. Landrum, Cor.

J. T. Sturdivant was in Lubbock the first of the week on business.

O. S. Wills spent Thursday and Friday of last week in San Angelo at the West Texas sheriffs' convention.

John Stavely went to Fort Worth last Thursday on business.

Mrs. Mary A. Stavely visited her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Dietz, of Waxahatchie, last Thursday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. I. Kelly and Mrs. Adair went to Falls last Friday. Miss Lida Kelly came home with them to spend the week-end.

Mrs. Mary A. Stavely and daughter, Vera, spent Sunday in Post.

George Lucas and Leon Harris, and Phamy Weems and Inez Harris attended the singing at Polar last Sunday night.

Wyatt Sturdivant of Slaton spent the week-end with home folks.

Olan Ainsworth and family of Spur spent Sunday with relatives.

Mrs. Cullen Perry is in Hermleigh under the treatment of a Hermleigh doctor.

Miss Hettie Peebles of Post visited friends here Sunday.

C. L. and T. J. Rea shipped a car of fat cattle to the Fort Worth market last Monday.

J. L. Daugherty and wife of Lamaesa moved to their farm west of town last Monday.

D. A. Jones traded for the J. T. Sturdivant ranch west of town. Mr. Sturdivant got the residence in the south part of town, formerly occupied by Rev. and Mrs. Jas. H. Tate, about 100 acres of land adjoining town and a sum of money.

Mrs. Nelle Matlock has been elected by the school board as tax assessor for the coming year.

F. W. Wenner has had a concrete floor put in his garage.

Mrs. J. I. Boren and Misses Vera Stavely and Saluda Wills spent Thursday of last week in Roscoe.

The workers' council of the Methodist Sunday school met last Tuesday night, in regular session, at the church.

The stewards of the M. E. church met Tuesday night of last week and laid their plans for the year.

The Methodists are studying "The Church and the World Parish" each Wednesday evening at prayer meeting. All members are urged to be present. Every one has a cordial invitation to attend.

Next Sunday being the regular missionary Sunday, a special program will be put on at the Sunday school hour. Every one is invited.

The W. M. S. meets each Monday at 3:00 p. m. We are now studying "Life as a Stewardship," under our capable superintendent of mission studies, Mrs. J. I. Kelly. Come, be with us—we need you and you need us. Next Monday being our regular social day, the ladies will entertain their husbands at the home of Mrs. H. H. Haynes, in the evening.

MRS. M. K. MAPLES DIES AFTER LENGTHY ILLNESS

The death of Mrs. M. K. Maples came as a shock to her relatives and many friends last Friday night, February 14.

Mrs. Maples had been in bad health for several months, but was not thought to be serious. About two weeks before her death she was taken to a Lubbock sanitarium immediately.

We understand that Mrs. Maples improved and was intending to return home last Friday, when she became seriously ill and died that night.

Maud was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John White. She was married to M. K. Maples in August, 1914. To this union were born six children, three girls and three boys. One preceded her in death.

Mrs. Maples was 38 years old. In early life she was converted and joined the Missionary Baptist church. Since that time she had lived a faithful Christian life.

She leaves a husband, five children, a mother, two brothers, and a number of other relatives and friends to mourn her departure.

Funeral services were conducted in the Fluvanna Baptist church by Rev. A. C. Leslie Saturday afternoon at 3:30.

To the husband and children: We know that your hearts must be sorely grieved at the loss of your splendid wife and mother. She knew the secret of beautiful living. You have suffered a grief which no human friend can assuage. She was a beautiful character, loved by everyone who knew her. Her name will linger long in our households. We know too well that words can not comfort you.

To all the bereaved ones we give our love and commend you to Him who hath said He will "swallow up death in victory."

Out-of-town relatives attending the funeral were: Messrs. and Mrs. H. A. M. White and children of Ellida, N. M.; E. C. George of Tahoka, and Mrs. Laura Lewis of Tahoka and Lizzie Lewis of Coleman.

VALENTINE HEART PARTY GIVEN BY MRS. C. JAMES

Thursday evening, February 13, Mrs. Colon James entertained the high school seniors and the entire faculty with a delightful Valentine party.

NEW ROADS TO BE OPENED UP

Much interest has been manifested in two communities of Scurry County over the prospect of proposed improvement and establishment of highways affecting the vicinities, County Judge Horace Holley and his commissioners have shown their interest in the projects, and have promised co-operation as far as present conditions will permit them to give the enterprises. The county's road machinery, as well as road and bridge funds, will not afford much more additional road work soon, the judge declares.

A direct connection with the Triangle settlement, southwest of Ira, would mean much to that section, as well as Snyder, agitators of the road declare. It is proposed that the present road leading out from Knapp be lengthened straight on south from near the Andy Trevvy place for about three miles.

Such an opening would give the farmers of that vicinity a much shorter route to the county seat. It is pointed out that the majority of the residents of the Triangle community now make Colorado their trading center because of the difficulty of reaching Snyder by passable roads.

The other road program includes opening up and improving of a route north from a present road from Snyder to Rotan, leading to the oil well in the Hud community. Judge Holley accompanied J. P. Flynn, representative of the Transcontinental Oil Company, drillers of the Hud well, over proposed routes for the road work last week. Several new cattle guards and a small bridge or two are the principal needs of this route, Commissioner Lum Day of that precinct states.

The commissioners court of Fisher County has agreed to assist the Scurry County court in opening up the route to the Hud oil well, and on southeast to Rotan, Mr. Day says.

The house was very tastefully decorated for the occasion, with cupid himself and a number of hearts.

In the games of progressive hearts, Jack Matherly and Hood Wills tied for high score, while Charlie Bley received the consolation prize.

This entertainment was one of the most successful of the season. A delightful refreshment plate of jello, whipped cream, and cake, with delightful baskets of candy heart favors was served to the following: Misses Ely, Turner, Spikes, Collins, Houston, Pearl Taylor, Pauline Haynes, La Verne Farquhar, Ruby Bley, Matty Lynn Beaver, May Belle Tucker, Saluda Wills and Vera Stavely; Messrs. E. O. Wedgeworth, E. H. McCarter, Charlie Bley, Virge and Hoods Wills, Jesse Lemons, Orvie Pylant, Ira Drum, and Ward Harris; Messrs. and Mrs. Bob Greer, S. T. Matherly and Cleo Tarter, and Mrs. O. S. Wills.

CHURCH NOTES

Primitive Baptist. Rev. R. B. Hester of Snyder will preach the first Saturday and Sunday of each month.

Methodist Church. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching 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 Sunday. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. R. L. Montgomery, every second Sunday and Saturday evening before fourth Sunday, and the fourth Sunday. Prayer meeting each Thursday night.

Presbyterian Church. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching every second and fourth Sunday. Christian Endeavor at 7:30 p. m. each Sunday.

Fluvanna Baptist. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. D. G. Wells, every second and fourth Sunday. B. Y. P. U. at 7:30 p. m. each Sunday. Prayer meeting at 7:30 each Wednesday evening.

Church of Christ. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. W. A. Barnhill, every third Sunday. Bible study for the ladies each Monday at 3 p. m.

UNION CHAPEL

Miss Fay Bullard, Cor.

Miss Lois Yantis of the Turner community visited Miss Margaret Carrell Saturday night.

Misses Tenyo Mae Jeffries and Gertrude Binion spent Sunday with Bonnie Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Cope of Snyder visited Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Davenport and family Sunday.

Miss Geraldine Woolver, who attends school in Snyder, has been absent the past three weeks on account of illness.

Florine Bullard visited Norene Blakely Sunday.

Miss Ruby Moore spent Sunday with Miss Clarice Blakely.

Misses Beatrice and Fontaine Reeves and Ollie Finch of Rotan visited Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Davenport Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. T. L. Nipp spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barnett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John White visited her mother, Mrs. W. H. Hockabee, Sunday.

Miss Fay Bullard spent Saturday night with Miss Tenyo Mae Jeffries.

Mrs. Owen Caldwell visited Mrs. J. M. Hendryx of Snyder Saturday.

Miss Jewel Hilton spent Sunday with Miss Geraldine Woolver.

Miss Elizabeth Hays spent the week-end visiting friends in Lubbock and Rotan.

Mrs. Tenyo Bynum and son, Lois Bynum, visited Mr. and Mrs. Orville Bynum late Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. E. F. Bullard visited Mrs. Orville Bynum Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. H. Hockabee and daughter, Lois and Fay Bullard visited Mrs. Joe Eckie of the Plainview community Tuesday of last week.

Miss Dora Myers and her mother, Mrs. M. Myers, Mrs. Lee Myers and Mrs. P. M. Davis visited Geraldine Woolver Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Bishop and family of Falls visited in the Woolver home Monday and Monday night of last week.

Miss Betty Galaway visited Miss Nellie Barnett Sunday.

Misses Vivian, Rosa Mae and Estella Walls visited Miss Emma Launford Sunday.

Thelma Huffman visited Norene Blakely Sunday.

CHURCH NOTES

Baptist. Sunday school each Sunday at 10 a. m. Preaching services every first and third Sundays. Rev. T. L. Nipp, pastor. B. Y. P. U. each Sunday at 6:30 p. m. W. M. U. each Wednesday at 2 p. m.

Methodist. Sunday school each Sunday at 10 a. m. Preaching services every second Sunday. Rev. J. I. Kelly, pastor. Epworth League each Sunday at 6:30 p. m. W. M. S. meets twice a month.

Singing. Community singing every second and fourth Sundays at 2:30 p. m. W. W. Merritt, president. Everyone cordially invited.

MRS. J. T. RAMSEY GIVES DINNER AT HOME SUNDAY

Mrs. J. T. Ramsey entertained a number of relatives and friends with a dinner Sunday at her home in Snyder. Those enjoying the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Howell McClinton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ramsey, Verma Boynton, Gertrude Binion, Tenyo Mae Jeffries, Roy Davis, John Hibern Biggs, Bonnie and Joy Ramsey and hostess, Mrs. J. T. Ramsey.

MR. AND MRS. FRED DAVIS ENTERTAIN HERE SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis entertained a number of relatives and friends with a dinner Sunday. Those enjoying the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Grady Biggs and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Biggs and family, Mrs. Ora Brock, Leonard and Allena Brumby, Leverett Lewis, and host and hostess.

SHULERS ENTERTAIN WITH SLUMBER PARTY SATURDAY

A number of the younger set were entertained Saturday night with a slumber party given by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shuler.

Games and cats were enjoyed throughout the night. Those enjoying the occasion were: Misses Gladys Huffman, Helen Witherspoon and Lee Alvin Hays.

Success depends on the backbone—not the wishbone.

STINSON PLEASED WITH RECORD OF C. OF C. DURING YEAR CLOSED

Retiring President J. C. Stinson of the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce, during the annual business session of the organization held Thursday night week at the C. of C. hall, made an interesting address to the half a hundred business men present. Stinson was optimistic about the future of the Chamber of Commerce, and in face of the obstacles that had confronted the organization before and during the business year ending January 31, 1930, was pleased with accomplishments.

Among other things, Mr. Stinson said: "I am sure that all of you are aware of the fact that, due to former secretaries, the Chamber of Commerce was in debt several hundred dollars at the beginning of the present administration.

"Our first aim, after discussing the matter freely in the beginning, was to mark time until we could get out of debt and become financially able to branch out and take on new activities. This we undertook to do and have succeeded, owing less than \$100 at the present. It may seem to many who have not thought about the conditions existing that it has taken a long time to accomplish what we started out to accomplish, but if you remember this has been one of the hardest years in the history of the organization, many members have dropped out, and many have moved away who were regular contributors to the cause. With everything considered, I believe that you will agree with me that we have done exceedingly well to pay up, do a little constructive work—and hold together.

"A Chamber of Commerce is a necessary factor in any community. We should by all means stay behind the organization and help it to function, but it is impossible for it to function at its best without the whole-hearted

support of the entire citizenship of the community.

"Although we have not seemed to do much the past year, yet we have accomplished a number of worth while things. We have in our city one of the best municipal and high school bands to be found anywhere in the state for its age. This the Chamber of Commerce helped to bring here and has helped to sponsor. True, we do not have sufficient money to maintain it as it should be maintained, still the obligations are going to be met, and the band is going to go on.

"We have endeavored—and we have succeeded, we think—in aiding the officials in highway activities, in agricultural projects and in other enterprises it was our duty to help. Our secretary-manager has worked hard in hand with County Agent W. O. Logan, and these two working together have brought Scurry County to the forefront agriculturally, even though we have just had two unusually bad years.

"We helped to put over the Scurry County Fair and the Scurry County Poultry Show, both of which were outstanding successes. Many little things have been carried out by the organization that did not come to the attention of the masses but nevertheless had their effect upon the general welfare of the community.

"After all it is by keeping up the little things that we get the big things done when the opportunity for doing the big things that present themselves.

"I wish to thank the people of the county, and especially the business men of the town, for their co-operation during the last year. I hereby pledge myself to any program the organization undertakes to carry out during the ensuing year. We should have a program and follow it; but, like last year, our program can only be in keeping with what we as an organization are able to do."

HERMLEIGH NEWS

Mrs. J. O. Kelley, Cor.

O. B. Carthen and family spent Saturday night and Sunday visiting relatives in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Wren of Snyder visited with C. E. Ross and family here Friday of last week.

J. J. Henry and son, Elmer, were visitors to Hermleigh last week.

Mrs. A. J. Noles of Clyde spent the week-end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Early.

Rev. C. E. Leslie has moved to his farm northwest of town.

C. E. Ross and family spent the week-end visiting with their daughter, Mrs. Ebling, at Dermott.

Sterlin A. Taylor was shaking hands with friends in Hermleigh Saturday.

Mrs. W. W. Early visited her daughter, Mrs. T. C. Hopper, east of Snyder, Thursday of last week.

Miss Nadine Todd spent last Wednesday night with Miss Da Early.

Mrs. Willie Kinzey and family spent Sunday in Sweetwater.

Mrs. T. C. Hopper and family of near Snyder visited with Mrs. Hopper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Early, here Sunday.

Miss Gaye Nelle McMillan spent the day with Miss Mary Neal Farr Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Kelley spent Sunday in Abilene.

L. T. Groves and family visited relatives in Loring Sunday.

Misses Fern and Elsie Etheridge entertained their friends with a Valentine party at their home Saturday night. There were 34 present, and all report a jolly good time.

Mrs. J. R. Sheehan and father were business visitors to Snyder Monday.

Aid now a scientist has put a crimp in our memory of "Light's Golden Jubilee" by offering to prove that the firefly is fifteen thousand times as efficient as the human being in the manufacture of light.

HOW ONE MAN GATHERED A FORTUNE UNTO HIMSELF

A hardwood lumber company in Chicago, with more sense of humor than judgment, broke the rule by printing this on a blotter:

A hardwood lumber manufacturer retired with a comfortable fortune of \$200,000 and one of his former competitors asked him how he managed to do it.

Said he: My fortune was acquired through honesty, painstaking industry, rigid economy, conscientious effort, indomitable perseverance and the death of an uncle who left me \$198,500.

Advertisement for Webster's New International Dictionary. Includes text: "SUPREME AUTHORITY", "WEBSTER'S NEW INTERNATIONAL DICTIONARY", "THE MERRIAM WEBSTER", "Because Hundreds of Supreme Court Judges concur in highest praise of the work as their Authority." and an image of the dictionary.

Large advertisement for Texas Electric Service Company. Features the slogan "You can DO MORE in Less Time with Less Effort by using THE ECONOMY TWINS". Includes an illustration of a hand plugging a cord into a wall outlet. Text describes how electricity saves time and effort in housekeeping.

Advertisement for D.P. Strayhorn & Son. Text: "D.P. Strayhorn & Son", "DEALERS IN", "Rock Island Farming Implements", "Baltic Separators—Aermotor Windmills", "Kerogas and Nesco Stoves", "YOUR PATRONAGE APPRECIATED", "SNYDER, TEXAS".

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Political Announcements

For City Marshal of Snyder:

WALTER CAMP
J. A. WOODFIN

For Mayor of City of Snyder:

H. G. TOWLE (Re-election)

For Secretary, City of Snyder:

A. C. PRELUETT (Re-election)

For Tax Assessor of Scurry County:

GEORGE M. GARNER
STERLIN A. TAYLOR
W. W. (WALLACE) MERRITT

For Tax Collector of Scurry County:

W. W. (NUCLE) BILLIE NELSON
A. M. McPHERSON

For County Clerk of Scurry County:

MABEL Y. GERMAN (Re-election)

For Sheriff of Scurry County:

F. M. BROWNFIELD (Re-election)

For County Attorney of Scurry County:

WARREN DOBSON (Re-election)

For Superintendent of Scurry County Schools:

A. A. BULLOCK (Re-election)

For Treasurer of Scurry County:

EDNA B. TINKER (Re-election)

For County Judge of Scurry County:

HORACE HOLLEY (Re-election)
C. R. BUCHANAN

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:

JNO. C. (LIM) DAY (Re-election)
FORREST JONES

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)

For Representative, 118th District:

J. M. CLANCH

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 Weekly Dozen.

Not many things happen in Snyder during February, you say? We can prove that eleven things have been happening.

Take the weather, for instance. Everyone, whether he likes weather or not, must admit that sunshine is comforting. It makes folks feel better, even if they do want rain mighty bad.

The sun is rising. Maybe so the rain will begin falling in a few days, and we won't care so much about whether sandstorms come or not, unless they dry things out too much. Rising sun, they say, brings optimism to even the perpetual grouch.

Then there was the "Zander-Gump Wedding." We haven't forgotten, yet, that the Parent-Teacher Association made a number of dollars, to apply on cafeteria equipment, from the production. Nor has Hershel Rucker forgotten how it feels to get married.

Before long, the census takers will be on the job. Then the government will know about you and your radio and your children and your other necessities of life. It will be well for merchants to read and digest the article in this issue on the new manufacturing and distributing census.

The Tigers were good this year, but they weren't quite good enough. But a team that beats Colorado once, Abilene twice, Big Spring once, and Roscoe twice, in a single season, has much of which to be proud. And Couch "Red" Moore is proud of his boys—his first Snyder basketball team.

Snyder merchants are offering rare bargains in winter and spring wearables. The wise buyer doesn't stock up a lot of things he doesn't need, but he does take advantage of values in his home town. Most of the folks who buy their goods from mail-order houses don't even investigate local prices, it has been discovered.

There is the matter of health, too. Doctors marvel that Scurry County has lived through her worst winter in many years with so few serious illnesses and so few deaths. History shows that as long as people have an abundance of good health, they usually prosper. Good health indicates clean, more neighborly living, you know.

Chamber of Commerce activities are enlightening. We say enlightening, because most folks didn't know about them until Watt Scott made his report the other day. No end of compliment is due an organization such as the Chamber of Commerce that can stay out of debt in a tough year. We are remembering the C. of C. banquet next week, also.

The gentle stir in the political waters make good street conversation during the merry month of February. J. M. Clanch, the amiable school teacher, is so far opposed for representative. Judge Holley, however, has

a new opponent in the form of C. R. Buchanan, one-time judge. Just wait until sweat breaks out on everyone's brows—then politics will cook rapidly.

Then there is the unusual program of talking pictures presented by the Palace Theatre. Every week there is a variety for every taste. The theatre owners here, incidentally, have given Scurry County far better shows and equipment than the condition of the country this year justifies. And picture shows, whether for entertainment alone, or for education and a rest from the worries of the day, are better for folks in "kinda hard times" than during good years.

Snyder churches are not suffering the effects of dry weather as much as one might expect. Good crowds have been greeting the pastors from Sunday to Sunday. Most people have a habit of going to church when affliction strikes or seems on the verge of striking. All of us know that every-day religion, not the Sunday kind, is what makes the present more righteous and the future more comforting. "Go to Church" Sundays do little good unless "Observe Religion Seven Days a Week" is a living motto.

No Rest for the Weary.

"God made the world, and he rested then.
He made man, and he rested again.
God made woman at man's expense,
And neither God nor man has rested since."

Short Editorials—Swiped.

Listen, Uncle Sam: If you will make the Trinity navigable the year round we'll furnish the ice breaker.

Sometimes we imagine we are the only tenor in captivity who has never been asked to sing over the radio.

Personally, we believe our country means to reduce its navy, but we notice that naval enlistments are still solicited.

And when we see a car going at high speed we know it's driven by some one of high importance.

The best thing about long skirts is that the stocking can have a run without the wearer having a fit.

They Lack Ability to Say "No."

A man walked into the Waco sheriff's office a few days ago and said, "I'm drunk, sheriff. I haven't been sober in ten days; show me to the jail. I want, hie, ro sober up." The sheriff showed him in and he was there—and sober—on last account.

The extreme contrast to this story, strangely, is published at about the same time. It reads in part: "The slender, graceful figure of Mary Garden, Chicago opera star, was explained as the result of saying 'No thank you' when the singer addressed an audience in the Illinois Women's Athletic Club." The singer learned to say "No" when fattening foods and drinks are served.

Thus in the printed page, on almost the same day, one views two extremes. One a slave to appetite, the other an unquestioned master of self.

The one who yields is unnamed, unknown. The one who has poise and self control is among the best known women in public life in America.

The lesson is obvious.—Joe Leon Free Press.

Perhaps We Are Just as Foolish.

About sixty years ago the following article appeared in a Boston newspaper:

"A man about fifty-five years of age, giving the name of Joshua Coppersmith, has been arrested in New York for attempting to extort funds from ignorant and superstitious people by exhibiting a device which he says will convey the human voice any distance over metallic wires so that it will be heard by the listener at the other end. He calls the instrument a 'telephone,' which is obviously intended to imitate the word 'telegraph' and win the confidence of those who know of the success of the latter instrument without understanding the principles on which it is based.

"Well-informed people know that it is impossible to transmit the human voice over the wires as may be done with dots and dashes of the Morse code, and that, were it possible to do so, the thing would be of no practical value. The authorities who apprehended this criminal are to be congratulated, and it is hoped that his punishment will be prompt and fitting, that it may serve as an example to other conscienceless schemers who enrich themselves at the expense of their fellow creatures."—Exchange.

Hens Do Their Bit.

Hens on American farms in 1929 produced eggs at the rate of 45,000 a minute, U. S. government statistics show, while poultry as a whole created a net income of more than \$1,181,000,000 for the farmers of the nation. This places poultry well above wheat, oats, fruit, potatoes, and a long list of other farm products in rank as money makers for farmers.

Growing realization of the profits to be made from greater attention to the farm flock is responsible for the increased interest the farmer is now taking in the old hen coop. Once the chickens were left to "the women-folks" by the farmer, who felt that poultry was a "pin money" proposition. Now, with farm poultry in the "big money" class, the head of the house is beginning to take upon himself a large share of the work necessary to successful poultry raising.

This greatly awakened interest in poultry as a major farm product has resulted in constant improvement of farm flocks during the past few years, particularly since leading hatcheries in the country banded together under the slogan, "Hatchery Chicks for Greater Profits," to pledge improved stock to farmers.

In spite of this effort to make flocks sure-fire profit producers, many farmers have failed to realize the importance of good stock and of improved methods in obtaining best results from their hens. The old-fashioned hen coop is no longer satisfactory. Increased egg production is the first step to greater profits from the poultry flock. Hens must lay from 140 to 170 eggs a year to return a good profit to their owners, while the average for American farms is only 70 eggs per hen per year. Replacement of low-grade stock, and improved methods of caring for hens offer the two quickest methods of securing best results from the poultry flocks, poultry experts advise.—Coleman Democrat-Voice.

David Crockett Says:

David Crockett appeals to everyone, from school boy to politician. He has been called "The Representative Man." The other day a little booklet came to The Snyder News in which some of Crockett's sayings were given. They are so typical of the spirit of Young Texas that a few of them deserve quotation.

His Youth: "Though I was a wild boy, yet I loved my father and mother, and their images appeared to me so deeply fixed in my mind, that I could not sleep for thinking of them."

After a Disappointment in Love: "I now began to think that, in making me, it was entirely forgotten to make my mate, that I was born odd, and should always remain so, and nobody would love me."

After Being Lost in the Woods: "Whenever a fellow gets lost the way home is just the way he don't think it is."

His Term as a Magistrate: "My judgments were never appealed from, and if they had been, they would have stuck like wax, as I gave my decisions on the principles of common justice and honesty between man and man, and relied on natural born sense, and not on law learning to guide me; for I had never read a page in a law book in my life."

His Campaign for Congress: "I was determined to stand up to my liek-log, salt or no salt."
"I let the people know as early as then, that I wouldn't take a collar around my neck."

Of His Dogs: "I encouraged my dogs, and they knowed me so well, that I could have made them seize the old serpent himself, and all his horns and heads, and cloven foot and ugliness into the bargain, if he would only have come to light, so they could have seen him."

Canvassing for Legislature: "I was able to buy a little of the creature, to put my friends in a good humor, as well as the other gentlemen, for they all treat in that country; not to get elected, of course—for that would be against the law; just as I have said before, to make themselves, and their friends, feel their keeping a little."
"A candidate is often stumped in making stump speeches."
"Popularity sometimes depends on a very small matter indeed."
After His Defeat for Congress: "As my country no longer requires my services, I have made up my mind

to go to Texas. I have a new row to hoe, a long and rough one, but come what will I'll go ahead. My appetite for politics was at one time just about as sharp set as a saw mill, but late events have given me something of a surfeit more than I could well digest."

Listening to the Debates in Congress: "No man who has not tried it can imagine what dreadful hard work it is to listen. Splitting gum logs in the dog days is child's play to it. I've tried both, and give the preference to the gum logs."

After His Last Defeat: "A fair outside is everything to the world. A tulip flower is highly prized, although indebted for its beauty to the corruption engendered at the root; and so it is with man. A lecture is the cheapest thing that a man can bestow in charity and many of our universal philanthropists have made the discovery."

Of a Rope Walk: "He turned somersets backward and forward, first on this side, and then on that, with as much ease as if he had been a politician all his life."

Advice to 'Politicians' at Little Rock en route to Texas in 1835: "When the day of election approaches, visit your constituents far and wide. Treat liberally and drink freely, in order to rise in their estimation, though you fall in your own. Do all you can to appear to advantage in the eyes of the women. That's easily done—you have but to kiss and slobber over their children, wipe their noses, and pat them on the head; this cannot fail to please their mothers."



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and you may rely on your business being done in that quarter."
Of War: "What a world of misery man inflicts upon the race of creation in his brief passage through life."

Once upon a time an enterprising poultryman crossed his hens with parrots, to save time. He used to spend much time hunting the eggs, but now the hens walk up to him and say, "Hank, I just laid an egg. Go get it."

Did you ever hear about the plumber who moved to another hotel because he objected to the sign, "Have you forgotten something?" hanging on the wall of his room?

If your husband keeps staying out late every night, why not buy him a book of modern fairy stories? It will aid him in selecting some new alibis.

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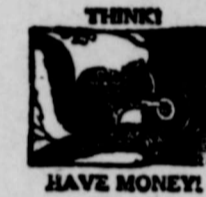
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Quoting and re-quoting is such a popular pastime among newspapers that folks should become accustomed to the game before long. This editorial from the Abilene Reporter, holds such an unusual interest for all West Texans that re-publication adds to its value:

"It would be a good idea if we West Texans would look into the possibilities of native-growth trees before digging them up to make way for other trees, wouldn't it?"

"A voice in defense of the mesquite has been raised at Sweetwater by Mrs. Ruth Scalf Ramsey, who tells the Sweetwater Reporter that 'nothing could add more to the beautification of our city than preserving our native mesquites and growing more shade trees.'"

"Especially would I plead for the mesquites," Mrs. Ramsey continued, "which was in the beginning of Sweetwater and is of Sweetwater. It has had the courage to live and grow and withstand all the dry and barren years, even as Sweetwater has lived and grown and withstood droughts and hard times."

"The mesquite is a symbol of Sweetwater. In the early spring, in their feathery green, the mesquites remind one of Karl Wilson Baker's description of the elm that put on 'clouds of lace delicate as a bride's,' and I too 'marvel at a mortal thing so wise to weave enchantment for a dress and robe itself in loveliness.'"

"Well, this newspaper has had something to say about mesquites in times past. They are beautiful, sturdy, the very essence of the West Texas spirit. Why not treat them with consideration and respect? Did you know that it works up into more beautiful furniture imaginable? Did you know that the Indians found both food and drink in the beans of the mesquite? As material for gunstocks the mesquite yields the palm to none; as material for automobile steering wheels it is a wood pre-eminent."

"Give the mesquite a chance!"

Carelessness Cause Of 85 Per Cent Fires According to Chief

Herewith are presented a few "Don'ts" and suggestions by J. W. DeWeese, state fire insurance commissioner, in an appeal to the people of Texas to reduce the number of fires that are taking a heavy toll of life and property over the state, most of which, it is set out, could be prevented.

Carelessness, it is explained, causes 85 per cent of all fires, and 68 per cent of all fires in Texas occur in homes. Suggestions are:

- No. 1. If your electric lights go out, or if you have trouble with your lights, do not attempt to fix it yourself, but call a plumber or the gas company. If you smell "gas," do not look for the "leak" with a "match," for it is dangerous.
- No. 2. Do not leave matches where children can play with them. Keep them in safety box out of their reach.
- No. 3. Do not smoke in bed. Be sure and put out matches, and keep cigarettes and cigars in ash tray.
- No. 4. Do not clean clothes with gasoline, benzine, kerosene, or naphtha, for they are dangerous.
- No. 5. Do not put mops or greasy rags in closets, for they will cause spontaneous combustion and set fire to your house. Keep them in closed metal can on back porch.
- No. 6. Have your chimneys and flues inspected at least once each year, and see that flue is properly protected.
- No. 7. Put screen in front of gas stove, open fireplace, or around heater, to keep children and old people from getting too close to fire and igniting their clothes.
- No. 8. Do not put rubbish, trash or papers in closets. Put them in metal ash can and burn.
- No. 9. Do not attempt to start a fire with kerosene, or any inflammable liquid.
- No. 10. Do not leave electric iron on. If you leave board for any purpose, be sure and cut off current.
- No. 11. Co-operate with your fire marshal each day of the year, for he is trying to save your life and property from destruction by fire.

"Doctor, do you think the anesthetic will make me sick?"
"No, madam," replied the surgeon.
"I think not."
But still she was not satisfied.
"But," she continued, "how long will it be before I know anything?"
"Madam," replied the other gravely as he signalled to his assistant that he was ready, "don't you think that is asking a great deal of the anesthetic?"

The best thing to take when one is run down is the number of the car.

Town TALK

HORACE HOLLEY: "The average citizen, I am sure, has no conception of the amount of work being done by our two county agents right here in Scurry County. In W. O. Logan and Miss Jessie Lee Davis, the county has two of the hardest workers I have ever seen. Through their efforts, we are adding wonderfully to the county's income. They preach diversification, and their preachments are not without results. Miss Davis' work with the women and girls in canning of home-grown products alone means much to the average farming family's living." The county judge states that Agent Logan needs more co-operation from the business men of Snyder in promotion of crop diversification on the farm, encouraging of planting more feed crops, and improving the seed varieties that are planted by Scurry County farmers.

JACK HARRIS, attorney of Snyder and Luling, gave expression to an idea at the Chamber of Commerce meeting Thursday night week that received attention. He worded it something like this: "I have been discussing the plan of supporting the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce, as well as the hands of the county, by taxation, and it is my opinion that this would be the most equitable way in maintaining these two necessary institutions that could be devised. A tax of a very few cents on the hundred dollars valuation of property in the county would assure the Chamber of Commerce and the hands ample means upon which to operate. As it is, just a few men, principally of Snyder, have the whole bill to foot, which is not right and just. Both organizations are county-wide in purpose, and their accomplishments benefit the entire population, hence it is nothing but right that all benefited should join in their support."

P. M. BOLIN, city fire inspector, has been on this hemisphere over three-quarters of a century. His seventy-fifth milestone was passed last August, he says. "I've been a resident of Snyder for more than 23 years, and I guess you'd say I have grown with the town—and it has grown from just a little hamlet during my more than two decades here. I was one of the organizers of the First State Bank & Trust Company in Snyder, back in 1907, in which I sold my interest some three years ago." Mr. Bolin said he came to Snyder quite by accident. "My wife and I were trying to locate somewhere in West Texas for my health. When a child of ours became sick in Snyder, we necessarily had to postpone our journey farther south, and started business shortly after arriving here."

R. S. SNOW, manager of D. C. Gibson Lumber Company in West Snyder, believes the year 1930 will still be a good year in Scurry County despite present conditions. "People of this section are turning more and more to the several-crop system of farming on their places in this section. The fact that the three chicken hatcheries here foreseen good business during the coming season is pretty good indication that they are going to depend more upon the hen for a portion of their living. We are learning more and more that chickens are not merely 'little piddling jobs' for the women and children—they are now real profit-making sidelines to the farmer, or anybody who has space enough on his place to take care of a few biddies."

MRS. C. C. HEAD, genial bill collector for one of Snyder's modern dairies, who declares that Snyder is fortunate in having two milk producing plants whose product is grade "A" again calls attention of The News to the fact that petty thieves are still stealing milk regularly from porches of customers of the two dairies of the city. "We have tried to co-operate with our patrons in putting a stop to this bothersome and expensive practice in town. We have installed milk bottle locking cans on porches, but anyone with an empty bottle can remove the filled bottle easily. We are of the opinion that our patrons will make complaints along with us to city authorities, and that we can

WHAT'S WRONG AND WHERE?



How good are you at finding mistakes? The artist has intentionally made eleven 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 eleven mistakes, two passes to either the Ritz or the Palace Theatre will be 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.

catch those who persist in this milk-stealing business." Several citizens of the town have reported that their milk has disappeared from their front porches in broad, open daylight.

EARL HICKS claims to have been a member of "the best baseball team in West Texas." That was several years ago, when many of Snyder's present population were residents of the great Ira country. "I remember when we had a club—it must have been eight or ten years ago—playing any and every team that bobbed up on our star hurler, we could 'mop up' on almost every aggregation that came along. Norman used to let the average nine 'down with seldom over three or four hits in nine-innings.' Atry came in during the conversation, and he had this to say of Earl: "That fellow, who played first base most of the time, used to cover the whole left side of the diamond—you couldn't put one over him or out of his reach, what I mean. He'd snatch them, it seemed, from a radius of twenty feet in every direction from the base, and somehow still have a foot on the bag, too."

W. S. DUCKWORTH, agent for the Texas Company at Post, here on business and a visit with friends several days ago, was talking to a group in a prominent Snyder automobile agency. "You know, most people get into the habit of unconsciously taking up knocking for a pastime. On every hand we hear of 'hard times'—and, to be sure, things are in a pretty bad row at the present time—but it doesn't do any good to talk about it; Why, you Scurry County people don't know the conditions that obtain in many sections of the state. You are in far better shape than lots of folks. Even up at Post, where hail practically wiped out our entire crops, we are trying to hold our heads up. If we could all see the many others who are more fortunate than we are, we wouldn't talk hard times so continuously." Mr. Duckworth lived in Snyder for a number of years, being known as Walter to his friends. It was an employee of Bryant-Link Company for several years.

Little Emily ran in the house, crying as though her heart would break.
"What's wrong, dear?" asked her mother.
"My dolly—Billy broke it," she was sobbing.
"How did he break it, dear?"
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Thirty men have served as president. Cleveland served two separate disconnected terms. The stories of these men tell a tale of the most remarkable nation and the most successful government ever organized among mankind.

All of these men were American born. Fifteen were the sons of farmers and planters. Four were sons of lawyers, three of merchants, three of clergymen, and one each of a doctor, a constable, a tanner, and an iron-maker. Eight were born to very poor families. The others were in varied circumstances, mostly middle class folks. Washington and Roosevelt were the wealthiest.

Twenty of them went to college, several by their own efforts. Fifteen were soldiers in one or more of our wars. Twenty were lawyers. Fourteen served in the House of Representatives and 12 in the Senate, while nine were vice presidents.

Eight were members of the cabinet, and 12 were governors of their states. Seven were ministers abroad. Four were in the Continental Congress. Adams and Jefferson signed the Declaration of Independence. Washington and Madison signed the Constitution.

All except Buchanan were married. Tyler, Fillmore, Benjamin Harrison and Wilson married twice. John Adams was the father of a president and William Henry Harrison the grandfather of a president.

Grant, Cleveland, Pierce, Polk, Garfield and Roosevelt were president before they attained the age of 50. Roosevelt was the youngest, at the age of 42. Garfield died youngest, 49, from an assassin's bullet. John Adams lived longest, age 90.

Lincoln, Garfield and McKinley were assassinated. The assassin of Lincoln was killed by pursuing soldiers. Those of Garfield and McKinley were legally executed. Jackson was shot at while in office. Roosevelt was wounded when a candidate in 1912.

Eight presidents belonged to the Episcopal church, seven to the Presbyterian, four Methodist, four Unitarian, two of Dutch Reformed, and one each Baptist, Disciples, Congre-

One-Tenth of Cotton In Texas Off Plains

One-tenth of the cotton production of the state of Texas prior to January 16 was produced on the South Plains and lower plains region, according to the Bureau of Census. The nineteen counties of the region produced a total of 387,754 bales. The total gainings of the state up until that time were 2,750,327 bales.

Lamb County, with a ginning total of 49,302 bales, and Lubbock County, with 45,045 bales, led the region. Scurry County's report, 18,420 bales, was eighth among the nineteen counties.

A man who carries his stenographer soon takes all the dictation.

"I'm looking for my ideal dog," said the lady in the canine fancier's shop. "I'd like one with a head rather like a collie and a body after the style of an Irish terrier, only with longer hair and nice, distinct markings. Do you keep dogs like that?"

The dog fancier shook his head sadly. "No, ma'am," he said. "I 'trows 'em."

A man who appeared recently in police court couldn't be persuaded to stop talking. Eventually, however, the judge managed to get in a short sentence.

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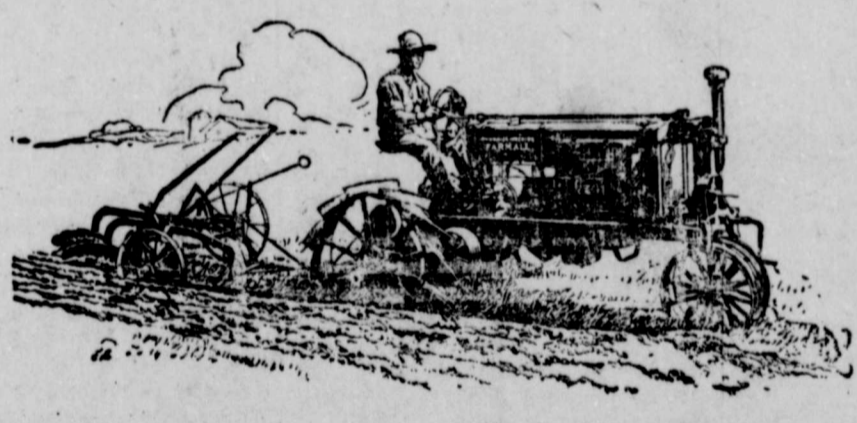
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The Story.

Chapter I.—Sam Stanley, wealthy owner of the Desert Moon Ranch, informs his housekeeper, Mary Magin, who tells the story, that his former wife's twin daughters, Danielle and Gabrielle, are coming to the ranch to live, their mother being dead and their father, Daniel Cannoziano, who had been the cause of Sam's divorcing his wife, in the penitentiary. Sam has looked a boy, John, now grown to adulthood, and a girl, Martha, 21, physically healthy, but weak-minded. Mrs. Ricker, Martha's nurse, lives with them.

Chapter II.—Hubert Hand, a wanderer, and Chadwick Canfield, John's wartime buddy, who is an expert ventriloquist, are the other members of the household. The girls arrive when I found on it.

Miss MacDonald said, "I have an excellent pass key. Let's go up and try it."

Curiosity dragged me along with her and Sam, though every bone in my body protested.

Miss MacDonald's key unlocked the door. The three of us went into the room.

The blinds were tightly drawn. The electric fan was whirring and buzzing away in the gray gloom.

Miss MacDonald crossed the room quickly and snapped up the blinds. Sam walked to the bed where Cannoziano was lying huddled up under the covers. I looked the other way.

I heard the rattle of Sam's pipe as it fell to the floor. I heard the rustle of Miss MacDonald's quick movement. I heard a queer, throaty note that she uttered. Something dragged my hot, aching eyes open. I looked toward the bed. I saw Cannoziano's swollen, discolored face. I saw the deep yellow throat, with great brutal bruises at its base.

I felt Sam's strong hands on my shoulders, pressing me down into a chair. I heard myself saying, shrilly, over and over, "What are we going to do? What are we going to do?"

It was Miss MacDonald's voice, cold and clear as spring water, that brought me to my senses. "We are going to find the murderer on the 'Desert Moon' ranch."

Sam said, "You're d—n right we are. And we are going to have half a dozen h—men detectives on this 'place by tomorrow night.'"

"Very well," Miss MacDonald answered. "Will you telephone, at once, for the coroner, Mr. Stanley?"

"H—!" Sam said.

I had my face covered; but there was a hollowness in that oath of his that told me plainer than any looking at him could have told me, that he was frightened; scared to the marrow of his bones.

It took Miss MacDonald, though, to understand the reason of his fear.

"Yes, Mr. Stanley," she said, "these men, when they come this time, in spite of their friendship for you, are not going to be as easily satisfied as they were last time. They were able to blink at one murder. They can't keep on blinking. They dare not— even in Nevada."

"Who wants them to blink?" Sam bluffed.

"You do. We all do, for the present."

Sam did not answer that. He stood, and looked stupid.

"Won't you listen to reason," she urged, "before you go downstairs to telegraph for other detectives? If, when the coroner and the others arrive today, you confess that no progress has been made, they will undoubtedly step in and take matters in their own bungling hands. I think that they would make an arrest. That would be fatal, now. For I am positive that they would arrest an innocent person, and that the guilty person would then have an excellent opportunity for escape."

"I have a certain reputation, Mr. Stanley, and these men—particularly the sheriff—respect it. If you will keep me on this case, I will tell them that I am making definite progress, that I believe I shall be able to turn the criminal over to the state within a comparatively short time."

"Would that be the truth?" Sam demanded.

She hesitated. "If you mean, is that what I believe now—my answer is yes. It may be wrong. I have, at least, a very definite suspicion. I have no proofs."

"You wouldn't," Sam questioned, "give these men assurance if you know that I was going to get some men detectives up here to work with you?"

"I couldn't," she said. "I can speak only for myself. Please give me my chance. Do you realize what it means to be tried for a murder, even if one is acquitted? I am not asking this for myself. I wouldn't stoop to beg for anything for myself, as I am begging for this, now. I am sure you mean to be a fair man. Be fair to me, and to all of the innocent people here on your ranch. I don't say that other detectives might not be able to discover the murderer. I do say that they would do irreparable harm before they succeeded."

"If you stayed," Sam had the check to question, "and worked along with them—that was my idea—couldn't you prevent their doing any harm?"

"I could try to. I will try to, if you insist. But I am doubtful of my success. Consciously, or unconsciously, they work against me, because I am a woman. You don't know them as I do. You don't know their meth-

ods, as I do. If you feel that you must have others here, working on the case, allow me to send, at my own expense, for my own assistants; the girls whom I have trained—"

"We don't need any more girls around here," Sam said. "It is pretty certain that we do need some one to protect the lives of us on this place—"

"When you telephone for the coroner," she said, "won't you telephone for a locksmith to come out with him, and bring strong bolts for all the doors—"

"You admit, then, that we are all in danger?"

"Nothing of the sort. You are all perfectly safe—at present. I do believe that before long my own life will be in danger. I want no one to think that I suspect that. I need the protection of the bolts. It must seem that I think that every one needs the protection."

"You believe," Sam questioned, "that your own life is in danger. And yet—"

"Please reconsider, Mr. Stanley. Please allow me to have the case alone, at any rate a little while longer."

"You honestly think," he questioned, "that you can manage this single-handed, and keep us all safe, and produce this murderer—pretty shortly?"

"I do, Mr. Stanley. Mary, can't you say something? Won't you help me to persuade Mr. Stanley?"

"You don't need any help," I told her. "He's persuaded."

"Is that true, Mr. Stanley? May I have the case alone, for a little longer?" She was all breathless with eagerness.

"That it all, yes," Sam said. "I'm d—d if I know what I ought to do. But you are dead game. I—Well, shake on it, Miss MacDonald. You'll do the best you can for us, I know."

The hand she held out to him was trembling, and her voice as she thanked him trembled. But still I was amazed when, right after Sam had gone out of the room, she said to me, "Mary, I believe on my soul that I have just had an experience that is too strong for me," and she hid her hand in the crook of her arm and began to cry.

In the week that followed I had times of thinking that Sam had likely made a mistake in keeping Miss MacDonald on, alone.

I couldn't begin to describe the horror of that week. It is, I suppose, what looks call a paradox to say that the worst thing about the week was that nothing, just nothing, happened. To all outward appearances the Desert Moon ranch was as peaceful as an empty grave; hollow peace, false peace, and all of us conniving at the falsity made it worse.

Sam locked up the house early every evening. Then, trying to make it casual, one and another of us would go sauntering around to make sure that he hadn't overlooked a door, or a window. People were constantly jumping, and starting, and looking behind them at nothing. None of us women ever went far from the house, except Mrs. Ricker, who went every day to visit Martha's grave. Sam went alone. I would not have gone with her, not for any price. I was afraid of her. I was afraid of Hubert Hand. By Wednesday of that week I was afraid of every one in the house except Miss MacDonald and Sam. Friday found me doubtful of Sam. None of our minds went very straight, those days. I am sure that the mind of each one of us on the place—always excepting Miss MacDonald—did as mine did. It went groping in the dark; it bumped into obstacles of doubt; it tripped over fear and fell into senseless stupidities; it lost its way and wandered into wild suspicions. I tell you, there are times, during those frightful days, when I found myself seriously considering whether or not I had committed the two murders.

At that moment I was certain that every one on the place was more or less insane, especially Miss MacDonald. I think yet that I was right about the others. I know, that I was wrong about Miss MacDonald; but she had certainly given me plenty of reasons for thinking either that she had lost her senses entirely, or else that she had never had any to lose.

All week I could see Sam watching her and growing more and more impatient. On Thursday he said to me that she was too busy flirting with John to have time for anything else. That was not fair. She didn't flirt with John—she wasn't the sort who would flirt with anyone. But she surely did begin to take notice of him, and his attentions to her.

I tried to make excuses for John. Poor little Danny wasn't. I had to admit, much like the girl he had fallen in love with. She had lost practically all of her prettiness, and she looked, all the time, too white and wan and generally dragged out to seem quite wholesome.

She had explained to John about the reference to her and to her doll in the code letter. He had taken it all right, and had been, as she said to me, "sweet" about it, and never doubted her word at all. Still, I sort of thought that a grain of suspicion might be bothering him. And I know that he had not been able to forgive her, not for telling of her suspicions concerning Sam, but for suspecting Sam in the first place.

On Friday morning, when Sam came zigzagging into my kitchen, or-

dered Zinnia out of it, his voice all thick and husky, he fell down into a chair. "Mary," he said, "we've got the report from the 'Frisco chemist—"

Miss MacDonald had thought it necessary to have Martha's body examined and sent to San Francisco. That is what the coroner and the undertaker had been about on their second trip to the ranch. Sam had not wanted Mrs. Ricker to know. That had suited Miss MacDonald better, too; so they had had the men do the work while we were all at dinner that day. They had been careful to fix the grave so that it would not show that it had been disturbed; and then, being men, they had left their shovels right there in the cabin for the first person to find. As you know, the first person was Mrs. Ricker.

We had been waiting ever since for the chemist's report. Sam's first words were reassuring.

"It is too good to be true," he said, and repeated, dazedly, "too good to be true. Miss MacDonald had her assistants trace the prescription from Doctor Roe. The powders were harmless. I didn't cause my girl's death. The report proves—Miss MacDonald says—'The report proves—'"

"Take it easy, Sam. What does the report prove?"

"Somebody gave her a deadly poison. The chemists found two traces. One, they can't analyze. That's why they've kept us waiting so long for the report. They are still working on it, hoping for results. The other was nitrobenzene. Miss MacDonald says that, in small doses, induces coma and takes as long as twenty-four hours to act. But it is apt not to be deadly by itself. It was combined with this other drug—the one that must have made death certain."

Miss MacDonald came hurrying into the kitchen. She was holding the monkey charm bracelet in her hand.

"See here," she said, "this bangle thing that he said which would do to stain that the poison she took, or was given, came out of it. There is a trace of the odor. Smell it."

She handed it to me. It smelled a little like shoe polish, with some sort of a faint almond flavoring, underneath. I gave it to Sam, who had been reaching out his hand for it. He smelled it, and then knotted it up in his fist.

Remembering, I can't think of anything that he said which would do to quote. The gist of it was, that if Gaby had given Martha the poison, he was not sorry that Gaby had been killed, because justice had been done. Not satisfied with that, he expressed, violently, his regrets that vengeance had been taken out of his hands.

"It isn't vengeance you want, Mr. Stanley," Miss MacDonald reminded him, pretty sternly, "but justice. That is within our reach. I am practically certain that the person who poisoned Martha, who strangled Miss Cannoziano and her father, is right here on this place. My work from now on is to get the proof. If you would help me, instead of—"

Sam interrupted, his whole body straining forward with his eagerness. "Tell us who he is, and where he is, and we'll help you, right enough."

"I can't tell you. Not unless you want to have still another murder on the Desert Moon ranch. But you can help me, first by keeping the discovery of the poison a secret. Second, by allowing every one else on the place to suppose that I am still in a state of entire bafflement concerning the crime. Third, and most important, perhaps, by having patience with me."

"Yes," Sam said, "and while we are sitting around, having patience, this bird will walk off to some green hill far away. I think the boys are doing their best to guard the place, but this bird's a slicker. What's to keep him from, say, dressing in my clothes some night, and riding merrily away on Bobbie Burns or Wershbone. All he'd have to do is to give the boys a high-sign and they'd let him ride to h—l, if they thought he was me. Another thing—I can't trust all my punches. Some of them are greasers, some half-breeds. Money, and not much of it, talks pretty loud to some of those boys."

"At present, the person I suspect has no intention of leaving the place."

"When you don't know anything else, how can you know that?"

"I didn't say that I didn't know anything else."

"Do you know, and will you tell me, why you can't put this fellow where the dogs won't bite him, while you are collecting proof, evidence, and so on, that you think you need?"

"For one reason, because I am not a police detective. Sometimes it is necessary to use their methods of arresting each suspect and getting the evidence afterward—third degrees, so on. That method, by the way, accounts for the number of criminals who are able to make complete escapes. It is a stupid, bungling method—and a brutal one. I detest it. I have used it only twice in the seven years that I have been in this work. I used it then because it was necessary. This case will come to the grand jury complete, with indisputable proofs. If I had known—suspected, I mean, before Mr. Cannoziano was killed, what I now suspect—"

She stopped short, evidently afraid of saying too much.

"Yes," Sam argued, "but what I can't get, is how you think you are ever going to find the proof."

"Well—" she began. "Because,"

she finished, quite tartly, and walked out of the room.

"Because," Sam mumbled, almost before she was out of hearing distance. "It was a black day for me, and for the Desert Moon, when I put this thing up to a 'because' woman."

I more than half agreed with him, but I was not going to let him know it. "Did you notice," I questioned, chiefly to turn his mind from the subject of "because" woman, "that she kept saying that the person she suspected was on the place? I mean—she didn't say that he was living in the house?"

"House! H—! Of course she didn't say house. Why should she say house? Haven't we been over and over it? Aren't we fair frazzled out, every last one of us, from climbing those front and back stairs, with our minds, all day long and half the night? Counting minutes, counting seconds; going to the barn and back, over and over. Nobody who lives in this house could have done it. That is settled. That is fact. Not unless some one of us was able to be in two places at the same time between four and five o'clock that day."

Something clicked in my mind. I declare to goodness, I felt the click plain as a twinge of toothache. It scared me. I put both my hands over the place in the front of my head. I felt as dazed and as shaken as if I had been sleep-walking, and had bumped into the door, in the dark, and awakened to find myself in a strange, brightly lighted room.

"No, sir—," Sam went on, too busy with his own ideas, I suppose, to notice my actions, which must have been peculiar, "if the murderer is still on the place, he is stalking around here in hiding. It is that strangler fellow, all right. I'll bet my last dollar on it. For some reason, he is trying to clean out the Cannoziano family—all of them. I'll bet he told Martha to give the poison to Danny, not knowing what a child Martha was—or, maybe, knowing it. Martha, supposing the poison was candy, or something nice, ate it up herself. I tell you what, I'm going to do some proof hunting, now, on my own hook. If I find some stranger or hiding on this place, that will be good enough proof for Sam Stanley, and for any jury in Nevada."

"Of course, Mary," Sam went on, "it hasn't been so hard on you—not having to feel the responsibility the way I have. But I've come to the end of my rope. I've got to get an expert here, for one thing, to watch and guard over Danny. . . . Say, what is the matter with you, Mary? You look so funny. Do you feel sick, or something?"

"Something," I said, "but, at that, I suppose it isn't near as bad as feeling responsibility."

If I'd stayed there listening to him for one more minute I'd have burst. I left him, and went rummaging, like the crazy thing I was, up the back stairs to my own room.

Silas—"Say, Hiram, did it give you a headache when you learned to ride horse-back?"

Hiram—"No. Just the opposite."

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Much Valuable Information Seen in New Business Census

Mmes. O. P. Thrane and E. J. Anderson Seek Co-operation Of County Businesses.

Scurry County businesses of all kinds will soon be approached by Mmes. O. P. Thrane and E. J. Anderson of Snyder for information concerning distribution and manufacturing, to be used by the Bureau of Census.

The distribution census, which is being taken this year for the first time, "is being taken to find out basic facts about our various distributing systems in order that these facts may be used to make this system more efficient."

Mmes. Thrane and Anderson are anxious that all merchants, filling station operators, restaurants, produce men, and other distributors of the county co-operate in preparing information before the census takers interview them. This will give Scurry County a better report, as well as assisting the two who have been appointed as local representatives of the bureau.

In order to facilitate the new census, The News publishes the following paragraphs from an address by R. J. McFall, chief statistician for distribution.

Information Is Scarce.

"We have very much more statistical information about production, such as agriculture and manufacturing, than we do about distribution. Partially, at times, as the result of having so much more information on production, this part of our business world has progressed in efficiency much more rapidly than distribution has. It is believed, therefore, that our distribution system can be considerably improved on the basis of the information which will come from this census.

"Improvements in distribution will help the merchants, manufacturers and farmers, and, in the end, will also prove beneficial to the consuming public.

"The census distribution covers merchants or distributors and their business operations. It will give classified count of the various classes, types and sizes of retailers, wholesalers and all other merchandizing concerns in the whole country, their expenses, sales, inventories and employees. It will give as much information as possible concerning the goods sold

by these various distributors; the chief limit to such information being the scanty records kept by the rank and file of merchants.

Profit Information Unsought.

"No attempt is being made to obtain information concerning the profits of the merchant-distributors. There are no questions which would show the gross margin between purchases and sales. The value of the sales will be ascertained, but the cost of the goods purchased is not asked for.

"One question is being asked covering the amount of rent, if any, that is paid for the premises. Another is asked to cover the amount of interest paid. A separate question is then asked as to the amount of all other expenses excluding rent, interest, wages and cost of goods purchased.

"Individual retailers, wholesalers and other distributors can gain much in their own operations from the results of this census of distribution. Such gain can come from a greater knowledge of the marketing system of the nation which brings goods to you and takes goods from you. It will also come from the opportunity afforded your merchants to compare their own operations with the average conditions in their own operations with the average conditions in their own type of trade both in your own district and in other parts of the nation. The opportunity for self-study through comparison with others will be invaluable.

Important Questions.

"Does your store employ more people and pay more wages per thousand dollars of sales than the average store of the same type in your community? Do stores in your section have a heavier wage bill per unit of sales than the average store in other parts of the country?

"Do you have more stores per one thousand inhabitants here than the average situation for the country? Do you support more or less extreme small stores here than is common elsewhere? Are your stores changing hands unduly rapidly?

"These and other pertinent questions which you have been asking for a long time will be answered.

"Your merchants are not the only ones to gain from this study. It is inevitable that these gains will be passed on in part both to the consumers, and the producers. Your cost of

County-Wide Co-Operation Sought by Churchmen Here

The First Church of Christ last Sunday compiled a letter of greeting to other churches of Scurry County, asking that a united effort be made in church work. The letter is signed by Fritz R. Smith, chairman, A. J. Cody, secretary, and Thos. M. Broadfoot, minister. It follows:

To the Churches of Scurry County:

Greetings from First Church of Christ and its minister at Snyder, through God the Father and our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, our prince; in behalf of our mutual undertaking and common prayer that the world may be made one in Christ Jesus.

Let it be known that we, as a community of believers, seeking the full and complete truth as revealed in and through Jesus of Nazareth, during the past three years, have been celebrating in the spirit of worship the nineteenth centennial of His personal ministry, and shall so continue to June 8, next, at which time, as a brotherhood of the world over, we shall celebrate His sending of the Holy Spirit as our guide in things spiritual according to promise.

From now until that time our common prayer shall be that we may be led to the full and complete light which Christ brought into the world, if perhaps we be not already in possession of same, and that at the instance of God in His own good time the walls of partition between all contending groups of professing believers be broken down through the reception and knowledge of the truth, knowing that said walls are false and

living will be lowered and your manufacturers placed in a better position.

"We pledge ourselves to hold the facts regarding each separate business in the strictest confidence, and to compile summaries for you as promptly as possible. We urgently request that you co-operate with us as fully as possible in making your business ready so that our field force may get the forms filled in accurately and promptly. Will you not get ready yourselves to co-operate with our census takers and urge your neighborhood business men to do the same?"

builded of error, knowing, too, that only the truth shall make us free.

In this behalf we petition and pray all churches and individuals of whatever faith—all true seekers after Christ—to join hands with us to this end, each in his own way, studying the word for all truth, as revealed in and through Christ Jesus, paying particular attention to the Acts of the Holy Spirit (Apostles) and the special letters and praying that the Scriptures may be unraveled and made plain to all such and that they may be resolved in full and complete submission to whatever truth may be found therein and that they may be so taught by all as Jesus Himself would teach them. And may this period of celebration come to a close—not an end—with every true member of the body of Christ at the Lord's table on this Pentecost as on that Pentecost nineteen hundred years ago, June 8, and may all continue steadfastly as recorded in Acts 2:42.

May the love of God, the faith of Jesus and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all according to promise (Acts 5:32) now and forevermore.

Response of your attitude is requested.

Yours in the name and bonds of Jesus,

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST

Fairy Story: Once upon a time there was a man who had early morning motor tours because he admired the beauty of the billboards in the rosy light of dawn.

Litling Melodies Are Hit of Palace Film

Paris is a city of gaiety and light and fun—and music.

And "Paris," the First National picture starring Irene Bordoni, which opens at the Palace Theatre Monday, is just like the city in these respects—not least in that of music.

The score of the production, in fact, is fairly overflowing with melody. Among the outstanding numbers are such tinkling and tuneful creations as "Miss Wonderful," "My Lover, Master of My Heart," "Somebody Mighty Like You" and "I wonder What Is Really on His Mind."

These were all written by Al Bryan and Eddie Ward, former Broadway songsmiths who are now exercising their creative gifts under contract of the First National Studios at Burbank, Calif. Bryan wrote the lyrics, while the tunes were composed by Ward.

Irene Bordoni heads the all-star cast in "Paris" at the Palace Monday and Tuesday. It's a pip!

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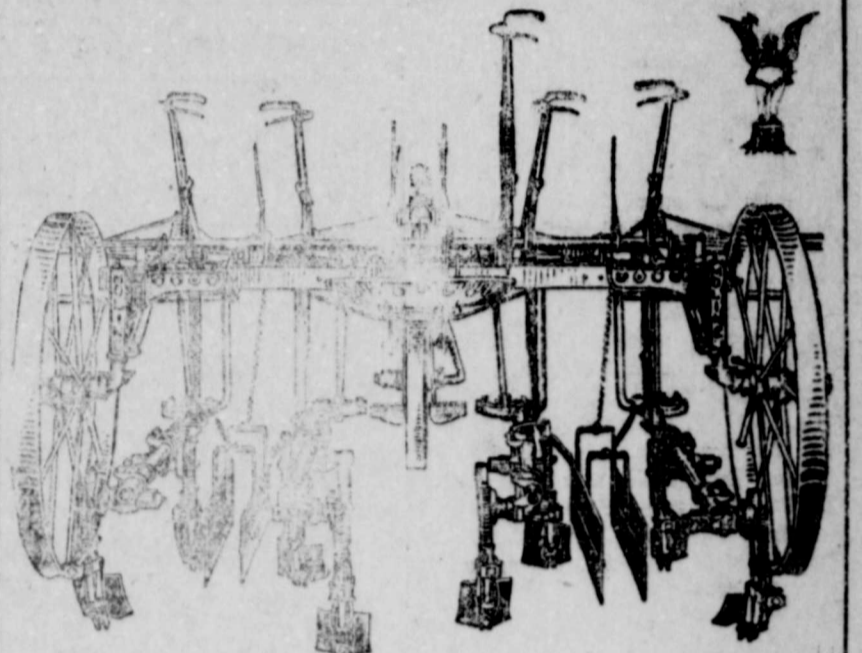
The Roscoe Plowboys, football champions of two districts, and conquerors of the Snyder Tigers in a 12 to 6 affair last fall, have just added a silver football, regulation in size, to their trophy room, honoring their 1929 successes.

Names of the captain, coach and letter men are engraved on the award, which will be kept in the high school auditorium.

The Plowboys defeated Stamford, 13 to 6, for the district title and then nosed out Midland, 7 to 0, for the bi-district championship. They lost to Ballinger, 20 to 0, in regional finals.

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Contest in News Has Numerous Entrants

Three Prizes Given for Best Solutions of Difficulty

Many subscribers to The Snyder News offered their assistance to Dan Cupid in patching up the difficulties of the two lovers who had had a "spat," as related in last week's issue of the paper that "covers Scurry County every week." And there were numerous good solutions to the difficulty.

Practically every solution presented patched the segments of the broken heart, and made the above picture possible, but the Limericks submitted were not rhymed properly in several instances. In the Limerick, of course, the last line must rhyme with the first and second.

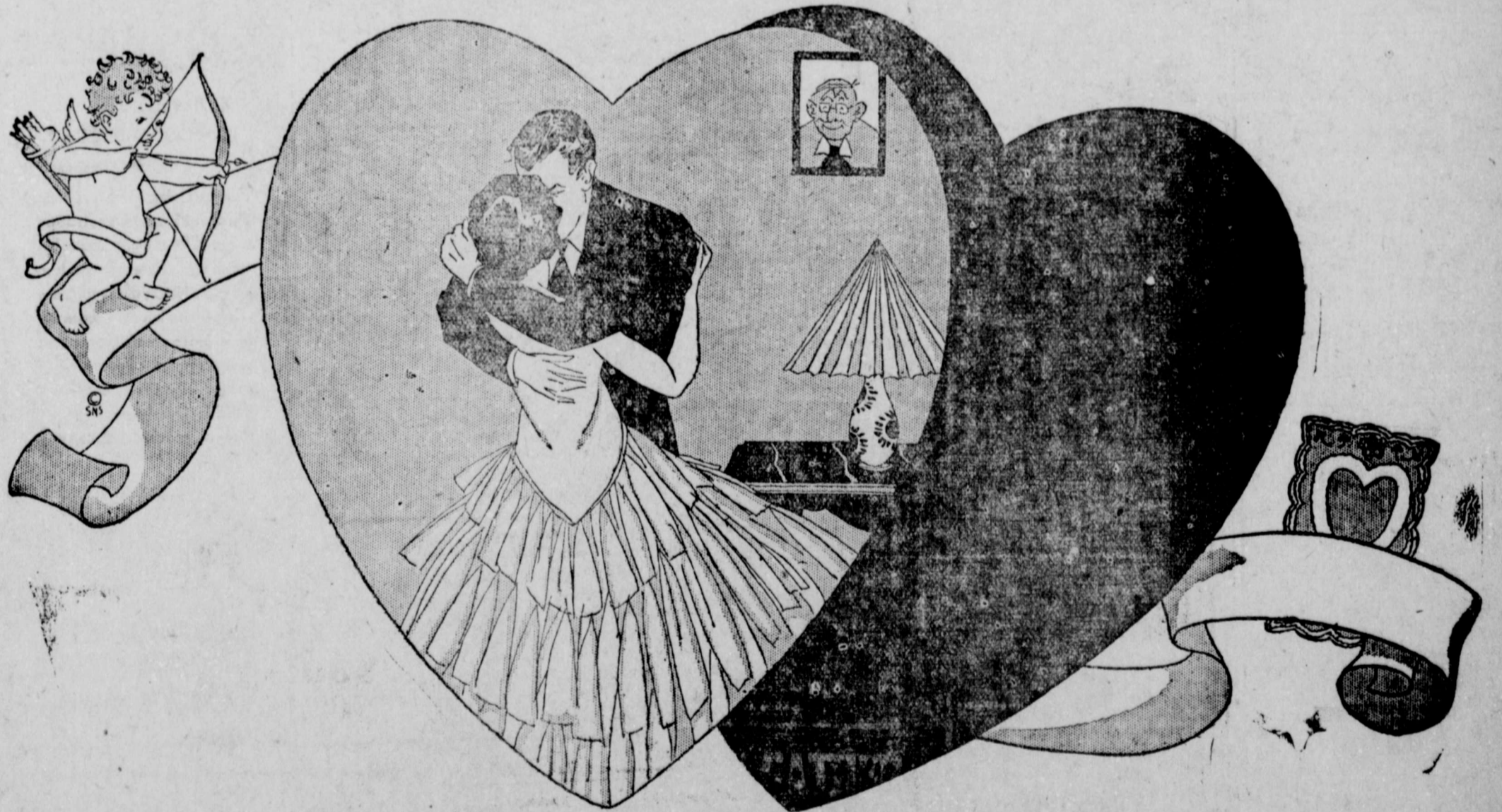
After considering the solutions submitted, The News announces the following awards:

- First Prize - Miss Elva Lemons
- Second Prize - Mrs. J. R. Webb
- Third Prize - Connie Shepherd

All three of the "heart menders" offered well worded and metered Limericks. Miss Lemons' last line to the verse, which was given first place, is reproduced here:

Jane Smith was a girlie quite sad,
At her boy friend she used to get mad,
But now skies are blue—
They're lovers anew,
And she's planning to marry the lad.

The prize winners will please call by The Snyder News office and get their checks, in amounts of \$5.00, \$2.50 and \$1.00 respectively, which are waiting for them.



The following Snyder Merchants co-operated with The News in the Contest. Here are their advertisements:

We Defy Anybody to eat one of our meals and keep a grinch! It just can't be done. Our food is so good that you just feel glad with the whole world, almost with the first mouthful. Talk your lovers' quarrels over at one of our tables, you'll go out smiling.—Montgomery Cafe, Leath & Brumley.

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Lovey Flowers will help to dry those tears! The tender sentiment of beautiful blooms is just irresistible, whether for cementing old friendship or patching up differences. Let Bell's Flower Shop pinch hit for Dan Cupid, with a bouquet!—Bell's Flower Shop.

It's a Cinch you may stay "in good" with the lady, fair if you see that she is properly entertained. We're offering as a peace-maker, or for real enjoyment, probably our greatest for the year, "Paris," Monday and Tuesday, at the Palace Theatre.

Cutting Words will help to forgive when her dress is soiled here. Patch up the "snags" in the home, and maintain the peace and harmony of the household, by residing to let "98" Chambers do your Cleaning and Pressing. Sudden service, that's us!—Abe Rogers, Himself.

Appease Her Wrath: Give her an appropriate remembrance from our gift department. You'll find one here to suit your taste, and hers. See the big variety of China articles in our window to the west. These gifts are always popular, and practical.—Davis-Harpole Co.

The Gift de Luxe—Jewelry. You won't be going wrong by giving a gift of jewelry. Nothing else can so aptly express lasting sentiment as a handsome ring, pin, necklace or wrist watch. See our window displays.—H. G. Towle, Jeweler.

Keep Peace in the Home! Nothing so takes the spirit of congeniality out of a person as bending over a hot, soapy tub doing the wash. Let the Laundry do the laundering, and send along the cleaning and pressing, too. One phone call, one pick-up, one collector.—Snyder Laundry, ring 211.

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COMEDY GOES OVER TUESDAY

They stepped direct from favorite funny pages—those three dozen actors on the high school stage Tuesday evening—and entertained an appreciative Snyder audience with an hour and a half of solid frivolity.

"The Zander-Gump Wedding" was staged, with the galaxy of stars as a background, and with the Parent-Teacher Association as the sponsoring organization, was the occasion for the unique gathering. Proceeds from the play, which totaled about \$80, will go toward paying for equipment in the new school cafeteria.

Major Hoople, otherwise known as A. C. Alexander, performed the ceremony. He distinguished himself in unmistakable terms as an orator-justice-of-the-peace-gestulator. Mrs. Zander, transformed from Louise Darby, and Uncle Ben Gump, better known as Hershel Rucker, were a couple at which no stickler for exactness in weddings could wince.

After the various characters had come on the stage, in ones and twos and threes, and had performed their lines or sung their songs, the wedding party, complete in every detail, crossed the stage of action, and the blushing principals were united in the perpetual bonds of matrimony.

The high school band, under direction of J. W. Crowley, presented several numbers before the curtain rose. Homer Springfield and Mrs. Hugh Taylor were responsible for the performance. W. N. Corry, behind a "mick," was official broadcaster for the evening.

Characters in the comedy of funny paperites included: Rinky-Dink Club—Billy Cauble, Wilmauth LaRue, Donald Darby, Jack Smith, Jack and Billy Hamilton; Miss Emily Schmalz—Marguerite Parsons; Moon Mullins—Melvin Blackard; K. O.—William Miller; Jiggs—Ray E. C. Lambert; Maggie—Mrs. J. R. Hicks; Miss Jiggs—Mabel Isaacs; Walt—W. O. Logan; Skeezix—A. C. Alexander, Jr.; Rachel—A. C. Prentiss; Goliath Gump—Virginia Prentiss;

Mutt—Munger Y. Lewis; Jeff—J. C. Smyth; Tom Carr—Herman McPherson; Mary Gold—Mary Joyce; Mandy—Ottis M. Moore; Phlo—Marshall Higgins; Boots and her best buddy, Babe—Eloise Scott and Martha Gray; Barney Gooch—Abner Rogers; Sunshine—Harvey Shuler; Toots, Casper, and Buttercup—Mr. and Mrs. Willard Jones and June Jones; the rejected suitor—J. M. Claunch; Archie—J. P. Strayhorn; Mack—Forest Wade; Rosi—Mary Lynn Nation; Hairbreadth Harry—J. D. Scott; Tillie the Toiler—Brogie Wright; Isora—Mariswade Harless; Bubbles—Mary Harkey; Little Orphan Annie—Dorothy Winston; Dolly Dimple—Jeanne Taylor;

Chester—Max West; Minnie—Sallie Boone; Andy Gump—J. W. Scott; Henrietta Zander—Louise Darby; Uncle Ben—Hershel Rucker; Dick Haverhill—Herbert Bannister; Katzenjammer Kids—Weldon Strayhorn and Martin Harris; Major Hoople—A. C. Alexander; Dizzy—Harold

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"Ship from Shanghai"

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Week-End News

Monday and Tuesday,
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"PARIS"

All-Talking Technicolor, starring Irene Bordoni
All-Talking Comedy, "Shipmates, starring Lupino Lane

Wednesday and Thursday,
February 26-27

"Hard to Get"

An All-Talking Vitaphone picture, starring Dorothy McCall and Jack Okie.

Our Gang Talking Comedy, "Bouncing Babies."

Local Entry in One-Act Play Contests

Snyder high school will have a cast entered in the district one-act play contest, to be staged in Sweetwater March 21-22, according to Superintendent C. Wedgeworth. This new activity of the Interscholastic League has aroused considerable interest in this district, and keen competition is expected before the winner is declared at Sweetwater.

Homer Springfield will direct the play, title of which has not yet been decided. Lucile Brown, Brent Anderson, G. L. Huestis and Dan Trice compose the cast.

Brown; Mushroom—Jesse Jones; Winnie Winkle—Lucile Brown; Jack, Ted and Mary—Sonny Huestis, Jimmy Dillard, Nell Carlton; Alexander Smart—Horace Holley.

Courthouse News

Births Registered.
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Davis, a girl, February 17.
Mr. and Mrs. John M. Mason, a boy, February 15.

Marriage Licenses.
R. S. Walker and Mrs. Etta Hart, February 14.
Everett Leeman Vandiver and Miss Sadie Mae Bruton, February 14.

Fluvanna School Is Going Forward as Warm Days Come

Work on the new school building is going along nicely, and if the pretty weather keeps up we may have the commencement exercises in the new auditorium yet. Who knows?

The third and fourth grades, with Miss Spykos in charge, had charge of the chapel exercises this week and every one agrees that they put on a very good program. The second grade will have charge of the exercises next week. We invite the patrons to be with us in chapel every Wednesday morning at the regular chapel hour, 9:30.

Wade Flournoy, who has been out of school for the past two weeks, is some better, and we hope that he will soon be back in school to fill his usual seat in the junior class.

The boys' basketball team won a hard fought game from the Sweetwater Roosters last Friday night at Wolf Park, while the Froegates lost to the fast Hornleigh sextet. The girls' team will not enter the Rony meet this week, last Friday's game being their last.

The girls' basketball team will stage a vaudeville show one week from this Friday night. The place of the show has not been set yet, but announcements will be out later. The proceeds will go to help pay for the girls' basketball suits, which they still owe for. The name of the show will be "The Follies of '30," which will include vaudeville acts, band and orchestra music, sing-songs, one-act plays, and various other things that will be good, wholesome entertainment. Let every one come out and help the basketball girls end a successful season by getting out of debt.

The boys' basketball team will play the Sweetwater Roosters' club at Sweetwater Friday night.

The try-out for girls' debate was held last week at the high school. Misses Pauline Haynes and Laverne

About Snyder People

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

Stanley Cooper has recently accepted a position in Big Spring.

Joe Caton and O. P. Thrane were visitors in Sweetwater Sunday.

Mrs. Howell Harpole, Hereford, is visiting with friends and relatives in Snyder.

Roy McCullip has accepted a position with the Santa Fe Company at Amarillo.

Miss Elizabeth Smith has been visiting with friends and relatives in Big Spring this week.

Miss Olla Lee Cauble of Abilene spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cauble.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McCurdy visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Patton and family at Kalls this week.

Misses Marilu Rosser, Marguerite Parsons, Martha Gray, Eloise Scott and Mrs. Louise Darby spent Sunday in Sweetwater.

Ernest Varner and Miss Minnie Olla Graham of Eastland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graham and Helen Joe Saturday evening and Sunday.

Mrs. W. W. Hill, Miss Anne Duncan, Mrs. A. G. Eiland, J. E. Blakey and Howard McDonald attended a meeting of the Texas Electric Service employees, held in Sweetwater Monday evening.

Mrs. Nelson Dunn and children returned Monday evening from a visit with friends and relatives in Pittsburg. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Berry, who visited with them Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Whately and daughter, Dean, who have been spending several months on their farm near Fluvanna, spent last week at their home in Wichita Falls. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Whately of this city.

Mrs. D. G. Hull of Lamesa is visiting in the home of I. D. Hull.

Max Brownfield and Cleve Blackard were visitors in Colorado Sunday.

M. A. Fuller of Fort Worth has been in Snyder for several days on business.

Mrs. D. C. Howell has been visiting in Pecos with her daughter, Miss Ruth Smith.

Mrs. Guy Stoker of Eastland visited with relatives and friends in Snyder last week.

Giles Connell of Fort Worth and C. D. Morrow of Post were business visitors in Snyder last week.

J. C. Smyth and Carl England visited with friends in Amarillo and Canadian during the week-end.

Mrs. Joe Stinson and daughters, Frances Stinson and Mary Lynn Nation, visited with relatives in Lubbock Friday.

Hilton Lambert, Misses Polly Porter and Faye Chamberlain of Lubbock spent the week-end in Snyder with friends and relatives.

Charley Lockhart of Austin has been visiting in Snyder this week. Mr. Lockhart, formerly of Snyder, is in the race for state treasurer.

Mrs. G. A. Hagan and R. H. Curran were called to Midland Monday night to be with their mother, Mrs. W. W. Curran, who is seriously ill.

Misses Erna Taylor and Gertrude Saylor, Messrs. Leroy Stone and Charles Owen of Abilene spent the week-end with Miss Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Johnson, Mrs. Pearl Shannon, and R. E. Dolman of Colorado and Walter Browning of Kansas City, Mo., were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Towle Sunday.

Hayseeders Club at Fluvanna Will Meet

Thirty-two young men of the Fluvanna community are members of the "Hayseeders Club," according to Edson Jones. The club's purpose, says Edson, is just to have a good time, and club records of the past show that the idea has been carried out.

A call meeting of the general council of the club has been issued for Saturday night of this week. Votes will be cast at that time for the favorite club member out of a group of three—Layne Roddy, Jeff Faver and E. V. Boynton.

Tuesday, March 11, has been set as the next regular meeting time of the club. The Fluvanna school house will be the scene of the session.

First Church of Christ

Next Sunday is to be a red letter day at the First Church of Christ. It is to be special consecration day. Both morning and evening services will be devoted to this work. Song service will be specially adapted and sermons specially prepared to this end. Sunday school and Christian Endeavor will also play their part by stressing the seeking of special spiritual blessings through special preparation and duty well done. All teachers and leaders are requested to put forth special efforts to secure record attendance and devoted service. Prepare to present your lessons in some new and interesting way that will anchor its fundamental truth that it may bring its special spiritual benefit. Nelson's cryptic statement, "England expects every soldier to do his duty," expresses Christ's attitude toward every soldier of the cross. Shall I disappoint Him in my position? Let every pew be not found empty.

Thos. M. Broadfoot, Minister.

Says Co-operate.

"There is no reason why we can not have a central marketing center for the South Plains region," Lubbock, if the people of this section who are interested will get behind the new cotton co-operative set-up," is the statement of R. E. Overstreet, state state director of the Texas Bureau Cotton Association, according to the South Plains Farmer.

Harmony bay rum, pint, 49¢ at Stinson's.

Purest milk magnesia, pint, 39¢ at Stinson's.

Shugart's Studio of Dallas Moves Here

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Shugart of Dallas have opened a studio on the east side of the square next door to the Moffett & Noble Tailor Shop.

The new photographers are said to be well recommended, and have a studio equipped to meet the needs of Seury County people.

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Students Entertained.

The boys and girls of the Dunn high school were complimented Friday evening, February 14, by Mmes. W. A. White and C. F. Swan, at the home of Mrs. White, honoring her son, Charlie, with a birthday-Valentine party. The home was attractively decorated in the valentine motif, and games, contests and fortunes in keeping with the holiday spirit entertained the young folks throughout the evening.

Jack Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Johnson, and Miss Dorothy Swan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Swan, were elected most likable boy and most lovable girl, and were crowned "King of Hearts" and "Queen of Hearts."

Delicious refreshments were served, and the contents of a pretty valentine box were distributed among the guests as a climax of the evening.

February birthday sale—Stinson's.

Teasol hand lotion, 39¢, Stinson's.

Mentholine Balm—39¢—Stinson's.

February birthday sale—Stinson's.

Food for thought—guessing the inside of chocolates.

If you were to turn and look yourself squarely in the face, what would you find you need most? Answer: A rubber neck.

Klenzo tooth paste, 39¢, Stinson's.

Only the hen can make money by laying around.

Peptonia tonic, pint, 79¢, Stinson's.

February birthday sale—Stinson's.



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Interesting Chapel Programs Given in School This Month

On Tuesdays and Fridays the high school student body assembled in the auditorium for 30 minutes' devotion and entertainment. The meetings are from 10:00 until 10:30 a. m.

Programs are prepared in advance and in the course of one school year the entire student body is given a chance to participate in some way in these chapel programs. In the chapel activities, which meet twice per month, the students are coached and trained and in most every case when he or she makes a public appearance on these chapel programs the student feels like an old veteran of the stage.

In keeping a school up to the standard of excellence there must be a very effective and constructive auditorium program in operation during the entire school year. In this way each student is given an opportunity to develop his or her talents along different lines of thought and desire; and at the same time he or she will become accustomed to appearing before the public, which is a great asset to the youngster.

The patrons of our school are cordially invited to attend the chapel programs and listen in.

Next Friday the following program will be presented for your approval: Sports Club will sing, read and one member will give a piano solo; the Zero English Club will give a musical demonstration, bass; piano solo by Wanda Bebenek; Research Club will give the latest invention and discovery, by Lee Price; Junior English Club will present Elverne McFarland in a feature, which will show you that they know what it is all about.

School Census to Be Taken Next Month

March is the month for the school census, and Seury County is preparing for the enumeration of her children. Most of the census takers have been appointed in the 31 districts of the county.

The count last year was 3,429, and County Superintendent A. A. Bullock expects that number to vary little this year.

Methodist Church.

Cal C. Wright, Pastor.

Sunday school at 9:45. We hope that you will be present and help to make your class the best possible one.

Morning subject: "Hearing." You will enjoy the congregational singing and the special. Evening service at 7:30. At this service the junior choir and the male quartet will be featured. We want you to hear them.

You are invited to worship with us.

Georgia Rose tale, 19¢—at Stinson's.

"What's a joint account, Pop?" "It's an account where one person does the depositing and the other the withdrawing."

Liggett's assorted chocolates, pound—74¢—at Stinson's.

You will find that your welcome to our chapel programs and you can better determine what we are doing along this line of work in the big school.—J. P. Jamison, Chairman of Program Committee.

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DISTRICT AGENT WANTED
Experienced district agent for E. K. Mutual of Snyder wanted at once. See Mrs. J. R. G. Burt at John Keller's Furniture Store. 1c

Loans.

\$100,000 to loan on good farms.—John Spears, Real Estate and Loans, Snyder, Texas. (3-1c)

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ANYTHING in the grocery line, from toothpicks to spoons.—Just Mollie and Me. 1-1c

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FLOWER SEED—The best of all kinds.—Bell's Flower Shop. 27-6c

For Rent.

FOR RENT—Two furnished or unfurnished rooms. Close in. Mrs. John Ab reonbie, phone 231W. 26-2p

FOR RENT—Furnished bed room.—Mrs. J. M. Herrington, block north Stinson Camp Ground. (13-1f-1p)

TWO NICE suites of rooms for rent; also a 4-room house. See H. V. Williams. 24-1c

FOR RENT—90 acres farm land, near airport; have house.—D. P. Yoder. 24-1c

ROOM AND BOARD in nice home, two and one-half blocks from public square. Bath, hot and cold water. Rates \$25 month. Apply at News office. 27-3p

Wanted.

WANTED—An experienced district agent for E. K. Mutual of Snyder, as J. W. Ely is with us no more. See Mrs. J. R. G. Burt at John Keller's Furniture Store. 1c

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