

SCURRYLY SPEAKING

In all things that are purely social we can be as separate as the fingers, yet one as the hand in all things essential to mutual progress.—George Washington.

BY JAKE

DO YOU know that George Washington was a farmer—a money-making farmer? History tells of his generalship, of his honesty, of his aristocracy, of his sacrifices; but seldom does anyone write of the way in which he accumulated his fortune.

Do you know that Washington was the first great American diver-sifier?

While his neighbors were plugging along raising mostly one crop, he raised everything that would grow on his plantation. When the tobacco market was down, he made his money from cotton; when cotton was down, from feedstuffs; when too much or not enough rain came from hogs and chickens and cows.

Do you know that George Washington, and not A. & M. colleges, was the first outstanding advocate—and user—of detailed farm records?

Washington didn't guess how much he was making or losing from this piece of land or that piece of land; from this tenant or that tenant. HE KNEW. He kept records.

It is said that Washington, in his later years, loved the farm as he loved his own life; and that he prided himself more on being a good farmer than on being the first president of these United States, whose liberty he had won.

THREE "Scurryly Speaking" customers have taken occasion recently to air some of their views, in writing, concerning this resolute column.

Minnie Tate Abernathy was the first. She kindly disagreed with my prejudiced views on cotton.

J. L. Carrell came second. He followed my lead in describing Scurry County's tendency to go to extremes in everything from weather to good foods.

T. C. Bynum wrote third, commending my fairness to those who are opposed to my personal ideas.

I can fully appreciate my first commentator's attitude. She loves cotton because she has delighted in its soft luxury since she was a child. I can appreciate her attitude because I once had a fine Shepherd dog that had shot.

You should have seen that beautiful canine of mine. His hair was as soft and glossy as silk, and his hot tongue was like salve on my hurt feelings. He was my protector, my companion, my friend when everyone seemed to have the sorehead.

The first thing I knew old Pete was running with foreign dogs. At first it didn't bother me, although he wasn't with me as much as he had been as long as I could remember. Then he began to get lazy. Every time he would become his old self again, those foreign dogs would yelp and howl, just out of reach of my rocks, until old Pete would leave me and not come back for hours and hours.

IT wasn't long until Pete got as mean as the very devil. He wasn't worth his meat. I patted him and talked to him and almost prayed over him, but he just couldn't be reformed.

Dad said: "Son, Old Pete is not worth his salt. He's running around with those foreign dogs so much that he has dropped down to their level."

One day I was feeding old Pete a hunk of meat just as juicy and sweet as the one I had just eaten at the dinner table. He snapped at my hand, slashed it for two or three inches, and then ran on to join that bunch of foreign hounds.

Dad just told Mama to take care of my hand, picked up his old shotgun and loaded it, and went out without saying a word.

I didn't see old Pete any more. It was tough on me for a while. I remembered Pete's beautiful fur, and the way he used to lick my hand with his hot tongue.

But Dad knew how to remedy the situation. He bought me an ugly dog, the like of which I had never seen before. I wouldn't have anything to do with it for several days.

But you should have seen that ugly hound! He had more tricks than a magician. He could catch rabbits, drive in the cows, carry things from the house to the field in his teeth, keep the baby, and keep stray animals off the place.

I grew to like him more and more. It wasn't long until I had forgotten about old Pete, who let foreign company interfere with his usefulness, and who served only one purpose around the place.

THAT story is just a brain-storm. I never really had a dog named Pete.

The story means to remind that a new order of things has arrived. I do not blame Minnie Tate Abernathy for loving the fleecy staple; but we can not let sentiment rule our Scurry County fields.

Foreign competition is with us. Let's keep some of the beautiful fur, if you will; but let's raise a dog that has some horse sense to go along with his beauty and companionship.

I hasten to assure Minnie Tate Abernathy that I do not mean to insult King Cotton, crowned or uncrowned. My feet are shod in cotton socks; my body in cotton under-dies; my arms in cotton sleeves; my legs in patched cotton trousers; but I sure would hate to try to eat cotton three meals a day!

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SEED MEETING WILL BE HELD IN CITY SATURDAY

Three plans for improving quality of cotton in this community will be discussed at a meeting to be held at Snyder in the city tabernacle next Saturday, February 21, at 2:30 o'clock.

S. A. Debnam of Lamesa, representative of the Texas Cotton Cooperative Association, will speak, according to Raymond Ford, local co-op manager.

W. O. Logan, chairman of the committee which issued the call for the meeting, says that the farmers interested may either arrange for individual seed blocks, through which they may grow enough good seed to plant their crop this season on a single high-grade seed bought direct from a breeder; or the whole group may go in on a more economical plan, buying not from a breeder but from some community which is known to produce a good quality seed.

A recent dispatch from College Station says: "Probably the greatest benefit from the cooperative movement spread in Texas in the past year is the change in purchasing methods of cotton buyers. It now looks like every farmer who grows standard long staple cotton in Texas this year will get full value for his crop."

"Bread and Butter" Cotton.

It is suggested that Texas farmers should attempt, as a rule, to grow cotton of much more than one inch staple. "Bread and Butter" cotton for Texas should be 15-18ths of an inch to 1-3/8th. These are the lengths which it is generally agreed will find the most satisfactory markets.

Eighty-five per cent of the Texas crop this season ranged from seven-eighths of an inch to one inch. Roughly speaking, this is a sixteenth of an inch shorter than the average recommended. An increase of one-sixteenth of an inch in the average of Texas cotton this season would have meant \$2.50 a bale more, according to actual difference paid by the Texas Cotton Cooperative Association between middling cotton of seven-eighths inch staple and middling of 15-18ths staple. Ten million dollars more would have poured into Texas, through the yawning pockets of cotton growers, thence to circulate indefinitely over the state, hither and yon, easing financial straits along the highways and byways.

Fluvanna Play to Be Given Friday Night

Rain caused postponement of the Fluvanna Little Theatre play, "The Felton Mystery," until Friday evening of this week. Superintendent E. O. Wedgworth announces that the performance will include not only the play, but other features as well.

Parent-Teacher Association is sponsoring the play for the benefit of school improvements. Members of the cast are: J. Belmont Bishop, G. E. Payne, E. H. McCarter Jr., Miss Vera Staveley, Miss Burline Boynton, E. O. Wedgworth, Miss Chloe Collins, Miss McCarter, Miss Winnie Houston and Miss Pauline Haynes.

Forney Man Wants Oil in Scurry County

From Forney comes a check and an earnest plea that Scurry County find herself an oil well.

T. A. Lindsey is the author of both. He writes:

"Enclosed find check for six months. I will take it that long, and if it doesn't say anything about oil, will have to stop it. So get busy and get oil."

All right, Mr. Lindsey. We'll say something about oil. Just wait a few weeks, and two or three of these Scurry County wells may be spouting over the top. If they don't, we'll tell you about that.

National Parent-Teacher Association Founder's Day to Be Observed Here

In observance of the thirty-fourth anniversary of the founding of the national Parent-Teacher Association, an open meeting will be held at the Snyder High School auditorium this (Thursday) afternoon beginning at 3:00 o'clock.

Mrs. A. C. Surman of Post, district president, arrived this morning and was honored guest at a luncheon given by the executive committee of the local Parent-Teacher Association at the lovely home of Mrs. Wade Winston.

A reception is planned for 3:00 o'clock at the school cafeteria, after which a Founder's Day program will be given in the auditorium.

C. Wedgworth, superintendent of the Snyder public schools, will introduce Mrs. Surman, who will direct a very unique ceremony in recognition of the founding of P.-T. A. There will be a large birthday cake

Leath and Glover To Run for Seats On Local Council

Horace Leath and Watt Glover have announced as candidates for places on the City Council, according to A. C. Preuit, city secretary. This makes three new names turned in to Mr. Preuit, as Dwight Monroe announced two weeks ago. The election will be held early in April.

Monroe and Glover are in the north ward race, in which there will be only one vacancy. Leath is a candidate to succeed J. S. Bradbury, resigned, in the east ward, and S. J. Castevens is a candidate to succeed himself in the same ward. Earl Brown, incumbent, has no opponent in the north ward.

LOCAL PAVING GOES TO COLE

John Cole, Snyder contractor, was awarded the contract for paving two local streets, the City Council reported Wednesday. His bid was \$3,009.20.

Two other bids were submitted. A. L. Martin of Snyder bid \$3,037.32, and the Monarch Engineering Company of Roby bid \$3,068.08.

Work will begin as soon as official notice of assessments has been made, according to the city secretary. The paving will be laid on the block running west from the First Christian Church, on Twenty-Seventh Street, and the block running south from the First Methodist Church, on Avenue R.

Carload of Food Shipped to This Red Cross Area

A carload of foodstuffs from the citizens of Fort Morgan, Colorado, is on the road to Snyder, to be distributed by the Red Cross, according to a telegram received by J. W. McCoach, Santa Fe agent, Friday. The local Red Cross chairman had been previously notified that the car was to be sent.

Both local ice plants have volunteered their cold storage facilities. Since the railroads concerned are "dead-heading" the car through, the only charge will be for crating, which will be paid out of Red Cross funds.

Since the present Red Cross funds do not call for the purchase of such items as fruit, it is believed that the incoming carload of foodstuffs will be almost altogether supplementary.

Needy Families Increase.

The list of families being fed by the Red Cross here has increased since last week from 200 to more than 250. Each family averages more than five members. Those in charge of the work state the distribution machinery is rolling well, and that a great spirit of fairness and truthfulness has been shown by practically all those seeking help.

J. W. Scott, who is in charge of the distribution work, states that the women's clubs of Snyder have done a fine work in Red Cross aid.

"It was almost altogether through the efforts of these women that the recent drive for funds was put across. More money was collected at that time than during the membership drive before Christmas. The women have also donated much clothing, as well as food for the transient who visit Snyder."

Colorado Board Elects.

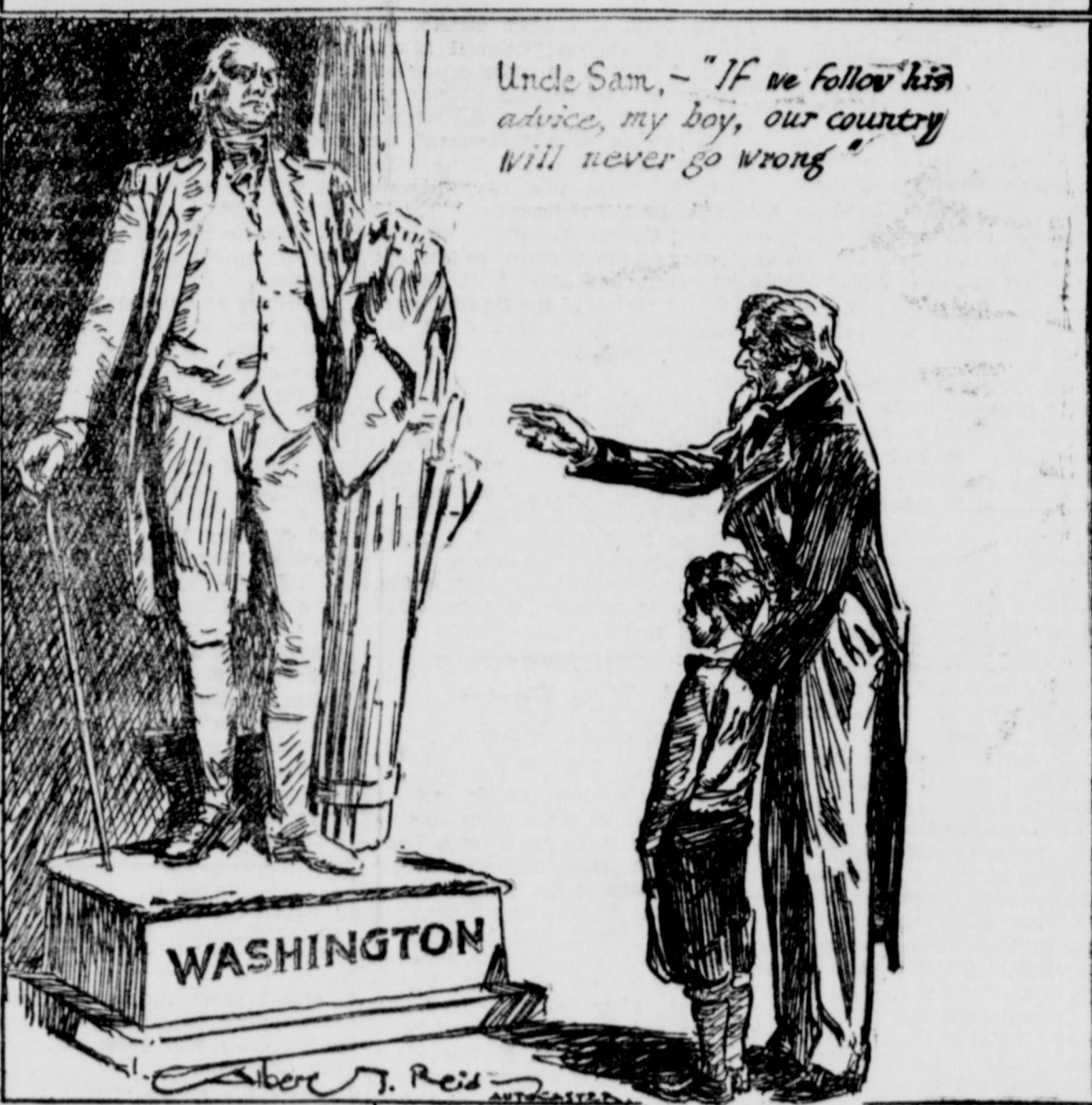
The following were re-elected Friday by the Colorado school board for the ensuing year: J. E. Watson, superintendent; C. A. Wilkins, principal high school; Hayes Holman, principal junior high; Miss Yandell Daniels, principal of Hutchinson school; Miss Pearl Traylor, principal of primary school.

Special musical numbers will be given under the direction of Miss Hattie Herm and Mrs. Melvin Blackard.

February 17 is variously known as the National Congress Birthday, Founder's Day and Child Welfare Day, and the observation of the day is designed in a way as a tribute to Mrs. Theodore Birney and Mrs. Phoebe Hearst, the two women who, in face of ridicule and misunderstanding, called together in Washington, D. C., 1897, the men and women who in their own lives felt the need of discussion and study in the seriousness of rearing the children committed to their care. Today this need is recognized by all thoughtful people, and "parent education" is one of the big movements in the education field.

His Policies Are Still Sound —

By Albert T. Reid



RELIEF LOANS SHOULD COME IN NEXT WEEK

Word from St. Louis indicates that Checks and Blanks Ought to Arrive in Few Days.

The Scurry County drought relief committee received word by telephone from St. Louis Monday that first checks were being sent at once, and that more applications were also being rushed to this section. Committee members state that their shipments should reach Snyder not later than the early part of next week.

While the loans and additional applications have been delayed longer than expected, the committee urges that farmers and land owners continue to co-operate in every way possible in order that every aid may be given to quick action by the government.

County Agent W. O. Logan explains about the new form to be filled out on page eight of this issue.

Better Seed Move Being Backed Here

The seed meeting in Snyder Saturday afternoon at 2:30 has the backing of every agency that has helped Scurry County during the present crisis.

Raymond Ford, co-op manager, is behind the program 100 per cent.

The Scurry County Chamber of Commerce approves the meeting, and is helping to put it across.

Bankers and business men believe it will be one of the most vital meetings held here this year.

Leading farmers, who have been planting good seed already, want to see their neighbors "go thou and do likewise."

"Your home town paper is backing the good seed program with publicity from every angle.

"The city tabernacle should be filled," W. O. Logan, county agent, asserts.

WINSTON NEW PRESIDENT OF COUNTY C. C.

Ernest Taylor Chosen as First Vice President and R. H. Odum as Second Vice President.

Harrie Winston, rancher and bank director, was chosen by the board of directors Thursday evening as president of the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce. He succeeds A. A. Bullock, county superintendent. It is customary to elect the president for only one year.

Ernest Taylor was made first vice president and R. H. Odum was named second vice president.

Election of a secretary will be made Thursday evening of this week. J. W. Scott, who has filled the office for three years, is a candidate himself.

A definite program for the ensuing fiscal year will be outlined by the directors this evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Committees will also be named at this time.

A unanimous vote of approval of the Chamber of Commerce program in 1930, and a pledge of allegiance to a 1931 program was made by the new directors in their meeting last week. The secretary's annual report was accepted unanimously. Outstanding civic accomplishments of the civic organization during the past year were discussed.

In accepting the office of president, Mr. Winston pledged himself to help carry forward a progressive program throughout the year. His message to Scurry County will be carried next week, along with the concise program for 1931.

TWO PRODUCE HOUSES UNITE

Merging of the Snyder Produce Company and the Scurry County Produce Company was announced last week by M. F. White and A. D. Moore, managers. With this announcement came notice of the establishment of a branch of the Western Produce Company at Lorraine, with Francis Piguet, formerly with the Snyder Produce Company, as manager.

The combined plant will be continued at the old Snyder Produce Company location, 1926 Twenty-Fifth Street. With facilities for handling every phase of the produce business, including the dressing of turkeys, Mr. White and Mr. Moore, who are in charge, believe they have one of the most complete plants of the kind in this section.

Confirmation from Washington Comes For Mrs. Anderson

Mrs. Gladys M. Anderson received official confirmation of her appointment as postmaster of Snyder a few days ago. She has already arranged for the required bond, and expects to receive complete papers about March 1.

The Senate confirmed Mrs. Anderson's appointment early this month, but the official notification was delayed.

"Snyder--West Texas Amusement Center"

Hard times or no hard times, Snyder must have her amusement.

So it seems to a number of local people who have checked this city's flock of big-time entertainment houses.

Someone has suggested that the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce advertise Snyder as "The Amusement Center of West Texas," but no one has definitely announced his intention of presenting the suggestion to the organization's board of directors this evening.

Those who have checked the amusement question carefully find Snyder offers the following line-up:

1. Two pool halls, with a total of 14 tables.
2. One bowling alley.
3. One roller skating rink, which is scheduled to open for the season tomorrow.
4. Two miniature golf courses, which are closed for the cold weather months.
5. One full-fledged golf course.
6. Several tennis courts.
7. One athletic field—one of the best in West Texas.
8. Two picture shows, only one of which has operated recently.

9. Croquet grounds of varying qualities.

Possibly there are others of equal attraction. If so, your home town paper will gladly present them to inquiring readers next week.

The interesting part about the amusement question is that a pool hall, a bowling alley and a skating rink are opening within 10 days of one another.

The Red Cross, in the meantime, is feeding more than 250 Scurry County families, and giving away hundreds of dollars worth of the necessities of life.

WEST TEXANS PROTEST LONE STAR'S GAS RATES

Citizens Ice Co. Bought By Fort Worth Interests

The Citizens Ice Company has been sold to the King interests of Fort Worth, effective Monday, February 16, by Glenn Sample, who established the plant and business here three years ago.

R. L. Miller of Fort Worth has taken over management of the business, and plans to make his permanent home in Snyder. He was introduced to local business men last week-end, and says he is already feeling at home here.

With the exception of changes and refinishing in the front office, Mr. Miller will conduct the plant as it is. "We will continue to give Snyder and Scurry County the best possible ice service," the new manager said early this week. "We have come here to be a part of the community, and we mean to find our place of service at once."

Mr. Sample states that he will move at once, with his family, to Hearne, Texas, where he will erect and operate a 25-ton ice plant.

"Competition and legislation are to be the agencies sought after by West Texas cities in a determined campaign to bring about lower gas rates, under the sense of a meeting of more than 80 official representatives of 32 towns who met in Abilene yesterday to discuss problems arising from protests on current gas rates," today's Abilene Reporter indicates.

Mayor H. G. Towle of Snyder was invited to attend the meeting, but he found it impossible to do so.

Telling further of the session, the Abilene paper says:

A set of resolutions, setting forth such sentiment, and calling for a permanent organization to keep the proposed program on the move, were unanimously adopted, as the most vital business of the day session.

The recommendations included consideration of competitive lines, or publicly-owned companies; examination of utility company reports; support of legislation giving cities fuller information and firmer footing in setting of rates.

Lone Star to Oppose.

The Lone Star Gas Company will oppose any reduction in domestic gas rates, at this time, it was indicated yesterday by Frank L. Chase, vice president and operating manager, in an interview with the Reporter-News. He stated that under a net rate of 50 cents per 1,000 cubic feet, as recommended at the city officials' conference here, his company would find it impossible to continue rendering quality of service as at present.

"The consumption of gas for the past January, compared with the corresponding month of 1930, is shown by our records to have been between 30 and 40 per cent less for this year. There seems to have been a rather general misapprehension that gas bills ran unduly high for this past January as compared with January 1930, due to the impression that we had practically no cold weather this January, whereas in January of 1930 we had the coldest weather experienced in some years. The facts are that in January this year we had almost uniformly moderately cold weather, particularly during the period for which the January gas bills were made. The average gas bill is from December 15 to January 15, which is termed a January billing."

FREE COOKING SCHOOL HERE

A free cooking school, sponsored by Hugh Taylor & Company, local distributors of Light Crock flour, will be held at the John Keller furniture store next week, beginning Tuesday and continuing through Saturday.

Mrs. Lenore Standifer, who is said by the Light Crock people to be a teacher-cook of unusual ability, will conduct the school. She promises not only to explain and demonstrate many of her original recipes, but to teach economy measures and labor-saving methods of home making. Women of Snyder and Scurry County are invited to attend each day.

The Texas Electric Service Company is furnishing a General Electric refrigerator and a Hotpoint gas range for Mrs. Standifer's demonstration. Mr. Keller is furnishing his store, and food supplies will come from Hugh Taylor & Company.

Snyder's largest checkerboard was repainted a few days ago. A. E. Harvey did the job on the front of the Winston & Clements feed store.

The Purina Mills, for which the local store distributes "checkerboard" feeds, present each main dealer with a new paint job for his store once each two years. This year the large red and white squares as well as the signs above the awning, were repainted.

W. H. Clements states that feeds of all kinds are being sold at the lowest prices to which they have dropped in a long while.

Winston & Clements Checkerboard Front Gets New Paint Job

Snyder Loses to Steer Quintet In Basket Tournay

Coach "Red" Moore's Snyder Tigers, who won regional football honors, could never get their goal-tossing clothes on straight this season. But they went to the district meet at Colorado last week-end after a narrow win from Dunn for the county title.

Big Spring whipped the Tigers, 41 to 17, in the semi-finals, and then breezed into the championship pep of the western half of District No. 8 by trampling the Roby Lions, 22 to 12.

The Tigers defeated Lomax, one of the seven teams entering the meet, in the first round, by the touchy margin of 28 to 24, after a see-saw battle.

The Big Spring Steers, who won over Abilene in the first district title game Tuesday night at Abilene, have smashed all comers this season. The big surprises of the tournament were Colorado's 18 to 17 defeat of

U. S. Marine Home On Short Furlough

First Class Private Robert James Smith, U. S. Marine Corps, stationed aboard the U. S. S. Rochester for the past two years in South American waters, arrived back in Snyder Friday night, and was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Smith, until Monday night.

Young Smith had arrived in Galveston Friday afternoon and was able to get his first furlough to return here for a short visit, and enjoyed contacts with young friends he made while living in Snyder several years ago.

The marine said that the Rochester would be leaving Galveston yesterday morning for a return trip to Panama, and was then prepared to go direct to the Philadelphia navy yards, where it would be taken out of service.

Juniors of Ira Will Give "Mammy's Lil' Wild Rose" Friday

"Mammy's Lil' Wild Rose" is the title of a play to be presented by the junior class of Ira High School at 8:00 o'clock Friday evening, in the Ira school auditorium. Music, singing, dancing and other features will be given between acts. People from all parts of the county are invited to attend. Admission prices will be only 10c and 20c.

The following cast will perform: Howard Franks as Daniel French, from the city; Melvin Lewis as Lester Van; Daniel's chum; Hubert Carnes as Wade Carver, an unwelcome suitor; Johnnie Jordan as Orpheus Jackson, a native Romeo; A. C. Chandler as Old Joe, "Dat's a rac"; Grace Carlile as Mammy Celia, a black treasure; Estell Lloyd as Hester O'May, Rose's maiden aunt; Lucy Holladay as Peggy French, Daniel's sister; Lucille Smallwood as Rose O'May, Mammy's lil' wild rose; Bernelle Greene as Letty Van; Peggy's chum; Opal Carlile as Babe Joan, a mountain charmer; Hazel Holladay as Mrs. Courtvane, a lonely woman.

HOOPER PROTESTS VET LOAN.

Hoover will certainly veto the veterans' loan measure, he indicated yesterday. The House passed it by a heavy vote, and it comes up to the Senate for almost certain ratification today. The measure would bring between \$50,000 and \$75,000 to Scurry County.

Mistakes Crop Out In Times Sub List

In spite of care, courtesy and cussing, the Times mailing list continues to reflect several errors.

All we ask is a chance to make the correction. Won't you be kind enough to call us if you are receiving two papers, or if your initials are wrong, and if your expiration date is not correct on your label, if your address is incorrect?



THE WOMAN'S PAGE



Girls' Club Holds Dinner Party.

"Sweetheart's Evening" was observed by the Altruistic Daughters Club Thursday evening of last week when a lovely progressive dinner party was given by the members for their sweethearts and husbands.

The guests assembled at the home of Miss Martha Gray and were received by Misses Gray and Eloise Scott. A fruit cocktail was served after which cut Valentines were passed and the boys found their partners.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stinson was the scene for the main dinner course, with Misses J. D. Scott and Herbert Bannister and Misses Ina Mae Caswell, Brent Anderson, Margaret Dell Prim, Nona Carr, Ola Lee Cauble and Mary Harkey as hostesses.

Attractive Valentine tables were passed, and after the selection of dinner partners a delicious menu was served, with Mrs. Stinson and Miss Frances Stinson assisting with hostess duties. Tables were centered with beautiful red tulips and a profusion of violets was seen about the rooms.

Bridge games were the diversion for the evening.

Later the guests were received by Mr. and Mrs. John Irwin at their home, where Mrs. Irwin and Miss Inez Caskey were hostesses. The Valentine motif was emphasized with a profusion of bright colored hearts hung about the entertaining rooms.

An interesting contest, "A Roman of Flowers" was enjoyed, with Miss Mary Harkey and Mrs. J. D. Scott vying for honors.

The hostesses served coffee and cherry pie topped with whipped cream. Plate favors were sprays of pink sweet peas.

The party was a most enjoyable occasion except for the absence of the club's sponsor, Mrs. Joe Cato, and her sweetheart, who were in Dallas on business at the time.

Guests were Messrs. J. D. Scott, Herbert Bannister, John Irwin, Arthur Duff, J. P. Strayhorn, Millard Shaw, Percy McFarland, Cleve Blackard, Max Brownfield, N. R. Clements, Floyd Cantrell and Miss Mable Isaacs.

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Joyce-McPherson Wedding Is Held.

Miss Mary Joyce and Herman McPherson were married Saturday morning, 8:00 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Joyce, 316 Avenue U. Rev. Thomas M. Broadfoot, pastor of the First Christian Church, officiated. Mr. McPherson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McPherson of 1308 Twenty-Third Street.

The bride wore a model frock of Paisley crepe trimmed effectively with wine colored velvet and had accessories to match.

Wedding guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Joyce, Miss Bertha Hicks of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wade, Mrs. Verne Gilmore and Misses Faye and Milton Joyce.

The couple left for Big Spring to make their home, the bride wearing an attractive ensemble of navy blue crepe with accessories to harmonize. Mr. McPherson will be employed with the Western National Insurance Company there.

Birthday Party Given Friday.

Miss Florenz Winston celebrated her twelfth birthday Friday evening with a lovely party given at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Winston.

The Valentine motif was emphasized during the evening, and refreshments were served by the hostess and her mother. A large birthday cake which centered the dining table was cut.

Those complimented were Misses Estine Dorward, Frances Stinson, Ruth Wright, Mary Margaret Towle, La Frances Hamilton, Evelyn Erwin, Helen Cauble, Frances Northcutt, Aileen Hutton, Juanita Burt, Juanita Sentell, Netha Lynn Rogers, Irene Spear, Irene Wolcott, Margaret Miller, Evelyn Raybon, Cecil Travis Smith, Wynona Keller and Dorothy Winston.

Miss Mary Joyce Is Honor Guest.

Miss Mary Joyce, who became the bride of Herman McPherson last Saturday morning, was honored at a miscellaneous shower given Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Walla Fish, with Misses Fish and A. C. Preuit as charming hostesses.

Bridge and forty-two were played, and at the conclusion of the games, Miss Joyce was declared winner of the prize which proved to be many beautiful gifts.

Tables were then centered with immense engagement rings, made of silver ribbon with the diamond of cellulose, and placed in the center of pastel shades of flowers and bows of maline. They were very unique.

A salad course was served to Misses Amos Joyce, John Irwin, Herbert Bannister, Wayne Williams, C. E. Fish, J. W. Wade, W. W. Hamilton, Noel Banks, Collie Fish, Ixon Joyce, David Strayhorn and T. A. Kennard; Misses Polly Porter, Faye Joyce, Inez Caskey, Neoma Strayhorn, Pauline Boren, Lorraine Coker, Ola Lee Cauble, Mildred Harless, Mable Isaacs, Hazel Lewis, Martha Gray, Eloise Scott and the honoree.

Business and Professional Women's Clubs Be Entertained at Sweetwater

The annual conference of the fifth district, Texas Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, will be held in Sweetwater February 21 and 22.

The meeting will open at 7:30 Saturday evening at the Blue Bonnet Hotel, with Edna Cordell, district chairman, presiding. The invocation will be given by Mrs. R. C. Ledford of Sweetwater. Mrs. H. O. Dean will give a solo, and Mickey Tubb will compliment the guests with a dance.

Mayor C. W. Bryant will give the Sweetwater welcome, and greetings will be given by Mrs. John Perry, representing the Federated Study Clubs; James H. Beall Jr., Rotary Club; C. R. Simmons, Sweetwater Luncheon Club; Carl M. Anderson, Lions Club; Dr. Martin Jensen, Stella Club; Evelyn Hudspeth, Business and Professional Women's Club. Mrs. Elizabeth McCleary of Colorado will give the response.

Mrs. Jane Ogle, national field secretary, will make the principal address. Visiting club presidents will be introduced.

A breakfast and a luncheon will feature the Sunday program.

Reports of club presidents and committee chairmen will be heard at the breakfast, for which George Stiles will preside. Julia O'Brien, vice president of the state organization, will lead a special round table.

Julia O'Brien will give the principal luncheon address. Emma Lee Hemby will be the presiding hostess. Unfinished business and committee reports will be taken up at the luncheon to conclude the conference.

The Primary Department of the Methodist Sunday school, including the superintendent, Mrs. J. E. Hardy, and teachers, Meses. Davidson, H. P. Winston, Bob Martin, C. W. Harless and Allen Warren, entertained the Beginners Department, Superintendent of that department, Mrs. Homer Snyder, and Meses. Cal C. Wright, Jim Henderson, L. T. Iverson, H. Cotton and R. H. Curmutte, with a delightful Valentine party Saturday afternoon at the church.

About 40 children enjoyed the program, which included music and songs, and later in the afternoon exchanged pretty Valentines.

Classes Enjoy Valentine Party.

The Primary Department of the Methodist Sunday school, including the superintendent, Mrs. J. E. Hardy, and teachers, Meses. Davidson, H. P. Winston, Bob Martin, C. W. Harless and Allen Warren, entertained the Beginners Department, Superintendent of that department, Mrs. Homer Snyder, and Meses. Cal C. Wright, Jim Henderson, L. T. Iverson, H. Cotton and R. H. Curmutte, with a delightful Valentine party Saturday afternoon at the church.

Altruistic Club Meets on Friday.

The Altruistic Club met in the home of Mrs. W. Hamilton last Friday afternoon.

In the absence of Mrs. Joe Cato, president, Mrs. A. C. Preuit presided. A very interesting lesson on "Dutch, German and Flemish Paintings" was presented under the leadership of Mrs. O. P. Thrane.

Mrs. C. R. Buchanan discussed "The Art of Looking at Heinrich Johann Hofmann's Pictures." As the class studied the pictures from prints, description and explanation of the originals were given as follows: "Christ in the Temple" (Hofmann), Mrs. English; "Autumn Sheep" (Mauve), Mrs. Hamilton; "The Windmill" (Ruydaal), Mrs. J. C. Stinson; "Avenue of Trees" (Robbena), Mrs. Letwisch; "The Night Watch" (Rembrandt), Mrs. Thrane.

The hostess served a tempting plate to Mrs. S. F. Kirksey, guest and members: Meses. Roland Bell, H. P. Brown, C. R. Buchanan, R. D. English, R. L. Gray, J. M. Harris, J. W. Letwisch, A. C. Preuit, Fritz R. Smith, J. C. Stinson, O. P. Thrane and H. G. Towle.

Former Snyder Girl Is Married.

The marriage of Miss Judy McMillan of Fort Worth, formerly of Snyder, to Robert R. Keith, also of Fort Worth, was announced recently. The wedding took place January 4 in Ardmore, Oklahoma.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. McMillan, who were former residents of Snyder and have many friends here. The couple are making their home at 2841 Avenue G in Fort Worth.

The following article appeared in the society section of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, relating the entertainments which have been given in honor of Mrs. Keith:

Mrs. S. E. Keith, 2539 Bonar, entertained with a miscellaneous shower Friday afternoon in honor of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. R. R. Keith, the former Miss Judy McMillan.

The house was attractively decorated in Valentine hearts and cupid. The shower of gifts was presented in a large basket decorated with red and white.

During the afternoon bridal contests were played. More than 40 guests attended. The hostess was assisted in serving by Mrs. W. M. Gunn and Mrs. T. L. Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Carruth, 3426 Mount Vernon, entertained for Mr. and Mrs. Keith Thursday evening with a miscellaneous shower. The honor guests were sent on a treasure hunt to find the gifts.

Orchid and green were used in the decorations. A miniature bride and groom formed the centerpiece of the table. Tiny ribbons of the two shades ran from the center of the table to the place cards.

Refreshments were served to more than 40 guests.

Boys Celebrate Birthdays Together.

Masters Weldox Miller and John Sears Sentell celebrated their fourth birthdays Friday afternoon at a party given by Meses. W. C. Miller and J. E. Sentell at the home of Mrs. Miller.

Games were played and stories were told to the youngsters, after which the boys and girls went into the dining room to blow out the candles on the birthday cake and make their wishes. The large three-tiered birthday cake was centered in the table. There were four red candles on top and also four red candles on the second tier. Big red hearts were daintily placed about the table. Mrs. Charles Noble assisted the hostesses in serving.

Children enjoying the happy occasion were Little Misses Mary Nell Noble, Betty Jeanne Joyce, Mary Ellen Williams, Mary Sue Sentell and Adna Laverne Saylor; Masters. James Thomas Randals, June Jones, Grant Daugherty, Robert George Taylor, Charles Longbatham, Billie Joe Stinson, Charles Wade Boren and Darrell Sims. Mrs. Homer Miller was a guest.

While vegetables are important, don't forget seeds of flowering annuals to brighten up the garden.

County Federation Holds Regular Meet.

The regular monthly meeting of the County Federation was held Saturday afternoon in the district court room.

Mrs. J. C. Dorward, president, presided during the business session after which the program was in charge of the El Feliz Club. Mrs. H. G. Towle gave a very interesting report on the history and organization of El Feliz Club.

Refreshments were served to nine members.

All of the ladies in the county are urged to attend these monthly meetings, which have always proved to be educational and entertaining. The Altruistic Club will be in charge of the March meeting.

Sine Cura Club Is Entertained.

Mrs. R. H. Curmutte entertained members and guests of the Sine Cura Club Tuesday afternoon at her home.

Mrs. Dixie Smith was winner of high score prize, and guest prize was awarded to Mrs. W. D. Beggs.

A plate luncheon was served to Meses. H. G. Towle, A. D. Erwin, O. P. Thrane, Dixie Smith, W. R. Johnson, Ernest Taylor, J. M. Harris, W. B. Lee and Albert Norred. Guests were Meses. J. C. Stinson, W. D. Beggs, Hugh Boren, W. W. Hamilton, Pearl Shannon of Colorado, Wraymond Sims and Ivan Dodson.

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Mrs. Brice Is Hostess to Club.

Mrs. H. J. Brice was hostess to the Twentieth Century Club Tuesday afternoon at her home, 2712 Avenue U.

Mrs. W. T. Raybon directed the study lesson on "Colonial Literature." "Portray a scene or a character of Colonial times" was the subject for the roll call. "George Washington as a Statesman" was discussed by Mrs. H. J. Brice. Mrs. W. M. Scott told of "Benjamin Franklin the Philosopher." "Moths of Colonial Days" was an interesting subject discussed by Mrs. J. C. Dorward, and Mrs. J. E. LeMond gave a review of the Colonial novel, "Scarlet Letter." Mrs. C. E. Fish complimented the club with a piano solo.

A lovely salad course, with bouquets of violets as plate favors, was served to Meses. J. C. Dorward, W. T. Raybon, Allen Warren, C. E. Fish, I. A. Griffin, Joe Strayhorn, W. M. Scott, O. S. Williamson, I. W. Boren, H. M. Blackard, J. J. Taylor, E. J. Ely and J. E. LeMond.

Guests were Meses. J. H. McClinton, J. M. McCooch, S. J. Casstevens, R. H. Bell and C. M. Fish.

Club Has Party At Ranch Home.

The ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Scott, seven miles south of Snyder, was the scene for a Valentine party given Thursday evening by members of the Twentieth Century Club for their husbands.

Table covers and appointments carried out an attractive Valentine motif. Forty-two games were enjoyed, after which refreshments were passed to Messrs. and Meses. W. T. Raybon, C. E. Fish, H. J. Brice, H. M. Blackard, J. J. Taylor, W. J. Ely, J. E. LeMond and W. M. Scott.

Guests were Mrs. Guy Stoker of Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cauble and T. N. Campbell.

Frances Stinson Entertains Friends.

Miss Frances Stinson was hostess at a pretty Valentine party given at her home, 2907 Avenue U, Saturday afternoon.

After the guests arrived, it was discovered that the occasion was also in celebration of the hostess's fourteenth birthday. A birthday cake centered the dining table and the Valentine motif featured the table appointments. Delicious fruit fluff was served with the cake.

The girls then were guests of Miss Stinson at a theatre party at the Palace. Those complimented were Misses Frances Northcutt, Estine Dorward, La Frances Hamilton, Cecil Travis Smith, Aileen Hutton, Evelyn Raybon, Netha Lynn Rogers, Florenz Winston, Ruth Wright, Mary Margaret Towle and Irene Spear.

On the same afternoon the girls organized a club, electing the following officers: President, Frances Northcutt; vice president, La Frances Hamilton; and reporter, Cecil Travis Smith.

Meetings of the club will be held every other Saturday afternoon. A definite name for the organization has not been selected.

Miss Estine Dorward will be hostess to the new club on Saturday afternoon, February 28.

Art Program Is Given for Club.

Misses Vernelle Stinson and May McClinton were hostesses at a Fine Arts program given for the Business and Professional Women's Club Tuesday evening in the basement of the Methodist Church.

Every member of the club had been asked to invite a guest for the occasion. A welcome to the visitors was given by Mrs. W. W. Smith, president, who also presided during the business session. Plans for the fifth district meet of the B. & P. W. clubs, to be held in Sweetwater next Saturday and Sunday, were discussed.

Members answered to roll call by telling what Texas is doing for art development. Mrs. C. R. Buchanan spoke on "The Relation of Art to the Infinite." "An Order for a Picture" was a reading given by Mrs. R. E. Gray. Miss Maurine Stinson, accompanied on the piano by Homer Springfield sang two vocal selections, "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life" and "Lullaby Moon." Two piano numbers, "Polonaise in G Minor," by Tschalkowsky, and "Pale Moon" were played by Homer Springfield.

Miss Vernelle Stinson gave a very interesting account of the picture, "The Last Supper," by the Italian artist, Leonardo da Vinci. Miss Stinson illustrated with the picture, relating the fine qualities the painter brought out in his work.

About 45 members and guests were present to enjoy the splendid program.

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Girls Scouts Have Jolly Party.

Patrol No. 1 of the Snyder Girl Scouts entertained the Tenderfoot Scouts with a Valentine party Friday afternoon, 4:00 o'clock, at the school cafeteria.

Decorations and place cards carried out the Valentine motif.

Various games were enjoyed, after which refreshments were served to about 25 scouts, captains, Meses Elva Lemons and Loyce Clark, and a guest, Miss Jo Halley.

Patrol No. 2 will be hostess at an entertainment that is being planned to be given next month.

Day of Prayer Will Be Observed.

The World's Day of Prayer will be observed Friday afternoon, February 20, at the First Christian Church, 2701 Avenue S.

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Juanita Burt Is Party Hostess.

Miss Juanita Burt, assisted by her mother, Mrs. G. L. Burt, entertained with a Valentine dinner party Saturday evening at their home, 1311 Avenue R.

Table covers, place cards and decorations stressed the Valentine theme. After the delicious dinner, games and contests were played. Misses Frances Stinson and Dorothy Winston were winners of prizes. Miss Burt was assisted with hostess duties by Miss Daisy Anne Popejoy.

The party included Misses Juasee Burt, Ruth Wright, Frances Northcutt, Florenz Winston, La Frances Hamilton, Estine Dorward, Netha Lynn Rogers, Evelyn Raybon, Aileen Hutton, Cecil Travis Smith, Roberta Ely, Wynona Keller, Irene Spear, Frances Stinson and Dorothy Winston.

Miss Mable Brown returned Saturday evening from a visit at her home in Talpa.

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STEERS WHIP SNYDER FIVE

Tigers Win From Lomax in First District Tilt, But Bow to Tourney Champs.

The western half of District 9 played its championship, matches in basket ball at Colorado February 13 and 14. Snyder was booked to play Lomax in the first game Friday evening. The Tigers won, 28 to 24, after a seesaw battle from the opening to the closing whistle.

Debate Teams Will Challenge Colorado

The girls' and boys' debate teams will challenge Colorado to debate at Colorado some time in February. The girls' team is composed of Ruth Yoder and Fern Wright, and Clarence Walton and Eldon Crowley constitute the boys' team.

"Correct Living" Is Preacher's Subject

Rev. Thomas M. Broadfoot, minister of the First Christian Church, spoke in chapel last Tuesday on the subject of "Correct Living." In the beginning of his talk Rev. Broadfoot advised the students to "keep their noses out of other people's business." Then on the subject of "Correct Living," he compared "the human life to a clock."

IN MEMORIAM

The student body is truly saddened in L. E. Martin's untimely death, February 8, 1931. He was a student loved, honored and respected by all. He was a very popular member of the junior class, and we shall miss his friendly smile and gay good humor.

Future Farmers to Give Fathers Treat

The Future Farmers of Texas Club members are planning to entertain all the fathers of the members the latter part of this month with a banquet, according to R. P. Tull, club sponsor.

TIGERS GIVEN 18 SWEATERS

The 18 boys who "brought home the bacon" in the form of a regional championship to Snyder High School in football were awarded sweaters by Coach "Red" Moore in chapel Tuesday, January 20. These sweaters are black with eight-inch gold chenille letters and stripes on the sleeves.

WASHINGTON TODAY

If Washington were in high school today, we would see one of the highest characters of the time. Why? Washington was young, there were not many schools. One had to receive most of his training at home from his parents.

Total Enrollment in High School Climbs To 287 For Semester

Two hundred and eighty-seven students registered in the Snyder High School Monday, January 19. This is an unusually good enrollment for the second semester, as ordinarily many students drop out during the second term.

ABE LINCOLN IN SNYDER HIGH SCHOOL

What kind of a student would Abraham Lincoln be if he lived in Snyder today and were a student in Snyder High?

CLOTHES DON'T MAKE THE MAN

We want to place special emphasis on a talk made in chapel by Superintendent C. Wedgworth several days ago. The point that was stressed most was that we should not look down on other people who might not have as many good clothes or as nice.

NOTES OF THE CLUBS

CITIZENSHIP CLUB IS LATEST TO BE ORGANIZED.

The Citizenship Club has recently been organized, with Mrs. J. P. Nelson as sponsor, and the membership composed of the senior A class.

CHORAL CLUB WILL BE PRESENTED IN OTHER TOWNS.

The Choral Club has elected the following officers for this semester: President, Bonnie Miller; secretary, Louetta Byrd. There are 58 members this term, and all were required to take voice tests.

SPANISH I CLUB ELECTS NEW SEMESTER OFFICERS.

New officers were elected as follows for the Spanish Club first year: President, Norman York; vice-president, Horace Holley; secretary, Raymond Berry; reporter, Bernard Longbottom; and sergeant-at-arms, J. W. Hendrix.

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB TO FURNISH DINING ROOM.

Members of the Home Economics Club, according to the president, are working to obtain enough money to buy an Olsen rug for the Home Economics dining room, as the H. E. girls plan to make a modern dining room in the H. E. lab.

DRAMATIC CLUB WILL GIVE SERIES OF ONE-ACT PLAYS.

The Dramatic Club has started to work again in earnest. Last Wednesday Mr. Springfield discussed the way to arrange and light a stage. All of the members are to write themes on "The Art of Make-Up" within the next two weeks.

OFFICERS ARE ELECTED FOR SCIENCE CLUB.

The Science Club, sponsored by W. F. Cox, elected the following new officers: President, Earl White; vice-president, Jim Lewis; secretary, Maurine Stinson; reporter, Maxine Shuler.

NEW OFFICERS ELECTED BY DECEES RECENTLY.

The Decees have elected new officers to serve as follows for the second semester: President, Frances Clements; vice-president, Evelyn Erwin; secretary-treasurer, Dawson Bridgeman; reporter, Virginia Willis; and sergeant-at-arms, Wylie Brice.

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E. F. Smith in New Law Firm at Austin

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FAILURES.

It is encouraging to note that the number of failures listed on the bulletin board the past three weeks has been greatly reduced. There are various reasons for students failing their courses. Lack of study, outside attractions and lack of foundation are the chief reasons for failures.

Parlez Vous.

Mrs. Newriche had just arrived from a tour of Europe, and her long-suffering acquaintances had no opportunity to forget the fact. "And Paris!" she gushed. "Paris is just wonderful! The people are all so well educated—not at all like they are in this crude country, my dear! Why, even the street cleaners can talk French!"

Sambo—"I've got two new cats." Hambo—"Dat so? What do you call 'em?" Sambo—"Cook an' Perry." Hambo—"Why do you call 'em Cook and Perry?" Sambo—"Because dey is pole-cats, dat's why."

Think over last year's failures and figure out what was the reason, if you can, except drouth. That is everybody's "alibi" for a poor garden last year and an honest one, but there may be other reasons.

Miss Rosser Honored Recently at College

Miss Marian Rosser of Snyder was one of 18 girls to be initiated into Royal Acadeia Literary Society at Baylor College for Women at Belton recently. It is considered an honor to become a member of the society and membership is limited. A high scholastic ranking is among the many requirements for membership.

Prof. Fozzle (to his class)—"Are you laughing at me?" Class (in chorus)—"No!" Prof. Fozzle—"Then, what else is there in the room to laugh at?"



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And the good that we can do.

THE WEEKLY DOZEN.

And Bring Your Bottles, Tex.
Now that Snyder has become the amusement center of West Texas, why not invite Tex Guinan down to sponsor a night club of 1931 proportions?
What About the Public Weigher?
The marketplace's little corner blooms with this masterpiece: "He looked as downcast as a man who has just come in third in the constable race in a small town."

A Rose Shower for the Women.
We would not be appreciative citizens if we failed to recognize the work of Snyder women's clubs in "putting across" the drive for Red Cross funds recently. It was the women who collected more, almost single-handed, than was collected during the membership drive before Christmas.

Uncle Sam Dons a Dress in Snyder.
The wheels of government grind slowly, but in Snyder's most recent case they have ground well. We refer to the selection of Mrs. Anderson as postmaster of this city. She will serve us impartially and efficiently, courteously and conscientiously, or we miss our guess by a wide margin.

Keep the Good Rake and Hoe Going.
Pessimist Pete says that if he were a Snyder home owner with even a small income, he would hire some of those who need work badly to clean up his yard, spade up his garden, clean up his house, rake out his alley, and do other jobs that would beautify the city and help someone who needs help.

Who Wants to Go to Heaven?
When that carload of foodstuffs comes to Snyder from Colorado, it will be high time to remember that the world, after all, has a heart. The citizens of the state of Colorado have donated that carload, as well as many others, in order that Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas people may be given succor in this time of need. Appreciation is a heavenly virtue.

They're Raising Cain and Gas Bills.
Cities all over Texas are raising Cain about their gas bills during January. In Abilene there was an important meeting Wednesday. There was another in Lubbock last week. Protesters are pouring in from all sides. Newspapers are filled with gas rate news. Something is bound to happen. We prophesy that the "something" will be a decisive lowering of February bills.

Why Does a Chicken Like Green?
You'd better keep your chickens out of the other fellow's garden if you don't want to bring on some neighborhood rows. And the city marshal will get on the warpath, too, if you don't put a halter, a fence, or a shed around your ruminating fowls. If you just must let your chickens roam in the wide open spaces, we suggest that you move out of town, where the air is freer and the space is almost unlimited.

Welcome to the King of Grins.
If there is anyone we admire, it is the fellow who keeps on plugging, keeps on smiling and keeps on getting all the business possible, no matter the condition of his town. When we walk around the Snyder square and see merchants who grin out of their hearts, we know that neither drouth nor depression nor low prices nor sickness can make complainers of a lot of the folks who live in the county seat of Scurry County.

Basket Ball Is King at Ira.
Scurry County is betting on Ira girls to go high, possibly to the top, in the district basket ball tournament. You can rest assured that all the Ira country, and many folks from adjoining communities, will go with the team. Again we say: The support given athletic teams by communities of Scurry County is commendable. As long as people are intensely interested in anything of this nature, Hard Times won't knock them for a complete row of stumps.

Keeping Our Shirts On.
It doesn't pay to get "het up" about anything until you investigate from every angle. In fact, we believe that keeping one's shirt on is one of the most likable traits that can be developed by a man or a woman who must come in contact with the business or social world. This bit of philosophy just had to come out, for we just collected a \$4 bill which had not been paid several months ago before because of a misunderstanding. It was partly our fault. So wags the world.

Less Hot Air—More News.
It takes something besides newspaper hot air to restore a country to its place in the sun. The Times believes, therefore, that it would be false to its mission if it were to present facts in a distorted light. We have all the optimism in the world, and we are not shutting our eyes to the suffering and distress on every hand. We can do no more than to present the facts, and link them with an urge that faith and work lead us into a more prosperous crop year. A lot of men and women won't get in the prosperity march because they are too thick-headed to accept new ideas and ideals. It is our desire to thin some of these skulls by gentle horse-sense applications.

Another Great Farm Meeting.

Scurry County farmers have presented almost a united front in support of various programs intended to benefit them in a period that has been thorny and rough. Your home town paper believes Saturday's meeting will be no exception to the rule.
Someone has said that since we have already hit the bottom, it is the best time that has ever come to start building again.
Seed and soil are the foundations. It is a poor farmer, you must agree, who is not willing to make his foundation more secure, after he has seen what rotten foundations will do for a country.
It is estimated that ten million dollars more would have been paid Texas cotton growers last year if they had planted better seed. Will Scurry County get her share of that increased income?
According to the applications for drouth relief funds, Scurry County will raise more than 40 per cent in feed. The remaining acres, if planted in pure-bred cotton seed, will help put this county on a new agricultural plane, every well-posted farmer and farm authority tells us.
Let's make the foundation of Scurry County secure next year—and the next, and the next. Let's learn about the pure seed plan at the city tabernacle Saturday afternoon.

No Ground for Fear.

It is useless to deny that the present state of mind of many Americans is fear of what the future may bring.
Fear seems to be prevalent in all public thinking on economics today. People are afraid that things are not going to "come back," that somehow we have lost our stride as a nation and are not going to be able to get going again at the old pace. There is more money now in savings banks than ever before in history. Much of it has been put there in the past year because people were afraid to spend it. Merchants have been afraid to replenish their stocks, for fear prices would go down still further. Individuals have been afraid that conditions were going to get continually worse.
There is nothing in our history to warrant such fears. The only way to judge the future is by the past. All of our past history reveals a succession of forward steps, never a backward one. The pace has slackened at times, as it has slackened in the past eighteen months, but the movement has always been forward. There is not a single reason for the belief that our economic progress has stopped or that we are going backward. On the contrary, all the signs point in the other direction. There is no ground for fear.

EDITORIAL OF THE WEEK

"IT MAY BE THAT . . ."
It may be that the people of this country will some day vote to abolish the eighteenth amendment. It may be that they will repudiate it at the next presidential election. The wets are turning heaven and earth to bring about such a result. Millions of young men and women in our country never saw an old-time saloon. They think of it merely as a place of bright lights and sparkling wine. They never saw a half dozen men lying on the floor or the "bull-pen" at the back of a saloon, all "dog drunk," with flies swarming over them.
They have never seen the repulsive side of the saloon. They have no conception of the old-time low dive and beer joint. They have never pictured to themselves what Tahoka would be, for instance, with a half dozen such saloons and beer joints running wide open. They have only had pictured to them the so-called failure of prohibition. They have heard the eighteenth amendment and the Volstead Act denounced and ridiculed until they think these came as the result of "old-fogey" notions. They have seen very few real old-time drunks but they have been taught to believe that it is a bit "smart" to get "teased up."
The leaven that is being spread by the wet propagandists of the North and East seems to be working among our young people, and in their ignorance of conditions that prevailed in pre-Volstead days, they may some day vote for a return of the legalized liquor traffic. But if they do, there will be a temporary saturnalia of drunkenness and vice and crime that will make the present crime wave look like a mere ripple.—Lynn County News.

Mrs. Jones: "Do your daughters live at home?"
Mrs. Smith: "Oh, no! They aren't married yet!"
Staunch Captain—"Now, then, my hearties, fight like heroes till your powder's gone—then run! On account of this rheumatism in my leg I'll have to start now."
"Th'n going to the hospital tomorrow for an operation."
"Good luck to you. I hope everything comes out all right."
Fozzello—"I'm sorry that my engagements prevent my attending your charity concert but I shall be with you in spirit."
Solicitor—"Splendid! And where would you like for your spirit to sit? I have tickets for two, three and five dollars."
Hammond—"A fine friend you are! When I got in a fight with that big bully and I cried to you for help, what did you do? You came up and socked me in the eye!"
Cabbages—"I thought youse wuz callin, me names. Youse wux looking right straight at me and yelling 'Success!'"
Chick: "Let's go to a show tonight."
Hick: "Nope, I only got one more day to finish my Sears-Roebuck catalogue."
"How come?"
"Well, the wrapped it came in said, 'Return in five days,' and tomorrow's the last day."
Mr. Hardy's little nephew wanted to know how wars began. "Well," said Mr. Hardy, "suppose that England quarreled with France." "But," interrupted Mrs. Hardy, "England mustn't quarrel with France." "I know," he answered, "but I was merely taking a hypothetical case."
"You were misleading the child," said Mrs. Hardy. "No, I am not," he answered.
"Yes, you are."
"No, I am not."
"Yes," "No."
"That's all right, Uncle Tom," said the nephew, "I think I know how wars begin."
Night Club Waiter: "The cashier says the fifty dollar bill you paid for the champagne is not genuine!"
Departing Guest: "It's just as genuine as your champagne!"

The Old Saddle

by A. J. Dunlap
The dinky old saddle was ripped
By larri, cactus and thorn;
It carried deep scars without number,
On saddle-bow, cantle and horn.
Its buckles were tarnished and rusty,
With rivets sunk deep in the leather.
That showed the old saddle had seen
Rough service in all kinds of weather.
But somehow I loved the old saddle
With all of its cracks and its scars;
I loved the soft curve of its leather,
At night, when we rode with the stars.
I loved the low laugh as we falloped
Through sunshine or wind-driven rains,
Its voice was the voice of my country—
My country of hill-saps and plains.
It never was meant to be hidden
By men without courage to face
The ups and the downs of a life-time.
The strain and the stress of the race.
Whenever I fixed my spirit falters,
Whenever I tired spirit fails,
The ghost of the old saddle whispers:
"Kids on to the end of the trail!"

Letters From the People

Letter Has Many Scared.
The following, clipped from an exchange, has been brought to The Times with request to publish:
Country papers throughout the United States are printing what is alleged to be a letter written by Christ. In this letter was an injunction that it should be published to the world by whoever found it, together with the statement that misfortune and bad luck would follow the person having possession of it in the event that it was not given publicly.
There was likewise a promise that whoever may have a copy of this in his or her possession will prosper and be followed by good fortune. This paper has received some hundreds of requests to print this letter, so if it will relieve the superstitious fear of anyone, here it is:
According to the history of the letter it was written by Christ just after His crucifixion, signed by the Angel Gabriel 99 years after the Savior's birth and presumably deposited by him under a stone at the foot of the cross.
On this stone appeared the legend, "Blessed is he who shall turn me over."
No one knew what the inscription meant, or seemed to have sufficient curiosity to investigate, until the stone was turned over by a little child and the letter which follows was discovered:
"Whosoever works on the Sabbath Day shall be cursed. I command you to go to church and keep holy the Lord's Day, without any manner of work. You shall not idle or mis-spent your time in bedecking yourself in superfluities of costly apparel and vain dressing, for I have ordered it a day of rest. I will have that day kept holy that your sins may be forgiven you.
You will not break my commandments, but observe and keep them, they being written by my hand and spoken by my mouth. You shall not only go to church yourselves, but also your man servant and maid servant. Observe my words and learn my commandments.
You shall finish your work every Saturday at 6:00 o'clock in the afternoon, at which hour the preparation for the Sabbath begins. I advise you to fast five days in the year, beginning on Good Friday and continuing the five days following in remembrance of the five bloody wounds I received for you and mankind.
You shall love one another and cause them that are not baptized to come to church and receive the Holy Sacrament; that is to say, Baptism, and then the Supper of the Lord, and in so doing I will give you long life and many blessings. Your land shall be replenished and bring forth abundance and I will comfort you in the greatest temptation, and

Drifting Shadows.

Lift up your head, dear wife;
Brush the tears from your eye.
See in the distance, dear,
The bright, blue sky.
The bright, blue sky.
And clouds are now drifting
Away to the west;
Come, let us sing
The old songs we love best.
Back, let it take us
To the sweet long ago,
Where love's earliest message
Made our young hearts glow.
Back to the meadows,
The orchard and spring;
Back to the woods, where
The wild birds sing.
For the shadows are now drifting—
Thank God for the Light—
Look up, dear Nellie,
Wake up from the night.
The bleak winds of winter
Are losing their chill;
The blessed, warm sunshine
Our sad home will fill.
Poverty, grim monster,
Long at my door,
Away—we will know
Thy sting nevermore.
The shadows are drifting—
Thank God for the Light!
Look up, dear Nellie,
Wake up from the night.
—By the Skipper.

1,000 years. The Thompson woman began the attempt to have it published and it first appeared in the Rome, Georgia Tribune on October 31, 1891. It then appeared in the Dalton, Georgia, Citizen, and Mrs. Wortman, now living in Marion, Indiana, clipped it and kept it in her possession for many years without an effort to have it published. She was followed by misfortune, which she attributed to her neglect in trying to have the letter published.
Mrs. Ruby Crutchfield of Trezvant, Tennessee, is also said to have had a copy and failed to make an effort to have it published for three years, and was followed by a varied lot of misfortunes which she attributed to the fact of her neglect in this respect.

Ingersoll on Alcohol.
"I am aware that there is prejudice against any man who manufactures liquor. I believe that from the time it issues from the colled and poisonous worm in the distillery until it empties into the jaws of death, dishonor and crime, it demoralizes everybody it touches from its source to where it ends. I do not believe anybody can contemplate the effect without being prejudiced against the liquor crisis. All we have to do, gentlemen, is to think of the wrecks on either bank of the Stream of Death; of the suicides, of insanity, of the ignorance, of the destruction, of little children tugging at the faded and withered breasts, of weeping and despairing mothers, of wives asking for bread, of men of genius that has wrecked, the struggling with imaginary serpents—all produced by this devilish thing. And when you think of the jails, of the asylums, of the prisons, I do not wonder that every thoughtful man is prejudiced again this damned stuff called alcohol.
"Intemperance cuts down youth in its vigor, manhood in its strength, old age in its weakness. It keeps

the father's heart, bereaves the doting mothers, extinguishes natural affection, erases love, blots out filial attachments, blights parental hopes, brings down nearing ages in sorrow to the grave. It produces weakness, not strength; sickness, not health; death, not life. It makes wives widows, children orphans, fathers fiends and all paupers and beggars.
"It feeds rheumatism, invites cholera, imparts pestilence, embraces consumption. It covers the land with idleness, misery, crime. It fills your jails, supplies your almshouses, demands your asylums, engenders controversies, fosters quarrels and cherishes riots, it crowds your penitentiaries, and furnishes victims for scaffolds. It is the life blood of the gambler, the element of the burglar, the prop of the highwayman and support of the incendiary.
"It countenances the liar, respects the thief, esteems the blasphemer, reverences fraud, honors infamy, hates virtue."
As we contribute this speech of Ingersoll, we hope none will think for a moment that I am in sympathy with his infidelity. Mr. Ingersoll was an attorney-at-law when he made the above speech, defending a client who was charged with selling liquor. His arraignment of the liquor traffic was so convincing that the court sent the man to prison. Respectfully,
Camp Springs. R. W. ROE.

Cash Sale
JOWLS Dry Salt 81-2c Per Pound
CABBAGE Fresh—3c Per Pound
PRUNES Large Size—20c 2 Lbs. for
APRICOTS Dried—25c 2 Lbs. for
TOMATO SOUP 3 Cans for 20c
APRICOTS In Heavy Syrup—25c 15-oz—2 Cans
POTTED MEAT Per Can 3c
PORK AND BEANS 4 Cans for 25c
TOMATOES No. 2 Cans—25c 3 Cans for
GOOD COFFEE Four Pounds 48c
CARROTS Per Bush 07
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Announcement
Effective February 16, 1931, R. L. Miller was appointed Manager of the CITIZENS ICE COMPANY. The new management wishes to assure all patrons and friends that we will manufacture only high grade ice and that our slogan will be
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CORRESPONDENCE FROM RURAL COMMUNITIES IN SCURRY COUNTY

CHINA GROVE

Lula Mae Seale, Correspondent
Andy Price and Joe Beene of Midland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hairston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Carter spent last week-end with relatives near Loraine.
The following individuals were callers at the home of J. A. and Mrs. Seale Friday: Sam Bullock, Tom Webb, Rev. J. D. Farmer of Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Seale of Snyder, Mrs. C. M. Newby and Lula Mae Seale.

Miss Girene Gail of Colorado spent Sunday with Miss Vernice Hairston.
Mr. and Mrs. Osie Rinehart of the Woodard community spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Allen were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Seale Sunday afternoon.
Pat Bullock of Snyder was a caller at the home of his brother, Sam Bullock, Wednesday evening.

Miss Ruby Eastman spent last week-end with her parents at Abilene.
Mrs. Grace Stevenson, accompanied by her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Merket, were visiting Frank Stevenson at Carlsbad Monday.

Herman Greenfield and family were callers at the home of Charley and Mrs. Lobban Monday evening.
Rev. A. A. Watson of Colorado was a caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Seale Sunday.

Miss Gladys Collier and Lula Mae Seale were present at the birthday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Collier near Big Sulphur Sunday. The dinner was given in honor of Mrs. J. S. Collier and Albert Thompson. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. George Bynum of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Trousdale of Hermleigh, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thompson and little son, Albert Leo, of the Byron community.

Mrs. Bullock of Abilene is visiting her son, Sam Bullock, this week.
Mrs. Ada Webb and children and Mrs. Charley Lobban spent Wednesday afternoon of last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Seale.

Miss Lydia Brown spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Iva Hall.
Miss Lois Gillis spent Sunday with her friends, Misses Odessa and Jewel Krop.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Newby and little son, Lewis Melvin, spent Saturday night and Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Newby, at Snyder.
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Seale of Colorado were visiting Mr. Seale's parents Sunday afternoon.

A number from this community were present at the party Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pagan. Many interesting games were played until a late hour, and all present reported a very enjoyable time.

Rev. Jim Fields, pastor of the Big Sulphur church, brought us a very interesting message Sunday morning. He was appointed to fill Bro. Watson's place here.
Don't forget that Sunday is our regular singing afternoon. A large crowd is expected, and some fine singing will be heard.

Church Notes.
Sunday school every Sunday at 10:15 a. m. Preaching every first and third Sunday. B. Y. P. U. each Sunday evening at 7:00 o'clock.
W. M. U. meeting every Monday at 2:30 p. m. Every lady and girl in the community is invited to be present.

Community singing each fourth Sunday afternoon. Anton White, president. Everyone has a special invitation to attend.
A New York state teacher writes that the following incident happened in her own class:

A history pupil was writing a test. At the top of the paper appeared—"Lord, God of Hosts, be with me yet, lest I forget, lest I forget." At the close of the paper he wrote—"Lord, God of Hosts, was with me not, for I forgot, for I forgot."

"What is the smallest room in the world?" A mushroom. "What is the largest room in the world?" Room for improvement.
"In the spring a young man's fancy That's all hokey—merely rhyme, With the present 'teen-age clothing, He is fancy all the time.

IRA NEWS

Ethel Verle Falls, Correspondent
Mrs. Orville Moore and little daughter, LaNelle, of Person visited friends and relatives here last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Love Boyd of near Arab visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Holladay Sunday.

Mrs. Mollie McWilliams left Sunday morning for an extended visit with relatives in Dallas.
Preacher Holladay and sisters, Lucy and Hazel, visited friends in Big Spring Monday and Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Falls and children spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Taylor at Canyon.

The following girls spent Sunday visiting Miss Bernell Greene in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Greene of near Cuthbert: Misses Estelle Lloyd, Grace and Opal Carlisle, Lucille Smallwood, Lucy and Hazel Holladay and Ethel Verle Falls.
J. T. Cadens was called Sunday to the bedside of his brother-in-law, G. C. Payne, of near Colorado, who has been seriously ill for several weeks.

The girls of the junior class, together with several of their friends, were delightfully entertained with a party, given in the home of Miss Lucille Smallwood, last Saturday night. Everyone present declares to have spent a most enjoyable evening. After the party the following girls—Misses Grace and Opal Carlisle, Estelle Lloyd and Hazel Holladay—enjoyed a slumber party.
Listen, everyone! You are extended a cordial invitation to be present for the play, "Mammy's Lil' Wild Rose," to be presented by the members of the junior class in the Ira High School auditorium Friday night, February 20, at 8:00 o'clock. Preparation has been made to furnish plenty of music, singing, dancing, etc., between acts. Admission will be: School children, 10 cents; adults, 20 cents. Everyone come! There is a list of the characters: Daniel French, from the city, Howard French; Lester Van, Daniel's chum, Melvin Lewis; Wade Carver, unwelcome suitor, Hubert Carnes; Orpheus Jackson, a native Romeo, Johnnie Jordan; Old Joe, "dat's a fact"; A. C. Chandler; Mammy Alle, a black treasure; Grace Carlisle; Hester O'May, Rose's maiden aunt, Estelle Lloyd; Peggy French, Daniel's sister, Lucy Holladay; Rose O'May, Mammy's lil' wild rose, Lucille Smallwood; Letty Van, Peggy's chum, Bernell Greene; Babe Joan, a mountain charmer, Opal Carlisle; Mrs. Courtvane, a lonely woman, Hazel Holladay.

CHURCH NOTES

Baptist Church.—Sunday school each Sunday at 10:00 a. m. Church services each second and fourth Sunday, conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. A. Jones of Post, B. Y. P. U. each Sunday at 6:30 p. m. W. M. U. each Monday at 2:30 p. m.
Methodist Church.—Sunday school each Sunday at 10:00 a. m. Church services each fourth Sunday, conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. D. Farmer of Dunn.
Christian Church.—Sunday school each Sunday at 10:45 a. m.
Church of God.—Church services each third Sunday, conducted by Rev. Reynolds of Big Spring.
Prayer Meeting.—Prayer services each Wednesday evening at 7:15. Everyone welcome.

Several of the members of the Methodist church assembled there Monday and planted a number of trees which will add much to the beauty and attractiveness of the place.

GERMAN NEWS

Aurelia Wimmer, Correspondent
The party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pagan was enjoyed by a crowd of young folks Saturday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Scott of Glen, Missouri, visited their cousin, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wenken, Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wenken spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Waldon.
Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Lobban visited in the G. W. Wenken home Sunday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wenschlaeger, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wenschlaeger, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hilder and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kubens surprised H. A. Wimmer on his forty-first birthday Sunday afternoon, with an appreciated call.

BIG SULPHUR

Josie Mahoney, Correspondent
We were glad to have Bro. A. A. Watson preach for us Sunday morning. Our pastor, Bro. Fields, filled the pulpit at China Grove.
Not many attended the singing Sunday afternoon, but we had some good singing.
Little Marcilene Ryan, who has been very ill, is better at the present writing.

W. B. Dowell went to Lubbock Saturday, returning home Sunday afternoon, accompanied by his wife, who has been in the sanitarium for several weeks.
Misses Lula Mae Seale and Gladys Collier visited the latter's parents Sunday.

Misses Zelma Ryan, Emily Black, Josie and Viola Mahoney, Bro. Fields, Jack Elliott, Doyle and Jess Farmer were visitors in the Jess Allen home Sunday.
Misses, Bishop Vineyard and Rhea Powell and children and Miss Bertha Vineyard called on Mrs. Jack Farmer Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wenken and children called on Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mahoney Tuesday night.
Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dacus spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dacus.
The party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Henley Wednesday night was well attended.

Miss Clyde Dacus spent the latter part of last week with her sister, Mrs. William Bullard, whose little son, Billie James, was on the sick list. Billie James is better at this writing.

We still enjoy seeing the weekly rains fall, as each one puts a little more moisture into the ground.
Almost all of the farmers have started to plowing some. A few are about through.
Josie, Viola and Edith Mahoney called on Mrs. Jay Greenfield Tuesday evening.

Fay Allen visited Mrs. Bishop Vineyard Tuesday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Farmer are the proud parents of a baby girl, born February 7.

Harry Page and wife and Jess Allen were business callers in Snyder Monday.
Our school is progressing nicely. Miss Dillingham, Mrs. King and Mrs. Taylor let their little folks enjoy a jolly good time Friday afternoon, celebrating St. Valentine's.

Miss Charlie Ritchey spent last week-end with homefolks.
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Dorothy Ritchey of Cuthbert visited with Addie Brown Sunday.

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COUNTY LINE

Mrs. Dick Hardee, Correspondent
Bro. Hester and wife of Snyder were visitors in our community last Thursday.
Addie and Crockett Brown attended the party at Mr. Kidd's in the Cuthbert community last Saturday night.

Quite a few of our young people attended the Valentine entertainment at the Cuthbert school house Thursday night.
Little Leland McCarty has been very ill the past week with pneumonia but is better at this writing. The County Line bus "went dead" while coming home Friday evening and refused to go. Mr. O'Neil soon found the trouble to be a bearing ground out in one of the back wheels. As luck would have it they were close to a telephone, at Walter Lewis', and phoned for help. Some of the fathers went after their children, and our superintendent, Mr. Taylor, came with his bus and delivered the drive and the rest of the children. Upon wondering why all this came about, it was learned that it was Friday the thirteenth. But the bus was fixed and ready to go again Monday.

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PLAINVIEW NEWS

Lorene Smith, Correspondent
Sunday school was very well attended Sunday. Several have moved away, some were on the sick list. Let's everyone come when possible, and make this Sunday school a success.
Miss Ethyl Mae Sturdivant of Snyder spent the week-end with Misses Dixie Lee and Quinta Mitchell here.
Miss Louise Brooks entertained Monday night with a bridge party at her home.
Little Master Bernard Smith is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hairick of Palava were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Mitchell Saturday.
Mmes. Ooley and Dean Smith entertained Wednesday night with a bridge party at their home.

We are glad to say that Mrs. John Woodard is improving at this writing.
Little Mary Dove Postie is ill with the flu.

Miss Jo Harmon of Snyder was the week-end guest of Misses Louise and Imogene Brooks.
Misses Dixie Lee and Quinta Mitchell entertained a few of their friends in their home Saturday night with bridge and other games.

A crowd of young folks from here motored to the Wild Cat Caves on the J. J. Koonsman ranch on Sunday afternoon. Those who went were Mmes. Ooley Smith, F. E. and Hershel Ballard, Paul and E. L. Jones, Misses Ruth and Charlee Jones, Dixie Lee Mitchell, Beulah Stark, Edice Gillmore and Louise Brooks. All reported a very enjoyable time.

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STRAYHORN

Rachel Hamilton, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Nichols and Miss Ruth Gullin of Snyder spent Sunday with Marjion Hamilton and family.
Misses Lucille and Edna Crawley, Messrs. Richard Crenshaw and Hugh Crawley of Snyder were Sunday evening guests of Miss Rachel Hamilton.

Saturday night Misses Rachel and Lena Hamilton entertained a few of their friends. Those present were Misses Lucille and Edna Crawley, Ozie Wall and Cathlene Caudell; Messrs. Richard Crenshaw, Hugh Crawley, Grover Wall, Hardie Robinson and Waldon and Alton Sumrall. All repeated a nice time.

J. D. Middleth and Elza Pitts were visiting Miss Ruth Ramage Sunday.

Misses Oz Roggenstein and Perry Rodman of Lloyd Mountain were visiting Taylor Ramage Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bynum and children visited in the Union community Sunday.

Miss Tanyie Mae Jeffress of Union community spent Saturday night in the home of L. M. Bynum.

We did not have Sunday school Sunday morning on account of bad weather. Church was held Sunday afternoon. We have church every second Sunday evening at 2:30 o'clock. Come and bring some one with you. Our pastor is Rev. Moore of Mount Zion.

SCHOOL NOTES

Our school is progressing nicely, although we have been having some wet, soggy weather. Several of our students have been suffering from bad colds.

We have received our play books and intend to put on a play Friday night, February 20. Everyone is invited to come. Admission is free.

We are expecting to play a basketball game with Lloyd Mountain Friday afternoon. The boys' and girls' teams both will play.

The fifth and sixth grades are still working on their health books.

The boy who so politely stands in the presence of his mother's company may have a boil rather than good breeding.

WOODARD NEWS

Amner Lewis, Correspondent
Mrs. Harsley did not teach school Monday on account of the death of her cousin, L. E. Martin, at Snyder.
Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Lewis held, as their guests Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stiles, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Weavers of Camp Springs, W. H. Wood, Miss Ada, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wood, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Lewis, James Greer, Herman Moses and Ernest Rinehart.

Master Charlie Eric and Amner Lewis spent Monday night in the Camp Springs community.

Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Lewis spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rinehart visited Mr. and Mrs. Milton Rinehart at China Grove Saturday night and Sunday.

Amner Lewis called on Miss Lois Leatherwood Tuesday night.

Mrs. O. C. Rinehart was a dinner guest of Mrs. Carl Wood Thursday. Misses Mildred and Vivian Davis called on Amner Lewis Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stiles and Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Lewis called on Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Lewis of Camp Springs Sunday.

Miss Lois Leatherwood was the guest of Miss Ada Wood Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stiles called on Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wasson last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. I. N. Lewis is on the sick list this week.

Eric and Charlie Lewis, James Greer and Herman Moses of Camp Springs enjoyed a "slumberless party" with Ernest Rinehart Saturday night. After a few games of forty-two, pies were served (cooked by Herman Moses), and hot cakes (cooked by Eric Lewis). Then we wonder why all the boys got finer waves Sunday and stayed at home!

Mr. and Mrs. Chandler of Ennis Creek community spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Leatherwood.

Many foolish people take health for granted—until they lose it. Then they realize how they could have kept it.

POLAR NEWS

Mrs. J. A. Martin, Correspondent
Polar is still having spring weather in winter, and the wheat pastures are growing right along. A number of our people are planting early gardens, too.

People of our community have hit it hard, as others have, but we wish to correct a rumor that has even reached across Scurry County that some of our citizens were organized to raid some of Snyder's business houses for supplies. There was no truth in it and we regret that such a thing was told. Before January 1 our community had paid more taxes than any other in our county, and we also understand that our teachers have been able to cash all their vouchers. We sincerely hope that the pessimists who started such a rumor on our community will read the Polar news this week.

Say, folks, did you ever hear wedding bells ring in February from a December wedding? Well, that's just what happened at Polar. Miss Iris Bullock, who has been teaching here for the past three years, was married to Jesse Jones of Snyder in December, 1930, but just now informs us. We folks want to shower them and we think about how we were slighted and didn't see the wedding. Then we think about a chivaree and our heart falls because they're old married people, so we just go around wondering what to do. Mr. and Mrs. Jones will make their home in Snyder at the close of her school here. Both the young people are well known over this country, and Mrs. Jones will leave

W. O. Christopher and wife and daughter of Dunn were visitors at the J. A. Martin home last Wednesday.

Jim Graves and family of Lamesa were guests of his sister, Mrs. Kinged Elkins, last week.

J. A. Martin and family were guests of W. O. Christopher and wife at Dunn Saturday night and Sunday.

Ethan Ball and family of Fluvanna were Sunday guests of his sister, Mrs. Jimmy Riddle.

Mrs. George Taylor of Snyder and Mrs. Scott Stanfield of near Wink were Sunday guests of their mother, Mrs. W. D. Shims.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shuler of Snyder were visiting relatives Sunday at Polar.

Our girls' basket ball team was "all set" ready to play for county championship honors Friday, but it rained. We understand that the school plans to enter in several literary contests, too.

PROMINENT LAWYER AND WIFE VISIT THIS COUNTY

Mr. and Mrs. R. Scott of Galena, Missouri, who had been visiting their daughter at El Paso, made their first stop in this section last week, and also met a relative for the first time. Mr. Scott, a prominent lawyer, is a cousin of A. J. Mahoney of the Big Sulphur community.

EYESTRAIN—responsible for more than half our headaches—can be stopped only by a thorough eye examination and fitting of corrective lenses. H. G. TOWLE, O. D. Eyes Tested Glasses Fitted

BEST COTTON SEED IN SCURRY COUNTY
We have been breeding and raising right here in West Texas the biggest-bolled, heaviest-yielding, best-picking cotton ever developed, with hard staple of 1 1-8 to 1 3-16 inches. None of the State Certified Cottons have as good a staple and boll as the Texas Mammoth. It is so easy to pick there is no need of pulling it; yet it is most storm-proof, and will wait till you can get to it.
It is the best cotton that has ever been sold on the Snyder market, and outsells all others. In fact, it has given the most universal satisfaction of all other cottons that have ever been tried in Scurry County. Price \$1.50 per bushel in 2 and 3 bushel bags. Write for Quantity Prices.
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AS THE BIRTHDAY SALE CONTINUES MORE BARGAINS TO OFFER!
60c Vanilla Extract and Mixing Spoon—both 50 Cents
TABOR STATIONERY PACKAGE 29 Cents
LORD BALTIMORE WRITING PORTFOLIO 39 Cents
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HOT WATER BOTTLE—ONLY 98 Cents
6 ounce Milk of Magnesia and Tooth Paste—both 50 Cents
FOUNTAIN SYRINGE—ONLY 98 Cents
LADY FAIR RUBBER GLOVES—ONLY 25 Cents
Stinson Drug Company Two Rexall Stores

Piggly Wiggly
Salt Jowls BEST GRADE PER POUND .08
K. C. Baking Powder 25 OUNCE CAN .18
Flour TEXAS QUEEN, 48 POUND SACK \$1.15
Shortening ARMOUR'S VEGETOLE, 8 POUND BUCKET .89
Lemons RED BALL, Large Size—DOZEN .20
Oranges RED BALL, Medium Size—DOZEN .18
Apples WASHINGTON DELICIOUS DOZEN .19
Pork & Beans ARMOUR'S 2 CANS .15
Salmon INDEX ALASKA, TALL CAN .10
Toilet Paper WALDORF, PER ROLL .05
Coffee PEABERRY, PER POUND PACKAGE .18
Pinto Beans NO. 1 RE-CLEANED, 10 POUNDS .45
Soap P. & G. and CRYSTAL WHITE, 10 BARS .35
MARKET SPECIALS
Cheese NO. 1 WISCONSIN, PER POUND .20
Chili Brick, made fresh in our own market—PER POUND .20
Steak CHOICE, PLAIN PER POUND .15
Sausage BALONY, PER POUND .18
Lunch Meat PIMIENTO LOAF PER POUND .30

ENNIS CREEK

Ouida Horsley, Correspondent
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Roggenstein of Monahans are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Davis, of this community.

Pete and Henry Hart left Sunday for Seminole on a short business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Knowles and two daughters, Bessie and Helen, and Bob Horsley and family and Mrs. Velma Floyd were Sunday visitors of Frank Prather.

At the last report J. D. Boudexter was not recovering very fast from the bruises he sustained in a car wreck which occurred while he was returning last week from Comanche County.

Mrs. Galin entertained the pupils of her room last Friday afternoon with a Valentine party. A few of the little folks' parents were there. A small Valentine decorating a basket full of candy was given by the teacher to those present. Everyone seemed to enjoy the occasion.

Charlie and Erice Lewis, Inez Chandler and Quida Horsley were visitors of Buster and Inez Floyd Friday night.

W. C. Chandler and family were guests of Bill Leatherwood and family at Woodard Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Golde and Mrs. Chloe Horsley of Muleshoe were visitors in the R. G. Horsley home last week. They also visited in the Prather home.

Chester Horsley, who is now making his home at Muleshoe, visited his wife and son at Ennis Creek last week.

T. B. and Travis Green of Snyder attended church at Ennis Creek Saturday night.

Mr. Watson and family of Sweetwater were Sunday visitors of Silas Davenport and family and Lucille Henson.

A few from this community attended the funeral of L. E. Martin at Snyder last Monday. Most of us have known L. E. a long time and hated to see him go, but the Lord knows best. We wish to tender our sincerest sympathy to those loved ones he left behind.

Church was well attended Saturday night and Sunday. Bro. J. W. McGaha preached two mighty fine sermons.

The rains still come regularly. We are hoping it keeps on.

FLUVANNA NEWS

Burline Boynton, Correspondent
Miss Vera Stavelly entertained her friends with a turkey dinner last Sunday.

The eighth grade of the Fluvanna school had a class party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Belew last Saturday evening. All report a splendid time. E. H. McCarter, sponsor, and Miss Vera Stavelly, room mother, had charge.

The sixth grade met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Boynton on Saturday evening for an hour of pleasure. Many interesting games were played. Miss Burline Boynton, room mother, and Miss Winnie Houston, sponsor, directed the party.

J. B. Bley is still very sick at his home here.

Mrs. G. W. Noel left the Lubbock Sanitarium Sunday, where she had a very serious operation some four weeks ago. She was able to leave Sunday, and went to Winters to stay a few weeks with her father and mother. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Snead.

B. O. Stavelly returned home after a two weeks' stay in the Millings Sanitarium at Mineral Wells.

Miss Mable Isaacs of Snyder spent last week-end with Miss Ruth Truss at Fluvanna.

A. J. Jones and family of Comanche County have moved to the H. F. Fulford farm. We welcome

He Couldn't Raise Hands Above Head
I was a mighty sick man before I took Sargon and Sargon Soft Mass Pills," said J. L. RENEAU, 2919 Junius Street, Dallas.



J. L. RENEAU
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"Sargon Pills ended the biliousness and constipation; my nerves are steady again and I'm like a new man from head to foot."
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LLOYD MOUNTAIN

Esther Fambro, Correspondent
Early Way is visiting in Plainview this week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harless and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shepherd at Pleasant Hill Sunday.

Miss Jewel Morrow of Snyder visited her parents and friends here last week-end.

A good many of the young people of Plainview visited the "caves" near the Lloyd Mountain school Sunday afternoon.

J. D. Middleton, Virgil and Elva Pitts were business callers in our community Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Nunn left Friday for Abilene, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. She was doing fine at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Rodman and son, Perry, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Ramage Thursday.

Mrs. Orva Roggenstein and little daughter, Oleta Belle, of Monahans were visiting their parents and friends over the week-end.

We had Sunday school Sunday morning. A good number were on hand. We will have Sunday school next Sunday at 10:30 o'clock as usual. Everybody come!

Singing was real good Sunday night. We are hoping that we can have a much better one next Sunday night. Everyone come, and bring somebody with you.

Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Rodman were delightful host and hostess to a party given in their home Saturday night. Many games were played until a late hour.

Our school is going forward in a big way. Four new pupils enrolled last week.

Cotton planted by the two-row-and-skip-one plan on the farm of T. Harry Brown in Caldwell County made an estimated increased yield of 126 pounds seed cotton per acre, says the county agent, and left the middles free for a crop of cowpeas to turn under.

Mr. Jones and family to our community.

J. T. White, with his family, now lives on the Dr. Browning farm, just north of town. We are glad to have these new friends.

J. J. Smith went to Abilene, where he is under treatment of a doctor.

Mrs. L. M. Austin of Cross Plains is visiting her son, J. M. Austin.

Herbert Joseph of Abilene visited in the home of Lon Deere last week-end. Herbert once was a Fluvanna boy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clawson and daughter spent Sunday in Westbrook with Lee Brown and family.

Misses Neely and Alpha Jean Squyres are on the sick list this week.

Mrs. T. L. Nipp has been confined to her bed for several days, but at this writing is much better.

A little baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl McDow last Friday. They did not have the pleasure of keeping their little darling, for she stayed a little while and her spirit returned to the God who gave it. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. T. L. Nipp. Burial was in the Fluvanna cemetery.

The play, "The Felton Mystery," will be staged Friday evening, February 20, at the high school auditorium.

The Parent-Teacher Association met Tuesday evening in the high school auditorium. A fine crowd was present and several good talks were made. Among them was one from our good school friend, A. A. Bullock, of Snyder.

Church Notes.
Presbyterian.—Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Preaching services every fourth Sunday. Rev. J. Wood Parker, pastor.

Christian.—Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. every Sunday.

First Baptist.—Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Preaching every second and fourth Sunday. Rev. R. H. Montgomery, pastor.

Methodist.—Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Preaching services every first and third Sunday. Rev. Young, pastor.

Fluvanna Baptist.—Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Preaching every second and fourth Sunday. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening. Rev. T. L. Nipp, pastor.

The W. M. U. of the Fluvanna Baptist Church entertained the Methodist W. M. S. last Monday afternoon in Mrs. Boynton's home. Many Bible games were played, and refreshments were served to twenty-four ladies.

Mrs. John Wheeler of El Paso is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. F. Butler.

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HERMLEIGH NEWS

Faye Adams, Correspondent
The cooking school, directed by Mrs. Lenore Standifer, at Fargason Brothers store three days last week, was very successful. A large crowd gathered every afternoon from 2:00 until 4:00 o'clock. Mrs. Standifer was here representing La France Flour Company. Various prizes were given to those who were present during the school.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ely visited relatives at Big Spring during the week-end.

Mrs. Chloedelle Ellis is visiting with relatives and friends at Hermleigh.

Mr. Harkins, formerly in the grocery business here, has moved to Glenrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patterson and children, formerly of this place, were guests in the home of Mrs. E. C. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Bevans are welcome back into the Hermleigh community.

Several families in this community have been quarantined for small-pox recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hooper have moved to the farm.

Frank Roeweisch spent the week at Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Wasson made a business trip to Sweetwater last week.

Mrs. Morris of Dallas is visiting in the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Ward.

Mrs. C. Rea has been ill for the past week.

BETHEL NEWS

Nellie Barnett, Correspondent
Mrs. Earl Gladson returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Kiker and children were guests Saturday and Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kiker at Roilan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hartley entertained a number of their friends Saturday night with a party. Many attended the affair, and everyone reported a most wonderful time.

Willie Grace Watts spent Thursday night with Emma Lunsford.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Blakely and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Gillmore.

Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Hodges and son were guests of the J. T. Griffin family Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Griffin and son spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hartley.

Mrs. Bessie Mae Hodges and daughter spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. W. A. Barnett.

Miss Estella Walls spent Sunday night with Misses Bertha and Maggie Lunsford.

Miss Willie Grace Walls was the guest Sunday of Misses Lee Alvin and Eleanor Hays.

M. E. Bishop and family spent the week-end with E. E. Woolver and family.

Edward Shuler spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mason.

Nellie Barnett spent Sunday with Miss Edna Mae Armstrong.

Wolf Park Skating Rink to Be Opened

The Wolf Park roller skating rink will open Friday night with a free dance, to which the public is invited. Frank Milton, former Chicago rink manager, who has taken over the management, promises something new in the way of entertainment.

"There will be some sort of attraction every night varying from catching a greased pig on skates to high class vaudeville acts," according to Mr. Milton. "The floor will be under moral supervision of a lady and a gentleman at all times, and a good, clean place of amusement is assured."

Official Records

Births Registered.
Of the half dozen births recorded since "The Times" last publication of vital statistics four were boys and two were girls, according to records in the county clerk's office. The new citizens were born to—
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Miles, a boy, February 2.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Jeff Green, a boy, February 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Farmer, a girl, February 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen R. Clardy, a boy, February 7.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wills, a girl, February 9.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Stuard, a boy, February 9.

Marriage Licenses.
Six marriage licenses were issued by the county clerk's office in as many days, records reveal. Those securing permits to marry since the last publication of licenses in "The Times" were:

Orville Cope and Miss Beulah Thelma Woodell, January 30.

Dee Robertson and Miss Willie Chandler, January 30.

J. J. Hendryx and Mrs. Sallie Wilson, February 2.

W. P. Layne and Miss Clarice Smith, February 6.

Collin Lay and Miss Pearl Bryant, February 5.

Chas. E. Alexander and Miss Rosa Ellis, February 5.

Deeds Recorded.

Deeds recorded in the county clerk's office during the past 10 days follow:

W. V. Jones and wife, Lilla, to L. E. Howell; Southeast one-fourth of section 73 in block 2 of the H. & T. C. Railway Company surveys, January 26.

F. B. Russell and wife, Della, to Victor Longbotham; Northeast one-fourth of section 95 in block 97 of the H. & T. C. Railway Company surveys, January 1.

A. A. Hutton and wife, Bertha, to W. E. Doak; One-half interest in and to the west part of lots 1 and 2 in block 5 in the original town of Snyder, January 27.

J. Wright Moor to B. F. Womack; Lot 6 in block 26, lot 3 in block 18, lot 3 in block 32, lot 12 in block 14, lot 3 in block 3 and lot 10 in block 6, all in the Gross subdivision of the Scarborough Addition, January 6.

Bertha Hutton and husband, A. A. Hutton, to Allen Warren; North one-half of lot 1 in block 12 of the Lundy's Park Addition, January 31.

J. R. Wills and wife, Annie, to J. C. Johnson; Lots 13, 14 and 15 in block 86 in the town of Fluvanna, January 19.

W. Lee Sturdivant and wife, Ettie, to S. A. J. Willingham, Archie Willingham and Sterling Willingham; One-half of section 89 in block 3 of the H. & T. C. Railway Company surveys, February 7.

Sweetwater Paper Honors Boy Scouts

The Sweetwater Daily Reporter honored the Boy Scouts of America by issuing a six-page supplement to its regular Thursday edition last week, recognizing the anniversary of Scouting in the United States.

A pictorial story of "The Boy Scout Trail to Good Citizenship," other news of general Scout interest, and pictures and articles of interest concerning Buffalo Trail Council work were included in the supplement, which was liberally supported by Sweetwater advertisers.

Snyder, which has one Boy Scout troop, is a member of the Buffalo Trail Council, of which Sweetwater is headquarters.

A big field starts the race, but the roadside is thick with those who drop out. Can you keep up the pace?

First Prize Won By Fluvanna Girl In Essay Contest

Miss Willie Mae Fry of Fluvanna, senior in Snyder High School, won first prize of \$2.50 in the recent "Thrift" essay writing contest sponsored by the Business and Professional Women's Club. "This paper was selected by the judges because it went right to the heart of the subject," according to the judges.

"The definitions given show that the subject had sifted down to its real meaning." The committee was composed of Mesas. W. W. Hamilton, Joe Strayhorn and H. G. Towle.

Miss Fry is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Fry. She was a leader in Fluvanna school activities last year. Her essay reads as follows:

"Thrift."
In the perilous times of today we hear the word thrift, and we are often urged to cultivate this thing called thrift. We may ask the question, what is it? There are several ways of defining it. Here are a few:

Thrift is wise and economical consumption.

Thrift is the conservation for consumption.

Thrift is making the best of what you have.

Thrift is the economical use of time, labor and money.

Thrift is more than a means of saving, however. Saving is a form of thrift. Some people of today might think of thrift as stinginess, but it is far from that.

There are many ways to be thrifty. One is to avoid harmful and foolish consumption. Another is to avoid waste and to buy intelligently and economically.

A thrifty person, too, takes good care of the things he already has.

The value of thrift is inestimable. When we are saving and striving to be as economical as possible, we can look forward to something in the future. Security at the present and security in the future are assured to the thrifty person, as much as anything human can be.

The main object is to practice thrift while we are young. By so doing it means the establishment of desirable habits, which will mean happiness in our future life. In being thrifty we benefit not only ourselves, but others. It has been said that "Thrift builds men and cities."

"Does you take this woman for thy lawfully wedded wife?" asked the colored person, glancing at the diminutive, watery-eyed, bow-legged groom, who stood beside two hundred and ten pounds of feminine assurance.

"Ah takes nothin'," gloomily responded the bridegroom. "Ah's bein' tooked."

Quigley—"I hear your son is taking an extra subject at college this year."

Broads—"Yes, the doctor said he couldn't stay in college unless he got more sleep."

American History Depicted in Vidor's "Billy the Kid" Film

"Billy the Kid," which will open at the Palace Theatre Friday for two days, has been added by King Vidor of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer to the rapidly increasing list of pictures dedicated to various phases of American history.

"Billy the Kid" relates the stirring happenings at Lincoln, New Mexico, during the famous "cattle-men's war" of 1878, 1879 and 1880. The career of William Bonney during that time is the crux of the wildest point the wild west ever reached.

Other pictures in the history class are "Janice Meredith," "The Covered Wagon," "The Birth of a Nation," "Abraham Lincoln" and "The Big Parade."

"Janice Meredith," a Marion Davies production, covered the period of the Revolutionary War. "The Covered Wagon" took up the case of the pioneer. "Abraham Lincoln" immortalized the Civil War and its after effects. "The Big Parade" was an epic of American participation in the World War.

"Billy the Kid" occupies a period between "The Covered Wagon" and the present day. It concerns the period in the late '70's when the west had grown both rich and lawless.

William Bonney was the most distinctive figure of this era. A product of his time, he defended his friends with his pistol. He thought nothing of open warfare with other men. He was the ring-leader of the famous McSween gang in the Lincoln County war.

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Miss Oldone—"I wear a switch in my hair, but then you can't tell it."
Miss Young—"I can't? Why, I have told lots of men."
"Hurrah! Five dollars for my latest story!"
"Congratulations, young man. And from whom did you get the money?"
"From the express company. They lost it."
Friend—"What is your baby going to be when he grows up?"
Daddy—"A blackmader, I fear."
Friend—"Why, what makes you say that?"
Daddy—"Well, we have to give him something every little while to keep him quiet."
"The real beginning of wisdom is the knowledge of one's faults."

Specials For Friday & Saturday
Spuds Burbanks No. 1 10 Pounds .25
Crisco 3lb cans with Mixing Spoon .59
Soap Laundry, 6 Bars .20
Soap Toilet, 3 10c bars for .18
Oysters 5 oz—2 cans for .22
Coffee White Swan 3 Pound Can \$1.29
Oats Chinaware, .29
Starch Linnit, 12 oz. package .05
Macaroni & SPAGHETTI Per Package .06
Lye 3 Cans for 25
Peaches Dried, Per Pound .10
Will Rogers & Co.

FREE COOKING SCHOOL!
Ladies of Snyder and Scurry County are invited to attend and learn the latest methods in baking; also economy measures and labor saving methods in home making.
MRS. LENORE STANDIFER will be glad to welcome you and give you many of her original recipes, featuring—
Cotton White Flour
Hugh Taylor & Company
HOT BISCUITS and ANGEL FOOD CAKE will be served FREE to all visitors.
School begins Tuesday afternoon, February 24th, at 2:00 p. m., continuing through February 28th, in the Keller Furniture Store.

New Goods Arriving Daily
We have just received shipments of New Spring Star Brand Shoes for Men, Women and Children, New Patterns in fast color Prints, Ladies Silk Hosiery, Silk Dresses, Silk and Rayon Underwear, Men's Work Shoes and Work Clothing. All new goods are priced in keeping with 8c cotton and low prices of other farm products.
A FFW ITEMS LISTED HERE:
Ladies Dress Kid PUMPS \$2.89
Ladies Black Kid REGENT PUMPS \$4.45
LADIES OXFORDS Black and Brown \$1.79 Pair
36 Inch Fast Color PRINTS 14c Yard
Pure Silk Flat Crepe New Spring Shades 95c Yard
Boys' Genuine Pepperell Striped Overall 55c Suit
Men's Star Brand WORK SHOES \$1.69
Men's New Spring DRESS OXFORDS \$2.79 Pair
Boys' Heavy Blue OVERALLS 79 Cents
YOUR DOLLARS GO FARTHER HERE
Lloyd-Oxford Dry Goods Co.
West Side of Square

Local Boys Sixth Among Troops of Buffalo Council

Snyder Boy Scout Troop No. 48 climbed to sixth place in the January rating chart issued by the Buffalo Trail Council.

With 100 per cent in each of the four phases in the rating chart, with the exception of advancement, in which 84 per cent was attained, the local boys reached the highest peak to which they have climbed since re-organization in 1929.

Under direction of Scoutmaster Roy Irvin, new boys are being enlisted from week to week, and old scouts are going forward in their advancement work.

A special service in celebration of Boy Scout Anniversary Week was held at the First Baptist Church Sunday morning.

"What will the girl of 18 be 10 years from now?" asks a critic.

"Twenty-one."

"General ideas and great conceits are always in a fair way to bring about terrible misfortune."

Don't Take Drugs for Stomach Trouble

Crazy Water Will Relieve You!

To those who may be afflicted with any of the many diseases of the stomach and kidneys, I want you to know that the Divine Maker in His wisdom created a place where such sufferers may be relieved of their ailments.

I was given up to die, but after taking a two weeks' treatment at the Crazy Water Hotel in Mineral Wells, Texas, I am rapidly on my way to recovery.

Crazy Water is the most wonderful mineral water in the world. I talked to a number of people while taking this treatment in Mineral Wells, and their experience invariably was similar to mine; that is, they had been to other resorts but received no material benefit for their trouble until they came to Mineral Wells.

The new million dollar Crazy Water Hotel at Mineral Wells, Texas, covers an entire block of ground.

It is modern, fire-proof and complete in every detail. It is natural to think it would be expensive to stop at this magnificent hotel; yet you can enjoy its genuine hospitality, pleasing service and receive the benefits of the Crazy Mineral Water Treatment at very reasonable rates.

If you have rheumatism, stomach trouble, diabetes, colitis, kidney trouble or any chronic ailment brought on by faulty elimination, we urge you to write the Crazy Water Hotel, Mineral Wells, Texas, for full and complete information about their treatment.

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Mr. and Mrs. Caton Return After Trip To Dallas Markets

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Caton returned Sunday from Dallas, where they purchased spring goods for Caton-Dixson Dry Goods Company.

With characteristic faith in the community in which he has sold merchandise for almost a quarter century, Mr. Caton arranged for immediate shipment of many more spring goods than economic conditions demand.

While the pioneer merchant does not expect a noticeable increase in business for several months, he does look forward to a crop year with few parallels in Scurry County history.

Von Roeder Seed Farm Advertises "Best in County"

The von Roeder Seed Farm, operated by Clements and Nolan von Roeder, is offering Scurry County farmers the Texas Mammoth cotton seed, which is advertised as "the best in the county."

Backing the von Roeders in their statement are a number of Scurry County farmers, who have found that the claims for Texas Mammoth will stand the test.

The von Roeder Seed Farm, operated by Clements and Nolan von Roeder, is offering Scurry County farmers the Texas Mammoth cotton seed, which is advertised as "the best in the county."

"Texas Mammoth will succeed best in this county and all West Texas because it has been bred to meet West Texas conditions," according to the breeders.

The most important thing I have learned is—"I don't know much."

N. Y. Woman Lost 14 Pounds of Fat

ONE 85-CENT BOTTLE OF KRUSCHEN SALTS DID IT

"I am starting on my second bottle of Kruschen Salts and am real pleased with my results. I take it for reducing and so far have lost 14 pounds and I think it is doing wonders for me. I do not feel so tired evenings when I get home from work."

A generous bottle of Kruschen Salts that lasts a week costs but 85 cents at Sinton Drug Company or any drugstore in America—take one-half teaspoon in a glass of hot water every morning before breakfast—cut out pastry and fatty meats—light on potatoes, butter, cream and sugar—that will help Kruschen take off your fat.

Before the bottle is empty surplus fat is leaving you—indolence change to activity—you'll feel younger—eyes will bright—step grows spry. Millions know this—you ought to know it. Kruschen Salts is the ideal treatment for constipation, indigestion, headaches, nervousness and acidity.

Take Kruschen every morning—it's the little daily dose that does it; if not joyfully satisfied after the first bottle—money back—adv. G-6

Cabriolet Added To 1931 Line of Chevrolet Sixes

Addition of a new convertible cabriolet to the 1931 line of Chevrolet sixes was announced in Detroit a few days ago by W. S. Knudsen, president and general manager.

The new body type lists at \$615 f. o. b. Flint, Michigan, and brings the number of passenger models in the Chevrolet line to ten, providing an unusually wide range of models in a low priced car.

The new convertible cabriolet is a deluxe type car, with sport accessories as standard equipment. Finish is in new Duco combinations of English gray, with the upper panel in Dahn's green, and trim stripe and wheels in cream.

The new model offers a smart combination of style and utility. With the top raised it becomes a comfortable enclosed coupe. With the top lowered, it is a racy open roadster. The folding top is of fabric, with chrome plated landau irons in the rear and a rumble seat enlarged to carry two passengers comfortably.

Both the rumble seat and the front seat are upholstered in leather, a small leather ridge running down the center of the driver's seat, which is adjustable, to separate the passengers. Instrument panel is of special sport design, an ash tray and pocket are in the right front door and a small package compartment is located back of the front seat.

Included as standard equipment are a cowl ventilator, cowl lights, chromium frame on windshield and windows, which lower flush with the door sills, five wire wheels, forward-folding windshield, three chromium plated assist handles to afford easy access to the rumble seat, and radiator grille.

The new type was first shown at the National Automobile Show at New York, and dealers throughout the country are being stocked with models for immediate delivery.

Wolverines Here for Visit With Friends

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Orans of Detroit, Michigan, were Tuesday afternoon and night guests of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Smith. They were en route to Los Angeles, where Mr. Orans will be a special demonstration pilot for one of the large airplane companies operating on the coast. The visitors had planned their short visit to be able to meet Marine Bob Smith here, but their itinerary was one day late.

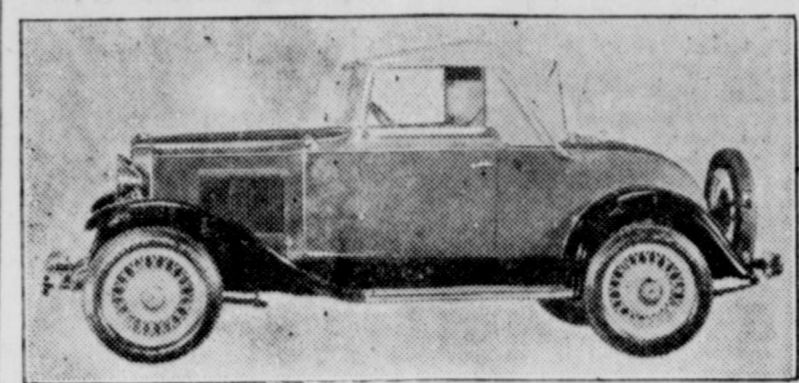
The Chevrolet car they were driving registered 1,441 miles from Detroit to this city, making the long journey in a little less than three days without a single mishap of any kind—not even a puncture.

"Get That Dog His Collar," Says Camp

Stray dogs are looked upon with extreme disfavor by Walter Camp, city marshal. "In fact," says Walter, "dogs without licenses will be picked up within a short time. They are a nuisance. If you don't think enough of your dog to buy him a license, you'd better keep him locked up or tell him good-bye."

Walter really wasn't quite that hard-boiled. But the point is that stray dogs are not wanted in Snyder. The marshal can fix you up with a nice new tag.

NEW CHEVROLET MODEL IS ADDED



Marvelous Growth of Snyder Branch Co-ops Is Result of Faith and Work

The Texas Cooperative News for February 1 carries the following account of the beginning and growth of the Snyder branch of the co-op:

The story behind the enlistment of the Snyder branch reads like a fictitious tale concocted by a high-powered publicity man, states J. W. Scott, Secretary of the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce.

Even the boldest of facts in the case reveal that faith and work have seldom been combined in such community-wide doses as they were when Snyder business men and Scurry County farmers joined forces under the Chamber of Commerce banner and put old man TCCA over the top on short notice.

Back in April, when the government marketing system was feeling its way in West Texas, C. O. Moser, vice-president of the American Cotton Cooperative Association, came to Sweetwater to make a talk. Scurry County sent a large delegation to that meeting, for it was her first chance to discover exactly what the co-op was all about. After that visit bankers and leading farmers made it their business to learn all they could about the TCCA.

Before the government had worked out all the details of organization, and long before Mr. Moser could reach Snyder, Scurry County was clamoring to get a branch office here. When she at last was placed in the list of 39 counties in the Abilene district, the latter part of May, her papers were all quickly signed up, and the \$7,500 guarantee was made by the Chamber of Commerce and underwritten by business men within an hour.

Then began the real fireworks in the TCCA campaign. Both Snyder banks, which have taken a lead from the beginning, sent out thousands of circular letters urging their customers to enlist. Four thousand letters were mailed by a special committee. Personal contact was employed in banks, in stores, on the streets—everywhere.

A committee of business men and farmers, composed of O. P. Thorne, J. L. Carrell, Joe Caton, Ernest Taylor and Austin Erwin, went to Dallas in May, and so impressed Mr. Moser that he promised to speak in Snyder, June 5.

Mr. Moser was dumbfounded when he came to this West Texas town of less than 3,500 people and was greeted by more than 3,000 farmers and business men from the entire section. The large city tabernacle would not hold the crowd, which swelled beneath one of the hottest suns of the year as the Dallas man gave them the government's plan from A to Z, between broom-popping sips.

When Mr. Moser announced, following the great demonstration, that he fixes the date for voting on the amendment as that of the general election next year, when Texas will be casting its vote for its choice for president.

"This date was selected because it is the date on which a president will be selected," Senator Cunningham said. "One of the paramount issues of the presidential campaign will be the question of public ownership of power plants and the public operation of power plants—the Democrats favoring public ownership and the Republicans opposing it."

He cited comparisons of public operation in Canada, with an average of 16 per cent net operating revenues on domestic rates ranging from 9-10 of a cent to 2.1 cents, averaging 1.66 cents, as compared with rates averaging up to 7.4 cents in the United States.

"This high return was shown despite the claim that public operation is less efficient than private," Senator Cunningham said. "Though 1930 was a depression year, the power companies in the United States showed an increase of \$80,000,000 in their gross earnings over the 1929 prosperity year. Little of that was due to extension of the use of transmitted power."

"Are you the man that pulled my husband out of the lake after he'd gone down?" inquired a portly red-faced woman of the man pointed out as the rescuer. "Yes, madam," answered the rescuer, expecting a demonstration of gratitude, "but I only did my duty as anyone else would have, and deserve no special—"

"Well, where's his hat?"

She flew—"Ah, darling, this is Sir Ravenswood Buzzardface."

He flew—"Yes, sweetest, it was on such a night as this that we first met."

"I'm a dairy maid in a candy store," She said with a pleasant smile, "Oh, milk chocolates, I guess," he replied at once

With never a trace of guile.

HEARD ABOUT TOWN

W. O. Logan and R. P. Tull were visitors in Seagraves Sunday.

Mrs. Mattie Trimble visited with relatives in Midland last week.

Mrs. Lee Newson spent Sunday visiting with relatives at Munday.

E. M. Deakins and M. Z. Dibble were in Dallas several days of this week on business.

Mrs. T. E. Suggs of Tyler is visiting with her grandmother, Mrs. O. P. Wolf, this week.

Luther Watson of The Nolan County News, Sweetwater, was a business visitor in Snyder Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wenninger have as their guest Mr. Wenninger's niece, Mrs. Frances Cowan, of Balld.

Mrs. S. T. Elza and sister, Mrs. Sallie Johnson, visited with their sister, Mrs. J. A. Farmer, in Odessa, last week.

Mrs. Sallie Johnson returned to her home in Alvarado last Sunday, after a six-week visit with friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Wilson Hartgrove has returned to her home in Paint Rock after a several-week visit with her mother, Mrs. Dixie Smith.

Rev. Philip C. McGahey, pastor of the First Baptist Church, is this week assisting the First Baptist Church at Lubbock in a training course.

Miss Anna Manna Struve and Arthur Marvin Struve of Abernathy visited with C. N. von Roeder and family at Knapp and Mr. and Mrs. R. O. von Roeder during the week-end.

Mrs. S. T. Elza, Mrs. Sallie Johnson of Alvarado and Mrs. A. M. McPherson visited in the home of Mrs. Jim Farr in Hermleigh last week.

Mrs. Farr and Grandmother Groves Johnson County friends of Mrs. Johnson.

J. P. Strayhorn was a visitor in Stamford Sunday.

Harvey White left Tuesday on a business trip to Plainview.

Charles Rosenberg of Dallas was a visitor in Snyder Wednesday.

Mrs. Bill Riley and Mrs. A. J. Riley were visitors in Ranger last week.

Mmes. A. J. Cody and Gertie Smith have been visiting in Breckenridge this week.

Miss Stella Bell of Cross Plains is visiting with her sister, Mrs. R. H. Odum, and brother, Galtner Bell.

Mrs. S. F. Kirksey returned Wednesday to her home in San Antonio after a visit here with her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Harris.

Mmes. B. F. Gee, A. J. Riley and Ross Riley are leaving today for Clovis, New Mexico, to spend the week-end with relatives.

Mrs. A. P. Morris and daughters, Mrs. Page Cleavenger and Miss Anna Nell Morris have left for a several weeks' stay in San Antonio.

Mrs. R. L. McKnight and Miss Mary Wilbanks of Lubbock were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. red Grayson over the week-end.

C. W. Pettit, who was recently injured in a car accident, returned to his home from the emergency hospital Tuesday and is greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. John Irwin, Mrs. Mable German, Miss Pauline Boren and Mrs. C. R. Buchanan composed a party which went to Abilene Monday evening to hear the world's greatest pianist, Ignace Jan Paderewski. Another composed of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Preuit, Misses Ola Lee Cagle, Nona Carr and La Frances Hamilton were also in Abilene that evening to hear the famous pianist.

Dr. T. V. Jennings of Winters visited with friends in Snyder Tuesday.

Mrs. John R. Covey of Crowley is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Patterson.

Mrs. Scott Stanfield returned to her home at Monahans Saturday after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stanfield.

L. H. Geer, district manager of the Texas Electric Service Company at Sweetwater, was a business visitor in Snyder Tuesday.

Mrs. M. D. Beggs Sr. of Fort Worth is visiting in the home of her son, W. D. Beggs. Mr. and Mrs. Beggs also have as their guest their nephew, Freewen Morrow, of Wellington.

Methods can be defeated and eliminated. Principles may be defeated—but they can never be eliminated.



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Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.

Again We Repeat COMPARE

Compare the values, prices and service we give you with those of any other tire dealer or distributor of special brands.

The low prices of rubber and cotton give Firestone unusual advantages due to their world-wide facilities in securing these raw materials and their efficient manufacturing. With Firestone's most economical distributing system, with over 600 branches, warehouses and service stores, we can secure a complete line of fresh Firestone tires, tubes, batteries, brake lining, rims and accessories within a few minutes' to a few hours' time and give our customers values and service that are not duplicated.

COMPARE VALUES. Firestone has this year added more rubber to the tread which gives 25% to 25% more safe mileage before the tread wears smooth. The Firestone Double Cord Carriage gives SIX and EIGHT plies under the tread—spreads road shocks—lessens punctures—gives over 50% stronger union between tread and tire body which ensures longer tire life and greater safety. Live rubber penetrates every cord and coats every fiber by the patented Gum-Dipping process—this not only every cord, but every fiber within the cords, is insulated this gives you 25% to 40% added tire life.

COMPARE CONSTRUCTION

Table comparing 4-50-21 Tire, Rubber Volume, Weight, Width, Pliers at Tread, Thickness of Tire, Price with 185 cu. in., 16.80 lbs., 4.75 in., 6 plies, .598 in., \$5.69 and *Mail Order Tire, 150 cu. in., 15.68 lbs., 4.72 in., 5 plies, .558 in., \$5.69.

*A "Mail Order" or "Special Brand" tire is made by some unknown manufacturer and does not identify him to the public, usually because he builds his "first grade" tires under his own name.

COMPARE PRICES

Table comparing Firestone Oldfield Type, Courier Type, Anchor Type Super Heavy Duty tires with various sizes and prices.

Double Guarantee.—Every tire we sell bears the Firestone name for the protection of our customers. Every tire carries the unlimited Firestone guarantee and ours.

Glover Service Station

Come in and compare tire sections for QUALITY and CONSTRUCTION that you can see for yourself the EXTRA VALUES we give

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Times is authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to action of the Snyder City Election, April 7, 1931:

For City Alderman, North Ward: DWIGHT MONROE

MORE THAN 10,000 persons read The Times each week. Is it worth a 25-cent classified to place your message before them?

FLATS FIXED FREE at Woody's Service Station.—Ray Hardin, prop. 35-tfc

Work Wanted

If you are out of a job, and want the Times-Signal classified column to help you get one, we are ready to serve you FREE OF CHARGE. Just bring or phone in your "Job Wanted" classified, and we will run it without cost.

BIG WOOD will be given for the grubbing.—Verne McMullan Ranch. 36-2tp

MASTER painter and paper-hanger wants work of any kind. Call 47, or see The Times. 36-2tp

Lost and Found

FOUND—Child's kid glove in Southwest Snyder. Finder may have same by identifying and paying for this ad.—Times Office. 1tc

LOST—\$30 in bills, \$10 in gold, Saturday in Snyder; in brown bill fold bearing name "Geo. Jorris." Keep \$5, and leave at The Times office. 1tp

ESTRAY SALE. This is to give notice that a stray brown mare about 10 years old, will be sold for pasturage on the first Monday in March unless she is claimed before that date.—Andy Trevey, Knapp. 35-3tc

MATRESSES renovated and new ones made. Call 471, Sleep-Ezy Mattress Factory. 30-tfc

FLATS FIXED FREE at Woody's Service Station.—Ray Hardin, prop. 35-tfc

PLENTY OF MONEY to loan on good farms, no commission charge John Spears. 7-1f

MONEY TO LOAN 35 Years Time. 5 1-2 Percent. Boren and Grayson Insurance Agency. 14tfc

FLATS FIXED FREE at Woody's Service Station.—Ray Hardin, prop. 35-tfc

LARGE responsible company has unusual opening in Snyder for reliable man to take over established home service; excellent earnings; good references required; lifetime opportunity. Address R. C. Brookins, 70 West Iowa Street, Memphis, Tenn. 34-4tc

FLATS FIXED FREE at Woody's Service Station.—Ray Hardin, prop. 35-tfc

BUSINESS COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP

If you are interested in taking a business course, The Times-Signal has a scholarship for sale at a real bargain. 17-1tp.

Certified Planting Cotton Seed

We have 1,000 bushels of Chapman Ranch Certified Cotton Seed at \$1.50 per bushel and 700 bushels of Bennett at \$1.00. Get this seed at Lambeth-Ely-Arnold Gin. 35-tfc

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and assistance rendered during the sickness of Mrs. Earl McDow and the death of our baby. May God bless you all.—Mr. and Mrs. Earl McDow, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. McDow, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wood and Miss Lora Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Jones. 1tp

DO YOU use this classified column when you want to buy, sell or trade? Where else can you get your message before 10,000 people for as low as 25 cents? 36-2tp

PLANT NOW! This is a good time to plant the following:

Low Growing Arborvitae, \$1 to \$3 Baker's Arborvitae \$1 to \$7.50 Rescald Arborvitae \$1 to \$3.50 Italian Cypress .7c to \$3.50 Wax Leaf Lagustrum .35c to \$2 Nandinas .50c to \$3 Eucalyptus Japonica .50c to \$1 Althea, Crepe Myrtle, Dogwood, Spirea, Lilac, Pomegranate, Salvia, Lantana, Quince, Tamarix, 35c or 50c each. Roses, 25c and 40c. Weeping Willow, Elms, Lombardy Poplar and Pecans, \$1.50 each.—Bell's Flower Shop. 36-2tc

FOR SALE—Two row planter on fall time; good condition; half price.—C. L. Res, Fluvanna. 1-tc

FOR SALE—Pure bred Buff Orpington eggs for setting.—Mrs. W. T. Baze. 1tp

FOR SALE—Cut wood at \$3 per load.—Verne McMullan Ranch, northeast of Snyder. 36-2tp

WE HAVE three gas heaters, one water cooler and a strip of inlaid linoleum about 15 by 20 feet, which we are selling at hard-time prices. See them at the Times office. 36-2tp

TO TRADE—Canary birds, with cages, for chickens.—Harpole Grocery. 34-tfp

220 ACRES in Nolan County, Texas, to trade for land in Scurry. 143 acres near Snyder, small cash payment, long time on balance, one-half of oil rights, no commission.—Box 653, Snyder. 1tp

TRADE FOR cattle or sheep, five-room residence in East Snyder, two blocks from high school.—J. P. Jamison, Garden City, Texas. 36-tfc

OFFICE FURNITURE wanted. See R. L. Miller, manager, at Citizens Ice Company. 1tp

Logan Gives Government Loan Facts and Other Pointers

NEW FORM TO BE FILLED OUT IN SEED LOANS

Plan is Meeting With Fine Success In Spite of Criticism Coming From Uninformed Ones.

By W. O. Logan, County Agent. Saturday, February 21, at 2:00 p. m. will be the time to hear and discuss your seed requirements and place your orders. So be at the meeting in the district court room.

There has been a different ruling from the seed loan office which necessitates an extra form being signed. So, if those men who have made applications get another form to fill in and return, do not be discouraged. See the writer or Miss Mildred Harless at the county agent's office and fix it up as quickly as possible.

There has been some destructive criticism made about the seed and feed loans, and some imaginary tales told; however, things are going on nicely and soon we expect checks to be coming in and filling the long-needed requirements. The checks will come to the county agent, and the mortgages to be filed. When the county clerk files the mortgages, then the checks will be mailed or given to those for whom they were made out.

There is some work stock that will soon be needing some balanced rations, and one straight feed will not enable them to do their best work. Before buying all your feed consult your county agent or a reliable feed dealer about using a balanced feed. The following feed is cheap and reliable: 300 pounds of milo head meal, 200 pounds of wheat bran and 100 pounds of cotton seed meal.

You can use the milo heads as you have before, and mix the meal with the bran, two pounds of wheat bran and one pound of cotton seed meal, feed with your milo heads. Try to limit the meal one horse or mule gets to one pound per day or approximately that. Corn cobs and shucks and all ground together and used, will do as well as the milo heads.

About two or three landlords have not signed waivers for their tenants. They might feel a hesitancy in signing these waivers, but the government feels one in loaning the money without them. The landlord cannot be responsible by signing up for anything except his lien on crop or rent until the debt is paid. However, if he signs a note or furnishes his tenant, he is responsible for the entire debt. One year's rent isn't like losing the entire loan, for the tenant is responsible for three-fourths at the least figure. This year's crop is the final basis for settlement, and no other collateral is endangered except the rent of the farm described in the mortgage.

The business men of Snyder who assisted in either helping to do the work or by furnishing someone else to assist in taking the seed and feed loan applications did so without any compensation except to be of service in the emergency. We should feel grateful to such fine help, and the spirit in which it was rendered.

These same men have been interested in seeing every farmer get fixed up for the loan and have offered to again give a few days of service when the other blanks come in.

The Red Cross representatives, visiting people and salesmen have been telling others that Scurry County had one of the best organizations they have found anywhere and more courtesies and favors extended from more outside enterprises or businesses in the form of gratis service.

Snyder Hatchery In New Headquarters

The Snyder Hatchery moved several days ago to the Westbrook building, just east of the Wilkinson lumber yard, and has already begun operation of its large incubator there. The former location was on Twenty-Fifth Street, west of the square. Custom hatching, as well as "egg for egg" setting, is done by the hatchery. H. G. Niedecken & Son, owners, have been in the chicken business here for a number of years, but they operated a large commercial incubator for the first time last year.

A Wonderful Help to Mothers

Dallas, Texas—Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription was a wonderful help and comfort to me as a tonic and nerve. I found it especially beneficial during pregnancy. It kept me in such good condition that I was able to do my work, hardly realizing my condition, and when a woman gets along without suffering at this time her mental condition is greatly helped. Also Prescription babies are healthier and stronger. —Mrs. L. J. Bryant, 323 Race St. All dealers. Fluid or tablets. Write to Dr. Pierce's Clinic in Buffalo, N. Y., for free medical advice, enclosing wrapper from medicine.

Mrs. Mary E. Banks Will Present Pupils In Recital Sunday

Mrs. Mary E. Banks, teacher of piano, will present the following pupils in a recital Sunday afternoon, 4:00 o'clock, at the First Methodist Church:

Misses Irene Spear, Joanna Strayhorn, Vera Gay Arnold, Wynona Keller, Geneva Glascock, Payroll Spear, Aileen Hutton Frances Nealey, Juanita Suttell, Doris Wilson, Melba Anne Odum, Louetta Byrd, Wanda Benbenek and Florenz Winston, and Rodney Glascock. The public is cordially invited. Mrs. Banks states.

County Election Officers Chosen By Commission

General election officers were appointed by the Commissioners Court in session Friday of last week as follows:

Northeast Snyder, Precinct No. 1—Giles Bowers, presiding officer; Roy McFarland, Forest Jones and R. C. Huggins, associates. Cottonwood—F. J. Helms and O. J. Huddell. Ennis—Frank Wilson and Dee Robinson. Dermott—H. E. Greenfield and L. N. Ferriman. Fluvanna—W. P. Sims and Will Noel. Turner—J. N. Brunley and E. B. Clarkson. Bison—Marvin Key and C. M. Cary. Sharon—Joe Thompson and Ed Shaoran. Ira—J. E. Murphy, O. H. Holladay, Mrs. J. A. Leach and Mrs. Lola Lewis. Bethel—S. G. Lunsford and Mrs. Holley Shuler. Dunn—W. A. Johnston and Fred Bowers. Lone Wolf—P. J. Kuss and Alex Hale. Pryor—J. L. Patterson and George Nethercutt. Hermleigh—Sam Barfoot, W. L. Jones, Mrs. Clyde Rea and Mrs. Luther Fargason. Camp Springs—Guy E. Casey and John DeShazo. Canyon—Ed Taylor and John Layne. Lloyd Mountain—R. H. Harless and Luther Morrow. Arab—Bert Battles and Mrs. Thomas Chapman. Northwest Snyder—J. I. Baze, W. W. Merritt, Mrs. George Martin and Mrs. Mack Gideon. County Line—J. H. Allen and T. T. Thompson. Southeast Snyder—M. Stacy, J. G. Whately, Will Werner, H. P. Wellborn. West Snyder—A. Rhoades, R. J. Rendals, Mrs. Eria Morgan and Mrs. J. C. Dorward. Crowder—Elmer Bentley and R. L. Swint. China Grove—Sam Bullock and J. E. Halstrom. The Commissioners' Court will reconvene Monday of next week. It was announced this week by Judge C. R. Buchanan.

Believe It or Not. Edison, Ford, Firestone and Burroughs, the naturalist, were on a camping trip in the Cumberlands. One hot dusty day the old Ford in which they were riding needed some slight repairs. They pulled up at a country garage and blacksmith shop, and Henry jumped out and went in and borrowed some tools from the proprietor. After a while John Burroughs, being very thirsty, went into the shop to get a drink of water. It occurred to Mr. Burroughs that the garage man might be interested in knowing the three men who had done so much in the development of the automobile. So he said to the garage man, "See that man working out there on the Ford? That's Henry Ford himself. Those two men watching him are Thomas A. Edison, the famous inventor, and Harvey Firestone, who makes the tires." The garage man took a long look at Burroughs and his great bushy white whiskers and said, "All right, all right, but I'll hit you over the head with this wrench if you tell me you are Santa Claus."

A bunch of the germs were hitting it up in the bronchial saloon; Two bugs on the edge of the larynx Were jazzing a rag-time tune, Back to the teeth in a solo game Sat dangerous Ach-kerchoo. And watching his pulse was his light of love, The lady, that's known as Flu.

A Tribute to Mrs. J. J. Reynolds.

When death fell upon the home of J. J. Reynolds on last Sunday morning and took from that family circle his faithful and kind companion, it took away one of Snyder's best women.

As a wife and mother, she was faithful in the discharge of her duties, ever looking forward to the best interests of the home and family with motherly care. Faithful and devoted to her children only as a mother could be, she manifested the greatest concern for their every need, mentally, physically and morally.

While visiting in the home of the writer on one occasion, she expressed with deep feeling that her great desire and the burden of her heart was that her children would make good Christian citizens. Mothers of this type are an asset to any town or community. She has left her loved ones a rich heritage.

Mrs. Reynolds was a good Christian woman, living and dying in the hope of the resurrection power of Jesus Christ her Lord. So far as it was possible for her to do so she was faithful to her church and her Savior.

She has made her contribution to the world in the six good children she leaves to mourn her going, together with the good motherly life she lived. May the richest blessings of God ever be upon her loved ones in our sincerest wish and prayer.—E. C. Lambert, Presbyterian Minister.

Piano Recital Given By Mrs. Banks Pupils

On Sunday afternoon, February 8, Mrs. Mary E. Banks presented four of her pupils, who had only been studying five months, in a piano recital at the First Methodist Church. The four were little Misses Florence Leath, Patty Joyce Hicks, Margry Brown and Margaret Gray. Other pupils assisting in the recital were Misses Joanna Strayhorn, Wynona Keller, Frances Nealey, Melba Anne Odum and Ola Margaret Leath. A large audience was present to hear the splendid program.

"We all love the honest bark of a dog—if he isn't barking at us."

AND HERE IS MORE ABOUT Basketball CONCLUDED FROM PAGE 1

Sweetwater in the first round, and Roby's 35 to 28 win from Colorado in the second round.

Other interesting dope concerning the tournament, pilfered from Bobby Campbell's Big Spring Herald write-up, follows:

First Round.

Snyder 28, Lomax 24.
Roby 45, Blackwell 36.
Colorado 18, Sweetwater 17.
Big-Spring-Kent County, forfeit.

Semi-Finals.

Roby 35, Colorado 23.
Big Spring 41, Snyder 17.

Finals.

Big Spring 22, Roby 12.

Box Scores.

Snyder	FG	FT	PP	TP
Howell, f.	2	2	1	0
Rigsby, f.	3	2	3	8
Mitchell, f.	1	0	4	2
McClinton, f.	0	0	0	0
Greenfield, f.	0	0	3	0
Johnson, g.	1	0	1	5
Trice, g.	4	2	1	10
Totals	11	6	13	28

Lomax

McGinnis, f.	3	1	2	7
Lilly, f.	6	0	2	12
Leubetter, c.	2	1	1	5
Wood, g.	0	0	3	0
Cook, g.	0	0	2	0
Totals	11	2	10	24

Big Spring

Hutto, f.	5	2	1	12
Morgan, f.	1	0	1	2
Hopper, f.	4	1	0	9
Reichold, f.	0	0	3	0
Pardue, c.	5	0	1	10
Reid, c.	0	1	3	1
Flowers, g.	1	3	1	5
Foster, g.	0	0	0	0
Phillips, g.	0	2	3	2
Stampliff, g.	0	0	0	0
Totals	16	9	13	41

Mrs. Towle Honored In Tree Planting at New Colorado Park

On Tuesday afternoon, February 10, four trees were planted in the Ruddick Park in Colorado and were dedicated to the four sisters who were donors of the park—Mrs. H. G. Towle of Snyder and Mrs. J. H. Green, Pearl Shannon and J. T. Johnson, all of Colorado.

The dedication was supervised by Mrs. J. M. Doss. "The Eyes of Texas" was sung. Mrs. J. T. Pritchett, incoming president of the Mitchell County Federation, was introduced and in a beautiful speech she presented the trees to Mayor Hutchinson, who in a most gracious way accepted them, closing his talk with Joyce Kilmer's poem, "Trees." Mrs. J. T. Whitmore, president of the seventh district of the federation, and Mrs. Greenleaf-Fisk, president of the sixth district, were present and made wishes for the trees and the donors.

Mmes. W. T. Raybon and J. C. Dorward of Snyder were also present for the occasion. The Snyder ladies were in Colorado on that day for the purpose of attending an all-day institute meet of the Mitchell County Federation of Clubs.

Parent-Teacher Association Plans For Quilt Exhibit

Plans for a quilt exhibit, to be held Saturday, March 14, are being made by the Parent-Teacher Association. The display will probably be held in the building on the corner of Avenue S and Twenty-Sixth Street. The exhibit will be between the hours of 10:00 o'clock until 6:00 o'clock and an admission price of 10 cents will be charged, the proceeds of which will be used in paying debts of the association.

According to the committee in charge, entry must be made between 8:00 and 10:00 o'clock on the morning of the exhibit, and an entrance fee of 25 cents will be charged.

- Quilts will be listed under 10 classes by which the quilts will be judged:
1. Quilts over 50 years old.
 2. Quilts made by women over 65 years of age.
 3. Quilts made by children under 14 years of age.
 4. Most artistic quilting.
 5. Greatest number of pieces.
 6. Applied quilts.
 7. Quilts made by men.
 8. Quilts made by boys.
 9. Crocheted or knitted quilts.
 10. Woven quilts.

Prizes will be announced in next week's Times. Everyone who would be interested is urged by the local Parent-Teacher Association to take part and help to make the affair a success as well as beneficial.

Scurry County History

As Taken from the Files of Old Snyder Newspapers

Thirty Years Ago

From "The Coming West," February 14, 1901. Notice is hereby given that the firm of Pool & Grantham is this day dissolved by mutual consent, E. W. Pool retiring and L. D. Grantham continuing the business. (This firm published "The Coming West.") Dr. Person and W. T. Baze are engaged in an effort to have the street just south of the square opened up and graded. The banks up Deep Creek are very low on that street, and the opening of the street will be quite a help to Buena Vista Heights and the people living southwest in general.

One of our fellow townsmen took a tumble in the snow Saturday evening. He came up sporting like a steam engine, and fished up his hand instrument, his music rack, a piece of beef and a book garnished with eggs. J. D. Sears was in town yesterday.

On account of the disagreeable weather there were no church services Sunday. From the same cause business has been dull and news scarce.

One local land agent here has sold over 100,000 acres of land in this county in the last eight months. Most of it to newcomers. So you can stop and think how fast this country is filling up.

The celebrated Washington mandolins and guitars can be bought for just a little more than the so-called "cheap" ones from Dodson & Wasson.

A. C. Wilmett leaves tomorrow for Stanton, where he goes to defend John Stokely, Stone Carden and Marion Forrester, charged with the theft of a cow from J. D. Earnest. The islands of Rev. E. A. Smith, presiding elder of the district, will be grieved to learn of the death of his little daughter, Mae, on the tenth of this month at Abilene.

Barney Stately was shot and killed about 12:00 o'clock Tuesday at Fluvanna in front of the barber shop, it is reported. Bob Reeves waived an examining trial and was placed under a \$5,000 bond accused of the killing. Both parties lived at Fluvanna.

Gay McGlaun is building a garage and filling station on the old opera house stand on East Bredgo Street. This building is being erected of brick and will be the same size as the opera house. Mr. Townsend is doing the brick work.

At a called meeting of the school board last Friday morning, among other things it was ordered that the new high school, if bonds carry, be

1931 Food Prices Almost as Low as Figures of 1884

Those who complain that merchants are getting too much for their groceries and paying too little for produce, will find plenty of room for thought in a clipping of D. C. Howell discovered in the most recent issue of the St. Jo Tribune, published in Montague County.

From an old day book used by Mr. Howell and his partner, R. Ivey, who were in business in St. Jo in 1884—47 years ago—one of the newspaper's subscribers found the following entries:

- 8 lbs. sugar, \$1.00
 - 1 sack flour, \$2.50
 - 25 lbs. coffee, \$2.50
 - 7 lbs. bacon, \$1.00
 - 5 gallons coal oil, \$1.50
 - 2 cans oysters, 70 cents
 - 1 can peas, 35 cents
 - 1 can sardines, 70 cents
- The customer is given credit for 7 pounds of butter, 87 1/2 cents; two barrels potatoes, weight 250 pounds, \$1.12 1/2; 5 1/2 dozen eggs, 65 cents.
- Mr. Howell points out that coal

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oil was just coming into use to replace candles in those days. In justice to those who continue to see more beauties in "the good old times" than in the days of 1931, Mr. Howell recalls that prices on food of practically all kinds took a downward trend a few years after the above prices were recorded.

But, in line with this drop, one Snyder merchant reported that he cut prices on 50 items last week, and that there has not been a week recently when prices were not cut on several items.

Mrs. Julia Burrell, census enumerator in Columbus, Ohio, was questioning the head of an Italian family to draw him out as to his attitude toward the government.

"You are willing to support the constitution, aren't you?" asked the census lady.

"New," replied the Italian with shrugs and restures. "I gotta wife and sex kids now."

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Hominy	SCOTT CO. No. 2 1-2 CAN	.10
Peaches	CONSUL, No. 2 1-2 CAN	.15
Oats	NEW PROCESS, PACKAGE	.23
Dried Fruit	Peaches—Apricots, 2 POUNDS	.25
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