

The Snyder Signal

THIRTY-THIRD YEAR.

SNYDER, SCURRY COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAY 7, 1920.

NUMBER FORTY-SEVEN

DEMOCRATIC CO. CONVENTION MON.

The Democratic County Convention met at 2 p. m. Monday in the strict Court room in Snyder to select delegates to the State Convention to meet in Dallas May 25th and transact such other business as could properly come on to be transacted.

County Chairman A. C. Wilmeth, called the Convention to order. W. Adamson was elected Secretary. The Chairman appointed C. R. Buchanan, F. I. Townsend and W. H. Richardson as committee on credentials.

Committee on Resolutions: C. R. Buchanan, Giles Bowers, Mrs. Leonard, Mrs. R. C. Grantham and Rev. A. H. Tate.

Committee on State Convention delegates: F. I. Townsend, J. Z. Noble, I. L. Hill, Mrs. J. T. Whitmore, E. Ely.

While these committees were out the Convention was addressed by Mr. Wilmeth and Judge Adamson.

The Credentials Committee reported the following list of delegates entitled to participate in the Convention: Snyder—W. S. Adamson, Mrs. T. Whitmore, Mrs. R. C. Grantham, A. B. Rosser, C. R. Buchanan, R. H. Burnette, E. B. Barnes, Mrs. J. H. Hamlett, Fluvanna—T. L. Winston, I. A. J. Jones and Jas. H. Tate, Ira—M. L. Hill, A. Rhodes, T. B. Falls, Bethel—W. R. Wren, John Spear, F. I. Townsend, Mrs. Leonard Wren, Mrs. J. A. Woodfin, Dunn—W. A. Brownfield, C. R. Brown, W. H. Richardson, P. M. Brownfield, Giles Bowers, Pyron—J. T. Miller, J. L. Patterson, Hermleigh—H. M. Murphy, A. Parker, W. H. Morrow, B. Y. Rea, C. D. McKinnon, A. J. Kemp, E. J. Ely, H. T. Gleostine, Camp Springs—A. H. Trice, J. O. Guinn, Bison—H. P. Wellborn, proxy for J. W. Huddleston.

The committee on delegates to the State Convention submitted the following list of delegates who were duly elected to cast the four votes of Scurry County in the State Convention:

C. R. Buchanan, W. H. Morrow, M. E. Rosser, H. L. Holly, J. C. Beakley, W. S. Adamson, F. I. Townsend, J. Z. Noble, Jas. H. Tate and A. C. Wilmeth. Alternates—Mrs. C. R. Buchanan, Mrs. J. T. Whitmore, Mrs. E. B. Barnes, E. J. Ely, A. J. Kemp, M. L. Hill, Mrs. N. M. Harpole, H. P. Wellborn, A. H. Trice and A. Rhodes.

The committee on resolutions made a gilt edged report which was unanimously adopted giving full endorsement to the Administration of President Wilson and the acts of the Democratic Congress in providing laws for the benefit of the great common people of these United States, including the President's efforts to bring all nations into harmonious agreement that would banish wars from the world forever.

Instructing the delegation to oppose any planks that would weaken the National laws governing the sale or use of intoxicating liquors.

Endorsing and commending the State Administration of Gov. Hobby and instructing the delegation to work for the election of Gov. Hobby for delegate at large to the San Francisco Convention.

Convention Side Lights
Scurry County women take gracefully to politics and stand firm for clean government.

The Democratic Convention was of one mind. The people know a good administration when they see it.

If Bailey had a friend in the meeting he kept mum.

Scurry County women take their places in politics gracefully.

Joe Bailey was not discussed. Joe is a minus quantity in Scurry County.

They didn't even mention Carranza, although he is sadly in need of friends, since Germany can't help him.

The Convention was polled as to choice for governor with these results:
Thomason 16, Noff 16.
Looney 1, Lowell 0.
For President, McAdoo 11; Wilson 7, Palmer 1, Coads 0.

Mexicans Using Airplanes

Washington, May 5.—A rumor that Mexican federals were using airplanes to bomb towns held by the rebels reached General Alvarado's headquarters here today.

It was given out by Alvarado's spokesman who said, however, it was generally discredited and probably was false.

Blackard Hardware Company have their big warehouse nearly completed and the walls of their new brick addition will soon be up.

OIL OUTLOOK IS FLATTERING HERE

The Mount Pleasant well at Fluvanna is drilling at a little over 800 feet in hard lime; this well has been showing considerable gas since 674 feet and a little oil. The drillers confidently expect a good showing of oil after passing through the formation they are now in.

A new rig is being unloaded at Hermleigh for the Dunn section for a test on the Taylor Cotton land.

The Jones well has things in readiness to set casing and it is expected to be put on the pump in the next few days for a thorough test.

The new boiler for the Riley well is enroute from Ranger by motor truck and is now due here. It will be but a few days before they are ready to resume drilling.

The Justiceburg well is looking very much like a producer. There is more or less oil showing and a very strong odor of gas.

The second Boren well east of Justiceburg is now drilling at about 200 feet.

The Camp Springs people are all in readiness to install their machinery which should be here any day. With the many showings that the various wells in this section are getting it stands to reason that the oil and gas are coming from somewhere. The Jones well is proving up that there is a shallow strata of oil in this territory. Such development was the first oil found in the Burk Burnett and Electra pools.

Visited County Line School

O. L. Howell and Horace Holley went out Thursday to visit the Mitchell County Line School just across the river from the Ira precinct.

They have a good school over there and lots of enterprising people who appreciate the value of a league of nations.

R. M. Tomilson, S. L. Brown and E. W. Madison are the trustees.

It is understood, even without saying it, that Howell and Holley made rousing speeches. The people were having a sort of get to gether meeting for school improvement. It is learned they are about to make some important changes, and that the school will be moved across the river into Scurry County but will still be County Line. They are going to build a new concrete school house there.

Arrangements are being completed here this week for the organization meeting of the Texas State Pecan Growers Association to be held in this city on May 20th and 21st for the purpose of perfecting co-operative marketing association through which Texas native pecans will be sold to the best advantage of the growers of the state. A tentative program for the two-day convention has been announced and includes speakers from three states other than Texas. J. H. Burkett of Clyde, Texas, chairman of the convention, will preside at the sessions.

Mrs. Mary B. Shell and son, Charly Ben, and Mrs. F. A. Grayum, returned Thursday morning from Sweetwater where they visited the former's sister, Ms. W. W. Beall and family and attended the District meeting of the Texas Mother's Congress, May 4th and 5th.

J. G. Morgan has come back from a long sojourn at Arlington.

Gus Stewart at Longview died from drinking home brewed liquor.

DRILLING CONTRACT SIGNED RECENTLY

The Snyder Oil Association will come into the lime light again. Mr. Lacey has been in Eastern Centers getting oil people interested in this proposition. The directros signed up a contract some time ago along lines suggested by the accredited representative of a strong drilling company. The papers were sent forward to be signed up at the other end of the line and a message came here Monday that the contract had been duly signed and the necessary guarantee deposit. It is expected now, that work will be under way soon. The promoters expect to rush the operations to a complete test as fast as possible.

New Subscribers and Renewals

J. I. Chorn, Route 2.
L. T. Condra, Route 4.
O. T. Mathis, Lockney.
W. F. Bertram, Windom.
S. H. Ford, Cisco.
John Dees, Amarillo.
T. W. Cotten, Amarillo.
M. L. Simpson, Route 5.
A. J. Towle, Snyder.
W. T. Thompson, Snyder.
W. A. Doak, Snyder.
E. W. Rodrick, Pecan Gap.
J. G. Landrum, Fluvanna.
Miss Velma Hill, San Marcos.
T. F. Blackard, Route 4.
J. S. Farr, Foch.
D. H. Bentley, Route 1.
M. Mercer, Snyder.
W. M. Mercer, Maypearl.
M. A. Hamrick, Snyder.

We all have a chance now to help the school by rendering our taxes. See Oscar Jones. He is the assessor for Snyder Independent School District.

W. E. Constant, the sign painter, is constantly on his job and has painted elegant signs for several houses. He is now retouching the Signal's window sign.

REDPATH-HORNER CHAUTAUQUA COMING

Mr. Churchill was here this week representing the Redpath-Horner Chautauqua Association and signed up a contract with the Snyder people for a seven days engagement in Snyder during next year.

The Redpath-Horner Chautauqua does not have to be introduced to the people of Scurry County. It is

an entertainment that we all know and we all know the character of those people and appreciate the high class programs and the splendid people in charge. The guarantee this year is \$1600, but it required no argument and but little time to get the contract closed up.

Letting Them Fight it Out
The United States will not take active part in Mexico's revolution until order has been partially established there through victory of one side or the other, yet it seems that public sentiment is favorable to the revolutionists. A news special from Washington says:

Official interest in the development of the political phases sweeping the Mexican revolution is stimulated by government reports indicating a rapid weakening of Carranza's grip.

Although any recognition by the United States of the rebel movement other than that accorded any de facto force is said to be improbable, it is known agents of the state department have studied carefully the promulgated program of the rebels and the published assurances of Alvaro Obregon and other leaders of the revolution that a more friendly attitude toward foreigners would be adopted.

In marked contrast to the methods used by those who acted in similar positions, the agents of the revolution here have refrained from making any overtures to the United States government and it is understood no plea for special consideration will be made until the success of the rebel movement is assured.

Carranza says it is his duty to crush the revolution in Mexico, but advices received at Washington say he is fighting with his back to the wall.

NO WET PLATFORM AT ALL PROBABLE

Washington, May 3.—Both the Republican and Democratic conventions will ignore at Chicago and San Francisco all efforts to get "wet" planks in the national platform. This was learned today on the most reliable authority, not only from congressional leaders but from politicians out of town, who are in the confidence of the men who rule both great organizations. These men stated in the most positive terms that nothing concerning the repeal of the national prohibition law, or any other legislation, either for or against liquor, in any shape or form will be allowed to get in either platform.

Tremendous efforts will be made by the wet forces at both conventions to have declarations in both platforms calling for light wines and beer, but all these efforts no matter how strenuously made, will be turned down flat, according to the statement today.

Many of the delegates to the convention will favor return of light wines and beer but they will be in a hopeless minority, and will not be able to convince the platform committee that it is either wise or necessary to tie up the parties to a whiskey alliance.

In fact, such a course, even by light wine and beer advocates, would be certain to be rebuked by the great majority of the people who want total prohibition. If either party should ignore the wet request and the other party insert wet planks in its platform, the wet party would be doomed from the start to defeat in November.

Therefore, in the opinion of the politicians, however much some of them long for the return of booze it would be bad business to allow the liquor interests to have anything to say in the campaign. Such a course would be resented by the mass of the people and would mean political suicide.

Some Inner Life Thoughts (From Syndicate Sheet)

Are you going to make life sweet today for those about you, or add to it another measure of unhappiness? The choice is yours; will you use a bouquet that will sweeten, or a briar that will wound?

When night comes the record will have been made, good or bad. You will not be able to undo it then. Now is the time to resolve on a course of constructiveness, of cheer and help, or one of antagonism, selfishness and heart crushings.

In my boyhood I never could understand why so much space was taken up in the field with wild gourd when luscious cantaloupes might just as well have been growing. It took soil and moisture and sunshine for each—one useless, the other sweet to the lips. And I wonder now at all the sneers and knocks and frowns of the world, when it wouldn't cost any more to laugh and love and cheer.

Try for just a few hours to be a man big enough to take the children into your heart; see if you can't be the refreshing shower to some soul withering for the lack of courage; do what you can to make the aged and feeble feel that they are revered for the days of usefulness that they have already spent. Do this and joy will mark your pathway to the twilight, as the beams along the crest of the ocean's rolling waters, mark the way to the setting sun.

People are touching up the garden patches since the rain came.

Uncle Dick Heard From
Uncle Dick Shotwell is now with his brother-in-law, J. F. Jones, at Eldorado, Oklahoma. He writes in to have his Signal sent there. He is much improved in health and has a good appetite. He is drinking what is called gyp water.

He likes that country—wheat and oats looking fine. He says: "I sure have been eating fish. Went fishing Saturday, was gone three hours and caught 80 pounds of fish."

He closes by directing change of address and calling for back issues.

COURT RECORD IN GAMBLING CASES

County Court was going long last week in the matter of rounding up gaming cases. The record shows the following named persons entered pleas of guilty of gaming and were fined ten dollars in each case: Newt Hargrove, Herbert Baze, Edell McKinney, Al Austin, John Wilson, Elbert Anderson, Earl Grantham, Frank Hargroves, Ed Marchman, Tabbie Crunk, John Wilson, J. W. Terry, Jim Charleston.

Frank Miller's bond set at \$500. Pete Pierce's bond set at \$100. A case against Lit Chapman was dismissed on motion of County Attorney.

Humburgiana

Memphis Commercial Appeal: It has been said that the American people like to be humbugged, and we think it was the same philosopher who affirmed that there is a sucker born every minute. The statements are recalled to mind by the disclosures contained in a dispatch from New York concerning a nation-wide fraud which is being investigated by the National Association of Credit Men, and has already led to the indictment of 28 Syrian merchants, with more to come.

The facility with which a solemn-faced foreigner can extract, not sympathy only, but coin, goods and credit from the average hard-headed but kind-hearted American is indeed laughable. Those eastern peoples are old, old and they were not slow to discern the anxiety of the wealthy occident to impose his religion upon them. Therefore they soon learned to say "Let us prey!" And America has for long been a land of good hunting for them.

The looseness with which money was flung about during the war was perhaps excusable, but the time has fully come when there should be a general tightening up; men should be held to a strict accounting for responsibilities they have assumed in handling funds, and waste should be stopped.

We do not wish to be understood as advocating locking up the gates of compassion, or putting a brake upon the flow of benevolence. Few are guilty of practicing such forms of charity to the point of pain or self-denial. But even such matters more discrimination should be practiced than has heretofore been the habit of most people.

Would it not be well to have some central authority in every community whose business it is to investigate all propositions before they are allowed to be presented to its people? Even churches are imposed upon, not only by designing frauds, but by the schemes of well-meaning propagandists, whose plans would not survive the careful investigation of a judicious mind.

They say that the country is best governed which is least governed. I say that the country is best governed which is most justly governed. There will always be bad men who must be made to respect the rights of others and the legislation that curbs them in their evil need not be felt by those who wish to deal square with mankind.—I. W. Culp, candidate for lieutenant governor.

The sentiment is a united effort for our school. Render your taxes to Oscar Jones or his deputies.

Born in Snyder, April 28, to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tharp, a boy.

CITY COUNCIL HAS INTERESTING MEET

The City Council met on the evening of May 3, 1920, at the City Hall with the following officials present: Mayor M. A. Fuller, Marshal J. P. Wolfe, Secretary Harvey Shuler, Water Supt. P. M. Bolin and Aldermen J. K. Blackard, H. L. Davis, A. D. Erwin, H. J. Brice and T. J. Blackburn.

The minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved.

Mr. B. D. Day came before the council and asked that a water main be placed down the street running south of the Baptist church and down to his place. It was decided to postpone the discussion of this proposition until a call meeting.

Mr. Guy E. Paxton asked permission to fix the street in front of his building. The matter was referred to Aldermen, T. J. Blackburn and H. L. Davis.

Mr. D. E. Walton asked permission to close the street running east and west through his two blocks of land in the N. E. side near the north ward school building and was referred to Aldermen T. J. Blackburn and H. L. Davis.

Mr. P. M. Bolin asked permission to close a dead end street near the Santa Fe railroad. The matter was referred to the above named committee.

The report of City Tax Collector O. P. Wolfe was filed and same was approved by the Finance Committee.

Mr. Yoder came before the Council and notified the council that the 60 day try-out contract with them for the pumping of the water, had expired, and also stated that the Snyder Utilities Company would have to make a small change in the price of pumping. And would make a price of \$150.00 minimum for pumping one million gallons and above that it would be nine cents per thousand gallons. It was decided to have a call meeting during the week to discuss the proposition.

H. J. Brice and J. K. Blackard were appointed as the Water and Sewer Committee.

WEST TEXAS NEEDS A REAL A. & M. COLLEGE

The Panhandle Press Association voted 8 to 11 at Amarillo last week to ask the Legislature for an appropriation to add the teaching of Agriculture and Home Economics to the course of study at the Canyon Normal.

Certainly the people of West Texas are favorable to those branches of learning but they should be taught in a real Agricultural and Mechanical college and not as a side line in a normal school, established and maintained for the training of teachers.

If a Junior A. & M. College is placed in West Texas as Dr. Bisell and a few of the Plains editors suggest it would serve to keep this part of the State from ever getting a real A. & M. College. An agricultural school would be little more adapted for teaching farming in West Texas than is the College at Bryan. Canyon is beyond the line of cotton growing. West Texas farmer boys should have opportunity of learning farming in the soil, climate and conditions under which they are to live and work.

They can study cattle and grains at Canyon, and they can study those things just as well further down in the State. They cannot study cotton and some other crops at Canyon because the Canyon soil and climate are not adapted to cotton.

An agricultural school is supposed to experiment and demonstrate in profitable crops, and there could be nothing gained for the cotton farmer as far north as Canyon. Such a school should be located below the caprock where west Texas boys may have West Texas teaching.

Eventhe faded buttercup that nods in a wild March wind at the close of day, meets and contradicts every argument of the most learned infidel who in his madness declares: "There is no God."

Singer Sewing Machines

THE WORLD'S FAVORITE---Sold on Easy Payments
KELLER & SON, Snyder, Texas

Citation by Publication
 THE STATE OF TEXAS.
 To the Sheriff or any constable of Scurry County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Ed Nelson by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 32 judicial district, but if there be no newspaper published in the 32 judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 32 judicial district, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Scurry County, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Snyder, on the Fourth Monday in May, A. D. 1920, the same being the 24 day of May A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 28 day of April A. D. 1920, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2152, where in Grace Nelson is plaintiff and Ed Nelson is defendant, said petition alleging that plaintiff and defendant were married on the 6th day of January A. D. 1917, in Taylor County, Texas, and continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 12th day of March A. D. 1917, when the defendant left the plaintiff with the avowed intention of abandoning her and of separating from her and has not lived or cohabited with her since said date. That more than three years have elapsed since said abandonment.

Plaintiff prays for a divorce and for dissolution of the marriage contract, for costs of suit, and for such other and further relief as she may show herself entitled to in both law and equity.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Nellie Weems, Clerk of the District Court of Scurry County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court in the city of Snyder, this the 28 day of April, A. D. 1920, Nellie Weems, Clerk of District Court Scurry County.

Issued this the 28 day of April, A. D. 1920.

NELLIE WEEMS,
 Clerk of District Court of Scurry County.

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 Money back without question if HUNT'S Salve fails in the treatment of ITCH, ECZEMA, RINGWORM, TETTER or other itching skin diseases. Try a 75 cent box at once. GRAYSON DRUG COMPANY

What Will Bailey Do?

What will Mr. Bailey do next? This question is being asked. He went before the people with his strained logic and all his forensic power. He spoke to immense crowds and excited them to cheers. He believed he had won, but the voice of the people has disappointed him. Texas democracy is more solidly grounded than he thought. The people know President Wilson as well as does Mr. Bailey. The people watched the war measures. The people saw this nation menaced by Germany and they applauded the able manner in which the administration mobilized the strength of the country and won the war. The people know the good laws enacted for their benefit and Mr. Bailey's sophistry has not affected them.

Now, what is a Bailey going to do about it. Somebody has said that he announced if he didn't carry his old home county he would withdraw. Will he do it.

It is understood that he told Ferguson to fight on the outside and he would fight inside the lines. He fought and fell, now will he go to Ferguson. Evidently the Republicans expect him to continue to aid them in destroying the democratic party in Texas. They are planning to get the Bailey strength. The Republican leaders, are themselves not in harmony, but they are one as to getting the Bailey folks. A report from the Republican plans in Fort Worth says.

"Mumbower represents the 'lily white' element and has the support of the Republican Council which is opposed to negro participation in the party councils. He stated late Saturday night that in view of the defeat of the Bailey forces over the State the Republicans intended to make a strong bid for anti-Administration support and would at once commence an active campaign to endeavor to induce dissatisfied Bailey supporters to enter the Republican ranks."

Tag Day in Snyder

Several High School girls worked faithfully here last Saturday in the Tag Day campaign for Better Schools. They had fair success and lots of fun and turned in \$36.85 as the proceeds of their work.

Dyed Her Faded Skirt, Also a Coat

"Diamond Dyes" Make Shabby Apparel Just Like New—So Easy!

Don't worry about perfect results. Use "Diamond Dyes," guaranteed to give a new, rich, fadeless color to any fabric, whether wool, silk, linen, cotton or mixed goods.—dresses, blouses, stockings, skirts, children's coats, draperies,—everything! A Direction Book is in package. To match any material, have dealer show you "Diamond Dye" Color Card.

IN MEMORY OF MRS.

M. E. STRICKLAND

On Saturday the Holy City welcomed a most saintly guest.

Grandmother Strickland passed so quietly and peacefully away. At 1 o'clock, May 1, 1920, she answered her Masters' call at Foch, Texas, after a lingering illness of more than four months.

Granny, as she was called) was born in Talladega County, Ala., Sept. 27, 1837, married March 13, 1856 to E. Strickland.

She is survived by an only daughter, Mrs. A. T. Higginbotham, of Foch, Texas; a brother, Mr. A. G. Leverett of Dublin, Texas, who was with her the last days of her life, and Mrs. M. J. Howell of Dublin, Texas, who came for the funeral.

At the age of seventeen her life was consecrated to the Lord. Joined the Baptist church at Bethel, Ala.

The bible was to this sainted one, not the cornerstone of her life, but the entire foundation. "The Bible says so," will ring in the ears of all who knew her. These words were used to check, to encourage and advise several generations.

Granny was 82 years, 7 months and four days of age. The head of the family of four generations.

Three wars passed on her life's program. The first robbed her of her loyal patriotic husband, who honored his county as captain of the Civil War, who left a faithful wife and babe of two years and 9 months. The last war found her still true to her husband's memory. The mother

of a most consecrated daughter, Mrs. A. T. Higginbotham. And grandmother of ten staunch grandsons and one grand daughter, all strong progressive citizens. Besides many great-grand children.

This honored saint was a member of the First Baptist church of Foch, Texas, where her funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. C. E. Leslie. She was the widow of a Mason and former member of the Eastern Star. She had always made her home with her only daughter, Mrs. A. T. Higginbotham.

Let us heed her beckoning hand which bids us come where there is no more parting and sorrow.

Suggestion for a Camping Trip

Buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy before leaving home. As a rule it cannot be obtained when on a hunting, fishing or prospecting trip. Neither can it be obtained while on board the cars or steamships and at such times and places it is most likely to be needed. The safe way is to have it with you.

"We Picked Up Seven Large Dead Rats First Morning Using Rat-Snap"

So writes Mr. B. E. Carpenter, Wodbridge, N. J. "We lost 18 sally chicks one night, killed by rats. Bought some RAT-SNAP and picked up 7 large dead rats next morning and in 2 weeks didn't see a single rat. RAT-SNAP is good and sure." Comes in cake ready for use. Three sizes, 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by W. G. Ralston.

W. J. Merrill and family moved some time ago out to their farm seven miles east of town and are enjoying rural life.

O. T. Mathis of Lockney was here Saturday and renewed for the Signal. He used to live in Scurry County and has to have the Signal in his family.

Announcement

I have installed up-to-date Shoe Machinery that will relieve the congestion of business in my repair department and invite everyone to bring in their work, assuring prompt service and all work guaranteed. **Work Done Promptly and Accurately. You will not have to wait.** Come to see us at our New Place. **First Door North of Snyder National Bank**

P. Benbenek

SNYDER, TEXAS

Cream Station Opened

We have installed a complete cream testing equipment under the direct supervision of Nissley Creamery Company of Amarillo, Texas.

We are prepared to buy your cream and pay you cash on delivery.

There is a good market for cream every month in the year.

Selling cream will net more money than selling butter and the work of churning will be eliminated.

If you have some cows and are interested in the cream business come in and talk the matter over with us.

We want to buy your cream no matter how much you have.

Snyder Produce Company

GIVE US A TRIAL

J. MONROE

IMPLEMENTS AND GROCERIES, ECLIPSE AND STAR WINDMILLS, PIPE, CASING AND PIPE FITTINGS, HARNESS ETC.

STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES

HAVE A CAR OF SCHUTTLER WAGONS SHIPPED TO ARRIVE ANY DAY

J. MONROE

NORTH SIDE SQUARE

Your Bank Account

- Provides an explanation of all your expenses
- Gives you the buying power of ready cash
- Furnishes a valuable business reference and credit builder
- A means of realizing your personal ambition, with a safe depository until then

WE CAN SERVE YOU ACCEPTABLY

---WILL YOU GIVE US THE CHANCE?

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Power of Precinct Convention
 Under the convention system in this precinct convention is mudsill of democracy. There is every man and woman voter the opportunity to be heard. There is the common citizens' only chance to take effective hand in the election of officers, or the formation of principle to be applied in affairs of government. The convention system leads on from the primary convention to a delegated body where the principles and measures adopted by the people are carried out by representatives selected for that purpose. The precinct convention adopts the plans and sends them forward for confirmation by the County State convention. In the precinct convention we have our last individual say as to what shall be done. The precinct conventions last Saturday were unusually well attended. The people have been made to think strong faction had gone over the side arraigning the most popular administration ever known. The onsets of the faction had awakened the people to the fact that the life of democracy was in peril and at the agencies of high interests were seeking destruction of the democratic party. The efforts being made to repudiate the acts and policies of the greatest president of history used the common people to understand and they determined to save a nation from disgrace. The results are that right and justice prevailed and the long train of vicious and constructive policies of President Wilson were overwhelmingly endorsed. The advocates of repudiation have forfeited their claims to popular respect. Their disloyalty is so stamped on them that never more can they cheer, they have to be classed with truth claim to be democrats but use political schools which are aimed for the overthrow of democracy. The speeches have been coming to Republicans, to Socialists and even to Bolsheviks, and hence when such shall ask favors of democrats, let them understand that traitor to democracy need apply.

Do Your Best

Everyone should do all he can to provide for his family and in order to do this he must keep his physical system in the best condition possible. One can reasonably hope to do much when he is half sick a good care of the time. If you are constipated, bilious or troubled with indigestion get a package of Chamberlain's Tablets and follow the plain indicated directions, and you will soon be feeling alright and able to do a day's work.

N. C. LETCHER

Dentist
 Office in Williams' Building
 Snyder, Texas.

Oil Operations Snyder Territory
 (By Special Reporter—Delayed)
 Jones Brothers are expecting to complete their first 300 foot well on the Long Ranch next week when it will be put on the pump for fuel. The opening of this new field is attracting widespread attention. Interested parties from California are here to see it brought in. The producing horizon in this well is about 100 feet shallower than the sand in the Underwriters well 18 miles south in Howard County.

The Camp Springs Oil Company are moving out two car loads of material to commence work on their deep and shallow tests next week. Hugh Tucker the geologist who located the Bell well in the Toyah field has made the locations for these two tests and states oil will be found without question.

The Brown Well, in Kent County, has resumed drilling; this is the McFann Oil Company's test in which the bit was lost some time ago and just now recovered. The well is still making considerable gas and some oil and is expected to make a producer.

The Boren well east of Justiceburg has started drilling a new hole after skidding the derrick a few feet the first hole could not be cleared of casing. This well had five shows of oil and gas at less than 700 feet.

The Payne well east of Justiceburg is fishing for a lost bit in an oil shale; a good deal of oil and gas has been encountered in this hole in the last few feet of drilling.

The Mount Pleasant well at Fivanna has just finished casing out and resumed drilling at 735 feet in hard lime. This well had a gas showing at 674 feet.

The Riley well had just commenced bailing the hole after resuming work Tuesday when the boiler-house

caught fire and damaged the boiler to some extent. This will require a few repairs before drilling can be resumed. It is understood considerable gas is coming up through the water in this well.

Every well drilling in this section points to the fact that there is oil here and with the Jones well showing up for a producer at 300 feet, there is a growing demand for Snyder city property by outside purchasers.

New Subscribers and Renewals

- Mrs. Lela Ellis, Fort Worth.
- R. C. Huggins, Route 2.
- W. E. Sorrells, Ira.
- H. W. Underwood, Snyder.
- Emil Schattle, Foch.
- Fred B. Massey, Wichita Falls.
- W. R. Cox, Flint, Mich.
- T. J. Bynum, Snyder.
- W. W. Echols, Fort Worth.
- W. M. Adams, Foch.
- P. E. Davenport, Corpus Christi.
- R. E. Cox, Post City.
- J. R. Coon, Colorado.
- J. C. Ezell, Snyder.
- J. O. Moon, Dunn.
- W. F. Snody, Benjamin.

Garner Hill, Gladstone, N. J., Sells Rat-Snap, He Says

"I sell and use RAT-SNAP. Like to look any man in the face and tell it's the best. It's good." People like RAT-SNAP because it "does" kill rats. Petrifies carcasses — leaves no smell. Cats or dogs won't touch it. Three sizes, 25c, 50, \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by W. G. Ralston.

Notice

We cannot deliver ice to the residence part of the city unless you get your order in by 10 a. m. in less than 300 lbs. blocks.
 48 Snyder Utilities Company.

Notice by Publication in Probate

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry County, Greeting:
 You are hereby commanded to cause to be published (in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been published continuously and regularly for a period of not less than one year in your County) at least one week for 5 consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, copies of the following notice.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
 To all persons interested in the estate of A. B. Stiles, deceased.

William B. Stiles filed an application in the County Court of Scurry County on the 14th day of March, 1920, for the probate of will of A. B. Stiles, deceased, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 12th day of July, 1920, at the Court House of said County, in Snyder, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Snyder, Texas, this 15th day of April, 1920.

W. M. CURRY,
 Clerk County Court, Scurry County, Texas.
 48 By Ada Riley, Deputy

Mrs. Smith Bird of Roswell, Texas, is the guest this week of Mrs. J. Z. Noble.

NEW FORD

One Ton Truck for Sale or Trade
 SEE SAME AT SNYDER GARAGE

Card of Thanks
 We wish to thank our friends for their services rendered to our dear deceased mother and grandmother. Also for the floral offerings.
 Mrs. A. T. Higginbotham and Family. (Foch, Texas.)

Calvin
 Pure bred Percheron stallion, black 5-year old, weight 1400 lbs., height 16 hands. CALVIN will make the season of 1920 at Dr. Palmer's place near Dana, Terms \$10.
 48 pd J. C. Freeman.

BEAVER BOARD
 FOR BETTER WALLS & CEILINGS



"You Can't Expect Beaver Board Results Unless This Trade-mark is on the Back of the Board You Buy"

Look for it. Be sure this mark is on the back of every panel of wall board you buy.

All wall board is not Beaver Board. Like every other product it is imitated, and while some of these imitations may look like Beaver Board they can never act like Beaver Board.

To be sure of lasting wall and ceiling satisfaction look for the Beaver Board trademark on the back of every panel of wallboard you buy.

If it is Coal or a Windmill

You want we have it.

Mutual Mammoth Lump, Canon City
 Nut and Strawn Coal. Standard,
 Eclipse and Monitor Wind Mills

HIGGINBOTHAM-BARTLETT & CO.

Foch, Texas

Eggs! Eggs! Eggs!

In the market at all times for your produce, eggs, hides, cream, butter, poultry etc. Do are anxious for your produce and will pay highest market price. Will call anywhere in city limits for your chickens. See us before selling.

Snyder Produce Company

R. L. TERRY, Prop.

On West Bridge Street
 Phone 71

Willard
 STORAGE BATTERY

We now have in a good stock of batteries and would be pleased to have you call around and see them.

THE R. M. DAY COMPANY

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Guaranteed by
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"BULL" Durham cigarettes; you roll them yourself from genuine "Bull" Durham tobacco; fifty from one bag.

No machine can even duplicate your "own" rolled from genuine "Bull" Durham tobacco.

Good old reliable "Bull". Always genuine; since 1865 he's been everyone's friend.

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S-O-M-E Goodies!

"—the kind that melt in your mouth —light, fluffy, tender cakes, biscuits and doughnuts that just keep you hanging 'round the pantry— all made with

CALUMET BAKING POWDER

the safest, purest, most economical kind. Try it—drive away bake-day failures."

You save when you buy it. You save when you use it. Calumet contains only such ingredients as have been approved officially by the U.S. Food Authorities.

HIGHEST QUALITY AWARDS



J. Warren Kerrigan and his world of admirers have their fill of romance in the popular star's new W. W. Hodkinson release, "The Lord Loves the Irish." This Monte M. Katterjohn story, brilliantly done for the screen by Mr. Kerrigan and his own company, is the Cozy Theatre's offering next Saturday. Where there is Kerrigan romance there always is plenty of daring adventure and "The Lord Loves the Irish" is brimful of both.

LOST—A gold watch, closed case, small leather fob. Will pay reward for return of me or the Signal office Eddie Thompson. 47

There's an Irishman over at Albany (Tex.) who left his overhaos at home and got caught out in a political downpour, along with about half a dozen other Texas newspaper men. Richard Harry McCarty of the Albany (Tex.) News took a potshot at the editor of this publication in his last issue, and warned us to get out from under the expected political avalanche. Instead, Richard H. got buried so deep he will never see the light of day until Texas goes republican. However, Irishmen the world over should stick together, and it is a pleasure to say that the Albany (Tex.) Celt gets out the most read-

able weekly newspaper in Shackelford county. It will be interesting to watch his editorial antics from now on.—Abilene Reporter.

There are several aspiring politicians in the same box with Richard Now watch their political antics.

Dear Madam:

The idol of romance, J. Warren Kerrigan, will be with us again tomorrow. It has always been a pleasure to herald his coming for he never fails to live up to everything we say about him in urging your attendance to be thrilled and entranced by one of his pictures. But we say it all sincerely that no matter how much you admired him on the screen before you will miss him at his very best unless you see his latest and greatest achievement, "The Lord Loves the Irish."

Though the handsome hero has been seen in more productions than any other male star before the public today, the fame of J. Warren Kerrigan is greater now than ever before in his career. It is popularity well merited, and no greater proof is needed than the scores of screen players who seek to imitate him at love-making, at fighting his way out of one desperate situation after another and many other applause-winning Kerrigan bits of acting that reveal him as inimitable.

Head of his own company Mr. Kerrigan has selected an aggregation of popular players, who accord him unusually brilliant support. May we suggest that you come early to get a seat for this biggest of all J. Warren Kerrigan pictures?

Cordially,
Cozy Theatre.

The campaign for better schools now being waged in Texas should receive the backing of every man and woman who believes that education is a good thing for their own children and for the children of others. Texas has a compulsory, free-text book school system, yet there are 70,000 pupils without teachers in this state. This shortage of teachers is due in large measure to the starvation wages being paid. Many districts would pay better wages if a cramping law did not limit their tax rate. The constitutional amendment if adopted in November, will clear the way for an increase in teachers' salaries commensurate with the service they render and the high cost of living. The teacher who gets one hundred dollars a month for nine months' work a year is not adequately paid, and sooner or later he or she will seek a more lucrative field.—Abilene Reporter.

Now comes a report that the price of print paper is going higher. Looks like the more investigation we have the more the price goes up. Why not at least save the cost of investigation.

A good selection of mens' shoes at Watkins. 47

Retail clothiers in Little Rock are discussing prices. Now watch for a few dollars to be added to the price of a suit.

WANTED—A lady solicitor, good pay. Address P. O. Box 267.

Ladies, see our beautiful line of dresses.—T. C. Watkins. 47

Several years ago a convention was held to bring about dress reform and they made it worse. The former years when Congress would set about revising tariff duties they went higher. Now when men investigate to check high cost of living, prices take an upward jump.

Ladies, don't fail to see our line of Nonpariel Underwear.—T. C. Watkins. 47

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Sims and Mr. J. H. Sears will leave tonight for Washington City to attend the Southern Baptist Convention.

We always have something new to show you.—T. C. Watkins. 47

Hiram Johnson has more than 200,000 majority over Hoover in California. Hoover has never asked to be made the Republican nominee and says the surprise to him is that he got as many votes as were cast for him.

We are always glad to serve you.—T. C. Watkins. 47

Mexican revolutionists are massing for an attack on the National capital. The days of Carranza seem to be numbered.

The allied powers in Europe have refused to allow Germany any voice in the Spa Conference.

Musical Recital

The pupils of Mrs. Mary E. Banks will have a musical recital at the Methodist Church Tuesday evening, May 11th, at 7:30. Also Thursday evening, May 13th, at 7:30. Every body invited to attend.

President Wilson knows that a separate American peace with Germany an Austria Hungary will disgrace the United States in the eyes of England, France and Italy, hence, in order to preserve respectability with those allied countries the President has decided to veto the Knox resolution.

Reports Thursday indicate that the Wednesday rain extended to north east from Snyder and the southwest sections didn't get any of it, but the cloudiness and slight sprinkles on Thursday give hope that a general rain will come.

W. M. Simpson at farmer at Big Spring, was found dead in his pasture Tuesday. Heart trouble, the supposed cause.

Our undertakers, R. M. Stokes and Son have got in a supply of funeral records to be filled out for families of deceased persons. It is a record of the birth, death and funeral, showing names of pall bearers, officiating minister, floral offerings and other marks of respect. These are to be filled out and kept by the family.

Cottonwood Flats school in the northeast corner of Scurry County is on the way to big improvement. J. B. Hudnall, F. J. Helms and John Abercrombie are the trustees over there. They are going to vote bonds and build a new school house. Supt. Howell was over there this week conferring with them. They are talking about consolidating with a border district in Fisher county.

Stamford had a two-inch rain Tuesday. Haskell, Stephens and Johnson Counties report serious storm damages. Good rain at Sagerton, also at Colorado.

Dr. R. E. Davenport has returned from a stay of two weeks at Mineral Wells.

Always welcome at T. C. Watkins.

Lorraine reports a soaking rain.

It makes an editor feel generous to get dozens of letters from schools and other noble institutions and the many department secretaries of the many bureaus throughout the country, all blushing with thanks to the press for its liberality and asking for more free space. Now, if those institutions can pay salaries to many clerks, stenographers and typists

and buy paper and pay office and postage bills to send their cut to the newspapers, they could send along a check to pay printers. Until they do so, they fail to get their matter printed. If you believe in good schools have not rendered your taxes Oscar Jones, assessor.

BREATHLESS DRAMA AND THE SOUL THRILL OF A GREAT AND BEAUTIFUL LOVE

Nazimova

THE INCOMPARABLE STAR AS SIGRID, THE DANCER IN

"Stronger Than Death"

ADAPTED BY CHARLES BRYANT FROM THE NOVEL OF ANGLo-INDIAN LIFE BY J. A. R. WYLIE DIRECTED BY HERBERT BLACHE MAXWELL BARGER, Director General

"I'll Whip you like a dog! I'll show you that I'm master here Strike me, but I'll strike back some day . . . Killed a mad mongrel once . . . since then I fear nothing!"

Cozy Monday & Tuesday

3 P. M. BARGAIN MATINEE NIGHT PRICES 20c & 40c

What's On at the Cozy

Today: Vivian Martin

In "James Goes A'wooing," and "Sons of Saloonkin." Won't you come see this airy comedy of James'?

Saturday: J. Warren Kerrigan

In "The Lord Loves the Irish."

Harold Lloyd

I Reel comedy, "Don't Shove." Thrills without end. Watch this "Copper."

Monday & Tuesday: Nazimova

In "Stronger Than Death." A tense drama of love in the seething heart of India. From the Novel "The Hermit, Doctor of Gaya," by I. A. R. Wylie.

Wednesday: Serial Day

The last episode of "Invisible Hand."

Thursday: "Boomerang by Henry B. Walthal

Walthal is the Wizard of the Screen. He entertains. With a Big V. Comedy.

Friday: "Louisiana" by Vivian Martin.

LISTEN TO THE EVERWELLS



Our hobby is Health—It's better than Wealth! Pa. Everwell

Every man's got some sort of hobby in his life. Mine is health and I find it pays happy dividends. If your hobby's getting your money's worth you should visit this drug store.

Stinson Drug Company

Are You Blind

To the opportunity Scurry County now offers to you, in the way of agricultural lands at a low price. You can not find a more productive soil in the state. You can raise as much per acre at a fraction of the cost elsewhere. Come to Scurry County and see the prosperity of our farmers. Our schools, our towns and our good roads, our low tax rate and an almost ideal climate. Can you raise a bale of cotton to the acre where you now live? Compare the price of our land with yours.

The outstanding characteristics of Scurry county has been steady upward climb in prices of our land regardless of adverse conditions. Our prophecy is, Scurry County farms will enhance as much more in the next 12 months as the past. Watch and see if we are correct. We are backing "Our Faith" by investing our money here, can you ask us to "Keep Faith Better."

160 acres, good farm, all fenced, new 3-room house, two galleries, sheds and lots, well and mill. Price \$25 acre, \$2,000.00 cash, terms on balance.

160 acres, 100 in farm, all fenced, 3-room house, small shed, lots, well and mill. Price \$25 acre, \$1,500.00 cash, terms on balance.

92 acres, all in cultivation, about 3 1/2 miles from Santa Fe depot, good land. Price \$35.00 per acre.

80 acres, 60 in farm, good 4-room bungalow, well and mill, lots and sheds, well improved, 2 1/2 miles from Snyder. Price \$60.00 per acre.

320 acres, 140 in farm, all tillable, two sets improvements, cat claw land, big tank, on main highway. Price \$22.50 acre. Terms can be arranged.

304 acres, 175 in farm, all tillable, all level, cat claw land, fine water, good 3-room house and shed room, gallery, cribs, sheds, lots, well and mill concrete tank, 1/2 mile school, 6 miles Snyder, rural route. Price \$50.00 per acre, part cash, terms on balance.

100 acres 65 in farm, all tillable, 5-room house and gallery, well land mill, lots sheds cribs garden chicken houses, orchard, fenced, 1 1/4 miles Snyder near school. Price \$40.00 acre.

140 acres, 105 in farm, all fenced, good water, cat claw land, good 4-room house and hall, well and mill, good outside improvements. Price \$40 acre, 1-3 cash, terms on balance.

160 acres, 100 in farm, all tillable, all fenced, fine soil, good 3-room house, well and mill, lots sheds, etc. Price \$30.00 per acre.

176 acres, 100 in farm, all fenced, 155 fine tillable land, good water, main highway, rural route, 1 mile school, near Snyder, 3-room house and galleries, well and mill, lots, sheds and crib, chicken house, storm house, surface tanks. Price \$35.00 acre, \$3,500 cash, terms on balance.

Our complete list embraces practically the best farms in Scurry County and adjoining counties and our business justifies us in believing that we are selling the bulk of Scurry County farms and city property. See us if you want to buy or sell as it pays to see first in any line of business those who are making the biggest success. Our office is your home. Use it.

We offer the highest rated citizens of Scurry County as our references. A square deal. Try us first. Office in rear of First State Bank & Trust Co.

DODSON-TAYLOR REALTY CO.

SNYDER, TEXAS

Life Was a Misery

Mrs. F. M. Jones, of Palmer, Okla., writes: "From the time I entered into womanhood . . . I looked with dread from one month to the next. I suffered with my back and bearing-down pain, until life to me was a misery. I would think I could not endure the pain any longer, and I gradually got worse. . . Nothing seemed to help me until, one day . . . I decided to

TAKE

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

"I took four bottles," Mrs. Jones goes on to say, "and was not only greatly relieved, but can truthfully say that I have not a pain. . ."

"It has now been two years since I took Cardui, and I am still in good health. . . I would advise any woman or girl to use Cardui who is a sufferer from any female trouble."

If you suffer pain caused from womanly trouble, or if you feel the need of a good strengthening tonic to build up your run-down system, take the advice of Mrs. Jones. Try Cardui. It helped her. We believe it will help you.

All Druggists



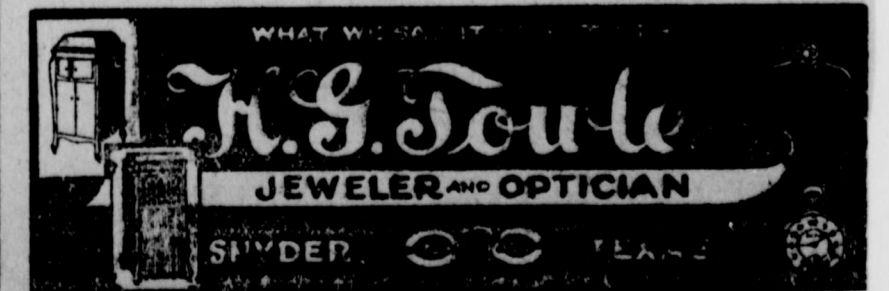
HERE IS THE BEST PLACE IN THE WORLD TO GET SUGGESTIONS

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Our stock is complete, the prices so varied that every taste and pocketbook is sure to be suited.

We have many inexpensive but dainty little novelties here, which make excellent gifts.

Your Selection is Made Easy Here.



CONTRACTS CALF CROP FOR NEXT SIX YEARS

The entire crop of Hereford calves of the L. F. D. Cattle Company, for the next six years was sold a few days ago to Milton Shroder of Miltonvale, Kan., at \$32.50 per head. There are about 3,000 head coming on every year. This herd of cattle has been established for twenty-nine years. It is said that this contract covers the longest period of time of any cattle contract ever written.—Amarillo Tribune.

A. E. Duff
New and second hand furniture. Phone 118. 47pd

High School Entertainment

The Juniors of the High School entertained the Seniors last Friday night at the Legion Club rooms and of course the young folks had a delightful time of it. They always do.

Republican County Convention

The Republican County Convention met here Tuesday to line up party interest for the campaign. Scurry County Republicans take no dish in the Green-McCarthy mongrel party. Scurry County Republicans belong to the hilly white element.

They endorsed the T. H. McGregor wing of the party in Texas. G. B. Clark was elected as delegate to the State Convention and J. Wright Moor goes to the Congressional Convention.

Key & Carter

Build Auto Tops and paints your car like new. Next door to Record office. 47

Letter From Foch

Editor Signal:
Thinking perhaps a bit of news from Foch now and then would be relished, we take pleasure in so doing. There seems to be an idea among some that oil wells here will be a second Ranger or a Fort Worth. Our experience leads us to know that good schools and good crops are the fountainhead. This fact has been proven beyond a doubt from last year. People were heavily in debt. Today three-fourths are out of debt and have bought and paid for an automobile. Give us good churches and schools and crops, a good number of live wire men. Foch has some live wirts and it is to be hoped others will join the band. I've heard some foolish men say that Barrooms and whiskey built towns, not so. Railroads help to start a town but they are quite different from saloons. It was predicted when the prohibition and narcotic act became an absolute law our asylums would be filled and many commit suicide, not so, the statistics showed a decrease. Well, our merchants are busy laying in their spring supplies. Our bank has plenty of cash on hand to set a man up to farm, but this bank has a good deposit fund and few will borrow unless they have to. We are having some hot weather hence a flow of candidates who are shaking hands with the other fellow. Rev. E. H. Ratliff and wife were here Saturday and Sunday filling his appointment at the Central Baptist church. Bro. Ratliff is a very bright and energetic and accomplished young preacher and is highly esteemed here. There was also a Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. rally Saturday night and Sunday at the B. M. A. Baptist church. There was a good attendance. Rev. Chas. Leslie deserves credit for his noble work in obtaining this meeting. There was a mass meeting Saturday at W. O. W. hall for the purpose of electing delegates to the County Convention. A good crowd was in attendance. We notice machinery going out to commence drilling for oil at or near the first between here and Dunn. Funeral services were held here Sunday of Grandma Strickland, who was laid to rest at Foch cemetery east of town. We learn she was 85 years of age. —"Othello."

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Gardens will boost up just as soon as the rain comes.

GENERAL BLACKSMITHING & HORSESHOEING

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WILL APPRECIATE YOUR BUSINESS

E. W. DITTO

MISS SQUYRES FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

Miss Nealy Squyres of Fluvanna places her announcement in the Signal this week as a candidate for the office of County Superintendent of Public Schools. She announces, subject to results of the democratic primaries in July.

Miss Squyres is a lady of culture and refinement, honored by people who know her, for her high, clean, Christian character. She is alive to all the interests of education and is active in many lines of Christian activities. Honest, conscientious, and capable. She has resided in this County for 19 years, has been a successful teacher for seven years, two of which were at Camp Springs, where she is held in high esteem.

She has made a study of our school system and understands the needs of our Country schools. If elected, she will give her time and thought to the position and will appreciate the support and confidence of the people. Give her candidacy due consideration.

Miss Squyres' Own Statement To the Voters of Scurry County:

This is to announce that I am a candidate for the office of County Superintendent subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

I respectfully solicit your vote and influence, and assure you that if elected, my entire time and attention will be devoted to the duties of the office. For seven years I have been a successful teacher in the public schools. During this time I have made a careful study of school work and interests, so I am thoroughly familiar with the needs of the schools and the duties of the office.

Before the primary, I hope to meet each of you personally number you among my many friends and thus lay the foundation for a pleasant, efficient and co-operative administration of the schools of the County.

Respectfully yours,
Miss Nealy Squyres.

Revival Meeting at Ira

The Revival Meeting that has been running here since April 14, conducted by Evangelist Ditto, has done and is doing much good. The people are coming by the scores and brotherly love is being taught to the people through the power of old time religion. Mr. Ditto contends the faith once delivered to the people of God is for the obedient today and that the denial of the power of God is plunging this world into spiritual darkness.

With many unmistakable scriptures he proves the world's crying need is the power of old time religion, the heart made pure, this experience he says is found only as we yield absolutely to God and honor the blood of Jesus for cleansing. The all day meeting and Dinner last Sunday was enjoyed by many. The Ira people extend an invitation to all to attend the services.

Cotton Seed

Plenty of good Mebane Cotton Seed, \$2.00 per bushel. Will appreciate your telling your friends when you write them, about these seed. 47tf O. L. Jones, Snyder, Tex.

SPECIAL SATURDAY AND MONDAY

DRIED FRUITS
Apples, per lb. \$.25
Peaches, per lb.25
Prunes, per lb.25
Raisens, per lb. 22 1/2

GALLON FRUITS
Peaches \$.75
Plums 1.05
Pineapple 1.05
Apricots 1.05
Blackberries 1.30

COMPOUND
Jewel \$2.30
Purity 2.30
Cottolene 2.75
Crisco 2.15

COFFEE
3 lb. Folgers' \$1.60
3 lb. Breakfast Delight 1.60
3 lb. Admiration 1.55
1 lb. Texan35
Brooms 65c to \$1.00

WATCH FOR OUR SPECIAL NEXT WEEK

WARE & ARE

Southeast Corner Square

The Rain Came at Last

The rain came Wednesday about 2 o'clock and made people begin to pick up new courage. This is the first rain we have had since January and in spite of inherent optimism lots of us had begun to manifest streaks of blue.

Farmers are ready to plant crops, gardens have been making no progress and in fact the people were about to suffer from uncertainty but with the coming of good rains the West Texas soil will quickly respond. Business will take on new life and energy.

Army Shoes

I have in stock plenty of second hand army shoes.—E. F. Walker Shoe Shop. 48pd

New Orleans Cotton

New Orleans, May 4.—Selling pressure was felt by cotton during the first half of the session today, but in the last half considerable demand arose so that for a while the trend was decidedly higher. The close however, was colorless, 10 points up to 13 points down net.

The opening was lower under the influence of a weak Liverpool plus correction in the Liverpool stock of 79,000 bales, rains in Texas and an unfavorable view of labor conditions at important mill centers.

A private bureau report on acreage showing an increase of only 2-3 per cent, brought in considerable buying and the market continued to improve until late in the day. In the last few minutes of the day the market showed less steadiness, which was attributed to expectations of favorable weekly crop reports from the government tomorrow.

A. E. Duff

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Revival at Methodist Church

An interesting revival meeting is now in progress at the Methodist church. At present the services are only at night, but later there may be day time services. Bro. Hicks is doing the preaching. Fairly good congregations are attending.

W. T. Thompson and W. A. Doak were among the list of good men to call in Monday and ratify allegiance to the Signal.

A. E. Duff

New and second hand furniture. Phone 118. 47pd

J. W. Jackson was here Monday from Foch.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Noble visited in Abilene over Sunday.

Every Street in Snyder Has its Share of the Proof That Kidney Sufferers Seek.

Backache? Kidneys weak? Distressed with urinary ills? Want a reliable kidney remedy? Don't have to look far. Use what Snyder people recommend. Every street in Snyder has its cases.

Here's one Snyder man's experience.

Let John Brown tell it: "I was troubled with too much uric acid about a year ago. I had a frequent desire to pass the secretion which were scanty and caused a lot of pain. I felt pretty bad off until I heard of Doans Kidney Pills, which I took and I am glad to say I received wonderful relief. Doan's regulated the kidney action and made me feel better in every way."

Price 60¢ at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doans Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Brown had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Let us send you an Electric Washer on approval. It costs you absolutely nothing to try it.—Snyder Utilities Company. 46

Mr. Neal Douglas of Eastland who taught school in Snyder more than twenty years ago is here this week visiting. Mr. Douglas was recently in the newspaper business at Roaring Springs.

Don Biggers of Eastland has offered to give Judge Blanton \$250 if he will produce an affidavit from forty members of Congress showing that he is truthful and honorable in parliamentary tactics and a valuable and effective member of Congress. Of course Blanton cannot pay any mind to such a bluff.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Dodson left Tuesday for an extended visit at Waynesboro, Tennessee. They will be gone a month, maybe three months. Mr. Dodson said "You'll get rain here in three days after I get away." We have been waiting to find who is the Jonah.

Anton Brom of the Foch country visited the Signal Wednesday. He has recently come in from Flatonia and is farming three miles north of Foch. He is a young man of fine personality and will make us a good citizen. He shows intelligence and public spirit in hastening to get in touch with the County newspaper.

Col. J. Z. Noble said he wants it to go down in history that he was the first democrat who ever presided over a political convention in Snyder where women had equal privileges with the men.

Double Growth

1st Six Weeks

FED PURINA BALANCED RATION

FED GRAIN ALONE

Chick development is retarded when grain alone is fed because grain is largely lacking in bone building and blood forming elements. Your state experiment station will verify this statement. These nutrients are abundantly supplied by

Purina Chicken Chowder

which accounts for the double development during the vital first weeks of a chick's life. But don't take our word for it, buy Purina Chicken Chowder under an iron-bound guarantee of

Double Development or Money Back

when fed as directed with Purina Chick Feed. The perfect grain ration.

For your protection Purina Feeds are packed in Checkerboard bags only. In terms of results they are by far the cheapest feeds you can buy. Call today and start your chicks on the profit weigh.

Henderson Bros.

DEALERS IN

ALL KINDS OF PLANTING SEEDS, COTTON SEED, CORN, MILLET, SUDAN, ETC.

SNYDER, TEXAS

Joe Beck of Eastland was here last week visiting his daughter, Mrs. B. A. Hull.

A. E. Duff is building up a substantial furniture business down on Scarborough street.

Mrs. R. E. Thornton of Lockney spent a few days last week in Snyder on her way to visit at Balingier.

E. F. Littlepage has shipped his household goods and moved back to Lampasas to live.

Windmill Men

We do all kinds of windmill work. All work guaranteed. See us or call Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co.

Terral & Haddow

What is Courtesy As Applied to Our Bank Service?

Courtesy, next to character and Honesty is one of the first demands this institution makes upon its officers and employees.

To be courteous, to be kind, showing care and consideration in the handling of small accounts as well as the largest deposits—this is one of the chief aims of this bank.

The Snyder National Bank

MONEY WE WARN YOU MONEY

AT PRESENT WE CAN GET YOU CHEAP MONEY ON LARGE RANCH LOANS. IN 90 DAYS INTEREST RATES WILL PROBABLY BE 10 PER CENT. IN SIX MONTHS FROM NOW YOU WON'T BE ABLE TO GET A RANCH LOAN. WE HAVE SOME OF THE VERY BEST COMPANIES—LOW RATES AND GOOD TERMS. ACT QUICK! DO IT NOW!!

RANCH LOANS FIRE INSURANCE

A. J. Towle

CARLOAD OF ESSEX MOTOR CARS

AVIATION RAGE

If you haven't inspected this car, come over and let us show you why this is the car without a competitor. No other car of its price can compare with it in quality of equipment and construction or in flexibility of performance.

BIG TIRE SALE

I find that I am overstocked on tires, and for
EIGHT DAYS

Commencing Saturday, May 8th. I will offer my entire stock at---

20 Per Cent 20
Discount

from list. This applies only to tires in stock and for cash.
All New, Fresh Stock

J. W. COUCH, Snyder, Texas

Summer Underwear For Men

All of the leading brands of knit in short sleeves, 3-4 length, athletic, no sleeve and knee lengths.

A big assortment of men's belts in black, brown and gray, white and Palm Beach. If it is class you are looking for, see them.

The best Khaki shirt made and it is made coat style, button down collar, wears well and looks good. Priced right. Ask the men who are wearing the best looking khaki shirts in town.

If your sox comes from our store, you will get service, and they have that refined appearance, because I bought them for people that want that kind.

Make your visits often to our Men's Department. We added this line of goods for you. You are always welcome, and will find just what you had wanted for a long time here.

Matthews, THE QUALITY SHOP

W. M. Morrow is in Dallas this week.

Mrs. Fred Grayum visited in Sweet water. day for a visit to her mother in San Antonio.

Let's don't get scared. We'll get rain before long.

Judge J. P. Stinson was here Wednesday from Abilene.

Mrs. Bruce Eaton of Dallas is the guest of Mrs. S. C. Porter.

T. L. Winston was here Monday to attend the County Convention.

The roping contests north of town Saturday attracted the usual crowd.

Gaines County farmers are planning to plant 600 acres in broom corn.

M. L. Hill remained over in Snyder Tuesday night on Masonic business.

Overalls are good enough clothing for anyone, except on dress up occasions.

D. T. Curry of Floyd County was here this week visiting his brother, A. M. Curry.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Roper were at Tuscola last week visiting Mrs. Roper's brother.

Mrs. E. J. Anderson is attending the Convention of Federated Clubs at Ballinger.

Dr. Morrow, E. J. Ely, Andrew Kemp and other Foch Democrats were here Tuesday.

J. C. eBakley and W. H. Richardson were here from Dunn marching in the Wilson ranks.

Mr. Ray Minor of Eastland is visiting his grand parents. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Minor, this week.

Joe Monroe, who deals in groceries and farm implements, ran an ad in the Signal last week and said he did more business last Saturday and Monday than at any time before during this season.

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Tate were here Tuesday attending the County Convention.

Rev. W. H. Sims is attending the Southern Baptist Convention in Washington City.

The J. H. Rollins business building is being cleaned up and put in first class order. It is understood the Palm Cafe will be moved into that building in two or three weeks.

Practical common sense in dress or other necessities is worth a hundred cents out he dollar to anybody who has common sense enough to properly use it.

Caton-Dodson Dry Goods Company are telling it to you this week in a page ad. They are going to move into another building and want to sell their goods to keep from moving them. You'll find it just like they advertise.

Quite a number of farmers heard J. M. Hendrix last Saturday explain the Cotton Market Situation and from the information he can give, the people will have a better understanding and we believe they will be in position by next fall to meet the facts intelligently and with better results.

Our old friend, Pete Ingle, has instructed us to send his Signal to him at Fort Worth. Pete is one of our honest pioneers. He was always a good citizen. The falling health of Mrs. Ingle has made it necessary for them to go east, but they will always think of Snyder as home.

The Signal's circulation man has compiled a list of subscribers who are a little in arrears with a view to sending out expiration statements, but they are coming in and paying up so nicely that the statements may not have to be sent. Please note the date on your paper and your prompt renewal will be appreciated.

Will Spud in Next Week

Mr. J. T. T. Harris stated Wednesday that they are getting their drilling material moved out to the Dunn field and they expect to spud in on their new well there early next week. He and his associates are going about their work there with feelings of absolute certainty of getting oil.

Com. Ezell for Commissioner

The Signal is authorized to announce this week Mr. Com Ezell as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner in Snyder precinct No. 1, subject to the primary election. Mr. Ezell is an honest, substantial, young man, and a good citizen.

The office of County Commissioner is one of our most important jobs, because it touches the pocket book and the social life of all of us, and calls for a board that can wisely and justly conduct the fiscal affairs of the County. Providing for the raising of and expending the public revenues with equal justice to all interests demands careful consideration.

Com Ezell owns and conducts a large plantation in this County and does it successfully. He comes of a family of financiers and has been carefully trained along business lines. If elected as a member of the Court he will always betruce to the trust and will be a good man in the matter of taking care of the credit and welfare of the County. Give him due consideration.

A. H. Watts Died Tuesday Night

Mr. A. Houston Watts, aged 69 years, died Tuesday night at his home in North Snyder, after an illness extending over several months. Mr. Watt was born in Tennessee Oct. 18, 1851. He has lived in Texas for many years. He has been a successful farmer west of Snyder until about a year ago.

He was a good man and loyal citizen. His family have the sympathy of a large list of friends who esteemed Mr. Watts for his many virtues and his well known character as an honest, upright man.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon from the family home. Services were conducted by Rev. Berry. Quite a number of friends attended to pay the last mark of respect to their departed neighbor and friend.

Card of Thanks

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to all who assisted us in the illness and death of our dear husband and father. May God bless every one who gave a helping hand.

Mrs. Margaret Watts and Children

The figures compiled by the Dallas News show that Bailey will probably have 75 votes in the State Convention.

REMOVAL SALE

As we expect to move about the first of June, we are going to offer our customers and friends an opportunity to buy Seasonable Merchandise at a big saving right at the very center of the Spring Season and the beginning of the Summer Season.

In every instance the selling price that we quote is lower than today's market conditions would warrant, and when you buy our merchandise we offer with confidence that no matter how small the price you pay, you are buying STANDARD QUALITY at great saving. We are going to offer as much as 10 to 33 1-3 per cent on many articles, a few of which we quote below---

Sheeting, worth \$1.25, now 88c	35 and 40 at 32, 45 and 50 at 42, 60 and 65 at 55, and \$1.25 at 98. All others in proportion.	Silk Jersey \$6.00 for \$5.00	Men's Ties \$1.50 now \$1.25
Domestic, good as gold, worth 40, now 35c	Corsets, \$2.50 and \$2.75 value, now \$2.25	Foulard Silks \$5.00 for \$4.25	Men's Ties \$2.00 now \$1.75
Gingham and Percale, worth 40 now 35c	\$3.25, \$3.50 and \$3.75 values now \$3.00	Messaline and Taffeta Silk \$4.50 for \$4.00	Men's Ties \$3.00 now \$1.75
White Cambric, worth 50, now 44c	Corsets, 4.00 and 4.50, now \$3.75	Mesaline and Taffeta Silk \$3.50 & \$3.25 for \$3 & \$2.85	Men's Suits, \$18 and \$20 now \$17.50
Mattress Tick, worth 35, now 31c	Corsets, 5.00, now \$4.25	Silk Shirting, \$4.50 now \$3.85	Men's Suits \$25, \$27.50 now \$22.50
Mattress Tick, worth 30, now 26c	Corsets, \$6.00, now \$5.25	Georgette Waist \$7.50 and \$8.00 now \$6.75	Men's Suits \$37.50, \$38.50 now \$34.50
Feather Tick, worth 75, now 65c	Corsets, \$7.00 and 7.50, now \$6.50	Georgette Waist \$10.00 now \$8.75	Men's Suits \$40, \$42.50 now \$36.00
Cotton Checks or Plaids 25, 30, and 35, now 22c, 26c, 31c	Chevoits (shrt goods) 40 and 45 now 35c, 40c	Men's Shirts \$12.00, now \$10.25	Men's Suits \$45 now \$40.00
40 in. pillow tubing worth 60 now 52	Middy Blouse and Dress and all ready to wear 20 per cent off	Men's Shirts, \$2.75 and \$3.00 now \$2.40	Men's Suits \$50, \$55, now \$45.00
Ladies' Unions, worth \$1.25, now \$1.10	Ladies' Hats 25 per cent off	Men's Shirts \$3.50 now \$3.00	Men's Suits \$60, \$65 now \$55.00
Ladies' Unions, worth \$1.00 now 88c	Cretons, 35, 40, 45, 50, 60, now 30, 35, 40, 45, 55c	Men's Shirts \$4.50 now \$3.95	Men's Pants \$3.00, \$3.50 now \$2.75
Ladies' Vests, worth 60, now 52c	Drapery 40, 50, 60, 75, \$1.50 now 35, 40, 50, 60, \$1.15	Men's Shirts \$10.00 now \$8.75	Men's Pants \$4.00, \$4.50 now \$3.75
Ladies' Vests, worth 75, now 65c	Georgette Crepes \$3.50 for \$3.00	Men's Shirts \$12.00 now \$10.95	Men's Pants \$6.00, \$6.50 now \$5.25
Eden Cloth, worth 50, clean up 38c	Crepe De Chine \$3.75 for \$3.25	Men's Shirts \$15.00 now \$12.95	Men's Pants \$8.00, \$8.50 now \$7.25
Canter Flannel, worth 50, clean up 44c	Crepe De Chine \$4.00 for \$3.25	Men's Hose 25c now 19c	Men's Pants \$9.00, \$10 now \$8.50
Children's and Ladies' Hose, 25 and 30c seller, at 22c		Men's Hats \$4.50, \$5.00 now \$4.00	Men's Pants \$12.50, \$13 now \$11.75
		Men's Hats \$6.50, \$7 now \$5.75	Men's Overalls and Jumper \$3.00 now \$2.70
		Men's Hats \$8, \$9 now \$7.50	Men's and Ladies, Boy's and Girl's, Misses Shoes 10 per cent off
		Men Ties, \$1.00 now 85c	Low Quarters 15 per cent off
			Boy's Striped Overalls 85c

This is no hired salesman to fool our friends into fictitious prices. We want our stock down so we wont have so much to move. You may ask any drygoodsman and he will tell you that our prices on many articles are below wholesale prices.

This is a Cash Sale. We need the money to meet our obligations which is one reason of Sale. We guarantee a reduction on everything in our stock.

12 Days DON'T FORGET THE DATE, BEGINS MAY 10, 1920 **12 Days**

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Subscription \$1.50 per year in Adv.

Entered in the postoffice at Snyder, Texas, as second class mailmatter.

Oil advertising 25c per inch for display space and 10c a line for readers. Cash must accompany all orders.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- For District Attorney 32nd Judicial District:
I. E. HILL of Nolan County.
- For District Clerk:
Mrs. Nellie Weems (re-election)
- For County Treasurer:
MISS IDA KELLY.
T. J. (TOM) MANNING
- For County Judge:
HORACE HOLLEY.
- For Tax Collector:
JOHN G. DAVIS.
J. A. (JOE) MERRITT
L. T. CONDRA
C. T. (Charlie) WILLIAMS.
- For Tax Assessor:
G. H. LEATH—Re-election.
- For County Clerk:
MRS. H. H. COTTEN.
B. A. (Bennie) HULL.
- For County Superintendent:
O. L. HOWELL (Re-Election).
A. W. Turner.
Miss Nealy Squyres
- For Sheriff:
J. H. BYRD (Re-Election.)
- For County Surveyor:
H. A. GOODWIN—Re-election.
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2.
J. F. Dowdy.
J. G. Landrum.
- For Co. Commissioner, Prec. No. 1—
Com Ezell
- For Justice of the Peace, Prec. No. 2
J. F. Dowdy.
J. G. Landrum.
- For Public Weigher:
O. I. (Butch) McCLINTON.

CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS.

- For City Marshal:
O. P. WOLFE, (Re-election).
- Snyder will soon have a laundry going.

Of the 1409 State Convention votes the administration has 1210.

Luther Nichols says Bailey will stay in the race for governor.

Bailey charges fraud and intimidation as the cause of his defeat.

The Revolutionists in Mexico are about to get Carranza's goat.

Juarez has surrendered to the Mexican rebels. No shots were fired.

The eclipse of the moon came along early Sunday night so that we all got a look at it.

Yeggs in Amarillo blew the safe in the Rock Island depot Sunday night and got \$300.

It makes lots of work and worry to get an oil well but evidently most people think it worth all it costs.

Bailey's followers are called to a convention in Dallas May 15, to plan for keeping him in the gubernatorial race.

Returns from Saturday's primaries show 1210 of the 1400 votes in the Democratic State Convention for the administration.

Even a few loads of gravel look good on the public square. Just think how it would be well laid and packed down all over.

It is a foregone conclusion that President Wilson will veto the Knox bill providing for peace with Germany and Austria.

The Scurry County Republicans didn't have a primary convention here Saturday but waited for the regular County Convention Tuesday.

Good to light rains fell over Central and North Texas Monday night, extending west to Weatherford with very light showers at Abilene. The rain was heavy in Collin County and wind storms did considerable damage.

I once knew a man who received a petition bearing 150 names, asking him to run for a city office, and when the election came on he received 37

votes. He could never understand it. Joe Bailey was cheered by thousands of vociferous hearers, but didn't get votes enough to be interesting. He has grounds to extend his favorite epithet to people who thus deceived him.

The stigma of party disloyalty will stick to Bailey with increasing stickiness and the Democrats of Texas will speak in no uncertain terms in the July primaries.

Quite a number of women attended the primary convention here Saturday and added their solid support to the endorsement of Woodrow Wilson and W. P. Hobby.

Eastern Oklahoma was struck by a cyclone last Sunday night. The town of Beggs was swept away. More than fifty people were killed. Seven persons in one family and eleven in another were killed.

The Bailey people had an idea that the people of Texas don't know a good system of politics when they see it, but now they will have a long time to study over changing their opinion.

Texas democrats don't believe in clinging to the rude customs of the fathers, but in going forward along with the march of modern progress. Those venerated fathers had no idea of always traveling in a rut, else they would not have moved out to find new territory and new inventions.

The interest manifested in politics was demonstrated here Tuesday by the large attendance of delegates to the County Convention from all over the County. Several ladies were present and took active part in the proceedings.

The Woodmen here had a great meeting last Saturday night. Their work was informal but they had a bushel of fun and delicious refreshments were served.

Some tenants in Detroit, Michigan, threaten to lynch landlords who persist in raising rents. In Chicago several hundred people got tents and vacated the rented houses and now those landlords are feeling like they have been lynched.

Bailey considers women and preachers as too insignificant to have any part in public affairs and yet he charges that women and preachers defeated him.

The Young People's Temperance Union in San Antonio have decided that since National and state prohibition has been established by law there is no further use for their organization and they voted to disband. The Anti-Saloon League is evidently not built that way. That institution doesn't seem to know when to take out.

Mrs. Boatman Dead
On last Thursday, April 29, Mrs. Alice Minnie, nee Caffey, Boatman, passed away at her home, near Fluvanna, as the result of a case of blood poison. The death came rather suddenly, and was a great shock to the community.

Mrs. Boatman was forty years old last January and the mother of eight living children, five of whom are boys. Mrs. Boatman had been married the second time. Her first husband was T. J. Townsend who passed away several years ago. To this first marriage five children were born, of whom three survive.

Mrs. Townsend having lost her first husband, was later married to Mr. Sam Boatman, Nov. 7, 1909. To this union seven children were born, five of whom survive. Mrs. Boatman also leaves her aged mother, two sisters and five brothers to mourn their loss. Among these are Mr. Caffey of Hermleigh and Mrs. E. A. Boles of Fluvanna.

Mrs. Boatman was a good woman, devoted to her home and her family. She was not a member of any church, this for reasons best known to herself, but she had made profession of faith when she was a young woman, and I am told, has ever since endeavored to live a consistent Christian life.

Our hearts go out in sympathy for all the members of the bereft family and especially for the lonely husband and his eight children—one of whom being a tiny infant. The neighbors should, and doubtless will be, glad to render all the comfort and assistance reasonably possible, to this broken family.

The funeral service was conducted in the presence of a large company

of sympathizing neighbors and friends, at the cemetery, by the writer.

Respectfully submitted,
Jas. H. Tate.

TO MY FRIENDS AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC
I have sold all my stock in the Lubbock Sanitarium Co. to my associates, Drs. Krueger, Overton, Hutchinson & Peebler.

Since I have been in Lubbock I have enjoyed a very large practice and I trust my patients and friends will continue to patronize the Lubbock Sanitarium. It is an institution second to none. I cheerfully recommend Dr. Krueger, who succeeds me in charge of the surgical work, as an able, conscientious surgeon. He has been connected with the institution for about a year.

I thank the people of the great Plains country for their patronage in the past.

Very truly yours,
A. R. Ponton.

Mary Pickford in Polly Anna
Mary Pickford in Polly Anna will be at the Cozy Theatre May 17th and 18th, by the Methodist Ladies' Auxiliary.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Lockhart of Austin have sold their Snyder home to W. C. Popnoe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Harris of Lockrey have been here several days with their daughter, Mrs. Walton, who has been quite sick at her home in the Mount Zion Community.

Harvey Shuler, J. C. Maxwell Jones and Rankin Thompson set out Wednesday to secure full title of taxable property in 8 Independent District to raise money for the schools.

Mr. L. M. Hill of Ira has returned from San Marcos, to be accompanied his daughter, Ma, to place her in the Normal School.

A marriage license was issued today for Mr. John T. Lammer Miss Alfreda Stahl, both of Hermleigh district.

E. J. Ely, merchant of Foch town Tuesday and visited the normal office.

The Snyder Oil Association their drilling contract signed and the drillers have put up the guarantee with the First State & Trust Co., binding themselves start drilling in 60 days.

Be sure to see Mary Pickford in Polly Anna May 17th and 18th Cozy Theatre. Benefit Methodist Ladies' Auxiliary.

Be sure and come to see Mary Pickford in Polly Anna May 17th and 18th in Anna, Methodist Ladies' Auxiliary.

J. S. Farr of Foch was in Snyder Wednesday. He subscribed for the Signal.

Mary Pickford in Polly Anna Cozy Theatre May 17th and 18th Methodist Ladies' Auxiliary.

Ice Cream

to keep you cool. Our cold drinks and home made candies are fine. We have a good line of tobacco, Cigars, cigarettes and chewing gum and the best hamburgers in the world.

Snyder Kandy Kitchen
Cromwell & Taylor, Props.
Two Doors South of Post Office

Refrigerators And Ice Cream Freezers

Hot weather is on and you need an ice cream freezer. You had better buy now for the next shipment will be higher.

New Perfection Oil Cook Stoves. Everything in furniture. Complete line of floor coverings. Everything in hardware.

BLACKARD HARDWARE COMPANY

THAT Shipment of Crockery HAS ARRIVED

This crockery, one of the heaviest stocks ever received in Snyder, was ordered for last fall's business and has just now arrived. Complete assortments are now in stock in the plain white, decorated and the ever-popular gold band pattern. Buy now for immediate and future needs and save money.

Labor conditions at the potteries have greatly advanced the prices in all lines of crockery. This shipment will be sold upon the basis of last fall's prices.

That line of glassware and earthenware including churns, milk jars, etc. also arrived in this shipment.

L. & H. Economy Store

OPEN UP—One dark or brown eye with white spot in forehead, at 14 hands high, branded on left Z and some other mark. On first north of Santa Fe Railroad de- by T. M. Brown. Owner may this mare by coming after her paying for advertising.

The Turner literary society rendered a very interesting program last night. The feature of the evening being a three act play, entitled "A Poor Married Man." The was well rendered and every- went away feeling proud of Turner comedians.

Mr. S. A. Larue is getting the Snyder Steam Laundry in shape and states that they hope to be ready to run by Monday. The people here know Mr. Larue and that he understands the laundry business, and we are apt to appreciate the laundry more than ever before.

People are delighted over the rain. Now, for a big crop. Given rain and work, the Scurry County land will do the rest.

People don't buy things anymore because they are cheap, for there is nothing cheap.

Blackard Hardware Company are ready for hot weather. See what they say this week about refrigerators and ice cream freezers.

J. W. Couch of the big Snyder Garage is overstocked with automobile tires and his ad this week will interest you if you are at all in the market for tires.

It is expected that Homer S. Cummings or Postmaster General Barleson will represent President Wilson at the National Convention. Let us hope that Col. E. M. House will not have the job.

FOR SALE—6 or 8 months old gilt.—D. B. Duncan, Turner place, east of Court House.

FOUND—A large hammer which the owner may get by proving up and paying for this ad. 47

I am tired fixing gates and running after stock, therefore all trespassing on my land is forbidden. Please observe and save trouble.—L. T. Wilson. 47

It is reported that another mad-dog was killed here this week. Dee Robinson admitted that he had killed a dog, but it wasn't mad.

Guy E. Casey was here Thursday and intimated that he has turned his school teaching job at Ira over to Miss Stacy and, he goes back to farming.

George Roe of Camp Springs says that region got only a very light sprinkle of rain Wednesday, but he had heard that there was a tremendous downpour toward Rotan.

Our good old friend M. Mercer, called in Thursday and promptly renewed for the Signal for himself and his son.

Mr. J. W. Berry from out on route 2 said he got a good rain at his place Wednesday.

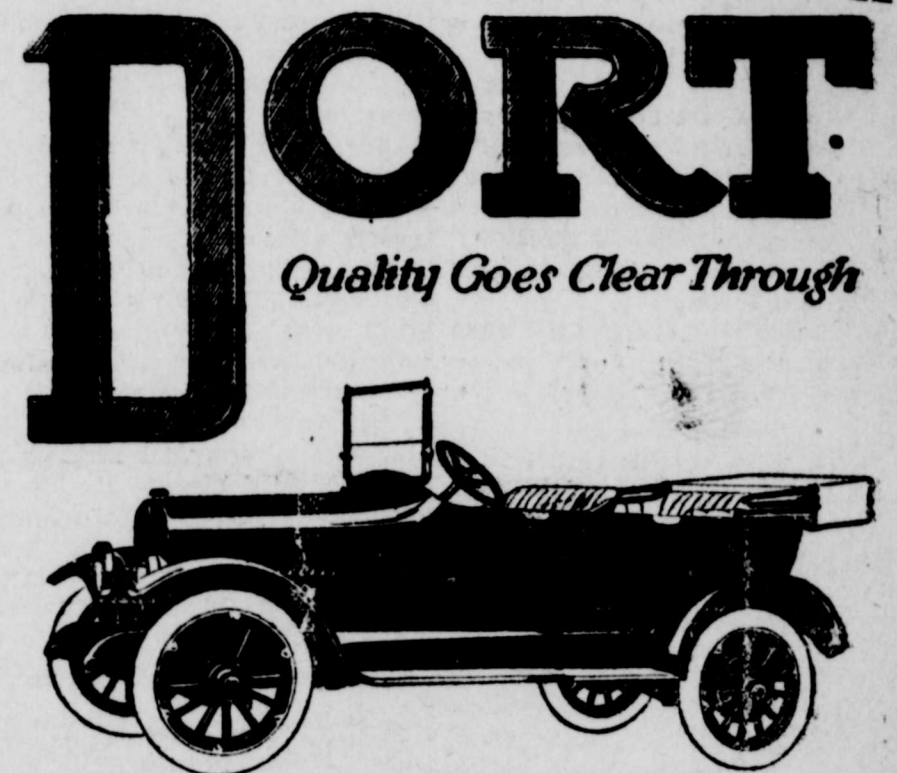
The Delaware State Senate has passed a resolution ratifying the woman suffrage amendment to the federal constitution.

The government levies a war tax cheerfully, everything people buy. This tax is levied against the dealer, but you can bet your life, he doesn't lose it. The consumer pays it.

In 1918 Senator Lodge said we must require a dictated peace with Germany, but the United States and the allies, but now he wants a separate peace along lines suggested by Germany. Lodge is for anything that will oppose President Wilson.

Jack Beall represented the Dallas district in Congress for ten years. As a boy Jack was a wonder to his friends. He could always make a speech, in fact he was a prodigy and he has usually been lucky, but this is one year he guessed wrong.

Let's put Snyder on the map by putting our schools in the lead.



No matter how impressed you may be with your Dort when you purchase it you have a far higher opinion of the car six months or a year later.

It is when you look back over the daily record of its service for a long period that you completely appreciate the value of your investment.

The finest qualities of the Dort reveal themselves only in actual service. It maintains its even performance and riding comfort.

It registers the same high mileage per gallon of gasoline and quart of oil month after month.

It stays "tuned up" and sweet running. That is why the Dort stands so well with its owners.

Gay McGlaun, Dealer
Snyder, Texas

Popular Hits For May

For Sale By H. G. Towle

10-INCH DANCE RECORDS

- BUDDHA-DARDANELLA.** Foxtrot. Columbia Saxophone Sextette. — A2876 10-inch, 85c.
- LIMEHOUSE NIGHTS.** One-step. Columbia Saxophone Sextette.—A2876 10-inch, 85c.
- AH! THERE.** Flirtation Fox-trot. Columbia Orchestra.—A2879 10-inch, 85c.
- JUST ANOTHER KISS.** Waltz Paul Biese Trio. Saxophone Banjo and piano.—A2879, 10-inch, 85c.
- DANCING HONEYMOON.** Fox-trot. Art Hickman's man's Orchestra.—A2880, 10-inch, 85c.
- FEE FI FO FUM.** One-step. Art Hickman's man's Orchestra. Orchestra.—A2880, 10-inch, 85c.
- AFGHANISTAN.** Fox-trot. Prince's Dance Orchestra.—A2883, 10-inch, 85c.
- MOHAMMED.** Fox-trot. Prince's Dance Orchestra.—A2883, 10-inch, 85c.
- VENETIAN MOON.** Fox-trot. Kentucky Serenaders.—A2895, 10-inch, 85c.
- BO-LA-BO.** Egyptian Fox-trot. Ted Lewis' Jazz Band.—A2895, 10-inch, 85c.
- SWANEE.** Al Jolson, comedian.—A2884, 10-inch, 85c.
- MY GAL.** Frank Crumit.—A2884, 10-inch, 85c.
- WHEN MY BABY SMILES.** (Berlin.—Henry Burr.—A2894.
- DADDY, YOU'VE BEEN A MOTHER TO ME.** (Fisher.) Lewis James.—A2894, 10-inch, 85c.
- BERT HAS THE "BLUES"**
- I'M SORRY I AIN'T GOT IT YOU COULD HAVE IT IF I HAD IT BLUES.** Bert Williams, comedian. Orchestra accompaniment.—A2877, 10-inch, 85c.
- CHECKERS (IT'S YOUR MOVE NOW).** Bert Williams, comedian. Orchestra accompaniment.—A2877, 10-inch, 85c.

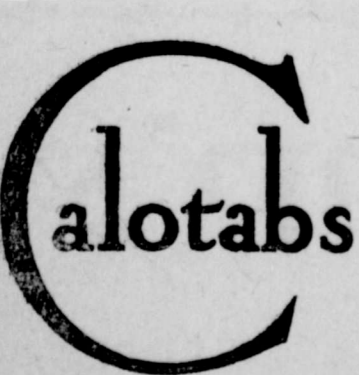
The Martin Sisters Comp'y

Here all Next Week. All Funny, Refined Comedy Plays.

Don't Miss Willie Cheatem Monday Night in "THE SERVANT IN THE HOUSE." Big Tent, May 10, Lots of Good Music and Vaudeville Numbers.

Citation by Publication THE STATE OF TEXAS
 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry County, Greeting:
 You are commanded to summon John M. Akers and Wiley B. Akers by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in 32nd judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 32 to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Scurry County, to be holden at the Court House thereof in Snyder, on the Fourth Monday in May, A. D., 1920, the same being the 24th day of May, A. D., 1920, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 2149, wherein Charles L. Akers is plaintiff and John M. Akers, Wiley B. Akers, Mrs. Mattie D. Akers, Miss Myrtle Akers, Mrs. Junie Akers Crum and her husband, Frederick Crum and Mrs. Willie Akers George and her husband, J. C. George, and Miss Mary Akers are defendants, said petition alleging suit for partition of section 48, block 3, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. surveys in Scurry and Fisher Counties, alleging that Mattie D. Akers owns an undivided one-half and he and each of the other defendants own an undivided one-seventh of one half praying that the same be partitioned and divided and that he have his writ of possession.
 Herein fail not, but have before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed same.
 Witness Nellie Weems, Clerk of the District Court Scurry County.
 Given under my hand and seal of said court, in the City of Snyder, this the 22nd day of April, A. D., 1920.
 NELLIE WEEMS,
 Clerk of the District Court Scurry County, Texas.
 Issued this 22nd day of April, 1920.
 Clerk of District Court Scurry County. 49

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 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry County—Greeting:
 You are hereby commanded, that you summon, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Scurry, for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, J. E. Day, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before me, a Justice of the Peace in and for Precinct No. 1, Scurry County, at a regular term of the Justice's Court for Precinct No. 1, of said County, to be begun and holden at my office in Snyder, Texas, on the 24th day of May A. D. 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., to answer the complaint of Bert Baugh in a cert. in suit pending in which Bert Baugh is plaintiff, and J. E. Gay is defendant.
 Filed on the 8th day of April A. D. 1920, and numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2237, the nature of the plaintiff's demand being in substance suit on account for goods sold for the sum of \$75.00.
 Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said Court at said regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
 Given under my hand, this 23th day of April, A. D. 1920.
 D. F. Wilson,
 Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Scurry County, Texas.

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 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry County—Greeting:
 The next time you buy calomel ask for

 The purified and refined calomel tablets that are nausealess, safe and sure. Medicinal virtues retained and improved. Sold only in sealed packages. Price 35c.

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 Filed on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1920, and numbered on the docket No. 2237, the nature of the plaintiff's demand being in substance suit on account for goods sold for the sum of \$61.35.
 Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said Court at said regular term, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
 Given under my hand, this 23th day of April, A. D. 1920.
 D. F. Wilson,
 Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Scurry County, Texas.

First Baptist Church
 You missed a great opportunity Sunday if you were absent from Sunday School and preaching services. Our Sunday School is growing every Sunday. New pupils are being enrolled in every department. If you are not a member of some Sunday School, come and join us next Sunday and you will be delighted with the fellowship, good teaching and worship.
 The Young Men's Class is growing both in interest and members. They extend you a cordial invitation and a hearty welcome.
 You should see our children's departments. They are full of life and good spirit. Let your child come every Sunday and receive training in these splendid departments.
 Dr. Arnett's messages last Sunday were inspiring. A great congregation greeted him at both hours.
 There will be no preaching services at our church Sunday as the pastor will be in Washington, D. C. attending the Southern Baptist Convention but remember the Sunday School at

Life Was a Misery

Mrs. F. M. Jones, of Palmer, Okla., writes:
 "From the time I entered into womanhood . . . I looked with dread from one month to the next. I suffered with my back and bearing-down pain, until life to me was a misery. I would think I could not endure the pain any longer, and I gradually got worse. . . Nothing seemed to help me until, one day, . . . I decided to

TAKE CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

"I took four bottles," Mrs. Jones goes on to say, "and was not only greatly relieved, but can truthfully say that I have not a pain. . . . It has now been two years since I took Cardui, and I am still in good health. . . . I would advise any woman or girl to use Cardui who is a sufferer from any female trouble."
 If you suffer pain caused from womanly trouble, or if you feel the need of a good strengthening tonic to build up your run-down system, take the advice of Mrs. Jones. Try Cardui. It helped her. We believe it will help you.

All Druggists

9:45. Come enlist in this great work and help us to make it go.
 Ladies Aid Circles will meet Monday afternoon. Be sure to attend one of them. It was a great joy to send the nice box to Buckner's Orphan's Home this week.
 The Ladies' Aid is growing every week. Great interest in every line of their work is being manifested.
 The Missionary meeting will be held May 16, at the home of Mrs. J. P. Morgan, as leader. Remember the date and make your plans to attend. "Pray for all the work."
 W. H. Sims, Pastor.

Notice
 To the people of Snyder and those to whom this message may be a matter of concern.
 We have caught up again with mattress making and are ready for your work. Dont wait. You may be too late. The season for mattress making is getting near the end. Dont wait to be solicited. Bring your work. We will not keep you waiting long for a new mattress.
 D. Pritchard.

For Sale
 Two 100 bbl. corrugated iron tanks, first class condition, practically new. One 500 bbl. tank suitable for water tank. Will make good prices on these tanks if sold at once.
 Snyder Utilities Company.

For Liver Pills



Get Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for Liver Pills. It is the best remedy for all liver troubles, such as indigestion, constipation, and general weakness. It is sold by all druggists.

ASPIRIN FOR HEADACHE

Name "Bayer" is on Genuine Aspirin—say Bayer




Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a "Bayer package," containing proper directions for Headache, Colds, Pain, Neuralgia, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for nineteen years. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Aspirin is trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monacoelester of Salicylicacid.

THREE YEARS WITHOUT HOPE

A Story of Sickness and Suffering with Final Return to Health
 It will do you good to read it

No matter how long nor how much you have suffered, do not give up hope. Do not decide there is no help for you. There is. Make up your mind to get well. You can. There is a remedy in which you may place full reliance as did Mrs. Rozalia Kania of 39 Silver Street, New Britain, Conn. This is what she says: "I had cramps for three years and thought I would never be any better. I could not eat without distress. Slept with my mouth open and could hardly breathe. No medicine helped me. I had catarrh of the stomach. Now I have no cramps and am feeling well and healthy. I wish every suffering person would take PE-RU-NA."
 Catarrh effects the mucous membranes in any organ or part. PE-RU-NA, by regulating the digestion and aiding elimination, sends a rich, pure supply of blood and nourishment to the sick and inflamed membranes and health returns.
 For coughs, colds, catarrh and catarrhal conditions generally, PE-RU-NA is recommended. If you are sick, do not wait and suffer. The sooner you begin using Dr. Hartman's well-known PE-RU-NA, the sooner you may expect to be well and strong and in full possession of your health. A bottle of PE-RU-NA is the finest emergency, ready-to-take remedy to have in the house. It is fourteen ounces of prevention and protection.
 Sold everywhere in tablet or liquid form.



BROWN AND OX-BLOOD SHOE POLISHES

BEST FOR HOME SHINES—SAVE THE LEATHER
 THE BIG VALUE PACKAGES
 Also PASTES and LIQUIDS for Black, Tan and White Shoes
 THE F. F. DALLEY CORPORATIONS LTD., BUFFALO, N. Y.

FOR THE PROTECTION OF READY-TO-WEAR BUYERS

In the future we will not send out any Ready-to-wear garments on approval. This step has become necessary for the protection of our Ready-to-Wear customers, owing to the fact that many garments have been taken out and tried on and by so doing are brought back damaged, also the "approval" custom has been badly abused by garments being taken out and copied into cheaper garments, and we think the people who purchase this class of garments should be protected along this line. You will find ample accommodations and expert help for trying on and fitting the garments in our stores.
 We sincerely trust that our actions will be appreciated by those who patronize our Ready-to-Wear Departments.

CHICHESTERS PILLS

DIAMOND BRAND
 Beware of Counterfeits. Refuse all Substitutes.



LADIES! Ask your Druggist for CHICHESTERS DIAMOND BRAND PILLS in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. TAKE NO OTHER. Buy of your Druggist and ask for CHICHESTERS DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for twenty-five years regarded as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE WORTH TRYING

HOW'S YOUR BLOOD? Pimples and Eruptions Mean Bad Blood

People who have impure or impoverished blood should be careful to take only a temperance remedy made of wild roots and barks, such as Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is and has been for nearly 50 years. Ingredients printed on wrapper.
 The first day you start to take this reliable medicine, impure germs and accumulations begin to separate in the blood and are then expelled through the eliminative organs.
 In pace of the impurities, the arteries and veins gradually get fresh vitalized blood and the action of this good blood on the skin means that pimples, boils, carbuncles, eczema, rash, acne and many skin blemishes will disappear. Then you must remember that when the blood is right, the liver, stomach, bowels and kidneys become healthy, active and vigorous and you will have no more trouble with indigestion, backache, headache.
 Get Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery to-day at any medicine dealers, in tablet or liquid form, or send 10c. for trial package to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.
 SAN ANGELO, TEXAS.—"Dr. Pierce's proprietary medicines have been entirely satisfactory to me in the truest sense of the word. I consider them as being very high-class remedies and the safest that I know of on the market. Myself and family have used them as a tonic after La Grippe, with good results. During the last score of years when we needed a tonic we have used the 'Golden Medical Discovery' always with satisfactory results, also the 'Pleasant Pellets.' My thanks to Dr. Pierce prompts me to write my truthful sentiments." — O. R. WILSON, 302 Koberlin Street.

Higginbotham Bros. & Co.
 Caton Dodson Dry Goods Co.
 J. H. Sears & Co.
 T. C. Watkins.
 E. E. Batthews.
 Economy Store.

Notice
 We cannot deliver ice to the residence part of the city unless you get your order in by 10 a. m. in less than 300 lbs. blocks.
 48 Snyder Utilities Company.

LIFT OFF CORNS!

Apply few drops then lift sore, touchy corns off with fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magic!
 A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation.
 Freezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful.

ANNOUNCING

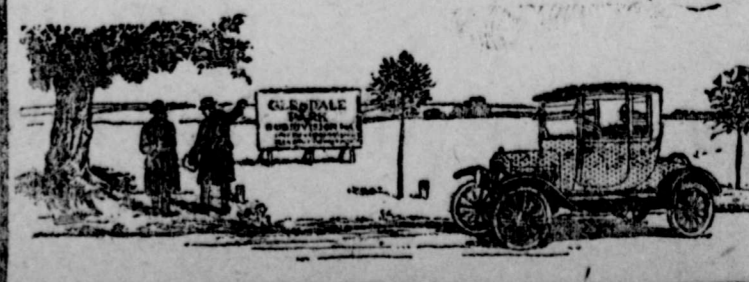
Arrival of our car of Rock Island Planters, Sled Cultivators. Our car of Wiggle-tail Cultivators will be in town in next few days. Don't fail to see us about your Pekin wagon. Will be near R. S. & P. depot.
 Also Have Harness and Repair Shop.

D. P. Strayhorn
 Snyder, Texas

Ford
 THE UNIVERSAL CAR

The Ford Coupe, with electric self starting and lighting system, has a big, broad seat deeply upholstered. Sliding plate glass windows so that the breeze can sweep right through the open car. Or in case of a storm, the Coupe becomes a closed car, snug, rain-proof and dust-proof. Has all the Ford economies in operation and maintenance. A car that lasts and serves satisfactorily as long as it lasts. Demountable rims with 3 1/2-inch tires all around. For the doctor and travelling salesman it is the ideal car.


Joe Strayhorn
 Agent



For a Weak Stomach
 As a general rule all you need do is to adopt a diet suited to age and occupation and keep bowels regular. When you feel you have eaten too much and are constipated, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets.

CASTORIA
 For Infants and Children
 In Use For Over 30 Years
 Always bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

HORSES & MARES



I have bought out the interest of Mr. Clark. All stock has arrived and well broke. See them at the Nunn barn, east of S. J. Casstevens Store.

H. A. M'LEAN
 Snyder, Texas
 Buy and sell all kinds of mules.

IT HAS BEEN OUR GOOD FORTUNE TO PRESENT IN SNYDER FOR THE FIRST TIME THE FAMOUS

Hudson Supersix

DURING ITS DOZEN YEARS IN THE FINE CAR FIELD THE SUPERSIX HAS CAPTURED AND HELD ALL THE WORTH WHILE SPEED, ENDURANCE AND HILL-CLIMBING RECORDS UNTIL TODAY IT STANDS ALONE AS THE MASTER CAR—A CAR TO WORK WONDERS WITH.

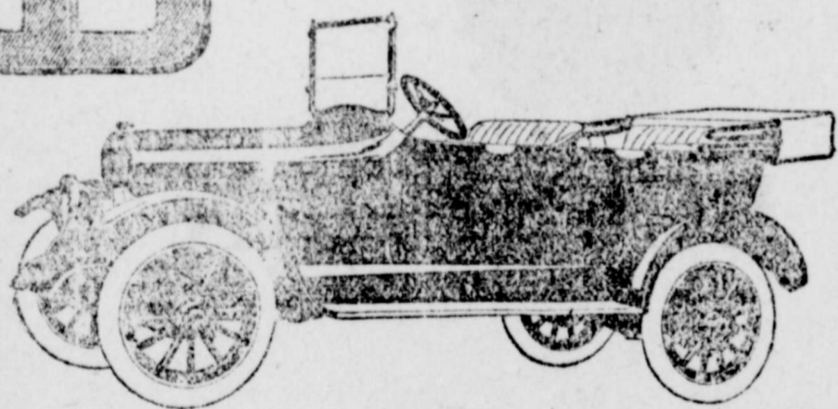
WE HAVE INDEED BEEN FORTUNATE TO SECURE A CARLOAD OF THESE MUCH SOUGHT AFTER CARS AT THIS TIME WHEN THE SHORTAGE IS GETTING MORE ACUTE EVERY DAY WITH NO HOPE OF RELIEF IN SIGHT.

THESE CARS WILL BE RECEIVED WITHIN A FEW DAYS AND WE TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO GIVE THOSE INTERESTED A CHANCE TO PLACE ORDERS THAT WILL PROTECT THEM AGAINST THE CONSTANTLY RISING PRICES.

Aviation Garage

DORT

Quality Goes Clear Through



No matter how impressed you may be with your DORT when you purchase it you have a far higher opinion of the car six months or a year later.

It is when you look back over the daily record of its service for a long period that you completely appreciate the value of your investment.

The finest qualities of the DORT reveal themselves only in actual service. It maintains its even performance and riding comfort.

It registers the same high mileage per gallon of gasoline and quart of oil month after month.

It stays "tuned up" and sweet running. That is why the DORT stands so well with its owners.

Gay McGlaun, Snyder Texas

Some time ago the children of the late Rev. D. H. Burt presented to Rev. L. S. Knight, their fathers gold headed cane. The two old ministers were associated in their labors for many years and were very close friends.

Bro. Knight appreciates the gift to him of his friend's cane and expresses his feelings in the following article:

An Appreciation

Very often in the lives of men there come occasions of great joy and appreciation, but many of these occasions are greater than others; especially is this true in the life of the preacher. These words are in expression of a very great appreciation made possible by Mrs. Abbott daughter of my esteemed brother and co-laborer, Rev. D. H. Burt, who some months ago fell on sleep, and her children, also Dan Burt, Mrs. Della Brewer and Mrs. J. R. G. Burt. All who knew Bro. Burt know that his last years were years of physical weakness and suffering; and during these years it was necessary for him to lean on his staff, a beautiful gold-headed one, and of no mean intrinsic value.

Recently this staff has been given me by Mrs. Abbott and her children, and these words are in expression of the gratitude of my heart for this gift so greatly prized. I prize it, not so much for its intrinsic value, but for the precious memory of him who so many times leaned upon it himself. Then, too, I prize it because it comes to me at a time when I specially need it, for, like its former owner, I have come to days of physical weakness, and need its support. Bro. Burt can never need it again, but it still serves its useful purpose, and upon it I am glad to lean.

I appreciate it more than I can say because of the pleasant association and fellowship which it was mine to have with Bro. Burt for so many years. I appreciate it also because of the spirit in which it was given, and I shall ever prize it among the highest of my earthly goods.

May heaven's richest blessings rest upon the precious memory of the one who laid it aside, and upon those who so kindly gave it to me.

L. S. Knight.

Produce Sorghum

Washington, D. C., May 10.—As a simple, practical means of helping relieve the acute sugar and sirup shortage, the United States Department of Agriculture recommends the increased production of sorghum sirup which, it is pointed out, requires neither unusual skill nor expensive equipment to make. Furthermore, the methods of growing sorghum are similar to those of corn and in that respect involve little that is new to many farmers. Sirup manufactured is so simple that it can be carried on with profit by individuals utilizing small sized outfits of a daily capacity of 100 gallons or less. Where operations on a larger scale are feasible, community plants having a capacity of several hundred gallons are suggested by the department.

Cotton Seed

Good planting seed for sale at \$1.25 per bushel.—Farmers Union Gin Co. 48

The Signal learns that Dr. J. T. Whitmore is expected to return soon from Arkansas where he is now practicing medicine. Also that Grady Whitmore will soon be home from the State University. He gets the B. A. degree there this year.

The Mexican revolutionists have proclaimed a provisional government with headquarters at Sonora. They propose to invite foreigners to come in and develop the country and will hasten to get American recognition as a nation. Sure a better day for Mexico is near at hand.

The banks in Snyder, Hermleigh, and Fluvanna show over a million and a half on deposit.

A little paint artistically applied adds to the good looks of a house.

Cotton Seed

Good planting seed for sale at \$1.25 per bushel.—Farmers Union Gin Co. 48

We have some real bargains in farms and city property now but prices are going up. Morrow Realty Co., in the Record building.

Rev. and Mrs. A. R. Tyson of Albany came over the latter part of last week to visit their daughter, Mrs. Rob. Strayhorn and Bro. Tyson left Sunday for Washington City to attend the Southern Baptist Convention.

Sanitarium Fees

Reports have been persistently circulated the past few weeks that the Lubbock Sanitarium has raised its rates.

The facts are that our rates have not been changed since last September. Our rates today are the same as they have been for eight months. This rate is six dollars per day which includes room, board and usual nursing.

The fees for operations are just the same as they have been since the institution was built and are the usual fees charged every where for such work.

Our many satisfied patrons all over the country will testify to the above facts.

Lubbock Sanitarium

FOR SALE—Good milk cow. See Gay McGlaun. 49

FOR SALE—Brand new adding and accounting machine, \$40.00. Phone 178. 48

FOR SALE—One car choice 3 and 4 year old steers, all dehorned and in excellent shape. See or call Rufus Solomon, Cuthbert, Texas. 48p

FOR SALE—Two Poland China sows four pigs and one male. All registered stuff.—R. V. Ramsour, Snyder Texas. 49

FOR SALE—Two good fresh milk cows with heifer calves. Also good yearling mule.—W. W. Early, Snyder, Texas. 48p

FOR SALE—Early picked pure Mebane cotton seed for sale at \$1.50 a bushel.—S. F. Kelly, one block north four blocks east of Court House. 48p

Cotton Seed

Good planting seed for sale at \$1.25 per bushel.—Farmers Union Gin Co. 48

Pure bred Percheron stallion, black 5-year old, weight 1400 lbs., height 16 hands. CALVIN will make the season of 1920 at Dr. Palmer's place near Dunn, Terms \$10. 48 pd J. C. Freeman.

Notice

We cannot deliver ice to the residence part of the city unless you get your order in by 10 a. m. in less than 300 lbs. blocks. 48 Snyder Utilities Company.

Big lot of army shoes for sale cheap at the Court House Shoe Shop. 49

You'll like Pollyanna. See her at the Cozy Monday and Tuesday.

Just arrived, a car of our famous Peace Maker flour. Try one sack.—Farmers Mer. Co. 49

If you want to sell your property and have it priced reasonably list it with Morrow Realty Co., at Record office.

Mr. and Mrs. Lit Chapman went to Roby Tuesday to join the funeral party to bury their grandfather at Roscoe. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Chapman went to Roscoe Tuesday evening to be at the funeral on Wednesday.

My name is R. L. Terry. I have not had to pay a fine for gambling. I am devoting my time to my little produce business and not to a crap game. Highest prices paid for your chickens and eggs.—R. L. Terry.

The people who subscribe for news papers do so to get the news and the Signal tells it.

The Methodist ladies have gone to heavy expense to bring Pollyanna to us at the Cozy, but they will give you a show worth the price and expect to get back the expense money and then have a considerable benefit fund. Get your tickets now.

See Pollyanna at the Cozy May 17 and 18. Benefit Methodist Ladies Auxiliary.

The Methodist Ladies Auxiliary will give you high class entertainment in Pollyanna at the Cozy May 17 and 18. Don't miss it.

Mary Pickford presents Pollyanna at the Cozy Monday and Tuesday, benefit Missionary Auxiliary.

The Christian Ladies' Aid met Monday in the home of Mrs. J. Monroe. After the regular work of sewing for the Orphans home a delicious course was served to a large number and a social hour was enjoyed by all.

For a home in town or a farm in the best country in the west see Morrow Realty Co.

J. B. Weaver and family have moved back from Camp Springs and directed their Signal to be put in general delivery.

R. B. Robinson sold his residence formerly owned by C. R. Lockhart to G. W. Cox, who travels for Franks Leather Co., San Antonio. Mr. Cox has already moved to this place.

Just received a new shipment Victrolas and Records.—H. G. Tom

Are you ready for the oil to flow? Have you a lease in the promising territory? Play safe. Morrow Realty Co. can sell you a lease cheap now.

Mexican people and soldiers line up with one faction till another gets in the lead and then they transfer allegiance. It is more noticeable there than here, but Mexicans have no monopoly on running to the band wagon.

Robert Lee Kimbrough and father were in town Wednesday and paid the Signal a visit. They report a fine rain on Ennis.

Mr. W. W. Ingram is here from San Marcos and renews for the Signal. He reports lost of rain in that country. He is going to work her a while before going back south.

H. A. Goodwin has just returned from a surveying trip of the Signal in Borden and Garza Counties reports good rains in all where he had been.

Mr. Frank Fritz of Lockport, N. York came in Wednesday and is giving a line on the oil outlook in this region.

REMOV!

Sheeting, worth \$1.25, now... 88c
 Domestic, good as gold, worth 40,
 now 35c
 Gingham and Percale, worth 40
 now 35c
 White Cambric, worth 50, now 44c
 Mattress Tick, worth 35, now... 31c
 Mattress Tick, worth 30, now... 26c
 Feather Tick, worth 75, now... 65c
 Cotton Checks or Plaids 25, 30, and
 35, now 22c, 26c, 31c
 40 in. pillow tubing worth 60 now 52
 Ladies' Unions, worth \$1.25, —
 now \$1.10
 Ladies' Unions, worth \$1.00
 now 88c
 Ladies' Vests, worth 60, now... 52c
 Ladies' Vests, worth 75, now... 65c
 Eden Cloth, worth 50, clean up 38c
 Caater Flannel, worth 50, clean
 up 44c
 Children's and Ladies' Hose, 25 and
 30c seller, at 22c

35 and 40 at 32, 45 and 50 at 42,
 60 and 65 at 55, and \$1.25 at 88. All
 others in proportion.
 Corsets, \$2.50 and \$2.75 value,
 now \$2.25
 \$3.25, \$3.50 and \$3.75 values
 now \$3.00
 Corsets, 4.00 and \$4.50, now... \$3.75
 Corsets, 5.00, now \$4.25
 Corsets, \$6.00, now \$5.28
 Corsets, \$7.00 and 7.50, now... \$6.50
 Chevoits (shrt goods) 40 and 45
 now 35c, 40c
 Middy Blouse and Dress and all
 ready to wear 20 per cent off
 Ladies' Hats 25 per cent off
 Cretons, 35, 40, 45, 50, 60,
 now 30, 35, 40, 45, 55c
 Drapery 40, 50, 60, 75, \$1.50
 now 35, 40, 50, 60, \$1.15
 Georgette Crepes... \$8.50 for \$3.00
 Crepe De Chine... \$3.75 for \$3.25
 Crepe De Chine... \$4.00 for \$3.25

Silk Jersey \$6.00 for \$5.00
 Foulard Silks \$5.00 for \$4.25
 Messaline and Taffeta Silk
 \$4.50 for \$4.00
 Mesaline and Taffeta Silk
 \$3.50 & \$3.25 for \$3 & \$2.85
 Silk Shirting, \$4.50 now... \$3.85
 Georgette Waist \$7.50 and \$8.00
 now \$6.75
 Georgette Waist \$10.00 now... \$8.75
 Georgette Waist \$12.00, now \$10.25
 Men's Shirts, \$2.75 and \$3.00
 now \$2.40
 Men's Shirts \$3.50 now \$3.00
 Men's Shirts \$4.50, now... \$3.95
 Men's Shirts \$10.00 now... \$9.75
 Men's Shirts \$12.00 now... \$10.95
 Men's Shirts \$15.00 now... \$12.95
 Men's Hose 25c now 19c
 Men's Hats \$4.50, \$5.00 now \$4.00
 Men's Hats \$6.50, \$7 now... \$5.75
 Men's Hats \$8, \$9 now... \$7.50
 Men Ties, \$1.00 now 85c

Men's Ties \$1.50 now \$1.25
 Men's Ties \$2.00 now \$1.75
 Men's Ties \$3.00 now \$1.75
 Men's Suits, \$18 and \$20 now \$17.50
 Men's Suits \$25, \$27.50 now \$22.50
 Men's Suits \$37.50, \$38.50
 now \$34.50
 Men's Suits \$40, \$42.50 now \$36.00
 Men's Suits \$45 now \$40.00
 Men's Suits \$50, \$55, now... \$45.00
 Men's Suits \$60, \$65 now... \$55.00
 Men's Pants \$3.00, \$3.50 now \$2.75
 Men's Pants \$4.00, \$4.50 now \$3.75
 Men's Pants \$6.00, \$6.50 now \$5.25
 Men's Pants \$8.00, \$8.50 now \$7.25
 Men's Pants \$9.00, \$10 now \$8.50
 Men's Pants \$12.50, \$13 now \$11.75
 Men's Overalls and Jumper \$3.00
 now \$2.70
 Men's and Ladies, Boy's and Girl's,
 Misses Shoes... 10 per cent off
 Low Quarters 15 per cent off
 Boy's Striped Overalls 25c

THIS IS NO HIRED SALESMAN TO FOOL OUR FRIENDS INTO FICTICIOUS PRICES. WE WANT OUR STOCK DOWN SO WE WONT HAVE SO MUCH TO MOVE. YOU MAY ASK ANY DRYGOODSMAN AND HE WILL TELL YOU THAT OUR PRICES ON MANY ARTICLES ARE BELOW WHOLESALE PRICES. THIS IS A CASH SALE. WE NEED THE MONEY TO MEET OUR OBLIGATIONS WHICH IS ONE REASON OF SALE. WE GUARANTEE A REDUCTION ON EVERYTHING IN OUR STOCK.

8 MORE DAYS -- Sale Ends Saturday, May 22, 1920 -- 8 MORE DAYS

CATON-DODSON DRY GOODS COMPANY

An American Norway
 Edward T. Meredith is secretary of agriculture. He is one of the most successful of American publishers and is the owner of a chain of agricultural newspapers.

He says the forests of Alaska offer a way out of the paper shortage; that the national forests of the territory contain 106,000,000 cords suitable for the manufacture of newsprint and other grades of paper; that under careful management these forests can produce annually 2,000,000 cords of pulp wood for all time, or enough to manufacture one-third of the pulp products now consumed in the United States.

Alaska is destined to become a second Norway. With her enormous forests of rapidly growing species suitable for pulp, her waterpower and her tidewater shipment of manufactured products he predicts Alaska will become one of the principal paper sources of the United States.

This is his verdict: "A substantial development of the paper industry in this wonderful region, combined with the intelligent reforestation of pulp lands in the older regions, should settle forever the question of paper shortage in the United States."

And William H. Seward, secretary of state in the cabinet of Lincoln, only paid \$7,000,000 for Alaska. It goes without saying that the tallow-dippers of his age denounced the purchase and christened it "Seward's folly."—Fort Worth Record.

Card of Thanks

To our dear friends who so kindly assisted us in the sickness and death of our daughter and sister, and for the beautiful floral offerings, we take this means of thanking you. May God bless you all.

Mr. E. E. Merchant and family,
 Mrs. Irene Cruickshank,
 Mrs. John Crawford.

Note From Lee Boren

Lee Boren writes from Fresno, California, to renew for the Signal Dallas News, and "We are all and doing fine. Crops of all very good, including water cantaloupes, and spring as. I note from Associated Press reports that Joe Baile was relegated to the Republican party by the Democrats. We are going to help the Republicans down Hiram Johnson here tomorrow by voting for Hoover delegates."

A. & M. Commencement

College Station, Texas, May 10.—The forty-fourth annual commencement exercises of the Agricultural Mechanical College of Texas will be held this month beginning May 22 and continuing through May 25th. The commencement exercises this year will serve in the nature of a homecoming for graduates and former students of the College and hundreds of these "old-timers" are expected to return to see their younger brothers of the class of 1920 graduate.

The classes of 1880, 1890, 1900 and 1910 will hold reunions. In addition hundreds of the younger graduates of the College who were in France at the last commencement will be back to witness the exercises.

The program for the three days' celebration will consist of a large number of military exercises and drills. Dr. H. A. Boaz, President of the Southern Methodist University will preach the Baccalaureate sermon on Sunday morning. Col. George Bailey, editor of the Houston Post will speak to the undergraduates on Sunday night. The commencement address Tuesday morning, May 25th will be delivered by Edwin Markham, banker-poet of New York City, who wrote the poem, "The man with the Hoe." L. J. Hart of San Antonio, President of the Board of Directors, will present the diplomas to the graduating class.

Ample provisions for taking care of visitors are being made by the Commandant of the College, one of the larger dormitories being set aside for that purpose.

Notice

To parties who have automobiles in my garage known as the City Garage, left there by Frank Aucutt. You will be charged three dollars per month on each car from May 1st. Please come and get them, as I may need the space.—W. W. Nelson. 48

Garner Hill, Gladstone, N. J., Sells Rat-Snap, He Says

"I sell and use RAT-SNAP. Like to look any man in the face and tell it's the best. It's good." People like RAT-SNAP because it "does" kill rats. Petrifies carcasses—leaves no smell. Cats or dogs won't touch it. Three sizes, 25c, 50, \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by W. G. Ralston.

TEXAS MAY HAVE TWENTY-TWO CONGRESSMEN

Unless there is to be a readjustment of Congressional representation the 1920 census will make possible the addition of sixty nine members of Congress. Texas will be entitled to 22 instead of 18 members in the National house of Representatives.

The prospective increase of 69 members, as a result of the present census is calculated by states as follows: Alabama, 2; Arkansas 2; California 4; Colorado 1; Connecticut 1; Florida 1; Georgia 2; Illinois 3; Indiana 1; Kansas 1; Louisiana 1; Maryland 1; Massachusetts 2; Michigan 2; Minnesota 1; Mississippi 2; New Jersey 3; New Mexico 1; New York 8; North Carolina 2; North Dakota 1; Ohio 3; Oklahoma 4; Oregon 1; Pennsylvania 6; Tennessee 1; Texas 4; Virginia 1; Washington 3; West Virginia 1, and Wisconsin 1.

For Sale

Good high grade cream separator only used short while, bought before the rise and can sell cheap.—W. W. Nelson. 51

Smaller Papers—Higher Rates

McAlester, Okla.—May 8.—Resolutions were passed by the State Editorial Association in the last day of its convention here today urging publishers to economize in paper and to raise advertising rates, condemning independent newspaper manufacturers for hoarding stores of newsprint in order to keep up the price, favoring legislation to regulate the number of pages in metropolitan dailies on Sundays, recommending that Congress appropriate interest from United States foreign loans to ex-service men's benefits and recommending proposed legislation in Congress for abolishing the zone system law.

John Brown, who with Mr. Dale Barton recently established the bottling works and ice cream factory, in the Wilmeth block, has sold his interest in the business to Homer Jenkins. Messrs Barton and Jenkins are turning out delicious refreshments for the people and deserve liberal patronage.

Mr. L. Leach of Westbrook was meeting old friends in Snyder last Saturday.



THE BUCKHORN



We have a lot of the season's most up-to-date suits for young men. Snappy styles. Just the suit that puts you in the class with the best dresser. We also have a lot of regular, conservative styles in serges and worsteds.

Popular Prices, \$32.50 to \$55.00

We still have the reputation of being experts with the tape line.

Wear made-to-measure clothes.—

ED V. PRICE—UNIVERSAL—INTERNATIONAL

We have a complete line of work clothes at right prices.

A dandy good work shoe \$4.95
 Good Heavy Overalls or Jumper \$2.50

Exclusive Gents Furnishers

The Snyder Signal
HARDY & CURRY, Publishers.

Subscription \$1.50 per year in Adv.

Entered in the postoffice at Snyder, Texas, as second class mailmatter.

Oil advertising 25c per inch for display space and 10c a line for readers. Cash must accompany all orders.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- For District Attorney 32nd Judicial District: I. E. HILL of Nolan County.
- For District Clerk—Mrs. Nellie Weems (re-election)
- For County Treasurer: MISS IDA KELLY. T. J. (TOM) MANNING
- For County Judge: HORACE HOLLEY.
- For Tax Collector: JOHN G. DAVIS. T. A. (JOE) MERRITT. T. CONDRA. C. T. (Charlie) WILLIAMS.
- For Tax Assessor: G. H. LEATH—Re-election.
- For County Clerk: MRS. H. H. COTTEN. B. A. (Bonnie) HULL.
- For County Superintendent: O. L. HOWELL (Re-Election). A. W. Turner. Miss Nealy Squyres
- For Sheriff: J. H. BYRD (Re-Election).
- For County Surveyor: H. A. GOODWIN—Re-election.
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2: J. F. Dowdy. J. G. Landrum.
- For Co. Commissioner, Prec. No. 1—Com Ezell
- For Justice of the Peace, Prec. No. 2: J. F. Dowdy. J. G. Landrum.
- For Public Weigher: O. I. (Butch) McCLINTON. W. D. HOOPER (Re-election)

CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS.

- For City Marshal: O. P. WOLFE, (Re-election).



ber we're the doctors. If something that ails the steering gears we out all about it in a remedy the trouble at. Appoint us as your family physician and we will keep it in speedy robust health.

Mrs. F. L. Hutcheson will present her pupils, Miss Nelle Higgins and Miss Lois Sears in graduating recital at the Cozy theatre Friday, May 14, 1920, 7 P. M. These young ladies will be assisted on the piano by Mrs. W. M. Morrow. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Jim Ferguson says: "When I first announced for Governor of Texas a lot of folks thought I didn't have much chance, but you know what happened." Certainly we all know what happened, and but for the acts of the impeachment court the stain would have remained on Texas for all time to come.

W. P. Sebastian, chairman of Jimson's American Party says are going to repeal the Terrell law when they win in the election next fall.

Wraymon Sims and Marie Palmer have returned from the interscholastic meet at Austin.

The Grayum Drug Company has purchased a new set of fixtures for their store. These fixtures will begin to be installed within the next 30 days and after some three months they expect to have a complete set of the most up-to-date drug fixtures made, in the very latest type and so arranged and constructed that service will not be impaired in the least.

TEN MONTHS OF WORK VS. TEN MINUTES OF HAIL

It takes ten months of work and care to raise a crop. It takes ten minutes of hail storm to utterly destroy the result of this season's work.

BOREN & ERWIN.

Man's Duty

While in health and strength make provision for your loved ones when you pass over. Do not leave them on the cold charity of the world. Life insurance is the safe plan. We represent the best old line company in the world. These policies cost very little more than the fraternal insurance.

Come in and let us explain what we have to offer.

BOREN & ERWIN.

Fire Insurance

This has been an unrepresented year for disastrous fires. Let us insure your property in one of the best insurance companies in the world.

BOREN & ERWIN.

Hail and Wind-storm

We write all kinds of hail, tornado and windstorm insurance.

BOREN & ERWIN.

Abstracts and Legal Work

We complete abstracts of title to your land and draw all kinds of legal instruments.

BOREN & ERWIN.

Farm Insurance

We will insure your farm home barns, feed, live stock, etc. at a low rate, considering the protections offered. Our companies pay losses promptly. Let us cite you to some of the cases where we have paid claims.

BOREN & ERWIN.

Caton-Dodson are telling more this week about their removal sale.

Buckhorn Tailors are using a quarter page to tell about popular and up-to-date clothing at popular prices.

J. L. Abbott has returned from Breckenridge where he has been working.

Higginbotham Bros. & Co. have a lot to say to you this week about overalls and economy. See their half page ad.

The Grayum Drug Company have a page this week that tells an interesting story of success, and how to make one cent equal to one dollar. This drug store is a progressive institution and they stand four square for "Rexall."

Harvest hands in Oklahoma will get six dollars a day.

The state will seek the death penalty against wealthy ranchman James Callan of Menard accused of murder of Victor Billings. The trial is under way at Llano.

E. E. Adamson, a merchant at Mexia, was thrown from his wagon in a run away and was killed.

The shallow field at Sipe Springs has been extended eight miles to the west.

Santa Anna has a 100-barrel oil well.

Wall street is said to be warning dealers in textiles to prepare for a panic. It is well enough for people to always stand prepared, but maybe Wall Street can't bring on a panic at will, like it used to do.

While we wait for the coming of oil, we will take advantage of the good rains and proceed to raise big crops of cotton and feed stuff. These will bridge us over till the wells come in which will be some of these days in the near future.

Just Slavia has given up Fische to Italy.

Senator McCumber, Republican says peace made with Germany and France Hungary, as now proposed by Frenchmen in the Senat would cover this matter in shame.

"Larchard" Harvey has confessed to murdering nine wives. He was tried at Los Angeles on one charge and given a life term in the penitentiary. Pity he didn't have nine lives, so that he could have been hanged that many times. This is said without any reflection on the cat tribe.

Notice

After the close of school I will teach a summer class of expression and physical education.

Mrs. F. L. Hutcheson.

Rev. J. E. Cabaness of Katy is here this week and is with Bro. Ditto in the meeting at Ira. They are having a good meeting there. Will continue over Sunday and the people are going to have dinner at the church and an all day service. They expect to close the meeting Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hendrycks have sold their home in West Snyder to Sim Dabbs. Wesley says they are now just camping around.

Mrs. R. G. Davenport is visiting in Fort Worth.

Last week you probably noticed that the dealer's name to the Beaver Board ad was left off and were wondering, no doubt who sold the Beaver Board. This week you will notice the dealer's name, O. L. Wilkison Lumber Co.

Messrs Brown & Stimson of the popular Chocolate Shop, have just installed a new refrigerator show case in which to keep their candies and other delicious sweets always cool and fresh.

Ollie Morrow reports the sale of the S. M. Ditto home in East Snyder to Otto McElyea.

Oliver McElyea is off duty this week presumably visiting his wife's people.

Trinity river at Dallas has been on the highest rampage ever known. Vernon Walton, a messenger boy, 16 years old, was drowned there Tuesday.

Mrs. Edwin Bruce Barnes presents her pupil, Lucille Strayhorn, in graduation recital, assisted by Mrs. R. G. Davenport, soloist, Snyder, Texas, Methodist Church, Tuesday, May the eighteenth, nineteen hundred and twenty.

Roland Irving spent Sunday in Snyder. He is station agent at El Paso for the Cotton Belt Railroad.

President Wilson is absolutely correct in substance in his statement concerning the attitude the Democratic party should take regarding the peace treaty. However, the great majority of Texas Democrats would be glad to have another clause added to the league of nations covenant, where in it should be provided that nothing in the covenant or actions of the league of nation shall interfere with congress in the exercise of all the inherent rights vouchsafed to it by the constitution of the United States. With this simple addition America will commit national suicide in following any course than that of acceptance and ratification. — State Chairman M. H. Wolfe. Texas Democrats returned their verdict on May day. They follow the flag. Woodrow Wilson is carrying the flag. — Fort Worth Record.

Mr. Jack Purdon left a few days ago for Sweetwater to take a Santa Fe express run between Sweetwater and Amarillo and Earl Grantham has been appointed express agent at Snyder.

Dr. J. B. Gambrel was re-elected president of the Southern Baptist Convention in Washington.

Dispatches from Vera Cruz say Carranza is fighting his way to the coast. Other reports have him captured, dead, and other predicaments.

Leading Germans admit that Germany is whipped but they hope the allies will give them opportunity to live and work and pay off their war debt. Some of their leaders owe debts to humanity and civilization that can never be paid in money.

Underwood is far in the lead for United States Senator in Alabama.

Severe storms visited the Eastern part of the State Tuesday and Wednesday. One man was killed at Paris. The strong east wind here Thursday was probably our part of the storm.

Mary Pickford in Polly Anna
Mary Pickford in Polly Anna will be at the Cozy Theatre May 17th and 18th, by the Methodist Ladies' Auxiliary. 48

Emma Goldman is homesick over in Russia. She found all sorts of things to kick about when she was in United States. She preached sedition till she had to be deported. She is now up against the real thing in Russia and thinks America a very decent people. Here's hoping they keep her there.

Capt. Pack Wolf said Wednesday he had mobilized two or three planters and was starting in for his 1920 cotton crop.

Be sure to see Mary Pickford in Polly Anna May 17th and 18th at the Cozy Theatre. Benefit Methodist Ladies' Auxiliary. 48

George Richardson said Tuesday that he would now proceed to plod in on his crop of feed and cotton.

Mr. A. J. Langford of Dallas, representing the Ford Motor Co., was doing Snyder Wednesday.

Mary Pickford in Polly Anna at Cozy Theatre May 17th and 18th, Methodist Ladies' Auxiliary. 48

William Dean Howells, the well known novelist, died Sunday at his home in New York. He was 84 years of age.

TO MY FRIENDS AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC

I have sold all my stock in the Lubbock Sanitarium Co. to my associates, Drs. Krueger, Overton, Hutchinson & Peebler.

Since I have been in Lubbock I have enjoyed a very large practice and I trust my patients and friends will continue to patronize the Lubbock Sanitarium. It is an institution second to none. I cheerfully recommend Dr. Krueger, who succeeds me in charge of the surgical work, as an able, conscientious surgeon. He has been connected with the institution for about a year.

I thank the people of the great Plains country for their patronage in the past.

Very truly yours,
A. R. Ponton.

Army Shoes

I have in stock plenty of second hand army shoes.—E. F. Walker Shoe Shop. 48pd

Letter from Jim Ellis

Port Worth, Texas, May 12, 1920. Editor Snyder Signal, Snyder, Texas. Dear Mr. Hardy:

I am enclosing you my check for \$2.00 to renew my subscription to your paper. I failed to get my paper last week, and thought perhaps my time had run out. I don't know whether this is the correct amount or not, but if this is not enough please notify me, and if there is any change left you and my friend Bell, can buy a Coco Cola with it.

I see where you had a nice rain in your country for which I am very glad, for you people. I think Scurry County is the best country in the world when it rains, and also think it has the best people in the United States whether it rains or not.

I want to compliment you and your paper on the stand you took against the noted Joe Bailey. I know personally a good many of his strong supporters here who say they are through with a man who can't run any faster race than he did. So I don't think there is any danger of him being governor of this state.

Thanking you in advance for your promptness in sending me the paper, I beg to remain,

Your old time friend,
J. M. Ellis.

What's On at the Cozy

Today:

Vivian Martin in "Louisiana"

Story of Frances Hodgson Burnett. A Paramount Picture. Picture at 8 P. M. From 7 to 8 will be Devoted to a Recital by Misses Sears and Higgins.

Saturday: "As a Man Thinks" by Leah Baird

A High-Powered Modern-Day Drama Based on the Absorbing Topic of the "Double Standard" of Morality.

Monday and Tuesday: "Polly Anna" by Mary Pickford

Auspices Woman's Missionary Auxiliary. Matinee Each Day at 3 P. M.

Wednesday: "Fighting Vigilantes" by Vera Mack in a

A Two-Reel Drama—Western—Fox Sunshine Comedy, and 7th Episode Lightning Bryce.

Thursday: Norma Talmadge in "The Forbidden City."

The Chocolate Shop

THE DISPENSARY OF SWEETS IS ALWAYS IN STOCK OF HIGH GRADE CHOCOLATES. FANCY BULK CHOCOLATE CANDIES AND KING'S BOX CHOCOLATES FOR AMERICAN QUEENS. THE FRONT NOW. WE CARRY AN ELEGANT NEW REFRIGERATOR SHOW CASE JUST NOW INSTALLED. SPEND YOUR LEISURE TIME AT OUR PLACE

The Chocolate Shop
NORTH SIDE SQUARE

Bailey Was Big Issue

The friends of Mr. Bailey want to insist that the recent defeat of their champion was an issue of the administration and it was. The big question was to endorse the administration but yet Mr. Bailey must realize that he went down with the ship.

He had injected his personality into the campaign to an extent that a vote for endorsement of the administration was a direct rebuke to Bailey. If he insists on still being a candidate for Governor the people will keep in mind he was the head and front of the recent campaign.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Harles are here from Mertzon to visit relatives and friends and round up business affairs and C. C. has to make a report on his fishing activities.

S. A. Duckett was here last Saturday from Tulla. He and his brother, W. P. Duckett, formerly our telephone man, are in the produce business at Tulla and are doing well.

Mr. J. O. A. Clark of Huckabee is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. John H. Hicks.

Cotton Seed
Plenty of good Mebane Cotton Seed, \$2.00 per bushel. Will appreciate your telling your friends when you write them, about these seed.
O. L. Jones, Snyder, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lindsey of Lamesa came over in their car to see their uncle, J. A. West, last Thursday.

A Parker was here Wednesday from west of Hermleigh and reports fine rains.

Born in Snyder, April 28, to J. W. Sharp and wife, a boy.

A. C. Alexander is at Rhone this week on business.

Ice at all times at the Bottling Works. Get a quart of cream at the same time.

Mrs. Jud McCarty has returned from visiting her mother at Comanche.

John Johnston has gone to Lubbock. Get your ice at the Bottling Works, 1st door south of Postoffice. Also ice cream.

Porter King has retired from the barber service and is helping Guy Paxton in the automobile business.

Get your ice at the Bottling Works, 1st door south of Postoffice. Also ice cream.

Just watch stuff grow.

Synopsis of "POLLYANNA"

The story of a little girl, who, by making it her religion to be always glad, gradually brought home to those among whom she lived, the fact that the spirit of gladness is the best philosophy in the world. Pollyanna Whittier's first ten years of life were spent in a rude home in the Ozark Mountains where her parents had gone in search of health. Her mother did not live long however, and Pollyanna was raised by her semi-invalid father, whose resources were very limited, but whose love for her was boundless. From him the child absorbed the characteristics of "gladness," and learned to temper the hardships and sorrows of life with what they called "The Glad Game."

When Pollyanna was ten years of age, Mr. Whittier followed his wife to the Great Beyond, and the little orphan then went to live with her mother's sister, Polly Harrington, in the New England village of Beldingsville.

Now Aunt Polly was a very determined sort of person who had never married—the 'twas said she had nearly married Dr. Chilton years before. However, she had pulled her hair back severely, set her mouth in an uncompromising line, made herself a power in the local Ladies' Aid and preached long and positively her detestation of flies and muddy feet.

Poor Pollyanna was unfortunate enough to reach her new home in a drenching rain storm, and when Nancy, the housemaid, ushered her into Aunt Polly's presence, the heart hungry, lonely little girl threw herself—streaming clothes, muddy shoes and all—on the silk bosom of Aunt Polly.

Consequently, Pollyanna's impression on her relative, was not of the best, and from then on, strive as she would to please, every effort seemed to bear the wrong sort of fruit.

She tried to persuade the Ladies' Aid to adopt a stray orphan boy whom she had discovered, but they firmly believed more credit would be theirs if they continued to fill missionary barrels with useful and useless articles—so Jimmy Bean, the orphan, for the time being was left almost homeless. "Almost"—because Pollyanna sneaked him into the basement to sleep on a pile of

old sacks. In her overtures to Nancy, Old Tom, the gardener, and to all the villagers Pollyanna was infinitely more successful than with her austere Aunt. She taught them to play "The Glad Game," and they all loved her for it.

Even crabbed old Mr. Pendleton, the town's rich man, opened his heart to Pollyanna when he recognized her as the daughter of the woman he had loved in his youth.

The climax of the child's efforts to reach Aunt Polly's heart came the night of Aunt Polly's birthday. Aunt Polly spent the day in one of her annual trips to the nearby town, and Pollyanna prepared to receive her with a surprise party, attended by the entire population of Beldingsville—little and big, black and white.

Upon her arrival, Aunt Polly although properly surprised, failed to appreciate the honor done her, and proceeded to chase everyone out of the house.

As a climax to all this wild excitement Pollyanna received a good sound spanking from Aunt Polly.

Oftimes it seems a catastrophe is required to bring about the greatest good—and so it was for little Pollyanna. She tried to save a child from the wheels of Pendleton's auto, only to be run down herself. Although she escaped with her life, the lower portion of her body became totally paralyzed and as a result of this misfortune it seemed she would never be able to walk again.

Aunt Polly, her eyes fully opened by this catastrophe, was now very, very sorry for the way she had treated her little niece. Aunt Polly was kindness itself, for the full meaning of the "Glad Game" had been brought home to her with compelling force.

Although the specialist Aunt Polly had called in held out no hope for the child, Pollyanna insisted that Dr. Chilton could help her. Finally

Aunt Polly's awakened love for her little niece overcame her pride, and she allowed the physician who years before had been her sweetheart, to attend Pollyanna.

And Pollyanna's faith was justified. One day in spring, after months of treatment, the villagers crowded around the gate while inside Aunt Polly, Nancy, Old Tom, Dr. Chilton, Mr. Pendleton and Jimmie, (who by the way had been adopted by Pendleton as a surprise for Pollyanna) anxiously watched Pollyanna's first attempt to walk without crutches. Her muscles were weak and trembling, but her confidence was supreme and she managed to go the length of the room before falling into Aunt Polly's arms. This proved to the satisfaction of all that Pollyanna would walk again.

The spirit of gladness came back to the household of Aunt Polly, and as time went on and Pollyanna became stronger, the romance which had been shattered in the days of long ago between Aunt Polly and Dr. Chilton again burst into flame. In the end they decided to make up for the years they had lost through their foolish estrangement. And Pollyanna and Jimmie picked up their happy childhood again, determined

to play the "glad game" for the rest of their lives—together.

Notice by Publication in Probate

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published (in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been published continuously and regularly for a period of not less than one year in your County) at least one week for 5 consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, copies of the following notice.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To all persons interested in the estate of A. B. Stiles, deceased.

William B. Stiles filed an application in the County Court of Scurry County on the 14th day of March, 1920, for the probate of will of A. B. Stiles, deceased, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 12th day of July, 1920, at the Court House of said County, in Snyder, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Snyder, Texas, this 15th day of April, 1920.

W. M. CURRY, Clerk County Court, Scurry County, Texas.

By Ada Riley, Deputy

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"You Can't Expect Beaver Board Results Unless This Trade-mark is on the Back of the Board You Buy"

Look for it. Be sure this mark is on the back of every panel of wall board you buy.

All wall board is not Beaver Board. Like other product it is imitated, and while some of the imitations may look like Beaver Board they can never act like Beaver Board.

To be sure of lasting wall and ceiling satisfaction look for the Beaver Board trademark on the back of every panel of wallboard you buy.

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NEW FORD One Ton Truck for Sale or Trade SEE SAME AT SNYDER GARAGE

Better Than Pills For Liver Ills.

You can't feel so good but what **NR** will make you feel better.

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BEST FOR HOME SHINES—SAVE THE LEATHER THE BIG VALUE PACKAGES

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Willard STORAGE BATTERY

We now have in a good stock of batteries and would be pleased to have you call around and see them.

THE R. M. DAY COMPANY

115 North Scarborough, Snyder, Texas

N. C. LETCHER Dentist Office in Williams' Building Snyder, Texas.

ASPIRIN FOR COLDS Name "Bayer" is on Genuine Aspirin—say Bayer



Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a "Bayer package," containing proper directions for Colds, Pain, Headache, Neuralgia, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin proscribed by physicians for nineteen years. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Aspirin is trade mark of Bayer Manufacturers of Monoacetic-acidester of Salicylic acid.

Strong Women BY DR. VALENTINE MOTT.



Women and men too—are just as strong and healthy as their blood. Vigor and health come with good blood. Without good red blood a woman has a weak heart and poor nerves. In the spring is the best time to take stock of one's condition. If the blood is thin and watery, face pale or pimply, if one is tired and listless, generally weak, a Spring Tonic should be taken. An old-fashioned herbal remedy that was used by nearly everybody 50 years ago is still safe and sane because it contains no alcohol or narcotic. It is made of roots and herbs and called Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. If druggists do not keep it in tablet form, send 60 cents for a vial to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y.

"Roll Your Own"

THERE HE STANDS!

GRAND old "Bull" Durham. He belongs in this country's Hall of Fame. Can you think of a more familiar figure? For over half a century Bull has been part of the landscape; the tobacco he represents has made millions and millions of friends.

You can roll fifty-thirty cigarettes from one bag.

GENUINE "BULL" DURHAM TOBACCO

10c

Guaranteed by The American Tobacco Co.

With RIZIA paper you can roll the best "Bull" Durham cigarettes.

RIZIA

No. 307
Official statement of the financial condition of the
FIRST STATE BANK & TRUST CO.
Snyder, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 4th day of May, 1920, published in the Snyder Signal, a newspaper printed and published at Snyder, State of Texas, on the 4th day of May, 1920.

Resources	
Personal and discounts	\$239,792.44
Real estate	6,500.00
Overdrafts	1,880.11
Bonds and stocks	3,750.00
Real estate (bkg. house)	15,600.00
Other Real Estate	130.00
Furniture and Fixtures	3,600.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net	102,550.21
Cash Items	6,341.55
Currency	3,400.00
Specie	3,461.80
Interest and Assessment Depositors' Gty Fund	3,583.32
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange	None
Other Resources:	
Stock Federal Reserve Bank	2,250.00
TOTAL	\$392,839.43
Liabilities	
Capital Stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	25,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	12,412.30
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check net	14,316.75
Individual deposits, subject to check	282,799.78
Time certificate of Deposit	8,310.60
Demand certificates of Deposit	None
Cashier's Checks	None
Bills Payable and Rediscounts	None
Certificates of Deposit issued for money borrowed	None
Bonds Deposited	None
Other Liabilities	None
TOTAL	\$392,839.43

STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Scurry.
We, P. Brady, as president, and J. C. Stinson, as cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
P. Brady, President.
J. C. Stinson, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of May, A. D. 1920.
E. J. Anderson,
Notary public in and for Scurry County, Texas.
CORRECT—ATTEST:
H. P. Wellborn,
P. M. Bolin,
Dixie Smith,
Directors.

SPECIAL SATURDAY AND MONDAY

DRIED BEANS	
Pintos, per lb.	\$.09
Pinks, per lb.	.10
Large Navies, per lb.	.10
Small Navies, per lb.	.10
Limas, per lb.	.17 1/2
Blackeyed Peas, per lb.	.10
Bulk Rice, per lb.	.17 1/2 c
SYRUP	
Dunbar	\$1.30
Country Made	1.75
10 lbs. Marigold Jelly	\$1.10
10 lbs. Dixie Jelly	1.35
10 lbs. Apple Butter	1.35
Faultless Starch	8 1-3c
1 lb. Arm & Hammer Soda	8 1-3c
No. 2 Tubs	\$1.50
Wash Board	.50

WATCH FOR OUR SPECIAL NEXT WEEK

WARE & ARE

Southeast Corner Square

Jim Ferguson, 16 strong out of a possible but improbable 34 lieutenants convened in Fort Worth the other day to plan his national campaign.
Senator Buchanan and Representative Rosser will leave for the special session of the Legislature next Wednesday. Indications are that the session will hold for 30 days.

Commissioners' Court
Scurry County, Texas, May Term, A. D. 1920.
In the matter of the Quarterly Report of D. E. Banks, County Treasurer of Scurry County, Texas, and the affidavits of the Commissioners of said County.
We, The Undersigned, Commissioners of Scurry County, Texas, and W. S. Adamson, County Judge of said County, constituting the Commissioners' Court of said County, and each one of us, and do hereby certify upon our oaths that on this the 11th day of May, A. D. 1920, at a regular term of our said Court we have compared and examined the quarterly report of D. E. Banks, Treasurer of Scurry County, Texas, for the quarter beginning on the 1st day of February, A. D. 1920, and ending on the 30th day of April, A. D. 1920, and upon finding same correct, have caused an order to be entered upon the minutes of the Commissioners' Court of Scurry county, stating the approval of said Treasurer's Report by said Court, which said order recites separately the amount received and paid out of each fund by said County Treasurer since his last report to this Court, and during the time covered by this report, and the balance remaining in each fund on the said 30th day of April, A. D. 1920, and have ordered the proper credits to be made in the accounts of said Treasurer, in accordance with said order, as required by Article 867, Chapter 2, Title XXV, of the Revised Statutes of Texas, as amended by an act of the Twenty-Fifth Legislature of Texas at its regular session.
And we, and each of us, further certify upon our oaths that we have actually and fully inspected and counted the amount of money, in cash and other assets, in the hands of said Treasurer, belonging to Scurry County on this day and date, and found the same to be as follows, to-wit: Total cash on hand, belonging to Scurry County in the hands of said Treasurer, on deposit in Snyder National Bank of Snyder, Texas, \$153,782.05.
Assets in addition to the above amount of money, as actually and fully counted by us in possession of said County Treasurer:
V. Bond \$1,000, Liberty Bonds \$1,500, No. 1 \$130, No. 6 \$200, No. 6 \$500, No. 4 \$1,500, No. 12 \$600, No. 23 \$300, No. 22 \$900, City Warrants \$500, Ira \$2500 in Court House fund, total \$14,500.00; Jail fund W. S. \$600, Dunn \$1800, No. 24 \$1200, No. 2 \$1100, L. B. \$400, total \$5100; R. & B. Sinking fund No. 15 \$1400, City Warrants \$120, Liberty Bonds \$800, total \$2320.00, Grand total, money and assets, \$175,702.05.
Witness our hands this 11th day of May A. D. 1920.
W. S. Adamson,
County Judge.

D. F. Wilson,
Commissioner Precinct No. 1.
J. F. Dowdy,
Commissioner precinct No. 2.
J. M. Cuthbertson,
Commissioner Precinct No. 3.
J. L. Patterson,
Commissioner Precinct No. 4.
Sworn and subscribed to before me, by W. S. Adamson, County Judge, and D. F. Wilson and J. F. Dowdy and J. M. Cuthbertson and J. L. Patterson, County Commissioners of said Scurry County, each respectively, on this the 12th day of May A. D. 1920.
(L. S.) W. M. Curry,
Clerk, County Court, Scurry County, Texas.

Commencement Sermon
At the Methodist church next Sunday, May 16, at 11:00 A. M.
Senior play at Opera House May 20 at 8:00 P. M.
Graduating exercises at Methodist church May 21st at 8:00 P. M.
Report cards of all schools delivered May 21 at 2:00 P. M. at Central Building.
Certificates of Promotion to High School delivered at Central Building May 21 at 3:00 P. M.
S. L. Rives.

A district judge in Chicago sent a man up for life for stealing diamonds to feed his family. A California court imposed a life term sentence on a man who murdered nine wives.
Luther Nichols, Bailey's campaign manager, has filed suit for libel session will hold for 30 days. He also asks for \$150,000 for damage to character.
Commissioners' Court was in session this week. Allowed current bills, approved report of Board of Equalization and set May 27 to hear from notified tax payers regarding adjustment of values.

Of course the navy really did not need any defence by Secretary Daniels, because every American who keeps his eyes open knows that the United States navy did remarkably well in the war. but the fact remains that Mr. Daniels has successfully punctured the bubble blown by Admiral Sims. Considering the provocation, the secretary has kept his temper well in hand and reveals the work of the navy in acalm, dispassionate way that carries conviction. Admiral Sims is getting just what he has coming to him, for his uncalculated attack on the navy's war-time achievements would have been inexcusable even for a civilian, much less a high officer of the navy. Whatever motive the admiral had for his attack, the secretary has completely destroyed every criticism directed by the admiral at the navy. As the secretary said, the fact that no American soldier lost his life while his ship was convoyed by American vessels is sufficient answer for all the adverse criticism which has been leveled at the navy's war-time efficiency.
The legislature of New York has enacted a law to provide punishment of a person guilty of furnishing news papers with false information. The same way for a newspaper to use a doubtful statement is to say who said it.
The Abilene Reporter has found satisfying proof that President Wilson's position as to the Senate peace resolution is correct. Senator Reed of Missouri disagrees with the President.
L. N. Periman says he doesn't object to basket ball but he thinks the players should wear clothes when they play.
"What strengthens the United States strengthens Mexico; what weakens the United States weakens Mexico. My idea for relations between Mexico and the United States is to make the international border like the Canadian boundary."—Gen. Alvaro Obregon.
Mrs. E. E. Matthews returned Wednesday from visiting her mother in San Antonio.
The school garden has up to now yielded \$30 worth of onions.

ECZEMA!
Money back without question if HUNT'S fails in the treatment of ECZEMA, RINGWORM, TETTER or other itching skin diseases. Try a 75 cent box at our risk.
Grayson Drug Company

Strong Women
BY DR. VALENTINE MOTT.

Women and men too are just as strong and healthy as their blood. Vigor and health come with good blood. Without good red blood a woman has a weak heart and poor nerves.
In the spring is the best time to take stock of one's condition. If the blood is thin and watery, face pale or pimply, if one is tired and listless, generally weak, a Spring Tonic should be taken. An old-fashioned herbal remedy that was used by nearly everybody 50 years ago is still safe and sane because it contains no alcohol or narcotic. It is made of roots and herbs and called Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. If druggists do not keep it in tablet form, send 60 cents for a vial to Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y.

GENERAL BLACKSMITHING & HORSESHOEING
LOCATED NEXT DOOR NORTH OF BON FIRCE
WILL APPRECIATE YOUR BUSINESS
E. W. DITTO

Free Ticket To The Show

ON SATURDAY, MAY 15th AND ON MONDAY, MAY 17th, I AM GOING TO GIVE ONE HALF TICKET FOR EACH \$5.00 PURCHASE AND ONE TICKET FOR EACH \$10.00 PURCHASE OF GOODS AT MY STORE. THE SHOW IS

Polly Anna

BY MARY PICKFORD
AT THE COZY THEATRE MAY 17th AND 18th, PUT ON BY THE METHODIST LADIES' AUXILIARY. THIS OFFER IS TO CASH AND CREDIT CUSTOMERS ALIKE.
GOOD FOR NIGHT OR MONDAY EVENING MATINEE.
FRESH GOODS, COURTEOUS TREATMENT, ALWAYS STRIVING TO PLEASE.

J. E. Ketner

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Free Ticket To Polly Anna

We are going to give a ticket free to Polly Anna with every \$5 purchase at our store next Saturday. These tickets are good for matinee or night performance on any day that it is shown here. All you have to do is to purchase \$5 worth of goods at the regular prices and the ticket is yours free of charge. No, we have not marked the goods up for this occasion. So you have all to gain and nothing to lose as you get the best clothes that can be had for your money, and a free ticket to one of the best shows on the road. Child's ticket for \$2.50 purchase.

Matthews, THE QUALITY SHOP

Citation by Publication

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry County, Greeting:

You are commanded to summon John M. Akers and Wiley B. Akers by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in 32nd judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 32 to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Scurry County, to be holden at the Court House thereof in Snyder, on the Fourth Monday in May, A. D. 1920, the same being the 24th day of May, A. D. 1920, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 2149, wherein Charles L. Akers is plaintiff and John M. Akers, Wiley B. Akers, Mrs. Mattie D. Akers, Miss Myrtle Akers, Mrs. Junie Akers Crum and her husband, Frederick Crum and Mrs. Willie Akers George and her husband, J. C. George, and Miss Mary Akers are defendants, said petition alleging suit for partition of section 48, block 3, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. surveys in Scurry and Fisher Counties, alleging that Mattie D. Akers owns an undivided one-half and he and each of the other defendants own an undivided one-seventh of one half prating that the same be partitioned and divided and that he have his writ of possession.

Herein fail not, but have before said court on the said first day of next term thereof, this writ, with return thereon, showing how have executed same.

Witness Nellie Weems, Clerk of the District Court Scurry County.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, in the City of Snyder, this the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1920.

NELLIE WEEMS.

Clerk of the District Court Scurry County, Texas.

Issued this 22nd day of April, 1920.

Clerk of District Court Scurry County.

Citation by Publication

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded, that you summon, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Scurry, for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, J. E. Day, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before me, a Justice of the Peace in and for Precinct No. 1, Scurry County, at a regular term of the Justice's Court for Precinct No. 1, of said County, to be begun and holden at my office in Snyder, Texas, on the 24th day of May, A. D. 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., to answer the complaint of Bert Baugh in a certain suit pending in which Bert Baugh is plaintiff, and J. E. Day is defendant.

Filed on the 8th day of April A. D. 1920, and numbered on the docket of said Court No. 2237, the nature of the plaintiff's demand being in substance suit on account for goods sold for the sum of \$75.00.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said Court at said regular term (this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand, this 28th day of April, A. D. 1920.

D. F. Wilson.

Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Scurry County, Texas.

"We Picked Up Seven Large Dead Rats First Morning Using Rat-Snap"

So writes Mr. B. E. Carpenter, Wodbridge, N. J. "We lost 18 salmon chicks one night, killed by rats or hung some RAT-SNAP and picked up 7 large dead rats next morning and in 2 weeks didn't see a single rat. RAT-SNAP is good and sure." Comes in cake ready for use. Three sizes, 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold and guaranteed by W. G. Ralston.

The Ennis Creek region got a pouring rain last Friday and for Lee Kimbrough was happy. I. Dav's said he doesn't know when he ever saw so hard a rain.

Dye Uid, Faded Dress Material

"Diamond Dyes" Make Shabby Apparel Stylish and New—So Easy Too.

Don't worry about perfect results. Use "Diamond Dyes," guaranteed to give a new, rich, fadeless color to any fabric, whether wool, silk, linen, cotton or mixed goods—dresses, blouses, stockings, skirts, children's coats, draperies, everything!

A Direction Book is in package. To match any material, have dealer show you "Diamond Dye," Color Card.

Citation by Publication

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded that you summon, by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Scurry, for four weeks previous to the return day hereof, J. E. Gay, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before me, a Justice of the Peace in and for Precinct No. 1, Scurry County, at a regular term of the Justice's Court, for Precinct No. 1, of said County, to be begun and holden at my office in Snyder, Texas, on the 24th day of May, A. D. 1920, at ten o'clock A. M., to answer the complaint of J. W. Couch in a certain suit therein pending, in which J. W. Couch is plaintiff, and J. E. Gay is defendant.

Filed on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1920, and numbered on the docket No. 2237, the nature of the plaintiff's demand being in substance suit on account for goods sold for the sum of \$61.35.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said Court at said regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand, this 28th day of April, A. D. 1920.

D. F. Wilson.

Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Scurry County, Texas.

No. 205

Official Statement of the Financial condition of the

FIRST STATE BANK

at Hermleigh, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 4th day of May, 1920, published in the Snyder Signal, a newspaper printed and published at Snyder, State of Texas, on the 14th day of May, 1920.

Resources

Loans and discounts, personal or collateral	\$ 87,411.50
Overdrafts	2,330.40
Bonds and Stocks:	
W. S. S. & Libby Bnds	266.80
Real estate (bkg house)	2,500.00
Furniture & Fixtures	1,500.00
Due from approved reserve agts, net	59,001.07
Cash items	4,692.44
Currency	13,260.00
Specie	397.30
Int. and Assmts. Depositors City fund	1,437.82
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange	6,933.47
Other Resources:	
Suspense Account	187.45
TOTAL	\$179,918.25

Liabilities

Capital stock paid in	\$ 12,500.00
Surplus fund	5,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	4,645.80
Individual deposits, subject to check	157,772.45
Bills payable & redists.	None
TOTAL	\$179,918.25

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Scurry.

We, B. Y. Rea, vice-president, and W. Gentry, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

B. Y. Rea, vice-president.

W. Gentry, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of May, A. D. 1920.

W. A. Louder, J. P. Ex-officio Notary Public Scurry County, Texas.

CORRECT—ATTEST:

J. J. Billingsley.

P. Brady.

W. O. Stevens. Directors.

1917 Buick Six Roadster, good running shape, \$600.00. Phone 178. 48

INVENTIVE GENIUS

ROBS CALOMEL OF NAUSEA AND DANGER

Doctors' Favorite Medicine Now Purified and Refined from All Objectionable Effects. "Calotabs"—the New Name.

What will human ingenuity do next? Smokeless powder, wireless telegraphy, horseless carriages, colorless iodine, tasteless quinine—now comes nausealess calomel. The new improvement called "Calotabs" is now on sale at drugstores.

For biliousness, constipation and indigestion the new calomel tablet is a practically perfect remedy, as evidenced by the fact that the manufacturers have authorized all druggists to refund the price if the customer is not "perfectly delighted" with Calotabs. One tablet at bedtime with a swallow of water—that's all. No taste, no nausea, no griping, no salts. By morning your liver is thoroughly cleansed and you are feeling fine, with a hearty appetite. Eat what you please—no danger—go about your business.

Calotabs are not sold in bulk. Get an original package, sealed. Price, thirty-five cents.—(adv.)

Financial Report Chicken Show

To the Scurry County Poultry Association.

I submit the following report for your consideration so as you may know just where every dollar went and what it was spent for.

Cash collected	\$137.00
Cash premiums paid	80.50
Ribbons	5.00
Printing Ribbons	3.00
Stationery	.50

Total disbursements \$ 89.00

Total cash balance \$ 48.00

Deposited with the First State Bank and Trust Co., of Snyder. Now

I don't hesitate to say the show was a success in every respect, considering the short time we had to work it up and wethank each and every individual that contributed their money also those who furnished exhibits for it takes all of these things to make the show a success.

Now let all lovers of poultry, pigs, colts and calves turn their eyes to a fall show and let's put old Scurry on the map along these lines. I favor employing a licensed poultry judge to come here and judge the poultry for us. If this is done I will start now with a bid of twelve dollars and fifty cents for the best trio of Brown Leghorns exhibited in this fall show. A word about the organization. As this association was organized with about a dozen charter members and they placed the responsible job of secretary and treasurer on myself to which I have tried to perform the duties to the best of my ability but if the organization can select some one that is better qualified for the place that could make the organization greater success I would gladly submit and serve in any capacity they think I am qualified to fill.

Respectfully submitted, J. A. Merritt. Secretary-Treasurer.

FOR THE PROTECTION OF READY-TO-WEAR BUYERS

In the future we will not send out any Ready-to-wear garments on approval. This step has become necessary for the protection of our Ready-to-Wear customers, owing to the fact that many garments have been taken out and tried on and by so doing are brought back damaged, also the "approval" custom has been badly abused by garments being taken out and copied into cheaper garments, and we think the people who purchase this class of garments should be protected along this line. You will find ample accommodations and expert help for trying on and fitting the garments in our stores.

We sincerely trust that our actions will be appreciated by those who patronize our Ready-to-Wear Department.

Higginbotham Bros. & Co. Caton Dodson Dry Goods Co. J. H. Sears & Co. T. C. Watkins. H. E. Batthwa. Economy Store.

Notice We cannot deliver ice to the residence part of the city unless you get your order in by 10 a. m. in less than 300 lbs. blocks.

48 Snyder Utilities Company.

Subscribe for the Signal.

Do Your Best Everyone should do all he can to provide for his family and in order to do this he must keep his physical system in the best condition possible. No one can reasonably hope to do much when he is half sick a good share of the time. If you are constipated, bilious or troubled with indigestion get a package of Chamberlain's Tablets and follow the plain printed directions, and you will soon be feeling alright and able to do a day's work.

CHICHESTERS PILLS

DIAMOND BRAND

Beware of Counterfeits. Refuse all Substitutes.

LADIES! Ask your Druggist for CHICHESTERS DIAMOND BRAND PILLS in RED and GOLD metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. TAKE NO OTHER. Buy of your Druggist and ask for CHICHESTERS DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for twenty-five years regarded as Best, Safest, Always Reliable.

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MONEY WE WARN YOU MONEY

AT PRESENT WE CAN GET YOU CHEAP MONEY ON LARGE RANCH LOANS.

IN 90 DAYS INTEREST RATES WILL PROBABLY BE 10 PER CENT.

IN SIX MONTHS FROM NOW YOU WON'T BE ABLE TO GET A RANCH LOAN.

WE HAVE SOME OF THE VERY BEST COMPANIES—LOW RATES AND GOOD TERMS.

ACT QUICK! DO IT NOW!!

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A. J. Towle

Yes they started even but at six weeks the Purina Chicken Chowder fed chick weighed twice as much as the one raised on grain feed alone. Why?—because Purina Chicken Chowder supplies the nutrients largely lacking in grain feeds—protein for blood, feathers and flesh, and mineral salts for bones. Your State Experiment Station will verify this. But you don't have to take anybody's word for it when you can buy Purina Chicken Chowder under an iron-bound guarantee of—

They started even

Double Development or Money Back

Vigorous growth now, means eggs next winter—slow growing chicks mean winter loafers. When you get your bag of Purina Chicken Chowder ask for the simple feeding directions and guarantee.

PURINA CHICK FEED

PURINA CHICKEN CHOWDER

IN CHECKERBOARD BAGS

Henderson Bros.

DEALERS IN

ALL KINDS OF PLANTING SEEDS, COTTON SEED, CORN, MELON, SUDAN, ETC.

SNYDER, TEXAS

FOR A Weak Stomach

As a general rule all you need to do is to adopt a diet suited to your age and occupation and keep your bowels regular. When you feel that you have eaten too much and when constipated, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets.

Notice We cannot deliver ice to the residence part of the city unless you get your order in by 10 a. m. in less than 300 lbs. blocks.

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LIFT CORNS OR CALLUSES OFF

Doesn't hurt! Lift any corn or callus off with fingers

Don't suffer! A tiny bottle of Frezono costs but a few cents at any drug store. Apply a few drps on the corns, calluses and "hard skin" on bottom of feet, then lift them off.

When Frezono removes corns from the toes or calluses from the bottom of feet, the skin beneath is left pink and healthy and never sore, tender or irritated.

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HORSES & MARES

I have bought out the interest of Mr. Clark. All stock have arrived and well broke. See them at the Nunn barn, back of S. J. Castevan's Store.

H. A. M'LEAN

Snyder, Texas

Buy and sell all kinds of mules.

ANNOUNCING

Arrival of our car of Rock Island Planters, Sled Cultivators. Our car of Wiggle-tail Cultivators will be in town in next few days. Don't fail to see us about your Pekin wagon. Will be near R. S. & P. depot.

Also Have Harness and Repair Shop.

D. P. Strayhorn

Snyder, Texas

Ford

THE UNIVERSAL CAR

The Ford Coupe, with electric self starting and lighting system, has a big, broad seat deeply upholstered. Sliding plate glass windows so that the breeze can sweep right through the open car. Or in case of a storm, the Coupe becomes a closed car, snug, rain-proof and dust-proof. Has all the Ford economies in operation and maintenance. A car that lasts and serves satisfactorily as long as it lasts. Demountable rims with 3 1/2-inch tires all around. For the doctor and travelling salesman it is the ideal car.

Joe Strayhorn Agent

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