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Man Is Killed By Lightning Last Saturday

W. W. Boss, a popular young man of Denmark was killed by lightning late Saturday afternoon while pumping oil from a tank on his oil truck. No one was present when Mr. Boss was killed and his body and the lifeless body of his dog were not discovered until several hours later.

It is supposed that Mr. Boss was pumping the oil from the tank on his truck when struck by the lightning bolt. The top of his head was badly bruised and there were burned places on his body. His dog was lying near his master's side, the animal having been killed by the same bolt.

Young Boss was well known in Snyder and had many friends here who will regret to learn of his untimely death.

DR. I. J. SPARKS CLOSING HIS WORK HERE.

Dr. I. J. Sparks is closing his work as pastor of the First Christian church in the nature of a series of meetings. The last of the series will be held at the noon hour Sunday. The subject of Dr. Sparks' discourse Thursday night will be, "Millions Now Living Are Already Dead." Everybody is cordially invited to hear this lecture which Dr. Sparks has given throughout preparation.

It is with much regret on the part of the many friends of Dr. Sparks and family that they are to leave Snyder. For three and one-half years he has served the Christian congregation as pastor, and although during that time he has also given considerable time to the practice of medicine, he has greatly increased the membership of the church and the church building has been enlarged and otherwise improved.

This excellent family will leave Monday, March 29, for Albany, Texas, to which place Dr. Sparks goes to serve the Christian congregation as their pastor. This is a larger congregation than the congregation at Snyder, thereby affording a better field for the doctor's work, as it is his intention to give his entire time to his church duties.

Dr. Sparks is a successful physician, a good preacher and pastor and a high-grade Christian gentleman. He and his most excellent family belong to that class of the very best element in any town or community should be proud. The Times-Signal, therefore, commends them to the good people of Albany with the full assurance that they need feel no hesitancy whatever in endeavoring themselves to their fullest measure, but on the other hand, it trusts that they will accord them the excellent treatment which they so richly deserve.

I. C. BAGWELL ELECTED FOR TWO YEARS.

At a recent meeting of the school board, I. C. Bagwell was elected superintendent of the Snyder independent schools for a period of two years. One of his school under Prof. Bagwell's management has enjoyed a steady growth both in number of pupils and in units of affiliation, and the action of the board in the matter of re-electing Mr. Bagwell will no doubt meet the approval of the majority of our patrons.

Snyder to Receive Car Load of Gilts

The car of Poland China and Duroc gilts, bought through the Snyder Chamber of Commerce, will arrive here on Wednesday, and will reach here about the first of the coming week. Farmers wanting one or more of those pure bred pigs should see County Agent Jno. F. Carmichael at once.

BULL CIRCLE ORGANIZED

The Chamber of Commerce, acting with County Agent Carmichael and Snyder's three excellent banks, has been able to perfect what is known as a "Bull Circle." It would require too much time and space to go into this matter in detail, but those wanting to know more about it, can get the desired information by consulting County Agent Carmichael.

Ten Bulls, the very best that could be found anywhere in the United States, have been purchased, and will be placed with ten farmers in various parts of the county. The matter of drafting contracts and a few other things necessary to be done are now under way, and will be worked out in a few days.

Mr. Bennett, County Agent for Swisher County, was here two days this week helping our County agent and our bankers perfect the circle.

Mrs. J. W. Templeton, Sr. returned to Snyder Tuesday night from Itaska where she has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. J. S. Richards. Mrs. Templeton stated that there has been a great deal of rain in that part of the country and that things were certainly looking pretty well with the grass and trees all green and flowers in bloom.

SCURRY COUNTY PRODUCED 25,400 BALES.

The final government cotton report gave the number of bales ginned in Scurry County the past season at 25,400 bales, compared with 31,044 in 1924.

Hunt County led the state with 74,940 bales, while Ellis County was second, with 69,940.

CHAS. WELLBORN OPERATED ON.

Chas. Wellborn of Knapp was taken to Lubbock Monday for an examination, and the citizens of our county, along with reports stated that he had come out from under the anesthetic and that everything was favorable for a speedy recovery.

Next Week Is Clean-Up Week Throughout the State of Texas

The clean-up week for the State of Texas begins March 28th and lasts until April 3rd. Healthful living is very important, and the citizens of our county, along with those of every other county in the State, are urged to co-operate in this health-protection movement.

Monday, March 29, is the day set for health examination day. Take an inventory of yourself and see what your assets are. Go to your family physician and have a complete physical examination made. Bad teeth may affect your health seriously. Go to your dentist and have a complete examination made of your teeth. Tuesday is general clean-up day and one may well start in one's own back yard. One day might be set aside for a safe milk and water day. Each year water-borne and milk-borne diseases take a large toll of life. Typhoid fever is both a water-borne and milk-borne disease. Scarlet fever, diphtheria and tuberculosis are also milk-borne diseases. Inside an establishment, broom and intestinal troubles are primarily rural diseases.

Rural sections were once considered more healthful than urban districts, but today the contrary is true due to the improved methods of sanitation used in cities. Typhoid fever, cholera, hookworm and intestinal troubles are primarily rural diseases.

Saturday, April 3, is set aside as rural sanitation day. Farm home premises should be given a thorough cleaning. Barn yards should be cleaned and excess manure hauled away. Rubbish that cannot be burned, should be hauled away or buried. Every farm house should be screened with 16-mesh wire. No standing water should be allowed on premises, allow drains being filled or drained, to prevent mosquito breeding. Tanks, underground cisterns and other standing water should be stocked with minnows.

Dr. A. C. Leslie, Scurry County health officer, requests and urges that every citizen in our county observe clean-up week. He also stated that for those who were not able to haul away waste and rubbish from their place a wagon and team would be furnished.

Our town is clean and we must keep it so.

We must have a clean county, too.

SAM NATIONS SUSTAINS BROKEN LEG.

Sam Nations, manager of the Farmers' Produce Company, happened to a very painful accident a few days ago while driving a truck near Fluvanna. In going to a hill, his motor "died," and his brakes failing to hold, the truck ran back down the hill and turned over in a ditch, catching Mr. Nations' leg under the truck, breaking the bone of his leg in three places. Although it will be several weeks, perhaps, before he regains the former use of his leg, he is improving as rapidly as could be expected.

Mrs. F. T. Whitaker was in Snyder Monday last week en route from Del Rio where she had been visiting friends, to her home in Jayton, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Monroe and Mrs. Hugh Taylor, and Mrs. A. J. Cody visited in Snyder and Colorado City Saturday.

Large underground tank from which through the cleaning machinery on the inside flows a constant stream of cleaning fluid, which process is said to be greatly superior to the old processes.

The supervisors of the Rotan well put down at Camp Springs to test the amount of water available there for our water works. This week the report came from there that they had brought in a rather and one man was drowned. More than one man was drowned, but with happiness instead of water.

It is reported that at 400 feet the drill went into a lake of water and the water rose rapidly towards the top of the well. A thorough test of this water has not been made but it is believed that there is an inexhaustible supply there.

There has never been any question as to the quality of the water at Camp Springs. It is fine water and so far ahead of present supply that Camp Springs people coming to Rotan bring their drinking water with them, and won't fill the radiators of their cars with our water.

The drill had gone through two or three strong veins of water before striking the lake of water and any of the veins struck would furnish a large amount of water and if all were opened up there would be several wells in one that could not be pumped down.

It is going to take some time to get the water bonds approved and the money available for the work, but we can wait patiently for quite awhile when we know we are going to have all the good water we want a little later.—Rotan Advertiser.

Jess Sellers and Miss Inez Bee-man visited in Lubbock Sunday.

AGED WOMAN DIES.

Mrs. Martha Guinn, better known as "Grandma" Guinn, died at the old Guinn home in the Guinn community, Saturday, March 20, at the ripe old age of 82 years.

Deceased came to Scurry County 36 years ago, settling on the farm on which she died. In 1861 she married W. R. Guinn, who died several years ago. To the union were born 10 children, five of whom survive and were present at the funeral. She leaves besides the five children, 41 grandchildren and 45 great-grandchildren.

The remains of this greatly-loved old lady were laid to rest in the Camp Springs cemetery, Sunday, March 21, Rev. Walker conducting the funeral services.

SCURRY COUNTY FARMERS ORGANIZE UNIFORM STAPLE

An organization was effected Friday afternoon at Snyder by the farmers of this county which will be known as the Scurry County State Cotton Association. J. A. Merritt was elected president, A. M. McPherson, vice-president, and C. N. von Roeder, secretary-treasurer.

The real purpose of the organization is embodied in the preamble to the rules and by-laws of the body, which is as follows:

"We, cotton farmers of Scurry County, in order to stabilize and standardize the staple of the cotton in the produce, to make a fair market for the cotton markets of the world and securing a better price for the Snyder market, do pledge ourselves to plant one and the same variety or strain of Mebane cotton."

Among the additional objects of the association are to be found the following benefits to the members of the association, directly, and all cotton growers of the county indirectly: It will enable us to keep our good planting seed purer at the gins; it will encourage others to join in with us to produce a good staple which will command a better price on the market; it will enable us to join together, if necessary, to combat low prices by practicing a program of diversification and the decrease in cotton acreage.

The Longhorn Band and Entertainers from State University, Austin, under the direction of Burnett Pharr, arrived in Snyder Wednesday night, March 24, on their annual tour. At three o'clock the members of the band, dressed in the orange and white of the varsity, were seen in parade around the square.

The Palace Theater was filled with the most appreciative audience at the evening performance. The program was made up of two separate sections. The first part of the program was given by the Longhorn Band, under the direction of Burnett Pharr. An especially enjoyable number was "Rudolph Friml," "Rose Marie," and the old negro wedding, as interpreted by Thord Duckery, parson, C. C. Hoffman, Bride, and F. W. Cook, Groom. In the Southern Wedding selection was very humorous. Mrs. Hugh Taylor, and Mrs. A. J. Cody visited in Snyder and Colorado City Saturday.

Varsity Entertainers Score Big Success In Snyder Wed.

Because the Times-Signal has not mentioned the prizes it is going to award the correspondents for some time, is no reason why anyone should even feel that the editor has lost any of his interest. Our correspondents are furnishing the most interesting news, and we want to remind them of the fact that seven are going to receive useful and valuable prizes. See the \$75.00 kitchen cabinet at Higginbotham; the \$60 rug at Bryant-Link; the fine oil stove at A. E. Duff's; the fine Gladstone at Caton-Dodson's; the new International Dictionary at Stinson Brothers drug store and the fine traveling bag at the Economy Store.

Remember, at our readers are going to decide who the winners are and we again request each reader to read the correspondents' items carefully each week in order to be able to cast their votes to the ones who really deserve them.

SCURRY COUNTY SCHOOLS IN GOOD CONDITION.

Lee Henley, rural aid supervisor of the State Department of Education, completed his inspection of 27 rural schools in Scurry County Friday afternoon. He recommended the sum of \$11,500 to these schools in state aid. The high praise of the local schools was tantamount when one considers that the average per school, placed by the State Department on all West Texas schools, is \$300. The average apportionment for the schools of this county will amount to \$450. The total amount is \$1,500 greater than the state aid for last year.

"Your schools are above the average for West Texas, and I might add that West Texas has probably the best system of rural schools in the State," Henley said. "Much credit is due your county superintendent, A. A. Bullock, for his splendid supervision of your schools and for his loyal co-operation with my department."

The inspector recommended the consolidation of several of the schools. Bullock has worked unceasingly for consolidations during the entire term. Monday, March 21, petitions will be started calling for an election to consolidate the schools of the Sharon, Bidson and Canyon communities.

A GOOD RAIN IN SCURRY COUNTY.

Nearly every part of Scurry County got some rain last Saturday night. Snyder and adjoining communities got something like a quarter of an inch. Dunn and Ira from a quarter to one-half inch; Hermligh, from a quarter to a half inch; Fluvanna and some of the communities between Fluvanna and Snyder got from half an inch to an inch and a half. Deep Creek came down Sunday morning nearly half full.

There is now a pretty good underseason in the ground, and there is perhaps more ground ready for planting than ever before in the entire history of Scurry County.

PETE BRIDGEMAN RECOVERING FROM OPERATION.

The Times-Signal is glad to say that Pete Bridgeman, who was operated on at Lubbock a few days ago for appendicitis, is improving and it is thought that he will be well along on the road to recovery within a few days, although he had a very bad case of appendicitis, his appendix having burst before he was operated on, it is said.

Miss Rosalie Clark returned to the city Wednesday of last week from Post City where she has been visiting with friends.

WHAT DO YOU THINK ABOUT THIS ISSUE?

Your editor candidly believes that this is the best issue of the Times-Signal that has ever been put out under the present management. The liberal patronage of these splendid young people who have added to the glory of their Alma Mater.

The Longhorn Band and Varsity Entertainers were in Snyder under the auspices of the Parent-Teachers Association of our city, and they, along with the entire citizenship of Snyder feel that their coming not only afforded us an unusual opportunity of hearing splendid music rendered by splendid artists, and good, clean, wholesome entertainment, but also has been a big boost for our town. The Times-Signal joins Snyder folk in the praise and commendation of these splendid young people who have added to the glory of their Alma Mater.

DR. AND MRS. G. HICKS AND LITTLE DAUGHTER, PATTY JOYCE, AND Mrs. Lee Newson visited in Rotan Sunday with relatives. Mrs. Hicks and Patty Joyce left Rotan that afternoon for Frederick, Oklahoma, where they will visit with Mrs. Hicks parents.

MISS ROSALIE CLARK RETURNED TO THE CITY WEDNESDAY OF LAST WEEK FROM POST CITY WHERE SHE HAS BEEN VISITING WITH FRIENDS.

GET YOUR MEMORIAL COINS NOW.

Those who are contemplating buying memorial coins had better get theirs at once, as on April 1, all coins will be recalled from local banks, and then your only chance to secure these coins will be through headquarters at Atlanta, Georgia. Also, on April 15 the price will be \$2.00, and no more coins will be available at the old price. You can now get coins at any one of Snyder's three banks.

Miss Myrtle Martin returned Wednesday from a visit with Rev. and Mrs. A. B. Davidson at Station.

Misses Cecile Strayhorn and Jimmie Stinson of Abilene visited in Sweetwater Monday afternoon.

FORDSON DEMONSTRATION SATURDAY.

Saturday, March 27, is National Fordson Tractor Day, and every Ford dealer in the United States is supposed to put on a real demonstration on that day. Joe Strayhorn, Fordson dealer for Scurry and Fisher Counties, will hold a demonstration at the Roy Strayhorn farm on the south edge of Snyder, beginning at 10 o'clock Saturday morning and continuing till about 4 o'clock in the afternoon. A lunch will be served at the noon hour. There will be seven Fordsons and ten different farm implements used in this demonstration. Everybody, especially the farmers interested in better farming and greater crop production, cordially invited.

Ernest Taylor and Family Have Close Call Wednesday

Ernest Taylor and family experienced a close call in a fire that almost completely destroyed their beautiful home in west Snyder Thursday morning. The family sleeps upstairs, and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor were awakened by smoke that had almost overcome them when they awoke. Mr. Taylor after regaining his breath the best he could, began to grope his way in the room, but soon found out that they were cut completely off from the stairway. Mrs. Taylor and the two small children were almost overcome by the smoke when Mr. Taylor succeeded in getting them to a partly raised window from which they called for help. J. M. Newton, a near neighbor, responded. Mr. Taylor dropped the two children from the window, Mr. Newton catching them in his arms and carrying them to a place of safety. Mr. Newton then began to tear up a neighbor's fence and with the help of others that had arrived by this time, improved a sort of ladder from which Mr. and Mrs. Taylor made their escape from the burning building.

In the meantime, the fire department had come to the scene and in a very short time two streams of water had been turned on the fire which at that time was confined to the ceiling and gazing of the kitchen. About the time it was thought that the fire was almost under control, it broke through the kitchen into an adjoining room, which necessitated the flooding of the entire building, which was badly damaged, while the furniture was perhaps a total loss from fire, water and smoke.

We understand that Mr. Taylor carried insurance, but not enough to cover the damage sustained. The fire boys did some extra good

Scouts Will Keep Up the City Auditorium

The two divisions of the local Boy Scouts have taken up themselves to beautify the grounds of the city auditorium, and have already begun work on the grounds by hauling dirt to raise the ground and fertilizer for plants, flowers and shrubbery.

They will also lay a thick layer of shale under the building. This will not only make a compact floor but will be the means of keeping down dust. The boys are going to put forth an effort to get the ceiling of the auditorium painted white, which will not only add to the appearance of the interior but will also be the means of making the building lighter. As it is, it is dark and dingy.

J. E. Keenan has charge of Troop No. 1, composed of the following boys: Fred Yoder, Leroy Fesmire, Myron Fritchell, Jester Pritchett, James Pritchett, Graves Landrum, E. P. Ketter, James Ketter, Harvey Lee Chennault, Maxey Chennault, Lee Pritchett, Clark, William Hardy, Stuart Hardy, Alva Curtis, Bryant Weaver, Wesley Norred, Ross Taylor, Curtis Larue, J. T. Rice, Abbott Long, Robert Gray, Lee Davis, Hugh Taylor, Jr., Chas. B. Shell, Oscar Brice, Alvin Carlton, Leonard Carnes, Hubert Day, Bernard Blair.

Elvin Thompson has charge of Troop No. 2, composed of the following boys: J. W. Green, Dodson Smith, Anson Crawford, D. C. Barton, Robert Garner, Curtis Comer, Pewee Williams, Marvin Watkins, Jack Isaacs, R. J. Robinson, Hunter Bryant, Travis Larue, Lee Smith, Weldon Alexander, Warren Pierce, Chester Brown, E. J. Bradbury, Jerrell Green, Gene Matthews, J. R. Davidson, Luther Don McCombs, Austin Erwin, Jr., Creston Fish, Edgar Smith, Wraymond Watkins, J. W. Hendryx, E. Elton Hunter.

Mr. Keenan's troop will have charge of the east half of the grounds and Mr. Thompson's boys will have charge of the west half. Each troop is going to try to excel the other in keeping its half the more beautiful.

This is a fine thing not only for the boys but for the city as it will be the means of making the old auditorium and the grounds one of the beauty spots of our city.

PIONEER ANSWERS SUMMONS.

A. M. (familarly known as "Deep Creek Johnson") passed away at his home near Dunn Sunday, March 21, after a lingering illness of several weeks.

Deceased was born in Tennessee July 10, 1840, and at the time of his death was 85 years, 11 months and 11 days of age. He came to Scurry County 42 years ago and settled on Deep Creek near Dunn, where he resided until his death. He was a veteran of the Civil War, and made a valiant soldier for the Lost Cause. He is said of him by his comrades, who survive him and who were able to attend his funeral, that there never was a braver soldier than he. He was of a quiet, unassuming disposition, and had a varied list of acquaintances by the number of his acquaintances.

Funeral services were held at Dunn Monday, conducted by Rev. McGaha, after which his remains were laid to rest in the Dunn cemetery.

FRED WILHELM'S FATHER DIES.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilhelm and son, Henry, were called to Fort Griffin, Tuesday, in response to a message stating that Henry Wilhelm, Mr. Wilhelm's father, had died. Deceased was 82 years old and had been a resident of the Fort Griffin country for many years. His remains were buried Thursday at Throckmorton.

Mr. E. M. Stokes who has been in Marlin for the past two months for treatment is expected to return to her home in Snyder this week.

A. M. Curry informed the Times-Signal representative that his wife who is in Glen Rose at the Snyder Sanitarium for treatment is improving.

W. E. Smith returned last Saturday from Dallas, where he had been for several days working in the branch factory of the Oldsmobile plant. Mr. Smith says that he got some new and mighty valuable ideas about automobiles in general and Oldsmobiles in particular.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Minor of Ira visited their daughter and Dr. C. E. Walker of this city last Friday and Saturday.

J. R. White of Fluvanna was a business visitor in our city Tuesday of this week.

THE EASTER SPIRIT.

Our merchants caught the Easter spirit this year and as a result they have laid in fine assortments of reasonable goods. Also, they are using considerable of our space this week telling our readers that they have the very things needed for Easter. Read the ads and then buy it in Snyder.

DUNN SCHOOL INSTALLS DELCO PLANT.

The Dunn school, which is located in one of the most progressive communities in Scurry County, has placed an order for a Delco lighting system. This is another forward step for this enterprising community. Just let the good work go on. It is often-times better to take a part of the city to the country than move to the city in order to be able to enjoy its conveniences.

DISTRICTS ELIGIBLE FOR INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET.

The following school districts have paid their fees and otherwise complied with the rules and regulations giving them eligibility for entering the interscholastic meet to be held in Snyder, April 2-3.

Arab, Strayhorn, Camp Springs, Dunn high school, Fluvanna, Gannaway, Lone Wolf, Hermligh, Ira, Sharon, Pleasant Hill, Guinn, Martin, Turner, Dermott, Canyon, Whately, Deep Creek, Ennis, Snyder high school.

KNOCKING BOTTOM OUT OF MILL PRODUCTS.

Will Clark, Bridge Street grocer, has just received a whole car of mill products which he says he is going to sell within the next thirty days if low prices count for anything. Read his big ad in this issue.

JOE HAS LET THE CAT OUT.

Several weeks ago Joe Strayhorn graded the large lot back of his garage and salerooms and built round it a fence 60 cubits high, more or less. Although asked by some of his hundred people why such a strong, high fence, Mr. Strayhorn would always evade answering the question with some joke or indirect answer. Every inquirer was, therefore, turned away to wonder what Joe might have "put his sleeve."

Several days ago Mr. Strayhorn left Snyder somewhat inostensibly. In a few days the force at Snyder Ford headquarters were besieged with inquirers as to Mr. Strayhorn's whereabouts. It later developed that Mr. Ford had called Mr. Strayhorn to Detroit for a consultation. It was stated in last week's issue of the Times-Signal that Mr. Strayhorn had been in Detroit conferring with Mr. Ford as to some improvements that could be easily made as to making the Ford a more useful machine, but it did not crop out until this week just what Mr. Strayhorn's visit to Detroit developed. It was this: Mr. Ford is now right on the eve of putting out another Ford product in the nature of an airplane—one that will be as practicable as the famous Ford car, and will sell for about the same price. Mr. Ford will naturally expect all important Ford dealers to handle the airplane in large quantities, and it is the intention of Mr. Strayhorn to fill his big lot with a high fence around it with Ford airplanes. In fact, he is now said to be taking advance orders for the planes.

MR. AND MRS. W. R. MINOR OF IRA VISITED THEIR DAUGHTER AND Dr. C. E. Walker of this city last Friday and Saturday.

J. R. White of Fluvanna was a business visitor in our city Tuesday of this week.

ENNIS CREEK.

Personal.
 Misses Rue and Vera Horsley and Johnnie Williams visited the Misses Hart Friday evening.
 Misses Era and Hattie Lee Hart, Grace Floyd, Ewell Daniels, Charlie Prather, Sidney, Hermon and Edgar Galyean took supper at Martin Prather's Sunday.
 Several young folks attended singing at Dermott Sunday night.
 Mr. Wade and family, Misses Sue McKeown, Ethel Robinson, Edna Galyean and Joe York were Sunday evening visitors at Henry Hart's.
 Bob Horsley and family took dinner with Mr. Holmes and family Sunday.
 Mr. Coleclazer was called to the bedside of his sister, Mrs. Capps, of Portales, New Mexico, Tuesday.
 Misses Duella Gee, Grace Floyd, Ouida Bea Horsley, Hermon Galyean and Ewell Daniels took dinner with the Misses Hart.
 Com Ezell and wife visited at T. S. Davis' Sunday afternoon.
 W. L. Lewellen and L. L. Lewellen of Sweetwater spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Colclazer.
School Notes.
 Olamae Walker was absent the first of the week.
 Grace and Nell Floyd have also been absent.
Honor Roll—First grade: Mary Agnes Davis. **Second grade:** Helen Hart, Gladys Stuart, Ira Farmer, Chesley Horsley, Mattie B. Walker, T. F. Davis. **Third grade:** Roy Holmes, Millie Wade, Leurni Gee. **Fourth grade:** Monelda Brooks, Lena Hart, Inez Floyd, Jack Hart. **Fifth grade:** Lottie Galyean, Irene Wilson, Thelma Davis, Mildred Davis, Libby Ruth Holmes, Elmer Prather, Weldon Johnson. **Sixth grade:** Ruby Daniels, Rue Galyean, Ouida B. Horsley.
 The pupils of Mrs. Smith's room took examinations the past week. Most all made a passing grade.
Church.
 Bro. McGaha filled his appointment here Sunday.—Lillian Colclazer.
 The Times-Signal is glad to say that late reports from Judge Stinson of Abilene and Pete Bridgeman who is at Lubbock, are improving. It is feared, however, that the judge will yet have to undergo a serious operation before his trouble can be entirely removed.
 Mrs. J. S. Duvall of Quanah spent the past week-end in Snyder with relatives.
 Miss Jimmie Stinson of Abilene visited in Snyder Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stinson.

LONE WOLF NEWS.

We had a right nice rain here last Saturday, which will help the farmers a great deal.
 George Wemphen and family spent Sunday with her brother, Jack Mahoney.
 P. W. Dierck is building a new rent house on his place.
 J. M. Pagan attended church at Hermleigh Sunday night.
 Mr. and Mrs. Schwarz took their little son to an eye specialist at Big Spring Saturday.
 Several of this community attended singing near Roscoe Sunday night.
 D. Ohlenbusch is now beginning to improve his place he bought about 1-1/2 miles west of the schoolhouse.—Dad's Girl.
CHINA GROVE NEWS.
 We have recently received two nice showers of rain, one Tuesday night and also Saturday night, which gives the farmers a fine season for planting.
 P. W. Dierck unloaded another car of Case implements last week.
 Our school is still progressing very nicely. There was one new pupil enrolled Monday—Miss Gesina Cotton.
 Miss Christine Neal left Monday for Canyon where she will enter school.
 Mrs. Joe Howell has returned home from the Lubbock Sanitarium, but she is slowly improving at this writing.
 Will Brown's baby is reported to be real sick with pneumonia at this writing.
 Mrs. Etta Wilson and children from Lone Wolf community spent Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Haywood Allen.
 Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bynum of Snyder spent Thursday night visiting J. S. Collier and family.
 Mrs. Emma Carlton of Hillsboro, Texas, visited her brother, R. D. Hall and family, Thursday en route from Plainview where she had been visiting her son.
 Misses Beatrice and Gladys Collier spent Sunday with Misses Gladys and Lulamay Seales.
 Rev. J. E. McDermott spent Friday night with O. N. Laster and family.
 Mrs. Hattie McElyea of Pyron spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hall, and they spent Sunday with her also. Dorothy Swan and Eva May Burn were among them.
 Clyde Shoemaker from Colorado spent Sunday visiting his sister, Mrs. Leonard Allen.
 There was a good attendance at Sunday School and church Sunday.
 Bro. A. D. Leach filled his regular appointment. Bro. L. D. Hull

DERMOTT NEWS.

We are having real spring weather over an inch of rain fell Saturday night.
 The flu is getting out of our community we hope.
 Grandma Chowns, who was painfully hurt in her hip by falling from the last step of a stairway is much improved.
 J. M. Odonnell spent a few days with her parents in Abilene this week.
 Aunt Dollie Dittmore left Monday in answer to a telegram to come to a sister, sick, in Hopkins County.
 Mr. Haywood Gordon and father returned Tuesday from a visit to their grandmother and mother, respectively, in Crath County Sunday afternoon.
 We were shocked and saddened beyond measure by the news "Willie Boss is dead—killed by lightning at the oil tank near Justiceburg." We hoped for it to be a mistake somehow, but 'twas true. Willie had told the hotel man at Justiceburg he might come home (Dermott) Saturday night. Having a load of oil on his truck he went out to empty it. He was found next morning about eleven o'clock by two boy friends from

INADALE NEWS.

Everybody enjoyed the rain that fell Saturday night.
 The health in this community is some better at this writing.
 Sunday School was well attended considering the weather.
 Bro. Watson filled his regular appointment Sunday afternoon with a good crowd in attendance.
 Lorene Nix was the dinner guest of Maxine Cummings Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blight visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Nix Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Rawleigh Giles visited in the Will Cranfill home Sunday.
 Mrs. H. Roper, Miss Hattie Pates and Mr. Emmett Butts of Snyder visited Mrs. Roper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Kemp of this place.
 Mrs. H. H. Linder and daughter, Floy, was the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ammons Sunday.

HERMLEIGH, TEXAS.

Our community was blessed with a nice rain Saturday night. Most everybody is busy getting ready to start planting since the rain.
 Bro. J. P. Watson started a revival meeting Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. They are having good attendance. Bro. Watson is doing the preaching and Rev. Pick-

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ens has charge of the song service.
 C. C. Karnes, the agent of the R. S. & P., was taken seriously sick Thursday night and was rushed to the sanitarium at Abilene Saturday where he was operated on. We are very glad to report him better at this writing and wish him a speedy recovery.
On the Sick List.
 Grandmother Adams, Mrs. S. E. Hollomon, Mrs. L. H. Beane, Mrs. Elmer Gardner and Miss Carroll Robbards.
 Mr. Atchey is again shaking hands with friends on the streets after a long spell of flu and pneumonia.
 W. L. Ethieredge of Roscoe was visiting homefolks Sunday.
 Misses Jewell and Anna Ruth Polk of Rotan are visiting Mrs. Elmer Gardner this week.
 G. C. Shultz and grandchildren Thelma, Therman and Clarence Shultz, are visiting relatives in Tulsa, Texas.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Henry visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sturdivant in Snyder Sunday afternoon.
 Mr. and Mrs. Braden Wassom took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Longbotham Sunday.
 Miss Watson, who is attending school at Lubbock is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Watson.
 Elder C. E. Leslie will fill his regular appointment at the Christian church next Friday night. Everybody is invited to attend.
 Jim Echols of New Mexico is visiting his wife and son this week.

With the Churches.

First Baptist—Preaching services every first Saturday and Sunday. Sunday School at ten o'clock a. m. B. Y. P. U. at six o'clock p. m. Elder C. E. Leslie, pastor. S. E. N. Hollomon Sunday School superintendent.
Central Baptist—Preaching services every first and third Sundays. Sunday School at 10 o'clock. The W. M. U. on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Pastor, Bro. Tankersly of Abilene. J. P. Leach Sunday School superintendent.
Methodist Church—Preaching every Sunday at 11 o'clock. Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Epworth League at 6:15 p. m. Ladies' Missionary Society, Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Pastor Bro. J. P. Watson. J. R. Coker Sunday School superintendent.
 The Hermleigh singing class meets every first Sunday afternoon at 2:30 at the First Baptist church. Everybody invited.—Reporter.

Lon Evans returned home Sunday night from Goldthwaite.

Misses Fannie and Ottis Russell of Roscoe visited Miss Effie Drennan Tuesday afternoon.
 Homer Dunn of Roscoe is taking Mr. Karnes' place at the depot while he is sick.
 J. A. Hood of Snyder was a visitor in Hermleigh Tuesday.
 O. R. Etheridge, son and family of Claytonville passed through Hermleigh Sunday evening on their way home.
 Charlie McQuaid has the spinal-



"M" System News

Snyder, Texas, and 500 Others

Snyder to Have "M" System Store

Lloyd Thompson, Owner



Opening Saturday, March 27, 9 a.m.

The Last Word In Self Service Grocery

—INTERIOR OF STORE—

Self-Service in all Its Meaning

Cleanest Stores in America

We do not have charge Accounts



FREE! FREE!

All Day Long Coffee, Cakes and Sandwiches

You don't have to buy; just pay us a visit

We want everyone in Snyder, near Snyder, around Snyder, or on the road to Snyder, to come in and see our "M" System Grocery. We want all of you to come in and see the new way of handling groceries. Be curious and learn. The more curious you are the more you will learn. Come into our store Saturday, March 27th. We want to show you how it works.

Opening Specials	
10 pounds pure Cane Sugar, limit one to customer	56c
Spuds, 10 lbs. (limit 10 lbs to customer)	42c

Every purchase from the "M" Store must give you complete satisfaction or your money will be cheerfully refunded and that without question. You are the judge.

Opening Specials	
Lemons, per dozen Limit	23c
Lettuce, Per Head	7c
Fresh Vegetables Per Bunch	7 1-2c

No Trespassing Final Notice

This is final notice that no fishing is allowed on the Thompson farm on Deep Creek, southeast of Snyder, now under lease, to the Snyder Fishing Club and that any and all found trespassing thereon will be prosecuted.

Snyder Fishing Club

MEATS Lowest Prices Highest Quality

There's food from animals specially raised to satisfy the most discriminating taste—meat so reasonably priced that it's true economy to buy the best.

Star Market



Come One And All This Is Your Store USE IT

Location

South Side Square between Economy Dry Goods Co. and Landrum & Boren Drug Store.



Carnations will be given to the ladies on opening day. Please register for same.



Safe Farming

WATCH THIS SPACE!

This is our first of a series of ads on safe farming. In undertaking to discuss this subject we believe because of our interests, financially and otherwise, we have the right to give our opinion on matters which pertain to the happiness and prosperity of each and every individual of this section. Whatever effects the farmers of this section effects this bank. All of the so-called business of this community is based upon the production of our farms. Therefore, we are not assuming a dictatorial attitude in the discussion of ways and means of bettering the farming operations of this section.

As a financial institution and as individuals we are heartily in favor of the five-year safe farming program adopted by the farmers of this county. We endorse every item included in that program. We deem it a privilege to do all within our power to bring that goal to a highly successful culmination.

We urge you to feel free to come in and discuss with us anything which will tend to improve your farm and living conditions thereon. There is a friendly atmosphere permeating our banking room.

The First State Bank & Trust Co.

ERNEST TAYLOR, Pres. H. P. WELLBORN, Vice-President. SAM HAMLETT, Cashier. CECIL MORRIS, A. C.

FRIENDLY

arms. There should be a line drawn somewhere, a federal law determining who is entitled to carry a weapon and who is not. Every state has laws on the subject, but in recent years these laws have almost become obsolete, so lax is their enforcement. What this country needs is a federal law covering gun-selling and gun-toting—and a law that has teeth in it.

FLIVVER SIGNS.

A friend who took a long auto tour during the past fall told us the other day of encountering along the highways enough "funny flivver signs" to keep him in a good humor all during the trip. He couldn't remember one-tenth of them, but some remained in his memory, and that others in this community may join in the laugh we append a few of the best ones seen written on the backs of cars driven by tourists:

Baby, Here's your Rattle.
Laugh, But I Paid Cash for Mine.
Darling, I Am Growing Old.
I Rattle In My Rear End But Don't Strike.
Capacity, 5,000 Gallons—One at a Time.
The Tack Finder.
It Ain't Gonna Run Much More.
Sound Value—Can You Hear It?
For Sale at \$1.98—While It Lasts.
Sister, You'd Look Tough, Too, Without Paint.
"The Wreck of The Hesperus."
Found in a Bottle of Tanlac.

"FARMER'S DAY."

Organized labor has its Labor Day the first Monday in September to impress on everyone the dignity and importance of labor. The National Grange and the American Farm Bureau at their last meetings endorsed a national "Agricultural Day" to dignify farming in the eyes of the nation and impress upon farmers the importance of their calling. And why should not the farming industry, that creates twelve to fourteen billion dollars worth of new wealth every year and employs nearly one-third of the population

of the country have its own holiday. It could made impressive with picnics and speeches and celebrations. And why wouldn't Snyder be a good town, and this a good county, in which to inaugurate a great movement that would soon be revolutionized and celebrated throughout the entire United States?

STRONGHART A SAVAGE BEAST IN NEW LONDON PICTURE.

In his latest Trimble, Murfin picture, a screen version of Jack London's story "White Fang," Stronghart the famous dog star, plays the part of a wolf-dog, a savage animal that grows up with a wolf pack in the Northland wilds, becomes the property of an Indian trapper, is taken away from the Indian and made to fight other animals in a pit, and eventually is rescued and taken to a civilized California where even more dramatic adventures await him.

LEE GRANT FOR COMMISSIONER.

The Times-Signal is authorized to announce Lee Grant as a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

Mr. Grant says that he had not intended to make the race this year, but since the race that he made two years ago was so close, there being only two votes between him and Mr. Haney, his friends have been urging him to get into the race again.

Mr. Grant needs no introduction to the voters of his precinct. The close race he made two years ago attests the fact that he has many friends in his community, saying nothing about the fact that he has been a resident of Scurry County for the past 27 years. Mr. Grant requests the Times-Signal to say that if there should be one voter in his precinct that does not know him but wants to know about him, to ask any business man in Snyder, there is no doubt but that Mr. Grant has the interest of the county at heart, and is well qualified for the office, and that if

elective his constituents in a dignified manner. Miss Minnie Jointe of Dallas visited in Snyder last week with her sister, Mrs. A. M. Curry.

CAMP SPRINGS NEWS.

Mrs. W. R. Quinn, or grandmother as everyone called her, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Boone, Saturday at 8 o'clock a. m. Funeral services were held at the tabernacle at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, R. W. Roe officiating and F. O. Garner assisting.

We had about half an inch of rain Saturday night, which will be a great help in the farm work. Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Kent visited Mrs. Kent's sister, Mrs. W. C. Davidson, this week-end. Mr. Kent is editor of the Roscoe Times. —Virginia Dare,

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Many Prefer

Snyder Tailoring Co.

Cleaning

The greatest recommendation for our special work in Dry Cleaning comes from persons who have tried it. If you aren't listed among our clients just call us and our truck will answer. Get your dress or suit renewed for Easter.

PHONE 60

Snyder Tailoring Co.

AND

DRY CLEANERS

EASTER CANDY

Polly says

PANGBURN'S

BETTER CANDIES

Your favorite

HIGHER IN PRICE

HIGHEST IN QUALITY

EASTER CANDY

Landrum & Boren

Druggists

The Golden Heart Of Motherhood Revealed As Never Before On The Screen

Priscilla with a Million

Featuring

Kenneth Harlan, Mary Carr Priscilla Bonner and Great Cast

Hurry! Hurry! Hurry! Of all motion pictures ever created, here at last, is the one you should see. See it and love it—Live joyously through its poignant drama—! Its prodigious comedy—! Its soul-tingling sentiment—! See and judge for yourself. See and marvel at the manifold wonders of this picture.

AN ASSOCIATED ARTS PRODUCTION

PALACE THEATRE

Monday and Tuesday

March 29 and 30

No More Ice

Frigidaire, the complete home refrigerator, cools itself. It requires no ice. It electrically maintains an atmosphere in the food compartment at least 10 degrees colder than is possible with ice. It freezes ice cubes for table use. It freezes dainty creams, ices and desserts. Frigidaire is a product of General Motors Corporation, and will probably cost you less to operate than you now pay for ice. Let us send you a booklet which tells the story of Frigidaire. Or, you can see Frigidaire in operation at our store.

ED J. THOMPSON, Snyder, Texas

Phone 120

GENERAL MOTORS

Frigidaire

CLEAN DRY ELECTRICAL REFRIGERATION

There is No Economy In Buying Cheap Tires

Tires are no different in this respect than any other product.

No matter what you buy, it always pays to get the best.

To get full tire value, buy BADGER and get longest service at least cost.

E. C. Neely Filling Station

PICKED UP ABOUT TOWN.

"A girl used to buy stockings to keep her legs warm," comments Ed Darby, "but now she forgets the cold in trying to show her stockings."

The trouble with the world is most men need higher moral courage more than they need higher foreheads, or a higher education.

It has been our observation that there are too many people who want to live better without living better lives.

"I often wonder," declares J. W. Templeton, "what became of the old-fashioned woman who used to ask before she started down town if her petticoat showed."

The mine strike ended just in time for the operators to warn us that we'd better fill our bins early for next winter.

"It seems to me," says H. P. Wellborn, "that what our big cities need is fewer night clubs and more night sticks."

O. P. Thorne says that about the only result he ever obtained in trying to kill two birds with one stone

SIGNALS—

We've often noticed that most people will give three cheers for something they wouldn't give anything else for.

By this time everyone in Snyder has realized that the only real groundhog day we have is the day we have sausage.

No farm movement is successful in the eyes of the politician unless it creates more jobs.

About the only thing you can't buy on the installment plan these days is character.

Another mystery we never expect to see solved is why so many Snyder men do most of their worrying over things that are none of their business.

Next to losing your job after paying the first installment on the car, nothing hurts like raising your head up under the corner of a half-opened cupboard door.

There's just one thing we'd like to ask Mr. Hoover. Why is it that American auto tires sell for 25 per cent less in England than they sell for in the United States? And why an American-made binder can be bought in Australia cheaper than in America?

It used to be that a Snyder man could support a family on half if it costs him now—but we didn't have cash registers then, and not one fourth as much credit.

It's so much easier to dictate letters. Then you can use fine big words you haven't the least idea how to spell.

It is said the original forests of the United States contained five trillion feet of lumber, but who did the measuring is not reported, neither has the report cheapened the price of lumber.

There are many kinds of clubs for women, but we heard one Snyder man declare yesterday that he favors clubs for women when only kindness fails.

An Oregon teacher was fired for marrying one of her pupils. Maybe she only wanted to be sure he would stay home at night and study.

Wonder why old Ananias didn't get a job drawing the pictures for seed and vegetable catalogs?

There is hope for every man in Snyder except the one who thinks he knows all there is to know about raising children.

To discover how much a girl has learned at college you have to talk to her, not look at her report card.

Why is it that the Snyder man who loves to stay at home is always married to a woman who wants to go somewhere seven nights in the week?

We haven't much use for self-made men. Most of them we've ever seen looked more like warnings than examples. But, after all, a man is self-made if ever made. The trouble with most of us "self-made" fellows is we got too old before we learned how to make ourselves.

VOTERS, DO YOUR DUTY.

The city election is drawing near, and on that day every voter in Snyder owes it to his or her town as a whole and to himself or herself individually to go to the polls and vote. The growth, civic appearance and improvement of Snyder for the coming two years may depend in a great measure upon how you vote on that day.

A mayor and three aldermen are to be chosen on that day and their choice is in your hands.

A person likes to support or favor his friend, but in the matter of choosing a public servant, personal friendship should not account for anything if it is known that a friend is not fitted for the duties devolving on him as a public office holder. Honesty, integrity, business ability and the capabilities of seeing the need of the people, not as a class but as a whole, should be the principal things in the mind and heart of the voter in making his choice at the polls. It is highly important, therefore, that you cast your vote for the man or the woman who has the best interest of Snyder at heart, also bearing in mind the fact that cities don't grow but

are built, and that no town or city ever rose in population, morality or in civic pride above the aspirations of its people. Then, let every voter vote to make Snyder a bigger and better city both in morals and in point of population.

ISN'T IT FUNNY?

Isn't it funny That some Business men Will get up in the morning Shave with an advertised razor And advertised soap, Put on advertised underwear, Seat themselves at the table And eat advertised food, Drink advertised coffee, Put on an advertised hat, Light an advertised cigar, Go to the office in an advertised car; and— Turn down an advertising Proposition on the ground that Advertising doesn't pay? Isn't it funny?

NO RELIEF YET.

The peaceful, law-abiding citizen of Snyder who has been expecting congress to pass a law regulating the sale and carrying of firearms seems doomed to disappointment, and as a result crime is just as rampant in the United States today as it has ever been, if not more so. Crime will continue to sweep this country so long as any person with the proper sum can buy a revolver and the law shuts its eyes to the class of people permitted to carry fire-

Frequent Bilious Attacks

"I suffered with severe bilious attacks that came on two or three times each month," says Mr. J. P. Nevin, of Lawrenceburg, Ky. "I would get nauseated. I would have dizziness and couldn't work. I would take pills until I was worn-out with them. I didn't seem to get relief."

"A neighbor told me of

BLACK-DRAUGHT Liver Medicine

and I began its use. I never have found so much relief as it gave me. I would not be without it. It seemed to cleanse my whole system and made me feel like new. I would take a few doses—get rid of the bile and have my usual clear head, feel full of pep, and could do twice the work."

Bilious attacks are "seasonal" with many people. Millions have taken Thedford's Black-Draught to ward off such attacks, and the good results they have reported should induce you to try it.

All Druggists' EX-107

for Economical Transportation

CHEVROLET

so Smooth so Powerful

Your first drive in the Improved Chevrolet will be a revelation! Improved, made amazingly smooth and responsive—Chevrolet offers today a combination of power and effortless performance absolutely new in the low price field!

But even more remarkable is the fact that these improvements cost you not more, but actually less—because the prices have been substantially reduced.

Take a ride in the Improved Chevrolet. A demonstration will delight you!

New Low Prices

Touring	• 510 Coach	• • 645 1/2 Ton Truck	• 395
Roadster	• 510 Sedan	• • 735 1 Ton Truck	• 550
Coupe	• 645 Landau	• • 765 (Chassis Only)	

f. o. b. Flint, Michigan

Government tax reduction on automobiles officially in effect on March 29 is allowed NOW on all purchases of Chevrolet cars.

R. W. WEBB MOTOR CO.

QUALITY AT LOW COST

5 1-2 per cent \$1,000,000.00 5 1-2 per cent

Federal Land Bank Money

—Can be paid off any time or will pay itself off in 34 years' time.

A. J. TOWLE, Sec.-Treas.

Phone 196

6 Per C'nt Money borrowed on farms and ranches. These loans pay themselves out at the end of 33 years. Very liberal options. Inspections made promptly. See us before securing your loan elsewhere.

6 Per C'nt WHY PAY MORE?

STOVALL & STOVALL

Blackford Building.

Classified Column

FOR SALE.

FRESH shipment, Wheatena, F. T. Wilhelm. Phones 396 and 200. 41-11-c

SLEEP easy mattress factory, one mile east of square, solicits your business. Prices reasonable. 23-tf-c

FOR SALE—Improved Mebane cotton seed, from the Ohlendorf farm at Lockhart. These seed have been ginned two and four bales at a time and the roll blown out each time. \$1.50 a bushel, at my barn or will deliver them for \$1.75. Andy Trevey, Knapp, Texas. 40-tf-c

FOR SALE—Ten miles of telephone line and two telephone boxes. Worth the price. Sidney Johnson 40-tf-c

KASCH cotton seed for sale. \$1.00 per bushel. S. G. Lunford, 7 miles northwest of Snyder 38-41-p

FOR SALE—Pure half and half cotton seed, one dollar per bushel. Sixteen miles east Snyder, on the Roby road. J. E. Bryant, C. S. Route. 40-2t-p

FOR SALE—Nice eight-piece dining room suite and Hoosier cabinet at bargain price. Call 413. 40-tf-c

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FOR SALE—Second-hand roll-top desk. Good condition. Other second-hand furniture and frigid-ware. Call 9034. 40-tf-c

FOR SALE—Four-room house, in good repair, block of land, fruit trees, grape arbor, small barn and sheds, well and windmill with new tower, situated in Snyder. Will accept reasonable cash payment, terms on balance. A. C. Alexander, Snyder, Texas. 40-2t-c

FOR SALE—Teams and tools. Also for rent to the purchaser of teams and tools. 140 acres land ready to plant. This place is located 5 miles west of Snyder. O. K. Watson. 41-11-p

FRESH shipment, Wheatena, F. T. Wilhelm. Phones 396 and 200. 41-11-c

FOR SALE—One practically new cultivator and Planter. Also complete set good leather harness. See Maurice Brownfield, at J. H. Sears & Co. 41-11-p

FOR SALE—Young registered sow. Good individual. Bargain. Charles McMullen. 41-2t-p

FOR SALE—A practically new five-burner Perfection oil stove, white enameled back, latest design, built-in oven, cost \$125 a few months ago and could not be told from new today. Have installed electric, so do not need it. A bargain. See Towle, Boren & Ramsour. 39-4t-c

FOR SALE—About 150 feet of first-class front or back yard fence. Cost about \$2.00 a foot nine months ago. Well painted, and in first-class condition; well-built with gates, etc. A bargain. See A. J. Towle. 39-4t-c

FOR SALE—150 bushels of good Mebane cotton seed, \$1.00 a bushel. E. F. Sears. 41-11-c

FOR SALE—500 bundles of good, bright cane, five cents in stack or six cents delivered. Herbert A. Smith, at Bank's Grocery. 41-11-p

FOR SALE—All kinds feed at Davenport's Service Station. 41-4t-p

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms over Rodgers & Evans store. See Elvin Thompson. 40-tf-c

FOR RENT—One four-room house. See H. V. Williams. 41-11-c

FURNISHED room for rent until June 1st. See R. L. Terry. Phone 369-W or 338.

FOR RENT—4-room house, close in. W. G. Ralston. 41-11-c

FOR RENT—Farm southwest Snyder, 120 acres in cultivation, 40 acres pasture. House with three large rooms; other improvements and lots of fine water. Towle, Boren & Ramsour. 41-2t-c

TWO-ROOM furnished apartment, attractively priced. Close in. Inquire at Cunningham home or see Guy Ross at Economy Store. 41-11-c

WANTED

WANTED—Man and wife to do work on farm and ranch. Call 9034. 40-tf-c

SALESMANAGER WANTED.—Scurry County rights for fastest selling health article on market. Endorsed by all chemists and doctors throughout the State. No competition. Salesmen's average earnings \$500 per month. Gooch & Wright Co., 211 Alexander Bldg., Abilene, Texas. Phone 2384. 41-11-p

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE TO STREET TAXPAYERS.

All male persons between the ages of 21 and 45 living in the city limits will be subject to a street tax of \$3.00. Due on or before the 31st day of March, after which the tax will be \$5.00 or 5 days work on the streets. S. A. Taylor will see you on the street or at tax assessor's office and receipt you for same. FRITZ R. SMITH, Mayor. 40-2t-c

LOOK—For the Big Singer Sewing Machine sign at the Maxwell Hotel. All parts and adjustments, sales and collections will be taken care of there. T. F. Brantley, Agent. 40-7t-p

IN THREE weeks I will have baby chicks for sale, 18 cents each, and will run my incubators until July 1st. American Strain White Leghorns. Mrs. S. S. Daugherty, Snyder, Texas. 39-3t-p

SALE PLANTS—Lots of things, 10 for \$1.00. Bell's Flower Shop. 41-2t-c

TO TRADE—A good Maxwell Coach in first class condition for some good vendor's lien notes on property in Scurry County. Towle, Boren & Ramsour. 41-2t-c

BULBS—Gladiolus, Cannas, Dahlias, Elephant Ears, Tube Rosses, Lilies, etc. Bell's Flower Shop. 41-2t-c

COME to the Farmer's Union Gin to get 1924 planting cotton seed, good, sound maize and good coal, at \$10 per ton. 41-tf-c

PARTLY furnished house for rent. Close in. See Mrs. Hugh Scarborough. Call 277. 41-11-p

STILL FOUND—One and one half blocks north of court house on North Clairmont St., operating at its full capacity. One 3-gallon copper still was found. Glad to say there were no arrests made for the still was making pure distilled water for batteries, which is used by Moore Battery Service. Also used by Stinson Camp Ground, Tator's Garage, Texas Service Station, Frank Arnett Garage, Tourist Camp Ground and Motor Service Station. 41-11-c

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The Bachelor and the Dolls

By DOROTHY DOUGLAS

WHEN John Webb's eyes caught sight of the advertisement in his morning paper he felt as if he had got a letter from home with a very large check in it. A burden was suddenly lifted from his shoulders.

He had been scanning desperately every inch of the paper with a view of finding out something suitable for presents for very young girls.

Each birthday and Christmas was a perfect nightmare to John as it rolled along. He went helplessly into the shops to look for presents for small girls and was jostled and laughed at and poked fun at throughout the ordeal. He felt incensed at his sister for not rearing a family of boys. John could have purchased engines and soldiers quite easily.

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As he went his way Grannyward that evening John recalled darkly the time when he had presented Gloria, aged four, with a writing set. The only thing that had interested the young lady had been the ink. Gloria was now eight and the ink stains were still reminders on the nursery rug. Granny had a small studio flat on East Fifty-second street. John felt that many of his troubles were over. He would supply dolls of every era for the next five years.

A young lady with a mass of golden hair opened the door and John entered and expressed a desire to interview Granny, though he was curiously pleased with—perhaps Granny's grandchild.

"I am Granny," laughed the fair one and pointed to heaps upon heaps of dolls of every description that were littering divan, chairs, table and overflowing to the floor. "These are my grandchildren."

John laughed helplessly. He told her his mission and found her most sympathetic and helpful.

"Perhaps you would like one made first like your mother," she suggested softly and looked up into John's eyes.

John knew he would. He reached

into his pocket and drew therefrom an old portrait of his mother and father on their wedding day.

"Oh, isn't she sweet and aren't his sideburns darling," Granny exclaimed all enthusiastic over her work. "I could make them both for you."

"Oh, you make mere men dolls, too? That's great."

"Now, if you will just select the dolls from that assortment I will get to work right away. I like my customers to select their own dolls."

John heaved a sigh but went downward led by Granny. He picked up any number with masculine ignorance and handed over one with a huge mop of golden fluff.

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sternly regard with which he was waiting her answer. Much seemed to hang on it.

"I should dislike being the cause of loss to you," she said, "perhaps it would be safer to bring it."

"There's no doubt in my mind whatever," said John, and left her with the certain knowledge that things would go rather smoothly from then on.

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NEW WHITE SWAN COFFEE ROASTING PLANT

THE big, modern four-story coffee roasting plant pictured above has just been finished and put in operation by the Waples-Platter Grocer Company to help care for the ever-growing demand for its well known product, White Swan Coffee. This great building, with its 35,000 square feet of floor space and its ultra modern equipment, is a far cry from the days of 1872 when the company was founded at Denison, Texas, where tents first housed the organization and supplies were brought in by ox-carts; or even from 1895 when coffees were first blended and roasted by this institution.

The new plant, in construction and equipment, is the last word in efficiency and is ideal for the correct manufacture of fine coffee. Here is ample storage space for thousands of dollars' worth of green coffees from the countries which produce the choicest grades. In the photo at the upper left you see the bright sunlit roasting department where in one roaster 500 pounds of coffee can be perfectly roasted every half hour. The light in this department is a most important factor as the best roasting demands expert and careful testings as to color. Therefore, this department is a flood of pure north light for the purpose.

The octopus-like chutes leading from the roasting department carry the roasted coffees by gravity down through the grinding department and finally to the super-clean and sanitary packing department on the first floor. From the minute the green coffee enters the roasters until it reaches the housewife, no human hand touches it; the Waples-Platter process handles the coffees cleanly and mechanically. In packing, each can is filled and carefully weighed for full weight.

Knowing that coffee must reach the consumer within two to three weeks after its roasting date, if its original quality is to be enjoyed by the drinker, the Waples-Platter folks have giant trucks waiting to rush their White Swan Coffee swiftly by truck and rail to the twenty-two wholesale branches of the company, from which it is quickly distributed among dealers in small enough quantities to allow them to get it to housewives in their sections with all the original aroma, strength and deliciousness of this finer coffee. In speaking of this freshness, H. C. Platter said: "The original perfect blend of finest coffees that money can buy and the freshness with which it reaches the table of the consumer assure the economy of White Swan Coffee because these qualities make it go at least one-fourth farther."

Kiddies' Evening Story

By MARY GRAHAM BONNER

The Beisa Antelope

"You're very handsome," said the Beisa Antelope to the Gemsbok Antelope.

"To be quite truthful, you are more beautiful than I am. But we look alike."

"We do," said the Gemsbok Antelope, "and our family home is in Africa."

"But what I wanted to tell you was this," said the Beisa Antelope, "how do I know what you want to tell me?"

"If you stop just where you should begin? You started, or you seemed to be starting to tell me, when you stopped."

"That is so, I did," said the Beisa Antelope, "but I was going to finish sooner or later."

"Won't you make it sooner rather than later?" asked the Gemsbok Antelope politely.

The Gemsbok Antelope was a good-sized antelope with a beautiful coat of black and white and gray.

The Beisa Antelope was almost as handsome but not quite so beautifully marked.

"I was going to say, and now that you are so polite, I will tell you now that I am so glad we have straight horns."

"We have such fine, long, powerful horns."

"When we are free, we can look after ourselves so well with these horns, and here in the zoo we can be admired and also we can feel that we always have our means of protection with us."

"It would make me sad indeed to have crooked horns. I would feel as though I were not straightforward and honest."

"Of course, crooked horns do not mean dishonesty, but for myself, I like the straight horns."

"You mustn't misunderstand me and think that I think that those with crooked horns have crooked natures."

"I know that is not the case. But just for myself I can't help feeling that I do like my straight horns, and that they help to make me live up to my ideals of an honest antelope of my family."

"I couldn't help but feel that there was something about me which wasn't so fine and frank if I had crooked horns."

"Now look here," said the Gemsbok Antelope, "you are quite wrong."

"Oh, no, oh, no, I am not wrong," said the Beisa Antelope, waving his head.

"I have straight horns. I am not wrong."

"As regards your horns, you are right," said the Gemsbok Antelope. "But straight horns never mean straightforwardness and honesty."

"They have nothing to do with it. Nothing whatever. Absolutely and

honestly and surely nothing will ever do with it.

"To be sure, you said that those with crooked horns were quite honest and straight—just you made out somewhat that your straight horns are a help to you."

"That is not so. You are honest because you like to be honest and straight horns never make any difference."

"To be honest and straight toward one must think and act that way, and not just look that way."

"It is as though a child would say she was straightforward and honest because she had straight hair."

How Wylackie Indians Capture Their Fish

Before beginning the fishing operations it was incumbent upon them to eat up five small deer which they had brought into camp. William Kent writes, in the Yale Review, concerning the Wylackie Indian tribe. This was a worthwhile performance. The deer were skinned and hung up near the fire. The Indians sat around, each with a sharpened stick. They went to the pendant carcasses and cut off strips which they then partially broiled and swallowed, and continued in this occupation without napkins or finger bowls for about fifteen hours, at which time they exhibited considerable distention. From time to time the stripped bones were handed out to the non-descript dogs that always signalize an Indian camp. After this sumptuous repast both people and dogs were able to endure several days of fasting without complaint.

However, after a due allowance of sleep, our friends went out for fish, and it was a most interesting performance. Out of respect for us they refrained from the easy use of dynamite and put in practice an ancient method of getting results.

Going to a deep pool in a rock left they beat upon the water with branches, threw in stones and scared the school of fish until, like so many small trout, they took refuge under the banks. Then an able bodied Indian stripped and, taking in his hand a small scoop net with out a handle, dived down into the deeps. He swam under the rocky bank until only his legs were visible in the clear water. He succeeded in getting a big fish into the net and came in triumph to the surface to drag him out in shallow water. We who considered ourselves fishermen were forced to praise and admiration of such a feat. I commend it as real sportsmanship.

Squirrel's "L"

A telephone wire might be termed a public highway, but rather a highway of speech than one for transportation.

However, this fact does not seem to be generally known, at least not among our animal friends. From Wilmington, Del., comes the story of a squirrel that travels a mile every day by telephone wire for its meals, crawling all the distance along the wires. William Krause, a grocer, some little time ago coaxed the squirrel down from a telephone pole by offering it nuts, and since then the squirrel has made its appearance every day. One morning and found that its nest was in the woods fully a mile distant.—Telephone Service Bulletin.

Smart

Freddie was sobbing bitterly in the road, and the kind-hearted old gentleman stopped to ascertain the cause of the trouble.

"What's the matter, my little man?" he asked.

"I've lost my new ball," sobbed the youngster, "and I've no money to get another."

"Never mind," said the old gentleman; "here's a shilling to go and buy a new one." And out came a bright coin which Freddie promptly pocketed. "Where did you lose your ball, sonny?" he inquired, as an afterthought.

"It went through your dining-room window," said Freddie, as he disappeared round the corner.

Genus Not Immune to Domestic Trouble

It may be some consolation for those who have a servant girl problem to read the following reference to similar troubles in the life of a great man.

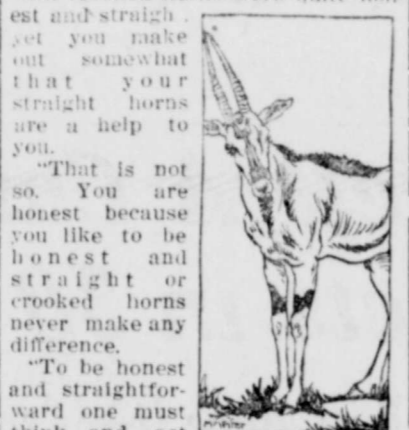
It is hard to believe that Beethoven, so much of whose life must have been spent in communion with the marvelous vision of his genius, was constantly immersed also in petty details of housekeeping. In his diaries and letters are numerous references to them. His servants, from his own account, were nearly always incompetent, for he describes at length their neglect of him. And one passage in a diary is devoted to entries concerning kitchen maids, one of whom "ran away," and another of whom he writes—"gave the kitchen maid warning"—though it is satisfactory to see by the next entry that "the new maid came." In the intervals of these distresses Beethoven wrote the Choral Symphony, and the great Mass in D!

Agriculture's Charm

What pursuit is more comfortable for a man's servants, more delightful to his wife, more attractive to his children, or more gratifying to his friends? I should be surprised for my own part, if any man of liberal feelings has met with any possession more pleasing than a farm, or discovered any pursuit more attractive, or more conducive to the means of life than agriculture.—Socrates.

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THANKS!

We just want to thank you for your patronage and tell you that we are always striving to please. It is our earnest desire to give you the best food possible and throw in plenty of service with it.

American Cafe

A. B. (Boss) BAZE, Prop.

Of Phoenician Origin?

Melungeons are a distinct race of people living in the mountains of eastern Tennessee. They are about the color of mulattoes, but have straight hair. They are supposed to be descendants of some ancient Phoenicians, who removed from Carthage and settled in Morocco. They have no admixture of negro blood. From Morocco, a colony crossed the Atlantic and settled in South Carolina. From that locality they moved to Hancock county, Tenn. The Melungeons are to a considerable extent illiterate, and are for the most part engaged in farming.—Washington Star.

Sugar From Dahlias

A new dahlia and artichoke industry promises new life for domestic sugar manufacturers, according to Science. At present, huge beet-sugar plants are lying idle two-thirds of the year for lack of raw material. It is now expected that after producing beet sugar in the summer the plants will run four months on dahlia tubers to produce large quantities of the new levulose sugar. At present levulose is prepared only as a syrup or moist, powder-like brown sugar, but the problems of crystallization are rapidly being solved commercially.

Lightning in Forests

When lightning strikes a tree the ordinary result is to splinter the wood or strip off bark through the sudden generation of steam, says Nature Magazine. In the great majority of cases the tree is not set on fire. Nevertheless, the aggregate number of forest fires started by lightning is, in many parts of the country, greater than the number due to all other causes combined.

Toofus

Toofus say to old Chief Cut Plug of Flatfoot tribe: "How about some valuable glass beads which I will trade you for fox pelts?"

Chief laugh and say: "Toofus, I told you that is old stuff since before the time of Chief Corapiantler. You cannot fool educated Indians with glass beads. But since you are so full of business, lemme sell you some building lots in Fort Mink."

"Lots in tamarack swamp," say Toofus.

"They may be a little damp."

"Four feet of water. That is how damp they are."

Chief grin and walk away.

"That Indian will do me," say Toofus. "If I not watch once. He is unscrupulous."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Wouldn't Bear Out Theory

Theoretically, a head-on collision between two freely moving bodies of the same weight and type would result in an equal shock to both, regardless of their speeds. The forces of impact act equally on both bodies, and in the case of two automobiles would tend to throw all occupants forward in their respective cars with equal violence. However, in an actual collision between autos involving speeds as high as 50 miles per hour, so many unevaluated factors would enter that it is probable that results would seldom, if ever, be exactly as expected from the ideal theoretical case.

Electric Lamp Record

The people of the United States used 388,000,000 electric lamps in 1924. This was nearly four bulbs for every person and the total, which was 17 per cent greater than that of the previous year, establishes a new high record.

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We will pay \$25.00 for conviction of any person caught with Bass in his possession of any size during the month of March and April or less than 10 inches in length any other time of year, or for the violation of any other game laws.

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How does everybody like these beautiful Spring days? It makes us all feel like Spring is near and gardening time has come.

The health of this community is not very good as there are still several on the sick list.

The Bison school is progressing nicely. They had examination this week. Everyone is glad they are over for this month.

Our school has an enrollment of 60. Now, don't you think it time to organize a Sunday School at Bison.

We are very glad to report Mrs. E. A. Birdwell much improved. She has been suffering with her arm as a result of her vaccination.

Mrs. Alford Weathers is improving nicely from a severe spell of flu.

Mr. Brown's children are ill with the flu.

Roy Bivins returned from Lubbock Sanitarium last Friday evening. He is improving nicely.

We understand that Mr. and Mrs. Jim Weathers have been quite ill for several days with flu.

Mrs. Harley Smith has been real sick with flu.

Miss Olean Franks visited Mrs. Jim Weathers last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weathers visited Mr. and Mrs. Walker Huddleston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Millhollen gave the young folks a singing last Sunday night, the 14th. Everyone enjoyed the singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Warren and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bell of Snyder Monday.

Alford Weathers was at Knapp Monday evening.

Mrs. Andy Miller and Mrs. Pearl Sterling of Ira community visited Mrs. Lizzie Miller Tuesday.

W. F. Burney made a business trip to Snyder Wednesday.

Mrs. Whit Thompson and children of the Bison community were in Snyder Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. T. B. Carter was shopping in Snyder Wednesday.

Mrs. Walter Weathers was in Snyder Wednesday afternoon.

Alford Weathers made a business trip to Snyder Wednesday.

Mrs. Stella Wellbury was shopping in Snyder Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burney visited Mrs. George Bishop Thursday.

Miss Ina Binnion was shopping in Snyder Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Bob Warren and children visited Mrs. George Childress Friday.

Mrs. Ed Murphy visited Mrs. Jim Weathers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Childress gave the young folks a party Friday night. It was well attended

and enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Warren, Miss Olean Franks visited Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Burney Friday.

Grandpa Bishop visited his daughter, Mrs. John Kitchen at Hilton.

Mrs. Rufe Sterling took dinner with Mrs. Willie Sterling Saturday.

Mrs. George Bishop and children of Sharon community visited Mrs. W. F. Burney Saturday afternoon.

Clyde Key made a business trip to Snyder Saturday.

Miss Cora Sterling was shopping in Snyder Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weathers gave a party Saturday night. Everyone reported having a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Welborn of Snyder were out to the ranch Sunday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Emmett Trevey took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. George Bishop Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufe Sterling visited Mr. and Mrs. Cal Millhollen Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Miller visited in Ira community Sunday.

There was quite a crowd at Bison Sunday evening to organize a singing class. We meet first and third Sunday evenings in each month.

Everyone come and attend singing the first Sunday evening in April.

We understand there will be a rabbit drive on the H. P. Wellborn ranch Thursday, April 1.

Everyone cordially invited. Bring your guns and kill the rabbits and we will furnish the dinner.

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Mr. Baker Tells Something of Interest to Snyder Folks.

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to have such a reputation in our community write-ups, but will let the good, honest people be on the watch. Such characters are to be found or had in or near each community.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis Sunday afternoon. Tom Davis is on the sick list. Mrs. Auda V. Brown is improving nicely.

Mrs. E. W. Brooks and baby of Dallas are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brooks and other relatives the past week.

Mrs. Walter W. Williams and children visited in Hermleigh last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Combs is visiting her daughter, Mrs. O. B. Bynum of Lubbock.

John Dumas of Sweetwater spent several nights of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wren.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks of Lamesa visited their daughter, Mrs. Nathan Hughes Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Huckabee and son, A. W., visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Turner at Brownfield, Texas, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Huckabee visited Uncle Billy Huckabee and family Sunday at Union.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Biggs took dinner with Mrs. Effie Ramsey of Crowder Sunday.

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WHATLEY ITEMS.

This part of the county got a good rain last Saturday night, which was a great benefit to the grass and small grain.

We are very sorry to learn of Mr. Dobbs' baby being sick. We hope he will soon be better.

Mr. and Mrs. Herren received a message from Post City last Saturday night that their grandson, Guy Buffalo was seriously hurt, from falling off a wagon, but later got another message that he was not hurt so badly. He was knocked unconscious for several hours, when he came to himself he was alright.

Miss Newel Davidson spent Monday night with Miss Nellie Buffalo.

Bill Buffalo from Slaton is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herren.

Miss Cora Belle Johnson visited with Miss Buleah Randells Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Vickery visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. Metcalf Sunday.

Ocie Buffalo attended the funeral of Willie Boss at Dermott Monday.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Program for Senior Christian Endeavor, First Christian Church, March 28, 1926, at 6 p. m. Subject—The Gospel in the Near East.

Where is the Near East?—James Martin.

Why does God allow innocent children to be persecuted and to suffer?—Inez Baze.

What immediate help can our Christian Endeavor send to the Near East?—Boynton Martin.

Why is this an opportune time to send missionary teachers to the children in the Near East?—Maurine Martin.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

BASEBALL. Tuesday afternoon, March 16,

baseball uniforms were issued to the regular first team of Snyder High. Those receiving uniforms were: Blackard, Boren, Carrell, Cotten, Curry, Deakins, Fesmire, Jones, Joyce, Ketter, Stacy and Woosley.

Thursday afternoon the Tigers and the independent team of Snyder played a seven-inning game in which the independents were victorious 11-10. The team and batting order for S. H. S. was, Stacy, 2b; Joyce, 1b; Woosley, ss; Cotten, c; Curry, cf; Ketter, lf; Blackard, rf; Boren, 3b; Jones, p. Woosley hit a home run with one on and Greene and McGlaun hit homers for the big tiges. The Tigers went into the last half of the seventh with the scores 11-8 against them. Ketter walked, Blackard hit a grounder through Greene, Boren and Jones went out in succession, Stacy singled to left field scoring Ketter and Blackard, Joyce walked, Greene tropped Woosley's hard hit pick-up but made no attempt to throw anybody out, filling the bases. Cotten worked the count to 3-2, then fouled off several before he struck out to end the game.

Batteries—P. Hutchison, B. Hutchison, Greene and Williams. Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Biggs took dinner with Mrs. Effie Ramsey of Crowder Sunday.

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The high school literary society will meet next Tuesday and the following program will be given: Piano Solo—Margaret Dell Prim; Early Life of Edgar, a Guest—Lewis Bennett.

The Broken Wheel—Lois Hughes.

Edgar A. Guest as a Newspaper editor—James Holcomb.

Home Life of Edgar A. Guest—Edna Upton.

Promotion—Mary Lynn Nation.

The Real Treasures—Lake Howell.

LOCALS.

The basket ball boys got their sweaters Monday. They seem to

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be very proud of them. The Canyon and Pleasant Hill boys played a basket ball game on the Snyder court last Friday evening, Pleasant Hill being the winners. A made-up game was played after that one.

The tryout for declamation will be held in the auditorium Tuesday night. The essay tryout will be Wednesday morning.

The Spanish Club is planning to go on a "weenie" roast soon.

It seems that someone is making up and beginning to beautify the school ground with flowers.

THE SENIORS.

A call meeting of the senior class was held Thursday noon, March 18. The activities for the rest of the year were discussed by Mr. Bagwell. The class decided to give numerous entertainments and short plays in assembly instead of one long play as formerly planned.

The class will put on a hen sale soon. Each student will sell as many hens as he can. The money will be added to the class funds.

The seniors were delightfully entertained with a "tacky" party Friday evening, March 12, at the home of Mrs. A. M. Morrow.

Mr. Bagwell says he's going to give us a one-day holiday soon; we are considering making it a "picnic day."

The English IV classes will begin a series of debates to begin in about three weeks.

The McAllen school board held a very important meeting last night at which Prof. J. H. Burnett was elected superintendent of

school for another year. "Mr. Burnett's work in the local schools has been an important factor in their rapid development and the board members considered themselves indeed fortunate in securing him for another term."—McAllen Daily Press.

A building program is soon to be launched by the McAllen school board, with a bond issue adequate to care for the school needs.—McAllen Daily Press.

Note—It will be remembered that Mr. Burnett was superintendent of Snyder city schools for two years before the coming of the present superintendent, I. C. Bagwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Strayhorn and two sons of Rotan visited in Snyder Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Strayhorn and family. Mrs. Strayhorn is spending this week in this city.

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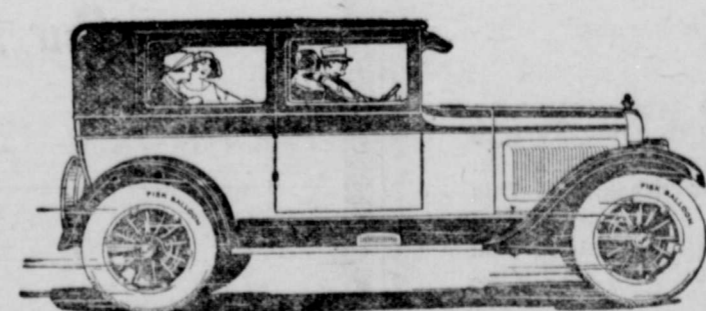
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FLUVANNA NEWS.

Fine Rain. As stated in former articles, the farm lands in this community have been in fine condition for plowing for some time. As a result nearly all the farmers have about all their lands put up. This was, indeed, a fine start for a crop. But now we are doubly blessed. On last Saturday night we had a fine warm rain, amounting to one and one-half inches here in town, but we are told, it was heavier to our south and northeast of the town. Thus, the outlook for a fine crop is quite good. This time last year our hands were as dry as they could very well be, we not having had any rain between the, October 6, 1924 and April 7, 1925. During that period we had two very light snows but they only gave us about 1-4 inch of water, taken together and of course did but little good. Surely we should be very thankful for the present favorable out-look.

Death by Lightning. The very sad word comes to us that Willie Boss of Dermott was instantly killed by lightning, presumably about dark or a little later, while he was getting ready to load his truck-tank with crude oil at Justiceburg last Saturday night. No one knew of this calamity until Sunday morning, when the young man was found hanging on top of his tank, terribly mangled by the heavy bolt. The deceased leaves his parents and two brothers at Dermott, and a sister, Mrs. Floyd Smith of Snyder, to mourn their great loss. We are only giving this matter brief mention because, in the first place, we do not know all the facts, and second, the item really belongs to the Dermott reporter. The bereaved certainly have our sincere sympathy.

Bad Order. Bad order on the part of a good many of our youngsters, especially boys, in connection with the public functions, held in our school building, has come to be not only an annoyance, but a nuisance which reflects shame on our community. Perhaps no one really means to be in connection with anything so much moving about, stamping the floor, loud talk, etc., during the course of an address or program of any kind. The result is, those putting on the program are frustrated and the people in the audience cannot hear what is being said. It does look like that anyone would know that such conduct is very rude, and that it reflects seriously against the otherwise good name of parents and the whole community. The point where it cannot long be tolerated, steps are now being taken to bring the situation under official control. Parents and all good citizens will do well to co-operate with this movement.

Sickness. The flu condition in the community is, in a large measure going way. The Tom Jones family, who have been wrestling with flu for several days, are all able to be up again. Miss Jennie Blew was carried last Saturday (we understand) to a sanitarium in Abilene, where she expected to undergo an operation. We hope she comes out well. Miss Fiecia Dalton recently returned from a Lubbock Sanitarium, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis. She is said to be doing well. "Buster" Robertson is in a Lubbock sanitarium where, we understand, he has recently undergone an operation for appendicitis. He is said to be doing well. The Hobbs baby, mentioned last week, is said to be still in a very serious condition. The mother and grandmother, in the same home, are yet unable to be up. The village preacher is having a second tussle with flu. It looks like one time in a season is enough.

Visiting. J. B. Bley and wife went, Tuesday, to Sweetwater for a visit and business. Mr. and Mrs. John Whately and daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Jones and husband, all of Snyder, were here visiting relatives last Sunday. Ed Deer and niece of Ranger were here last Friday and Saturday. Rev. Fred S. Rogers, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Lame-

sa, in company with Rev. Manley, were in Fluvanna Tuesday and were very pleasant callers in the home of the village preacher.

School Notes. On last Tuesday morning, March 23, the chapel services were conducted by the Christian Endeavor Society. A very interesting program was rendered and enjoyed by all. The program consisted of following numbers: Song—School. Scripture Readings and Comments—Mrs. Pat Jones. Prayer—D. A. Jones. Song—School. Reading—J. T. Beaver. Talk—John Stavely. Quartet. Prayer.

Next Tuesday morning, March 30, the chapel services will be conducted by the B. M. A. Baptist church.

The P. T. A. met at school building Tuesday afternoon, March 23.

The Girls' Demonstration Club met at school building Tuesday morning, March 23.

A mass meeting was held at school building last Friday night, March 19. The discussion was on making an independent district out of the Fluvanna district. There was a large number of people present. Much interest was shown in the meeting. All patrons of the school should acquaint themselves with this problem.

The declamation try-out was also held at the same time. The winners were the following: Senior Girls—First place, Vernah Boynton. Second place, Mae Frances Beaver.

Junior Girls—First place, Burline Boynton. Second place, Edith Hall.

Junior Boys—First place, Paul Moore; second place, J. T. Beaver. The faculty will carry the play "The Poor Married Man," to its next Friday night, March 26.

The school is hopeful that the patrons will encourage the children to take part in the interschool league contest, also encourage children to make exhibit for the fair.

Honor Roll—First grade: A. V. Ball, Winnie Mae Byrd. Second grade: Ruby Weems. Third grade: Bonnie Campbell, Juanita Landrum, Joyce Wilson, Horace Wilson. Fourth grade: Bernice McDonald, J. W. Haynes, Buri Belev, Odell Hall, Juanita Ball, Mary Ruth, Jessie D. Odum. Fifth grade: John Truss, Bud Boren, Jack Nesbit Mez Gleghorn. Sixth grade: Paul Moore, Ross Marie Clawson, Roxie Lee Holdridge, Zephia Landrum. Seventh grade: Pauline Haynes, Matty Lynn Beaver, Luke Weems Roland Squires, Bro. Moores, Willie May Fry. Eighth grade: Nadine Haynes, Burline Boynton, Ruby Bley, Lloyds Ainsworth. Ninth grade: Emma Leota Landrum, Mollie Flournoy, Anna Lee Cowan. Tenth grade: Zeta Landrum.

School Reporter.

Epworth League Program, March 28, 1926. Subject—Jesus Lessons of the Cross.

Leader—Clifford Haynes. Scripture Reading, Matt. 16:21-28; John 10:11-16; 12:7-8-32, 3:15-16—Clifford Ware.

Leader's Talk. Lord's Prayer. Song—"The Way of the Cross Leads Home."

Bible Reference. An Old Testament Symbol. Numbers 21:4-9—Burline Boynton.

An Apostolic Determination, 1 Cor. 2:1—Angie Haynes. The Cross Includes all Followers of Jesus—Mrs. Ola Stavely. The Cross Means a Life for Life—Lucille Tarter.

The Cross Means Healing of the Disease Sin—Mae Frances Beaver. Song, "The Old Rugged Cross." Jas. H. Tate, Cor.

LADIES' AID. Ladies' Aid of First Christian church met Monday, March 22, rendering a missionary program as follows: Scripture Lesson, second chapter of James, read by Mrs. J. H. Hamlett. American History Repeating itself in Canada—Mrs. J. O. Temple. Near East Relief as I Saw It—

Mrs. Fritz R. Smith. Debts and Investments—Mrs. W. B. Stanfield.

The Church with a World Vision—Mrs. Hugh Boren. Dismissed by Special Prayers for the Meeting This Week, by Mrs. A. J. Cody and Mrs. Earle Brown.

Ladies' Aid of First Christian church met at the church Thursday, March 18, to show our appreciation for our pastor's wife, as far as was possible for us to do so, by quilting all day for her, because she is soon to leave us.

At the luncheon hour the Ladies' Aid members and their husbands and families had a great feast of good things which had been prepared by the ladies.

All had very enjoyable day together at the social hour and also in doing the work for Sister Sparks.

PATENTS GRANTED TEXANS. Compiled by Munn & Co., Patent Attorneys.

Of 886 patents issued in the last week, Texas inventors obtained 21.

Ralph Roy Kemmis of El Paso, Rotary hairbrush. This invention relates to improvements in electricity operated rotary brushes, and is more particularly adapted for use as a rotary hair brush which will provide an efficient means for massaging the scalp.

James Charles Ganner of Houston, Cotton gin. This invention relates to gins, and more particularly to gins for the treatment of cotton and other fibrous material.

John Wm. Kaye of Luling, Tie buckle. This invention relates to a buckle for use in connection with ties and particularly the steel ties as used on cotton bales and the like.

Solomon H. Weinstein of Dallas, Seam protector for automobile hoods. The object of this invention is to provide an elongated flexible member for covering the hinge joint or seam of an automobile hood to exclude extraneous matter, such as water, dust, etc.

John W. Roddy of Bowie, Measuring device. Another feature of this invention is to provide an instrument in a convenient form whereby the rule may be carried therewith and a compact and efficient device had.

George P. Galvin and Frank L. Sweeney of Dallas, Cleaner drum for cotton gin feeders. This relates to certain new and useful improvements in cleaner drums for cotton gin feeders, and has more particular reference to an improved metal drum to be used in a cotton gin feeder for cleaning cotton.

William H. Evans of Dallas, Communion bread baker. This invention relates to a device for baking communion bread and at the same time marking or indenting the bread so that it may be easily broken up into segments for the communion service.

George E. West of Dallas, Curtain and shade hanger. This invention aims to provide a novel means whereby a support for a curtain, shade or screen may be adjusted vertically on a window frame and be held frictionally in any position to which it may have been adjusted.

Robert H. Roark of Waco, Machine for scoring ice. This invention relates to machines for scoring blocks of ice, so as to insure the accurate cutting thereof into predetermined sizes for the retail trade.

Theo. Boyd Hubbard of Houston, Rod bender. Another object of this invention is to provide an implement which is of very simple structure and may be cheaply produced and easily handled.

Amzi F. Haynie of Batson, Cable connection. Another object of this invention is to produce a connection which is of very simple and durable construction and which may be readily adjusted so as to take up wear.

Thomas H. Ragland of Texarkana, Toilet seat cushion. An important object of this invention is to provide novel means which will be adjustable for use in connection with seats of various diameters.

Edward Williams of Iowa Park, Traffic signal. This invention has relation to signaling means for motor vehicles whereby the driver may signal his intention and thereby avoid confusion and possible casualty.

Celestino Martinez of San Diego, Cotton cleaning cylinder. This invention comprehends the provision of a cotton cleaning machine, including a cylinder having spaced parallel rows of fins, designed and related to engage and move the cotton across the formed bottom of the machine without any tendency to tear.

TREAT IN STORE FOR MOVIE LOVERS. Movie patrons have a treat in store for them on Monday and Tuesday, 29th and 30th, at the Palace Theatre where "Drusilla with a Million," Elizabeth Cooper's widely read novel enjoys its first screen presentation here. Nothing so fresh, charming and generally inspiring has come out of Hollywood in months as this brilliant adaptation of an unusual and compelling story.

F. Harmon Weight, the director, Lois Zellner, who did the scenario from the popular Cooper book, and a splendid cast have combined to retain in all its pristine splendor the flavor of its original different.

Mary Carr, Pricilla Bonner Kenneth Harlan, Clarence Du Bray and William Humphrey are the featured players. Those who saw Mrs. Carr in "Over the Hill" in which she made such a reputation will find that in the role of "Drusilla," a little old lady charity patient who suddenly is raised to affluence, she has a part that far transcends anything she has ever done. Miss Bonner and Kenneth Harlan make a splendid romance seem as vivid as a first kiss, and all the rest of the cast, including a score or so of babies, are excellent. In addition to beautiful paths and comedy, "Drusilla with a Million" boasts of one of the biggest "punch" scenes within recent memory.

Mrs. Fred Grayum visited in the city Monday with her sister, Mrs. J. C. Stinson, en route from her home in Dallas to Lubbock where she will visit with her daughter, Miss Violet.

H. G. Towle and D. P. Yoder returned to the city Sunday from a trip in Old Mexico.

FEDERATION MEETING. The monthly meeting of the County Federation of women's Clubs was held in the county court room Saturday, March 13, 3 p. m., with most of the clubs of the Federation having a full attendance of delegates.

Mrs. Whitmore presided, Mrs. L. T. Stinson not being present because of illness. The secretary, Miss Meritt Abers, read very interesting minutes of the last meeting and extended praise for the greater number of clubs furnishing her with written reports of their work.

The reading of the letter from State Federation of Women's Clubs, chairman of Rural Life Work, Mrs. Crites of Mineral Wells, caused much comment. Scurry County is doing work that will be notable throughout the State.

Mrs. Curnutte, the incoming president, was chosen as delegate to the district meeting in Childress, April 20. She also being delegate from the Altruists, that club will share the expense.

The reports from the various clubs were fine, that from Dunn being very full, some of its items being 1,000 lbs. of meat killed, 34 gallons lard made, 50 lbs. soap made, 2 hot beds made, 14 trees set out, 1,700 onion plants set out, 445 eggs set, 15 garments made, etc. Fluvanna also gave a good report and they now have 57 members, with 37 attending the recent millinery school. Dermott, among other good things, reports 4 hot beds made and 118 cans of beef canned. Hermeleigh could have no delegate present but mailed a fine report. The Snyder P. T. A. reports that at last meeting with an entertaining program, including rare musical numbers, entire program of home talent, was enjoyed by a large audience and that on March 24 the famous Longhorn Band of the State University, Austin, will be at the Palace Theatre with a fine program of music and other entertaining features, including a play. We gladly welcome these talented young men and young women, about 37 in number, to our city and bespeak for them an appreciative hearing. Each club reporting shows interesting and worthwhile work being done.

Altruistic Club's chairman of "Better Homes," Adult Methodist Woman's Missionary Society, will give the program number at next meeting, April 10. We were glad to have as visitors several women from Woodard and trust they will soon join the Federation.

The Scurry County Council for girls' clubs met this same afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, in the office of the home demonstration agent, Miss Roten. The meeting was called to order by the county chairman, Dixie Lee Mitchell. The club motto, "To make the best better," was given by the group, then the club pledge, there each girl told her idea as to what will help to make the club better and gave her suggestion as to what work each club can be doing. The council expressed its appreciation to the County Poultry Association for eggs contributed to be used by the girls clubs and pledged themselves to try to make the poultry show something to really crow about.

The first meeting of the council shows that the girls clubs are doing fine work and every club member of the county is invited to attend the monthly meetings of the council which will be held on first Saturdays. Mrs. Hardy Scarborough of Pleasant Hill and Mrs. Pat Jones of Fluvanna will assist Miss Roten in this work with the girls. Those present at this meeting were Hattie Lee Hart, Bonnie Johnie Horsley, Woodard; Pauline Heynes, Fluvanna; Virginia Layne, Canyon; Dixie Lee Mitchell, Plainview; Joseph Pennell, Canyon; Lessie Lee Horsley, Woodard; Alzona Graham, Plainview; Pauline Nail, Dunn, and Frances Clay, Pleasant Hill. The council meeting adjourned in time for Miss Roten to attend the Federation meeting. She reports 14 women's clubs and 15 girls' clubs. We are all proud of the efficient intensive and far-reaching work Miss Roten is doing, and the members themselves, are the ones most benefited. The reporter learned from Mrs. Jasper Wilborn of Pleasant Hill that she has attended every meeting of her club since it was organized. No doubt others are doing equally as well, which accounts in great measure for the wonderful work being accomplished.—Reporter.

A CORRECTION. In last week's issue the name of Mr. W. W. Early was placed in the wrong place by mistake, getting him in under the heading of Public Weigher instead of Commissioner. Mr. Early is presenting his claims in this issue.

CROWDER SCHOOL NOTES. Since our last report the rural aid inspector has visited our school. He gave us a favorable report.

Our school is in possession of two bookcases which are the results of the work of the school boys. They did all the work from the sawing to the varnishing.

Elmer McCollum is back in school. He has been absent because of his mother's illness. We are very glad to report that she is much improved.

Gladys McCollum is still out of school with her mother.

Vera Sisson is absent because of illness.

Florence Davis was suffering a few days last week from a sore throat that kept her from school several days.

We finished our monthly examinations for the fourth month last week. Those making a general average of above 90 per cent in Mrs. Johnson's room were: Clarice Blakeley, Dessie Parsons and Blanche Bearden.

We were very happy to have Miss Roten with us last Thursday morning. She organized a club with the girls. They will work in conjunction with the sewing club which we organized some time ago. A list of the names of the girls together with the projects chosen by each, follows: Blanche Bearden, poultry and gardening; Bonnie Mae Ramsey, poultry;

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CARD OF THANKS. We cannot find words to express thanks and appreciation to those friends who assisted us during the illness and death of our dear sister, mother and grandmother, Mrs. W. R. Gunn.

Jess Harris. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Boone and Family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bailey and Family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hudnall and Family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Guinn and Family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Guinn and Family.

Beecher Bennett and sisters.

A. B. CASEY FOR SCHOOL DIRECTOR.

The Times-Signal is authorized to announce A. B. Casey as a candidate for school trustee of Precinct No. 15 (Crowder). Mr. Casey says that he feels that he can render his community good service as a school trustee and that if elected, he will serve the community to the very best of his ability.

O. R. Collier, jeweler at H. G. Towle's Jewelry Store, who has been ill with the flu for the past three weeks, has recovered and was back on the job Monday morning.

Mary Terry, poultry; Myrtle Wilkerson, dairying; Juanita McKinney, poultry and gardening; Clarice Blakeley, poultry; Vera Sisson, poultry; Rose Cayce, poultry; Lee Alvin Hays, gardening; Lola Mae Pemberton, poultry; Maurine Martin, poultry; Gladys McCollum, poultry.

The girls are very eager to get down to real work soon. Some have already made a good beginning.

We are very glad to have Mrs. Ross with us this week. She is filling Miss Hays' place in a very able manner, but we miss Miss Hays very much and are looking forward to her return to us.

S. D. Hays, Jr., is having trouble with a finger that was hit with the basket ball. It appears to be out of place, and is the cause of much pain.—Reporter.

Judge Buchanan received a message Sunday stating that his wife, who has been visiting with their daughter, Miss Ruth, in Austin, had been operated on in an Austin Sanitarium. The last report was that she was getting along nicely.

Joe Shirley of Post City visited in Snyder Sunday.

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When asked if it hurt
He replied, 'No, it doesn't,
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SOCIETY AND CLUBS

VERNELLE STIMSON, Society Editor



GIRLS' SCURRY COUNTY COUNCIL

The Scurry County Council for Girls met in the office of the County Home Demonstration Agent at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, March 13. There were ten girls present...

The meeting was called to order by the county chairman, Dixie Lee Mitchell. The club prayer was led by Frances Clay. Pleasant Hill, the Club Motto, "To make the best better" was given by the group of girls.

Then the girls gave the club pledge, after which each girl gave suggestions as to what they thought would be best to make their club better...

These girls are really doing something and feel a great interest in their community. Since this was our first real business meeting we wish to invite every club member of the county to attend the girls' council on the first Saturday in each month.

Those present were: Hattie Lee Mitchell, Dorothy Pennell, Lessie Lee Horsley, Alzada Graham, Pauline Hall and Frances Clay.—Reporter.

CHINA GROVE "WISE OWLS."

The girls "Wise Owls" Club of China Grove are up and coming. The work on hot pan lifters, dishcloths, club caps and aprons, bungalow aprons, and pillow cases is going fine. The girls are even so practical that they have started the idea of making dish mops.

GIRLS' CLUB ORGANIZED AT HUD.

The Girls' Home Demonstration Club at Hud was organized Tuesday, March 16, at the home of Mrs. Jasper Helms. The following officers were elected: President, Miss Shirley Helms; secretary, Miss Sarah Reynolds; and reporter, Miss Jessie Dowden.

"The Hustling Eight." Eight women of the Hud community have organized a Home Demonstration Club and have named it "The Hustling Eight." They will meet at the home of Mrs. Harden the third Thursday in April for an egg and milk demonstration.

Miss Roten, our Home Demonstration Agent, spends one day of each month in the Hud community instead of meeting twice a month, on account of the distance from Snyder.

SULPHUR SPRINGS GIRLS MEET.

The girls of the Sulphur Springs community have organized a Home Demonstration Club and are doing splendid work. The girls have their projects underway. Most of the girls are taking poultry; they have eggs setting and will soon have baby chicks.

UNION HAPPY HAMMERS.

The Union Club Women met in the County Home Demonstration office Saturday afternoon and selected a play that they will give in their community for the benefit of their club. Those present were: Mesdames, H. H. Jeffers, Bob W. Jeffers, D. E. Glover, Arley Briggs and Byron Wren.

"GOOD ENGLISH CLUB" ENTERTAINED.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith entertained the "Good English Club" on Saturday night of last week with a forty-two party at their home in the Ennis Creek community.

The rooms were decorated with the class colors, purple and gold, and bowls of violets, the club flower.

Mrs. Smith was assisted in the entertaining by Hattie Lee and Treva Hart.

The guests enjoying this occasion with Mrs. Smith were: Mesdames, Grace and Nell Floyd, Ola Mae and Gillie Walker, Duella Gee, Eva Hart, Velma Prather, Mary Shipman, Mary Light and Mildred Davis; Messrs. Daniels, Clifton Terman, Galvian Ennis, Floyd Ross Taylor, Sidney Galyean, Allen Davis and Howard Holmes.—Reporter.

UNION CLUB.

The Happy Hammers met for a beef canning demonstration at the home of Mrs. E. Pemberton Friday morning, March 19. After the canning demonstration the house was called to order for the regular meeting at 2:30 with the president in charge. This was followed by the reading of the minutes.

Ladies present: Mesdames Henry Shuler, Elmer Bentley, R. M. Tomlinson, J. A. Morgan, Ruthie Davis, W. H. Hucklebee, Byron Wren, P. A. Mebane, T. L. Carroll, Grady Biggs, Jake Glover, A. B. Cayce, Bob Wren, J. T. Biggs, H. D. Jeffries, Sherman Blakely, W. A. Oliver, Arlie Biggs, E. Pemberton and Miss Lois Hucklebee. Visitors were: Mesdames Elche Cooper, Hopper, Eades, Holt and grandmother Hemman.

Report of work given: Eggs sold \$26.34, eggs set 1,204, cream and butter \$23.62, duck visits 24, baby chicks 213, plants raised 1,195, garments made 56, remodeled 6, hot beds made 2, flower beds 3, brooders made 3, 40 lbs Irish potatoes, 70 No. 2 cans, lard rendered, 10 gallons, fancy work 4 pieces, 33 fruit trees, 10 grape vines, 3 quilts pieced, 50 lbs soap, 33 packages sent planted.

Miss Roten gave some splendid ideas on ways to raise a club fund. Plans were laid for a play to be staged in the near future by the members. This was followed by a round table discussion on kitchen conveniences, led by Miss Roten.

At our next meeting Miss Roten will have a complete kitchen kit showing just what is needed in the kitchen. The program for the next meeting will be on the house dress and roll call will be answered by the color best for the individual type. A demonstration on tailored finishes will be given.

All members are especially asked to be present and visitors are heartily welcomed.

Those not being present will certainly miss something worth while. Please let everyone bring a written report of the home work. Place of next meeting will be Union Chapel, Friday afternoon, April 2, at 2:30.

FRIENDLY HELPERS MEET WITH MRS. WILLIAMS.

The Friendly Helpers class of the First M. E. Church, met with Mrs. Earle Williams Thursday, March 11, with fifteen present.

Organization was discussed. Our class name, "Friendly Helpers," was selected and our motto is, "Help whoever you can whenever you can."

Margaret Miller gave two readings. Mrs. A. G. Prentiss played several numbers, which were enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Frank Darby, Mrs. Carl Yoder and Mrs. Hamilton were put on as a devotional committee. Frank Darby, Wellington Taylor, Forest Gammon, A. C. Prentiss, Rainwater, Ed Miller, Hamilton, Earle Williams and C. W. Harless.

Five visitors were present: Mesdames, H. C. Towle, C. Yoder, David Crowell, John Carmichael and Nealy.

The next meeting will be April 29, at the home of Mrs. John Carmichael, with Mrs. Forest Gammon as hostess.—Reporter.

Miss Vesta Greene, who has been visiting in Snyder with her sister, Mrs. Clyde Shull, returned to her home in Jayton Sunday.

CHEERFUL 16.

The club met March 17 at the home of Mrs. H. L. Williamson. The president called the house each answering with some convenience in her kitchen. All present expressed their idea of what a home was.

We also had a lesson on the arrangement of the kitchen which was very interesting.

Our next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Henry Linley on the first Wednesday in April. We would be glad to see all members present.—Reporter.

M. W. A.

Monday afternoon, Mrs. Gardner very graciously entertained about twenty-five members and friends of the Methodist Woman's Missionary Auxiliary in her pleasant home on the West Side.

The regular business meeting with reports of officers and superintendents was held, with Mrs. Joe Strayhorn presiding. These reports showed the society to be holding up a high standard of work, with a full program still to be carried out.

The "oice" program was rendered, talks being given by Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Hardy. An interesting discussion on "Home Mission vs. Foreign Missions," was led by Mrs. Curtnite, revealing the fact that New York City is more foreign than native.

The society was further entertained by Mrs. H. V. Williams in an original poem "What Hast Thou Done" and with the piano solo, "Sabbath Morn," by Mrs. W. W. Hamilton.

Following the program, the assistant hostess, Mrs. W. W. Smith, Mrs. A. E. Bell and Mrs. W. B. Lemons, served a pleasing salad luncheon, while a good time was indulged in by the guests, thankful for the comradeship and the great privilege of service.—Reporter.

MRS. HUGH TAYLOR HOSTESS TO ALTRUIANS.

Mrs. Hugh Taylor was hostess to Altrurian Club members and guests Friday afternoon, March 19, at the beautiful home of her mother, Mrs. Joe Monroe. The rooms were effectively decorated with pet plants, and Texas Blue Bonnets sent from Austin by Mrs. E. B. Barnes, especially for the occasion.

The lesson on "Mark Twain's Life and Works" was led by Mrs. Fritz R. Smith, and Mesdames, H. C. Towle, J. C. Stinson and J. W. Leftwich gave interesting papers.

A delicious two-course luncheon was served to Mesdames, E. J. Anderson, R. W. Bell, Joe Catton, Robt. H. Curtnite, W. W. Ham-

LAST BUT NOT LEAST CLUB OF CANYON.

We had another enjoyable club meeting at our school Thursday morning. All the members were present, and most everyone had completed the work assigned them from the previous meeting, which was making our club aprons and caps, and also hemming a dish towel. The work to be done by next meeting day, is each girl must make a pan lifter and bungalow apron.

We also have had four new members to gain since we last met—Della May Hatcher, Clytie Rene Hatcher and Franky Mae Wilson. We are glad to have them and wish to invite others, who wish to join our happy band.—Reporter.

DINNER AND THEATRE PARTY

Miss Connie Isaacs complimented her sister, Mabel, and friends with a dinner and theatre party last Saturday evening, March 20. Covers were laid for Misses Lila Mae Williamson, Katherine Northcutt, Pauline Kelley, Polly Harpole, Johnnie Lee Shaw, Frances Jenkins, Elizabeth Nickola, Pauline Jones, and Gertrude Isaacs who is attending Simmons University, Abilene.

Europe's Oldest Bell

What is the oldest bell in Europe? This distinction is claimed for the largest of the bells in the town steeple of Lanark, Scotland. This bell originally hung in the old church of St. Kentigern, Lanark.

Although its bearings are worn and require attention, the ancient bell is still in good condition. Wallace, the Scottish patriot, worshipped in St. Kentigern's and met and married his bride there. Doubtless the hero often listened to the chiming of the old bell, and we can imagine it ringing a joyous peal on the morning of his wedding day.

Not So Aristocratic

How many people know that the goldfish, supposed to be the embodiment of everything plutocratically aristocratic, is nothing but a lovely member of the carp family? asked the proprietor of a bird and animal store. "It's the truth. Some species of goldfish will grow to six or eight inches in length. These big goldfish betray their antecedents by their coarse scales. In other words, they look like carp."—Detroit News.

Johnny's Appetite

Johnny came home early from school. "Why did you leave?" asked his mother. "I was hungry." "You know I don't let you piece." "Well, maybe I can sit around and smell, anyhow."

Magnetic

"I never could understand the fascination of you married men." "That's easy—we're all in a steady job."—Sydney Bulletin.

Slam at Patent Lighter

H. G. Wells is responsible for the following story: At a certain fancy dress ball all the costumes were intended to represent names of famous books. The majority of book titles were promptly recognized, but everyone was puzzled by the costume of one charming young lady. It was designed to look like a patent cigarette lighter. All sorts of titles were suggested, but to each one the girl shook her head. Finally, someone ventured to ask her outright the title of the book represented by her dress. "Why?" she laughed. "Don't you see? It's 'The Light That Failed.'"

Beautiful Mosaic

Pliny's doves is a superb and perfectly preserved specimen of ancient mosaic in the Capitoline museum at Rome. It is described in Pliny's writings, and is on that account called "Pliny's Doves." This mosaic, representing four doves in the act of drinking, was discovered in the Villa Adriana in 1737 by Cardinal Farnetti, and was purchased from him by Pope Clement XIII for the museum of the capitol. The stones composing it are so minute that, on an average, 100 pieces are required to cover one square inch.

Polar Exploration

Early efforts in polar exploration were largely for commercial interests. During the Twentieth century the renewal of exploration in the Arctic and Antarctic regions has been due largely to the spirit of scientific research, but also for geographic achievement. Peary at the North pole, made a great number of observations which are very valuable in the study of geography, physiography, meteorology and oceanography.

MODERN HOME BUILDERS MEET.

The Modern Home Builders Club at Hernalleigh, met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Kinney. There were six club members present and one new member.

The program was a demonstration of milk dishes given by Miss Roten, and assisted by several of the club members. The club will meet March 25, with Mrs. Randall.—Reporter.

ATTENTION, SENIOR B. Y. P. U.

The Senior B. Y. P. U. of Puvanna is to be our guest Sunday evening. Let us all be there to give them a cordial welcome. The time is 7:30. Don't forget to be hand.—Reporter.

UNION DOTS

Bro. Wilkerson preached at Union Sunday and Sunday night. Bro. Wilkerson is making a great effort to build his church up at this place and we think he ought to have the co-operation of every christian in the community and surrounding neighborhoods.

The Sunday Schools were very well attended. There were present at the Baptist Sunday School forty-two with a collection of 92 cents. The Methodist Sunday School had fifty-six present and a collection of \$1.29. Bethel Sunday School and Bible Study had twenty-five present

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Your interest in a spring Dress for Easter demands a visit to our store first.

Our selection consists of a dress made of flat crepe, pintucked and hemstitched to develop a simple, youthful appearance, featuring the pleasant sleeve and new scarf neck line, with a belt in the back only. Others will sell for \$20.

What's what in new Spring Dresses will be found in our store, as we have a wonderful selection to offer Milady in the new presentation of Spring Dresses—made of Flat Crepe, and Georgettes in many charming styles and colors.

Here we offer a Crepe Dress in a youthful, simple frock which makes a feature of the godet skirt without the molded bodice, and illustrates the trend to simplicity in a popular priced dress, others would sell for \$12.50—

Economy Price, \$11.45

Economy Price, \$9.35

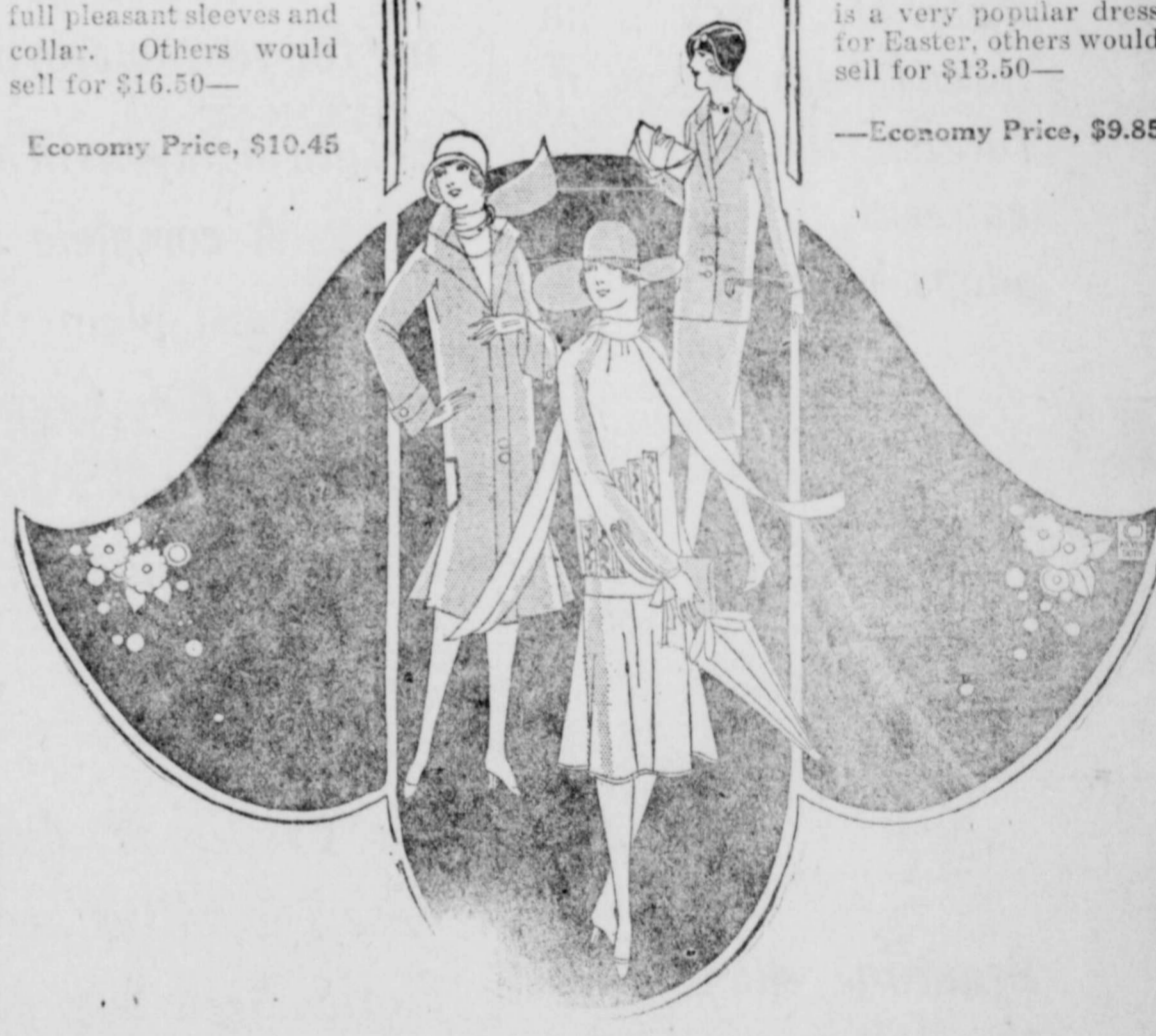
Here is another good frock of crepe, simulating the two-piece vogue and limiting its elaboration of colored kid and gold applique on the full pleasant sleeves and collar. Others would sell for \$16.50—

Printed Crepe in profusion of colors, and washable Radiums, all being offered at such low prices.

We include here a crepe dress with an inverted pleat in a circular skirt, with the basket weave ribbon embroidery as another attraction. This is a very popular dress for Easter, others would sell for \$13.50—

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You're requested to please be on hand at ten o'clock, that you may not miss any of this demonstration. The writer has just returned from a General Convention of Ford Dealers at the Factory in Detroit, Michigan, and has many good farming features to pass along to you.

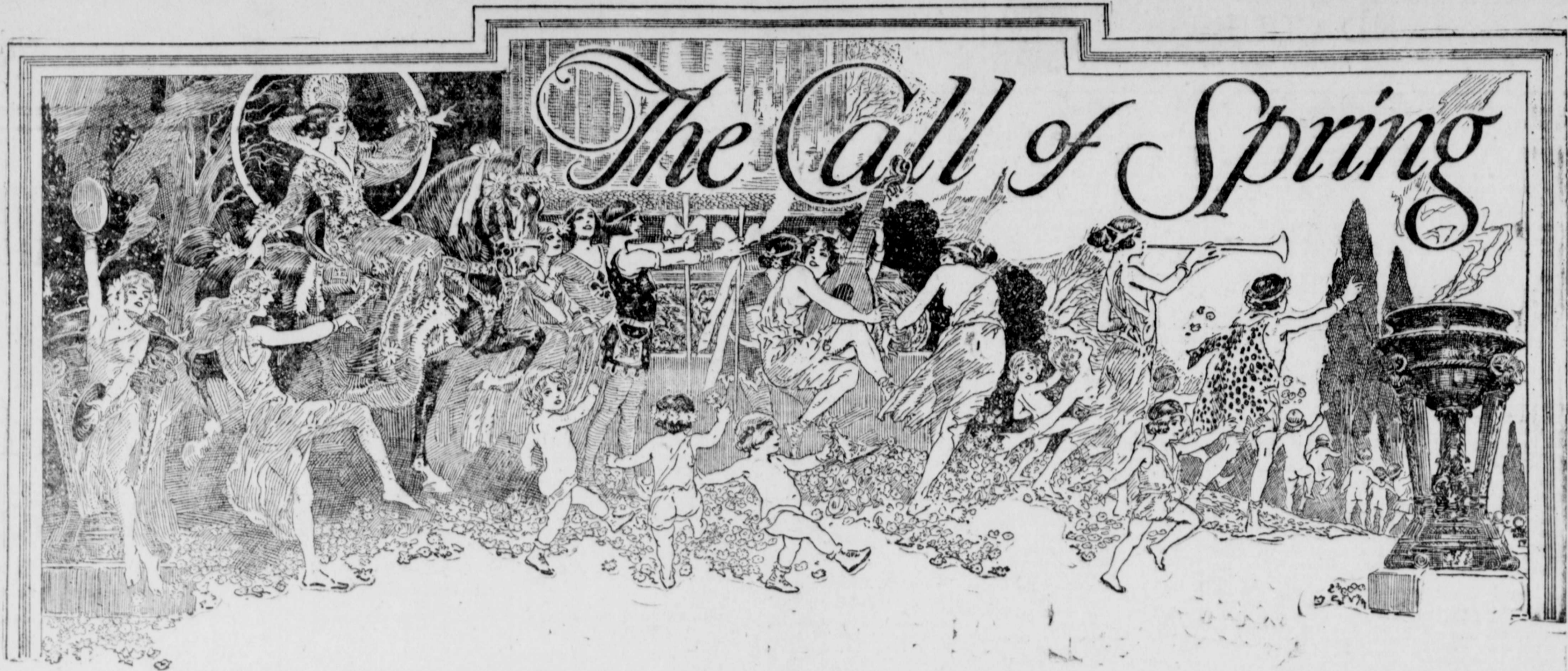
You will enjoy the demonstration and the good eats "that will be on the grounds." Now, you just leave your money at home, it'll not be any good at this Demonstration. Your name is on my preferred list and I'm going to expect you promptly at ten o'clock. Better not be late, we might "Call the roll." Let's work together for better and more profitable farming.

Cordially I am,

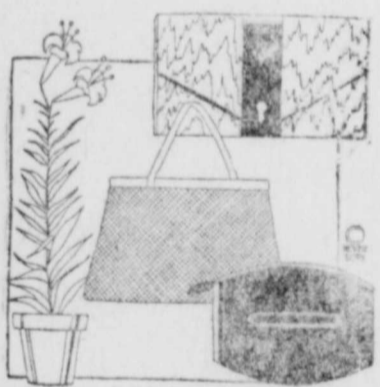
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Full line of plain and printed Georgettes. Dandy for evening Frocks.



Beautiful assortment of Novelty Handkerchiefs, in all colors for Easter.



You will need a pretty pair of Gloves for Easter.



Beautiful Collar and Cuff Sets to match your Easter Frock.

We are showing a dandy assortment of Spring Coats—Crepe de Chine and Georgette Dresses for Easter.

Also a full line of Virginia Hart House Dresses.

We carry a complete line of Royal Society Threads—Westa, Rope, Indian, Strand, Satin Floss and Satin Strand Just arrived, a new line of Stamped Pillow Cases, Luncheon Sets, Scarfs, Pillow Centers, Dresses and Vanities, Embroidery Hooks Embroidery Needles and Thimbles.

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