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This Week

by Arthur Brisbane

Kellogg Peace Fruits To Boom Good Times When a Man Scribbles Think of Mexico

China says Russia's attack on her Manchurian possessions, seizing the railroads, killing Chinese, setting fire to their homes, etc., is a defiance of the Kellogg peace pact.

Britain and America will talk that over and see what can be done about it. Henderson, foreign minister in Britain's labor cabinet, says Japan will take part in the discussion. Russia asks no one's advice and the only thing that could be done about it would be to fight Russia.

It would be interesting if the first fruits of the Kellogg peace pact should be the start of another war. If that war came, Japan, highly intelligent, would send a few "observers," as in the big war, and do nothing else.

Britain would be too busy with other things and too "fed up" for any more fighting. Uncle Sam would be told: "After all, Kellogg is your man. It is your peace pact. Have the common decency to attend to this matter."

Insull of Chicago, Cortelyou of New York and Owen D. Young of Europe, New York and everywhere, have seen the President. They and other industrial stars promise the President to co-operate in his admirable undertaking, promotion of new enterprises, wise spending of money and creation of jobs.

Their promise is no small one, for they agree to spend fifteen hundred million dollars on one program.

What the country needs, if it really needs anything beyond common sense, is to spend part of the money we have, and we have hundreds of billions of it. On past occasions this country has stood petrified, unable to move, like a man watching his house burn down, unable to use his legs or hands.

You might buy of autograph dealers a signature of Herbert Hoover on a sheet of paper with many little queer geometrical diagrams scratched on the paper while listening to a visitor.

These diagrams usually mean that the man making them is not listening "very hard."

If Rockefeller or Ford called to tell the President of a plan to put ten million men to work at good wages, he would listen and wouldn't do any scribbling as he listened.

When you talk and a man scribbles, make it short. He isn't much interested.

It was a distressing slump in Wall street, but think of poor Mexico. That country has had not a slump but a downward cataclysm.

Figures prepared by L. F. Herbert, authority on Mexican securities, show that national and railroad securities in Mexico with a par value of $563,926,156 are now selling on a basis of $37,000,000, or about six and a half per cent of par.

Suppose you could buy $100 worth of our government bonds or best railroad stock at $6.50. That would be worry.

And the simple-hearted Mexicans have not been dumping out new stock, 20,000,000 shares at a time, either.

Business men that know what it means to take an inventory of a good-sized store will shudder when they hear that Doctor Shapley of Harvard has a plan for taking an inventory of the universe or "an index," as he calls it. Man is very far down in that inventory, about as important as a shoestring in a wholesale dry goods store.

In the cosmos everything is to be listed in its place, from electrons to "super galaxies." The difference between a super galaxy and an electron, of which millions might revolve unperceived around their nucleus in the corner of the eye, is quite a difference.

Consider that the molecules in a pint of water, placed side by side, touching, would go around the earth two hundred million times; that our sun is a million times as big as the earth; that there exists other suns, one million times as big as ours, and you can imagine what a cosmic inventory would be. But men will make it, including everything within the telescope's reach.

Under ground near the marshy shore of the Bay of Biscay old Clemenceau would be interested to hear that the German newspapers say, "We should have won the war if we had had the greatest Frenchman since Napoleon."

E. E. Free, able engineer, says 1950 will see electric houses, lighted with artificial sunlight, weather arranged as prescribed by the doctor, like a baby's modified milk, no windows, soundproof, and electrically ventilated. The soundproof suggestion is welcome, and the rest, not.

Men are, physically speaking, animals. They want the sun shining irregularly, the air blowing through. They want to come in and go out as they did in the cave days, and do not want the inside made like the outside.

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CITY COUNCIL APPROVES PAVING PLANS; BIDS WANTED

HURRAH, TIGERS!

That friends and boosters may keep alive the spirit that the 1929 Snyder Tigers have brought about through the remarkabel coaching of "Red" Moore, herewith is the official record for the year. Cut this spot out and place it in the most conspicuous part of your scrap-book, the record of the season's battles:

Spur 19, Snyder 13.
Rotan 0, Snyder 20 (Conference game).
Loraine 0, Snyder 37 (Conference game).
Big Spring 19, Snyder 7.
Ralls 7, Snyder 0.
Simmons Freshmen 7, Snyder Tigers 0.
Roscoe 12, Snyder 6 (Conference game).
Colorado 7, Snyder 19 (Conference game).
Lamesa 12, Snyder 0.
Roby 0, Snyder 26.
Sweetwater 7, Snyder 26.
Total points for opponents, 90; Snyder 154.
The Times-Signal is herewith warning this district to watch out for Snyder's Tigers in 1930.

Asks Bids on 28 Blocks of Paving for Resident Thoroughfares

The City Council accepted plans and specifications Monday night for the paving of 28 blocks of streets in the west part of Snyder. Sealed bids will be received until Dec. 17 for the construction on the following types of pavement: concrete, brick, limestone, rock asphalt, Duraco and Warrenite-Bitulithic. The principal items on which bids must be made are 31,170 square yards of pavement and 18,530 linear feet of curb and gutter. The Hasie Engineering Company of Dallas is handling the preliminary work. Bids for furnishing the material are being advertised for in this issue.

Fines totaling $88.90 were reported at the monthly meeting of the City Council Monday night.

Building permits were issued for $700 during the month.

The matter of granting a light franchise to Glen Sample was again brought before the meeting and short discussion made. Final decision was left for the next meeting.

The new system of street designation is now officially in operation and is on record at both the city secretary's office and the county clerk office.

A new health ordinance was passed. It is published elsewhere in this issue.

Fifteen bales of cotton have been taken from the city farm this season.

Womack Asks Early Mailing For Christmas

Postoffice Asks Cooperation of Citizenship in Holiday Mailing

"Mail Early" is more than a slogan; it is sound business advice, according to Postmaster B. F. Womack. The handling of Christmas mails is the biggest problem by far to be met by post office forces during the year. Mr. Womack says:

"Buy early and mail early, please. All parcels should be mailed by Saturday, Dec. 21. By doing this you will give the post office a chance to have all your outgoing mail dispatched and out of the way and be ready to give the incoming parcels the attention they should have."

So folks, let us co-operate with Uncle Sam and his postal forces in getting things started early by mail, which in turn makes it expedient that you buy early, using Times-Signal ads as your base of selection.

Agitation Grows For Relocation Of Post Office

Business Men and Citizens Ask for Better Quarters and Location

Agitation is being made around the public square and to the local chamber of commerce for the post office to be changed to a better located site that will likewise provide better quarters for Postmaster Womack and postal employees. No designated spot is being mentioned, but the agitation is on just the same. Business men feel that with better equipped quarters better service may be secured and that with streets being marked and houses numbered, Snyder stands in good position to receive mail delivery.

Customers feel that with the present site being on a dead-end street and next door to the fire department that quarters more suited to the growing needs of Snyder should be secured. Criticisms both pro and can have been noted, but as usual the majority should prevail. The Times-Signal is not informed as to the length of lease that is in operation at the present location.

NO. 7 CONTRACT TO BE LET DEC. 15TH

According to County Judge Horace Holley, the State Highway Department will award contracts Dec. 15 for nine miles of grading and drainage structures on Highway No. 7. Improvements call for completing the route from the Nolan County line to Hermleigh by a new route that has been worked out and which follows generally the R. S. & P. tracks.

ENVIABLE RECORD

According to District Judge Fritz R. Smith, Scurry County has achieved a record in that the closing of the present court will see but one criminal case left on the docket, the first time such a thing has happened in more than thirty years.

Ten criminal cases were disposed of during the present session, with 18 civil cases disposed of, while only 12 of the latter remain on the docket.

Many divorce cases are still to be disposed of.

Nineteen days to Christmas.

Poultry Show Opens Doors To Fanciers Today

Biggest Show Ever Held In Snyder Prediction of Local Boosters

The ninth annual Scurry County Poultry Show opened up this morning in what appears to be the largest show ever held here, that is, more birds are entered, which includes the new Flock Show.

E. C. Johnson, recognized A. P. A. judge of Stephenville, will be the official judge.

Breeders as far away as Knox and Jones Counties have already paid their entry fees, while nearby neighbors are joing to join with Scurry in making this a real "whizbang" affair.

Grouped around the north and west side of the City Tabernacle are 24 large coops that are all ready for the Flock Show one entry in which includes twelve females and one male. Interested poultry visitors will thus be enabled to choose standard breeds and see them to best advantage. Seven different breeds had been entered up to last night.

County Agent Logan, Charley Green and B. L. Baze were ready Tuesday night and are fully prepared to handle as many birds and visitors as will visit this great attraction.

LIONS CLUB HOLDS INTERESTING SESSION

The Lions Club officially endorsed the outdoor Christmas tree movement originated here by the Mothers Self Culture Club at its meeting yesterday noon.

Flowers were sent as a remembrance from the local club to Capt. C. S. Nusbaum, who is in a Tulsa hospital.

Principal J. V. Baird and Mayor A. J. Parker of Roscoe were guests and invited members to attend the Roscoe-Midland game there tomorrow.

Judge Holley stated that the Poultry Show was all ready to start.

Pat Bullock was chairman of the meeting.

Everybody was boosting the negro minstrel Friday night, and a packed house should greet the show which is given for the benefit of one of Scurry County's moost needed institutions, the County Band.

STOLEN CAR RECOVERED

Walter W. Lechner of Dallas, formerly a Snyder resident, came to Snyder Saturday afternoon with a party of oil prospectors to look over some oil leases. During the early evening Mr. Lechner drove up to call on Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Johnson, parking a Cadillac car in front of the home. When the owner came out to return to the Manhattan hotel, the car was gone and the police department was notified.

Sunday morning the car was found two blocks west in apparently good condition.

STAR GROCERY NOW OCCUPIES ENTIRE ROOM

The Star Grocery & Meat Market are now occupying the entire room at the northeast corner of the square and have one of the finest looking stores in Snyder. "Chunk" Smith and Dean Cochran make a fine partnership, and their store is a fine addition to the business ranks of Snyder.

Minstrel Show "Ready To Go" Friday Night

Director Springfield Coaching Group into Shape For Big Night

Director Homer Springfield has been a tireless worker to put over the big Negro Minstrel Friday (tomorrow) night that the proceeds will go for the Scurry County Band. Working every night with the end men and chorus and other members, it has taken real hard work to get things in shape.

The grand opening with Interlocutor Pat Bullock and a healthy group of end men and singers is going to surprise folks here with the jokes, solos and ensemble numbers that will be presented. The first solo by Munger Lewis, known in the cast as "Slim" Liverlip, is going to knock the crowd cold. He will sing "Lonesome Road" from "Show Boat," and has a remarkable tenor voice.

End men consisting of Abe Rogers, Harvey Shuler, Warren Dodson Willard Jones, W. O. Logan, Hugh Taylor, Co. Judge Horace Holley, and H. J. Brice will put attendants in a happy stage of mind to get more laughs than was thought possible.

The Sliding S'Quartet, composed of A. A. Bullock, Munger Lewis, Otis Carter and D. P. Yoder will be a bull's eye attraction, for when they swing into "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot" we do believe the audience will want to join, so finely grouped are the voices and the manner of presentation. Folks will demand an encore.

When Bos Stavely and "Red" Wedgeworth of Fluvanna come on, then the show will be "stopped" right there. A group of ebony-colored young ladies is another great Stimson in a vocal solo number in Stimson in a solo number in which which male voices will accompany the chorus.

A screaming one-act comedy will bring E. J. Anderson, Martha Gray, Melvin Blackard and Ruth Yoder to the fore. They have a bunch of laughs that are worth the price of admission alone.

So many other features will be in the minstrel, and so worthy is the cause for which the show is given, that every seat should be occupied when the curtain goes up at 8 o'clock.

STANTON WILL DRILL

Max Elser of Cisco in a letter received yesterday advises the Times-Signal that the Stanton Oil Company, which owns a large block of acreage in the northern part of Scurry County, will start a new well in that section very soon.

Former Governor William Sulzer of New York is interested with the Stanton people, and he is conversant with the oil situation in Scurry County through the medium of the Times-Signal.

Mr. Elser in his letter also included a brand new check for a year's subscription to be sent to his son, Max Elser Jr., of New York City, who heads the Metropolitan Newspaper Service. In addition to Max Junior, the Senior Elser also has another son, Frank, who is a writer of note and who is at present writing his third play that will be later produced on a New York stage.

CAPT. NUSBAUM HAS RIGHT LIMB AMPUTATED

Capt. Cyrus Nusbaum, who has been in a Tulsa hospital for some time suffering from an infection in the leg, writes the Times-Signal that his right limb had been amputated just below the knee. The letter said:

"I am very weak and wobbly. My daughter lives here and comes to see me several times a day. I'll leave the hospital in a week, and write me at 1521 East 21st Street, Tulsa, Okla. It's going to break my purse (but what is trash?), but not going to break my spirit. I wish I could talk to you. I am on top. God is with mighty power holding me up. I'm smiling. Love to all.

Always your friend,
UNCLE CYRUS."

Ed. Note—All good Snyder friends of Capt. Nusbaum should write him a cheery letter, for, coupled with the season of the year and his being bedfast, Snyder owes it to this wholesome civic friend not to forget.

ROSCOE WINS DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIP

The Roscoe Plowboys "plowed" their way through Stamford Friday 13 to 6 to win the district championship and the right to get into the bi-district finals.

Mike Hicks, the same "pain in the side" who materially made it impossible for the Tigers to defeat Roscoe, was their main point getter. Hicks made two touchdown dashes, one for 9 yards, another for 47 yards to make it plain that Roscoe has a team of championship calibre.

Thanksgiving Service Held Last Wed. Eve.

Cal C. Wright Delivers Fine Sermon at Annual Thanksgiving

The annual union Thanksgiving service was held last Wednesday evening at the First Presbyterian Church when the various churches of the town joined in the customary united giving of thanks. A fair sized crowd attended and enjoyed the sermon brought by Rev. Cal C. Wright, new pastor of the First Methodist Church. O. D. Carter conducted the song service.

After the song service Rev. Wright led the audience in responsive reading of Psalm 103.

The speaker took for his subject, "The Christian's Estate and Title," using I Corinthians 3:21-23 as his scriptural text. On request Rev. Wright has furnished the Times-Signal with a copy of his sermon, which we are happy to print herewith:

MR. WRIGHT: Saint Paul was writing to a church which had no ecclesiastical, social or financial standing. Perhaps the only person of standing and influence in the early Corinthian church was Agrippa, the sail maker, and he had lost all his wealth when Nero drove him out of Rome with the other Christians. Considering the obscure and poverty stricken condition of the church at Corinth, it was remarkable audacity that prompted Paul to say: "All things are yours." But it is a promise that is guaranteed by the infinite power and personality of Almighty God. Just as the title of your property is insured by the power and resources of the state of Texas, so is this promise insured by the power and the person of God.

At given times the business man takes an inventory of his stock and balances his liabilities and assets against each other. At this Thanksgiving season it is well for us to take stock of our blessings and consider our obligations. We have received blessings beyond our ability to number them, and it is our obligation to render whatever service possible to mankind and to God, for "freely ye have received, freely give." The ethics of the medical profession demand that whatever remedy that one may discover, he must not keep that discovery to himself, but must give it to the profession and to the world. The calling of the Christian profession demands that a man must save his life by losing it; that he must bear burdens and scatter sunshine; that he heed the cry of the widow and the orphan; that he be the Good Samaritan to those who have been overcome along the wayfares of life.

Paul, Appolos and Cephas are yours. All the contributions of the great and good—of all the ages past—belong to the present generation. Martin Luther does not belong to one period or one people, for the glory of the Reformation that he set in motion is blessing the world today. Bunyan or Calvin or Wesley do not belong to the Baptist or the

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Football Teams Will Clash At Roscoe Friday

Roscoe and Midland to Meet In Bi-District Battle Tomorrow

The Roscoe-Midland bi-district championship football game will be played in Roscoe Friday (tomorrow) afternoon, Dec. 6, starting at 2:30. The Roscoe Plowboys are champions of District 9, having defeated the Stamford Bulldogs 13 to 6. The Midland boys are champions of District 8.

The game is expected to attract a large crowd of fans from this section.

TITMAN EGG CORP. NEW MANAGER HERE

E. L. King arrived here Saturday from Lamesa to take over the management of the Titman Egg Corporation's local house. Mr. King has been identified with this well known company for some time, is a young man who comes highly recommended, and the Times-Signal wants to join in a welcome to him. Mr. King stated that the company was taking on a new line of feed, called "Wonder Feed", and a carload was expected to arrive here this week from Kansas City.

SCURRY COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR RECOGNIZED

Sterlin A. Taylor, present tax assessor for Scurry County, who recently attended the state convention of tax assessors at Beaumont, was honored with appointment on several of the more important committees that were named. This honor is appreciated by the home folks of this section.

Nineteen days to Christmas.

Radio Station Sought by Local Radio Expert

Ollie Bruton Seeks License To Operate Broadcasting Station Here

Ollie A. Bruton of the Dixie Radio and Tire Co. made application Tuesday to the Federal Radio Commission at Washington asking its help in securing a station for this city. Mr. Bruton is an expert on radio detail and its various angles and has already rigged up a broadcasting station that will do the work if the Federal Radio Commission will give him permission to use it.

Every one of us should help Mr. Bruton in this worthy enterprise of securing a station here, as the towns that are stepping ahead not only have landing fields, but they are also installing broadcasting stations.

Ten Teams To Represent Local School Saturday

Snyder High Will Be Well Represented Saturday At Colorado

Snyder High will be represented by ten debating teams Saturday at Colorado in what has been declared to be the first debating tournament ever planned for Texas. Up to Tuesday morning 75 girls and boys debating teams had entered, 37 teams of boys and 38 teams of girls. The Interscholastic League debate subject, "Resolved; That the Sterling Highway Program Should Be Adopted in Texas," will be the topic for discussion with affirmative and negative teams from each school.

Teams that will represent Snyder High School include:

Audrey Jenkins and Mildred Harless.

Meva Doak and Dorothy Egerton.

Ila B. Periman and Mary Ellen Martin.

Enid Sears and Lucile Brown.

Fern Wright and Vernia Stephens.

Dan Trice and Anthem Wade.

Billy Mitchell and Emmett Askins.

Gerald Green and Wayne Grogan.

Lee Price and Robert Garner.

Weldon Jeffrys and N. R, Clements.

The following towns will be represented: Roscoe, Stanton, Sweetwater, San Angelo, Cisco, Winters, Desdemona, Alameda, Midland, Big Spring, Snyder and Colorado.

According to John W. Cobb, head of the public speaking department in Colorado High School, there is much interest in his efforts to emphasize some competitive activities aside from athletics in West Texas high schools.

Many from Snyder High including the faculty and students are planning on going to Colorado to boost their teams and enjoy the debating program.

LOCAL DEALERS REPORT MACHINERY SALES TO BE GOOD

The Snyder Hardware & Implement Company reports some fine recent machinery sales, among the buyers being Com Ezell, Farmall tractor; Cub Murphy and Mike Moore of Ira, Farmalls; A. H. Trice and Clarence Wade, Farmalls; R. L. McMullan, No. 55 W-W Feed Grinder; A. N. Browning, a six-speed International truck.

An unusual sale was a Farmall that was sold to C. S. Wages of Sepulpa, Okla., who had heard of the Snyder concern through a relative and purchased the machine to be shipped to him at a farm near San Antonio.

ANOTHER CANDIDATE

Rumors from the Ira community and on the streets of Snyder state that P. A. Miller will be a candidate for Commissioner of Precinct No. 3. Mr. Miller is a mighty fine gentleman and will gather many votes if he makes up his mind to run.

HUFFMAN FAMILY MOVES TO RANCH NEAR AMHERST

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Huffman and family have moved to a ranch near Amherst. The friends of the family will wish them well in their new location.

CHRISTMAS TURKEY PRICES WILL BE STILL LOWER

According to advice received here Sunday from the poultry buying markets, turkeys will be lower than the Thanksgiving market and 14c will be the prevailing price for No. 1 hens.

Gas bills will be increased this month. Cold weather makes that possible, and we have plenty of that.

TIGERS CHAW ON "HOSS MEAT" AT LOCAL FIELD THANKSGIVING



TO SCURRY COUNTY CHILDREN

The Times-Signal has had word from Santa Claus that he wants all Scurry County children who want to write him letters to have them at the office here by Friday, Dec. 13.

Santa Claus states that owing to the fact that he must leave his northern home so early this year on account of one of his reindeers being a little lame, that he wants these letters from the childred quite early. Just fix your letter like any other letter and see that it is at the Times-Signal office by the time specified. If you know anything good for a lame reindeer, Santa Claus asked us to have you tell him about it.

So kiddies, don't forget old Santa Claus and mail the letters in care of your home newspaper in plenty of time. School teachers and parents are kindly asked to cooperate. Santa Claus letters are always welcome in the Times-Signal office.

Scurry County 4-H Club Boys Go to Chicago

Grady Wallace and John Trussell Leave Via. Santa Fe

Grady Wallace, Snyder, and John Henry Trussell, Fluvanna, left Friday over the Santa Fe railway to join with another large group at Newton, Kansas, to attend the International Live Stock Show at Chicago. They met nine South Plains winners at Lubbock.

Part of the boys were winners of the 19 free trips offered by the Santa Fe and the remainder won one of the six trips offered by the Texas Cotton Seed Crushers Association.

But one West Texas county exceeds Scurry in point of having winners on the trip. That is Lubbock County, and every agricultural booster in the county will want to add his good right hand in a real shake to Grady Wallace and John Henry Trussell. These two boys will truly represent the spirit that is in this section and are two manly products of West Texas parenthood.

HITTING NATION

That Scurry County oil activity news is not confined wholly in West Texas is shown in a letter received Monday from Maximilian Elser, Jr., general manager of the Metropolitan Newspaper Service, New York City, who said:

"Gentlemen:

"Thank you indeed for the two marked copies of the Scurry County Times for Thursday, Nov. 21st, with front page story about communication from my father and the oil test wells in Scurry County. Congratulations and may they continue to make valuable news for your section.

Faithfully,
"MAX ELSER, JR."

NOTE—Mr. Elser heads one of the largest newspaper feature concerns in the United States, and good words properly placed by Mr. Elser mean a great deal to the best county in all West Texas.

CHRISTMAS CARDS READY

The large number who ordered Christmas and New Year engraved cards at the Times-Signal are kindly notified that all orders have been received and are ready for delivery.

ATTEND FAMILY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown and family and Mr. and Mrs. Porter King and family attended a reunion of the Doughty family at Martha, Okla., Thanksgiving day. Seventy-five were present, and the local visitors reported a royal good time was thoroughly enjoyed.

FOOTBALL FANS HEAR T. C. U.-S. M. U. GAME

King & Brown entertained a crowd of about fifteen football fans Saturday afternoon when the T. C. U.-S. M. U. battle was on, which resulted in a tie, 7 all, giving to T. C. U. the Southwestern Conference championship.

MORE POLITICS

Rumors current around the square last week were to the effect that W. W. Merritt would soon announce for the tax assessor job. Mr. Merritt has many friends who are boosting his candidacy.

Take Sweetwater to 26 to 7 Cleaning, Mopping Up in Great Style

Ed. Note—The Snyder Tigers wiped out the bitter Thanksgiving defeat of last year Thursday when they licked the very ears off the muchly touted Class A Sweetwater Mustangs in Tiger Stadium, and while the Nolan County boys played valiantly, their superintendent, about twelve of their Pep Squad and only a handful of folks accompanied them to cheer them to victory. The "spirit" of the day was entirely with and for Snyder.

It is seldom that the Times-Signal permits another editor to write the football story for this paper, but we asked Editor H. M. Colbert of the Sweetwater Reporter (who was on the sidelines) to use his story, which practically covers the Snyder angle from start to finish. While Colbert picks out some outstanding stars in the Tiger line-up, the Times-Signal wants to state that never has a team in the history of Snyder High School played such heads-up football as they displayed at Tiger Stadium last Thursday. Eleven men were in there, fighting every inch of the way, and they covered themselves with glory, and they played the kind of a game that Coach "Red" Moore has been instilling in them all year. "Red" is the man who needs no bouquets, flowers or what have you, and the Times-Signal, on behalf of a football booster citizenship, is happy to pass the laurels to him and the Tiger team who are to be banqueted next week.

But back to Editor Colbert of Sweetwater and his story, which follows:

And a Class B team defeated a team that holds membership in Class A of the Interscholastic League. The Class B team was the Snyder Tigers and the Class A team, or rather the team that holds membership in Class A, was the Sweetwater Mustangs. The score was 26 to 7.

Snyder Tigers were primed yesterday. They were ready for the Ponies and showed plenty of Tiger fight to about 1,500 fans from Sweetwater, Snyder and other towns who gathered in the Tiger Stadium for the annual grudge battle. The Tigers put up a real fight during the first part of the game, while the Ponies came back in the latter half and fought like they have started several of their Class A games, but the Tigers had too big a lead to overcome as the Ponies were only able to score one touchdown and the extra point.

Was "Easy" to See

Just how the Tigers defeated the horses is not puzzling at all. Everyone could see they were in the game to win as soon as the whistle sounded. They were in almost perfect condition, however, as the second half wore on, one could tell that the way the Mustangs were tackling, that they (the Ponies) meant to do something. And they did do something when they scored the touchdown in the third period, but it was just three periods too late. Had the count been made in the first quarter, the count would have probably been different.

But Snyder scored one touchdown and the extra point in the first quarter and then three more and an extra point in the second period. That was all, but it was enough to win.

At the beginning of the second half the Tigers resorted principally to defending their goal and the score they had piled up. They found the going hard but were successful in holding the Ponies to a lone touchdown.

The First Score

Captain Scales, Mustang end, won the toss and chose to defend the north goal. The Tigers kicked, and then it was not long before they had the ball and a touchdown. The Tigers worked the ball to the Pony 1 yard line by crossbucks, end runs and cutbacks. Martin, Tiger full, was given credit for the count. Erwin, halfback, placekicked the extra point.

Martin was also credited with two of the other three touchdowns, while Huestis, left end, the real star of the game, was the man who scored the other marker when he

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GINS IN COUNTY TURN OUT 15,625 BALES

Up to and including Tuesday, Dec. 3, the gins in Scurry County had turned out a total of 15,625 bales, according to a report given out by the Fuller Cotton Oil Company. The various gins and their totals appear below:

Snyder	7757
Fluvanna	431
Dunn	1881
Ira	997
Hermleigh	1942
Camp Springs	373
China Grove	1276
Inadale (estimated	1200
TOTAL	15,625



Neglected Family

You may be a good provider for your family. They may not want for anything NOW. While you live and have your health they probably never will want anything that you cannot give them, but what about it when YOU ARE GONE? Have you thought of making arrangements for them by a surplus bank account? Come in and talk it over with us. We invite your business.

SOMEONE SAVES THE MONEY YOU WASTE—
WHY NOT SAVE IT YOURSELF? —

Open a Checking Account Today with the

First State Bank & Trust Co.

A GROWING BANK

FRIENDLY

Locals

Miss Katherine Northcutt, who is attending school at Canyon, spent Thanksgiving at home.

Pee Wee Wilsford and Curtis Larue of Abilene spent Thanksgiving in Snyder.

Misses Frankie Elliott and Frances Lawlis of Sweetwater spent the week-end in Snyder visiting with friends.

Miss Willie Mae Card of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Card last week-end.

Miss Pauline Boren, a student at T. C. U., spent Thanksgiving at home.

Chunk Smith, Roy Strayhorn and E. E. Wallace left last week for Del Rio on a hunting trip.

Loyd Blackard spent Thanksgiving Day in Snyder.

R. E. Gray and family spent Thanksgiving day at the D. K. Allison ranch near Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Hartgrove and Mrs. Cora M. Hartgrove of Paint Rock spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Dixie Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Dodson and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Boren attended the S. M. U.-T. C. U. football game at Fort Worth Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Thrane were Thanksgiving guests in the home of Walter V. Roy of Justiceburg.

Mrs. Harold Enfield and two children left Friday for their home in Hollywood, Calf., after an extended visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Dale Warren of Abilene spent the week-end with her grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Warren.

Miss Blanche Newsom of Munday visited her mother, Mrs. Lee Newsom, last week-end.

Herman Trigg, who is attending school at Kerrville, was home for the Thanksgving holidays.

Olan Curry and wife of Sweetwater visited A. M. Curry and family last week.

County Supt. Pat Bullock and J. M. Claunch were among the group of teachers who addended the State Teachers Association convention at Dallas last week.

Mrs. Glen Sample, daughter, Leona, and son, Louis, were Thanksgiving guests of friends at Matador.

Miss Frances Jenkins of Gail spent the holidays with relatives here.

Misses Polly Harpole, Mary Bob Huckabee and Zella Strickland, students at Canyon, spent the week-end in Snyder.

Miss Polly Porter, a student in the Tech, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents.

Gordon May, a student at the Tech, spent the week-end with his parents.

Elmer Spears attended the homecoming and the Tech-Simmons football game at Abilene Thanksgiving.

Herschel Rucker and LeRoy Fesmire attended the Simmons Homecoming and Tech-Simmons football game Thursday.

Mrs. M. C. Thomas, son, Mack, and daughter, Dorris Jo, and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Thomas and daughters, Glennelle and Dolorice, of Sweetwater, were Thanksgiving Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Carter.

Mrs. C. L. Harless and children of Littlefield spent the week-end with Mrs. L. O. Smith. Mr. Harless came Saturday and accompanied Mrs. Harless home Sunday.

Mrs. Floyd Carentiss and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carentiss of Midland spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hagan and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Curnutte.

Miss Mary Joyce spent the week-end in Fort Worth.

Miss Dorette Beggs spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Beggs. Miss Beggs is a student at the University of Texas.

Editor and Mrs. Eddie Warren of the Post Dispatch passed through here Sunday en route from Abilene to their home.

Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Hicks of Memphis were week-end guests in the home of Dr. J. G. Hicks. Rev. Hicks is a superannuate pastor of the Methodist church, having spent his entire life in West Texas in the work of the church.

Mrs. C. E. Fish and daughter, Cyrella, spent the week-end before Thanksgiving in Abilene. They were accompanied home by Mrs. John Dix, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fish.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Duff and Mrs. A. E. Duff visited in Brownwood Thanksgiving. They were the guests of Mrs. Duff's mother, Mrs. Davis, also Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Aubrey and other relatives. T. H. reports a fine wild turkey dinner Thanksgiving day.

Glen Sample tells us he spent three days down in Mason County last week trying to get a buck, but the closest he got was seeing five doe and one buck and the latter was too far away for a disappearing gun to reach.

Misses Zada and Veda Maxwell, who are teaching school at Clovis, N. M., spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Maxwell.

Tomorrow night—Minstrels.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Wilson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Boyer, all of Miles, and Mr. and Mrs. Olen Curry of Sweetwater were Thanksgiving Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Curry.

Mrs. W. E. Johnson of San Antonio left Sunday for her home after a visit with her daughters, Mrs. Roy Strayhorn and Mrs. Edgar Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Snyder and family of Roscoe spent Sunday in the Homer Snyder home.

Miss Mary Harkey, manager of the Western Union, is taing a 15-day vacation with home folks at Russellville, Ark. Elmer Hendrix, relief operator of Plainview, is taking Miss Harkey's place during her vacation.

J. C. Smyth was a Fort Worth visiter over Sunday.

Mrs. B. L. Baze spent several days last week in Abilene the guest of friends and relatives.

James Holcomb of Texas Tech spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Holcomb.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Towle and daughter, Mary Margaret, spent Thanksgiving in Colorado.

Mrs. Wesley Evans and Mrs. John Johnson spent last Thursday in Baird.

Dr. Roy Crowder of San Angelo and Fred Crowder of Sonora visited their mother, Mrs. T. H. Crowder, Thanksgiving.

Nineteen days to Christmas.

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Miss Ruby Randals of Lubbock visited in the R. J. Randals home on Thanksgiving.

Mrs. R. J. Randals and little son, Jimmie, were visitors in Lamesa Sunday and Monday.

Miss Ann Duncan spent Sunday in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Holley of Stamford were guests of Mrs. Ethel Eiland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Preston and children of Big Spring were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shuler last week.

Mrs. J. E. Falls and children of Ira spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Ethel Eiland.

Ray Falls and wife, Edwin Falls and daughter, Jane, have returned from Shreveport where they visited Mrs. George Bickham.

B. A. Hull of Dallas visited his mother, Mrs. D. J. Hull, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed C. Abbott of Lubbock visited Mrs. Abbott's mother, Mrs. D. J. Hull, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hull visited in Sweetwater Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. P. McGinty.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Castles of Abilene spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Eager.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Boren attended the S. M. U.-T. C. U. football game at Fort Worth last Saturday.

Miss Ina May Caswell spent Sunday in Hermleigh.

Miss Clarabel Clark left Saturday for an extended visit with her sister in Los Angeles, Calif.

Mrs. G. B. Clark is visiting her daughter in Dallas this week.

Mrs. R. E. Morrow and son, Freeman, of Wellington were Thanksgiving guests of W. D. Beggs and family.

Misses Martha and Gwendolyn Gray and Mrs. O. Randolph were visitors in Abilene Friday.

Misses Marian and Elaine Rosser were home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Randolph spent Sunday in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hamlett were Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. Hamlett's brothers, L. H. and H. B. Kay, of Ranger.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Askins spent Thanksgiving in Burkburnett with his brother, S. E. Askins, and wife. They visited in Wichita Falls also.

Crowder school will have a box supper Friday night, Dec. 13.

Elmer Askins has returned home from Portales, N. M., where he has been visiting.

Sheriff Brownfield and Deputy Wills left for parts unknown Tuesday to attempt to bring back one or more bucks. According to court house friends, outside of a few small cannons that were taken with them, they likewise had a full bottle of salt.

Sue Snider has resigned her position with the J. C. Penney Co. to accept a position with Sheriff O'Bar of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Tanner and family of Electra were Thanksgiving guests in the homes of James Cruickshank and Pierce Moffett.

Bandmaster J. W. Crowley is reported on the sick list.

SCURRY CO. PIONEER PASSES TO REWARD

Mr. Haywood Allen was born October 20, 1854, and was married to Eula Lee Piles on March 16, 1876, in Ellis County. He came to Scurry County 33 years ago and lived on the same farm until the time of his death. He died Nov. 18 at Colorado at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Floyd Shephard. To Mr. and Mrs. Allen were born two girls and six boys. He had thirty-one grandchildren and one great grandchild. He was 75 years old at the time of his death.

He was not a member of any church but was a good man to everyone and a friend to all who knew him.

J. E. McDermett of Westbrook conducted the funeral services at the Methodist church at Dunn, and the body was laid to rest in the Dunn cemetery. He leaves to mourn his death his wife and eight children, all of whom were present at the time of his death. He is also survived by two brothers and one sister.—Hermleigh Herald.

BUY NEW GRADER

Ross Williams and Lee Sturdivant of the Hermleigh community have purchased a new Corsicana grader, according to the Herald, which they will own and operate. Mr. Sturdivant will terrace his whole farm, while Mr. Williams intends re-terracing.

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that God may be honored and men may be blessed. You recall that three men received some talents, two used their gifts and were blessed. The other one hid his opportunity and was cursed.

Life is ours. "I am come that ye may have life, and have it more abundant." The abundant life is found more perfectly in a child, because a child's life is innocent and pure. A child feels and expresses thankfulness and gratitude—that most beautiful trait of character. The abundant life depends upon our thankfulness to the Infinite Father, "the giver of every good and perfect gift." The abundant life depends not only upon purity of heart, but it also depends upon effort and sacrifice, "for whosoever will lose his life, for my sake, shall find it."

Death is included in the promise. There is no condition of life, of sorrow or disappointment, that Jesus cannot cure. In childhood He is our ideal. In youth He guides. In manhood he restrains. In old age He soothes and calms. He throws about the grave the rainbow of hope. He plants the seeds of His precious promises in the cold clods, and they grow into eternal flowers in the sweet bye and bye. Death is but the door that opens into the regions of eternal light and perfect happiness and brings us home to God and the redeemed.

"But from out the borne of time and place
The flood may bear me far;
I hope to meet my Pilot face to face,
When I have crossed the bar."

Things present. The child of God not only looks forward to the heavenly place and condition, for "as the Kingdom of God is within you", the person who is washed in the blood of the Lamb knows something of the joys of heaven on earth, and feels the surges of the high places within his soul.

Things to come. All the promises of God are for His children. "Eye hath not seen, nor ear hath not heard," but we know that the promises of the Bible are our greatest wealth. Poor indeed is the heart that cannot believe its promises for the future, and thus let faith weave wings of victory that we may rise above the storms of this world and dwell in the sunshine of His eternal presence. Let us believe that

"He who, from zone to zone,
Guides through the boundless sky thy certain flight,
In the long way that I must tread alone,
Will lead my steps aright."

As the sun speaks unto the moon in their daily rounds, even so does the providence of God challenge the souls of men.

We have everything to be thankful for, if we are Christ's. The strangest part of this remarkable promise is that the Christian is given ownership to everything, except himself. For we are bought with the price of His blood, and therefore belong to Him.

As we, with hearts filled with gratitude, thank God for every gift that heaven and earth offer, let us thank Him most for the greatest gift, for He "so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

Politics will be warming up after the start of the new year.

FOOTBALL—

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blocked and recovered a punt, running 33 yards to the goal line.

At the beginning of the second quarter, Martin again went over for a count. It was only for three or four yards but a nice line play. Erwin missed the try for extra point. Just a few minutes later, after the Tigers had kicked off, the Ponies were forced to punt, and on a steady drive by the Tigers, with Martin, Clark and Erwin carrying the ball, Martin counted another. Erwin placekicked this extra point to make the score 20 to 0.

The Tigers kicked off again, this all being in the first quarter, and on the first punt, or rather attempted punt, Huestis, Tiger left end, was up at the punter. He blocked the kick, grabbed it and it bounced from the ground and went right to the goal line for the fourth and last touchdown. Erwin failed to placekick this point. That was all the scoring for the Tigers.

The Second Half

During this portion of the game penalties were frequent, and both teams lost several yards due to these violations, some being for offside, others for clipping, roughing and holding.

It was also during this part of the game that several times, with the Ponies passing successively, that fumbles proved costly. The Mustangs would be advancing the ball with ease and then a fumble would cost the ball and sometimes several yards. The Sweetwater line also broke several times to allow Tigers through to down Southworth, the passer, for costly yards that were gained just a few seconds before by successful passing.

Shortly after the second half had opened and the Ponies had been forced to punt, Bledsoe, Mustang center, got through and blocked one of Huestis' punts. Scales, Mustang half, trotted down and recovered it on the Tiger 20 yard line. Lynn made five at center and then lost about six yards on the next try. Then Southworth tossed a perfect pass to Scales, left end, for about 18 yards. Scales stepped over the line standing up for the lone count.

"Little Red" Lee, the Ponies' star on both defense and offense, drop picked the extra point. The score was 26 to 7. It was final.

The outstanding star of the game on both defense and offense work was Huestis, giant Tiger left end. He smeared many Sweetwater plays before they could get started during the first half, but in the second half he was watched closely and was barely able to get around when the game was over. He was, however, regardless of his poor showing during the latter part of the game, the outstandnig player of the affray. D. Trice, center, was another offensive star. He worked hard and tore up many of the Pony line plays to pieces. Martin, Tiger full, was the principal ground gainer for the Tigers.

Starting lineups: Sweetwater, ends, Scales (c) and Bardwell; tackles, Guthrie and Simms; guards, Wilkins and Bickerstaff; center, Bledsoe; quarter, Lynn; halves, Wyatt and Bolton; full, Southworth.

Snyder: Ends, Huestis and Jones; tackles, J. T. Trice (c) and Drinkard; guards, Jenkins and Isaacs; center, D. Trice; quarter, McClinten; halves, Clark and Erwin; fullback, Martin.

Referee, Berry (Trinity); Hardy (Simmons), umpire; Dillingham, (Simmons), headlinesman.

First downs: Sweetwater 8, Snyder 18 (two resulting from penalties).

Passes, Sweetwater completed eight; Snyder completed three.

Punts: Sweetwater punted 11 times for a total of 430 yards, an average of 39 yards; Snyder punted 9 times for a total of 260 yards, an average of 29 yards.

Penalties: Sweetwater was penalized six times for a total of 60 yards. Snyder was penalized seven times for a total of 45 yards.

Fumbles: Sweetwater fumbled four times; Snyder fumbled twice.

Yards gained from scrimmage: Sweetwater gained 265 yards on 16 running plays; Snyder gained 295 yards on 14 running plays.

Thus ended the Sweetwater Reporter story, and they overlooked the fact that more than sixty fine young ladies, members of the Tiger Pep Squad, swept onto the field between halves and gave a real demonstration of spirit and love of Alma Mater. While about a dozen members of the Sweetwater High Pep Squad were compelled to remain in their stand and make no demonstration, since the spirit of the school was not that of Snyder. But here's congratulations, though, to the loyalty of those Sweetwater boosters who did come over as a Pep Squad and as rooters. Both Sweetwater newspapers were represented, and it might be well for both of them to have their high school come over to Snyder and see the spirit that is in our school from superintendent on down to the teacher of the youngest children who attend the grade schools. We got "IT" over here, which is something that cannot be said of our Nolan County brethren if their Thanksgiving turn-out is any indication.

WHY, COLORADO!

Last week's Colorado Record contained the following item, line for line and verbatim as printed:

"Mrs. G. W. Davis of Colorado, and Miss Juanita Gerth of Rotan were married in the office of W. S. Stoneham, justice of the peace, who performed the ceremony."

While we know Editor Wed Reid and Sec'y Jimmie Greene are always claiming highest honors for most everything, but they've got Scurry County beat if contracting parties to a wedding are both of the gentler sex. We arise in gentle wrath to ascertain the cause of all this publicity. Uncle Dave Nation tells us he has not married two ladies this year, so what we want to know is "how" Mitchell County does it all.

Benito Mussolini, Italian dictator: "The Fascist regime is today perfect in its institutions and its men."

THE TURKEY DAY BATTLE

Sweetwater's famous American Legion Gold Medal Band added plenty of spice to the game. The Scurry County Band likewise was in there "tootin'" for the gang.

Cotton Lynn, Oil Belt District's flashy half back, was stopped on his first attempt to carry the ball.

Austin Erwin on the second play of the game secured a Mustang fumble, with the Tigers' first play, being a forward pass, Huestis to McClinton, being grounded.

Bedford McClinton made the first nine yard gain with Buddy Martin following with the first first down of the game.

Sweetwater's schedule — three plays then punt—was followed with precision all through the first half.

Martin made the first touchdown in 6½ minutes of play, on his second lunge for the line.

Austin Erwin kicked the first goal with a place kick.

McClinton made some beautiful dizzy-dashes on returning Mustang punts.

Coach "Red" Moore nearly swallowed his neck scarf when the first touchdown went over.

M. M. Clark, in a 42-yard dash, side-stepped the famous Cotton Lynn, and it took Scales to finally get him, as the first quarter ended.

A forward pass, Huestis to Andy Jones, for 23 yards sort of took the breath out of the Sweetwater boys.

Huestis was smacking and smearing Mustang plays as if the other side had been made of cheese. When he blocked a punt and ran 35 yards for a touchdown, the funeral dirge was ready to start at that moment.

Drinkard and Capt. Trice were tackling like demons, with Jenkins and Isaacs guarding as it never had been done before. Clements went in in the second half and performed nobly.

Erwin recovered two fumbles and snagged a Mustang forward pass at a most crucial moment. He played a fine game.

Buck Howell, who took Clark's place at the latter part of the game, acted a full halfback's part. He looked good.

Dodson Smith, who replaced Dan Trice, tackled Southworth for a 15 yard loss. Dan Trice played spectacular football all through the game, and Smith was a good substitute.

1927 called Snyder; 1928 the Mustangs; and 1929 again replaces the "bow-legged tin-cup" in the lair of the Snyder Tigers.

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All the gifts of literature and science of medicine belong to us. The poets and the painters left the inspiration and the beauty of their pens and brushes to the succeeding generations. The science of medicine has brought health and happiness to man and raised the span of life from thirty-three to fifty-two years. Material science has brought comfort and luxury to every home, for men call upon the heavens for power and light and dig into the bosom of mother earth for metals and minerals that contribute their manifold blessings. Truly we should be thankful that God has contrived with man and nature to bless the sons of men.

The world is ours. When God laid the foundations of the universe, and the world was young, "He made man in His own image", and His admonition was "have dominion over it." God intended for man to master the world, and he has mastered it to the extent that the productiveness of every clime is given for food and clothing and shelter of mankind.

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Christmas dinner at the Chateau Frontenac, Quebec's celebrated hostelry, is a function long to be remembered. The great baronial dining-room is gaily bedecked in holiday greens; noise-makers, paper hats, Christmas crackers and other appurtenances adorn the tables, and there is a procession of cooks through the room, laden with time-honored dishes such as baron of beef, boar's head, suckling pig and other old-world Yule-tide delicacies.

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It is very unusual for the entire class to take part in a play, because there are too many characters, but in "Tumble Inn" every member of the class has a part.

The action of the play takes place in a summer resort hotel, and most of the scenes are portrayed in the lobby of the hotel.

The cast includes:

Hi Hopper, the hotel bell hop, lazy and discontented, is ably played by Robert Garner. All that keeps him at "Tumble Inn" is Annie Moore, in the person of Adelle Baugh. She is a typical maid, having an eye for business and for keeping her position with her boss, Otis Day, proprietor of Tumble Inn, played by Paul Claybrook, who is worried about the lack of business and who is trying to evade Miss Amanda Love, the old maid novelist who feels the need of companionship very greatly. This part is played by Sadie Mae Bruton. Miss Love abhors Miss Helen Pepper, Lucille Brown, the "new woman," a mooster of women's rights, and who holds most men in contempt, an exception being Caesar Casket, Dan Trice, a retired undertaker, and guest, who reciprocates her interest. He fears he will lose her when Mr. Richard Simpson—Sampson, G. L. Huestis, comes to the hotel. He is a "pink tea lounge lizard," hired to entertain the guests by Sommers Knight, Hood Wills, the silent partner of the hotel. He is a carefree soul of whom Hopper says, "Knight doesn't know it's day."

Titus Canby, Cloyce Drinkard, is the newspaper man from the "New York Observer," who admires Miss Phoebe Byrd, an aviatrix who comes to the hotel for rest. This part is played by Treva Hart, and in her wake are Gwendolyn and Sophia, Hazel Cauble and Leota Glen, who are typical flappers that are interested in staying at "Tumble Inn" so as to be near Mr. Sampson, the handsome entertainer.

Other characters are: Ruby Dunnam, Hattie Lee Hart, Olene Stevens, Julia Von Roeder and Alma Hawkins as guests of the hotel.

"Tumble Inn" is a lively comedy drama from start to finish, with many amusing situations and scenes. The time covered in the play is four weeks, the action covering two and one-half hours.

THE SEVEN MISTAKES OF MAN

"There are seven mistakes of life that many of us make," said a famous writer, and then he gave the following list:

1. The delusion that individual advancement is made by crushing others down.
2. The tendency to worry about things that cannot be changed or corrected.
3. Insisting that a thing is impossible because we ourselves cannot accomplish it.
4. Refusing to set aside trivial preferences in order that important things may be accomplished.
5. Neglecting development and refinement of the mind and not acquiring the habit of reading and study.
6. Attempting to compel other persons to believe and live as we do.
7. The failure to establish the habit of saving money.

But no one need make the mistake of neglecting the development and refinement of his mind, declares the National Home Study Council of Washington, D. C. In addition to our public school system there are about five hundred schools which offer home study courses in almost every conceivable subject, and at the cost of a few cents Uncle Sam's postmen will carry these courses to the most remote and inaccessible regions.

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THE TOWN DOCTOR "DOCTOR OF TOWNS" SAYS

PARK AS YOU WOULD BE PARKED BY

If there is any time of the year when automobile parking is vital to community business, it is now.

The amount of Christmas business Snyder does this year will depend in no little degree on the number of automobiles that can be parked, and the "turn over" of each parking space. For that reason every possible parking space should be made to pay a maximum profit, which means that no car should occupy a space for longer time than necessary to transact business, and that "dead head" cars should not be allowed to park in the business district at all.

The habit and practice of local business and professional people of converting "live" parking space into dead storage space by parking their personal cars for long periods of time, thereby monopolizing in one day space that could be used by five "pay" or customer cars, is not only a community business liability, costing YOU money, but a means of atcually driving business away from their own stores.

Here are a few suggestions for those who want more business:

Wise merchant associations will arrange with garage and parking lot proprietors for parking to be free to all those holding sales slips for purchase of goods over a specified amount; they will clean up and convert every vacant lot near the business district into parking space, arrange for special police to guard cars so parked, and see that maximum number of cars are accomodated, and both facts widely advertised.

Stores can well afford to deliver purchases to cars parked in garages and lots, the attendants accepting such deliveries and supervision placing of such deliveries in proper automobiles. At this season many boys, and even men, can be secured for this work at reasonable compensation.

If an arterial highway runs directly through the main business section, re-route this traffic until after busy buying season.

Keep trucks and all slow-going vehicles out of business district as much as possible.

Make special effort to solicit the cooperation of regular and special policemen, earnestly asking that they do everything possible to be friendly and courteous with everyone with whom they come in contact, and at the same time enforce parking regulations affably. The policemen are the floorwalkers of your community, and can make or break community business.

This is not a matter of importance to the business men alone. It affects every property owner, every worker and every citizen in Snyder. The more general business done, the more you benefit—if pays YOU a profit if business is good; it costs YOU money if business is poor. Therefore, it's good business to park as you would be parked by.

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CHURCHES HOLD UNION SERVICE SUNDAY NIGHT

Pastor W. F. Ferguson of the First Baptist Church, together with many members of his congregation and choir were guests of the First Methodist Church Sunday night in a meeting of fellowship and goodwill.

Rev. C. C. Carr pronounced the invocation, Rev. Ferguson read the scripture from Matthew 5, and Rev. Cal C. Wright preached the sermon, stressing prayer as one of the constructive objectives of the Christian.

The two choirs rendered a special number, "All Hail, Immanuel," under the direction of E. D. Curry, that was especially pleasing to the large congregation in attendance.

Both pastors while in the pulpit spoke of the double appreciation, the one happy to meet with his brother pastor, the other to welcome him and his congregation and choir.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Sample and family are leaving the 18th to spend the Christmas holidays with home folks at Indianapolis, Ind. They will make the trip in their new Buick car.

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Teams Have Lived Up to the "Tiger" Name Seven Years

The history of football in Snyder High School extends over a period of seven years.

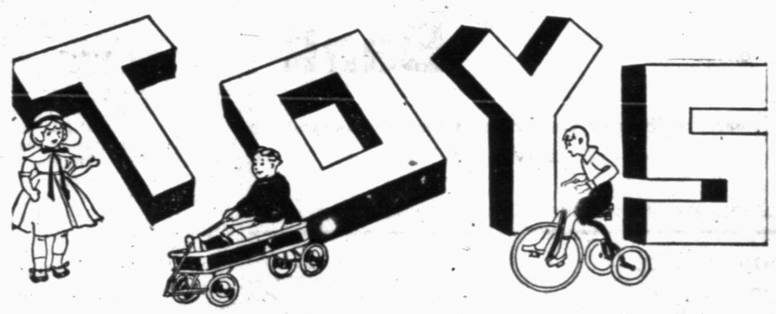
The name "Tigers" was applied to the local team about the second year of the existence of this famous sport in the school. The term "Tigers" has characterized Snyder High's squad since its very beginning, and no team now deservingly merits the name "Tigers" more than the teams that have represented Snyder High since it first sponsored football. The genuine fighting spirit that is characteristic of the jungle tiger has well characterized all football teams which have gone out from Snyder High School.

The colors that have been endeared to the hearts of all loyal Snyder High students, Black and Gold, came to be recognized as sacred the same year that football found a place in the local high school's sports program.

The writer would presume that the black was chosen because of its basic color and because black has long since stood for and has been symbolic of those things that mean realism, sincerity and loyalty. The gold was chosen to match because, from the color spectrum we select gold as the color outstanding in beauty, richness and more perfect to the aesthetic appeal to human nature. Too, it was found that black and gold, so perfect in contrast, both in meaning and appearance, would be symbolic of a true, loyal and sincere student body.

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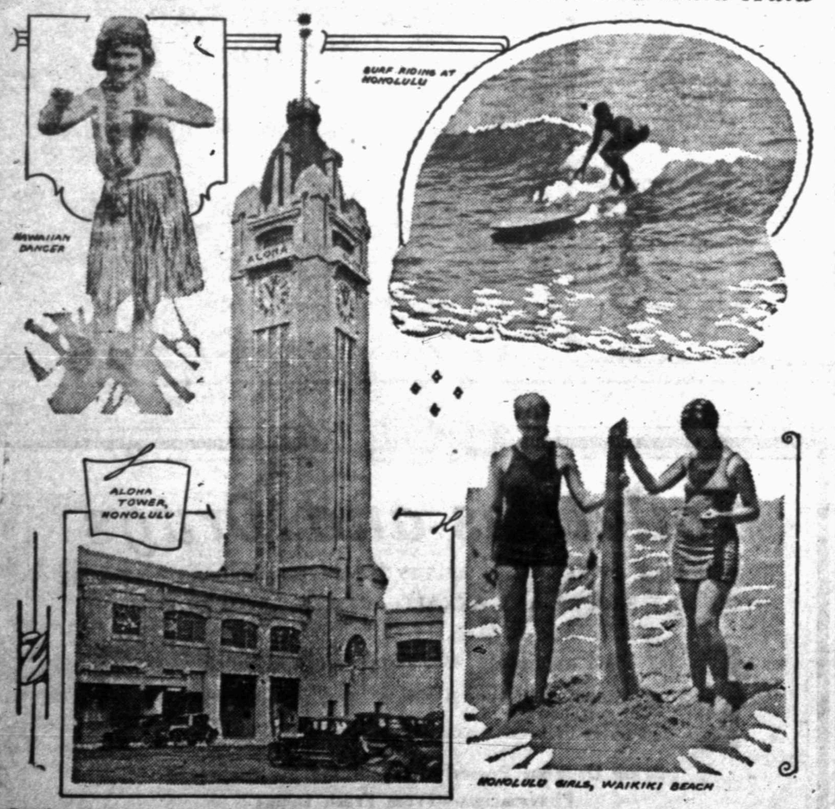
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Enchanting Hawaii, Land of the Ukelele and Hula-Hula



Travelers who have visited every country in the world are enthusiastic in their praise of Hawaii, the Paradise of the Pacific, land of the hula-hula and the sweet-toned ukelele. The Hawaiian group, comprising seven islands in all, lies almost in mid-Pacific, and is United States territory. These beautiful, palm-bedecked tropical isles are now more accessible than ever, for Honolulu, Hawaii's chief port, will soon be included in the itinerary of the Canadian Pacific "Empress" liners sailing from Vancouver, B. C., for the Orient. It will then be possible for the traveler to enjoy the beauties of Hawaii en route to the Far East, for he can step off the liner which brings him to Honolulu from Vancouver, San Francisco or Los Angeles, tarry awhile, and catch the next Orient-bound vessel. This service will be inaugurated by the Empress of Canada, arriving at Honolulu from Vancouver Dec. 13.

Incidentally, no city in all the world greets the traveler like Honolulu. Bronze lads swim out to the ship and perform aquatic miracles diving for coins. Charming smiles greet one from the pier, the band plays "Aloha Oe"—Hawaii's "Home, Sweet Home"—and the visitor is more than welcomed.

Hawaii is noted for its gorgeous sunsets, its beautiful sandy beaches, its luscious pineapples and its native dancers. The natives, ardent lovers of music, gather on the sandy shores at sunset and disport themselves, to the lilting strains of the ukelele and guitar, sometimes dancing the undulating hula-hula, sometimes crooning in sweet harmony their weird, plaintive songs. Waikiki Beach, Honolulu, is one of the most popular and fashionable resorts of the Pacific.

Hawaii's highlights include Kilauea Volcano—dark, sinister and brooding—one of the largest and most active craters in the world. Close by is a fiery lake of molten lava, a wonderful sight. Kilauea is supposedly the home of the fire-goddess Pele, and is the big attraction of Hawaii National Park. Hunting, surf-riding, big-game fishing, tennis and other pastimes make the visitor reluctant to leave.



JOB PRINTING

The recent addition of new machinery augments an already adequate array of printing equipment.

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Fluvanna News Notes

Mr. Jas. H. Tate (W. P.) is the authorized correspondent for Fluvanna, and as such is authorized to receive renewal and new subscriptions. Cooperate with him in building a fine weekly news column for this thriving town.

Business Affairs

A. M. Clayton shipped four cars of fine blooded bull calves Sunday to his ranch near Florida, N. M.

Joe York shipped one car of cows to the Fort Worth market last Sunday.

D. T. Whatley boarded an airplane one day last week in Sweetwater and in six hours including three landings on the way was in Kansas City, where he purchased eight bulls and thirteen heifers of fine registered Hereford stock and shipped same to Fluvanna. These choice cattle will be kept on Mr. Whatley's stock farm two miles south of this place until spring. In this connection, it is interesting to note that Mr. Whatley has 500 acres of wheat, looking well, on his farms in this community.

After considerable delay due to a breakdown, drilling was resumed Monday on the well near the site of the proposed new school building.

Church Affairs

A very nice Thanksgiving service was held last Thursday night in the Presbyterian church. In addition to the song and musical part of the program, John Buchanan led the invocation, Rev. Montgomery, pastor of the First Baptist Church, read the scripture lesson, Rev. J. I. Kelley, pastor of the Methodist Church, delivered the principal address, while V. P. read and commented on the President's Proclamation. The attendance and interest were very good.

The new pastor, Rev. J. I. Kelley, filled the usual appointment at the Methodist Church last Sunday. The attendance and interest were very good in spite of the chilly weather prevailing at the time.

Perhaps the most striking occurrence at the Presbyterian Church last Sunday at the close of Sunday School was the reading by the Clerk of the Session of the formal resignation submitted by the pastor a week earlier. In this paper the vanna, living in the same house, he is not resigning because of any kind of friction between himself and any of the members of the church, but because he feels that the time has come when it will be better for both the church and himself and wife, for them to retire from the Fluvanna field. The paper states that the present pastor has been supplying the Presbyterian Church at this place continuously for 25 years, save eleven months during which Rev. Manley had charge while V. P. was "on the shelf." It also states that by the end of December, at which time the resignation takes effect, the pastor and his wife have resided in Fluvanna. The pastor sets out the fact that for nineteen years and nine months. It is also stated that the retiring pastor and his wife expect to move to southern California, where their son, Henry L., is now erecting their future home out of his own earnings, supplimented (in a small way) by a little estate money. The Village Preacher and his wife are extremely loath to bid farewell to good neighbors with whom the bonds of the warmest friendships have been growing through many years of close association under varying conditions of failures and successes, sorrows and joy, clouds and sunshine, drouths and prosperity, war times and peace times, work and play, weeping and laughing, backslidings and revivals, sickness and health, sowing and reaping—on and on through the passing of a quarter of a century of the ever-changing conditions in the life of a church.

Regular services will be held at the Presbyterian Church next Sunday. At the night service a stereopticon of special interest will be put on.

Sickness

It is reported that the two younger Zeigler boys have been wrestling with cases of smallpox recently, but are now doing well.

F. W. and Mrs. Park were recently called to Tahoka on account of the serious illness of a grandson—one of the Chaney boys—who is suffering from blood poisoning.

Mrs. D. A. Jones is still in the Alexander Sanitarium where she has been under treatment for the injured shoulder previously mentioned in this column. Her condition appears to be a little better.

J. A. Clark and daughter are reported sick of the flu.

B. F. Dargetz is also reported right sick this week.

H. E. King has a right sick child, but the patient is said to be improving.

J. I. and Mrs. Boren and Willis Drum went to the Lubbock Sanitarium Monday for medical advice.

Visits and Trips

W. L. Power departed several days ago for California on business.

Miss Angie Haynes, teacher in the Monahans, N. M., school, spent Thanksgiving here with the homefolks.

J. R. Patterson made a business trip to Dallas last week.

B. O. Stavely and wife went to Sweetwater Tuesday on business.

W. H. Jones and family visited his mother, Mrs. D. A. Jones, in the Alexander Sanitarium on Thanksgiving day. Pat and Mert Jones and their families made a similar trip a few days earlier, and Mert and his family made another such trip to Abilene last Sunday. D. A. Jones is making frequent trips to his wife's bedside, returning from there the last time on Monday of this week.

R. Hunnicutt and wife of Dallas spent last week here with their son, John.

Mrs. Eunice Nesbit and son and Mrs. Dessie Bennett of Mason County spent the week-end here with relatives and friends. Grandma Patterson and Mrs. Ruby Reaves returned home with them Monday.

John Glover and family and Grandfather Glover of Winters are spending a few days here with Mrs. H. Lanham, a relative.

Charles Burk, our ginner, has moved back to Snyder.

Mrs. Pat Jones and baby, her mother and sister, Mrs. Will Beaver and Mattie Lynn and Dr. and Mrs. Jones motored to Floydada on Thanksgiving day for a visit and dinner with several relatives gathered at that place for the occasion. The Fluvanna party returned home the same day.

Mrs. Jake Ross and children of Roscoe spent the week-end here with relatives.

Will and Mrs. Noel have recently moved back to their farm west of town.

Professors Wedgeworth, McCarter and Bandmaster Crowley and Bos Stavely spent the Thanksgiving season on a trip to Brewster County where they felled two fine deer—one a seven-point buck, killed by Bos Stavely. We know that these hunters got the game, for V. P. had some of it for his breakfast this morning.

Mrs. Frasier of Lovington, N. M., a niece of Mrs. Ellen Stavely, arrived here Monday for an extended visit.

Roy Evans and Murphy Bowden and families are moving this week to Cumby, Texas.

Miscellaneous

Mrs. Jas. H. Tate on last Thursday evening received a telegram stating that one of her brothers, J. C. Garrett of Cross Plains, had been seriously injured. A wire the next day from Santa Anna (to which place the patient had evidently been taken) stated that Garrett was resting well, slightly improved, outlook good. No further word has been received to date. This reminds us that since V. P. has been on the Fluvanna work he has lost his father and one sister and a brother-in-law, while Mrs. Tate has lost both parents, one sister and two brothers have been very seriously injured—one, at least, by a car driven by other parties.

Recent statistics show that during last August, 2,852 people were killed in the United States and Canada by automobiles. At this rate, taking into account the fact that a much larger number of persons were injured, many of them permanently so, and these figures are constantly mounting higher, who can tell what the end will be? Who will drive the last car? When will the earth be depopulated?

JAS. H. TATE.

Mail Order Firm Will Establish Abilene Branch

Large Chicago House Will Establish Produce Plant at Abilene

That the large produce chain houses will be looking fast to their laurels was brought to the attention of West Texas Sunday when one of Chicago's largest mail order houses announced the establishment of a produce plant at Abilene.

The announcement appearing in the Abilene Reporter-News stated that purchases would be made direct from the producer and grower and that the plant will handle all kinds of poultry, cream, butterfat, eggs and poultry. The announcement brought out the fact that inasmuch as the company already has the primary markets, that it could secure the largest price which in turn would come back to the producer. With the price of turkeys at the low level of 14 cents for No. 1 stuff in the Snyder market and with three large produce corporations now here, the grower and producer is entitled to hear this good news which may later bring a branch house to Snyder.

The announcement further went on to say:

"This is not an entirely new thing with the company, though new in this part of Texas. In other places where we have attempted this plan, our operations have been successful and we determined to put the plan into effect in the Abilene territory. The farmers with whom we have dealt have been enthusiastic in their support of our plan because their dealings with us have been profitable to them.

"We feel that we can grow in Abilene or Texas or anywhere else only as the city or state or country prospers. We want to do all we can to aid in the development of every city and surrounding territory in which we are located. The remodeling work at the plant has been done by local laborers, and we plan to employ local people in the plant."

The plan of the company is to accept poultry, eggs, cream, butterfat and pecans in any quantity, large or small. Cash will be paid to the producers at once for these. All of the products purchased will be handled, dressed and packed for the markets in the Abilene plant and shipments will be made at once to the primary markets through the company's sales organization.

New Method of Planting Good In Mitchell Co.

Pure Line Seed, Skip Row Method Prove Benefit to Mitchell Co.

According to word from Colorado, production of pure line maize and the skip-row method of planting has not only resulted in producing the best maize in Texas but has resulted in greatly increasing yields, with carefully kept records of demonstrations conducted by farmers and 4-H club boys.

Maize grown by A. K. McCarley of near Colorado and E. B. Hale of Loraine won practically every possible prize at the Dallas State Fair this year. McCarley took sweepstake and first prizes and Hale took third and fourth prizes.

Use of Pure Seed

The demonstrations this year under supervision of the county agent show that production of maize can be increased by using pure seed and by planting two rows and leaving the third row to be planted in peas.

Leroy Adrian of the Landers 4-H club increased the yield 374 pounds per acre by using pure line seed. The pure seed made 1,774 pounds per acre, while crib seed made only 1,400 per acre, showing an increase of 374 pounds per acre.

Horace Snider, Valley View 4-H club boy, planted an acre of ordinary seed and an acre of pure line seed along side, planting both tracts the same day and using the same method of cultivation and the ordinary seed produced 1,854 pounds of head maize and the acre of pure line seed produced 2,100 pounds.

Backed by the chamber of commerce, banks and business men, the county agent is making a strenuous effort to get all Mitchell County farmers to plant better seed. The demonstrations conducted this year have convinced most farmers that good pure line maize seed will pay dividends and next year practically all maize grown there will be of the better quality.

Maize from Mitchell County not only took all available prizes at the State Fair but won first prizes at the West Texas Fair at Abilene; the Mid-West Exposition at Sweetwater; the West Texas Exposition at San Angelo and other smaller fairs in this section. This is credited to the better method of planting and from planting pure line seed.

Housewife Due Holiday, Says Secretary Davis

Sec'y of Labor Davis Makes New Year Resolutions Plain For Men

Snyder and Scurry County men can with pleasure scan the story that Secretary of Labor Davis brought to a radio audience on Thanksgiving night, which is included in a dispatch from Washington, and stated:

Every housewife is entitled to two weeks' vacation each year, says Secretary of Labor Davis.

Secretary Davis in a radio address termed the wife of the working man "the greatest, busiest business executive in the world."

"There's a real rock-ribbed, hidebound working schedule under the surface of the weekly household activities," he said. "Each day has its tasks which must be performed with clock-like regularity."

He listed the weekly schedule of an average housewife:

Monday, washing; Tuesday, ironing; Wednesday, mending and sewing; Thursday, odd jobs; Friday, cleaning; Saturday, the biggest of all with cooking, catering and tending the children, home from school.

There's no rest for her on Sunday, either, he said.

"She may not be a saint, a queen or a goddess. Sometimes she gets tired and cross, why not, considering the load on her shoulders?" he said.

"As we add up her list of occupations—wife, mother, nurse, housekeeper, cook, laundress, seamstress, shopper, financier, master of every trade—we gaze at her in wonder and admiration."

BUY SEALS NOW

Sale of Christmas seals to raise funds for the prevention of tuberculosis sponsored in Texas by the Texas Public Health Association has received the endorsement of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, it was announced at headuarters of the Texas Public Health Association in Austin.

Distribution of 32,000,000 Christmas seals began Thanksgiving Day in cities and towns of the state and will continue until Christmas.

"The Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America is deeply interested in the work of the National Tuberculosis Association and in the largest possible sale of its Christmas seals," the endorsement reads.

The fight against tuberculosis is a national fight for the life of our people."

The Texas Public Health Association, which operates through a number of local units and volunteer workers, is affiliated with the National Tuberculosis Association in its work and is directing the work of tuberculosis prevention in Texas.

NEW DRUMS BOUGHT BY FAIR COMMITTEE

The Fluvanna Fair Committee has shown its interest in the progress of the band by appropriating money to buy new drums.

The band is progressing steadily under the able and efficient leadership of James W. Crowley, and we are proud of it, too.

The band possesses a good variety of instruments. With these and the enthusiasm of the members we are going to make this band one of the best.

The instruments and players are as follows: Bass drum, Elmo Faver; snare drum, Jeff Faver; bass horn, B. O. Stavely; trombones, E. O. Wedgeworth, Vera Stavely and W. H. Jones; baritone, Mrs. John Stavely; clarinets, Mattie Lynn Beaver, Charlie Bley and Ben Patterson; saxophone, alto, Mrs. W. H. Jones; saxophone (C melody), John Stavely; saxophone (alto), Mrs. W. H. Jones; saxophone, B flat soprano, Mrs. B. O. Stavely; cornets, Burl Belew, J. T. Beaver and Clarence Dowdy; alto horn, E. H. McCarter Jr.; bells, Virgil Hanback; piccolo, Rose Marie Clawson.—The Croak.

BANQUET POSTPONED

The annual banquet of the City Firemen has been postponed to next Thursday evening, Dec. 12, owing to illness and the death of Mrs. P. E. Davenport. The banquet will be held at the Presbyterian Church.

O. E. S.

The regular meeting of Snyder Chapter No. 450, O. E. S., will be held Thursday, Dec. 12, 7 p. m.

Will the united choirs of Snyder sing Christmas carols this year?

Baby Chicks to Come Into Their Own This Year

Dept. of Agriculture Shows Shortage of 30,500,000 Dozen Eggs

The opening of the Scurry County Poultry Show today and the many angles to be brought out there with the baby chick hatcheries of Scurry County, brings to mind that the October report of the United States Department of Agriculture shows records that will interest both the hatcheries and the public at large.

According to the bulletin received yesterday from the department, there is a shortage this year, as compared to last year, of 1,350,000 cases of eggs, or in other words, 20,500,000 dozen eggs. This shrinkage should indicate, according to the bulletin, that hatcheries are to come into their own.

For the various classifications of frozen poultry, there is an increase of approximately 18,000,000 pounds in storage over the same period last year. This increase in frozen poultry holdings has always been a clear indication of a shortage of poultry on farms, which will have to be replaced—which again means further stimulation to the baby chick demand.

The bulletin further states that analyzing the figures of the department very carefully, it has always proved out that where there existed a shortage of eggs and an increase in the holdings of dressed poultry, the result invariably reflected favorably on the demand for baby chicks.

SENIOR A'S TO PRESENT PLAY DECEMBER 13TH

The mid-term graduating class of Snyder High School will present a three-act comedy Friday night, Dec. 13. The play is entitled, "Tumble Inn," and holds the interest to the last curtain. There are numerous amusing situations which must be seen to be appreciated.

For instance, there is the hotel keeper who, although married, for business reasons poses as a single man.

Suppose you were a loafing society man—a "lounge lizard"—and the girl you wanted to marry made you get a job. Suppose you had never seen a pick or shovel. You'd probably do just as Richard Simpson-Sampson did—take a position as social entertainer. And the one and only girl in the world comes to the hotel where you do your stuff, and finds all the girls at the resort crazy about you. We don't suppose you will ever be in a situation like that, but it wouldn't do any harm to come and find out how to get out of such a fix.

The play will be given in the high school auditorium where the seniors hope to delightfully entertain you for more than two hours.

FAMILY HOLDS BIG TURKEY DAY FEAST

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Yoder happily entertained a large group Thursday at an old-fashioned get together turkey feast in which eighteen persons participated and enjoyed.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Yoder of Van Alstyne and their sons, Carter and Howard, of Texas Tech; Mr. and Mrs. Hal Yoder, Texas Tech; Fred Yoder, McMurry College, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Yoder and son, Carlas Hugh, of this city. The group were seated at two tables.

According to D. P., a forty-pound turkey was the piece de resistance and that plenty of scraps were left which would provide "hash" for several days.

YOUNG LADY DIES

Funeral services for Miss Frances Pauline Harmon, 14, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Harmon, were held at the Snyder cemetery yesterday afternoon, with Rev. W. F. Ferguson officiating.

Friends of the family will sympathize with them in the loss of this young daughter.

Mrs. Wedgeworth No Better

Supt. C. Wedgeworth returned home Sunday night after spending a week at his wife's bedside at Tenaha. He reported that Mrs. Wedgeworth was not improving, which is sad news to the many friends of the family here.

NOW FOR QUAIL

C. N. Von Roeder of Knapp, one of the good friends of the Times-Signal, came in early Monday morning to challenge "Chubby" to a quail hunt, and from what we understand Chubby has accepted, and the editor is to be the timekeeper and official observer. Just so we get our share of the quail, all will be well, but never having witnessed a shooting exhibition between these two gentlemen, we must reserve our further comments.

HOWARD STATION NOW OCCUPIED

Henry Howard opened his newest filling station last week. It is located just east of the new Burton-Lingo lumber yard. The station, built of brick veneer with all the conveniences attached to a modern station, is one of the finest ever erected here and is a fine testimonial to the worthy activity of this hustler.

THE HEART of SEASON

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Our new location will be the former Warren Bros. Drug Co. room, north side square, next door to J. C. Penney Co.

New Meat Market Will Be Installed.

SOCIETY

ALTRURIANS HOLD ANNUAL LOVE FEAST

Mesdames R. D. English, Joe Caton and A. C. Preuitt were hostesses to Altrurian Club members at the home of Mrs. English Friday, Nov. 29, for the Love Feast, an annual Altrurian affair.

Crystal baskets of red carnations and chrysanthemums and soft shaded lights made the entire house beautiful, while each attractively laid luncheon table had as a center piece a miniature flower-covered trellis on which tiny love birds perched.

During the elaborate four-course luncheon an interesting program emphasizing the love motif was rendered with Mrs. Carl Yoder as toastmistress, introducing the various speakers most gracefully and graciously.

The response to roll call—"I love not—and why," caused much merriment.

Brief talks were made on love in its various aspects as follows: "Father and Mother Love," Mrs. Pat Brown.

"Adolescent Love," Mrs. W. W. Hamilton.

"Love of Friend for Friend," Mrs. Roland Bell.

"Love of Country," Mrs. H. G. Towle.

Each speaker gave point to her subject with a fitting illustration from Shakespeare.

Mrs. Thrane read a stirring patriotic poem.

At the conclusion of the luncheon, the club went into a brief business meeting with the president, Mrs. Joe Caton, presiding.

After business was attended to, the following program was given: Ensemble: America the Beautiful, by club members, with Mrs. Fritz R. Smith directing.

Responsive reading, "The Club Litany," led by Mrs. Lee Stinson.

A detailed report of the recent State Federation meeting at Mineral Wells was given by Mrs. O. P. Thrane.

Members attending the Love Feast were Mesdames E. J. Anderson, Roland Bell, Pat Brown, C. R. Buchanan, Joe Stinson, W. W. Hamilton, C. C. Higgins, J. M. Harris, Fritz R. Smith, Lee Stinson, J. W. Leftwich, Hugh Taylor, O. P. Thrane, H. G. Towle and C. J. Yoder.

FAMILY REUNION

A very happy occasion was that of the reunion Sunday, Nov. 24, when all the children and a large number of relatives met with Mr. and Mrs. Owen C. Powell at the old home of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Powell at Buford, near Colorado, before two of the sons moved to their new homes in Lubbock County.

The guests began arriving as early as Friday night, and by Sunday they were fifty-three in number, some coming quite a distance to be present at this enjoyable affair.

The late Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Powell were old settlers in this community, and have practically reared their family of six children here, having moved here when the eldest children were quite small.

The father and mother lived to see all their children grown to manhood and womanhood, honored citizens, taking their places in their communities. They are all members of the Methodist Church and are active in church and community work. The Powells are all home loving people, and to each of them tender memories still cluster around this old homestead.

May the silent influences that this good father and mother radiated, who have gone on before, never grow less bright and beautiful. Like the never-ending seasons their good works will come into newness year in and year out until that time shall come when there shall be no more seasons—just one long, never-ending, beautiful day.

A sumptuous dinner consisting of turkey, boiled ham, fried chicken, cranberry sauce, dressing, candied yams, creamed potatoes, celery, fruit salad, pumpkin and cherry pie, cake and coffee, was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Powell and family, Mrs. Exa Hammand, B. V. Powell, Buford; R. A. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Ross and family and Claud Cordill, Becton; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Biggs, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Biggs and family, A. T. Biggs and son, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Biggs and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ross, all of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Biggs, Wichita Falls; Rev. I. E. Biggs and family, Dora; Mrs. Ada Watkins and daughter, Merkel; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Green and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Cordill and son and Miss Dahlia Cordill, all of Plainview, Texas.

Ansalen Daniels of Dallas spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hagan.

ALTRURIAN CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. W. M. SCOTT

Mrs. W. M. Scott was hostess to the Altrurian Club last Tuesday at her beautiful ranch home, with Mrs. Mrs. O. S. Williamson leader. Members responded to roll call with a short legend. The following program was enjoyed:

The Wild Woman of the Navidad, Mrs. H. M. Blackard.

The Legend of Sam Bass, Mrs. Nelson Dunn.

The Cave of Montezuma, Mrs. T. H. Duff.

History and Legends of the Alamo and Other Missions, Mrs. W. T. Raybon.

A turkey luncheon was served to Mesdames H. M. Blackard, I. W. Boren, Ollie Bruton, H. J. Brice, P. C. Chenault, T. H. Duff, Nelson Dunn, C. E. Fish, W. T. Raybon, Joe Strayhorn, J. J. Taylor, Allen Warren, R. W. Webb and O. S. Williamson, members; Mrs. Joe Monroe and Mrs. John Dix of Abilene, guests.

DINNER PARTY AT HOME OF FRITZ R. SMITH

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz R. Smith delightfully entertained Thursday evening wth a Thanksgiving dinner. Many beautiful flowers adorned the entertaining rooms, carnations predominating. A color scheme of red and white was carried out in the delicious dinner served to Messrs. and Mesdames E. J. Anderson, H. G. Towle, O. P. Thrane, Joe Stinson, A. C. Preuitt, J. M. Harris, Ivan Dodson, Mrs. Dixie Smith, Mrs. Charles Cooper, Miss Elizabeth Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Tracy T. Smith of Big Sprng and Mrs. Harold Enfield of Hollywood, Calif.

MISS FERGUSON ENTERTAINS

A group of the younger set were honored Thursday evening when Miss Eula Pearl Ferguson entertained with a dinner at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ferguson. Those enjoying this affair were Misses Ida Sue Wallace, Bobbie Chambers, Dale Warren of Abilene, Blanche Newsom of Munday, Messrs. Herman Trigg, Grady Wallace, J. T. Jenkins, Elmer Pears and Grady Ferguson.

FAMILY REUNION

Thanksgiving was observed in the C. M. Fish home last week with a family reunion. After an old fashioned turkey dinner, the guests took pictures and attended the football game. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wood and little daughter of Gorman, relatives of Mrs. Fish; and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fish, Mr. and Mrs. Walla Fish, Mr. and Mrs. Collie Fish and little son, Collie Jr., and Mrs. John Dix of Abilene.

ENTERTAINS AT DINNER PARTY

Miss Lucile Brown entertained a group of friends Thanksgiving with a seven o'clock dinner. A most delicious four-course turkey dinner was served to Misses Floye Brownfield, Audrey Jenkins, Brooksie Wright, Mildred and Mariwaide Harless, and Messrs. Mac Winston, Pee We Wilsford, N. R. Clements, Cleve Blackard, G. L. Huestis and Harold Brown.

SINE CURA DELIGHTFULLY ENTERTAINED

Members and guests of the Sine Cura were entertained by Mrs. E. J. Anderson in her beautiful new home last Tuesday with a bridge luncheon. Chrysanthemums adorned the rooms where a two-course luncheon was served buffet style.

Bridge was then enjoyed by the guests, Mrs. G. A. Hagan winning high score and Mrs. Harold Enfield second high. Those attending were Mesdames H. G. Towle, A. J. Towle, Dixie Smith, Fritz R. Smith, W. R. Johnson, O. P. Thrane, A. D. Erwin, Albert Norred, C. F. Smith, R. H. Curnutte Sr., J. M. Harris, G. A. Hagan, Harold Enfield, Waymond Sims, W. D. Beggs and Wayne Boren.

MRS. ENFIELD AND MRS. DODSON ENTERTAIN

On Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 27, the Robert H. Curnutte home was the scene of a pretty affair when Mrs. Harold Enfield and Mrs. Ivan Dodson entertained at bridge. Baskets of California poinsettas added a festive note.

In bridge Mrs. O. P. Thrane won high score. A lovely plate luncheon was served to the following: Mesdames A. D. Erwin, Billy Lee, W. R. Johnson, Dixie Smith, Fritz R. Smith, Wayne Boren, O. P. Thrane, H. G. Towle, A. J. Towle, J. E. Sentell, J. M. Harris, W. D. Beggs, E. J. Anderson, Ernest Taylor and Miss Neoma Strayhorn.

Mrs. Clyde Clews of Dallas accompanied by her son, C. C. Clews, and daughter, Jean, left Monday after spending the holidays with Mrs. Clews' sister, Mrs. G. A. Hagan, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Farley of Roby, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Warren of Coahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Jason Harris of Sweetwate and Mr. and Mrs. Cloud of Stamford were Sunday guests of Mrs. T. L. Lollar.

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Rayon Bath Robes	$4.49
Silk Tie and Handkerchief Sets	89c
Children's Bloomers	29c
Blanket Bath Robes	$3.95
36-inch Heavy Outing, yd.	11c
40-inch Flat Crepe Silk, yd.	$1.59
36-inch Rayon, Fancy, yd.	39c
9-4 Bleached Sheeting, yd.	39c
Men's Xmas Shirts,	89c and up
Men's and Boys' Wool Lumberjacks	$1.95
81x90 Inch Bed Sheets	98c
42x36-inch Pepperel Pollow Cases	29c
Boys' Knee Pants, pair	39c
Men's Leather and Sheep Lined Coats	$5.85

Ladies' Handkerchiefs, Towel Sets, Dolls, Purses, Bed Spreads, Scarfs, Linen Sets, Toilet Articles all go at Good-Will Sale Prices.

Drug Specials

Aspirin Tablets, 1 dozen in a box	9c
Aspirin Tablets, 2 dozen in a box	16c
Aspirin Tablets, 100 in bottle	37c
Rusian Mineral Oil, 16-oz. bottle	39c
AL-KOL Bath Rub, 16-oz. bottle	29c
Milk of Magnesia, 6-oz. bottle	14c
Milk of Magnesia, 16-oz. bottle	28c
Milk of Magnesia Tooth Paste with Brush	24c
Melba Cream Soap, per bar	11c

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Ladies' Shoes, priced as low as	49c pair
Ladies' Ribbed Vests, each	9c
Men's Ribbed Unions	79c
Hawk Brand Play Suits	79c
Khaki Pants	98c
Munsingwear Bloomers, $2.00 values	$1.39
Work Shirts	59c
School Hose	18c
36-inch Suiting	19c
All Remnants	½ Price
Wash Dresses for Ladies	$1.29

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United States Prohibition Exerts Great Influence on Other Nations, Says W. E. "Pussyfoot" Johnson

Internationally Known Globe Trotter Discusses Evils Of "Likker"

"The influence the United States has established throughout the world through its action of prohibition has been one of great good and has raised the prestige of this country in the minds of others to lofty heights."

So declared William E. (Pussyfoot) Johnson, internationally known globe trotter and advocate of prohibition, when approached recently by a Times-Signal reporter on the question before his address here at the First Baptist Church.

Trouble In Sight

"Of course," continued Mr. Johnson, "we expect to have trouble for a few years until the people of the country have accustomed themselves to the new era and accepted it as a part of their lives. But the old days of saloons will never come back, you may rest assured of that fact."

When questioned as to the seeming great cost and ineffectiveness of enforcement, Mr. Johnson said, "The bootleggers can't stand up under it for long, they are bound to fail. There will always be a few, I must grant you that fact, just as there will always be some robbers and other criminals. But today the prohibition law is being enforced to a greater degree than were the old laws when saloons were wide open. While I lived in New York there were approximately 10,000 saloons there, every one of them going night and day—that was contrary to the law, and anyone could buy liquor.

Convicting Thousands

"Our federal courts are convicting thousands of violators every year. About 15,000 were sent to jail last year, some 7,000 autos and ships were confiscated, while the fines collected almost paid for the expense of enforcement."

Mr. Johnson was in Snyder under the auspices of the Anti-Saloon League of America and since the organization of the World League against alcoholism in 1918, has been foreign representative of that group. He offices in London while not touring the far-away places of the earth. He has just returned from his third trip around the globe and is known as "the world's greatest salesman of the prohibition idea." His last trip was spent mainly in the Orient, and his tales of experiences there carry the sound of interesting fiction.

Tells of Nickname

At one time carrying a price on his head of $6,000, offered by a gang of cattle thieves in Oklahoma, a detective in former years feared by criminals, the adventurer has a color in his speech that is most unusual. Chatting amiably, he heartily laughed when asked the source of his nickname "Pussyfoot."

"Why that has stuck with me throughout my travels and was given many years ago in Oklahoma. While working as a detective in that state I did most of my work under cover of darkness. A gang of cattle thieves singled me out for death and a price was placed on my head. One of my best friends was killed by mistake, the murderer thinking he had accomplished what others had failed to do. That name was tacked onto me by the frontiersmen who compared my undercover work with a cat prowling at night."

On Water Wagon

Mr. Johnson answered frankly when asked whether or not he ever drank. "I haven't taken a drink in many years. Of course while a detective I had to at times, partly as a stimulant and then again to cover my trail.

"That question reminds me of a rather funny incident which happened while I was traveling from Molmein to Rangoon in Burma. I shared a compartment with three priests and during the ride that night they ate. Pulling a bottle of wine from their baggage I was offered a drink but politely declined. The next morning in the rush of leaving the train the priests left their wine and got it mixed with my baggage. I ran to catch them and while I was gone a newspaper reporter found my baggage and of course discovered the wine. The next edition of the Rangoon paper told of my arrival with several bottles of liquor and there I was a temperance representative. Suffice it to say I had one sweet time explaining the affair to the public.

Other humorous happenings were related by the lecturer of his embarrassment at times when using interpreters how at one time when he was quoted as saying for "he was tickled to death" that "he laughed until he died." Another story of his experiences in a small town in India when he was left by a train while looking for water with nothing on but his pajamas, left in a strange town, no money, no baggage and no papers of credit or identification while the train roared on and left him standing in his night clothes.

"My work is very interesting but exceedingly hard. I would not give it up, however. I joined in this work in 1912 and have been with the League ever since."



When in Kansas City I never fail to call on my very good friend, Laurence Dickey, publisher of the Kansas City Journal-Post. My experience has shown me that the best informed men and best boosters for any city are its newspaper men.

Mr. Dickey remarked to me that Kansas City is the 'Heart of America." It started me thinking, and what particularly attracted my attention is the fact that Kansas City seems to be the gateway to every section of the west and southwest.

Greater Kansas City claims to have a population of nearly six hundred thousand people. Sixteen railway systems with thirty-two lines enter Kansas City, as well as seven interurban railways and bus lines that run to or connect with other lines from New Orleans to Winnipeg and from San Francisco to New York, and every city between.

I went down to the Union Station early to catch my train. Had dinner at the Harvey Restaurant and went all through the station. It is the third largest station in the United States—a wonderful architectural creation. Bedford stone and granite are used outside and marble and tile inside. Its main waiting room is the largest in the world, being 410 feet long. The grand lobby is 280x110 with a 90-foot ceiling. Thirty-two tracks handle the 260 trains, which I was informed enter and leave the station daily. The depot cost six million dollars and is part of a terminal system that cost fifty million dollars.

After this tour of the Union Station I could easily see that all roads lead to Kansas City, and this is one of the reasons why Mr. Dickey said that Kansas City is the "Heart of America."

TEXAS HELIUM SUPPLIES WORLD DEMAND

Texas alone produces the world's supply of commercial helium, states Hazel Cooke Upshaw writing in the November issue of the Texas Commercial News. The Sonocy plant, near Amarillo, the only helium plant in the world operating on a commercial basis, is releasing helium from Texas natural gas for inflation of the nation's dirigibles.

Prior to the World War there were in the United States not more than two or three cubic feet of isolated helium, and in Europe about eight cubic feet. It was used only for scientific experiments. The cost, $2,500 a cubic foot, made it prohibitive for commercial use. Today the cost at the Texas helium plant near Amarillo is less than two cents per cubic foot, the plant operating twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week.

While the inflation of dirigibles is the outstanding use for helium, it is now also used in the rectifier tubes of radio instruments. It is also proposed to use it to cool the instruments made to generate and transform electric current. Deep sea divers hope to overcome pressure at the depth of water where they work by introducing helium into the air they breathe.

Texas is attracting the attention of air-minded America by its success in producing this rare gas, helium.

PYRON TEACHERS NOW IN NEW HOME

The Pyron teachers are housed in a beautiful new bungalow that was built during the summer to replace the old building that burned. Mr. T. J. Bryant, the superintendent of the school, is very proud of the new home and indeed should be, for he had the leading part in putting the project over, or at least was of material benefit to the able trustees of the district. They are moving right along with their work. The Pyron school is a six-teacher strictly rural school and one of the county's best.

GARNER CHICK RANCH SHIPPING MANY EGGS

The Giles Garner Poultry Ranch is averaging twenty cases of eggs a week that are shipped both to Douglas and Crawford hotels at Big Spring and the Schaubauer hotel at Midland. That means 10,800 nuggets of hen fruit that are Scurry marked and that are giving satisfaction in these hotels. The hotels are paying $15 a case, f. o. b. Snyder.

The Garner ranch is eliciting much praise from visitors who are hearing of the remarkable strides that are being made. A group from Midland Thanksgiving Day visited the ranch and wanted to place an order for more eggs than Mr. Garner could guarantee.

Scurry County folks who think that Giles is "spoofing" should make a trip out to his place and examine for themselves.

Off to an Early Start

Preceding the ceremony the young couple left for a southern honeymoon and upon their return will be at home in Leesburg, Fla.—Fort Payne (Ala.) Tribune.



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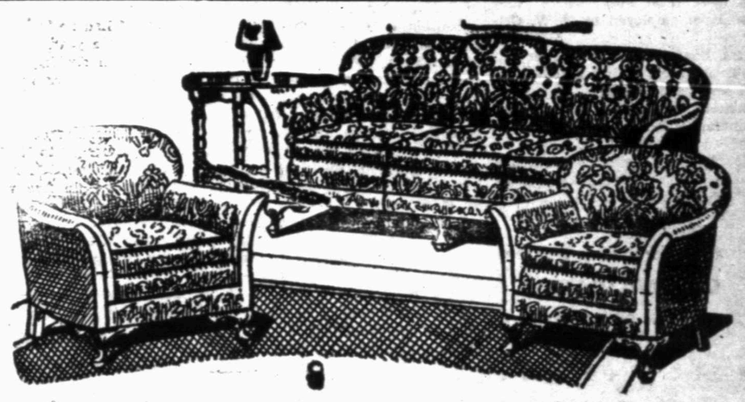


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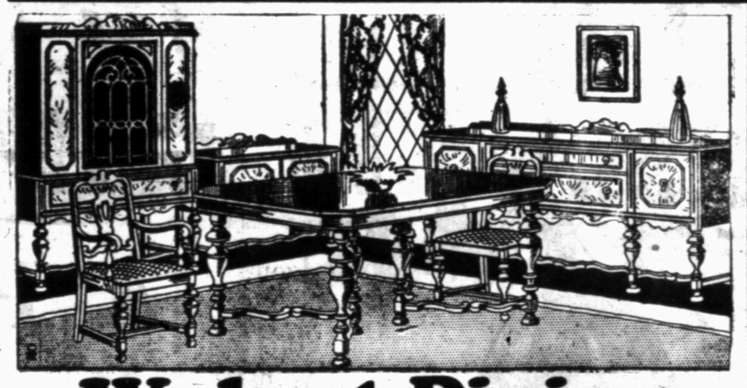


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POLAR NEWS

By Mrs. J. A. Martin

Our community enjoyed a few days of warm weather last week, but at this time it is cold again. Winter began early this year and seems to continue.

Our community as a whole has been blessed with health this year, but Mrs. Sam Mitchell has been quite sick lately, and Mr. Cantrell is on the sick list this week. Mrs. Walter Harris was confined to her bed for several days last week.

Polar Sunday school has been changed from afternoon to morning. There were a few who ventured out Sunday morning and Sunday school was held as usual. Every person in our community has a cordial welcome to the Sunday school.

Thanksgiving was spent at home by most of our people, while some few took dinner with friends and relatives here and elsewhere. A. C. Elkins and family spent Thanksgiving in Snyder with their son, Ivan.

The school children, teachers and others of our community met at the Polar cemetery last week and gave it a thorough cleaning of weeds and brush, also fixing the fence and rounding up the graves. We can't help the dead, but every community should have pride in keeping up its cemetery, schools and churches.

Polar public school teachers received a vacation last Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Misses Bessie Burnett and Iris Bullock spent their time in Snyder and Camp Springs. We understand that Mr. Cargile went to Wichita Falls to attend a Masonic meeting.

Mr. Cantrell and family returned from the plains last week. They will reside on one of the J. R. Massingill places next year.

Johnny Hoyle and wife are visiting with Mrs. Hoyle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wilkerson, near Snyder.

W. R. Craig and family returned last week from Post where they have been employed by J. W. Crider.

Mrs. Edgar Shuler of Snyder was a Sunday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cargile.

Ernest Massingill came from Plainview Sunday to be the guest of his mother, Mrs. J. R. Massingill.

Bro. Kelly, the new Methodist pastor for the coming year, preached at Polar Sunday afternoon, using as his subject, "Going Forward."

OFFICIAL DATA

Taken From Records of the County Clerk

New Cars Registered

J. E. Miller, Snyder, Oldsmoblie sedan.

Ed Murphy, Knapp, Chevrolet sedan.

W. H. Ware, Snyder, Ford sedan.

O. O. Harris, Snyder, Pontiac coach.

C. M. Wellborn, Knapp, Ford sedan.

Floyd Logan, Snyder, Ford coupe.

J. C. Smyth, Snyder, Ford coupe.

Lester Biggs, Snyder, Ford roadster.

Marriage Licenses

Curtiss Corbell and Miss Mildred Henley, Nov. 29.

Sterling Leon Kendricks and Miss Mary Frances Fitzgerald, Nov. 27.

Births Registered

Mr. and Mrs. Pablo Gonzales, a girl, Nov. 25.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Pherigo, a girl, Nov. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Clements C. James, a boy, Nov. 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Bynum, a boy, Nov. 22.

Real Estate Transfers

Mrs. Mary E. Brown to Mrs. Edie Parr, interest in SE¼ sec. 148, blk. 3, H&GN survey.

E. P. Devours and wife to L. M. Devours, W½ of sec. 294, blk. 97, H&TC survey.

Mrs. Alma Earnest to John P. Jordan, NW¼ of sec. 4, of J. P. Smith survey.

G. B. Clark and wife to W. T. Raybon, South ½ of lots 4 and 5, block 1, in West Side Heights.

James L. Jordon and wife to Mary W. Jordon, undivided 1 1-18 interest in and to 200 acres, E ¼ of S 40 acres of sec. 1 [illegible] sec. 132, blk. 3, H & G N survey.

C. W. Morton and Viola Morton to W. E. Huffman, S½ of lot 1, blk. 26 in Cody Addition.

A. D. Higginbotham and wife to Fred J. Kasper, lot 4, blk 28, town of Hermleigh.

C. R. Brown and Mary Brown to J. E. Brown, 150.3 acres of land in NE¼ of sec. 133, blk. 3, H&GN sur.

A. K. Huckleberry and wife to Ernest Taylor, W ½ of sec. 152, blk. 97, H&TC sur., containing 328 acres.

W. B. Lemons and wife to W. T. Weldon, about one acre of land in NW corner of tract 18 of the Grimes ranch lands and patented to J. P. Smith.

Oil & Gas Leases

Paul S. Reed to H. A. Harman et al, W 338 acres of sec. 120, blk. 97, H&TC sur.

Paul S. Reed to H. A. Harman et al, E ½ of SW¼ of sec. 133, blk. 97, H&TC sur.

Roy D. Golston to H. A. Harman et al, SE portion of NE¼ of sec. 113, blk. 97.

W. P. Thompson et ux to H. A. Harman et al, SE¼ of sec. 113, blk. 97, H&TC survey.

A. S. Klock to Byrd, Lechner & Harman, SW¼ of sec. 115, blk. 97; and S½ of SE¼ of sec. 114, blk. 97.

W. M. Carruthers et ux to H. A. Harman et al, S ½ of NW¼ of sec. 121, blk. 97.

Butler Barnett et ux to H. A. Harman et al, S½ of N½ of sec. 138, blk. 97.

Paul S. Reed to H. A. Harman and D. H. Byrd, NW¼ of NE¼ and NE ¼ of NW¼ of sec. 133, blk. 97.

Southland Royalty Company to D. H. Byrd, E½ of SW¼ and NE¼ of NW¼ of sec. 133, blk. 97.

Southland Royalty Co. to D. H. Byrd, W½ and 16 acre strip off E½ of sec. 20, blk. 97.

A. L. Barnett et ux to H. A. Harman and D. H. Byrd, S½ of SE¼ and all the S 60 acres of E½ of S¼, both tracts in sec. 138, blk. 97.

W. A. Reiter et al to Byrd, Lechner & Harman, SW¼ of sec. 113, blk. 97; S½ of SE¼ of sec. 114, blk. 97, H&TC sur.

I. B. Humphreys to H. A. Harman et al, E½ of SW¼ sec. 114, blk. 97.

Carrie Berry Foster to W. W. Lechner, SW¼ sec. 115; S½ of SE ¼, blk. 97.

J. E. Murphy et ux to H. A. Harman, 120 acres of NE¼ sec. 114, blk. 97, H&TC survey.

T. B. McKnight to M. M. McCabe and Milton Doughty, 4¾ acres in SW corner sec. 28, blk. 3, H&TC survey.

Mrs. A. T. Porter et al to Milton Doughty and J. G. Aamnd, SE¼ sec. 27, blk. 3, H&TC sur.

In Illinois they are planting trees in front of billboards to beautify the landscapes. When the trees grow they will make good posts for hot dog signs and political advertisements.—The South Bend Tribune.

DEMONSTRATION COUNCIL ELECTS OFFICERS FOR YEAR

Mrs. Roy Taylor of Canyon Chosen Chairman of County-Wide Organization

The annual meeting of the County Home Demonstration Council for officer election was held Saturday, Nov. 23. Council officers elected for 1930 were Mrs. Roy Taylor of Canyon, chairman, and Mrs. George Lewis of Ira, secretary and reporter.

Beef and pork canning meeting was held at the home of W. A. Cross in the Hermleigh community on Nov. 20. With plenty of good help and the use of four pressure cookers, 96 cans of various products were put up, valued at almost fifty dollars. Those present and assisting with this canning were: Mrs. Claude Kennedy, Roy Coston, W. A. Cross, Miss Faye Moore, Mr. Cross, Mr. Coston, Mr. Julian Leslie and Miss Jessie Lee Davis, county home demonstration agent.

Another pork canning demonstration was given on Friday morning, Nov. 22 at the home of Mrs. J. R. Truss, Fluvanna.

The county home demonstration agent plans to assist with a number of other meat canning meetings before the Christmas holidays, and will also reorganize all women's and girls' clubs as well as organize new clubs in several communities.

MANY PURCHASE NEW ICE BOX ON SMALL INCOMES

Report One Buyer in Five Has Salary of Only $2,000 a Year

People of moderate means are the heaviest purchasers of electric refrigerators for the home, according to a recent survey of its deferred payment business made by Frigidaire Corporation. A study of more than 11,000 sales on the extended payment basis, made in all parts of the country shows that more than one-third of these users reported incomes of $2,500 a year or less and that considerably more than half had incomes of not more than $3,000 a year.

This is in striking contrast with sales of two years ago when only one-third of this company's time payment business came from people with incomes of $3,000 a year or less, according to E. G. Biechler, president and general manager. In 1929 one sale in five was to purchasers with incomes of not more than $2,000 a year, while in 1926 only one sale in ten was made to people within this income range.

Mrs. Mary Banks spent the week-end with her mother in Plainview.

PIONEER CALLED TO LAST REWARD

Funeral services for Mrs. P. E. Davenport were held Monday afternoon at the First Methodist Church, with Rev. Cal C. Wright officiating. Interment was made at the Snyder cemetery.

Born in Kothe County, Tenn., January 10, 1868, Miss Margaret Daniel joined the Methodist Church at an early age and remained a [illegible] death a devout and serious Christian lady. Miss Daniel was married to P. E. Davenport May 16, 1886, who with five children survive. They are W. F. Davenport, Eastland; O. F. Davenport, San Antonio; Mrs. E. C. Neeley and Mrs. Dee Singletary, Snyder; and Mrs. Ruth Ballard, Detroit, Mich., all of whom were present at the funeral services.

Mr. and Mrs. Davenport and their children came to Scurry County more than twenty years ago. Friends and neighbors of nearly a lifetime were present to pay honor and respect to a woman they had loved and admired in life. Banked high on either side of the casket were flower tokens from a host who wanted to show their final respects to a pioneer lady. During Pastor Wright's discourse, what more fitting tribute could be paid the dead when he said: "She was a good wife and mother and a good Christian."

Pall bearers included Charley and Ben Harless, O. P. Thrane, A. M. Curry, A. M. Nix and Byrd Rodman.

HOGS FURNISH GOOD MARKET FOR FEED

COLLEGE STATION—Pork can be produced and put on the market for seven cents per pound, and by so doing furnish a market for the farm grown corn or grain sorghum crop from 25 to 50 per cent higher than the cash market affords, even in these days of low hog prices. With that bald, flat statement good hog raisers everywhere will agree, but the assertion has plenty of support in the records of club boy and farmer demonstrators over Texas.

They raised them singly and in litters and even in droves, in a few cases, and their 1929 records thus far compiled at Extension Service headquarters show that a well fed pig may be expected to gain an average of two pounds or better daily for a feeding period of five months or less. When marketed at this age such a pig weighs out about 200 pounds and represents a total investment, including the first cost and feed and labor, of about seven cents per pound. By figuring profits in terms of what the hogs paid for their feed, the corn these demonstrators fed their hogs brought an average of $1.50 per bushel.

"And that," declares E. M. Regenbrecht, Extension swine specialist, "is the way the hog business ought to be figured." It's not a get-rich-quick scheme, but a farm enterprise that maintains a good, substantial market for home grown feed crops and milk at all times. The fact that hogs gave farmers such a market this year when prices were down at the bottom of the periodical hog cycle shows the fundamental soundness of the business.

"To build such a farm market for feedstuffs, these demonstrators had to use good, well-bred stock, feed a balanced ration, and supply lots of drinking water, shade and pasture. Some of these men and boys fed one pound daily per head of protein supplement, with or without milk, combined with corn or grain sorghums, and others fed corn and tankage in self feeders. All whose records we have compiled worked out their plans in cooperation with their county agents."

FLUVANNA HIGH'S PAPER VERY GOOD

The Fluvanna schools are publishing a monthly paper this year called "The Croak" that is making a decided stand with the other high school publications of the state.

With J. T. Beaver as editor, Lawrence Shipman, business manager; Miss Pauline Haynes, associate editor; Matty Lynn Beaver and Luke Weems, sports editors, the publication is making its place with a fine advertising patronage and a live, wide-awake news section.

An interesting item in the latest issue as regards what Seniors of the 1929 graduating class are doing, was as follows:

We are very proud to say that most of the Seniors of 1929 are going to college or to some other high school. Ruth Truss, who was valedictorian, is going to Simmons University, and the report has come to us that she is making the highest grades of her class and has been elected class favorite.

Burline Boynton, the salutatorian of '29, is enjoying a pleasant year at the Tech College at Lubbock, where she also stands at the top of her class.

Floyd Ainsworth is also going to Tech, and is doing good work.

Nadine Haynes is going to Westmoreland, San Antonio, where she was given an art scholarship.

Hood Wills is attending Snyder High School, where he hopes to better prepare himself for college.

Evelyn Moore is taking a correspondence course from Tech and expects to enter school there later.

We have at home with us from this class Alma Lemons, Charline Tarter and Opal Barnes.

We, as a high school, congratulate these students in the good work they are doing, and we are proud to claim them as graduates from Fluvanna High School.

CHRISTMAS CHECKS FOR CONFEDERATE SOLDIERS, WIDOWS

Happy will be the Confederate soldiers and widows to hear the announcement from Austin Monday that state warrants for three quarters of a million dollars is on its way to pensioners.

Each of the 11,000 persons on the pension rolls this quarter will be given an allowance. The Confederate soldiers and the widows who are over 75 years of age will be paid $75 each. The 3,500 widows under 75 years of age will receive $35 for the quarter. These 3500 younger widows went without any pension money last quarter, owing to changes in the pension law.

WHADDAYOUSAY?

The Christmas turkey market down to 14 cents for No. 1 stuff makes it appear that a co-operative selling organization would not be amiss for Scurry County. From a standpoint of production our response has been wonderful. From a marketing standpoint we are standing still and have failed there. Let us have your viewpoint on this matter. Write us a letter.

Piano Instruction Reduced

Due to stringent financial conditions, am reducing my prices on regular Piano Course, beginning January 1st, 1930.

Will be in position to take a few additional pupils at that time.

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Mrs. Mary E. Banks

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As pictured on the center pages of The Saturday Evening Post, October 19th, in a huge airship factory and dock now being erected, Goodyear will build for the U. S. Navy the two largest airships yet seen—each is to be nearly TWICE the size of the Graf Zeppelin.

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STEADILY, Goodyear manufacture keeps on the advance. This is as brilliantly true in a Goodyear Tire as in the great Goodyear Airships.

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30x3½ $5.30

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30x4.50 $7.00

HIGHWAY GARAGE

RALPH HICKS, Prop.

PAINFUL INDIGESTION



"I SUFFERED from indigestion; everything I ate gave me heartburn," says Mrs. Mattie Mullins, of Pound, Va. "For months, I did not see a well day. I worried along, but never felt well.

"I got a package of Thedford's Black-Draught at the store and began taking it—a dose every night before going to bed. I had been having an awful pain. After I had taken Black-Draught, this pain entirely stopped. I began to gain in weight, and rested well at night. In a few months I was feeling fine. My health was better than it had been in years.

"I keep Black-Draught in our home, and we all take it for constipation and upset stomach."

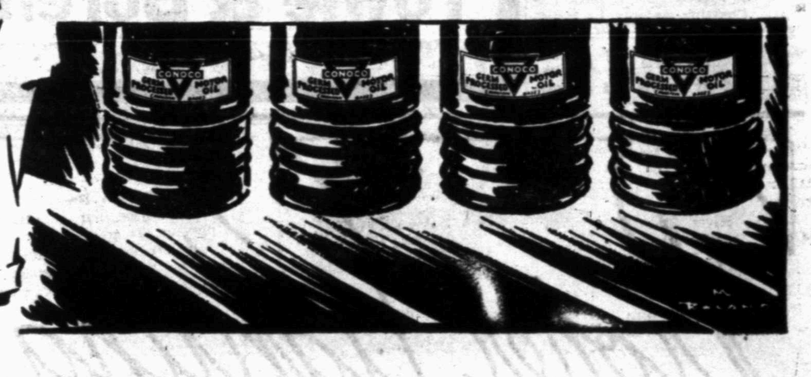
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Society

SUNSHINE BAND PARTY

On November 28 a Thanksgiving party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Hays in honor of the Sunshine Band Sunday School class of Union Chapel. Dancing and playing the social hours various games were enjoyed by all. Refreshments of hot chocolate, cake, sandwiches and fruit were served.

ALPHA STUDY CLUB

Mrs. G. B. Clark Jr. was hostess to members and guests of the Alpha Study Club Tuesday afternoon. After roll call was answered with the names of well-known artists, the following program was given with Mrs. Wraymond Sims leader:

Talk on Picture Study, Mrs. Melvin Blackard.

Poem, from "Voice of the Southwest," Mrs. Wayne Williams.

Articles on Pictures, Mrs. Charlie Noble.

Display and Comment on Pictures, Mrs. Wraymond Sims.

A delicious plate lunch was served to Mrs. Wayne Boren, Mrs. Ivan Dodson, Mrs. Homer Snyder, Mrs. Wayne Williams, Mrs. C. F. Sentell, Mrs. Wraymond Sims, Mrs. Clyde Boren, Mrs. Tom Gates, Mrs. Melvin Blackard, Mrs. Ixon Joyce, Mrs. Charles Noble, Mrs. Forest Sears, Miss Hattie Herm and Miss Neoma Strayhorn, members; Mrs. George Oldham and Mrs. Maurice Brownfield, guests.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING REUNION

Last Thursday morning as the sun rose in its glory throwing its beautiful gleams upon mother earth there was about to start one of the happiest days of the year. The soft breeze seemed to say, "We have many things to be thankful for." As mother Jordan is in her seventieth year, she was made happy with a surprise Thanksgiving dinner and reunion of her children, all of whom were present except two.

Those present were: J. F. Jordan and family of Ira, J. I. Jordan and family of Dunn, O. H. Jordan and family of Dunn, Mrs. Girlie Bowers and family of Snyder, Mrs. T. W. Gabbert and family of Ralls, Mrs. J. O. Casey and family of Ralls, children of Mrs. Jordan; and Mrs. W. E. House and family of Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Huddleston of Knapp, and Mrs. Clyde Childress and family of Dunn, grandchildren.

A very appetizing turkey dinner was served at one o'clock. The afternoon was spent taking pictures. We are so thankful that God has spared us all one more happy Thanksgiving with our dear mother and grandmother.

A GUEST.

MUSICAL COTERIE

The Musical Coterie met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. W. W. Hamilton, with Mesdames Hamilton and Sentell hostesses.

After the study hour on "Primitive Oriental and Medieval String Instruments," led by Mrs. C. M. Miller, the following program was given:

Piano, "Silver Stars," by Bohm, Mrs. W. H. Ritzenthaler.

"Little Gray Home in the West," "azareth," by Gounod, Choral Club.

Piano, "Witches Dance," by McDowell, Mrs. Jesse Sellars.

A delicious salad course was served to the following: Mesdames Mary Banks, Hugh Boren, Otis Don Carter, R. L. Gray, J. E. Hardy, W. C. Hooks, Howard McDonald, C. M. Miller, A. C. Preuitt, W. H. Ritzenthaler, Jesse Sellars, Fritz R. Smith, Homer Snyder, D. P. Strayhorn, members; Mrs. Von Roeder, Misses Norred and Herbert and Mr. Dawes of Colorado, guests.

Nineteen days to Christmas.

BUSINESS WOMEN MEET TUESDAY EVENING

The Business and Professional Women had their regular meeting in the Chamber of Commerce Hall Tuesday evening, December 3, at 7:30 o'clock. Contributions were brought for the bazaar which will be held at the office of the Snyder News on next Saturday, Dec. 14, and the following Saturday, Dec. 21.

Reports revealed that twenty-three members had taken membership in the Red Cross; that flowers had been sent to those who were ill in our midst, and a motion was adopted that the club send tokens of sympathy to Mrs. Wedgeworth, who is very ill at Penahs, and to Mrs. R. A. May, who is at the bedside of her husband in Baylor Hospital at Dallas.

This club will cooperate with the Mothers Self Culture Club, originators in the out-door Christmas tree movement, which seeks to have an illumined tree outside every home and a community tree upon the court house lawn, during the Christmas holidays.

The publicity committee had charge of the program, Miss Eloise Scott and Miss Marguerite Person acting as hostesses. An interesting program was given.

Roll call responses contained many suggestions of ways to advertise the club. Miss Eloise Scott led the discussion on: "Is the Average Women's Page of the Newspaper an Insult to Feminine Intelligence?"

Mrs. R. E. Gray gave a humorous reading entitled: "Extra Paper—Evening Edition," which was a story about how a bunch of women in order to get funds for cemetery improvement had taken charge of a run down daily paper in a small town, and in one day cleaned up the town and also furnished plenty of startling news for the readers of the special edition.

Mrs. Melvin Blackard played "Remembrance," by Davies.

Miss Eloise Scott read a paper on "The Power and Privilege of the Press."

Through the kindness of Mrs. T. L. Lollar, who has loaned the club a piano for an indefinite time, this piano has been placed in the hall and will in the future add much to the enjoyment of the programs in giving opportunity for the rendition of good music.

Miss Smith, principal of the Loyd Mountain school, and Mrs. Erla Morgan were appreciated visitors.

Serious Game

Indicating the strong hold which the game has on the country, the senate has made a football of the tariff bill.—The Seattle Daily Times.

Carries Sweet Odor



Santa Claus likes to carry these ornamental bags wherever he goes, for the sweet odor of their contents (garden lavender) scents up his entire pack. They are made of coarse, colorful netting with frills at the top and handpainted embroidery hoop handles. Gift shops report them as among their most popular numbers. They measure from nine to twelve inches across.

MOTHERS SELF CULTURE CLUB MEETS

The Mothers Self Culture Club met December 3 with Mrs. J. W. Ely, hostess. After the business, a very instructive lesson on "Architecture" was led by Mrs. J. P. Avary.

The topic, What We Have Learned from Egyptian, Greek, Roman and Gothic Architecture, was given by Mrs. Jim Reynolds and Mrs. G. H. Leath.

The Marbles of Parthenon, Mrs. H. M. Wall.

The Arch of Trojan, Mrs. L. E. Trigg.

The Taj Mahal, Mrs. J. P. Avary.

A delicious plate was served to the following members: Mesdames J. P. Avary, P. C. Chenault, J. J. Taylor, Jim Reynolds, Will Williams, L. E. Trigg, B. M. West, G. H. Leath, E. J. Anderson, E. F. McCarty, and the following guests: Mesdames A. W. Arnold, W. B. Hampton, L. G. Ely and W. J. Ely.

The next meeting will be held December 17 with Mrs. J. J. Taylor and with Mrs. J. A. Woodfin as leader.

INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U.

Program for Dec. 8.

Subject, "Wouldst Thou Be Great?"

Scripture Reading, Matt. 18:1-4; Luke 22:27, Fred Day.

A Worthy Ambition, Louise Wilsford.

The Old Idea of Greatness, Weldon Alexander.

The Christian Conception of Greatness, Willie Pearl Glen.

What, Then, Makes One Great?, Johnnie Horton.

Keeping the Heart Pure, E. J. Bradbury.

Losing Self in Service, Dixie Lee Davis.

General Discussion, Mrs. W. A. Morton.

Leader's Closing Thought, Miss Effie McLeod.

CLUB SUCCEEDING

The Mothers Self Culture Club, which originated the outdoor Christmas tree movement in Snyder, is having wonderful success. This club should have the absolute cooperation of every business house to make Snyder the one real West Texas town that shows the true Christmas spirit.

POST EDITOR SAID TO BE GREAT HUNTER

Editor "Eddie" Warren of the Post Dispatch is said to be some hunter. At least that is what folks living in his territory say. He has promised the Times-Signal editor a real "mess" of quail, and we are publishing this as a matter of record as well as to invite any other quail-hunters who have a superfluous load of the feathery babies to drop by and remember that quail are a most welcome tit-bit at our house.

They Did

The law of equilibrium is always at work, and some of those who cleaned up, betting against the Cubs in the world's series, got cleaned out for betting against the bears in Wall Street.—The Beloit Daily News.

Doesn't Need It

John Taylor, our popular forest supervisor, is going east to lecture on the problems of forestry. Most every big town is on the list except Washington, where they know too much about log-rolling already.—The Butte Daily Post.

A Basket of Grapes

Blanche Tanner Dillin

IN THE east of a cloudless sky shone a bright star as a beacon, over the town. Groups of town folk hurrying in its direction appeared as the wise men who followed the star of old.

Every one would be attending the Christmas entertainment given at the church, so no need to keep his fruit shop open, decided Matt Hughes, as he joined the happy, joyous throng bound in that direction.

From where he sat he could plainly see the star, and he fell to dreaming of another Christmas when that same star shone as brightly as now, but instead of the snow-clad hills of New England there was the wide expanse of the California desert. Across that desert toward the star rode a lone horseman, a song on his lips and a smile on his face. From his saddle hung several packages in the bright holiday wrappings.

As he drew near a cabin the song changed to a shout of greeting which died to a low exclamation of surprise as he saw there was no welcoming light. After searching in the dark he had struck a light, and then had come the discovery of the written message. It was the same old story—unaccustomed to the desert, the problems confronting one trying to conquer it had proved too big. Howard James, the playmate of his childhood, college friend and later neighbor out here in the West, proved now to be the real love of Dolly Hughes instead of Matt.

Then had followed the long trek across the country by the stricken husband, ending at last, after a fruitless search on the Eastern coast. Something about the little village was more soothing to his troubled spirit than any place he had found, and he stayed on.

One day the name of James Howard was spoken in his presence; the similarity of the name of his former friend caused him to locate the man. Then he learned that Dolly had not survived long after reaching there. With a curse on his lips the husband left, and although the two had lived in the same village for several years, they had never spoken to each other; but Matt had never revealed the identity of the other man.

Words of the program mingled with his dream, such as "The Glory of the Lord shone 'round" and They brought Him gifts" and the words of the minister at parting—"Little children love one another."

An idea which formed quickly in his mind crystallized into action and Matt found himself hurrying first to his shop and then to a little home in the other part of town. Entering the presence of his once while friend, Matt silently extended his gift.

"Matt!" the word was half a question and half an exclamation. The one addressed placed his offering in the other man's hands.

"Howard," he said, "I have brought a token of forgiveness." As he saw what the basket contained Howard clasped the gift more tightly.

"A basket of California grapes!" he cried over and over. "Just what I have longed for."

"Why, it's only a basket of grapes," stammered Matt.

"No," Howard after a moment replied in a choking voice, "it's much more than that; it's an answer to prayer."

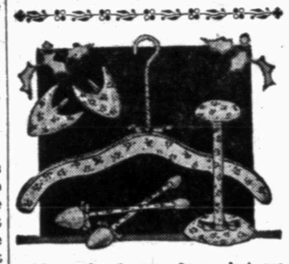
"Well," Matt said, as he turned to go, "I'm glad that you like them." At the door he turned and extended his hand.

"Merry Christmas, Howard," he said.

The other grasped the outstretched hand—"Merry Christmas, Matt, and God bless you." And the next moment the bearer of the gift was out under the stars.

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Ensemble Boudoir Sets



Not only do we dress, but we furnish our homes, a la ensemble, especially the boudoir. Dress hangers, shoe trees, hat stands must match. Latest item to add to this assortment is the heart shaped shoe tips. Stuff them in the toes and they "do the trick" of keeping milady's shoes in perfect shape. Christmas displays feature sets as pictured of painted wood and enamel cloth in identical patterning.

HARD LUCK FAILS TO DAUNT CLUB BOY

BRECKENRIDGE — Young Durward Head holds the hard luck record for Stephens County 4-H club boys. He paid $25 for a beef calf, fed it $27.80 worth of feed for 240 days, and then in early summer a thief came along and the calf disappeared. In a poultry demonstration Durward raised 26 chickens to frying size when a varmint got into them, killing all but four. He lost $5.20 on his poultry work. And he [illegible] undaunted by member of his local club, according to C. F. ocimidge, county agent, and is planning for a big year in 1930.

ATTENTION!

Scurry County Federation of Women's Clubs is conducting a Woman's Exchange and Market every Saturday afternoon in the chamber of commerce building.

Have canned products, dressed chickens and baked foods for sale. Help yourself and the women of Scurry County by patronizing this project.

Mrs. W. W. Hamilton, Pres.

A hero, landing in New York, now might find a shortage of ticker tape.—The Toledo Blade.

Too Many Boots

WE HAVE 40 PAIRS OF BOOTS IN STOCK

Just 40 Pairs More Than We Expect to Have January 1st, 1930

If you are in the market for Boots, or anticipate needing a pair within the next six months, better buy while we are keen to sell.

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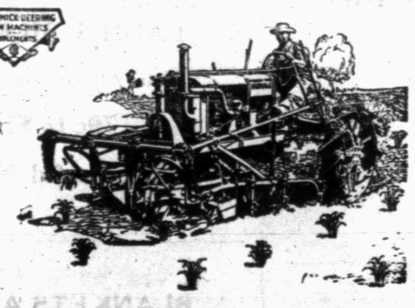
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BRYANT-LINK COMPANY

FARMALL— The All-Purpose Tractor



May We Cultivate Your Field For You?

YOU'VE read about the McCormick-Deering Farmall, and chances are you've already seen one of them at work in your neighbors' fields. Haven't you sort of wondered how it would take hold of your work and what kind of a job it would do in your fields? **Here's your chance to find out!**

We have a Farmall here at the store equipped with the 2-row Farmall Lister and Cultivator. The outfit is rarin' to go. If you say the word we'll point her nose toward your place and be out there in a jiffy. You pick out the job and we'll do it in quick time with this outfit.

To add spice to the program, invite some of your friends in to see the show. There really is no other tractor like the Farmall. You will enjoy seeing it do your work in the most modern, most economical way it can be done.

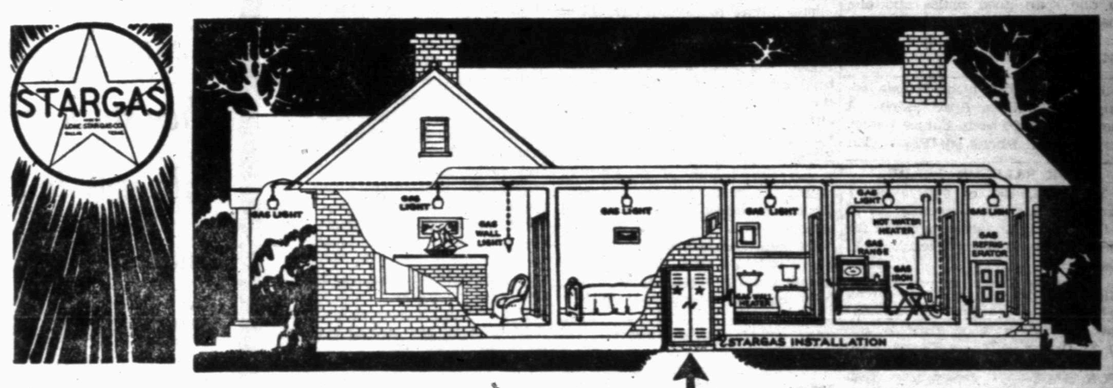
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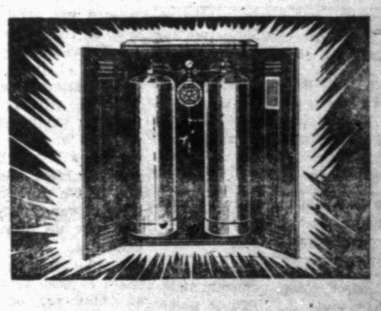
Snyder Hdwe. & Implement Co.

Phone 31 North Side Square

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FROM THIS ONE STARGAS HOUSE INSTALLATION



Continuous Natural Gas Service—backed by the service of a company having millions of dollars invested in the natural gas industry—that's what you have with a STARGAS House Installation! STARGAS, *"The Compressed Natural Gas,"* may be piped to every room—for many purposes—from a single installation. You can use the same time-tried gas appliances that are used with pipe line natural gas. Continuous, dependable service is guaranteed each STARGAS customer by the Lone Star Gas Company—

YOU CAN ALWAYS RELY ON STARGAS SERVICE

STARGAS is safe—reliable—economical. One cylinder of STARGAS lasts the average family about two months for cooking. Our service plan insures you never running out of STARGAS. There's nothing available to suburban and rural home owners to compare with the convenience, comfort and cleanliness of STARGAS. Present users wouldn't be without STARGAS. It will pay *you* to investigate STARGAS now.

STARGAS Equipment

INCLUDING RANGE

Complete STARGAS equipment, consisting of cabinet, two cylinders of gas, house piping for cooking and range, can be purchased for about $180, depending on the range selected. Convenient terms if desired.

$180

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STARGAS Starts Where Gas Mains Stop

See actual STARGAS demonstration at

Community Natural Gas Co.

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SNYDER, TEXAS

Please send complete information on STARGAS:

Name_____

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Abbreviating the Smart Costume Is Science of Figure-Reports



The chic costumes, beginning with the modernistic foundation-garment — as displayed at the summer fashion show of the H. W. Gossard Co.

Only sixteen and a half ounces of clothing! Just four pieces or, at the most six! (And that's not counting shoes.)

That's the feather-weight allowance for the summer wardrobe of the lady of fashion. And achieving the smart costume is not the weighty problem you might think, for it's been worked out scientifically, down to the last frill by the experts.

Now a dress, the single piece foundation garment that does duty for everything including a petticoat, and two stockings suffice. Or two trim wisps of foundation-garments, modernistic in pattern and cut, worn with the new two piece dress cleverly created with a concealed slip! That's all!

In Grandma's day, there was many a slip—at least five, not to mention bustles, ruffles, chemises, and whatnots in every chic costume.

But with this mere handful of clothes permitted her, milady today has more than 450 separate and distinct fashions in underthings alone to choose from.

"The modern girl is more lightly and more healthfully clad than any girl of any generation," according to Kathryn Cunningham, chief designer of the H. W. Gossard Co., who conducted the summer fashion show of the Associated Apparel Industries in Chicago recently.

"Clothing that weighs just a trifle more than a pound has been discovered to be the most scientifically healthful amount for summer," Miss Cunningham said.

"In winter, that allowance may be increased by another eight ounces."

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

City Office ..... $ 5.00
County Office 12.50
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The Times-Signal is authorized to announce the following candidates for office subject to the city election to be held in April, 1930:

FOR MAYOR
H. G. TOWLE

FOR CITY MARSHAL
WALTER CAMP.

FOR CITY SECRETARY
A. C. PREUITT

FOR TAX ASSESSOR
GEORGE M. GARNER
STERLIN A. TAYLOR.

FOR SALE

RUMMAGE SALE
Saturday morning at 10:30. Templeton Building. 25-1tc

FOR SALE—Copperback Turkeys. Young toms now weigh 24 pounds, $2.00; hens $5.00. Mrs. Joe Wolf. Rt. B, Snyder, Texas. 25-1p

FOR SALE
30,000 bundles Higeria, good heads, 6c bundle if hauled from shock. Also one span good mules and one span good young horses for sale. F. M. Addison, Knapp, Tex. Phone 9048F2. 25-3tp

FOR SALE—Full blood Rhode Island Red pullets, April hatch. A bargain at $1.00 each. Eunice Boone, Snyder, Tex. Phone 9043F13. 1tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE
320 acres, 225 in cultivation, 2 farms, 2 sets improvements. Will sell one or both farms, or trade for small farm or city property. P. E. Davenport. 24-2tp

NEW RADIO—All electric, screen grid, 6 tubes, beautiful console cabinet, for sale at good discount. See O. D. Carter at Times-Signal. tfp

FOR SALE—A-1 Jersey cow, fresh January 1, six years old. See J. W. Casstevens. 25-1tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Good 6-cylinder car. Will trade for vacant lot, good piano or lighter car. Phone 101. C. F. Sentell. 25-1tc

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Nice unfurnished rooms. Phone 156. 1tp

FOR RENT—Five rooms and bath. All conveniences including hot and cold water. J. S. Bradbury. 24-4tp.

FOR RENT—4-room house, all modern conveniences, on West Side. See A. C. Preuitt. 22-tfc

FOR RENT—One large apartment, modern, with gas, near school building. D. P. Yoder. 25-tfc

FOR RENT—200 acres farm land, good house and plenty of water. George M. Garner. 25-2tp

FOR RENT—2 rooms furnished for light housekeeping, conveniences. First door south A. J. Towle home. Phone 154J. Mrs. Richardson. 25-tfc

FOR RENT—Nice 3-room house on west side. Water, lights. Reasonable rent. See Sykes Curry. 1tp

FOR RENT—Bedroom, close in. Phone 243. Mrs. L. R. Trigg. 14tfc

McClaren Tires!—Yoder-Anderson.

FOR RENT—Modern 4-room house, with gas, 2½ blocks north of square. See A. J. or H. G. Towle. 11-tfc

McClaren Tires!—Yoder-Anderson.

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FOR TRADE—Have good used automobile will trade for milk stock or yearlings. See me at Yoder-Anderson Motor Company. R. W. (Dick) Webb. 8 tfc

MONEY TO LEND—36 years time, 5½ per cent. Towle & Boren. 16-tfc

McClaren Tires!—Yoder-Anderson.

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SNYDER MATTRESS FACTORY is in operation at same location on West Bridge Street. Satisfaction guaranteed on all work. Earl Jenkins. Phone 45. 21-tfc

MRS. FLO HUTCHESON will conduct a party to Europe with experienced guides, leaving June 15, 1930, lasting 60 days, costing $720 complete. Write Mrs. Flo Hutcheson, 1043 Forest Park Blvd., Fort Worth, Texas. 24-2tp

CARD OF THANKS

To our many friends who assisted us during the illness and death of our mother, Mrs. A. M. Brooks, we here express our thanks to each and every one. May God's blessings rest upon you is our prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Byrd, Snyder.
Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Person, Abilene
Mr. and Mrs. D. F. McKinney,
1tc Abilene, Texas.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank the friends and neighbors of the Loyd Mountain community and the many Snyder friends for their many kindnesses and beautiful floral offerings when our dear wife and mother had passed; also to Rev. C. C. Wright for his sermon. May God's richest blessings be and abide with you all in your deepest hours of grief is our sincere wish and prayer.

P. E. Davenport and Children.
25-1tc

PLACE YOUR ORDER today for the new Snyder "Three-In-One" and "Two-In-One" gas stoves at Casstevens Shop. Prices range from $7 to $15. John A. Newstadt. 25-4tc

5-Room house, all modern conveniences, double garage, for rent. Call 164 or see Pete Bridgeman. 25-tfc

LET ME bake your Christmas fruit cakes. Making special prices, 5 lb. $4; 2½ lb. $2. Telephone your orders to No. 201. 25-1tc

LOST—Red Leather Purse on Church Street, Tuesday. Finder please notify Ruby Taylor. Reward for return. 25-1tp

ORDINANCE

An Ordinance amending Part "D" of Section Five (5) of an Ordinance to provide for the installation, construction, regulation, maintenance, inspection and operation of privies in the City of Snyder, Texas, and area of police jurisdiction thereof; and to provide a penalty for the violation of said Ordinance, or any section thereof:

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Snyder, Texas,

THAT the ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the installation, construction, regulation, maintenance, inspection, and operation of privies in the City of Snyder, Texas, and area of police jurisdiction thereof; and to provide a penalty for the violation of said Ordinance, or any section thereof," be amended by adding to Part "D" of Section Five (5) thereof the following:

The failure to pay such rental as and when the same shall become due, shall authorize the Chief of Police, the local health and sanitary officer, or any person under the directions of such officers, or either of them, to seal any part of said privy installed by the City of Snyder or under its direction, on which the default of payment of rental has been made, and the same shall not thereafter be used until all arrears in rentals have been fully paid, and no seal so placed as above provided shall be broken until all arrears in rentals have been fully paid, and any person violating any part of this ordinance, shall, upon conviction, be fined not exceeding $100.00.

Passed this the 2nd day of December, A. D. 1929.

H. G. TOWLE, Mayor
of the City of Snyder, Texas.
Attest: A. C. PREUITT,
City Secretary. 25-1tc

TO THE VOTERS OF SCURRY COUNTY

After numerous inquiries as to my plans for another year, I take this method at this time to announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor for Scurry County, Texas. A greater part of the voters of Scurry County know me and my record before and after becoming connected with the public affairs of our county. But for the benefit of those who do not, will only briefly outline my early qualifications and my business and public experience with the affairs of our county.

I grew up in my parents' home near Ira. After having completed the public school there, I spent two years at East Texas Normal College at Commerce, one year at Metropolitan Business College, Dallas. Started my business career with the First National Bank of Snyder, later with Coates Mercantile Co. Served in the World War, ranking as Ordinance Sergeant, doing Ordnance Depot work. Have been with the Gin interests of Scurry County for the past eleven seasons. I have been connected with the Trice Gin Co. for the past seven seasons. Started my first tax work with the City of Snyder in 1922, also worked for the County Assessor at this time. This work was done for only a small wage. Have made several Tax Rolls for the City, also Snyder School District. Have been connected with the County Assessor's Office since 1921, except during the year 1922. Have made tax work every year since 1921. Was defeated for Tax Assessor in 1922 by Stewart Womack, but worked for him during his term of office. I am now serving my second term as your Assessor.

With the past nine years experience with the different tax departments of Scurry County. The first six years I worked for only a small salary, and the past three years, now starting on the fourth with the entire responsibilities of the State and County Assessors office, doing the greater part of the work myself, I feel myself competent to carry on the work with credit to myself and Scurry County. Will say to the tax payers of Scurry County that if you see fit to honor me again with this office, I will strive to serve you even better in the future than in the past, continuing to personally do the work.

Trusting you will see fit to again favor me with this office, I am

At your service,
STERLIN A. TAYLOR.

BIDS WANTED

SEALED BIDS, addressed to Mr. A. C. Preuitt, City Secretary, will be received by the City Council, of the City of Snyder, Texas, until 2:00 o'clock P. M., December 17, 1929, for furnishing all materials and constructing according to plans and specifications on file with the City Secretary, certain street improvements, the principal items being as follows:

31,170 square yards of pavement,
18,530 linear feet of curb and gutter;

together with necessary excavation and items required for a complete job. Bids are requested on the following types of pavement; concrete, brick, limestone, rock asphalt, Duraco and Warrenite-Bitulithic.

A Cashier's Check on a Snyder, Texas, bank for $3,000.00 payable without recourse to the Honorable H. G. Towle, Mayor, must accompany each bid. Plans and specifications will be on file with the City Secretary after December 5, 1929, and copies may be obtained by responsible contractors from the Engineers by making a deposit of $15.00, which will be returned upon the submission of a bona-fide bid on the work or upon the return of said papers to the Engineers three days prior to bidding date.

The City of Snyder reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and to waive formalities.

HASIE ENGINEERING
COMPANY, INC.,
310 Burt Building,
Dallas, Texas, and
Snyder, Texas. 25-2p

SCHOOL TIME SCHEDULE HAS BEEN CHANGED

Instead of school starting at 8:30 as in the past, it will now start at 8:45, fifteen minutes later, to enable both high and grade schools to be on time. First study period will be between 8:45 and 9:00. School will let out at 4:00 under the new arrangement. This announcement, which is official, came from Supt. Wedgeworth's office yesterday morning.

ORDERS STEEL SUIT

Participants at the Minstrel Show tomorrow night tell the Times-Signal that End Man Hugh Taylor has ordered a steel suit to be in readiness for certain words that he has to make in his dialogue with Pat Bullock. Judge Holley has likewise ordered one, and as they will sit close together in the show, watch them.



A Big Santa Claus Merchandise Drive that was never before equaled in all West Texas at

CATON-DODSON CO.

Snyder, Texas

The final big drive before Christmas. A bargain event selling the best known lines of merchandise that money could buy is now on

display and on sale

At the most colossal reductions. Come to this big store and you will find just what you want for your winter wearing apparel and just the gift that would be most appreciated for Xmas. Sweeping reductions on everything (except Stetsons)—all dry goods—biggest shoe stock in West Texas—the famous Curlee line of clothing—overcoats—ladies' beautiful ready-to-wear. Everything in furnishings; all kinds of luggage—Yes we have it! Labeled by the maker and on sale at drastic reductions. Come on, folks. Look for the big Santa Claus pictures over the front and come right in. Plenty of sales people to assist you.

BOYS' OVERCOATS
at
$8.95

MEN'S HEAVY DENIM SUITS at
at
85c

EXTRA HEAVY CARTER'S UNION SUITS
at
$1.45

OUR COMMANDER WORK SHIRTS
Triple Wear, Full Cut, All Sizes,
at
69c

25 MEN'S SUITS
Left, that We Are Closing Out
at
$12.98
Per Suit

LADIES' SILK HOSE
In All Grades. Priced
79c to $1.98
A Wonderful Xmas Gift

BLANKETS AT REAL BARGAINS
Priced
$1.49, $2.69, $2.89, $2.98

All Kinds of Men's Socks For Xmas Gifts

One Big Lot of HOUSE SHOES
at
79c

BOYS' SUITS
Real Low Prices

Don't Fail to Look at Our SWEATER STOCK
We Have What You Want

MEN'S SUITS
$29.50 Suits Now
$23.50
With Two Pairs Pants
A Pick Up If You Need a Suit

DRESS SHIRTS FOR MEN
89c, $1.39, $1.69, $2.89
You Can Give Your Boy a Pair of Nice

DRESS PANTS
at
Very Little Cost for Xmas