Scurry County Times

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JOE BURKETT VISITS SNYDER.

Hon. Joe Burkett arrived in Snyder yesterday, Thursday, about two hours ahead of schedule time. Mr. Burkett left El Paso yesterday and reached Sweetwater yesterday evening, traveling 400 miles and speaking two hours en route. He drove from Sweetwater, a distance of 42 miles in one hour. Owing to the fact that he was traveling ahead of his schedule, only about 75 persons were present to hear his short but pointed speech. The band did not get down town until after Mr. Burkett had been gone nearly an hour. In fact, when the reception committee was leaving for the east end of the county to meet Mr. Burkett, he was already here and inspecting the warehouse built here for this district.

But notwithstanding the misunderstanding, the people of Snyder and Scurry county are enthusiastic over good roads, and Mr. Burkett expressed himself as being well pleased with what the people of Scurry county are doing in the matter of good road construction. He said that he found a better warehouse than he was expecting to find, and that with three State highways crossing the county, there is nothing to prevent Scurry from forging to the front as one of the leading counties of all West Texas.

He made it plain that for every dollar the county votes in highway bonds the State will appropriate a like amount. In other words, if the county will build first-class roads on designated highways, the State will hard surface them and take them over and maintain them without any further cost to the county. This would enable the county to put all of its road money from other sources on lateral roads, and which would insure first-class graded dirt roads throughout the county.

It might be well to remind our readers of the fact that Scurry county has already two designated highways crossing it, one running east and west and another north and south. When these two highways have been completed, Scurry county will have something like 70 miles of hard surface roads and an outlet in almost every direction and a connection with nearly every other State Highway in West and Central Texas. The people of Scurry county, therefore, cannot afford to sleep on their rights in the matter even of showing any indifference in doing their part toward constructing these two highways.



REV. HARLAN J. MANLEY.

Rev. Harlan J. Manley, the new Presbyterian pastor, is now domiciled in the new manse in this city. Rev. Manley preached his first sermon to his congregation last Sunday, using for his subject, "Isaiah's Vision," Isaiah 6:5.

Rev. Manley is a Southerner, having been born and reared in Kentucky. Preparing himself for his chosen work, a preacher of the gospel, he graduated from Trinity University at Waxahachie and lated from the Lane Theological Seminary at Cincinnati, Ohio. Although yet a young man, he has been preaching for 17 years, his last charge being at New Carlisle, Ohio.

E. D. CURRY TAKES OVER SHOE SHOP.

E. D. Curry and family have arrived here from Dallas and will be permanent residents of Snyder, Mr. Curry having taken over the Court House Shoe Shop formerly owned by Hub Taylor.

E. K. Smith of the "E. K." Mutual, was in the city Monday.

Miss Mattie Jones, who has been teaching in Howard county, is enjoying the delights of vacation, her school having closed last week. She is now visiting with friends in Midland.

THE TIMES-SIGNAL SIGNALS

Now they're talking of having a "tell-the-Truth Week." Better not have it while the fishing season is on.

Every Snyder family is proud of its ancestors, but few of them want to take care of the old folks.

The fellow who buys a 1 1-2 cent stamp must learn to be generous enough to give the government the other half.

The trouble with a political reform is that it usually solves one problem and creates two new ones.

Professional ball players can knock flies, but it is now up to the citizens of Snyder to swat them. Let's get busy.

Nowadays when a fellow with a bottle says: "Take a drink, it will straighten you out," it proves to be stuff that will straighten you out all right.

If the world is really better than it used to be then our ancestors must have been an awful bunch of toughs.

Young people of Snyder don't pay as much attention to older folks now as they once did because it's so hard to find anyone who will admit that they're old.

What has become of the old-fashioned traveling salesman who never tackled a hard customer until he had had a drink or two?

If you really believe in fairy stories, buy some stock that is guaranteed to yield twenty per cent.

If a Snyder man neglects his family but is good to his dog people say he has a kind heart.

Another thing that tends to make anarchists is a thing of bringing pigs to market in an auto right past the man who never gets to ride in one only at a funeral.

Girls who begin painting at tewlve usually need "whitewashing" at 20.

Does anyone know why the average Snyder man can spade longer and with less fatigue when he is spading for fishing worms than he can when he is planting vegetables?

Our idea of a good husband is the Snyder man who can wipe dishes without dropping a few so he'll be sent out of the kitchen.

It would have to be something awful shocking to make the modern girl blush so it would show through the paint.

A CORRECTION.

In W. L. Clark's ad last week the figures made the combination offer read, "All for $1.00," when it should have read, "All for $1.25." "I'll tell the world that the people read the ads in the Times-Signal," said Mr. Clark, "but it kept me busy explaining to my customers that it was all a mistake."

TERRACING PAYS WELL.

Miles Emerson is making preparations to sue the county agent, W. C. Calvert, for damages.

In a letter to the above named farm agent, Mr. Emerson states that his 340 acres of land lying three miles southeast of Roscoe is "ruined." Some time ago the county agent superinended the terracing of the land. The operation wa so successful that "not even a spoonful of water ran off the land following the recent rains" and the owner has not been able so far to plant his crop on account of the ground being so wet.

Emerson pronounces the job of contouring the land as an excellent one, and he doesn't know why he did not terrace it a long time ago. Last year 100 acres of his land was terraced, and h estates that as a result his increased production was $750. The remainder of the land was terraced, and he states that as a result son is in position to raise the biggest crop he has ever raised.—Nolan County News.

BIG INVESTMEANT COMPANY LOCATES HERE.

Mr. J. T. Franklin, field manager for Stranahan, Harris & Oatis, Inc., of Toledo, Ohio, has been in Snyder for several days opening general offices for the West Teexas territory.

This is one of the largest concerns of its kind in the United States, being investment bankers, dealing exclusively in municipal bonds. Mr. Franklin said to a Times-Signal representative Monday: "We are not bootleggers in the bond business, but one of the largest buyers of bonds in the United Statees. The money is always right on "the-head" just as soon as the papers are made out and approved. It was a long time before I was able to convince the heads of my company of the possibilities of West Texas. And we are opening our general offices in Snyder because we believe Snyder will be the center of development of this territory."

BUYS PARTNER'S INTEREST.

J. W. Patterson has purchased the interest of his partner, E. M. Lowery, in the Highway Barber Shop on North Clairemont Street. Mr. Lowery is undecided as to where he will locate, but will spend a few days visiting in Oklahoma before locating permanently.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE.

The Sweetwater District Conference will meet at Roscoe next Tuesday and Wednesday, May 26-27. Rev. R. A. Stewart, presiding elder, will preside. The following delegates from Snyder will attend: Dr. J. A. Hicks, Dr. N. D. Monger, J. L. Martin, E A. Black, B. E. Baugh and Rev. A. B. Davidson.

HOME FROM MARKET.

Charlie Nobles returned last week from markets where he bought goods for the Higginbotham store of this city. New goods are arriving daily, and it will be to the interest of Times-Signal readers to keep their eye on the Higginbotham ads, as this progressive store is sure to tell our readers about the things it has to sell.

CELEBRATES WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Barnhart celebrated their fifty-first wedding anniversary at their home in this city Sunday. Besides Mr. and Mrs. Barnhart, the following were present: George Barnhart and Mrs. W. A. Temple, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Woody, Robert Woody and family, George Woody, Mrs. Ray Hardin and children, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Woody, Miss Mary Temple, Alfred Temple, C. A. Temple and Mr. and Mrs. Hargroves, all of Snyder, and Mr. and Mrs. George White and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. White of Eliasville, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Woody of Ranger, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Woody of Mountainview, Wyoming.

It was a great day for these two excellent old people who are numbered among the very best citizens of Snyder and Scurry county, and the celebration of their fifty-one years of happy married life and the home-coming of their children was an occasion that made their hearts glad and an event in their declining years that will never be forgotten.

NATIONAL GUARD ENCAMPMENT.

The 71st Brigade with the 111th Engineers will hold its annual encampment at Palacios on the coast, from July 3 to 17, inclusive.

Palacios is on the coast and has adequate bathing facilities but as only a prong of the Gulf runs up to this place the boys this summer, it is thought, will not be bothered with heat as they were at Galveston. This will be a good outing and a great trip as well as some valuable training for the boys of Scurry county and the Times-Signal is glad for them to have advantage of this opportunity. As the Government pays all expenses and the men are on regular pay during this time, any young man over 18 years of age and who can qualify will do well to make arrangements to go with the company from here on this encampment.

ATTENDED REUNION.

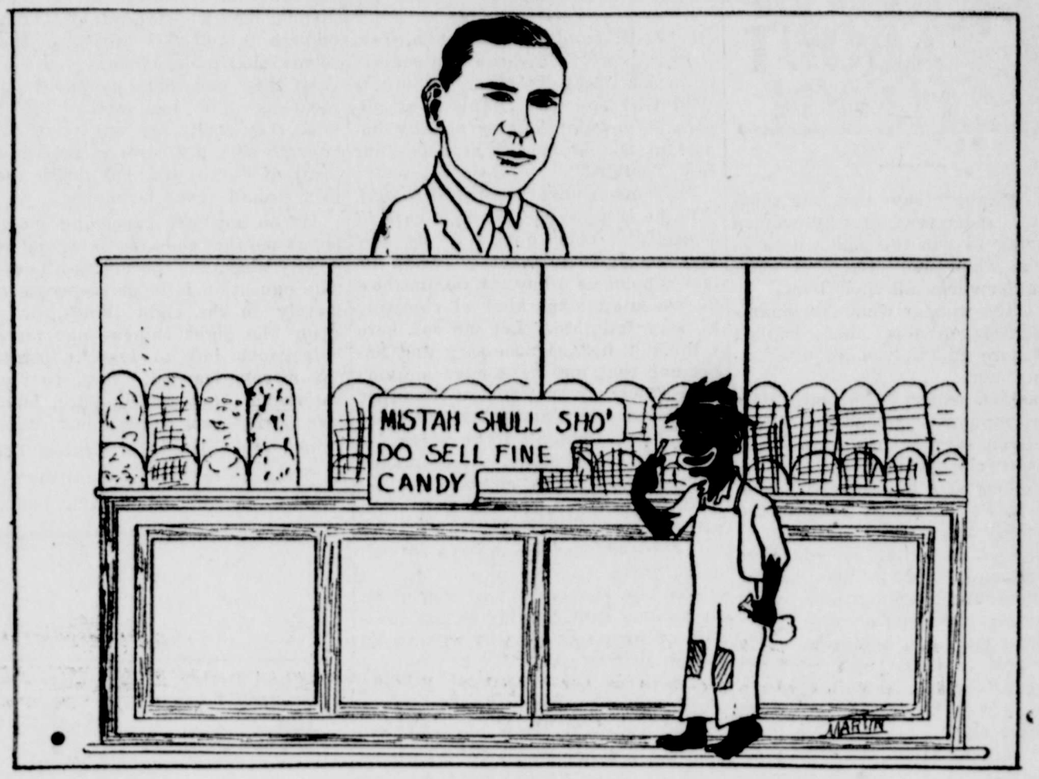
G. M. D. Garner, H. C. Hayter, J. N. Harrison, J. H. Holley, J. I. Green and Uncle Ben Davis, old Confederate veterans, attended the reunion at Dallas. Other Snyderites attending the reunion were: Mrs. Ben Davis, Mrs. Tennie Bynum, J. W. Fesmire, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hart, Joe Lockwood, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Curry, W. B Seaborn, D P. Strayhorn and Mrs. Jones and daughter of Fluvanna.

Miss Vashti Epps of Abilene spent the latter part of hte week with Miss Fannabell Pruitt.

Mrs. B. S. Gann left this week for Ninnekah, Oklahoma, where she will spend the summer.

R. W. Webb of the Webb Motor Company is in Dallas this week transacting business.

Makers of Snyder



"BILL" CLYDE SHULL.

Well, we have to write again this week about another native of Texas, William Clyde Shull, who was born in Greenville, Hunt County, Texas. His parents moved to Tyler while Clyde was still a small boy. Clyde attended the Tyler schools and also the Tyler Commercial College. Clyde was in the navy during the World War and shortly after his discharge he came to Snyder where he engaged in business, forming a partnership with Mr. L. A. Kelley of Dublin. They had stores in Slaton, Snyder and Dublin. In the summer of 1924 the stock of the Slaton store was moved to Snyder and on January 1, 1925, he purchased the Snyder store from Mr. Kelley, and is conducting it at the same stand. He has a real store, one in which you can find almost anything you might want from a toothpick to a—(no, not a threshing machine)

Clyde, being familiar with ships, having been in the navy, on the 24th day of February, 1925, deserted from the ranks of the "bachelors" and embarked upon the sea of matrimony in the good ship "marriage," resulting from a successful courtship, on this date being married at Jayton to Miss Jettie Lee Green of that city. After a short honeymoon they returned to Snyder where they are at home to all their friends.

Clyde is a young man of high moral thoughts, always found on the side of every thing that is right. He is for Snyder and Scurry County and is not slow in saying that "Everything I can do to help either of these, helps me." Just drop by and see him, you will always find him with a smile, even if our artist did make him look a little sour.

NEXT ISSUE SCHOOL NUMBER.

The Times-Signal had intended to make this issue a school number, but owing to circumstances, we have been compelled to put it off till next week's issue. So if you know of anything pertaining to our school please report it for next week's issue, as commencement exercises will be the feature of that issue.

A. BUICK AND T. LIZZIE HAVE DISPUTE.

A Buick car left over night in Joe Strayhorn's Lincoln-Ford garage at Mr. Strayhorn's home in West Snyder, got into a heated argument about midnight Tuesday night, and as a result, the Buick gave the Ford a good "bawling out."

In the absence of the Lincoln car, which was spending the night in a neighboring town, Mrs. Ruth Johnson put her car, a Buick, in the Lincoln's stall. The little Ford, which has a room in the Strayhorn garage, and the Buick got into a dispute as to which was the better car, A. Buick or A. Lincoln, the Ford arguing for her big brother. As a result, the Buick proceeded to give the Ford a good "bawling out."

Accordingly, about midnight, the Buick set up a terrible honking. It would honk for fully two minutes, and then let it soak in on the little Ford, which, scared as badly as the negro in an adjoining room, held its peace. But in a few minutes the Buick would commence again. It kept up its intermittent honking for fully half an hour, at any rate until the neighbors in that part of the city called the sheriff and the city marshal. The officers and Mr. Lowery, who lives just across the street, opened the garage door, when the car stopped and looked just as innocent as a babe. But in a moment, it began again, and when the officers and Mr. Lowery satisfied themselves that the Buick was only giving the little Ford a good "cussing," they disconnected the wires which had become short-circuited, and returned to their homes to enjoy the rest of the night in peaceful slumber.

Neighboring County Notes

Tom Goss has tendered his resignation as a commissioner of the Colorado precinct in Mitchell county.

Robert, the 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Smith of Tahoka, died at Lubbock the past week following an operation for a throat affection.

District Attorney Dalton of Lubbock underwent a serious operation for ruptured appendix at Lubbock the past week. He is reported to be recovering.

Jas. H. House, for 36 years a resident of Fisher county, died at his home in the Dowell community the past week at the age of 90 years.

The R. S. & P. Railway Company has let contract for a new station at Roscoe.

J. F. McKaughan, a pioneer of Blackwell, died last Tuesday at the age of 77 years.

S. E. Brown, president of the First State Bank of Loraine, died at that place the past week.

Roy Matthews, a popular young man of Roscoe, died at that place last Thursday of auto-intoxication. He leaves a wife and two small children.

Garza county lost her road bond election held in that county recently. Unless such a bond issue is carried there will probably be a breach in the Roger Q. Mills Highway. Another election is being asked for.

Judge and Mrs. C. R. Buchanan entertained with a delightful dinner party at their very attractive home in East Snyder last Sunday evening. Those present were Dr. E. B. Surface, Abilene; Rev. H. J. Manley, new pastor of the Presbyterian church; Prof. I. C. Bagwell, Mrs. Bagwell, Miss Runkles, Miss Beamer, Mrs. Shell, the host and hostess.

GUARD COMPANY TO HAVE RIFLE RANGE.

Captain Jones of the 142 Infantry, with headquarters at Amarillo, was in the city Monday and Tuesday of this week making final arrangements for the Company "G" rifle range to be located on the J. W. Harrison place two miles southwest of town. Capt. Sentell states that construction will begin sometime during the summer.

Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Rouse and son, W. T., Jr., of Waco are here attending the graduation of their daughter, Miss Margaret, and greeting old friends and acquaintances.

Leon Devenport and Dow Spidle of Royse City visited in the editor's home Wednesday and Thursday.

Roy Garner and family will leave this week for San Benito, where they will reside indefinitely. This is another good family moving away, but to another good country, and the Times-Signal wishes them helath and wealth in their new home.

Mrs. J. G. Hicks is visiting her mother, Mrs. Lee Bailey at Frederick, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Dick Randalls returned this week from Hamlin where she visited her mother. While Mrs. Randalls was gone, Dick hied away to the Medina Dam, pretending to be on a big fishing trip. Mrs. Randalls has decided to believe his story, but Dick is having a hard time getting his friends to believe that he caught as many fish as he says he caught.

Misses Cecile and Dorothy Strayhorn attended a recital given by Miss Cowan in Post City Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Strayhorn attended the reunion at Dallas and met there a number of relatives from Tennessee.

D. P. Yoder attended the convention of Voluntary Firemen at Cisco last week. Mr. Yoder says that Cisco certainly knows how to entertain visitors.

D. P. Woody and Ray Hardin are opening a grocery store and market in the Towle & Ramsour building on North Clairemont Street.

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PICKED UP ABOUT TOWN

Joe Strayhorn says that one thing he can't understand is why women are trying to win the right to serve on juries when men have been dodging that privilege all their lives.

We often wonder what is woman's favorite weapon now that bobbed hair is here and they don't use hatpins any more.

A fashion expert says polka dots will be popular this summer. And Tom Boren says he has a suspicion that poker chips will, too.

Hindeburg said he was for peace. But he said it before he got into the presidential chair.

"It has about gotten so," declares Henry Harless "that a man has to walk all around a woman now to tell whether she is sixteen or sixty."

When a city man begins to tell a farmer how to farm the son of the soil either tells him to go out in his own back yard and try it or to go somewhere else.

According to R. E. Gray it is an awful strain on a woman's nervous system to buy a dozen oranges for 50c and then to walk a few steps down the street and see better looking ones seeling at 49c.

"You can hatch chickens with the aid of a hotwater water bottle," says Dick Webb, "if you want to be mean enough to beat an honest old hen out of a job."

INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM, SUNDAY, MAY 24.

Song, prayer, song.
Business and Records.
Group 3 in charge of program.
Poem (Leader's Quarterly)—Mary Bob Huckabee.
Scripture, Reading Eph. 5:24-28—Marvin Lemons.
Who Ought to Belong to the Church—E. W. Lewis.
Church Officers—Ross Shaw.
Church Ordinances—Lela Mae Williamson.
Church and State—Lester Pritchett.
What is a Church (Leader's Quarterly)—Era Miller.
Object Lesson (Leader's Quarterly)—Aline Risinger.
The call of the Church (Leader's Quarterly)—Vera Upton.
It Isn't the Churhc, It's You (Leader's Quarterly)—Lester Pritchett.
Leader's Ten Minutes.
Song, Benediction.
Come and be with us next Sunday at 7.

B. F. Gammon, manager of Western Union, returned last week from a brief but very pleasant vacation spent in Central and North Texas. C. G. Parker, the relief operator, left immediately for Dallas.

MOTHER, WHERE IS YOUR BOY TONIGHT.

Mrs. J. G. Landrum, Fluvanna, Tex.

How many times have you seen in large headlines, "Mother, Where is Your Girl Tonight?" This is an all-portant question but as equally important is, "Mother, Where is Your Boy Tonight?"

How often have you heard it said, "Oh, he is a boy, he can take care of himself." Your boy and my boy may be just as innocent when he leaves home as a boy can be, but how do we know what kind of company he may fall into. Let me say here I think it just as necessary and important that our boys have a guardian as our girls. Then on the other hand if my boy and your boy were good boys, wouldn't it be safer for our girls to be alone. With malice toward none; with charity for all, with firmness in the right, as God gives us to see the right, let us strive to guard and teach our boys as well as our girls.

The best piece of advice ever given to a young man, bearing on the question of amusements, was written by Susannah Weslew for the benefit and guidance of her son, John Wesley. It answers in a nutshell the oft-repeated question, "Is it wrong?"

These are her words: "Whatever weakens your reason, whatever impairs your tenderness of conscience, whatever obscures your sense of God, whatever increases the strength and authority of your body over your mind—that thing to you is wrong, however innocent it may be in itself."

Let us as mothers make our homes the center of attraction for our boys. Let us know just where our boys are when the shadows of night begin to creep over our land. Let us help them to overcome the temptation to fritter away life in interests that are small and mean. Let us instill in them the deeply seated opinions of right and wrong and help them to see the importance of a life of respect and honor.

How pitiful and heart-rending it is to see a boy in the sweet blossoms of youth behind the bars of a jail. I sat not long ago in the county courthouse and listened to a trial of a young man being tried for burglary. There was no question in my mind but as to his guilt but my heart ached as I looked at him, a wretched, dejected, sin-bloated soul, and thought he is "some mother's boy."

I have lived several years and the longer I live the more convincing proofs I see of this truth, that God governs the affairs of men, and if a sparrow cannot fall without His notice, is it probable that we, as mothers, can raise our boys without His assistance. I firmly believe without His aid we cannot give to our country the kind of men it needs and demands; men who are straightforward enough to tell the truth to themselves, charitable enough to think no ill of their neighbors, sound of judgment to value men and things for what they really are, strong of principle to sink the ideal of self in the ideal of duty. He that doeth these things shall never be moved.

If you boys are yet young enough, let us see that they are in school five days a week, for the entire object of true education is to make people not merely do the right things, but to enjoy the right things—not merely industrious but to love industry—not merely learned, but to love knowledge—not merely pure, but to love purity—not merely just, but to hunger and thirst after justice. Then on Sundays let us not send them to Sunday School and church but go with them. In this way we can help them keep alive in their breast that little spark of celestial fire called conscience; then as the hour for bedtime arrives let us get the Bible—the best book that God has ever given to man, but for that book we could not know right from wrong—and read a portion from it and kneel and pray with and for them. After we have done this and not until then, can we feel as mothers that we have done the best we can for our boys and girls.

Let the citizenship of Snyder who believe in clean, educational and wholesome entertainment rally to the support of the committee whose names secured thee Redpath-Horner Chautauqua and put it over in good shape. There are really several numbers on this year's program that are worth the price of a season ticket. Our young people are entitled to, and will demand entertainment and we should see to it that they are furnished the proper kind. There is food for thought in this subject, and those who are interested in the rising generation will not overlook it.

W. T. Falls and Roy Golden, who taught school at Wichita Falls the past term, are at home for a short visit before entering the summer school at Canyon.

Joe Wolf orders the Times-Signal sent for one year to Mr. M. Z. Glimp at Burnett, Texas, and for which he has our thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Paxton and babe visited Dr. and Mrs. A. O. Scarborough over Sunday. Mr. Paxton is engaged in the tire business at Abilene and is doing well.

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ROUND TOP GOSSIP.

School closed here Friday, May 15, with dinner on the ground which was enjoyed by everyone. After dinner came tennis and baseball games which were very interesting. Our school has been a great success. Most all the pupils were promoted, which was fine as we had only a six-month school.

Mrs. Alma Ross, teacher of the lower room, went to her sister-in-law Friday afternoon to stay with her. She lives at Plainview.

The children of the higher grades are looking forward to the next term of school which Miss Leora Stokes will teach, the same one that taught this year. She was loved by every child that went to school. She won a place in each of their hearts for herself.

Sunday School was attended by a large crowd Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. We had several new members also. Our Sunday School is growing and being enjoyed by more. And there is prayer meeting at 8 p. m., which is attended by a large crowd.

Everyone is busy planting who has their land prepared. And the ones who have not are getting ready with all haste for we have a fine season. And all hearts are lighter than they were before the rain. We are looking forward to a good crop this year, which we feel we will have.

Mr. and Mrs. Hallman are the proud parents of a baby girl which came May 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gill also have a wee visitor.

At the present writing Mrs. Hallman is very sick. We all hope she will soon recover and be well again. —Owl Head.

CHAUTAUQUA OPENS WITH HEADLINERS

First Two Days Important.

Those who stay away from Chautauqua the opening day this year, believing the program to be unimportant, are in for a big disappointment.

As a matter of fact, some of the biggest features are on the first two days.

On this occasion the famous Cathedral Choir, composed of an extraordinary company of singers, will give a program of rare beauty.

This great organization made a continental tour last year, visiting some of the largest cities of America. At every place its concert was an enthusiastic success.

Its second program is largely popular and operatic in character. It is given on the first night, and followed by one of the humorous offerings of the program. This is in the nature of a lecture by Herbert Leon Cope, the greatest humorist, it is said, since Bill Nye.

With Burns of the Mountains the second afternoon, and a great farce-comedy, "GIVE AND TAKE," the second night, it must be seen very readily that the first two days are of great importance.

The only sensible way is to buy season tickets of the local committee. The cost of attending is less than half what it would amount to if you purchase single admission tickets. Admissions run all the way from fifty cents to one dollar for each entertainment. Besides, season tickets are transferable in the owner's family, and the Chautauqua Committee has a limited number for sale.

W. S. Reed was here from Camp Springs Saturday. He reports a short peach crop this year. He says that he will have quite a lot of early peaches but that the late peaches are going scattering this year.

PLAINVIEW NOTES.

Amil Lapour is the earliest farmer we have around Plainview. He has about 50 acres of cotton up and worked out and the rest of his crop planted.

Most everybody around here worked Saturday instead of going to town. It has rained so much some of them are behind with their work.

Mr. Mitchell gave a birthday party Friday night. It was enjoyed very much.

There was a number from here that attended the play at Big Sulphur Saturday night. They say it was a success.

The dance at Mr. Hausler's was enjoyed by all present. Irene Hassell and the Misses Sturgeon attended singing at Camp Springs Sunday. They report some mighty good singing.

Miss Thelma Smith, who teaches at Big Sulphur, spent the week-end with home folks.

Hoot Thompson and Lawrence Bowen of Snyder were Plainview visitors Saturday night.

Earl Horton and Tom DeShazo of Camp Springs were at the party Saturday night. Clarence Moore, Russell Peden and Miss Lura Dunham and Opal Wellers attended singing at pleasant Hill Sunday.

"Babe" Perser and Miss Cooker of Snyder were seen at Pleasant Hill Sunday.

John Woodard and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Jones and family.

Claude Dever and family of Pleasant Hill spent Sunday in Plainview.

Jim Sheperd, Breco Edwards and Miss Dottie Hall and Opal House of Pleasant Hill were at the party Friday night.

M. H. Ellis and family spent Sunday with Hays Bryant and family at Snyder.

Miss Flora Melton spent the week-end with relatives at Ennis.—Mutt.

IT'S DANGEROUS NOW.

To ignore a man who is trudging along the road as you whirl by in your auto looks on its fact to be a pretty mean custom, and yet in these days of gun-carrying and loose ideas about other people's property rights it is best to remember that "self-preservation is nature's first law."

Within two weeks in the state of Ohio recently one man who offered a stranger a ride was shot and killed and another shot, robbed and left along the road in a dying condition. Both were the victims of their own generosity—hikers along the road had asked them for rides and then proved to be highway robbers. Not only are such crimes being perpetrated in Ohio but in every state in the union. Always the driver is at a disadvantage when he takes a stranger into his car for a ride because he has both hands occupied.

There are too many questionable characters walking the roads now to take chances, and the roads around Snyder are no different from roads in other sections in this respect. The motorist who would be safe should keep this in mind, and especially when driving at night. He should hold fast to one rule, and that is that when a foot traveler unknown to him hails him for a ride, to drive on. It is better to be sorry for the pedestrian left behind than for yourself later, for the chances are very good, at the present rate that crime is increasing, that you will be the one left behind if the ride is given. It has reached the point where driving on is the only sure means of escaping robbery, and possible death.

FLUVANNA NEWWS.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Ware returned last week from Mineral Wells where they had been for Mr. Ware's health. We are sorry to report Mr. Ware no better.

Mrs. John A. Stavely and daughter, Vera, left last Thursday morning for Waxahachie to visit their daughter and sister, Mrs. Jesse Dietz.

Ruble Joseph of Abilene visited in Fluvanna last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Benges visited Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sewalt last week.

We are sorry to report Wayland Mathis and Mr. D. R. Covey's boy on the sick list this week.

Miss Ruby Spence of Belton is visiting Mr. J. I, Boren and family.

Messrs and Mesdames John Stavely, Wallace Jones, Pat Jones, Mrs. Delia Forrester, Miss Lelia Isaac, Miss Ruth Truss and W. J. Beaver were in Snyder Sunday night.

Messrs John Sims and Fields and their families are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. W. P. Sims and baby are visiting in Lamesa.

Dr. English and wife of Snyder visited in Fluvanna Monday evening.

Messrs and Mesdames J. G. Whately and Lawrence Jones of Snydre visited in Fluvanna Sunday.

Messrs. M. K. Maples and J. T. Sturdivant made a business trip to Leveland last week.

W. O. Keen of Gail was here on business Monday.

Bro. E. E. Christian preached his farewell sermon to the Christian church here Sunday.

Mr. Jesse Sewalt and daughter, Bernice, spent Sunday night with Mr. Sewalt's father and mother.

Mrs. Eunice Nesbit left with her brother, Jesse Sewalt, for a visit on the Plains.

Mr. J. I. Boren made a business trip to Justiceburk Monday.

Mrs. Guy Turner Entertains.

On the night of May 14, Mrs. Turner entertained a few relatives and friends. "42" was the diversion for the evening. Ice cream and cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Stavely carried their daughter, Rose Nell, to Dr. Scarborough at Snyder Sunday evening to have her finger lanced.

We are sorry to report Mr. and Mrs. Vib Patterson's girl is dangerously ill. She took suddenly ill and was unconscious for several hours.

Rev. H. J. Manley, the new pastor of the Presbyterian church, will preach his first regular sermon here next Sunday. The general public is cordially invited to attend these services at eleven o'clock and at night. It should also be stated that the Christain Endeavorers had a delightful social occasion on the grounds of the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening.

FLUVANNA METHODIST

Our Sunday School last Sunday was unusually large. After the Sunday School hour Bro. Moores preached to a large crowd. Brother Moores' text was Amos 7:5. He preached a clear, logical and convincing sermon along the line of faith.

Bro. and Sister Moores have won the people of Fluvanna and they will not soon forget them.

The ladies met in their regular Bible study with Mrs. H. H. Haynes, leader.

SCHOOL PLAY SATURDAY NIGHT

Miss Howell and pupils will give their school play, "Deacon Dubbs," at Ira Saturday night. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

VISITS SNYDER.

The Sweetwater Choral Club joined seventeen members of the Colorado Choral Club and Director Thomas Dawes, at Snyder Sunday afternoon and assisted the Snyder Club in giving their Spring concert at the First Baptist church, which was well attended with an appreciative congregation.

The local members and a number of their friends left the city about 2 o'clock and the concert was given at 4 o'clock. Following the program a delightfully informal reception was given at the home of Judge and Mrs. Fritz Smith, with the ladies of the club assisting Mrs. Smith in receiving and entertaining the guests. A plate luncheon was served buffet style.

Preceding the refreshments, Mrs. George Gray, Mrs. Morrow and Miss Lucile Strayhorn gave a number of piano selections; Mrs. Morrow played several of her own compositions.

The program was given at the church in the following order: "Pond Lilies," Chorus Clubs; Piano Solo, Miss Helen Boren; Reading, Miss Elaine Rosser; Piano Solo, "Three Original Piano Miniatures," Prof. Thomas Dawes; Reading, "Hiawatha's Wedding Feast," Miss Ruth Davis of Sweetwater, in Indian costume; Cantata, "Hiawatha's Wedding Feast," Coleridge-Taylor, Choral Clubs; "Texas," words by Mrs. A. W. Canfil and music by Prof. Dawes, Choral Clubs.

Miss Lucile Strayhorn and Ernest were pianists.

Local club members and friends attending were: Mrs. Gerald Fitzgerald, Mrs. Rufus Wright, Mrs. J. M. Shade, Mrs. Neinast, Mrs. George Gray, Mrs. Albert Brann, Mrs. A. W. Canfil, Mrs. L. D. Terry, Mrs. Tom Moore, Mrs Luther Watson, Mrs. E. L. Frost, Mrs. R. M. Chitwood, Mrs. E. O. Collins, Misses Ernestine Bolin, Onida Rimmer, Doris Daniels, Mrs. Hubert Toler, Mrs. L. C. Vinson, Misses Ruth Davis, Frances Fitzgerald, Nina Mae Majors, M. Sykes of Clyde; Dr. A. W. Canfil, J. M. Shade, Dr. A. Brann, E. L. Frost, George Gray, Merlin Toler, J. W. Patterson, L. D. Terry, Luther Watson, E. F. Neinast and E. O. Collins.—Sweetwater Reporter.

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THE ALATHEAN CLASS.

The Alathean class of the First Baptist church met for their monthly business and social meeting in the beautiful home of Mrs. A. L. Stoker, four miles west of town.

The president, Mrs. George Northcutt, had charge of the business meeting.

The membership committee reported 112 visits during month, made in the interest of the class membership.

Vigilance committee reported 67 visits to sick.

The group captains were in a contest during the month. The points being Sunday School attendance and daily Bible reading by members of their group. The winner to get a cake. Mrs. Glenn furnished the cake. The same number of points were made by Mrs. Hollingsworth and Mrs. T. J. Shaw. They agreed to cut the cake in half and divided also with their assistants, Mrs. Trigg and Mrs. Taggart.

The class gave Mrs. Glenn a rising vote of thanks for baking the cake.

The class voted to have basket picnic Tuesday, June 2 for members and their children.

Mrs. Patterson had charge of social hour. We were favored with songs by Mrs. C. E. Fish, Mrs. Geo. Alexander and Miss Willie Pearl Glenn.

The hostess, assisted by Mrs. Rob Blackard and Mrs. Taggart, served a dainty plate luncheon. We each left feeling that Mrs. Stoker's home is one place we all love to visit.

The following members and guests enjoyed the afternoon: Mrs. C. T. Glenn, Mrs. Jim Chinn, Mrs. O. S. Williamson, Mrs. Lum Day, Mrs. A. L. Stoker, Mrs. C. E. Ross, Mrs. G. G. Hollingsworth, Mrs. Earl Fish, Mrs J. S. Bradberry, Mrs. A. Parkner, Mrs. A. C. Martin, Mrs. J. W. Patterson, Mrs. George Northcutt, Mrs. W. E. Keith, Mrs. Jno. Spear, Mrs. T. J. Shaw, Mrs. Coy Watkins, Mrs. Wyna Trigg, Mrs. H. S. Moore, Mrs J. B. Taggart, Mrs. Ella Jarvis, Mrs. J. O. Spear, Mrs. Henry Brice, Mrs. Joe Adams, Mrs. W. A. Morton, Mrs E. J. Smith, Mrs. H. M. Blackard, Mrs. Geo. E. Alexander, Mrs A. A. Bullock, Mrs. Otto Hedges, Mrs. Chas. Reichardt, Mrs. R. A. Blackard, Mrs J. S. Cutris, Mrs. W. C. Hamilton, Mrs. Pete Bridgeman, Mrs. Will Shaw, Mrs. Melvis Neal, Mrs. Ollie Bruton, Mrs. J. A. Woodfin, Mrs. C. L. Banks.

M. E. CHURCH SERVICES.

Sunday School 9:45 a. m., A. C. Preuitt, Supt. Epworth Leagues 2, 3 and 7 p. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastro. Morning subject, "What Think Ye?" Evening subject, "The Unpardonable Sin; What Is It?" A. B. DAVIDSON, Paster.

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Senior Class Poem.

In ninteen hundred and twenty-two
It seems but yesterday,
The senior class of '25
Started out on its upward way,
The class had a little lady sponsor,
She was a dear one, too;
She stood by her little freshmen,
And, yes, she pulled them through.
Some of the classes said,
"The freshies motto should be green"
Even if they were classed as green,
They grew just the same.
Theirs was the grand old motto:
"Build for character and not for fame."

The forn of nineteen hundred and twenty-three
Dawned bright, clear and free,
The sun was bright, the grass was green,
The freshmen were now sophomores and ranked supreme.
Now this class was growing,
And the work it did do;
I looked and saw the same little sponsor
Helping the sophomores through.
On the wall was written a motto;
Yes, it was just the same:
"Build for Character and not for Fame.

In nineteen hundred and twenty-four
I looked about me once more,
Gone were the freshies of '22, where, tell me?
Gone were the Sophs of '23.
I looked and saw something more;
I saw the juniors of '24.
The same little sponsor held an oar in her hand,
She and the juniors smiled as if they had a view of the
"Promised Land."
The sea was rough; the billows rolled high,
But the juniors kept their courage just the same,
They looked to the grand old motto:
"Build for Character and not for Fame."

In Nineteen hundred and twenty-five
I heard great news was soon to arrive,
A brave little crew on the rough old sea was found;
Soon their boat was anchored safe and sound,
The same little sponsor with her same class
Were toiling bravely along a new shore.
These were the seniors and nothing more.
I saw in that class a group of real women and men,
I turned my head and looked far back again,
I saw a group of children of '22,
I saw their sponsor and teachers
Patiently helping to "bring them through."
Then I did not wonder
Why it contained nothnig impure.
What made this senior class so grand.
woman nor a disloyal man,
For written on each senior's heart was a motto by this name:
"Build for Character and not for Fame."

OMAH BULLARD.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Monday afternoon the members of the Aid met.

Opening Song, "Jesus Lover of My Soul."

Scripture, First Corinthians, 10th chapter—Read by Mrs. D. P. Lane.

Roll call of members, each responding with a Scripture verse.

Prayer by Mrs. Sparks.

Lesson, Babylon Captivity.

Miss Nettie Wasson is teacher and as usual she always has a way of explaining the lessons that makes it so interesting, and everyone present enjoyed this one so much. All members should be present to hear our next lesson, Restoration of the Jews, on June 1, 3 o'clock.

We will have no Aid Monday as everyone wants to attend the Chautauqua.

Closing prayer by Mrs. Hugh Boren.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Last Lord's Day was a very successful day for the Church of Christ in Snyder. Having a large crowd and good services, with one confession, Mrs. Ruth Howell. We are very glad to have these people come into our midst.

Bro. Christian preached in Fluvanna delivering his last discourse to those people in a local way. Bro. Christian will preach in Snyder again Sunday and we wish to insist that all members be present and we invite everybody to meet with us from time to time, but especially do we insist that the membership be present as this will finish Bro. Christian's work in Snyder, having resigned his work here. This will be his farewell address. Bro. Christian has done a great work in Snyder and Scurry county and it is with regret that the church and citizens of Snyder give him up, but we trust that he will be comfortably situated in Wichita Falls, and that our loss will be their gain. Come and hear him. We had a nice crowd at Sharon Sunday, and I will go to Sharon Saturday night to preach for them and invite you to go with us. J. D. BOREN.

EAST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Song and Bible Study at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., by Bro. Showalter.

Lsat Lord's day was a good day with us. Bro. Taylor's lesson on Faith was fine and enjoyed by so many. Last WeWdnesday night was an enjoyable occasion with us, also last Sunday at 6 p. m. We are glad to note the interest and efficiency among our young people.

Don't forget that the first Sunday in June is the beginning date of our protracted meeting. Be a booster for the meeting and remember that "knockers never win, and winners never knock."

Bros. Bentley and Cooper promise to give us their very best in this meeting. A welcome awaits you at all our services.—Reporter.

There will be a play at Canyon schoolhouse Friday night. Everybody invited.

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Y. W. M. A.

The Young Women's Missionary Auxiliary met at the church Monday afternoon, May 18. Ten members were present and answered to roll call with the name of a missionary in Brazil or Cuba. The following Missionary Voice program was carried out:

Song—"Savior More Than Life to Me."

Bible Lesson—Mrs. Winstead.

Scripture Reading—Mrs. Oldham.

Sisterhood of Church Women—Mrs. McFarland.

The Womanhood of America—Mrs. Darby.

Message from the Missionary Socitties of Brazil—Mrs. Williams.

Prayer—Mrs. Jones.

The meeting next Monday was postponed on account of the Chautauqua, and the next meeting will be June 1, at the home of Mrs. Winstead with Mrs. Snyder as hostess.

RECITAL.

Miss Wasson's expression class, assisted by pupils from Miss Strayhorn's class in piano and the Martin Orchestra will be presented in recital Saturday evening, May 23, at 8 p. m., at the First Christian church. There will be no admission fee. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.



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When the train pulls out of the Kansas City depot, there are two Pullmans full of happy, eager people ready to make a long, hard trip, but full of determination to have every program a good one and looking forward to every town as an event; a place where the Chautauqua can make history.

As these lines are written the magnificent Cathedral Choir is rehearsing in the big hall below. It will open the Chautauqua program on the Premier ircuit. When the audiences on the Premier hear the Halleluiah Chorus" or the "Miserere" from "III Trevatore," they will vote the Cathedral Choir is the greatest musical organization of recent years.

LETTER FROM KANSAS CITY BOOSTER.

Kansas City, Mo., May 14.

Mr. J. L. Martin,
The Times-Signal,
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I want to take this opportunity to again thank you for the very courteous reception given our "boosters" while in your town.

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BETHEL CLUB GIRLS.

Friday afternoon, May 15, 4:30 p. m. the home demonstrator, Miss Laura Belle Roten, met with the Bethel girls and organized a club, there being 12 members. The name given the club was True Worker's. The officers elected are as follows: Alice Huffman, president; Alma Gillmore, vice-president; Erdice Gillmore, secretary; Ada Smith, reporter. The names of members as follows: Amanda McClammy, Alice Huffman, Edna Griffin, Erdice Gillmore, Alma Gillmore, Ada Smith, Nellie Barnett, Lola Mae Pemperton, Katheryn Griffin, Sibyl Gillmore, Lee Alvin Hays. The boosters are Edna Griffin and Amanda McClammy.

There were three girls joined the clothing contest. They are as follows: Ada Smith, Erdice Gillmore and Alma Gillmore. All girls from Crowder and Turner are cordially invited to our next meeting, which will be at Union church, Tuesday morning, May 19, at 9 a. m. We hope every girl in our community will join in the near future and help build up our club. We feel that with such a noble leader as Miss Roten we will soon be able to build our club up to all the name stands for.—Reporter.

SHOULD BE STOPPED.

We notice that authorities in several towns in this section are worried over what seems to be a flood of cheap, suggestive reading matter that is now finding its way into the hands of boys and girls of from school age, and that is destined to have a serious effect upon them from a moral standpoint. So-called magazines that publish daring pictures and filthy stories are on sale on thousands of newsstands, and can easily be secured by mail. Some that have been forbidden the mails manage to find their way into the hands of the youth of this country through other means of transportaiton. The government is doing what it can to prohibit the circulation of this trash, but seemingly has not been able to cope with the evil.

We have on a few occasions seen such literature in Snyder though no general complaint that it is being circulated in our own schools has yet been officially filed. We feel quite sure that our boys and girls have not reached the point where they consider the reading of these notoriously dirty publications a necessary part of their education. But there is no means of knowing how soon the habit will strike the youth of this community, or to what extent it will be encouraged by them. There is but one safeguard, and the teachers themselves form that. If they will keep a watchful eye for questionable magazines, periodicals and postcards and suppress their circulation the minute they find them to be vile, much harm can be prevented. And it might also be well for parents to investigate what type of reading matter their children are given to reading in their leisure hours.

SNELLING SCHOOL CLOSES.

The Snelling school, taught by Prof. Herman Covey and Miss Kate Wellborn, closed last Friday with appropriate exercises, one of the attractions being a big spread at the noon hour. It was also Uncle Jimmie Johnson's 78th birthday. Uncle Jimmie was right there. In fact, he was one of the very first settlers in that community and has been one of the leading spirits in that community in making it what it is today. The community for a number of years has had a reputation on account of its excellent school, but Uncle Jimmie is Frank to confess that the term just closed is the best ever taught in that community. Bro. Tate of Fluvanna was also present and conducted the devotional exercises. Bro. Tate now has a car and there is a decided improvement in his health since he has taken to driving about, meeting his many good friends and getting an occasional square meal, so some of his good friends are telling.

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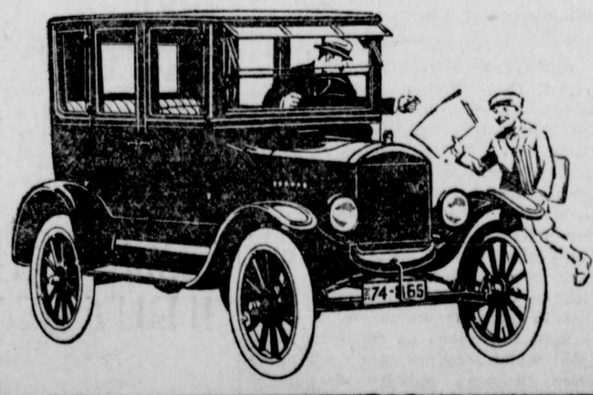
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A california man has perfected a suicide gun, which it is said never misses its aim. The inventor, in order to prove his claims, turned the gun on himself. He was killed instantly.

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The Times-Signal's hopes of one day being able to see a healthy breed of four-legged chickens received a terrible set-back the past week when a Cisco hen hatched out a chicken that had no legs at all.

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A West Dallas widow says the reason she broke her last engagement was because her fiance was named Coffey and he got on her nerves.—Dallas News.

YYes, but that was no "grounds" for breaking her engagement with Coffey.

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The Fort Worth Record declares that "old-fashioned galluses are coming back into style." Why, bless your life, they never went out of style with this editor. And they never will go out of style with us so long as it is popular, stylish and necessary that men wear "britches."

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A London naturalist was killed recently by a train while he was following a snail along a railway track. If he was bound to follow snails along railway tracks he should have come to Texas where he and the snail would not have been in any danger of being overtaken by a train.

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A move is on foot in Snyder to segregate the negroes. The Times-Signal is heartily in sympathy with the movement. Snyder is a white man's town, and let's keep it that kind. Negroes are all right, if you like 'em, but let's see to it that they are kept in their place, and one of their places is a negro district clear away from white residents.

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Personally we will belive man was once a monkey when we are convinced that a cow was once a coconut.—Dallas News.

Yes, or when they prove that gooseberries once grew on geese; when fishplates once grew on fish, when strawstacks produced strawberries, when grapefruit grew on grape vines and when egg plants came from eggs—then we may believe that some distant ancestor hung by his tail.

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PLEASANT HILL.

The farmers are very busy, as it hasn't rained for a week and the land is in good shape.

J. R. Williamson was taken to Lubbock sanitarium last Tuesday. We are glad to hear he is much better.

Sunday School and singing was well attended Sunday; had visitors from Plainview and Sulphur and invite them all back next first Sunday.

Miss Coy Shepherd, Hardy Scarmrough, Mr. Gibson and family spent Sunday at Mr. Edwards'.

Several from here attended the play at Sulphur Saturday night. All report a nice time.

School will close Friday, May 22. A program will be rendered by the school children Friday night. Everybody is invited.

Mr. Woody gave the young folks a singing Sunday night; had a good crowd and good singing.

Breco Edwards spent Saturday night with Jim Shepherd.

Bro. Bennett and wife spent Sunday with L. L. Shepherd and family.

Mrs. Woody has returned from Mineral Wells where she has been for her health. Am glad to say she is much better.

Goldie Edwards, Breco Edwards, Jim Shepherd and Albert Bills attended a birthday party at Dixie Lee Mitchell's Friday night. They report a nice time and lots of good to eat.—Happy.

MOTHERS' SELF-CULTURE CLUB.

Met with Mrs. C. F. Sentell Wednesday afternoon with a majority of the members present. By-laws and constitution were revised and adopted. Committees for the program, public amusement, welfare and civic improvement were appointed by the president.

Very interesting programs are outlined and much good is expected of this club.

Next meeting will be Wednesday, June 3rd at 4 p. m. with Mrs. Henry Brice.—Reporter.

ICED AND CREAMED.

The entire faculty of the Snyder school and a number of other friends of Mrs. and Mrs. W. A. Martin were delightfully entertained at their hospitable home a few miles northeast of town Wednesday evening. Fifty-two were present, and the younger boys and girls, such as Prof. Cary and Miss Runkles, enjoyed themselves playing "three deep" and "drop the handkerchief" for almost an hour before the time came for serving refreshments, consisting of ice cream and cake. Those taking ice cream three times were: Prof. Bagwell, Prof. Roberts, Miss Huggins, Miss Beamer, and Miss Strayhorn. Those who remained to lick the freezers were: Prof. Cary, J. L. Martin and A. J. Cody. Late reports stated that they would probably recover.

It was indeed a great time and every present enjoyed it immensely.

Rev. Davis has returned home from Memphis, Tennessee, and the Confederate reunion at Dallas.

A. N. Woodard was called to Celeste, Texas, Friday on account of the death of a nephew.

Community Building

INCREASING USE OF STUCCO

As a Building Material It Is Finding Appreciation Among Architectural Critics.

Not only do architectural critics consider stucco as one of the most attractive finishes to be obtained for exterior walls of modern buildings but the general public as well has placed its approval upon this method of structural finishing and beautifying.

Stucco is a magnesite product which not only is pleasing in appearance but has permanency as well. Properly applied, it is said to last as long as the foundation of a home. It is said to be fireproof and fire resisting. It is understood to resist the natural elements said to disintegrate and destroy some other forms of finish. Stucco forms a protection to the structure to which it is applied and protects and perpetuates itself as well.

Attractiveness possible in the variety of its use and design is a feature. Block after block of homes, churches or other buildings can be built with this type of finish and no two buildings need be alike. This difference in appearance is obtained through the use of small pebbles, crushed rock, flaked shells and other materials capable of resisting constant exposure to the weather, and varying so greatly in texture and color that unlimited combinations can be obtained, giving to each building a distinctly different effect from the one adjacent. These surfaces are never painted and are said to be ideal as the resurfacing for old structures, resulting not only in making them look new, but making cooler homes in the summer and warmer houses in the winter.

MUST NOT OVERLOOK VINES

Have Strong Useful Purposes as Well as Generally Recognized Ornamental Effect.

Vines are among the most useful plants for "tying" buildings to their surroundings. There is a freedom and grace about their growth that helps to relieve the formality of buildings or fences better than almost any other plants. Care in their selection is necessary, however, as there are disadvantages in the use of some vines under certain conditions. On brick and stone buildings some of the clinging vines are most appropriate. The impression that such vines are injurious to the walls or make them damp which exists in some quarters is erroneous, the United States Department of Agriculture believes.

The great problem is so to train the vines that they may be removed to permit proper painting of the woodwork when that is necessary. This may be done by means of a trellis hinged near the ground or a chicken wire placed over hooks at the highest point, so that it may be removed. A trellis can be made of chicken wire on a pipe frame that will keep vines entirely away from woodwork. The thought is sometimes expressed that vines cause woodwork to rot. This is true if they are permitted to become so thick as to prevent proper ventilation and timely painting. Hot sunshine, however, is one of the most destructive forces in the life of paint. Vines by their shade help to preserve paint instead of destroy it.

Artificial Butterfly Wings

Prof. Hans Zozher, addressing the German Chemical society at Hamburg, declared that he has succeeded by artificial means in reproducing the coloring of butterfly wings with much more effect and richness than the originals themselves. Frequently, said the German scientist, he has made artificial wings which would make "any butterfly in the world turn green or black with envy." The beautiful color effects in butterfly wings are produced by light reflections on the same principle which causes the glistening colors in soap bubbles.—Pathfinder Magazine.

PATENTS GRANTED TO TEXANS.

Compiled by Munn & Co., Patent Attorneys.

Of 962 patents issued in the last week, Texas inventors obtained 16.

George S. Meyers of Electra. Drill collar. The general object of this invention is to provide improved means for connecting the bit with the drill pipe.

Mark Belcher, of Daisetta. Pump valve. This relates to vales such as are employed in pumps designed for handling mud, water and liquids carrying sand or sediment tending to wear the valves.

Oscar Shelton of Yorktown. Rail joint fastener. This relates to rail joint fasteners and has for its object the provision o fan improved railroad joint fastener of a construction whereby the rails will be clamped securely and in proper alined position and held against side shifting and rattling.

George S. Hollister of Burkburnett. Oil well heater. This relates to apparatus for heating oil wells so as to increase the flow o foil therefrom, and has for its object improvements in such devices. Mr. Hollister assigns his patent to James B. Fauley.

Paul M. Raysor of Bryan. Shoe polishing machine. This relates to an improvement in shoe polishing machines in the use of which a person may have his shoes cleaned and palished through automatic mechanism set in operation at will.

Thomas L. Wood of Dallas. Toy train. This relates to toys of the character simulating a railroad train.

W. M. S.

The Woman's Missionary Society met Monday at 3 p. m. at the church in mission study.

Our lesson today was the last chapter in our home book, of One Blood. Our pastor gave us a very interesting and helpful lecture covering the entire book.

We missed our Voice program during the meeting, so there will be a joint meeting of the Victory Bible class and missionary society at the home of Mrs. Pat Brown, Friday afternoon, May 22. The following program will be rendered:

Leader, Bible Lesson, Luke 18:18-30—Mrs. Higgins.

Missionary News—Mrs. Martin.

Testaments up the Sleeves and Testaments in the Hearts—Mrs. Avery.

A Message from the Missionary Society in Japan—Mrs. Lemons.

The Sisterhood of Church Women—Mrs. Yoder.

The Womanhood of the Americans—Mrs. Stinson.

Messages from the Missionary Societies of Cuba.—Mrs. Bannister.

Prayer—Mrs. Bell.—Reporter.

FLUVANNA SCHOOL NOTES.

The juniors entertained the seniors on last Monday night, May 18.

High school colors and ferns in graceful profusion gave a splendid charm to the large reception room and gave a pretty background for the banquet.

Different kinds of jokes and games were played on the seniors.

The juniors presented the seniors with a little token to be kept in remembrance of this night.

The table under the green and gold streamers was beautifully graced with bouquets of pink roses.

The following were served with banana and pineapple cream and cake: Marvin Hanback, Hazel Gordon, Horace Sims, Jeta Landrum, Angie Haynes, Dick Winner, Lee Beaver, Mildred Rhoddy, Mr. and Mrs. Maples, Mrs. Delia Forrester, Misses Mell Thompson and Lelia Isaacs.—A Visitor.

TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB HONOR GRANDMOTHERS.

Last Tuesday was red letter day in the calendar of the Twentieth Century Club. We met in the beautiful home of Mrs. Joe Strayhorn and had as our guests the grandmothers of Snyder.

In planning our work we save the best for the last, so each year we close our year's work with this happy meeting with grandmothers at Mrs. Strayhorns.

Mrs. Strayhorn, Brown and Dorward welcomed the guests at the door. Mrs. Taylor conducted them to the register where Mrs. West and Mrs. Sentell took their names. They were then served punch in the dining room.

After a short time spent greeting friends the club sang "Silver Threads Among the Gold." Mrs. Strayhorn gave a .welcome to guests. Little Francis Stinson favored us with a reading.

Mrs. English read the beautiful poem, "Just Forty Years Ago."

Mrs. Bolin gave a reading that brought back to us memories of our own grandmothers, "Pieced Quilts."

Mrs. Monroe gave a beautiful reading on "Growing Old."

Mrs. Webb read an original poem.

Mrs. Meadow gave an interesting talk.

Mrs. Thrane read us a story from "Aunt Jane of Kentucky." Dressed in a costume appropriate to Aunt Jane's time of living, she gave the story in such a manner we felt we were really hearing Aunt Jane tell the story.

As a closing number the club sang "When You and I Were Young, Maggie."—Reporter.

ENNIS.

A large crowd attended singing here Sunday afternoon. There will be singing here fifth Sunday. Everyone come and bring your dinner.

Mrs. H. S. Hart spent the weekend with relatives in Snyder.

Miss Leona Williamson visited the Misses Hart the past week.

Misses Bird, Era and Hattie Lee Hart, Clarence and Nathan Wade took supper at J. D. Robinson's Sunday night.

Our school will close Friday. We will render a program. Everyone is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Shultz, Mrs. Pitner and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Ramage were visitors at Mr. Colclazer's Sunday.

Mr. White from Snyder visited his brother of this community Sunday.

Marvin West's mother and sisters from Loraine visited him Sunday.

Miss Roten met with us the past week and organized a club. The writer is not informed who the officers are. The following ladies were present: Mrs. T. S. Davis, Mrs. T. C. Davis, Mrs. W. A. Wade, Mrs. Com. Ezell, Mrs. Shipman, Mrs. Dee Robinson, Mrs Prather, Mrs. Holt, Mrs. Smith, Miss Bird Hart, Mrs. Kimbrough, Miss Era Hart and Miss Bonnie Davis.

Mr. Carmicheal also met with the boys and organized a club. The boys are real interested in the club.

Mrs. Colclazer happened to a very painful accident Tuesday morning, and we fear that a bone in her foot is broken.

Dee Robinson, the mayor of Ennis Creek, has just finished graveling the square of Ennis Creek. Of course we know some of you Snyder folks don't think very much of that kind of work. But you must remember Snyder at one time was proud of their gravel square.

Mr. and Mrs. Kimbrough took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prather Sunday.

Bro. Moody will preach for us Saturday night and Sunday at 11:00 o'clock.—Dan.

SNYDER GIRLS GRADUATE.

DENTON, Texas, May 20.—Misses Eva and Mary Inez Strayhorn of Snyder, seniors at the College of Industrial Arts, are candidates for the degree of bachelor of arts at the graduation exercises to be held June 2. Sixty-six bachelor of arts degrees and 131 bachelor of science degrees have been applied for, according to the registrar.

Nineteen diplomas for students in kindergarten, twelve two-year diplomas in piano, and thirty-one vocational certificates have also been ordered.

James Hampton Kirkland, chancellor of Vanderbilt University at Nashville, Tenn., will deliver the commencement address at 10 o'clock on the morning of June 2. Dr. Peter Gray Sears, Episcopal minister of Houston, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon in the C. I. A. auditorium at 10 o'clock on the morning of May 31. The program for commencement week is to be formally opened Saturday, May 30. This will be known as alumnae day. Many special programs are being arranged for the four days.

SENIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM.

Sunday, May 24, 1925, at First Baptist Church.

Subject, "Devotional Meeting—the Power of God."

Fifteen Minutes Devotional—Conducted by Chorister.

Roll Call.

Quiz on Daily Bible Reading—by Quiz Leader.

Scripture Reading—Vera Smithers.

Introduction—Group Captain.

Worthy to Be Worshipped—Janie Martin.

God's Power Described—SamDorfman.

Why Does Not God Kill the Devil?—A. C. Alexander.

God's Power Manifest In Miracles—Elvin Thompson.

Power In the Spread of the Gospel—T. H. Duff.

Closing remarks and benediction.

We would like for every member to be present next Sunday for the opening service since we have something good for you. Now if you are a member or wish to become a member please be on time—7 p. m. is the hour.

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SHOULD she put him to the supreme test? Dolly was wondering as she sat side by side with her fiance, listening to his words of love, his arm about her.

Somehow she had never felt quite sure of Harry. She cared for him—but he didn't quite measure up to her standard of a man. A little small, perhaps, in many ways. And she was his own age—thirty, and infinitely older in experience.

After all, unless he could attain to that standard of magnanimity that she had set up, she didn't want him. That was what she was thinking as she listened to his confession.

"I feel I've got to tell you, darling, that my life hasn't been quite all it ought to be."

"You mean that there have been women in your life before?"

Yes, that was what he was trying to tell her.

"In more than a—a right way?"

"Yes. Just as with all men. Not merely sweethearts, but—everything. You understand?"

"Who were they? How many of them?" asked Dolly, with a beating heart. And, as he was silent, "Two? More than two? Three? Half a dozen?"

Harry was silent. She felt his throat move convulsively as he swallowed.

"A great many more than that," he answered.

"Dozens?"

"Yes, more like that."

"You must have been quite a lady-killer in your time, Harry," she said acidly.

"Dolly, that's what no good woman understands. There have been women—some one practically all the time since I was a boy. Every man is like that. If women only married good men, there would be mighty few marriages. Dear, I've told you this because I want us to start our life together in complete understanding. I'm coming to you and asking you to forgive. Do you think you can?"

"Why, Harry," she answered, "I'm sorry to hear what you tell me, but I've heard something of this sort before. I—I'm not ignorant of life, you know," she added, with a little laugh. "Yes, of course, I forgive you, Harry. Only—there's something I shall have to tell you," she added with a nervous little laugh.

"You mean you've been in love before—been kissed?" he asked.

"Oh, yes, I've been kissed, Harry," she answered, with a little mouth of disgust that he did not see in the darkness.

"Engaged?"

"Why—yes, I was engaged once, when I was a young girl," she replied. "Now, what I've got to tell is something worse than that."

Suddenly he swung toward her. "My God, Dolly, you—you don't mean you—?" he stammered.

"Once," she answered gravely. "Harry, I must tell you about it. I was a child—only sixteen. I had not learned the difference between good and evil. He was a man. It was on a vacation. I—I didn't know, understand—" She broke off. "Now I've told you all, Harry. Can you forgive me?"

But he was rocking to and fro. "My God, my God!" he was moaning.

She laid her hand on his arm. "Harry, I—I thought after what you told me yourself you would be big enough to understand."

"My God! it's different! it's all different! Don't you understand that it's different?"

Silence fell. At last he rose. He was slinking away. She stopped him with a word.

"We may as well understand each other, Harry," she said bitterly. "I suppose you mean that you wish to end our engagement?"

"What else is there to do? You know—"

"I suppose I'm a fool to have told you."

"You had no right to make me love you with this hideous secret in your past life."

"Oh, go away, Harry, you make me tired!" she answered contemptuously, and watched him disappear in the night.

So that was that. Small men, small standards. She was glad she had told him and was free again. Fortunately her reputation was not at his mercy; she was only visiting at the hotel.

But what made her gladdest of all was that she would never have to let him know that her confession, which had been made to test him, was a lie.

Counterfeit Money

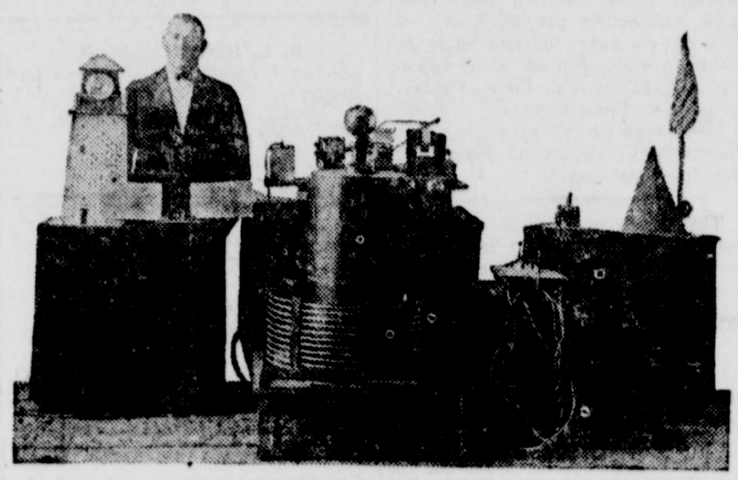
There is no rule by which counterfeit money can be detected. Counterfeiters try to make their bogus money as much like real money as possible. Some counterfeit bills are such exact imitations that only experts can distinguish them from real bills. Sometimes counterfeit money is detected by the difference in the quality of paper used; again it may be recognized as counterfeit by secret signs and numbers which have not been observed by the counterfeiters. There are so many different kinds of paper money issued by the government that it is almost necessary for the individual to depend on bankers and other experts to detect bogus bills which may be in circulation.

IRA ITEMS.

On last Thursday the county demonstrator, Mrs. Roten, came out to Ira and organized a progressive home club with a good attendance. She made an interesting talk to the ladies and girls of Ira, Sharon, Canyon and County Line. So all will be members of the club here. The officers are: President, Mrs. Maud Taylor; vice-president, Mrs. Lola Lewis; secretary, Mrs. Alexander; assistant secretary, Mrs. Minnie Falls; reporter, Mrs. Mittie Crowder. Being a committee appointed to meet with Mrs. Roten on Monday after they went to Snyder and made out the following demonstration meeting time to be on first and third Thursdays of each month.

We cannot state at this writing just how many members we have but have about 30 girls in the clothing contest.—Reporter.

R. V. and J. L. Ramsour are in Mineral Wells this week.



Fascinating truths much stranger than any fiction. Startling effects with Radio. Said to be the largest portable coil in existence. R. B. Ambrose's great lecture on Father's and Son's Day at Chautauqua.



Governor Charles Wayland Bryan of Nebraska, whose lecture is a feature of Redpath-Horner Chautauquas this year.

CHINA GROVE ITEMS.

It's rushing times around China of the farmers finishing planting, and young crops looking well.

A large crowd gathered at China Sunday morning to hear Bro. Lee Bean of Hermleigh preach a good sermon to the people.

Sunday School is coming along right nicely now.

Bro. Bean and wife took dinner with Uncle Billy Hiriston Sunday.

Grandpa and Grandma Seals were able to attend services Sunday.

Jim Merket is at Littlefield, Texas, attending business and also visiting Doss Manor of that place.

Miss Mary Bell Collier and sisters attended the play at Sulphur Saturday night.

Miss Myrtle Seals of Colorado spent the week-end with Grandma Seals and wife, Mrs. Annie Guerin and daughter, Miss Lelana, spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Price.

Quite a mad dog epidemic or something like that has broke out in this community.

Am sorry to report the serious sickness of the baby daughter of Mrs. Bessie Dunn. We hope she will improve soon.

John Denson's family spent the day at Elmer Cotton's Sunday.

Miss Mary Leek, who is visiting in this community, is spending this week with Mrs. John Denson of near Dunn.

Walter Dean and family spent Sunday evening with Will Shoemaker, near Dunn. Their sister, Mrs. Ella Nichols and daughter of Sweetwater were visiting them.

Miss Edna Wilson took dinner with Miss Viola Wood Sunday.

Anton White and wife of Loraine are out on the farm for the balance of the year.—Happy.

Carl Roe was taken to Lubbock Sunday for an operation for appendicitis.

PROGRAM.

Of the Joint Fifth Sunday meeting of Big Spring and Mitchell-Scurry Association, to be held with Westbrook church, beginning Friday night May 29, 1925:

Friday, 7:45—Devotional—Rev. J. H. McLeod; 8, Sermon, Rev. D. H. Heard.

Saturday, 9:30—Inspirational, E. E. Mason; 10, Bible Evangelism, G. W. Parks; 11, sermon, Rev. Brown, pastor at Midland.

Noon.

2:00, Devotional, A. D. Leach; 2:15, Baptist Loyalty, M. C. Bishop; 3, Board meeting.

Adjournment.

7:45 p. m., Devotional, O. B. Tatum; 8, sermon, Rev. Jeff Davis.

Sunday, 10, Sunday School; 11, sermon by Missionary George Alexander.

Noon.

3:00, B. Y. P. U. program to be arranged by pastor. 7:45, sermon, Missionary W D. Green.

The ladies will have a session during the above time.

I am authorized to say that dinner will be served each day at the church. Board members are urged to come or to send some one in their place. Let's show our sister association we are a live bunch and are on the job. Don't forget we are on a cash basis. See to it that your money for Associational Missions is sent to this meeting or to Treasurer Harvey Shuler, Snyder, Texas. ERNEST KEATHLEY,
Cor. Sec., Mitchell-Scurry Association.

EPWORT LEAGUE PROGRAM.

Song Service.
Prayer.
Scripture, Mark 6:31,32; Rom. 13: 11-14—Edith Grantham.
What Should Characterize a Christian Vacation?—Bro. Davidson.
Summer Dangers—Cecil Harris.
What Our Epworth League Can Do to Make the Most of the Summer—Mr. Erwin.
Special Music.
The Coming Assembly.
Business Meeting.
Benediction.

WOODMAN CIRCLE.

Members met Tuesday evening and had a wonderful meeting. Enjoyed drilling until about 4 o'clock. At this time we missed three of our members, Mrs. F. M. Brownfield, Mrs. Oscar Trigg and Mrs. Grady Burditt, and when they returned with their smiling faces and the mischievous look in their eyes as if to say, guess where we have been? We were surprised with refreshments of angel food, banana and mahogany cake, with cream. After refreshments we drilled again.

We will meet next Tuesday evening at 2:30, May 26. All members be present.

George Brown of the Times-Signal force, was called to Abilene Monday on account of the Chapman trial.

Alfred P. Mankin, aged three years, is here from Dallas visiting his grandparents, Mr. nad Mrs. O. N. Mankin of this city.

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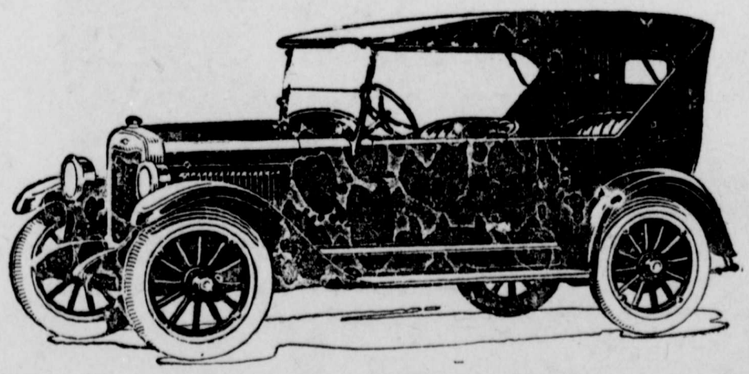
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CHAPMAN CASE CONTINUED.

ABILENE, Texas, May 18.—The case of the State versus Lit Chapman, charged by indictment with the murder of his wife in Abilene last month, was continued to July 27 by District Judge W. R. Ely, here at 1:30 p. m. Monday.

Continuance was made on motion of defense counsel, agreed to by the district attorney's office. The ground on which the moiton was made was the absence of three material witnesses fo rthe defense, whose names were given as Zula Fae Davis, Taylor Bransford and Mrs. Mary Bransford.

Continuance of the case came after a motion to quash the venire had been overruled by the court at the forenoon session.

Counsel for the defense in the case of Lit Chapman, charged with the murder of his divorced wife, Eunice May Chapman, at her residence on Sycamore street on the afternoon of Sunday, April 5, filed a motion to quash the venire when the case was called at 9 a. m. Monday by District Judge W. R. Ely. The motion was overruled, to which the defense excepted. District Attorney Milburn S. Long announced that the state was ready, after he had read a list of state's witnesses, practically all of whom were present.

That defense counsel, composed of the law firm of Stinson, Coombes and Brooks of this city, will make a stubborn legal fight for the life of Chapman, was indicated by the motion to quash the venire and by adjournment of court at 10:o5 a. m. until 1 p. m. to allow the defense to prepare a motion for continuance.

Eighty witnesses, most of whom reside in Snyder, were the defendant lived at the time of the alleged crime, and where the slain woman had lived many years, were present Monday morning. In addition to these there were dozens of others from the Scurry county seat.

District Attorney Long has announced that the state will ask for the death penalty. The state is represented by Long, County Attorney Frank E. Smih, W. J. Cunningham and County Attorney W. J. Barnes of Eastland.

Chapman, who has been in custody here since the killing and who made no effort to obtain bail, was brought into court shortly before 9 o'clock by Sreriff H. T. O'Bar. He was pale and appeared to be nervous and under mental strain.

A defense motion to quash the venire, which was filed shortly after the case was called, was overruled by the court, to which the defense excepted. The motion charged that the venire of 120 men was not legally drawn.

The courtroom was almost filled at 9 o'clock, there being very few present other than witnesses and veniremen. Few of the 80 witnesses which hed been summoned were unaccounted for, although a large number were to arrive from Snyder, where the defendant lived at the time of the death of Mrs. Chapman, on the 10 a. m. train. District Attorney M. S. Long read the list of state's witnesses, following which he announced that the state was ready.

E. T. Brooks, who with J. P. Stinson and Roy Duke, represent the defendant, went into conference with the client for 15 minutes before Brooks read the list of 40 defense witnesses. All of these were present or accounted for except Zula Fae Davis of Abilene and Mrs. Bransford and Taylor Bransford, who were reported by other witnesses to have moved from Snyder to Lubbock one week ago. The court ordered attachments issued for the three witnesses.

Preceding the calling defense witnesses Mrs. Lucy Chapman of Snyder, mother of the defendant, and his sister, made their way to where he sat with Sheriff O'Bar. The aged woman gathered her son's head in her arms muttering between sobs, "God bless you." His sister kissed him and they returned to their seats. He jerked nervously at a handkerchief for a minute and then buried his face in his hands and wept bitterly. He was dressed neatly in blue serge and appeared nervous.

Deputy Sheriff Whaley read the list of 120 veniremen. All of these were present with the exception of 11, who were excused, and six absent unexcused. J. N. Routh of this city was fined $25 by the court and ordered brought into court at once. He was reported to be working in Merkel. Carl M. Hughes, Blair; D. C. West, route 4, Merkel; Lester Clark, city; J. E. Mundell, city, and T. S. Douglas, city, were also ordered to appear.

Arthur Sears, city; H. T. Spears, D. A. Acker, W. E Gentry, city, and J N. Teaff were excused because of illness. D. J. Anderson and E. M. Blackburn were excused as road overseers. C. T. Beckham and B. E. Holly were found to be over legal age for jury service and E. F Shotwell sent word that he was delayed by car trouble.

District Clerk J. K. Fuller swore in the veniremen. When the court asked for reasons why any should be excused Tom M. Payne, city, was given leave because of National Guard service. E. G. Utzman was excused because of illness and L. O. Groves of Tuscola was found to be neither a householder or freeholder. The court then was adjourned until 11:15 to give defense counsel time to prepare motions.

DOINGS OF CO. G. 142 INFANTRY.

Just a few lines to let your readers know that Co. G, 142nd Infantry, T. N. G., is in Snyder to stay and that it means something like $5,000 per year to our town.

Company G is composed of some of the best boys in the county, and the following are previous service men. Men who answered their country's call in 1917, 1918, and 1919: Captain, John Sentell; 1st lieutenant, Ware; 2nd lieutenant, Cantrell; 1st sergeant, Chas. E. Dever; supply sergeant, Mark Johnson; sergeant, O. W. Dever; Sergeant, Bill Hutchenson; private, Andrews.

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Next week we will give you a short history of Co. G, 142nd Infantry in France.—Reporter.

The pupils of Miss Lucile Strayhorn will be presented in a piano recital at the Methodist church, at 8 o'clock, Friday evening, May 22.

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While trying to equal the marksmanship of William Tell with an air gun instead of a cross bow, the companion of the young son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gates did not take into consideration the low trajectory of the weapon and missed the apple by a full three inches, the shot striking young Gates squarely on the sneezer between the eyes. The shot buried itself in the flesh and required the services of a physician to remove it. Had the shot veered a fraction of an inch either way, young Gates would have stood a good chance of being killed.

Dr. Campbell, who attended the boy, says that during his practice he has treated several cases of boys who lost an eye from the shot from an air gun. This would prove a warning to boys who make a habit of pointing their guns at companions and pulling the trigger "jes fer fun."—O'Donnell Index.

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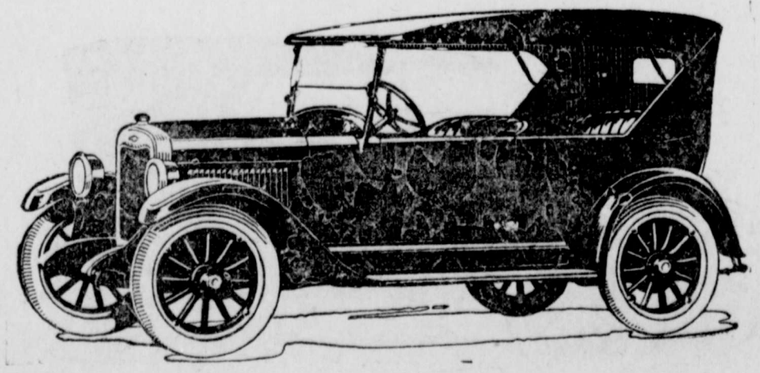
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SMITH-SIMS.

Within the short period of two months, wedding bells have rung twice in the Smith family and Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Smith are the proud possessors of two new daughter-in-laws.

Word was received Saturday that Dr. Lester Smith was married to Miss Lucille Sims of Tyrone, Okla. But here is a clpping for an Oklahoma City daily.

The marriage of Miss Lucille Sims of Tyrone, Okla., to Lester Pennington Smith of Slaton, Texas, took place on Saturday afternoon in the home of the officiating minister, Rev. H. B. Wilson, 1529 North McKinley avenue. Miss Emma June Bollinger and Sid Perry were the only attendants. The vows were read before a few relatives and intimate friends of the bride and bride-groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith will be at home in Valhalla, N. Y., after July 1, where the former goes as an interne in the Grassands' hospital.

The bride, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sims of Tyrone, attended the Maryville conservatory of music at Maryville, Mo., and also the Northwestern State Normal school at Alva. For the last two years she has been teaching in the high school at Elmore City, Okla. Mr. Smith, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Smith of Slaton, will receive the M. D. degree from the University of Oklahoma in June. He is a member of the Phi Kappa Phi, socity and Phi Beta Pi medical fraternities.

Dr. Smith has spent only a short time with his parents since they have made Slaton their home but his parents and the many friends he has made here are awaiting time when he and his bride will come for a visit, before going to New York.

The Times force unites with the many friends of these prominent young people in wishing them happiness and success.—Slaton Times.

THE STRANGER KNOWS.

Snyder citizens may not have noticed it, but a local paper is one of the first things a stranger calls for when he visits a town with a view to locating in it permanently. If the paper is filled with live ads, then he knows there is business in that town. If it is not, he knows that it must be either that the home merchants have little to sell or that they doubt their own ability to sell it. Then he concludes that the community is either dead or hard up, and he decides to locate elsewhere. This is not theory—it is a statement based on many years' contact with people who have expressed themselves along the above lines. The local newspaper is an accurate business barometer, and no amount of billboard advertising or loud talk will offset that fact. Its columns are a faithful record of actual conditions in the town and community. You can "sell" your goods to your neighbors and "sell" your town to a stranger at one and the same time. But you can't do it by ignoring the home-town paper.

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ACCOUNT OF EUROPEAN TRIP.

I was requested to write a history of my travel through Europe so that all my friends might learn something about what I saw and learned on the other side of the globe. It was indeed an interesting trip to me as I have never before taken a trip of that kind and perhaps there are many who have never been across who might be interested in reading my little story. We sometimes read about the old country and what they have and how they live, but it is not like going and seeing for yourself. It was indeed a treat to me to be there, but much more of a treat to be back in the good old U. S. A. and especially Snyder, Texas, where I can be with my good friends and relatives.

We oft times complain about hard times and this and that, but we do not know what hard times are until we take a trip across the big ocean, besides we do not know how to appreciate the things with which we are blessed until we see just how those poor folks are having to live.

I saw many strange things such as working cows to a plow and dogs to small wagons hauling coal and wood, people wearing wooden shoes and many, many other things which I can not mention here.

Wages are very low and besides every dollar a man makes one-tenth goes to the government to pay war debts in addition to the usual tax. It seems to be a hard task for folks to get by, however, strange to say they all seem to be cheerful. This was a surprise to me as I expected to find them walking around with long faces. Their principal crops are wheat, rye, barley, Irish potatoes and cabbage. There is much rye and barley used in place of coffee. There is much rye bread eaten. They don't know what a biscuit looks like and it seems so funny to them when we tell them what we eat and dring.

I have often heard it said that people do not drink water in Europe. Well that is the honest fact. I thought maybe the water wasn't good, but that cannot be so as I tasted of it once myself during my stay. Some think cotton grows on trees here as it is called treewool. I was asked a thousand questions about our country and the way about our living here seems real funny to them.

I was treated real nice during my stay and I began to think I was somebody come as I was presented with many flowers and roses, and my greatest surprise was that they would shine my shoes while I was in dreamland dreaming about my country and my home.

I had the honor of visiting the house in which my mother was born which is more than three hundred years old. I attended services three times in the old church of which mother was a member, which is over five hundred years old, and I visited the school where mother was educated and many, many other places. This was indeed the greatest treat of my life, the little city where mother was born is called Newmarket. This was my headquarters and where my mail was sent. Just wish to add right here, who do not appreciate reading their home paper and are not in love with the editor would suggest they take a trip across the sea where they can't see a person they ever saw before and let it be sent to them, it is just like receiving a letter from home.

I happened to be in Berlin the day Hindenburg was elected president. That was some sight for a greener like me. I have a lot of old relics displayed in my store which I will be glad to show my friends. Some are from Jerusalem, London and many other places. I could have brought back many other things but did not have room. Wish to say again, that I am glad to be back and that I appreciate my friends and home more than ever before. While I saw many pretty places in all my travels, but the place that looks best to me and where I want to live and die is the quiet little city called Snyder, Texas.

Thank you. F. T. WILHELM.

Mrs. Mary S. Brown left Saturday for Post City where she goes to attend the Order of Eastern Star school of instruction to be held at that place Saturday night. She will go to Lamesa before returning to attend a two-day school there. Mrs. Brown is the assistant district deputy for this district which covers the greater portion of the Panhandle and extends west to El Paso.

The Times-Signal is informed that Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Golden will teach at Pampa the coming year.

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FOR RENT—Five-room house in the east part of Snyder, cheap. See J. F. Coon. 50-2t-p

FOR RENT—Five-room house in Northeast Snyder. See H. Roper, R. & K. Garage. 50-2t-p

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COTTON SEED—Anton seed, roll run, lamost pure, choice. Delivered, sacked, at Snyder. $2.00 per bushel. W. E. Hawkins, Snyder, Texas. 48-3t-p

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FOR SALE—Mebane cotton seed, $1.00 per bushel. Bundle kaffir 6c at W. D. Hooper's grain store, or at the barn of A. A. Sturgeon, two miles north of Hermleigh. 50-2t-p

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FOR SALE—Slightly used 1924 Dodge touring car, good value. Higginbotham Bros. Co. 50-1t-c

FOR SALE—Good Kasch cotton seed, $1.00 a bushel. L. M. Bynum, Route 1, Snyder, Texas. 50-2t-p

FOR SALE—Good half and half cotton seed culled and cleaned, $1.50 per bushel. M. W. (Mat) Bavausett, Camp Springs. 50-1t-p

GLENDALE POULTRY FARM—Chicks at the hatchery every Wednesday, 12 cents and up. All that want custom hatching done bring them in I will set the 26th of May for the last time. A. A. Hester, Prop. 50tfc

FOR SALE—Peaches $1.50 bushel. W. S. Reed, Camp Springs. 50-1t-c

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WELFARE CLINIC.

Parties who are in need of my services and are not financially able to pay for same will be treated free if they will call at my office on Wednesdays and Saturdays, from 5 to 7 p. m.

A. O. SCARBOROUGH, M. D.

NOTICE OF BANKRUPT'S PETITION FOR DISCHARGE.

In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Texas.

In the matter of Amil Louis Pietzsch, bankrupt. No. 1083 in Bankruptcy.

Office of Referee.

Abilene, Texas, May 16, 1925.

Notice is hereby given that Amil Louis Pietzsch of the county of Scurry, and district aforesaid, did, on the 27th day of April, 1925, file in the Clerk's office of said court at Abilene, a petition setting up that he has been heretofore duly adjudged a bankrupt under the act of Congress approved July 1, 1898; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the Court touching his bankruptcy, and praying for a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate in bankruptcy, save such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

On considering the above mentioned petition, it is ordered that any creditor who has proved his claim, and other parties in interest, if they desire to oppose the discharge prayed for in said petition, shall, on or before the 24th day of June, 1925, file with the Referee for the Abilene Division of said district, a notice in writing of their opposition to a discharge in the above entitled cause.

D. M. OLDHAM, Jr.,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
50-1t-c

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912.

Of Scurry County Times-Signal, published weekly, at Snyder, Scurry County, Texas, for April 1, 1925.

STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Scurry (SS)

Before me, a notary public, in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared J. L. Martin, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the owner of the Scurry County Times-Signal, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, to-wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor and business managers are: Publisher, Editor, Manager Editor, J. L. Martin, Snyder, Texas.

2. That the owner is: J. L. Martin, Snyder, Texas.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: First National Bank, Snyder, Texas; Mergenthaler Linotype Co., New York, N. York.

J. L. MARTIN.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 28th day of April, 1925.

(Seal) EARL BROWN,
Notary Public, Scurry County, Tex.

SCURRY COUNTY FARM BUREAU COTTON ASSOCIATION MEETING.

A membership meeting of the Scurry County Farm Bureau Cotton Ass'n will be held at the courthouse in Snyder, Texas, Saturday, May 23, a p. m., in county court room.

All members of the Texas Farm Bureau will please make special effort to be present. Matters of special importance to come before the meeting.

J. S. GOLDEN, Pres.
J. T. BIGGS, Sec.

HERMLEIGH NEWWS.

The seventh grade entertained the senior class and freshman class with a pinic at Deep Creek Friday afternoon. They arrived at their destination about five o'clock. Swimming was enjoyed by the majority of the guests. At sunset a beautiful supper consisting of sandwiches, pickles, soda pop, cake and ice cream, was served. Everyone reported a most enjoyable time and complimented the class on their ability to entertain.

Mr. A. D. Higginbotham has been to Lamesa and other points on the Plains.

Miss Elva Lemons spent the week-end with home folks in Snyder.

Mrs. Warren Chorn returned home last week from a visit with her parents in Justiceburg. Her brother, Truman, returned with her to visit for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Hamil entertained the young people of this community Saturday night. Everyone present had a very nice time.

Mrs. E. A. Watson and son returned home from Dallas Tuesday.

Four of the students of the fifth and sixth grade room entertained in chapel exercises at school Friday morning by debating on this question: "Consolidation of Common School Districts Surrounding the Hermleigh Independent District with the Hermleigh Independent District is Advisable," The affirmative won. Needless to say this is a question that is being discussed with much interest in this community now.

The pupils of Miss Eunice Appleton's room entertained the faculty and senior class with a picnic at Deep Creep Tuesday evening. Swimming and fishing were enjoyed, after which a picnic lunch was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Cleve Patterson and daughter, Frances, and son, Ted, were in Colorado Wednesday.

The first, second, fifth and sixth grades will present a program Wednesday night, May 27.

The seventh grade will have their graduating exercises Thursday night, May 28, at which time the following program will be presented:

Class Song.
"Another Milestone" Salutatory—Agnes Early.
Class Inventory—Alma Bralley.
Resolutions from Sixth Grade—Chlodelle McMillan.
Frolic of School Books—Represented by Members of Seventh Grade.
Class Prophecy, Radio Message—Sam Chorn.
Class Will—Lillian Thompson.
Speech of Giftorian (from Sixth Grade)—Boyce Jones.
Presentation of Diplomas—Principal G. H. Nelson.
Good-bye, Old School"—Closing Song.

The baccalaureate sermon for the senior class will be delivered Sunday, May 24. The program is as follows:

Song, "Onward Christian Soldier"—Audience.
Prayer—Rev. J. A. Scoggins.
Solo—Earl Sparks.
Scripture Reading—Rev. C. E. Leslie.
Sermon—Rev. J. T. McKissick.
Benediction—Rev. Wilkerson.

The graduating exercises for the senior class will be held Friday night, May 29, at the school auditorium. The program will be as follows:

March—Ileta Henry.
Invocation—H. T. Gleastine, president of School Board.
Salutatory—Ted Patterson.
Music—Irene Crumley and Effie Drennan.
Valedictory—Fannye Russell.
Class Prophecy—Hazel Sparks.
Music—Gladys Watson.
Class History—Holly Watson.
Music—Aleta Kemp and Ruby Higginbotham.
Class Poem—Fannye Russell.
Music.
Last Will and Testament of Class of '25.
Address—R. M. Chitwood.
Presentation of Diplomas—Supt. E. A. Watson.
Benediction.

WHATLEY.

The health of our community is very good as far as we know. The farmers are feeling fine, haven't hardly got time to eat. They are very anxious to get their seeds in the ground.

Mrs. A. C. Letcher's daughter and son-in-law came in from Richland, Texas, a few days ago. They intend staying the rest of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Page's daughter and children from New Mexico are here on a visit.

Mrs. Herren visited with Mrs. Page Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Letcher made a flying trip to Snyder Sunday.

Mrs. Ira Riley and children have moved back to their farm. Mrs. Riley moved to town to send her little girl to school. We welcome her back in our community.

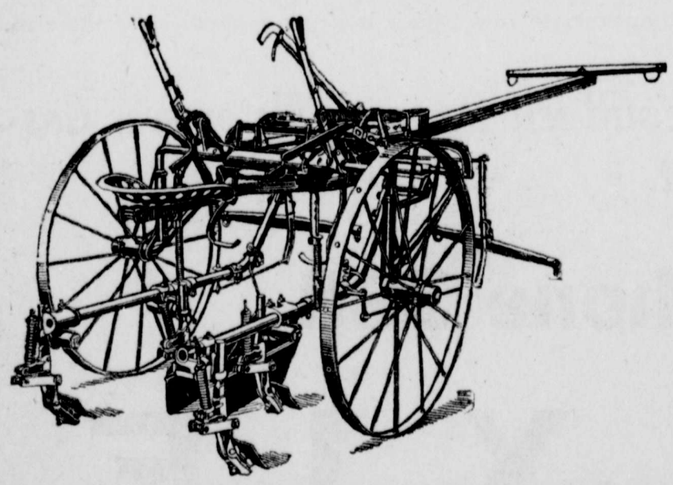
News is scarce at this writing. Will try to do better next time.

NOW!

Now—Just after the magnificent Rains.
Now—When you are already late with your plowing.
Now—When good implements means so much to you.
Now—When it's going to take unusual effort to quickly plant crop.
Now—When you must plant in very short time.
Now—When we have the best of implements to supply you with.

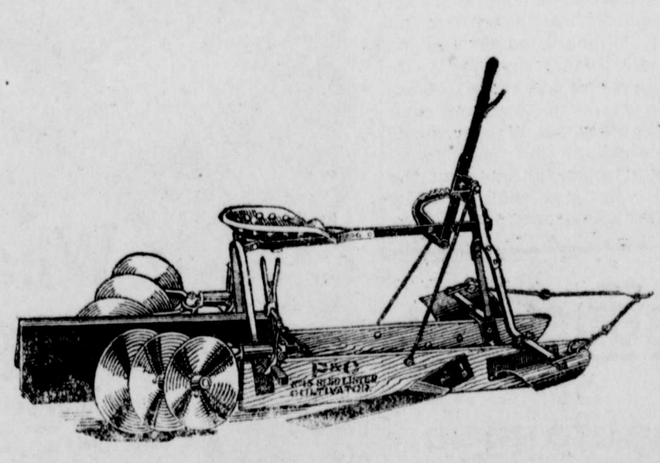
YES Now is the time of all times when your efforts should not be hampered by poor, worn-out tools, when you should have every possible help and encouragement to regain the lost time on account of dry weather. Yes, now, today, is the time to buy that planter, or cultivator. Terms if necessary. No advance in price.

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