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COMPLAIN OF UNJUST TREATMENT

Claim Landlords are Depriving Them of Legitimate Share in Crops.

Special Signal.

San Antonio, Texas, June 28—Mexican Consul Diebold made an announcement here today that fully two dozen Mexicans have made complaint that land owners in Southwest Texas and throughout the state are taking advantage of the ignorance of Mexican tenants to defraud them out of legitimate share of the crops.

There were complaints along this line made today by four Mexicans from near New Braunfels.

Senor Diebold will act as far as he may in defense of the interests of his countrymen, and while he may not advise court proceeding nor even give the matter the dignity of an international question, he does propose to set about the organization of State protective Society to see if by that means he may bring about a just treatment of Mexican tenants and wage earners.

Increasing City Area

Texarkana, June 28—A movement was inaugurated here today which will double the city's area and add about a thousand population.

New Police Chief

Special Signal.
Marshall, Texas, June 28—Nathan Green was appointed last night by the City Commission as Chief of Police, effective July 1st.

Nobility Leaving London

Special Signal.
London, June 28—Two more European crown princes and special ambassadors have left London, one after another in their special trains.

TO INCREASE REPRESENTATIVES

Congressional Re-apportionment Bill Based on Census of 1910

Washington, June 28—The Senate Census Committee today decided to report favorably the Congressional re-apportionment bill without amendment which provides for 433 representatives.

BONDS LOSE IN McLENNAN

City of Waco Will Bond for City Improvement.

Special Signal.

Waco, Texas, June 28—The proposition which was voted in the county Tuesday to issue \$600,000 in bonds for road improvement was defeated as was also a special tax for the same purpose.

The city of Waco, however, carried the proposition to issue \$250,000 in city bonds for schools, sewerage improvements and streets.

Killing in Lee County

Special Signal.

Giddings, Texas, June 27—Teff Hall was shot and killed last night at the home of Robert Cain. He was a man of prominence here. Sam Starkey has been arrested in connection with the case.

McLennan Votes on Bonds

Special Signal.

Waco, Texas, June 27—McLennan County is voting today to say whether or not \$600,000 in bonds shall be issued for road improvement.

SEEKS TO AVOID DEFICIT

Call Made on State Depositories to Pay State Employees Salaries.

Austin, Texas, June 28—For the third time the state treasurer has issued a call on State depositories to avoid a deficit in the Treasury.

The depositories are asked for \$5000 making a total of \$80,000 and leaving \$20,000 in each depository.

The call is made for money to pay off the state employees.

The Attorney General's Department held that justices are entitled to 5 per cent commission on all fees he collects for State or county.

The third court of Civil Appeals reverse and remanded the case of the Southwestern Telephone Company in two cases carried up from Navarro county.

HEAVY FIRE LOSS

Total Loss at Port Arthur From Fire Will Reach Nearly a Half Million

Special Signal.

Port Arthur, June 27—A careful estimate of the loss from yesterday's fire has been made and the figures will reach almost a half million dollars, in round numbers about \$400,000 mostly covered by insurance.

Rounding to Settlement

Special Signal.

El Paso, Texas, June 27—Attorney R. F. Burnes and W. A. Hawkins of this city who have been employed in the Chemicals case have been called to Washington to appear before the State department on matters pertaining to recent decisions relative to the questions involved.

It seems to be believed here that the case will be settled by agreement between the two countries.

Marshall's Police Resigns

Special Signal.

Marshall, Tex., June 27—Chief of Police Patrick Octinnor resigned last night. His successor will be appointed today.

HINES UNDER THE RULE

Not Permitted to Hear Lorimer Testimony in Committee Room

Special Signal.

Washington, June 28—Lumber King, Hines was today excluded from the room and denied further permission to listen to the testimony in the Lorimer investigation. The committee deemed his presence inadvisable.

Culver said, No. Hines said he had been in the habit of helping out Lorimer, by which he certainly meant in Congressional elections. He said he would delegate certain wagons for Lorimer's use. The committee felt that Hines is too much interested in Lorimer.

FIRE IN BRICK YARD

No Water to Spare and Blaze is Left Alone

San Antonio, June 28—Because of scarcity of water here, a fire, which started yesterday at C. E. Williams' Brick Yard the fire is being left to burn itself out.

Three hundred cords of wood have already been burned, but the wind so far has kept the fire blown away from the main buildings on the premises.

Denison Will Oust Hello Co.

Special Signal.

Denison, Texas, June 27—The city council last night passed an order of ouster proceedings against the Southwestern Telephone Co., alleging that its franchise expired more than a year ago and has never been renewed.

Anti-Gaming Law.

Austin, Texas, June 27—The Constitutionality of the Anti-gaming law was attacked today in the court of Criminal Appeals in the Ogden case carried up from San Antonio.

Georgia Negro Lynched

Atlanta, Ga., June 27—Tom Allen, a young negro charged here several weeks ago with criminal assault was taken from a train today by a mob while on his way to trial and hanged.

HARDWARE AND IMPLEMENT MEN MEET

Held Annual Convention at Plainview. West Texas and Panhandle Well Represented.

Special Signal.

The Panhandle Hardware and Implement Dealers Association closed a two days meeting Tuesday at Plainview. This Association was first organized at Amarillo and the first officers were C. S. Garrison of Hereford, president; G. Thompson of Memphis, vice president; Homer Rowe of Dalhart, Sec-Treas.

The new officers elected at this meeting are: C. M. Thompson, of Memphis, President, J. H. Johnson, Estelline, vice president; Homer Rowe, Sec-Treas.

The next annual meeting will be held at Amarillo.

The membership of the Association increased thirty per cent in the past year.

The organization is on a fine footing. Three fourths of the dealers in the pan handle are members and all panhandle towns are represented.

Every western jobbing house was represented besides travelling men from all over Texas and some from the north attended the banquet at the hotel Monday night.

The Plainview people gave auto rides over the country and to a great many places of interest and showed their guests a continuous round of courtesies.

Shipping Wheat.

Two cars of wheat were shipped from Wastella this county, over the R. S. & P. Ry today, consigned to Wichita Falls Milling Company.

The wheat was raised by Fred Crump, who lives in the vicinity of Wastella.

CONGRESSMEN WONT STAND HITCHED

Witness Testifies Hines Told Him of Broken Pledges by Southern Democrats.

Special Signal.

Washington, June 27—W. H. Cook, a lumberman of Duluth, testified before the Lorimer investigating committee today that Hines told him that in 1909 he (Hines) was having a hell of a time at Washington.

For instance: said Hines, it is an easy matter to get your man elected, but after the election, he goes down there and begins working for free lumber and thereby upsets all our plans.

The Southern democrats are the worst of the whole bunch said Hines, to flop.

One day we will have them fixed up all right and the next day they would be on the other side.

Joseph Smith a Witness

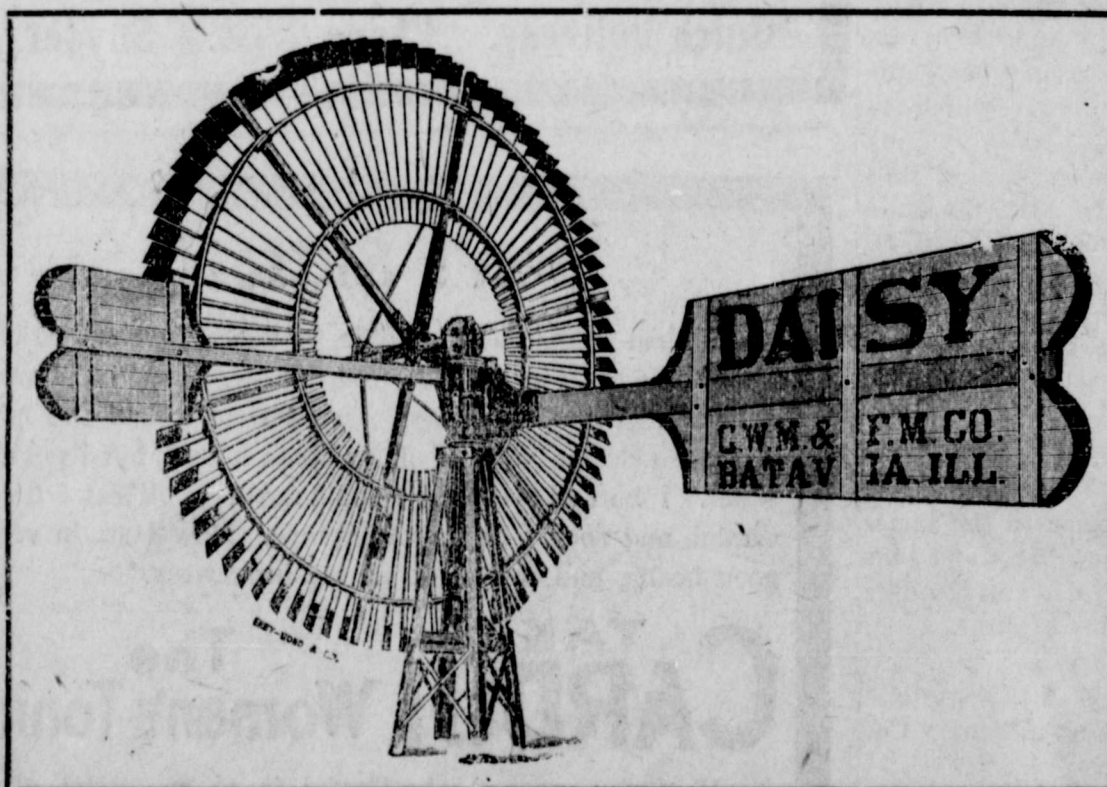
Special Signal.

Washington, June 27—President Joseph F. Smith, of the Mormon church was the principal witness at today's session of the Sugar investigation.

It was expected that he would be questioned to some extent about Mormons as well as sugar.

Fire in East Snyder.

A lamp exploding last night, set fire to the art square at the home of Mrs. Sturdivant, but they proceeded to smother it out at once and but little damage was done.



If You Want A Windmill

That can be depended upon all the time in the summer and winter in the stormy days and in the still calm days. Then the DAISY is the windmill you must want no other windmill like the DAISY or near so reliable.

They have less than one-half the wearing parts of any other mill and of course less to keep repaired and less to get out of fix. THE DAISY runs with much less wind than any other mill. WHY? Because the weight of the DAISY mill is on the pivot step, and not on the tower cap, as is all the other mills. That's the reason exactly—it is not just a happen so.

More Daisy windmills in use in Scurry

County than any other. There is a reason for it.

We want your windmill business, promising you the very best windmill that money can buy. Also we have a big stock of Pipe, and Fitting, brass goods, etc., Prices are right.

McCullough Hardware Company

Motto: "Not How Cheap, But How Good."

FATAL STREET DUEL AT ROTAN

One Dead and Two Wounded in a Shooting Melee on Streets of Rotan Yesterday.

In a difficulty at Rotan about five o'clock yesterday evening between a man named Montgomery and another named Newton, the latter was shot and fatally wounded, dying last night; and two other men named Adams and McCaskell were hit by stray bullets.

The shooting is said to have been the result of an old grudge.

Juveniles Transferred

Special to Signal.
Austin, Texas, June 24—Through an error in directions, Charles Bell, aged 13 years and Fred Swelton, aged 15—sentenced to two years for burglary were sent to the McLennan county penitentiary instead of the training school at Gatesville. Governor Colquitt today ordered their transfer to the reformatory.

Beer Men Investigating

Special to Signal.
Washington, June 24—Beer distillers will investigate the exact meaning of the terms lager and Buck's to determine whether or not any domestic brews of beer, ale or porter are masquerading under the name of foreign products.

Railroad Merger Legal

Special to Signal.
St. Louis, Mo., June 24—The United States Circuit Court in the eighth district rendered an opinion today holding that the merger of the Southern Pacific and the Union Pacific railroads is constitutional and legal.

Judge Hook has filed a dissenting opinion.

Strengthening the Garrison

Special to Signal.
San Antonio, Texas, June 24—The first move to bring up the body of the patrol made in an order to the Third Cavalry to come to Barracks at Fort Sam Houston will bring the strength of the border patrol here up to 13,000 men.

Bancroft Testifies

Special to Signal.
Washington, June 24—In the Lorimer investigation today Edgar A. Bancroft, General Counsel for the International Harvester Company was questioned about the activity in the McCormick family in Illinois politics.

Gen. Evans Ill

Special to Signal.
Atlanta, Ga. June 24—Hope is almost abandoned today of the recovery of Gen. Clement D. Evans, Commander in Chief of the United Confederate Veterans.

First Bale at Galveston

Special to Signal.
Galveston, June 24—The first bale of new cotton coming to this market was received this morning, brought by Dan Kimpue and sold for 25 cents a pound.

WANTED—Hides, Furs, Wool, Chickens, Eggs, Butter. See us before you sell. We pay the highest market price in cash.—Wood Bros., West Bridge Street.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Galt*

DR. CAMERON HERE

Revival Meeting Begins Saturday Night at the Tabernacle

The Methodist revival meeting will begin Saturday night at the Baptist Tabernacle.

Rev. C. S. Cameron of Roby arrived today and will take the lead in the preaching service.

Pastor Hunt and the other preachers will keep up the corners and they insist that the lay-membership rally to the standard and work while it is day.

They invite everybody to help. Dr. Cameron is a strong evangelistic preacher and a devout man.

His singer, Mr. R. H. Wood is with him to lead the choir and he invites all the singers of all the congregations to meet him at every service.

The Rule of Reason.

The fact that a judge in Oklahoma made a slip of the pen and writes too many or too few words in his charge does not turn criminals loose on the public or at least will not as long as Judge Furman and his associates of the appellate court apply the "Rule of Reason" which they have adopted. When the evidence that was heard by the jury shows that the person on trial was guilty of a crime and the jurors convict the prisoner the appellate court affirms even though the judge may have inadvertently written something in his charges not required or left something out thought by lawyers to be essential. The country needs more judges with common sense like the Oklahoma court.—Paris News.

It has been contended that for a court of appeals to pass lightly over clerical errors or other minor slips in a trial court, lowers the dignity of the court and will establish a bad precedent, but the rank and file of the people cannot see it in that light. Where a jury happens to leave out a letter in writing a verdict, it should not set aside their plain findings. The Burrell Oates case recently tried at Waxahachie is enough to disgust people with a useless contention over technical points.

The negro has been repeatedly tried and found guilty of murder, but because the jury by oversight, failed to state the degree of the murder, the negro must be granted another trial and for another period, insult the dignity of the state and heap up expenses on the people, although every man knows that the jury considered that the negro deserved death. The time must come when the rule of reason and common sense must take the place of senseless ethics and foolish technicalities.

A Charming Woman.

is one who is lovely in face, form and mind and temper. But it is hard for a woman to be charming without health. A weak, sickly woman will be nervous and irritable. Constipation and Kidney poisons show in pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. But Electric Bitters always prove a Godsend to women who want health, beauty and liver and kidneys, purify the blood; give strong nerves, bright eyes, pure breath, smooth, velvety skin, lively complexion and perfect health. Try them 50c at All druggists.

The Dallas Times-Herald says: "Cone Johnson is playing to the galleries in his challenge for a debate with Texas Senators, because Congress will not adjourn in time. Is it unprecedented for a Senator to leave Congress and go home to do a little campaign work?"

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The Daily Signal 5c a copy in advance.

Sheriff's Sale

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Alias execution issued by the Clerk of the District court of Nolan county, on the 10th day of May, 1911, in a certain cause wherein the Continental Gin Company, plaintiff, and Leroy Johnson, defendant, in which cause a judgment was rendered on the 11th day of April, 1910, in favor of the said plaintiff, The Continental Gin Company, against the said defendant Leroy Johnson for the sum of eighteen hundred, sixty-one dollars, 46 cents, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per centum per annum from date of judgment together with all costs of suit. I have levied upon and will, on the first Tuesday in July 1911, it being the 4th day of said month, at the court house door in the town of Snyder, Scurry County, Texas within legal hours, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the said Leroy Johnson in and to the following described personal property, levied upon as the property of the said Leroy Johnson, to wit:

The West 1-3 of block number four of the Lundy Park addition to Snyder, Scurry county, Texas, also the west 60 feet of lots numbers one and three in block No. 3 of the Blankenship addition to Snyder, Scurry county, Texas; also lots No. one and three in block No. 12 of the Blankenship addition to Snyder, Scurry county, Texas; said levy being made on all the right, title, interest, claim and demand of whatever kind and character in and to the above described property together with his interest in all improvements on said property at the time of levy. The above sale to be made to satisfy the above described judgment for \$1861.46 in favor of the Continental Gin Company, together with cost of said suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.

J. B. BOLES,

Sheriff, Scurry Co., Texas Snyder, Texas, June 6, 1911.

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

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once a week for three consecutive weeks in some newspaper in Scurry County, if there be one regularly printed therein, if not, then you will duly post for at least twenty days before the return day hereof, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS:

To all persons interested in the welfare of Sidney Grubbs, Homer Grubbs, Carlton Grubbs, Reese Grubbs, Wylie Grubbs and Marvin Grubbs, minors: A. J. Grantham, guardian of the estate of said minors has filed in the County Court of Scurry County, Texas his application for leave to resign said guardianship, and has accompanied the same by an account for final settlement thereof; which application will be heard by our said county court on the first Monday in July, A. D., 1911, the same being the third day of July, A. D. 1911, at which time all persons interested in said minors may appear and contest said account for final settlement if they see proper to do so.

Herein fail not, but of this writ make due return, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Snyder, Texas this 7th day of June, A. D. 1911.

B. A. ENBANK, Clerk County Court of Scurry Co. Texas. By W. T. SKINNER, Deputy.

Gas in the stomach comes from food which is fermented. Get rid of this badly digested food as quickly as possible, if you would avoid a bilious attack; Herbine is the remedy you need. It cleanses and strengthens the stomach, liver and bowels and restores energy and cheerfulness. Price 50 cents. Sold by all druggists.

RHEUMATIC FOLKS

Are You Sure Your Kidneys Are Well

Many rheumatic attacks are due to uric acid in the blood. But the duty of the kidneys is to remove all uric acid from the blood. Its presence there shows the kidneys to be inactive.

Don't delay with "uric acid solvents." You might go on till doomsday with them but until you cure the kidneys you will never get well. Doan's Kidney Pills not only remove the uric acid, but cure the kidneys and then all danger from uric acid is ended.

The following testimony will convince the most skeptical Snyder citizen.

S. P. Dailey, Big Springs, Texas says: "About two years ago

the contents of two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills relieved me of a severe case of kidney complaint. Last winter, when I again began to suffer from backache and a dull soreness across my kidneys I at once procured Doan's Kidney Pills and after using them a short time, the pain in my back disappeared. I have recommended Doan's Kidney Pills to several of my neighbors and shall continue to do so.

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Dr. Cox's Painless Blister. Price 50c guaranteed to blister without pain, or money refunded. For sale by all druggists.

Geo. Bickham Commission Co.

GRAIN, HAY, MILL PRODUCTS

Car Load Lots To Dealers Only

Snyder - - - Texas

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First-class Rigs, Careful Drivers.

Snyder Buss---transfers to any part of the city. 'Phone 164

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BECAUSE we are headquarters for anything in building and Fencing Line. Our prices are right, and in quality we excel. Full line of the Sherwin-Williams Paints.

THE SNYDER LUMBER CO.

Coal and Wood

ALL KINDS AT

Jim Dawson

Near Farmers' Union Gin

Quick Delivery. Phone 272. Snyder.

Don't Suffer!

"I had been troubled, a little, for nearly 7 years," writes Mrs. L. Fincher, in a letter from Peavy, Ala., "but I was not taken down, until March, when I went to bed and had to have a doctor. He did all he could for me, but I got no better. I hurt all over, and I could not rest. At last, I tried Cardui, and soon I began to improve. Now I am in very good health, and able to do all my housework."

TAKE The CARDUI Woman's Tonic

You may wonder why Cardui is so successful, after other remedies have failed. The answer is that Cardui is successful, because it is composed of scientific ingredients, that act curatively on the womanly system. It is a medicine for women, and for women only. It builds, strengthens, and restores weak and ailing women, to health and happiness.

If you suffer like Mrs. Fincher did, take Cardui. It will surely do for you, what it did for her. At all druggists.

Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," mail box. 10

THE NEW STORE

The New Store's prices and the quality of its merchandise means much to the economizing people of Scurry County.

You can always be assured of the high standard of quality in our goods. We pride ourselves on that, but we never lose sight of the fact "that the price is the thing." People who are in the habit of trading with us need no argument to convince them that we are competition proof on standard high grade merchandise, and to people who have not gotten into that money saving habit, we invite your attention to the few items noted below and ask that you come and see the quality of the goods we show you at prices that will convince you, that, for your own good, you should become a patron of ours.

Furnishing Goods.

Men's Balbriggan underwear for	25c
Men's Porus Underwear for	35c
Men's hose, black or tan	8c
Work Shirts, regular 50c grade for	35c
Men's Suspenders	10c
Boys Suspenders	10c

The best line of Dress Shirt ever brought to Snyder.

Staples.

Best grades of calico	5c per yd
Soft finish black, domestic	6c per yd
Standard "C" Canvass 36 in. wide	41-c
Dress and Apron Gingham, 8 1-2, ct. grade	for 5 1-2c
Dress Gingham, regular	10c grade for 8 1-2c
All 12 1-2c Lawn for	10c
Good Table Linen, 70 in. wide	65
Good Bleach Tables Linen, 60 in. wide	50
Good Bleach Tables Linen, 56 in. wide	25

Notions.

The best Clark ONT Spool cotton 6 for	25c
Ball Thread	per ball, 1c
Toilet Soap	3 bars for 10c
Good Machine Oil	per bottle, 5c
Face Powder	5c, 10c and 25c
3 box of tacks	5c
2, 1-2 dozen clothe pins	5c
Shinola Shoe Polish, regular 10c box for	5c
Williams Talcum Powder	25c and 20c
Good Granite Wash Pan	10c
Good half gallon Granite pitcher	25c
\$1 America Alarm clock	75c

And many other useful articles on our variety county at a very low price.

A great opportunity to secure a handsome skirt at a very low price.

Lot No. 816 and 817, Light and Navy, Misses skirts, handsomely tailored, worth \$5.00 at \$3.50
 Lot No. 1055, Ladies Panama, nicely trimmed and tailored, our price \$4.00
 Not 1417 better grade, well worth \$8 at \$5.00
 Not 1118 Black Voil elaborately trimmed worth \$10.00 our price \$7.50
 A better grade, cheap at \$12.50 our price \$9.50
 And a regular \$15 skirt, a beauty at \$9.00

Shoes.

We can save you from 50c to \$1 per pair on the best shoes ever offered you. Endicott-Johnson & Co., only manufacturers, tanning the leather from which their shoes are made.

Children's pumps from \$1 and up.
 Ladies pumps, Oxfords, \$1.50 and up.

Ladies, If you are in need of a skirt at all, don't fail to see our line for we have the quality.

J. H. Sears & Company

West Side of Public Square,

Snyder, Texas.

CELEBRATING

ITALIAN UNITY

Attitude of Vatican Cordial, Although Festivities Commemorate Separation of the Church and State

By Associated Press.

Rome, June 27.—The celebration of the Jubilee of Italian Unity with the exhibitions in Rome and in Turin, has emphasized the strangeness of the situation between Italy and Austria. Emperor Francis Joseph and the Government of the Dual Monarchy, alone of all the rulers and great powers, have sent no representation to the Italian celebrations and it has been only in the most recalcitrant manner that Austria has participated in the International Exhibition of Fine Arts here while she was the only nation which did not take part in the Exhibition of Industries and Labor of Turin.

This is significant when one considers that Vienna and Rome have been allied as members of the triple alliance for nearly thirty years. Nor can it be said that Austria's attitude is inspired by a desire to spare the feelings of the Vatican, as Austria in 1870 was the first country to congratulate Italy over the fall of the Temporal power and the relations between the Austrian Government and the Holy See have been, recently strained. The attitude of Austria is due to the ancient antagonism between the two countries, which is reaching a more acute stage now that the health of Emperor Francis Joseph is failing and the reins of the Dual Mon-

archy are practically in the hands of the Crown Prince, Archduke Francis Ferdinand.

The old Emperor has witnessed during his long reign greater political and family catastrophes than any other living sovereign, with the exception, perhaps, of King Manuel of Portugal. He went to Sadowa to the loss of Lombardy and Venetia from the incurable infirmity of Empress Elizabeth to her murder by an anarchist, besides that yet unexplained tragedy which led to the death of his only son, Archduke Rudolph.

Such a succession of sorrows induced the venerable monarch to be strongly opposed to his country participating in any conflict, and the one which might have been the most probable was avoided through the alliance with Italy and Germany and the great respect that the aged ruler inspired throughout Europe. His successor will not command the same influence as that the disappearance of Francis Joseph may have a capital influence in the foreign policy of Europe, it being doubtful that he will maintain the present attitude of submission to Germany, while his intransigent clericals may revive in Austria the "Loss of Rome" movement, and cause a rupture with Italy which would not please even the Vatican, as Pius X is averse to any event which might revive an acute stage between Church and State in Italy as is proved by his mild attitude in connection with the present celebrations of Italian unity.

The attitude of the Vatican to-

wards the celebration of the Jubilee of Italian Unity has been so far characterized by a most dignified reserve, as, while it cannot approve manifestations which commemorate the fall of Temporal Power, it does not desire that anything should be done which might embitter the relations between Church and State here, which since the Pontificate of the present Pope began have been characterized by a spirit of mutual tolerance which in some cases has even reached cordiality. Therefore, the excessive zeal of certain bishops who being so far from Rome have not an exact grasp of the situation here does not meet altogether with the approval of the Vatican. During this year of Italian Jubilee the Vatican has decided to suppress all kinds of pilgrimages, being inspired by the same idea of preventing conflicts between its adherents and those of opposite opinions and is also most strict in not admitting to private audience with the Pope, people who are connected with the Italian celebrations.

Tradition is a dangerous thing and not easily overcome, especially in the countries of the old world. Two thousand years ago the triumph of the Roman Emperor was not complete unless it included some wild beasts. In the days in Rome, Pagan customs have been adopted to Christian ideas and so the Monarch, while he no more goes in procession with the Kings of the Forest, receives them as gifts—and hands them over to the Zoo-ological Gardens.

In this manner, the new ruler

of Abyssinia, Ligg-Jasu has shown his deference toward the King of Italy by sending two magnificent lions, a buffalo and a zebra. They were first taken to the gardens of the palace, where the lions roared, the buffalo bellowed and the zebra made his own kind of noise. The racket roused the neighborhood, to say nothing of the king and queen and their little ones. It may be stated without fear of contradiction, that the only ones pleased were the children who wept loudly when the beasts were taken to the zoo, Prince Umberto being heard to remark that he did not think that was the way to treat the wishes of a future King!

INTER-COLLEGIATE ROWING CONTEST

Battle Royal Between College Crews for First Honors in Rowing Contest

By Associated Press.

Poughkeepsie, June 27.—One hundred and twelve oarsmen, representing five American Universities and divided into a fourteen crews, will engage tomorrow afternoon in the great annual regatta of the Inter-Collegiate Rowing Association, composed of Columbia, Cornell, Pennsylvania, Syracuse and Wisconsin.

The regatta will be held on the Hudson river on what is known straight deep stretch of water, beginning three miles north of the Poughkeepsie bridge and finish-

ing one mile south of the same structure.

The program comprising three races is as follows:

First Race—

4:00 p. m.—University four oared shells, without coxswains; two miles, beginning one mile north of the bridge and finishing one mile south of the bridge. Trophy—The Kennedy Challenge Trophy Cup, presented in 1899 by Davidson Kennedy, Pennsylvania to be held by the winner for one year. Present holder of the Trophy, Cornell. Course positions—1, Syracuse; 2, Cornell; 3, Pennsylvania; 4, Columbia; Wisconsin has no entry in this race.

Second Race—

4:30 p. m.—Freshmen Eight-oared Shells; two miles, same course as first race. Trophy—The Stewards' Cup, presented in 1900 by a graduate of Columbia to be held by the winner for one year. Cornell.

Course positions—1, Cornell; 2, Columbia; 3, Wisconsin; 4, Syracuse; 5, Pennsylvania.

Third Race—

5:30 p. m.—University Eight-oared Shells, four miles, over full course. Trophy—The Varsity Challenge Cup, presented in 1898 by Dr. Louis L. Seaman, Cornell to be held by the winner for one year. Present holder of the Trophy, Cornell. Course of positions—1, Pennsylvania; 2, Columbia; 3, Syracuse; 4, Cornell; 5, Wisconsin.

The hour set for the principal race 5:30 o'clock, is just fourteen minutes before the ebb tide will be at its strongest.

The Freshman race will start at the beginning of the ebb tide,

and the University four-oared race will be rowed in practically dead water. If the weather is at all rough, the outside crews will feel it the most, the smoother water being on the inside of the course, the numbers of which begin from the west. It is thought that the outside crews will have whatever advantage will result should the weather be calm; but generally speaking the Poughkeepsie course is fair to all contestants, the lanes being set so far out into the stream that there is comparatively little difference between them.

SCURRY COUNTY WHEAT

Divide Land Farmer Realizes Handsomely on His Crop.

Mr. T. W. Crum of Wastella, in addition to the two cars of wheat shipped last evening via R. S. & P. says he will have 5 cars more.

Mr. Crum drilled in 300 acres of wheat and expects to average fifteen bushels to the acre. He used the Mediterranean brand of wheat and says it is the best for this country. He sold the last two cars for 94c a bushel and says he will clear a nice little sum on the money invested.

The experience of Mr. Crum proves that this is a wheat growing country and with proper handling and reasonable seasons, our country is equal to the Panhandle as a wheat growing country.

Seven car loads of wheat sold from one farm is no small affair.

Go to Brice & Burnett's Mill and get fresh home ground meal.

Special Railroad Rates

It is LUBBOCK July 4th!

ASK ABOUT IT--NOW!

The Guarantee Merchant TRADE CENTERS The Guarantee Merchant

Handsome Belt Buckles, 15c.
At the Arcade.

Beautiful Ladies Collars, 10, 15 and 20c.
At the Arcade.

Pretty Collar Pins, 15 and 25c,
At the Arcade.

Veil Pins—the latest, 15 and 25c
At the Arcade.

Coral Jewelry, Barretts, 10, 15 and 25c,
At the Arcade.

Handpainted Hat Pins, 10 and 15c
At the Arcade.

Big line of Towels, 10 15 and 25c,
At the Arcade.

New Belts for Ladies, 15, 25 and 30c
At the Arcade.

New ice cream dishes, set 60 and 90c.
At the Arcade.

New big ice tea glasses, set 60, 75 and 90c
At the Arcade.

New Belts for men, 25, 35 and 50c
At the Arcade.

You save money on Underwear, per suit 75c
At the Arcade.

Money Saved on Every Purchase.

The Home of Bargains.

EAST SIDE SQUARE The Arcade EAST SIDE SQUARE

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

Knapp News Notes

We are needing rain in this part of old Scurry, but the cotton is still doing well, but these hot winds are having bad effect on feed stuff.

Mrs. M. E. Binnion received a telegram last Thursday that her sister, Mrs. Spratling was very low and she left that day for Colorado to take the morning train for Gorman.

H. P. Wellborn and family visited in this neighborhood Saturday and Sunday. They are old timers here and all were glad to have them with us.

I. J. Good came in from Monohans last week. He reports everything dry out there.

Many good wishes for the Signal and its Scurry county readers. —Josiah.

Ennis in Limelight.

Well as the weather has warmed up so that the pop corn has all popped, and several of us boys have donated our coffee money and everything is now going along at a lively gait, I'll try once more to give the news of Ennis.

Crops hold on well, considering the continued drouth.

Health of the community is good at present.

Ennis was well represented at White Bluff last Sunday and everybody reports a nice time.

Hoot Hart has just returned from the plains country and reports everything dry.

Bob Martin of the White Bluff community was borrowing muzzles at Ennis Sunday.

Several families have left Ennis for the northern country on a plum hunting expedition.

All the girls seem to be smiling at the opportunity of getting to ride in Hoot Hart's new style auto, the Dutchesland I.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bentley entertained the young folks of Ennis with a very enjoyable singing Sunday night.

Jim Maben and Will Partin were smiling at the young men in Ennis Sunday night.

Messrs. Com Ezell, Henry and Pete Hart left last week for New Mexico on a pleasure trip.

Will Black had the pleasure of escorting Frank Wilson home from White Bluff Sunday.

Well as news is scarce I'll hush. —Jim.

From K. Lamity.

Signal. There is nothing new or strange

happening on the draw so far as I know, but from the shape of some of our people's faces, I do not think, if they were going to cry that they would shed a single tear. All hands are going dry, but a good rain would make us all smiles. Someone has said that nobody but a fool or a new comer would guess at the weather in this country. I think it is as easy to predict the weather here as it is on the coast of Florida, if you will notice the following signs, to wit: very few showers, not heavy in any parts of the country, high hot winds from all directions, nearly at the same time, crops, grass and vegetation badly wilted and beginning to die, then you can guess it will rain, but it may be four or five years before it does, but it is certain to come. I was talking with our sheep men the other evening at a singing at Whatley and the Commodores who are prosperous stock farmers and they tell me that they think a farmer could make more money in any other country accidentally than he could on purpose.

Our entire feed is now heading still green to the ground and in many places the late feed is in fine and the cotton that has been well handled is nice and still growing a good many squares on the early cotton and some blooms, but I think the blooms are mostly on weeds.

I understand that Pearce Caton has a perfectly safe way of breaking hogs from eating chickens. He will tell anybody.

A lady friend sent me a nice lot of apricots, since I began this and I must say they were good, and she likely will never know what I will do for her in return for them unless it will be to meet her at White Bluff next Sunday and be one of the children.

The Santa Fe passenger makes a trip to Lubbock and return every day.

There is some sickness scattered over the country, whether serious or not, I do not know. Mr. W. H. H. Smith has returned from Snyder, where he has been taking a treatment. I hope he will soon be able to be up at his accustomed place of business. —K. Lamity.

Bell Items

Farmers are getting blue over the drouth. Feed is beginning to fail. Cotton is looking very well.

Mr. C. A. Ramfield and family from Somervell County are visit-

ing their daughter, Mrs. T. A. Drinkard.

Mr. T. M. Snipes and family visited Mr. T. A. Robison and family last Sunday.

M. A. Drinkard and wife visited L. A. Berry and family near Pleasant Hill Tuesday.

Miss Annie Drinkard visited Edith Hopper Sunday.

Mr. Hodge and wife visited Mr. Hopper and family Sunday.

T. A. Drinkard visited at Dunn Sunday.

As news is scarce will close for this time.

Best wishes to Signal and its many readers.

Farmers Girl.

Whatley Ways.

This is growing weather, that is the farmers' faces are growing longer. How we need rain is a common word now.

Anon Riley and family spent the day last Sunday at R. W. Cunningham's.

Mr. Whatley went to Fluvanna last Sunday.

Another ice cream supper last Friday night at Claud McDermots and a good time was reported.

Mrs. L. P. Peterson of Polar is visiting this week at W. P. Peterson's.

Mr. Whatley is having a well put down this week. Stock water we must have.

Cotton chopping is about over for this year. Cotton looks fine yet, but feed needs rain.

Some of our people are going plumb hunting this week. They are afraid to put it off longer as so many are passing by every day.

W. P. Peterson and family spent the day at Dennis Etheridge's last Sunday.

Ernest Peterson was cutting and baling his hay oats last week.

Charlie eVach was at Geo. Hallmark's last Saturday night and Sunday.

Tell Uncle George Hendrix if he doesn't hurry up it will be too late to hunt in this part. Pruit's weeds are gone but Hallmark has lots of them yet.

Selmar Hall mark and his bud George were in Snyder Monday. Selmer was on his way home. He lives in Johnson County.

I guess some of you thought Pete was gone. He thought so to, but the last time he was in town, the Editor talked good so he is back to stay.

Pete

Father Patrick Murphy of Dalhart had an appointment to deliver a prohibition speech at Amarillo, but his bishop made him cut it out.

The high, dry, hot winds that have prevailed for two or three days have been very trying on people's nerves and but for the hope that rain may come the conditions would be discouraging.

DOPELETS

(By Stingaree)

"Man wants but little here below Do that please place your bets, For at the present price of things That's about all he gets."

If you get stung, don't get disheartened, there are others.

Everybody cheer up, it's going to rain—some of these days.

This seems to be an age of Commercialism and distorted vision.

Leading a fast life is some mens interpretation of the pursuit of happiness.

The revised version of the text is do others, as others would do you."

All kinds of people live in Snyder. Some are blind to their faults while others see double—at Mus.

Lions are not confined to the jungles of Africa. Texas has a few, judging from the roars.

Many men are so keen to accomplish great things they overlook the little things upon which greatness rests.

It often transpires that the man who is too stubborn to change opinions, is certainly compelled to change friends.

Lack of judgment is the forerunner of unreasonable prejudice.

Revival Grows

The interest in the meeting grows with every service. The largest week night audience of the meeting was present last night and the greatest week day audience this morning.

There were three conversions last night, making twenty-four professions since the services began.

This morning the feeling ran high and there was some old time shouting. Bro. Woods, the singer is making a great hit and his service for the children each afternoon at four o'clock is well attended.

There were sixty-four women and fifty-seven men in the five o'clock prayer meetings yesterday afternoon.

Bro. Cameron, who has been suffering from a cold and loss of voice will be back at the helm tomorrow. A great meeting seems to be the general expectation.

The debate between Att'y. Payne and M. A. Drinkard, at Plainview, did not take place Saturday night owing to a disagreement on the division of time, so we are informed, but both gentlemen made speeches, presenting his respective side on the prohibition issue.

Cotton Acreage

The June Crop reporter issued by the Federal Department of Agriculture reports 33,418,000 acres of cotton in the United States and of this acreage Texas is credited with 10,350,000. We have approximately one third of the cotton area of the United States and 19 per cent of the world acreage. The cotton conditions in Texas, is reported at 105 per cent as compared with last year and the recent rains in the cotton belt districts of the State have bettered the condition of the plant.

For Sale or Trade.

9 1-2 sections in Ward County, Texas, within four miles of the irrigation district. 71-2 sections of patented land and two sections of \$2.00 school land. Good five room house, barn and other out-buildings. Well 32 feet deep with lots of water, wind mill, water troughs, big surface tanks, corals and other improvements usual to ranches. Garden and orchard, irrigated. 25 acres in farm Cut in three pastures, 17 miles of fence, 3 miles of river front, all good grass land with good farming land on every section. \$2000 incumbrance at 8 per cent on 7 1-2 sections—can be paid now or time can be extended. Price \$5.00 per acre straight, including the \$2.00 per acre due the State. Will trade for good farming land in Scurry or adjoining counties.

C. M. Foster & Co. d&w1t

Shipping Cattle

Two cars of beef cattle are being shipped out this evening by Messrs. Wilhite, Trammell and Rossan from over in the northeast part of the county.

The country has become pretty well convinced that the election of Senator Lorimer was brought about through the activities of Hines and that Lorimer was intended for a tool for the lumber trust. The contention for a prohibitive tariff on lumber was probably managed from the same office.

Roscoe Masons Install

Roscoe Lodge, No. 980, A. F. & A. M. installed their officers on the night of June 27 as follows:

- P. M. Watt, W. M.
- B. P. Hopkins, S. W.
- R. L. Goodwin, J. W.
- J. C. A. Marshall, Chaplain,
- I. M. Dobbins, Treasurer,
- B. H. Baird, Sec.
- R. S. Garland, S. D.
- J. S. Tunstill, J. D.
- H. C. Hale, I. S.
- M. J. White, J. S.
- B. D. Butler, Tiler,
- P. R. Hamilton, Worshipful Master of Sweetwater lodge was the installing officer.

J. G. Lockhart returned this morning from a trip which carried him through a good deal of Oklahoma and Texas and he reports the trees shedding their leaves in many places on account of the dry weather and that early grain crops are a total failure in most of the country he travelled over.

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We would rather sell you large quantity and give you a liberal discount than have all the trouble of handling small orders. Think it over, come in and get prices in quantities—they will astonish you.

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The East Side Grocers
Family washing 6c per pot
all flat work ironed at Snyder Steam Laundry.

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"The Busy Place."

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Our business is that of drugs nothing else. We have the time, the inclination; and the ability to serve you well—in every transaction. We recognize "a satisfied customer" to be our best advertisement. In your next order bring the items for drugs to us. Note our courteous and prompt services, fair prices, and these things will incline you to call frequently at our store.

OWL DRUG STORE,

Phone 221.

F. V. Clark, Druggist

COMPLAINTS FILED BY ITALIANS

Have Caused their Country to Send Redrepresentative to Hearne to Investigate Charges.

It has become known here this morning that Nicolino Callen, Italian Consul had arrived here from Galveston accompanied by T. R. Ellington, confidential agent, and they are investigating charges of persecution recently lodged by thirty Italian families here against Americans. It is stated also that the Italians have filed a number of charges with the government, against American citizens but the nature of the charges has not been given out here. Italians are becoming quite numerous in this section of the state and their relations of citizenship will have to be reconed with.

American Jews in Russia.

Special to Signal: St. Petersburg, June 29—Representatives of the Russian Government are considering the attitude of the government toward the American Jews who desire to trade at the fairs at Tyomen and orders sent today to Tyomen authorizing the officers to not exclude any Jews from the fair, pending decision of the Central Government.

Editor Signal.

My dear sir: If your most gracious kindness will permit space through the columns of your valued paper, I would beg to say, that I have had a case on trial for the last twenty five years and have just received a verdict in favor of the plaintiff. The evidence is voluminous and the record consists of many volumes, now ready for brief and oral argument in favor of state-wide prohibition, home and good government. It has been a hard fought case; hundreds of dollars lost in the fight, but it took it to win and I cheerfully gave it, for evidence true, so when on final trial I could win and be master of the situation.

Yours truly,
F. P. BREWER.

Leaders Wanted Lorimer Special to Signal.

Washington, June 29—While Edward Hines was on the witness stand in the Lorimer investigation, Mr. Penrose asked him of he knew anything about the Gubernatorial Situation in Illinois, and Hines said that Aldrich was very anxious to have a republican Senator elected on account of the tariff measure coming up and asked Hines to impress that fact on Lorimer's mind. He said that after talking with Aldrich in Washington he telephoned Lorimer that the administration wanted him elected.

Lumber King Hines on the Stand Special to Signal.

Washington, June 29—Edw. Hines, the millionaire lumber king of Chicago took the witness stand today in the Lorimer case. It is expected that he is the last important witness here as the committee will adjourn today to meet in Chicago, after July 4th. Hines told the Committee about his business career and of his rise from office boy at \$10 a week to his present exalted position at the head of the lumber business of the north. His wife has been a constant attendant at the hearing and listened to his testimony with much interest.

Because Senator Luke Lea, of Tennessee gave a quart of his own blood to his wife to save her life, some have already intimated that he did so to help his reelection. Is it a fact that a man cannot do a patriotic duty to his nation or a sacred duty to his family, but that some one is ready to say that he does so through sinister motives.—Ex.

A fellow in Navarro county was so badly damaged in his feelings because a telephone failed to forward to him that his mother had died, that he took advantage of the mistake and got a \$500 judgment against the Company, but the Court of Appeals reversed the case.

Dr. E. J. King went to Fluvanna today.

Mrs. W. D. Sims and daughter came in today from Amarillo.

Mrs. J. W. Malone of Decatur arrived today to visit relatives.

Born, in Snyder, to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Adams, June 29, a boy.

J. Ezell of Alvarado came in today on a visit to his son, J. C. Ezell.

L. W. Mings of Upshur County passed through Snyder today enroute to Fluvanna.

Mrs. L. H. Perriman of Dermot left today for Coleman County on a visit.

Don't forget to go to the Tabernacle tonight. There is much depending on you.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Williams at Ira, June 29, twins, a boy and a girl.

Mrs. B. H. Freeland and little daughter Bera, arrived home yesterday from Amarillo.

Mrs. Noble Hedges returned to her home this morning after several days visit in the east.

Mrs. White returned this morning from Frisco, Texas where she has been visiting relatives for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Denson returned today from a visit of several days in their old home at Pittsburg, Texas.

Mrs. J. C. Renfro of Wynnewood, klahoma came in today to visit Mrs. Z. Taylor, twelve miles Southwest of Snyder.

Misses Cora Lindsey and Scott Graham are here from Houston, for a summer visit with Mr. W. H. H. Lindsey and family.

The Daily Signal is for sale at 5 cents a copy to those who are not regular subscribers and not for free distribution as some seem to think.

Mr. E. B. Barnes of the Signal left the city this morning for Slaton. He will be absent for several days on business pertaining to the Slaton Journal.

It was John Wahnamaker, who said: "Advertise your business or the Sheriff will advertise you." Time has proven the truthfulness of this assertion.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dane passed through today enroute to their home at Fluvanna, coming from Fort Worth, where Mrs. Dane has been sick for eight weeks.

Mr. Jack Smith who has been sick for some time was very low yesterday. Lon Smith and family came in from the ranch yesterday and spent the day with him.

Mrs. J. A. Miller, formerly of Snyder but lately of the Double U. Ranch left for her home near Post City this morning, after several days visit in the city, with friends.

R. M. Thompson and family are here this week from Wildorado, visiting the home folks. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Thompson. Mr. Thompson is depot agent at his town for the Rock Island. They formerly lived in Snyder and have a great many friends.

Mrs. J. M. Blair and children of Maypearl, Ellis county arrived here today to visit her father, Mr. M. Mercer and family. This is the first time she has been here for twenty years and the first time, she and her father have met in eight years.

To the People of Scurry County.

We, the undersigned having learned that a statement was used in the last preceding campaign the effect that we were supporting H. M. Boyd for the office of county judge in order that we might purchase the school land owned by Scurry county, and feeling that an injustice has been done, both Mr. Boyd and us, desire to submit to the public our affidavits as follows:
The State of Texas:
County of Scurry.

I, F. J. Grayum being duly sworn do solemnly state upon my oath that I never at any time, either directly or indirectly, stated, intimated or hinted to H. M. Boyd during his candidacy for county judge or at any time prior thereto that I wanted his influence and assistance or either to enable me or any one else to buy or to get a contract for sale of the Scurry County School land. And further, that said H. M. Boyd, did not at any time, state, intimate, or hint to me, either directly or indirectly that he would exercise his influence or render his assistance to enable me or any one else to buy or get a contract for the sale of said school land, in case he should be elected county judge.

F. J. GRAYUM

Sworn to and subscribed before me by F. J. Grayum, this 29th. day of June, A. D., 1911.

A. C. WILMETH.

Notary Public in and for Scurry County, Texas. (Seal)
The State of Texas:
County of Scurry.

I, W. H. Morrow, being duly sworn, do solemnly state upon my oath, that I never at any time either directly or indirectly, stated, intimated or hinted to H. M. Boyd during his candidacy for county judge or at any time prior thereto that I wanted his influence and assistance or either to enable me or any one else to buy or to get a contract for the sale of the Scurry County School land. And further that said H. M. Boyd did not at any time state, intimate or hint to me, either directly or indirectly, that he would exercise his influence or render his assistance to enable me to buy or any one else to buy or to get a contract for the sale of said school land, in case he should be elected county judge.

W. H. MORROW,

Sworn to and subscribed before me by W. H. Morrow, this the 29, day of June, A. D. 1911.

A. C. WILMETH

Notary Public in and for Scurry County, Texas. (Seal)
The State of Texas,
County of Scurry.

I, H. M. Boyd, being duly sworn, do solemnly state upon my oath that the question of whether or not I would favor the sale of the Scurry County school land if elected county judge, was never discussed to any extent whatever, either directly or indirectly, between me and any person during my candidacy for county judge, or at any time prior thereto.

H. M. BOYD

Sworn to and subscribed before me by H. M. Boyd, this 29th. day of June A. D., 1911.

A. C. WILMETH

Notary Public in and for Scurry County, Texas. (Seal)

Lost in Snyder.

A bunch of office keys. Finder return to this office and receive recompense.

Bones! Bones!! Bones!!!
A good price paid for all kinds of Bones, at the old Pruett Yard North of Square. 1mo

Guy McGlaun

News dispatches are headed like this "Lumber Probe Shows Conspiracy." People who have had to buy lumber have been convinced for a long time that the lumber supply was in one of the biggest trusts of the age.

SAD NEWS FOR THE FISHERMEN

Must Obtain Permit to Catch Lake Fish--New Trolley Car Co., Files Charter.

Special to Signal.

Austin, June 29.—Fishermen in Texas were dealt a solar plexus blow today when it was held by the department of Justice that under the new law passed by the 32nd Legislature, no person will be allowed to catch fish in any lake in Texas without first having absolutely obtained permission from the Fish and Oyster Commissioner.

With a capital stock of \$1,500,000 to start with, the corporation known as the Fort Worth Southern Traction Company filed its charter here today and will build a line of interurban railroad from here to Cleburne.

Big Financiers Indicted Special to Signal.

New York, June 29—What promises to be the most sensational and far reaching anti-trust action the Federal Government has ever undertaken has probably taken definite form today in indictments by the grand jury which has been investigating the conduct of certain officials of United States Steel corporation. The criminal indictments are said to involve men high up in the business world.

Train Robbers Arrested Special to Signal.

Texarkana, Texas, June 29.—J. L. Lee and B. G. Harris and two women were arrested today in connection with the recent Illinois Central train robbery near Memphis.

The men will be taken to Tennessee to answer charges. The women have been released.

Wireless Station at Santone Special to Signal.

San Antonio, June 29—Work was begun here today in construction of a 300 foot Wireless Telegraph tower for service in the city and at Fort Sam Houston.

Arrested on Old Charge. Special to Signal.

Greenville, Texas, June 29—Daniel W. Byers was arrested here today and taken to Bonham to answer an alleged charge of having killed Captain Harris and his son at that place in 1865.

Byers is highly respected in this section, having resided just north of Greenville for three years. He formerly resided in South Texas. He is 79 years old. His friends here are ready to furnish whatever amount of bond may be required.

Roosevelt On His Mind Special to Signal.

Washington, June 29—Geo. Hearles, an aged witness before the sugar investigation today persisted in relating anecdotes about Roosevelt. This seemed to be a part of his natural bent.

Judge W. S. Payne and Col. M. A. Drinkard discussed their respective sides of the prohibition question at Crenshaw Saturday night. No extended report has been furnished for the press, but it is learned that Judge Payne made a good showing for the pro side and that Col. Drinkard made a creditable argument for the personal liberty feature of his side of the question, but did not attempt to defend the open saloon. The evils of the saloon furnished Mr. Payne abundant grounds upon which to indict the liquor business.

Conductor Johnson of the R. S. & P. is on the sick list this week at his home at Roscoe and our friend Pete Hurley is doing the Conductor act, and he performs like an old hand at the bell cord. Ed Tipton is the chief brakeman on the train for the time being.

When a proud man reaches the end of his own strength and is willing to depend on the God of the Universe he may then hope for blessings.

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The best of goods—for the complete furnishing of your home—reasonably priced.

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Furniture and Undertakers.

Yager-Adams

At the pretty home of Mrs. A. D. Rice of Kansas City, Mo., just after the sun had gone to rest, Miss Genevieve Aridna Adams of Eaton Rapids, Michigan and Mr. Oliver S. Yager of Cisco, Texas, were quietly united in holy wedlock. After a pretty supper given by the bride's grandmother, they departed over the Santa Fe to Cisco, Texas, where a pretty little home, nicely furnished awaits them.

The bride is one of Eaton Rapids most popular young ladies and the groom is general manager of the Star Electric Company of Cisco, Texas.—Kansas City Star.

Mr. Yager is well and favorably known in Snyder and his friends here congratulate him on his good fortune and wish the happy young couple a long life of happiness and prosperity.

Justice Lowe held his court today in the County Court room, and every available seat was occupied and standing and kneeling room was in great demand. The defendant was being tried on a charge of vagrancy and the star witness for the prosecution was a woman.

W. J. Thompson of Dallas tried to force his wife to take Carbolic acid and upon her refusal poured some of the drug on her face, injuring her seriously, then he drank the poison himself and died.

The windmills have about all they can do to supply water to the people, although there is endless quantities of it in our wells.

John Gill is building a nice six room residence in West Snyder for Professor Hazel.

Very Much Alike.

Human nature is very much the same now that was in the days when Jesus Christ was on earth in the flesh. When he called upon the guiltless accusers of the fallen woman to cast the first stone at her, every fellow in the bunch proceeded to skiddoo.

When he sent the evil spirit into the bunch of swine and the hogs ran headlong into the sea and were drowned, the owners were so distressed over their property loss that they besought the Lord to leave the community and when he went about doing all manner of good, preaching the doctrines of peace and good will, his teachings came in conflict with the established doctrines of the religious leaders and they were so much offended that they eagerly sought to bring about his condemnation and death.

In these enlightened days many a man will rail out against some poor sinner, when they themselves are steeped in guilt. When the application of the rules of righteousness comes in conflict with the commercial interests of man, there are those who would rather keep their hogs to sell to the butcher even though suffering lepers are left in their torments and distress.

When man through studying the duties of mankind to each other and to God, is led to espouse an idea contrary to the established theories of the synagogue he is branded as a heretic or a sinner and they refuse to hear him, or to tolerate him in their midst.

No man should be so bound up by party ties as to feel bound to subscribe to a false doctrine merely because it is a party doctrine. A wrong is just as inexcusable in a democrat as in a republican.

EFFICIENCY OF THE U. S. NAVY

The Country's Growing Interest in its New Navy by Lieutenant Tardy.

Special to Signal.

New York, June 28—From that day at Santiago when the American fleet destroyed the battleships of Spain, the nation has taken a growing interest in its navy. "At the close of the Spanish war writes Lieutenant Commander, Walter B. Tardy, U. S. N., in the current issue of the Engineering magazine, "The press and the people were satisfied with their navy. It has been successful and thus efficiency has been taken for granted. But when the stock was eventually taken the small percentage of hits made, became known and naval officers realized that something must be done to justify the public confidence."

The result of that realization is what Lieut. Tardy embodies in his paper on scientific management an efficiency in the United States navy.

"It is not uncommon to human experience" he observes, "for different experimenters working at similar problems independently and without any knowledge of one another's efforts to arrive independently and simultaneously at the same discoveries."

Something like this has happened in the case of the Navy and civil establishments for only since the technical and popular press took up the general discussion of scientific management have begun to realize that their management was of the kind now so strenuously advocated for industrial pursuits of all sorts."

This efficiency may be divided into three parts—efficiency of the gun crew; efficiency of the fighting unit, or the ship, and the efficiency of the fighting division or the fleet. For it is with fighting efficiency that a fighting machine such as a navy is intended to be first concerned. But the effort for efficiency has not been bound by fighting drill. Important economies have been won in engine practice; the aim has been to make engineering count equally with gunnery in determining the final ship efficiency. Celerity in coaling and economy in the stock hold and engine room, when translated into action mean that a given ship run to the full of her capacity, is able to steam just so much farther, to attain just so much more wider a cruising radius, to clear from port in a hurry just so much quicker, to show just so much more speed in a desperate pinch, than the same ship of her sister when slackly officered.

Counting engineering equally with gunnery in determining the final performance of any ship—since to work her guns on the enemy her engines must first carry her into and keep her in range—the Navy set itself this standard as embodied in the rules of Battle Practice, 1911 and quoted by Lieut. Tardy: "The measure of the battle efficiency of any vessel is her ability to deliver the greatest number of hits in the shortest possible time after the enemy is sighted and with the least expenditure of coal."

In this direction let us see what has been done. "The Texas" Lt. Tardy writes, "was one of the American ships in the battle of Santiago. Less than three per cent of all the shells fired in this battle by the American fleet hit the enemy. There is no record that a single twelve inch or a thirteen inch shell took effect. The ranges were less than three thousand yards. Recently the New Hampshire used the old Texas as a target. She fired at ranges of from 10,000 to 11,500 yards and landed whole salvos on the Texas whenever she wished.

"Recently the Michigan an all big gun ship, made 22 twelve inch

hits at ranges of ten thousand yards, while steaming at fifteen knots, the target being only 60 feet long by 30 feet high. She fired forty eight twelve inch shells and her percentage of hits was about forty five. The rate of firing was about two shots per minute per gun. This in a moderately rough sea, while the sea was smooth at the Battle of Santiago."

These and other similar results frequently induced the Secretary of the Navy to say in an address delivered before the New York Economic Club:

"Scientific management experts who saw the recent battle practice, tell me that the battle-ship is the finest exhibition of scientific management they have ever seen."

Lieutenant Tardy tells how this efficiency was developed.

"Every officer in charge of any part of a ship's battery" he writes, "was required to improve the equipment and develop the best method of training within his capacity. After each had formulated and tried out tentatively a drill, they came together, each accepting whatever was best in the other's drill. The interchange of ideas was not restricted to one ship, but after each ship had developed her method of drill an dtraining, the officers of all the ships, by frequent conferences and by studying methods of practice throughout the fleet crystallized all that was good into the first, experimental approximate drill regulations and instructions for our new ship. All guns and ships were put on a competitive basis. The result to be achieved was definitely stated: "The hits per gun per minute."

"Now with this approximate standardized drill, it became necessary for the standard officers to train their gun crews individually and collectively. Each man was studied both a sto his mental

and physical. The man gave promise of being able to do well the thing for which he was selected, a course of thorough detailed instructions and drill was given him with accuracy and confidence, there began a process of systematically increasing speed.

Each motion was timed by the stop watch, records of time was kept and the man began to feel like a sprinter.

"When all turret and gun crews have been thoroughly trained, each man as a unit an deach crew as a team, so that each human element has in reality become a perfect fitting cog in a gear train, the ship is ready for elementary target practice. Prizes, both for the individual ship and for the Navy are offered for the best gun of each calibre. If the score made by a gun is exceptionally high, every man on the crew is furnished with a letter E by the Department to be worn on his sleeve for the year. This E. corresponds in the Navy to the letter H or the Y worn by the Harvard or Yale Crew or football team.

"Having trained the individual developed the individual gun crew, perfected the mechanism, and learned from the results of elementary practice what results to expect under favorable conditions from individual firing, it became necessary to train for battle efficiency. To this end both turret guns were fired at the same instant; then methods of control were perfected and all guns of the battle range on the ship were fired in salvo or at once. This perfected the use of a ship as a unit. The final step was to control a division so that all the guns of four ships could be used as a unit."

I have a small amount of money to lend on unincumbered real estate. d3t-w1t

ARTHUR YONGE

AGED LADY HURT

Grandma Alexander Falls on Rail Road and Sustains Painful Injuries.

Mrs. Dr. Alexander was walking on the R. S. & P. tracks this morning south of the passenger station and in some way missed her footing at a high embankment near a culvert and fell.

Her head was severely cut and bruised, though no bones were broken.

Parties who saw her fall ran to her and found her unable to get up. She was picked up and taken in an auto to Coates-Coleman's store, where her injuries were dressed and she is getting along very nicely. She is seventy-four years old and it is deemed fortunate that her injuries were not worse.

Jolly Party Ended

The house party came to a close on the O. B. ranch owned by Mr. C. C. Connell west of Fluvanna by the guests returning to their homes in Fort Worth today.

Among the participants in this jolly event were:

- Miss Pauline Gladney,
- Miss Ninette Sansom,
- Miss Girly McCarthy,
- Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Connell,
- Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wallace,
- Mr. Earl Vernon.

Farmers' Union Cotton School

The Farmers' Union Cotton School will open at Fort Worth July 3. Cotton grading, warehousing and the handling of cotton will be taught. The school will run six weeks. You do not have to be a member of the Union to attend the school address C. Smith, Burshong Bldg., Ft. Worth for terms. d&w

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Sale of Scurry County School Lands.

In the Daily Signal of June 22 appeared an article under the heading of "The Sale of Scurry County School Lands" which in many respects was misleading and which I feel justified in commenting upon for the fact that the sale of the land was a matter that should interest every citizen in Scurry county.

This article said that the land sold for \$6.77 per acre, which, according to the minutes of the Commissioners' Court is error and as a matter of fact, said land brought a little less than \$6.55 per acre.

I base this price per acre upon the following statement shown in the records of the Commissioners' Court:

There was 17712 acres of School land belonging to Scurry county, which brought \$116,000.00.

I feel justified further more in setting out some facts concerning the action of the Commissioner's Court of Scurry County, in handling said transaction.

Some time during the latter part of Judge C. R. Buchanan's administration, a party went before the Commissioners' Court of which Commissioner's Stinson and Lowe were then members, and made the court a proposition to sell their School land at \$10 per acre, he to have what he could make on same, over and above the amount, and to sell same within two years from date and further agreed to give said Commissioners Court a bond that in case he did not sell the entire amount of the Scurry County School land within two years, specified at the price of \$10 per acre that he would take the land himself at that price and the notes for which said land was to be sold was to bear 5 per cent interest per annum and said court

did not see fit to accept said proposition, but in less than two years time from that date under the present administration, our Commissioners' Court did, at private sale, sell said land at \$6.55 per acre with the same rate of interest that he was to give, and under a contract that I do not consider any better than the contract he offered.

On Thursday, June 22, a party learning that the Commissioners' Court of Scurry County had decided to sell the Scurry County School Land and also learning that the offer that they were accepting was some \$6.66 per acre, and he, desiring to purchase said land and furthermore desiring to make the land bring as much as possible, went before said Commissioners' Court and made them an offer of \$7.00 per acre, and Mr. Brock, one of the Commissioners' made a motion to reject the bid that was then before the court, which was the bid that was later accepted and Judge Fritz R. Smith ruled his motion out of order and in the face of this \$7.00 per acre offer, accepted \$6.55 per acre which makes a difference of \$7,984.00, being that much more than said party offered than the amount that was offered by the parties to whom the Commissioners Court made the sale.

At this time there could have been no other transaction had between the Commissioners Court and the parties who purchased the land than an oral agreement, and all thinking men know that an oral agreement to sell real estate could not be enforced and after the making of this \$7.00 per acre offer by said party the said commissioners Court with Commissioners Brock and Letcher dissenting, signed a contract, wherein they were to sell to the Snyder parties

for \$116,000, 17712 acres of land being the entire amount of school land belonging to Scurry County, and in that contract, the parties purchasing the land, do not pay one cent until February 12, 1912, and then only the interest and has forty years to pay said \$116,000, said interest to be 5 per cent and payable annually in advance with the further provision that said purchasers of said land are to have the right to transfer to Scurry County, any paper that they make, take in the sale of said land, said paper to contain a lien on said land and Scurry County is to release the present purchasers from all further liabilities on said land and take other vendees solely for their indebtedness.

This of course means that the purchasers of said land on June the 22nd, became but little more than agents to sell said lands with all above \$6.55 per acre for their commission, and it further means that Scurry county may become involved in almost endless litigation as said parties may sell said land to settlers in small quantities and at any time said settlers fail to make their payments to the County, the county will have to bring suit to foreclose said lien on said land and thereby pay out court cost and attorney's fees in each separate instance and will have no better security in the wind up than they now have in the land.

Some time ago our Commissioners' Court refused to build a \$16,000 jail, without submitting it to the vote of the people and saw fit to go to Lubbock and examine the jail at Lubbock before they would let a contract to build a \$16,000 jail, yet they have seen fit to sell 17,712 acres of land belonging to our Scurry County School Fund, without officially examining said land and I am told that only one of said commissioners was ever on said land and that was several years ago and to sell said land at the sum of \$6.55 per acre without Commissioners Court of this County making any kind of an investigation.

It has been the custom of the commissioners' court of this county and even this court to sell any thing of any value that they had to the highest bidder and it is required by the statute in sale of real estate, except in every instance that the school land that the same shall be sold to highest bidder, while however, the acts of the 1879 gives the Commissioners' Court the right to sell School land in any way they see fit and the Commissioners in this instance saw fit to sell said land at a private sale at a call term of the Commissioners Court.

I know of other parties who have signified to me a desire to bid on our school land and each have told me since yesterday's sale that they would have paid more than was offered and in above mention bid to Commissioners, said party agreed that if they would stop the proceedings then that he would be willing to submit the sale of the land to the public and guaranteed that he would make the land bring \$7.00 per acre and to give them the right to accept any bids with him reserving the right to raise his own bid if he saw fit.

I do not wish to make any insinuations upon any party in this transaction, but I do want the public to know exactly what was done in this case and I have tried herein to give the facts as nearly as I know them and I now leave the public to judge for themselves whether or not our County Commissioners and our County Judge have acted for the best interest of our boys and girls in handling our public school fund.

I wish to state further that I was and am now in favor of selling our school land in order that we might get the benefit of the interest on same but it should have been advertised and sold at highest bidder under same rules as the State free school lands and there-

by have given a fair chance at same and given our children the benefit of the result.

Respectfully submitted A Citizen and Tax Payer

Seeks to Cancel Sale

State of Texas, County of Scurry, In view of the fact that it has come to our knowledge that the county commissioners and county Judge of this county have entered into a contract of sale, disposing of the School land belonging to the Children of our county at a fraction of its value.

And we the undersigned believe such a contract of sale was made without due notice thereof, having been given to probable purchasers and that a fair and adequate price was not received because of this fact.

And it having further been made known that before said contract was closed, a better offer was received by said court and by them refused to be considered.

Wherefore, we believe that the Court and Judge acted without due notice to probable purchasers, and with undue haste in making the said contract and we further believe that the entering into said contract under the circumstances that have come to our knowledge was a violation of the trust enjoined by law upon the Commissioners' Court and the County Judge.

Therefore we ask in the name of the School children now and hereafter to be in Scurry County that a Mass meeting be held and we hereby call same to consist of all persons who are interested in the future well being of our children to meet in the district court court room in Snyder, Texas at 3 o'clock p. m. Saturday, July 1, 1911 there to take such action as shall be deemed best to declare such sale void and secure its cancellation.

- T. J. Faught, Robt. H. Curnutte, W. H. Mitchell, T. J. Broxson, J. R. Huckabee, J. Monroe, G. B. Clark, A. C. Leslie, E. B. Barnes, J. R. Manry, H. P. Wellborn, H. V. Williams, W. T. Thompson, I. H. Henderson, J. C. Wilsford, T. L. McMillan, John Stewart, W. E. Baird, J. A. Harlan, F. B. Massey, J. R. Darwin, W. H. Whitescarver, M. A. Grimes, T. C. Davis, W. W. Davis, L. B. Davis, Thos. E. Jenkins, O. M. Rhea, C. R. Fellmy, J. G. Davis, T. N. Jackson, O. McClinton, J. H. Ketner, R. H. Bynum, D. A. Collier, Elmus Werniger, Jake Evans, M. D. Holland, J. C. Dawson, M. L. Williams, D. G. Robinson, Tom Wolf, W. W. Nelson, D. F. Wilson, M. D. Fuller, H. C. Miller, D. P. Strayhorn, J. Wolf, H. W. Harless, J. S. Hart, W. O. McDaniel, John Spires, R. L. Brockman, Dr. E. J. King, J. B. Cloyes, J. J. Vandergriff, M. B. Stockton, E. S. Carden, S. P. Keith, D. Anderson, Rue Nation,

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- T. J. Teter, T. F. Oliver, E. J. Thompson, G. L. Davis, W. H. Collier, E. Gladson, A. J. Lightfoot, G. W. Vaughan, J. W. Wood, W. W. Paulk, J. M. Hendrix, John Stokely, Walter Wasson, Joe Fields, P. Freytag, C. C. Cowling, C. Nation, R. W. Ramage, G. C. Pruitt,

- R. L. Burdett, Jones Cruickshank, J. T. Caddell,

An experienced teacher says that pupils who have access to newspapers at home, when compared to those who do not, are better readers, better spellers, better grammarians, better punctuators, read more understandingly and obtain knowledge of geography in about half the time required by others. The newspaper is decidedly an important factor in modern times. This will not be disputed by any one who has taken the trouble to investigate this subject.—Big Springs Herald.

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DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT DENTON

Two Volunteer Firemen Crushed Under Falling Wall. A Third Man Seriously Hurt.

Special to Signal.

Denton, Texas, June 23—A destructive fire occurred here early this morning, causing a property loss of \$20,000 and the killing of two firemen, and the serious injury of another.

The fire was discovered at 2.30 a. m. and had already been burning for an hour. The entire south-side of the square was burned.

Joe Turpin, aged thirty years and Robert Busby, aged 17 years were caught under a falling wall and instantly killed.

Another young fireman named Gant was caught by the falling debris and badly hurt.

The fire started in B. B. Rick's blacksmith shop and cleared two and a half blocks before it was brought under control.

F. M. Craddock was the heaviest loser. His loss was ten thousand dollars with three thousand dollars insurance.

Investigating Lynching Bee

Special to Signal.

Cameron, Texas, June 23—A vigorous inquiry behind closed doors, before Judge English is being conducted here today into the circumstances of the lynching of a 13 year old Mexican boy at Thorndale a few days ago.

Four warrants have already been issued for the arrest of parties accused of helping on the job and there are more to come.

A great crowd of Thorndale people are in town today

Hopkins Testifies

Special to Signal.

Washington, June 23—Former Senator Hopkins of Illinois who was defeated by Lorimer was the first witness today in the investigation. He said he knew of no man who could put his finger on the corrupt means in the Lorimer election, but that there were rumors of the use of money on the day that Lorimer was elected.

Girl Sleeps 65 Days.

Vandalia, Ill., June 23—All records of length of sleep have been broken by Miss Hazel Schmidt, the daughter of a Vandalia politician who yesterday awoke from a sixty-five days sleep. She remained awake two hours and a half, conversed with members of the family, asked what month it was and then fell back to sleep.

Buried Under Gold.

Special to Signal.

San Francisco, Cal., June 23—Nine million dollars of gold in sacks toppled over here today on Wadsworth Swallows, a mine employee, completely burying him and injuring him so badly that he will probably die.

Light Rains at Marshal

Special to Signal.

Marshal, Texas, June 23—Rain here this morning laid the dust for the first time in two months. Showers are reported throughout Harrison county.

Probing Police at Marshal.

Special to Signal.

Marshal, Texas, June 23—The police department here is on the grill of investigation by the City Commission on charges which have not yet been made public.

INTERESTING AUSTIN TIN BUDGET

Attorney General Rules on Picture Shows—Pellagra is Spreading in Texas

Special to Signal.

Austin, Texas, June 23—The Attorney General's Department ruled today that moving picture shows, travelling from town to town, with a theatre is not liable for occupation tax, where the manager of the theatre pays the required license.

It is held that a picture show, travelling with a vaudeville incident is subject to the same taxes as is levied on theatres.

The Monthly report on vital statistics shows that 22 deaths occurred in the State of Texas in May from pellagra and that this disease is increasing in this country.

May Use Passes

Star-Telegram:

Will the delegates to the Farmers Union convention, August 1 travel to Ft. Worth on passes?

They may, if the railroads see fit to grant them transportation, for under the provisions of the amendment to the anti pass law of effective June 11, delegates to the Farmers' Union Conventions and to Farmers' Congresses are exempt from the inhibition of the statute.

President Loudermilk has not asked the railroads for passes for the delegates, and will not. Under the law, he would be entitled to free transportation of all his trips over the state while lecturing in his official capacity but he has no idea of applying for a pass. Contrary to popular belief, the Farmers' Union did not participate in the movement which resulted in the passage of the original anti pass law and has never taken part in any movement to reduce passenger fares. President Loudermilk was chairman of the Executive Committee, when the 2 cent fare was being agitated, but refused to be divided from the campaign to secure reduction in freight rates.

If the railroads do not give the delegates free transportation to the convention, the delegates may be assured that they will get at least the regular convention rates of one and one-third fares for the first hundred miles and one and one-fifth fares for the remaining distance.

Ellis County Merchant Robbed.

Special to Signal.

Waxahachie, Texas, June 23—A heavy load of silver coin was part of the loot carried away by robbers, who broke into S. H. Bellew's store about midnight.

The robbers got about \$1400, seventy-five dollars of it in silver. Nothing was left behind for the owner of the store, but his merchandise and not all of that.

French Cabinet Resigns.

Special to Signal.

Paris, June 23—The French Cabinet has decided to resign because they were defeated in the Commande for the army.

Family washing 6c per pound all flat work ironed at Snyder Steam Laundry.

DEADLY REVOLT OF ARABIANS

A Thousand Turkish Soldiers Slain by Arabian Rebels, at Shelgan, North of Red Sea.

Special to Signal.

Hadeidah, June 23—One thousand Turkish soldiers were killed today by Arabian rebels near Shelgan, a town on the Red Sea, north of here.

The rebels surprised the Turks. Ali Pasha, the Turkish Commander is missing and it is believed that he is among the slain.

NEW STEEL COMPANY

Alabama Corporation Means Great Deal to South in Reviving Trade.

Birmingham, Ala. June 23—An announcement was made here today of the receipt of a telegram from New York that Hayden Stone & Co., have contracted with the merger committee to furnish five million dollars to the new steel corporation, the Alabama Consolidated Coal, Iron and Steel Company and that the Blair syndicate had joined the Hayden concern in financing the merger.

The new company means much to the South and the statement is given out that there will be a great revival in the iron and steel business.

Hope for Reciprocity Bill

Special to Signal.

Washington, June 23—Chairman Penrose of the Senate Finance committee said today that the Canadian Reciprocity bill will not fail of passage on account of the new corporation and the new coalition of insurgents and democrats.

Joke Wolters characterizes the Anti-Saloon League of Texas as part of the Ohio political corporation, and now comes the protective Bureau of the National Wholesale Liquor Dealers' Association of Cincinnati and are lining up their influence on the side of the wets. It occurs to us that its about time for Mr. Wolters to get out or shut up.

Mrs. Minnie Anderson Hale of Atlanta, Georgia, graduated in law, then found that the statutes forbid women practicing law.

Patronize the Snyder Ice, Light & Power Company. Phone 105 for ice, buy coupon book and save 10 cents on the 100 pounds.

Planting of June corn is being urged to supply the loss occasioned by an almost total failure of the corn crop in some sections of the state. This advice is given by President Loudermilk of the Farmers' Union.

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EVIDENCE IS STOLEN

Chicago Tribune Charges George E. Glavis With Theft of Books in Washington.

Chicago, June 23—George E. Glavis of Illinois was arrested early today on a warrant, sworn to by the Chicago Tribune, charging him with the theft of books of a firm in Washington, when it is alleged contained evidence of the moral turpitude of a certain United States Senator and other officials of the Government.

People everywhere will deeply sympathize with, and hope for the speedy recovery of the young Tennessee Senator and wife, both of whom are lying sick in a Washington hospital, the Senator suffering from weakness caused by the transfusion of his own blood to his wife, who was slowly dying from loss of blood, following an operation.

John Chapman and M. Reimer charged with burning to death Constable Pace in Dallas seven years ago have been freed by the dismissal of the indictment against them. The murder attracted statewide attention at that time.

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Personal and Local

From Friday's Daily:

Charles Bartlett of Roseoe is in town today.

Mae W. Weaver left this afternoon for Henrietta to visit a sick brother.

J. D. McClanahan has gone for a vacation visit to his home at Blooming Grove.

Mrs. J. C. Morris of Dallas is the guest for a few days of Mrs. J. H. McClinton.

The hot dry weather has served to check the ravages of the army worm in South Texas.

Prof. and Mrs. W. M. Bucklin and Miss Hattie Faught expect to leave Sunday for a visit of two or three months at Ruston, Louisiana.

Mrs. Hearne and little daughter Clayton who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Bickham left Thursday for their home at Shreyesport, Louisiana.

Mr. G. T. Collie of Cisco is visiting for a few days in Snyder and paid the Signal a pleasant call. He is an old time newspaper man having published the Cisco Roundup for a number of years.

From Saturday's Daily:

C. A. White is here from Brown wood.

A. J. McDowell came in today from Slaton.

E. P. Ainsworth is here from Fluvanna today.

W. I. Scrivner is here today en route to Big Springs.

J. C. Castellaw was in today from his farm on route 1.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Pruitt of Dermott were in the city today.

Mr. Fondy Jr. returned today from a business trip in Denton County.

Leroy Johnson came in today over the R. S. & P. from a western tour.

Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Smith of the Pleasant Hill district were in the city today.

The Methodist revival meeting will begin tonight at the Baptist tabernacle.

Frank Monroe left this morning for Lubbock. He will be away for several days.

E. W. Clark came in this morning from Mineral Wells where he has been for his health.

J. A. Stavelly is here from Fluvanna to assist in the installation of Royal Arch Masons officers.

F. J. Grayum and Dr. Morrow came in this morning from Sweet water where they had been on business.

Mrs. J. J. Hunter came in this morning from Coleman, where she has been visiting for several weeks.

Mrs. Bradbury came in this morning from McCaulay. She will visit her sons J. A. and Sam Bradbury.

It is learned that a purse of about \$45 was made up at the Tabernacle last night for the dramatic company.

E. W. Turner went to Dunn today. He said he had been in that good town several times and rain came every time.

John Givens was painfully hurt while operating the planing mill Friday. A six inch leather belt broke and struck him across the left arm near the elbow, bruising the flesh, but not breaking the bones.

E. J. Anderson left this morning for Slaton, Lubbock and other western points. Mr. Anderson will be absent for several days on business.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Roe and baby were here Saturday from Camp Springs. Mr. Roe is a printer and naturally drifts into a print shop.

An auto party from Colorado consisting of Misses Scott and Siskler, Messrs. Jim Sims and C. R. Earnest spent the day with the Misses Brewer. Miss Bessie and Miss Jessie accompanied the party home where they will visit for several days.

From Monday's Daily:

D. W. Butler at Justin died from snakebite.

T. F. Morton of Taylor County is in Snyder today.

Mrs. Frost of Lamesa is visiting Mrs. J. A. Suits.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Antry were here today from Ira.

Mrs. C. D. Anderson of Dallas is the guest of Mrs. Sadler.

Miss Agnes Sadler returned today from visiting in Dallas.

F. I. Townsend left this evening over the R. S. & P. for Ft. Worth.

Born in Snyder, June 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bradberry, a girl.

Mrs. F. B. Massey left Sunday for Mangum, Oklahoma, to visit her sister, who is sick.

Bob Burnham is the King of the Auto Race track. His record is 141.73 miles per hour.

Sheriff Boles went north this morning on the trail of the jail breakers of yesterday.

Rev. U. C. Howard went to Dunn Sunday night and delivered a prohibition address.

Mrs. Myrtle Ledlow of Big Springs arrived here today to visit her father, Mr. W. P. Crockett and family.

Mr. O. P. Thrane, cashier of the the Snyder National Bank is visiting relatives and friends in his old home in Illinois.

Mrs. Lester Stimson left this morning for Tahoka to visit her relatives at that place and will be absent several days.

W. W. Whitehead was here today and stated that he made some wheat and his cotton and feed stuff is doing nicely.

Mr. W. B. Dane and children passed through today enroute to Fort Worth to visit Mrs. Dane, who is in a sanitarium in that city, under treatment.

J. D. Moon was in town today from out near Hermleigh with samples of his plum crop which were excellent. Mr. Moon says his crops are holding up well.

Earl Brown left for his present home at Justiceburg, where he has been employed for the past few months. Mr. Brown spent the day yesterday with his friends in Snyder.

A marriage license was issued from the County Clerk's office Saturday to Mr. E. P. Ainsworth and Miss Carrie Dargitz. The parties reside in the Arch community.

From Tuesday's Daily:

Ed. Kelly left this morning for Post City on business.

B. R. McWhorter is here this week from Lubbock county.

J. E. Eubank and M. E. Rosser left this morning for Dermott on business.

Crosbyton defeated Emma in the County Seat contest in Crosby County.

E. W. Clark left this morning for Post City to visit Sam Wilks who is quite sick.

Bernard Longbotham left this afternoon for Fort Worth to see an eye specialist.

A destructive cyclone passed through Oklahoma near Lawton Saturday evening.

County Judge Fritz R. Smith went to Austin yesterday in the interest of the County Jail bonds.

W. E. Warren, manager of the Pyron hotel was in Snyder today and made the Signal a pleasant call.

Mr. J. A. Malone of Austin, United States Post Office Inspector is here today on official business.

Miss Inez Hendrix came in this morning from Knox City where she has been for several days visiting friends.

A fire occurred Monday in the Fort Worth Stock Yards, entailing a loss of property to the amount of \$100,000.

A party here left a lot of clothing at a convenient place to be gathered up for laundering and when he went back for them they were gone—supposed to have been stolen.

Mr. F. C. Helms of Hud camp to Snyder Monday and was taken violently ill with cramping of the stomach. He was taken to the Scarborough sanitarium and given medical attention and was much better this morning.

The Signal is in receipt of a copy of R. H. Cornelius' Prohibition song book. Copies of the book may be had by writing the author at Midlothian, Texas. We are not a judge of songs nor of music, but the author's name is a sufficient guarantee for the work.

From Wednesday's Daily:

H. P. Wellborn went to Colorado.

Dr. Cates of Abilene is in Snyder today.

W. D. Huffman is here today from Dermott.

J. A. Stavelly was here Tuesday from Fluvanna.

Mrs. W. T. Skinner is visiting this week at Ira.

State Bank Inspector, Davis was in Snyder Tuesday.

Leroy Johnson came in on the R. S. & P. this morning.

Mrs. R. S. Jackson has gone to visit her mother in Dallas.

Lee Grant was in town Tuesday and paid the Signal a pleasant call.

Chloma Williams came in from Sweetwater today to visit the home folks.

Jesse Grimes is at home from Dallas, where he has been studying Pharmacy.

W. M. Plaster of Dallas was here today representing the Oliver Typewriter.

Mrs. L. A. Townsend returned today from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. I. Brown at Temple.

Miss Gladys Brown has returned from a pleasant visit with her friend Miss Hamlett at Maypearl.

Mrs. C. R. Lockhart delightfully entertained the Baptist ladies of Central Circle, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. A. E. Pate, who has been here on a visit to her father, Mr. D. N. Price left Tuesday for her home at Einhouse.

Mr. C. L. McCowan representing Rouse, Hempstone & Co. of Baltimore, Md., is calling on the trade today in Snyder.

Misses Bessie and Jessie Brewer returned home this morning from Colorado where they have been visiting friends for several days.

C. N. Hutto, one mile South of town has thirty acres of Maize that will make 15 bushels per acre. Mr. Hutto will cut the size and plow the stub roots for second crop, which will grow in the suckers with sufficient rainfall.

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North Side Square,

Mr. W. C. Jones passed through our city today, enroute to Fluvanna, having been to Hico to attend the funeral of Miss Hattie cPty. at that place Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. C. A. Dunn of Teague, Texas who has been here a couple of weeks visiting her mother and family, Mrs. J. Longbotham, left this afternoon for her home.

H. M. Boyd, once an employee of the Avalanche, now one of the leading attorneys of Snyder, was a pleasant caller at our office on Tuesday afternoon, having come in on the train that day. He was here looking after business matters.—Lubbock Avalanche.

O. F. Davis of Dallas, representing Parlen and Orendorff Co. of Dallas is the guest of his brothers, John, Tom, Walter and Roy Davis for a day or two.

from a prospecting trip at Corpus Christi and Brownsville. He is favorably impressed with that country. He states that the people at that place are now growing their third crop for this season and he doesn't know how many more they will raise this year. Mr. Curtis was prospecting for a favorable location for the establishment of a telephone exchange.

Mrs. Morgan Entertains

Mrs. J. P. Morgan delightfully entertained quite a number of her neighbors and friends Tuesday night in honor of her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Bolton of College Station, who are here for a visit of a few days.

It was one of those informal occasions which are always enjoyable to neighbors and mutual friends, when time goes swiftly by while conversation and friendly greeting fill the passing hours with delight.

The guests were met in the hall by Mrs. Morgan and her sister and introduced to Mr. and Mrs. Bolton.

A bowl of sparkling fruit punch was kept in convenient touch for each arrival and was eagerly patronized.

Several tables were soon arranged for "42" and the devotees of that enchanting pastime were soon engrossed, while the staid men and matrons gathered in groups to discuss current subjects and the children were tucked loose to room on the lawn.

Mr. Bolton is connected with the faculty of the A. & M. College as electrical engineer for that institution.

He and Mrs. Bolton are excellent people and we are pleased to have them as visitors in our city.

After the pleasures of the evening had progressed for a time, a delicious course of ice cream and bon bons were served.

The event was enjoyed by every one present.

Mrs. J. W. Davenport and who have been visiting relatives in Snyder for the past week turned to their home at Post City this morning.

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An Evening at Crowder

Last Wednesday evening myself and family in company with Rev. W. E. Caperton, J. C. Delgado, Mrs. Dr. Bannister and Miss Caperton went out to Crowder school house to hear J. C. Delgado talk on mission work in Mexico.

To say we were pleased with the talk would not be sufficient. The talk made was interesting in every respect and we feel that it made a good impression on the minds of the people in that community.

Bro. Caperton also made an interesting talk, which always is the case when he takes the floor.

We want to say in conclusion that it will do you good to hear this talk and will give an insight to how little we are doing to give our door neighbor the gospel.

We are glad to have had this and believe the community appreciated it.

G. H. GATTIS.

SALE OF SCURRY COUNTY SCHOOL LANDS.
(Continued from page 1)

transfer of school land, we will recall that the purchaser of the land assumes the balance on said land due the state of Texas. And the grantor in such conveyances is released from all further liabilities to the State of Texas. Our constitution and statutes have left this matter optional with the commissioners' Courts of the various counties, and Judge Hunter in passing upon this question in the Wise county case, says that this has been wisely done. The Commissioners' Court of our neighboring county, the county of Kent, in its contract for the sale of its school lands inserted a similar provision. Also the commissioners court of Wise county did the same, and no doubt, many other counties of our State.

The "Citizen and Taxpayer" in construing this provision of the contract above referred to, says: "It further means that Scurry County may become involved in almost endless litigation, as said parties may sell said land in small quantities, and at any time settlers fail to make their payments to the county, the county will have to bring suit to foreclose said lien on said land and thereby pay out court cost and attorney's fees in each separate instance and will have no better security in the wind up than they now have in the land."

The writer of said article in construction of that portion of the contract, must have overlooked another provision of the contract which the commissioners' court in their wisdom inserted, that is the provision which stipulates that in the event the county has to bring suit for the recovery of said land or any part thereof, a penalty of ten per cent is to be taxed against the persons against whom the suit is brought to cover the cost of the litigation. In fairness to the court, attention should have been called to this further provision of the contract. Furthermore it may be remarked that unless the county has sold its school land for more than its value, the writer's

fears would have never been realized even if the court had not inserted the 10 per cent penalty clause.

The article referred to criticizes the court for selling said land without officially examining same. We do not know what the writer would call official examination of land, but suffice it to say that it is a well known fact that this school land has been in litigation for some time. One of the commissioners was present at the trial, in which one of the issues was the value of said land. The attorneys acting for Scurry county endeavored to prove the highest valuation possible for this land. We are informed that the values testified to ranged principally from \$5.00 to \$8.00 per acre.

A. S. Lowe one of the Commissioners was present and heard the testimony of Scurry County's witness under oath as to the value of the land, and from witnesses to, who had been selected because of their beliefs as to a high valuation. We, who have not seen the land, and have no knowledge as to its valuation should in all fairness make some investigation before indulging in violent criticism when we condemn the integrity of men and of officials whose honor has not here tofore been questioned.

If there are those who are anxious to acquire this land, and are disappointed because they did not do so, they may have a tendency to be harsh in their criticisms and they may state that the consideration for said land is unconscionable and that they would give a great deal more for it. We are informed that it has been stated that the school children of Scurry County have been deprived of from \$40,000 to \$50,000 by virtue of the sale. If this is true, and those who so believe are honest in their judgment as to the value of the land, we are authorized to say that they may acquire this land at a figure that will cut in two the above mentioned imaginary profit, and that all that would be required in the transaction would be that they, the purchasers, execute good and merchantable paper therefor. And it is highly probable that the land may now be purchased from the present owners at an even more reasonable profit. Those interested may see the purchasers. And surely no fair minded person would expect that these purchasers of this land, would part with it without a reasonable profit.

Your careful investigation and perusal of this article is invited for it contains the facts.
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To the People of Scurry County.
We, the undersigned having learned that a statement was used in the last preceding campaign the effect that we were supporting H. M. Boyd for the office of county judge in order that we might purchase the school land owned by Scurry county, and feeling that an injustice has been done, both Mr. Boyd and us, desire to submit to the public our affidavits as follows:

The State of Texas:
County of Scurry.

I, F. J. Grayum being duly sworn do solemnly state upon my oath that I never at any time, either directly or indirectly, stated, intimated or hinted to H. M. Boyd during his candidacy for county judge or at any time prior thereto that I wanted his influence and assistance or either to enable me or any one else to buy or to get a contract for sale of the Scurry County School land. And further, that said H. M. Boyd, did not at any time, state, intimate, or hint to me, either directly or indirectly that he would exercise his influence or render his assistance to enable me or any one else to buy or get a contract for the sale of said school land, in case he should be elected county judge.

F. J. GRAYUM
Sworn to and subscribed before me by F. J. Grayum, this 29th day of June, A. D., 1911.

A. C. WILMETH,
Notary Public in and for Scurry County, Texas. (Seal)

The State of Texas:
County of Scurry.

I, W. H. Morrow, being duly sworn, do solemnly state upon my oath, that I never at any time either directly or indirectly, stated, intimated or hinted to H. M. Boyd during his candidacy for county judge or at any time prior thereto that I wanted his influence and assistance or either to enable me or any one else to buy or to get a contract for the sale of the Scurry County School land. And further that said H. M. Boyd did not at any time state, intimate or hint to me, either directly or indirectly, that he would exercise his influence or render his assistance to enable me to buy or any one else to by or to get a contract for the sale of said school land, in case he should be elected county judge.

W. H. MORROW,
Sworn to and subscribed before me by W. H. Morrow, this the 29, day of June, A. D. 1911.

A. C. WILMETH
Notary Public in and for Scurry County, Texas. (Seal)

The State of Texas,
County of Scurry.

I, H. M. Boyd, being duly sworn, do solemnly state upon my oath that the question of whether or not I would favor the sale of the Scurry County school land if elected county judge, was never discussed to any extent whatever, either directly or indirectly, between me and any person during my candidacy for county judge, or at any time prior thereto.

H. M. BOYD
Sworn to and subscribed before me by H. M. Boyd, this 29th, day of June A. D., 1911.

A. C. WILMETH
Notary Public in and for Scurry County, Texas. (Seal)

"Oh, dear! I'm nearly dead. I do wish that ironing day would never come again, I can not stand on my feet any longer and I am only half through."

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At the Arcade.

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Public Speaking.

Hon. W. E. Craddock of Terrell anti-State-wide speaker will address the people of Snyder Monday afternoon July 3rd.

Pros and antis are invited to hear him. 62-3t

R. H. Reeves of Fluvanna passed through here enroute home, having recovered from an operation for appendicitis at the Sanitarium at Abilene.

The Signal office carries a good line of fancy stationery—visiting cards, score cards, letter paper envelopes. The ladies of Snyder will find just what they want in that line.

S. M. Kemp was in town today and dropped a dollar into the Signal's cash box.

All Scurry County Telephone accounts have been turned over to me for collection. Please call at my office at an early date and settle.

TILMAN P. PERKINS
Over Snyder National Bank.
d6t-W2t

W. M. Bounds and family returned from Roseco this morning.

Say, I find meat and hulls mixed is the cheapest cow feed on the market for the money. Sold by C. Nation and Son.



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Think of the finished delight given to your morning meal when the syrup used with your cakes is pleasing to your taste—note that deliciousness when you drink well-made coffee with the right kind of sugar in it. Small matters—yes—but it is just those small matters that make life a success or a round of annoyances.

Also nice fresh honey, as fine as you ever ate.

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Public Speaking.

Rev. W. E. Caperton requests announcement that he will speak on Statewide prohibition at Crenshaw Monday night, July 3rd. He has invited M. A. Drinkard to a division of time and hopes for a joint discussion of the question.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received on the second Monday in July which will be the tenth day of July, 1911, to determine who shall be the depository of the City of Snyder, for the ensuing year, to have custody of the funds of said city.

MAC TAYLOR, Mayor
Attest:
C. C. Cowling, Sec'y.

F. C. Trinnie representing the National Underwriters of Dallas is calling on the trade today.

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6. After the Ball, Biograph

News from the bed side of Mr. Jack Smith today is that he is gradually passing away.

FOR SALE—Crop mortgages and other legal blanks at Signal office.

Miss Naomi McClinton returned today from a visit at Commerce and is back at her post in the post office.

See the Signal office for deeds, mortgages, notes and other legal blanks.

Why should people persist in working so much in the hot sun. There is plenty of time to get rich in more tolerable weather.

Carriage and Buggies Painted. One block east of the express office. First class work.—Fisher & Tinker. 8-68

E. H. Brown went to Sweetwater this evening.

Try meal and hulls mixed, \$1.15 sold by C. Nation and Son.

Regular meeting of the Odd-Fellows lodge tonight.

Fish, Fish. Every Tuesday and Friday. "Dad's" Restaurant. In basement of the First State Bank Northwest corner of Sq. d-47-1m

The Signal has heard it hinted that people who have fruit in their orchards are watching their trees to give a positive reception to who ever it is visiting the trees and carrying off the fruit.

Mr. J. W. Neil, special lecturer for the State Agricultural Department visited Snyder today for the purpose of conducting a farmers' Institute.

Delayed Ennis Items

After an absence of some time, will report the happenings of Ennis. The weather is very warm and somewhat dry. But notwithstanding all this crops are still growing and should we get good rains within the next ten days we will make all we can gather.

From the report of the 23rd instant, of Popcorn's one would judge that peace was a thing of the past in our little community, but I must say that for the past 13 years peace has reigned supremely in our midst. To prove our congeniality, there was an ice cream supper last Monday night at Bro. Malcolm Foster's with a hundred present. How is that for community warfare?

And as for the caucusses and called meetings for the purpose of adjusting the crimes that may have been committed in our community, I know of none.

We have a corps of officers in our county always ready and willing to enforce the law to the letter.

Ennis Sunday School accepted an invitation from White Bluff Sunday School to take a part in Children's Day services June 25, 1911. All expressed themselves as having a good time and when dinner was served, the thoughts of a drouth vanished as we beheld a bountiful spread before us.

On last Wednesday morning we noticed the covered wagons coming down the lane and we wonder if some of our good neighbors were leaving the fair west, but not so. We learned later, it was only Jno. Parsons and family and Fred Parsons and family out for a fishing trip.

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He stopped over night at Nuremberg. His actual time for flying was five hours and forty-one minutes for 345 miles. An express train makes the distance in ten hours. The aviator won the prize of \$12,500.

Peaches For Sale

On the A. W. Roberts old place four miles South of Fluvanna on Arah road.

Tom L. Winston.

Officers Elected.

At a regular meeting of Snyder Rebekah Lodge, Thursday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:
Mrs. A. J. Grantham, N. G.
Mrs. Julia Hardy, V. G.
J. B. Johnson, Sec.

Just received another shipment of the celebrated Maitland coal for cooking purposes.

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Most of our good old settlers expect rain within a few days.

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West Side Snyder



ALL MEATS WE HANDLE
come from choice live stock. We have to pay a little more for such meats, but your continued satisfaction is our reward.

WE SHALL BE GLAD TO SEE YOU

in our market any time. But if you cannot come in person, send us word of what you want and we will fill the order just as faithfully as if you were present and watching.

PALACE MEAT MARKET
Ketner Bros., Props.

A Great Opportunity

—To Secure—

A Handsome Skirt At A VERY LOW Price

- Lots No, 816 and 817, Light and Navy Misses Skirts, handsomely tailored, worth \$5 at \$3.50
- Lot No. 1055 Ladiee Panamas, nicely trimmed and tailored, our price - - - \$4.00
- Lot No 1417, better grade well worth \$8 at - \$5.00
- Lot No. 1118, Black Voil Elaborately trimmed, worth \$10, our price - - - \$7.50
- A better grade cheap at \$12.50, our price - \$8.50
- And a regular \$15 Skirt, a beauty, at - \$9.00

If you are in need of a Skirt at all do not fail to see our line for we have the values

J. H. Sears & Co.

The Roscoe, Snyder and Pacific Railway Co.

Time Table

NORTH BOUND			SOUTH BOUND		
Sunday Only	Daily Except Sunday	Miles from Roscoe	Stations	Daily Except Sunday	Sunday Only
NO. 3 PASSENGER	NO. 1 MIXED			NO. 2 MIXED	NO. 4 PASSENGER
8 00 a.m.	7 45 a.m.	0 0	Lv..... ROSCOE	Ar.....	7 00 p.m.
8 20 "	8 10 "	8 0	Lv..... WASTFLA	Lv.....	6 35 "
8 45 "	8 40 "	18 9	Lv..... HERMLEIGH	Lv.....	6 05 "
9 15 "	9 15 "	30 4	Lv..... SNYDER	Lv.....	5 30 "
9 45 "	10 00 "	41 3	Lv..... f DERMOTT f	Lv.....	2 20 "
10 05 "	10 20 "	49 2	Ar..... FLUVANNA	Lv.....	2 00 "
READ DOWN			READ UP		

f Indicates Flag Station and trains will stop only on Signal.

Schedule subject to change without notice.
Connects With T. & P. Trains at Roscoe, Texas.

W. S. JAMES, ASST. GEN. MGR.
ROSCOE, TEXAS.