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W. C. T. U. Program.
Thursday August 22, 4:30 at the
Baptist Tabernacle.
Leader—Mrs. McMullin.
Subject: "Scientific Temperance
Teaching."
Bible reading.
Roll Call—Quotation.
Reading minutes.
A crusade publicity meeting—
Mesdames Hunter, McClinton, Ward
and Hairston.
Song—Bishop Gross, Harris,
Kegada.
Song—Rock of Ages.
Mizpah benediction.

**Many Fairs to Be Held in Texas
This Year.**

Fort Worth, Texas.—One hun-
dred and sixty thousand dollars will
be given away as premiums for
the best exhibits of agricultural
products and live stock at seventy
two state, district and county fairs
which will be held in Texas during
the autumn of 1912 and the early
spring of the next year. A census
taken last year by the Texas Com-
mercial Secretaries and Business
Men's Association showed there
were forty two of these fairs held in
the state in 1911 and the premiums
given away approximated \$117,000.
This amount does not include rae-
ing purses of approximately \$75,
000 in 1911 and \$85,000 in 1912.
Fifty three per cent of the prizes
offered for this year's exhibits are

for the products of the soil and
forty seven per cent are for live
stock. The division of the last years
premiums was fifty-two per cent
for live stock and forty eight per
cent for products of the soil. The
total amount of premiums offered
this year exceed those given away
in 1911 by \$43,000, which is an in-
crease of 37 per cent, while the
number of fairs has increased 39 in
number, or 71 per cent.

**Chicago Packers Interested in Texas
Land Sale.**

Chicago, Ill.—Late reports from
Amarillo, Texas, are interesting to
Chicago's great cattle and beef
trade, as showing a renewed inter-
est in cattle raising, differing from
the stand taken by some writers
that ranges in that state were to be
broken up into small farms for
home seekers. The dispatch reads:
J. M. Shelton of Shamrock, Tex-
as, D. C. and S. L. Trigg of Par-
handle, Texas, closed a deal through
which they acquired from the Cap-
ital Syndicate the famous herd of
XIT black polled cattle, consisting
of 27,000 head. This deal carries
with it a lease on 600,000 acres of
pasture. The cattle and lease ap-
proximate \$1,100,000. This is the
largest deal consummated in Amaril-
lo the past year.

**SENATOR W. J. BRYAN
SERIOUSLY INJURED**

**Abilene Man Falls From Bluff
While Inspecting Ranch—Un-
conscious in Sanitarium**

Abilene, Texas, Aug. 19.—State
Senator W. John Bryan, who fell
from a bluff on his ranch near Han-
lin yesterday, was still in an un-
conscious condition in a local sani-
tarium this morning, but his condi-
tion is reported improved by attend-
ing physicians.

Senator Bryan was traveling over
his ranch when the accident happen-
ed. He was picked up unconscious
and rushed to his home here on a
special train.

Prominent Minister and Citizen Dies

Rev. J. H. Tinker, who has been
in very poor health for the past
several months, died at 1:20 o'clock
Monday morning at his home in
east Snyder, surrounded by his fam-
ily and relatives. Mr. Tinker came
to Snyder in 1903, from Kansas
City, Mo., bought property here and
has since made this his home. He
has been a prominent factor in the
development of our town and coun-
try, and did much good for the
cause of his Master.

Bro. Tinker was a consistent con-
secrated member and preacher of
the Methodist church. He did a
great deal of missionary work in
this and adjoining counties, going
now and then without pay. When-
ever he thought he could advance
the cause of Christ, He took an
active and zealous interest in the
an active and zealous interest in his
church up to the time he was forced
to his bed through physical infirm-
ities.

He will be greatly missed in Snyder
by his children and a host of
personal friends.

The funeral services were held at
the First Christian church Wednes-
day at 10 o'clock. Rev. J. W. Hunt
of the Methodist church conducted
the services.

The pall bearers were young men
from his Sunday school class.
Interment was made in Snyder
Cemetery.

Mr. Tinker leaves a wife and five
children to mourn his death: Mrs.
Geo. W. Brown, Albert, John and
Arthur Tinker of Snyder, and Mrs.
Maud Lawshe of Chicago.

Ira News.

We are still dry down here, but
still in the swim.

Cotton is opening. Ira gin has
ginned three bales, one for Mr.
King, one for George Autry. Come
to the land of plenty.

A. L. Barnett has built a tank
and put down 250 feet of piping,
with which to irrigate his garden.
His motto, raise at home what you
eat so far as possible.

Horace Holley has returned from
Galveston, and T. R. Kelley is still
prospecting in the coast country.

Sheriff Doles, Jim Adams and V.
M. Tyler were in Ira this week rid-
ing a wild auto. Our doughty sher-
iff arrested six watermelons and
left Ira on the run.

Tom DeLoach has returned from
San Antonio. We understand he will
go to work for Henry Newman. He
did not like the San Antonio coun-
try.

John Autry and wife are visit-
ing Jake Autry and family.

Mrs. E. P. DeLoach has returned
from an extended visit on the plains.
It is reported that Uncle Bob
Waldrup has gone to Slaton.

Mr. Ed Taylor and Miss Maude
Knop were married last Sunday.
Good luck to them.

OLD TIMER.

**Missouri Capitalist Invests in Texas
Land.**

St. Louis, Mo.—Hugo Monnig, a
capitalist of Jefferson city, Mo. has
disposed of his interests in a shoe
manufacturing concern in that city
and will devote his future attention
to land recently purchaser in Texas.
It is reported that Mr. Monnig se-
cured a 5,000 acre tract of rich farm
land near Palestine for a consider-
ation of \$100,000 cash. Mr. Monig
expresses great faith in the future
of Texas and states that he will in-
crease his holdings there as soon
as consistent.

**All Commercial Organizations
Merge.**

Houston, Texas.—Leading busi-
ness men are promoting sentiment
in favor of amalgamating all the
business leagues of this city with
the Chamber of Commerce. Repre-
sentatives of the Chamber have con-
ferred with the different clubs and
the movement is meeting with ap-
proval. Some of the business orga-
nizations that will be included in the
merge are: Real Estate Exchange,
Adercraft Club, Bankers, Jobbers and
Manufacturers Association, and the
Chamber of Commerce.

DISHES

Things are always lively in the dish line at our store. We sell more dishes than all the rest of the town put together. We sell so many and consequently buy in such quantities that we are enabled to sell cheaper.

Plain white cups and saucers per set - - 50c
Plain white plates per set - - - 50c
Plain white bowls from 10c each up to - 30c

We have the more expensive plain gold band goods too. Everything in the cooking utensil line can be found at our store. Look over our goods.

THE ARCADE

**JOHN BEALL SNEED
AND WIFE RECONCILED**

**Go to Georgetown Their Childhood
Home to Reside in the
Future.**

Mrs. Lena Sneed and her hus-
band, John Beall Sneed, slayer of
Captain A. G. Boyce have become
reconciled and will return to their
childhood home at Georgetown,
Texas to live according to a dis-
patch received Thursday from
Plano.

There in the little Texas city
where the two played together as
children, and where they became col-
lege sweethearts at Southwestern
University, Sneed and his wife will
take up again the broken threads
of their domestic life. The past for-
gotten, these principals in the most
sensational murder case in the his-
tory of Tarrant county, will live for
the future of their two childr n.

Pioneer Lady Passes Away.

After only a few days of illness,
Mrs. W. A. Jones died at 7 o'clock
Monday evening at her home in east
Snyder.

Mrs. Jones was born in Tennessee
in 1845 and came with her husband
to Snyder, when it was but a very
small place.

She was greatly loved by her
friends, and highly respected by all
who knew her. She was a member of
the Christian church and her life
was one of sweet helpfulness com-
bining a rare strength of character
with child like faith.

Mrs. Jones leaves a husband two
daughters and a son to mourn her
death. Mrs. C. C. Ligon and Mrs.
W. B. Lee of Snyder, and Jack
Jones of Big Springs.

The funeral services were held
at the family residence Wednesday
at 2 o'clock p. m., attended by a
large number of friends. Services
were conducted by Rev. Howard.
Interment in the Snyder Ceme-
tery.

Baptist Ladies Entertain.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid entertain-
ed the ladies of the Baptist church
and the other ladies aids of the
town Monday, August nineteenth on
the lawn at the pastor's home.

The hours were from five to
seven. Promptly at five the guests
began to arrive. They were met and
welcomed by members of the Aid
and conducted to the punch bowl
where they were served to deli-
cious punch by Mrs. Galloway and
Mrs. Denson. They grouped them-
selves in congenial crowds over the
lawn till all arrived then the fol-
lowing program was rendered:

Prayer, Mrs. Bishop.
Song, We'll Work Till Jesus
Comes.

Welcome Address, Mrs. Fred A.
Grayum.
Paper, on Missionary Training
and the training school, Mrs. W. W.
Gross.

Piano Duet, Misses Runa Brown
and Beatrice Sears.
Solo, Mrs. Olin Hardy.
Closing Song, Take Me a Chan-
nel of Blessing.

After the program the ladies
were invited into the dining room
and served delicious ice cream and
cake.

W. S. Payne has moved his law
office from the Faught to the Wade
building.

Commissioners' Court.

The county commissioners wound
up their business affairs for this
term last Friday.

Richard Webb our newly nomi-
nated county attorney was appointed
an assistant to V. M. Tyler.

The court made contract with
Austin Bros. of Dallas to build four
bridges, to replace those swept
away by the flood in June.

One 60 feet bridge across Camp
creek 12 miles east of Snyder, cost
\$625.00. One 40 foot bridge across
Deep creek near Fluvanna, cost
\$448.00

One 50 foot bridge across Deep
creek near Fluvanna, cost \$525.00.
One 70 foot bridge across Bluff
creek seven miles west of Snyder,
cost of \$603.00.

Total cost \$2201. The account to
bear six per cent interest from Oct.
20, 1912. Demand as follows: \$100
when material is delivered, \$1100
due Feb. 15, 1915, and \$1000 due
Feb. 16, 1916.

The place of voting in place No.
6 was changed from Conro to Arab.

**Texas Cotton Seed Values Increase
in 1911.**

Washington, D. C.—According to
a report given out by the United
States Department of Commerce and
Labor there were 1,893,000 tons of
cotton seed produced in Texas in
1911, valued at \$33,410,000. This
is an increase over the preceding
year of 537,000 tons or 39.6 per
cent and \$50,000 in value. Texas pro-
duced 27 per cent of the cotton-
seed of the United States during
1911.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. S. S.
Daugherty, twin girls. Both babes
doing nicely.

Mrs. Jim Lockhart Entertains

Mrs. James Lockhart entertain-
ed a few friends on Saturday after-
noon, August 17th, from four-
thirty until seven thirty, in honor of
her chrystal anniversary.

Mrs. Lockhart received the guests
attired in blue marquezete draped
over pink mesaline slip, assisted by
Miss Nation in blue crepecheat and
Miss Hunter in white shadow
lace over pink mesaline slip.

Mrs. Will Warren attired in
dainty lingerie served at the punch
bowl.

Forty-two was the diversion of
the afternoon. Delicious refresh-
ments were served in due time and
every one insisted that the hostess
do it over agin.

The guests took their leave wish-
ing her many happy returns of the
day.

The presents were numerous and
beautiful. The house was tastefully
decorated in cut flowers and ferns.

The guests were as follows: Mes-
dames W. B. Stanfield, Dr. Leslie,
J. J. Hunter, Leeroy Johnson, W. S.
Johnston, W. D. Simms, M. B.
Moore, C. Nation, Fred Grayum, Rue
Nation, J. P. Morgan, W. S. Payne,
H. G. Towle, Pat Brown, Joe Stray-
horn, Fritz Smith, Will Warren,
Roland Woods, Hugh Boren, D. P.
Lane, J. Monroe, F. V. Clark and
C. L. Ezell, Misses Zada and Veda
Maxwell, Sula Schoggins, Bulce
Cooly, Nina Wolfgin, Ann Hunter,
Mary and Emma Nation, Zada Mon-
roe.

Band Concerts.

Beginning tonight, Friday August
23, the Cowboy band will give open
air concerts every Friday night. The
State Bank has tendered the band
the use of the balcony of their
building for a band stand. This is
a convenient and desirable location,
as those who care to listen to the
music can do so from any part of
the square. These concerts would
have begun sooner but the band
could not secure a suitable place.

Cheaper Flour

Is promised us right away.
Come in and see about it.

NOTHING BETTER than OUR
"Boquet"

A Fresh Car Has Just Arrived

Our prices are right on every-
thing in the grocery line.

Curry & Taylor

South East Corner Square

A New Safety Razor

WITH THE OLD RAZOR STROKE.

Come and see this tonsorial wonder
Put one in your pocket for
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THIS WEEK

Snyder Drug Co.

List of lands, lots, or parts of lots, returned delinquent for the year 1911 and previous years situated in Scurry Co.

Date	Owner	AbNo.	CertNo	Orig	Grantee	Sur no acres	As	Total	Date	Owner	AbNo.	CertNo	Orig	Grantee	Sur no acres	As	Total	Date	Owner	AbNo.	CertNo	Orig	Grantee	Sur no acres	As	Total
1904	J. A. Carson	1	9-1736	H & G N Ry Co	1	80	3.62		1911	Unknown	1455	9-1738	A T Dunn	88	7	2.54		1906	Unknown	2448	2-1492	T P Ry Co	27	160	3.65	
1910	Unknown	1	9-1736	H & G N Ry Co	1	80	2.58		1911	Unknown	1478	44-5931	J W Childress	62	100	2.90		1907	Unknown	2448	2-1492	T P Co	21	158	9.17	
1911	Unknown	1	9-1736	H & G N Ry Co	1	89	5.77		1911	Unknown	1514	43-5744	D C McGregor	484	97	17.31		1908	Unknown	2448	2-1492	T P Ry Co	21	158	7.32	
1911	J. B. Loftin	2	9-1737	H & G N Ry Co	3	225	10.68		1911	Unknown	1517	44-5912	R A Merrill	24	320	11.56		1909	Unknown	2448	2-1492	T P Ry Co	21	158	6.15	
1911	Unknown	2	9-1737	H & G N Ry Co	3	11	7.6		1911	Unknown	1544	53	A O Scab	120	640	18.10		1910	Unknown	2448	2-1492	T P Ry Co	21	158	7.09	
1911	Unknown	4	9-1739	H & G N Ry Co	7	220	28.39		1911	G. T. Sturgis	1556	168	H P Wellborn	124	640	36.19		1911	Unknown	2448	2-1492	T P Ry Co	21	158	7.96	
1911	T. S. Rye	10	9-1745	H & G N Ry Co	19	80	9.85		1911	G. T. Sturgis	1557	485	H P Wellborn	146	320	9.04		1909	J. H. Martin	2449	43-5567	J W Taylor	133	1	10.27	
1910	Unknown	21	9-1756	H & G N Ry Co	41	380	30.29		1911	G. T. Sturgis	1576	43-5546	J H Carpenter	88	160	5.69		1910	Unknown	2449	43-5567	J W Taylor	133	5	5.71	
1911	Unknown	21	9-1756	H & G N Ry Co	41	380	44.54		1911	Unknown	1578	43-5554	J H Carpenter	84	180	2.97		1910	Jeb Wood	2449	43-5567	J W Taylor	133	11-4	2.67	
1901	Unknown	38	9-1792	H & G N Ry Co	75	80	2.63		1911	Unknown	1578	43-5554	J H Carpenter	84	180	2.87		1905	Unknown	2457	45-6094	D Wilson	187	320	5.60	
1911	Unknown	45	9-1781	H & G N Ry Co	91	180	11.88		1903	Unknown	1578	43-5554	J H Carpenter	84	180	3.77		1911	Dick Smith	2458	43-5741	B Wilson	451	100	4.60	
1907	C. G. Burnett	46	9-1782	H & G N Ry Co	93	80	8.75		1906	Unknown	1578	43-5554	J H Carpenter	84	180	3.88		1911	Unknown	2483	43-5552	J W Hardee	99	80	4.90	
1911	R. M. Jarrett	58	9-1882	H & G N Ry Co	133	1	7.22		1906	Unknown	1578	43-5554	J H Carpenter	84	180	10.18		1911	Unknown	2496	43-5586	O Marchbanks	163	2	1.42	
1908	Unknown	62	9-1806	H & G N Ry Co	141	160	7.07		1907	Unknown	1578	43-5554	J H Carpenter	84	180	8.31		1911	Unknown	2498	43-5573	O Marchbanks	161	38	1.78	
1909	Unknown	62	9-1806	H & G N Ry Co	141	160	5.02		1908	Unknown	1578	43-5554	J H Carpenter	84	180	9.96		1911	Unknown	2504	43-5606	G W Martin	214	160	31.00	
1910	Unknown	62	9-1806	H & G N Ry Co	141	160	5.15		1910	Unknown	1578	43-5554	J H Carpenter	84	180	8.88		1911	Unknown	2507	43-5553	Z F Samples	97	640	18.14	
1911	L. L. Linecum	68	9-1812	H & G N Ry Co	153	12-3-4	9.97		1910	Unknown	1579	43-5346	J H Carpenter	88	160	1.94		1911	Unknown	2506	43-55	Z F Samples	102	640	18.78	
1911	Z. F. Samples	68	9-1812	H & G N Ry Co	153	16	3.04		1911	Unknown	1579	43-5346	J H Carpenter	88	160	9.96		1911	Unknown	2517	43-5569	T B Turner	134	62	12.16	
1911	Unknown	68	9-1812	H & G N Ry Co	153	92-2-3	24.86		1908	Unknown	1579	43-5546	J H Carpenter	88	160	9.96		1911	Unknown	2517	43-5569	T B Turner	134	10	2.43	
1911	J. B. Cloyes	68	9-1812	H & G N Ry Co	153	6	3.20		1910	Unknown	1579	43-5546	J H Carpenter	88	80	4.86		1904	Unknown	2537	2-1491	Wm Davis	26	90	1.50	
1910	H.T. Wimberley	73	9-1826	H & G N Ry Co	181	1	9.28		1911	Unknown	1579	43-5546	J H Carpenter	88	80	5.33		1905	Unknown	2537	2-1491	Wm Davis	26	90	1.60	
1911	Unknown	78	9-1831	H & G N Ry Co	191	20	2.54		1909	Unknown	1625	9-1803	Chas H Lee	136	241.3	6.35		1906	Unknown	2537	2-1491	Wm Davis	26	90	1.65	
1911	G. T. Sturgis	84	54	H T C Co	121	640	30.50		1910	Unknown	1625	9-1803	Chas H Lee	136	226-2-3	10.86		1907	Unknown	2537	2-1491	Wm Davis	26	90	5.39	
1911	G. T. Sturgis	85	186	H T C Co	123	640	30.50		1911	Unknown	1625	9-1803	Chas H Lee	136	226	12.73		1908	Unknown	2537	2-1491	Wm Davis	26	90	4.20	
1911	G. T. Sturgis	99	485	H T C Co	145	640	18.10		1911	C.L. Johnson	1627	9-1807	Chas H Lee	144	80	6.37		1909	Unknown	2537	2-1491	Wm Davis	26	90	3.98	
1901	Unknown	116	808	H T C Co	161	510	12.63		1911	Unknown	1628	9-1831	Chas H Lee	192	20	2.54		1910	Unknown	2537	2-1491	Wm Davis	26	90	4.50	
1911	Unknown	124	25-1355	H T C Co	227	12	7.0		1910	Unknown	1649	9-1785	W B Sharp	126	7	8.65		1911	Unknown	2540	2-5552	F W Hardee	99	240	9.82	
1911	J. C. Coons	133	17-1748	H T C Co	95	157.7	8.91		1910	Unknown	1656	40-67	J W Thurman	74	160	6.47		1906	Unknown	2544	9-1738	W C Martin	6	40	3.78	
1911	Martin Reep	136	27-1770	H T C Co	139	484	43.56		1910	Unknown	1656	40-67	J W Thurman	74	160	7.09		1911	Unknown	2544	9-1738	W C Martin	6	40	3.2	
1911	Unknown	359	44-5849	H T C Co	259	7	3.5		1911	Unknown	1656	40-67	J W Thurman	74	160	9.04		1909	Unknown	2556	45-72	Andy Trevy	84	320	11.83	
1911	Unknown	381	44-5931	H T C Co	61	317	11.44		1911	Unknown	1661	485	H P Wellborn	146	320	13.19		1911	Unknown	2556	45-72	Andy Trevy	84	320	6.48	
1908	Unknown	428	33-60	L Nav Co	58	640	24.78		1911	G.T. Sturgis	1661	485	H P Wellborn	146	320	13.19		1911	Unknown	2556	45-72	Andy Trevy	84	157	7.89	
1909	Unknown	428	33-60	L Nav Co	59	640	23.64		1911	W. M. Murray	1673	44-5906	C. Henderson	12	1	13.19		1911	Unknown	2564	43-5758	Bob Browning	511	160	7.89	
1910	Unknown	428	33-60	L Nav Co	59	640	25.93		1907	Unknown	1692	44-5930	John Cary	60	6	1.32		1906	Unknown	2567	9-17	M Brown	6	160	4.09	
1911	Unknown	428	33-60	L Nav Co	59	640	28.38		1908	Unknown	1692	44-5930	John Cary	60	14	3.94		1911	Unknown	2567	9-1738	M Brown	6	160	8.88	
1911	Unknown	431	44-72	L Nav Co	83	108	5.35		1911	Unknown	1692	44-5930	John Cary	60	18	1.32		1906	Unknown	2570	43-5591	Sam Cresswell	178	160	9.24	
1908	Unknown	437	34-61	L Nav Co	61	640	24.48		1911	Unknown	1750	43-5592	J W Jones	182	24	3.96		1911	Unknown	2589	45-6084	J W Rushing	643	80	1.64	
1909	Unknown	437	34-61	L Nav Co	61	640	33.64		1911	Unknown	1751	43-5592	K W Jones	186	44	1.88		1907	Unknown	2589	45-6084	J W Rushing	643	80	2.40	
1910	Unknown	437	34-61	L Nav Co	61	640	25.93		1911	S. D. Lewis	1755	43-5554	A J Lewis	104	106-2-3	9.43		1906	Unknown	2589	45-6084	J W Rushing	643	80	1.86	
1910	Unknown	437	34-61	L Nav Co	61	640	28.38		1911	Unknown	1781	43-5752	W J Parsons	500	80	2.35		1907	Unknown	2589	45-6084	J W Rushing	643	80	1.48	
1910	Unknown	441	39-66	L N Ry Co	71	160	6.47		1911	J. M. Easley	1786	9-1827	H B Patterson	184	120	8.26		1908	Unknown	2589	45-6084	J W Rushing	643	80	1.83	
1890	Unknown	451	2-1305	T P Ry Co	1	640	13.73		1901	Unknown	1789	45-6082	G W Phillips	640	160	3.16		1909	Unknown	2589	45-6084	J W Rushing	643	80	2.00	
1906	Unknown	451	2-1305	T P Ry Co	1	640	14.61		1911	J. T. Lee	1791	43-5569	J H Proctor	134	25-3-4	16.08		1910	Unknown	2589	45-6084	J W Rushing	643	80	3.11	
1907	Unknown	451	2-1305	T P Ry Co	1	640	27.28		1911	Unknown	1813	43-5623	C Sears	242	320	7.23		1911	Unknown	2637	43-5546	A A Bynum	88	80	2.85	
1908	Unknown	451	2-1305	T P Ry Co	1	640	31.53		1900	Unknown	1821	2-1497	W K Seymour	28	108	2.18		1909	Unknown	2637	43-5546	A A Bynum	88	80	2.25	
1909	Unknown	451	2-1305	T P Ry Co	1	640	23.89		1901	Unknown	1821	2-1497	W K Seymour	28	107	2.12		1911	Unknown	2637	43-5546	A A Bynum	88	80	3.56	
1910	Unknown	451	2-1305	T P Ry Co	1	640	24.51		1902	Unknown	1821	2-1497	W K Seymour	28	107	2.27		1911	Unknown	2639	44-6012	H Curtis	224	320	10.90	
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Table with columns: Year, Dqmt, Name of Owner, City or Town, Pat. Add. or Div., Lot, Blk, T'l, Tax. The table lists numerous property records for various owners, including 'Unknown' and 'Snyder Development Co', across different years and locations like Hermleigh and Fluvanna.

CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSIONERS' COURT
THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Scurry
We hereby certify that we have examined the Clerk's copy of lands and town lots shown on the Delinquent Record of said county and State, and to which the certificate of the Clerk is attached and hereby approve the same.
Given in open court, this the 13th day of August, A. D. 1912.
FRITZ R. SMITH, County Judge
A. S. LOWE J. D. LETCHER
T. C. STINSON SMITH BROCK
Commissioners.
THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Scurry
I, B. A. Eubank, Clerk of the County Court, in and for Scurry County, Texas, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Delinquent Tax Roll, arranged numerically, as to Abstract, Lot and Block number, as reported by W. M. Curry, Tax Collector of Scurry County, Texas, for the year 1911 and prior years.
Given under my hand and seal of office this 12th day of August, A. D. 1912.
B. A. ENBANK, Clerk of the County Court.
By CORA STURDIVANT, Deputy Scurry County, Texas.

FRIO VALLEY WINTER GARDENS

We are now forming a club to purchase a tract of land in the Frio Valley Winter Gardens to be developed with irrigation. Our Mr. Baker has just returned from a personal inspection of these lands and would be glad to talk to all interested parties. The possibilities are great and a profit in a short while is assured even though you never spend a nickel on it. Tracts are sold in ten acres or multiples of ten on easy payments. We want to fill our first club in ten days. The land is selling rapidly and the choicest locations will all be gone in a short while. What we do we must do quickly. See us at once.

Baker, Grayum & Anderson

Agents Frio Valley Winter Gardens.



After you have raked together a good sized pile of money don't let it slip away from you. Let SECURITY be your first thought. Make no investment where you will put in danger your PRINCIPAL. Buy no property or anything else unless you yourself are going to watch it. Bank your money. Then it will be SAFE. The interest we will pay you is more than Government bonds will bring you in.

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G. P. A. G. P. A.

Dallas, Texas

The word "meat" it appears is derived from the term "meteor." —Dallas News. That probably explains why it goes so high.

Woodrow Wilson says the producers of wealth will come into their own house after next March. He says it is a big house and has been occupied by few people, but that few have had a fine time revelling on luxuries filched from the common people.

The San Antonio platform is really a more conservative document than the opponents of the Colquitt regime expect to be written, after it became known that the Governor's friends were in absolute control. The 9:30 closing hour is not the law yet, and even if the governor should succeed in forcing the legislature to adopt that hour, it will be better than midnight.

It is being intimated now in Washington that England is about to be offended at the United States because of the American proposition to admit American ships through the Canal free of tolls. Since this nation is paying the cost of that important waterway it does look like England should have very little voice in its management. If England wants to reject further arbitration pacts, it will be up to her to give a sensible reason for her stubbornness.

The proposition to dam up Deep Creek and other streams in the coun-

ty, to conserve the water in lakes for irrigation purposes has caused some to smile derisively, but there is no getting away from the fact that if such was done hundreds of acres that are now parched, and dry would blossom with fine growing crops and instead of people leaving here for the irrigated belts, they would be coming here. Besides this thousands of acres could be irrigated from wells. We have the soil, the water and the climate, all we need is to adopt new methods and get rid of that idea that we must have a section or two in a farm to make a living.

A Letter From Mr. Hardy.

A day spent in a hustling busy city like Dallas brings many things of interest to sojourners of the quiet, civil, industrious progressive west. Dallas is a metropolitan city. They count their wealthy millions there and grasp industrial and commercial opportunities and cinch them with fabulous bonus contributions.

The citizenship embraces every type of tradesmen, from the wandering slouchy dago, with his basket of untempting wares domiciled in squalid hovels to the millionaire in his spacious mansion engaged in clipping interest coupons on marking up big profits on investments, but the majority probably is made up of the mediocre class, who, of thrifty dealings, is put to the necessity like the rest of us, of figuring closely to meet current expenses. Last Tuesday was political day in Dallas. The republicans were there to try to settle their differences, but instead were drifting further apart.

The prohibitionists were there in the midst of a coldwater lovefeast. They were rejoicing of the disrupted condition of the old parties as though that state of affairs added a mite to the chances for success of their party organization. Some of the speakers seem really to think that their party has a chance to win. While the political schools were keeping in Dallas, the democrats were in San Antonio quarrelling over dry bones and disputing over non-essentials. The attitude of the warring factions there was convincing proof that professional politicians are vastly more concerned over getting themselves on record than they are for preservation of democratic policies or even the prosperity of the State and nation.

Lon (A. J.) Grantham will leave September 3rd, with a party of Homeseekers for Harlingen, Texas. Join this excursion and see the land that is irrigated, and always makes a big crop, or rather crops, a year. Write or call for literature. Remember we guarantee every statement in the literature, and if any one finds it not to be as represented we will pay his expenses there and back. Don't forget the date, September 3rd, 1912. We leave Snyder in the afternoon of the above date. Round trip from Snyder \$27.40.

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Now that the people of Texas have demanded a more sensible system of Court procedure so that criminal cases may not be reversed on mere technical points, and thrown back for expensive new trials, and the probable liberation of red-handed criminals, let us hope that the legislature will rise to the occasion and give us the reforms asked for.

During the summer months mothers of young children should watch for any unnatural looseness of the bowels. When given prompt attention at this time serious trouble may be avoided. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers.

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THIS WEEK AT FLUVANNA.

Mr. S. P. Smith and mother went on the evening train Saturday as far as Sweetwater to meet Mrs. S. P. Smith. She has been visiting her parents at Rule for the past two weeks. Her sister Miss Georgia Welch accompanied them home for a few days visit before she returns to her home in Arizona.

Mr. S. G. Williams and family returned home Tuesday from Pala Pinto and other counties where they have been visiting for the past six weeks. S. J. seems to have been greatly benefited by the trip and his many friends will be glad to hear it.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes returned home Tuesday after a ten days visit with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Pyeatt returned home Tuesday. L. E. has been down in the Corpus Christi country prospecting. He was pleased with the country. Mrs. Pyeatt visited her parents at Rule during his absence.

Mr. Wills of Abilene, one of the stock holders of the R. S. & P. visited our town Wednesday.

Mr. E. A. Hawkins paid Snyder a visit Friday and returned Saturday.

Mrs. A. J. Stephenson returned home Tuesday from Mineral Wells where she has been visiting the past two weeks.

The new First State Bank building will be completed this week.

Rev. J. H. Tate returned home Monday from Gail where he has been engaged in a protracted meeting the past week.

Miss Era Boles has been visiting in Hermleigh the past week.

Mr. Robt. Deitz and family of Roscoe are here visiting his mother this week. Robert has been night watchman for the R. S. & P. for the past several months and has resigned his position and will go to work for the T. and P.

Mr. H. T. Dodson and wife were over from Gail Sunday.

Wayman Green returned home from New Mexico last week. He reports plenty of rain in some localities and where they have had the rain crops are fine over the plains country.

Mr. Sturdivant and wife of Hermleigh, father and mother of our fellow countryman W. M., returned home Sunday after a few days visit.

Rev. J. D. May is conducting a revival at Elkins this week.

A. M. Weems has accepted a position with the gin people at Dermott. He left Sunday to get the machinery ready for the season.

D. A. Jones horse became frightened at an auto and ran down main street turning the buckboard over and throwing his little son out. It was lucky the boy was not hurt. The vehicle was badly demolished.

J. A. Staveley is getting his gin in readiness this week.

Prof. O. L. Howell of Dunn spent Saturday and Sunday in our town. Mr. Howell has been elected principal of our school.

Rev. M. C. Bishop of Snyder came in Monday to assist Rev. Owens in the protracted meeting Baptist church this week.

Mr. A. J. Stephenson returned home Tuesday from Corpus Christi where he has been prospecting for the past ten days. A. J. says that prospects in that part of the state are fine, but the country had been over estimated.

W. W. Weems returned from Galveston excursion last week. He reports a good trip and well worth the money. He said he saw more water while there than he had ever

seen in all his life put together.

L. V. Hood shipped four cars of fat cattle to Fort Worth Monday, and T. W. Wooten shipped one.

J. E. Eubank showed us some peaches Tuesday raised in his orchard. The peaches averaged 10 inches in circumference and weighed nine ounces each. They will be canned and put in our county exhibit.

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There are two things everlastingly at war, Joy and Piles. Bucklen's Arnica Salve will banish piles in any form. It soon subdues the itching, irritation, inflammation or swelling. It gives comfort, invites joy. Greatest healer of burns, boils, ulcers, cuts, bruises, eczema, scalds, pimples, skin eruptions. Only 25 cents at all druggists.

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2041-712-400 PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION AUTHORIZING CITIES OF MORE THAN 5000 INHABITANTS TO ADOPT THEIR CHARTERS BY VOTE OF THE PEOPLE.

(H. J. R. No. 10) House Joint Resolution.

House Joint Resolution proposing an Amendment to Section 5 of Article II of the Constitution of the State of Texas providing for cities of more than five thousand (5000) inhabitants to adopt their charter by a vote of the people.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Sec. 1—That Section 5 of Article II of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Sec. 5—Cities having more than five thousand (5000) inhabitants may, by a majority vote of the qualified voters of said city at an election held for that purpose, adopt or amend their charters, subject to such limitation as may be prescribed by the Legislature and providing that no charter or any ordinance passed under said charter shall contain any provision, inconsistent with the Constitution of the State or of the general laws enacted by the legislature of the State; said cities may levy taxes authorized by law or by their charters; but no tax for any purpose shall ever be lawful for any one year, which shall exceed two and one-half percent of the taxable property of such city and no debt shall ever be created by any city unless at the same time provision be made to assess and collect annually a suffi-

cient sum to pay the interest thereon and creating a sinking fund of at least two per cent thereon, and providing further, that no city charter shall be altered, amended or repealed oftener than every two years.

Sec. 2—The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation, submitting the amendment to the qualified voters of Texas at the next general election held in this State for other purposes, then this proposed amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State. At such election, those favoring the amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words: "For Amendment to Section 5, Article II of the Constitution, authorizing cities of more than five thousand inhabitants to adopt their charters by a vote of the people;" those opposing said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against amendment to Section 5, Article II of the Constitution, authorizing cities of more than five thousand inhabitants to adopt their charters by a vote of the people." The sum of five thousand dollars or so much as is necessary is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of the publication of this for the election.

2040-712-400

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION CREATING THE OFFICE OF PRISON COMMISSIONER AND MAKING THE TERM OF OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF PRISON COMMISSIONERS SIX YEARS.

(H. J. R. No. 22) House Joint Resolution.

A Joint Resolution proposing to amend Article XVI of the State Constitution by adding hereto Section 58, creating the office of Prison Commissioner and making the term of office of the Board of Prison Commissioners six years, and making an appropriation.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Sec. 1—That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section which shall be known as Section 58 and shall read as follows:

Sec. 58 (Art. XVI) The Board of law with the control and management of the State Prisons, shall be composed of three members appointed by the Governor, by and with the consent of the Senate, or whose terms of office shall be six years, or until their successors are appointed and qualified; provided that the terms of office of the Board of Prison Commissioners first appointed after the adoption of this amendment shall begin on January 20 of the year following the adoption of this amendment and shall hold office as follows: One shall serve two years, one four years and one six years. Their terms to be decided by lot after they shall have qualified and one Prison Commissioner shall be appointed every two years thereafter. In case of a vacancy in said office the Governor of this State shall fill said vacancy by appointment for the unexpired term hereof.

Sec. 2—The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue and have published the necessary proclamation for the submission of this proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas to the qualified voters for the members of the Legislature of the State of Texas at the next general election to be held in this State. All persons favoring said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots: "For a Six Year Term of Prison Commissioners" and those opposed to the adoption of this amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots "Against a Six Year's term for Prison Commissioners."

Sec. 3—The sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds of the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to defray expenses of publication of the Governor's proclamation submitting this proposed amendment.

2039-712-400

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PROVIDING THAT MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE STATE UNIVERSITY AND THE BOARDS OF TRUSTEES AND MANAGERS OF THE EDUCATIONAL, ELEMOSYNIARY AND PENAL INSTITUTIONS SHALL BE ELECTED OR APPOINTED FOR THE TERM OF SIX YEARS.

(H. J. R. No. 9) House Joint Resolution.

An Act proposing an amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding a new section thereto, to be entitled "Section 30a" providing that the members of

the Board of Regents of the State University, and the boards of trustees or managers of educational, eleemosynary and penal institutions of the State, and such other boards as have been or may hereafter be established by law, may be elected or appointed for a term of six (6) years one-third of the members of such boards to be elected or appointed every two (2) years in the manner provided by law, fixing the time for holding the election, and making the appropriation therefor.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Sec. 1—That Article 16 of the Constitution be amended by adding a new section thereto to be known and designated as "30a" and to read as follows:

Section 30a—The legislature may provide by law that the members of the Board of Regents of the State University and Boards of Trustees or managers of the educational, eleemosynary and penal institutions of the State, and such boards as have been or may hereafter be established by law, may hold their respective offices for a term of six (6) years, one third of the members of such board to be elected or appointed every two (2) years in such manner as the Legislature may determine; vacancies in such offices to be filled as may be provided by law" and the Legislature shall enact suitable laws to give effect to this section.

Sec. 2—The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for the members of the legislature, at the next general election to be held in this State, at which election, all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots: "For the Amendment of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, regulating the term of office of the Board of Regents of the State University and other Boards of Trustees or Managers, heretofore or hereafter established by law." And all voters opposed to said amendment shall have printed or written on their ballots the words: "Against the Amendment of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, regulating the term of office of the Board of Regents of the State University, and other Board of Trustees of Managers heretofore or hereafter established by law."

Sec. 3—The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and have the same published as required by the law of this State.

Sec. 4—The sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of said proclamation, publication, and election.

2038-712-400

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION SO AS TO AUTHORIZE THE GRANT OF AID TO INDIGENT AND DISABLED SOLDIERS AND SAILORS AND THEIR WIVES.

(S. J. R. No. 9) Senate Joint Resolution.

Senate Joint Resolution to amend Section 51, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas so as to authorize the grant of aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors and their widows and to soldiers who served in the militia and in organizations for the protection of the frontier and their indigent widows and to grant aid for the establishment and maintenance of a home for the indigent and dependent wives and widows of Confederate soldiers and sailors, and such women as aided the Confederacy and authorize a special ad valorem pension tax and making appropriations for same.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Sec. 1—That Section 51, Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

Article 3, Section 51—The Legislature shall have no power to make any grant or authorize the making of any grant of public money to any individual, association of individuals, municipal or other corporation whatsoever; provided however, the Legislature may grant aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors who came to Texas prior to January 1, 1900 and their widows in indigent circumstances and who have been bonafide residents of the State of Texas since January 1, 1900 and who were married to such soldiers and sailors anterior to Jan. 1 1900; to indigent and disabled soldiers, who under special laws of the State of Texas, during the war between the States served for a period of at least six months in organizations for the protection of the frontier against Indian raids or Mexican marauders and to indigent and dis-

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abled soldiers of the militia of the State of Texas who were in active service for a period of at least six months during the war between the States, or the widows of such soldiers who are in indigent circumstances, and who were married to such soldiers, prior to Jan. 1, 1900, provided that the word "widow" in the preceding lines of this section shall not apply to women born since 1861 and also to grant aid for the establishment and maintenance of a home for said soldiers and sailors, their wives and widows and women who aided in the Confederacy under such regulations and limitations as may be provided for by law; provided the Legislature may provide for husband and wife to remain together in the home.

The Legislature shall have the power to levy and collect, in addition to all other taxes heretofore permitted by the constitution of Texas, a State ad Valorem tax on property not exceeding 5 cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the payment of the pensions for services in the Confederate army and navy, frontier organizations and the militia of the State of Texas and for the widows of such soldiers serving in said armies, navies organizations or militia.

Sec. 2—The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for the submission of this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at the general election of State officers in November 1912. At which election all voters favoring this amendment

shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For the amendment to Section 51, Article 3 of the Constitution relating to increase of Confederate pensions," and the voters opposed to said amendments shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment of Sec. 51, Article 3 of the Constitution, relating to increase of Confederate pensions."

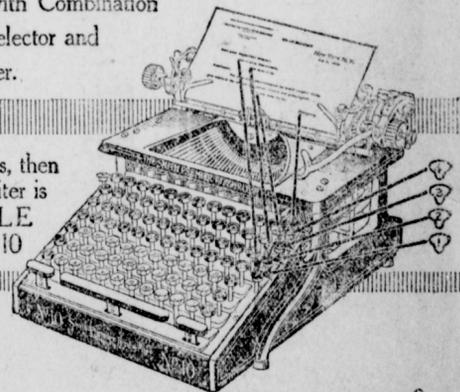
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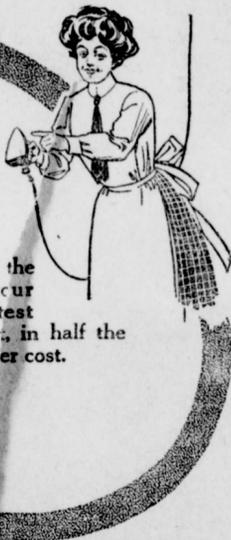
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1908	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	2	3	28	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Wilson Sub S. A.	1 to 6	63	15.54		
1909	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	2	3	49	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	3	4	13		
1910	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	2	3	29	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	5	4	13		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	2	3	30	1911	Unknown	Snyder	Colonial Hill	6	4	32		
1909	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	8	3	50	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	8	4	13		
1910	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	8	3	30	1911	J. B. Cloyes	Snyder	Colonial Hill	9	4	32		
1911	W. D. Wood	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	4	4	20	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	10	4	13		
1911	W. D. Wood	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	4	4	20	1911	Unknown	Snyder	Colonial Hill	11	4	32		
1908	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	10	4	25	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	12	4	32		
1909	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	10	4	29	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	13	4	13		
1910	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	10	4	14	1911	Unknown	Snyder	Colonial Hill	14	4	13		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	10	4	39	1911	Unknown	Snyder	Colonial Hill	15	4	32		
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1908	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	16	4	25	1911	J. B. Cloyes	Snyder	Colonial Hill	1	5	32		
1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	1	5	14	1911	J. B. Cloyes	Snyder	Colonial Hill	2	5	32		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	3	5	32	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	3	5	32		
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1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	5	5	32	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	5	5	32		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	9	5	32	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	6	5	13		
1908	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	14	5	11	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	7	5	13		
1909	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	14	5	37	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	8	5	13		
1910	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	14	5	29	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	11	5	13		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	14	5	32	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	12	5	13		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	1	6	32	1911	Unknown	Snyder	Colonial Hill	13	5	32		
1908	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	2	6	12	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	14	5	13		
1909	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	2	11	43	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	15	5	13		
1910	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	2	11	29	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	16	5	13		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	2	11	32	1911	Unknown	Snyder	Colonial Hill	1	6	32		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	3	6	32	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	2	6	13		
1910	W. B. Sullivan	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	7	6	4.72	1911	Unknown	Snyder	Colonial Hill	3	6	32		
1908	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	3	7	18	1911	J. B. Cloyes	Snyder	Colonial Hill	4	6	32		
1909	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	3	7	22	1911	Unknown	Snyder	Colonial Hill	5	6	32		
1909	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	4	7	37	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	6	6	13		
1910	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	4	7	29	1911	J. B. Cloyes	Snyder	Colonial Hill	6	6	32		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	4	7	65	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	7	6	13		
1908	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	6	7	13	1911	Neal Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	8	6	32		
1909	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	6	7	24	1911	Unknown	Snyder	Colonial Hill	9	6	32		
1910	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	6	7	29	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	10	6	13		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	6	7	32	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	11	6	13		
1911	E. B. Barnes	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	8	7	14	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	12	6	13		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	13	7	36	1911	Unknown	Snyder	Colonial Hill	13	6	32		
1908	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	1	8	13	1911	Unknown	Snyder	Colonial Hill	14	6	32		
1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	4	8	13	1911	Neal Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	15	6	32		
1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	8	8	13	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	16	6	13		
1909	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	5	9	12	1911	J. B. Cloyes	Snyder	Colonial Hill	1	7	32		
1909	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	1	10	23	1911	J. B. Cloyes	Snyder	Colonial Hill	2	7	32		
1910	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	1	10	44	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	3	7	32		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	1	10	32	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	4	7	13		
1910	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	2	10	45	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	5	7	13		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	2	10	31	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	7	7	13		
1909	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	7	10	23	1911	Unknown	Snyder	Colonial Hill	8	7	32		
1910	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	7	10	29	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	9	7	32		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	7	10	32	1911	Unknown	Snyder	Colonial Hill	10	7	32		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	11	10	31	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	11	7	32		
1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	1	11	13	1911	Unknown	Snyder	Colonial Hill	12	7	32		
1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	6	11	13	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	4	8	13		
1908	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	9	11	13	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	5	8	13		
1909	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	9	11	22	1911	J. B. Cloyes	Snyder	Colonial Hill	6	8	13		
1910	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	9	11	28	1911	J. B. Cloyes	Snyder	Colonial Hill	7	8	32		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	9	11	32	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	8	8	13		
1908	J. D. Brown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	10	11	2.33	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	10	8	13		
1909	John Reeves	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	10	11	9.48	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	11	8	13		
1910	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	10	11	29	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	12	8	13		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	10	11	32	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	11	8	13		
1908	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	11	11	13	1911	Unknown	Snyder	Colonial Hill	3	9	32		
1909	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	11	11	24	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	4	9	2.01		
1910	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	11	11	29	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	5	9	2.01		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	11	11	32	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	6	9	2.01		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	12	11	31	1911	Unknown	Snyder	Colonial Hill	7	9	2.01		
1908	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	1	12	13	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	8	9	32		
1908	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	5	12	13	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	10	9	2.01		
1910	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	5	12	30	1911	J. B. Cloyes	Snyder	Colonial Hill	11	9	13		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	5	12	32	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	12	9	32		
1910	C. M. Caffy	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	6	12	14.90	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	All	12	35.98		
1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	4	13	21	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	All	13	1.94		
1910	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	7	13	47	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	3 to 12	14	1.94		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	11	13	32	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	All	15	1.94		
1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	2	14	21	1911	Neal Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	1 and 2	16	19.10		
1908	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	1	15	25	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	5 to 12	16	1.94		
1909	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	1	15	57	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	All	17	1.94		
1910	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	1	15	45	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	All	23	1.94		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	1	15	32	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	All	24	1.94		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	3	15	31	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	All	28	1.94		
1909	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	5	15	26	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	All	29	1.94		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	2	17	52	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	All	40	1.94		
1908	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	4	17	28	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	All	41	1.94		
1909	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	4	17	28	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	All	42	1.94		
1910	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	4	17	38	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	5 to 12	43	1.94		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	4	17	51	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	All	44	1.94		
1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	7	17	21	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	All	45	1.94		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	11	17	51	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	All	46	1.94		
1908	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	9	18	52	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	All	47	1.94		
1909	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	9	18	22	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	All	48	1.94		
1910	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	12	18	24	1911	W. L. Gross	Snyder	Colonial Hill	All	49	1.94		
1909	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	7	19	34	1911	Unknown	Hermleigh		2	8	50		
1908	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	7	19	37	1911	Unknown	Hermleigh		3	8	59		
1909	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.	7	19	32	1910	Unknown	Hermleigh		All but R W	9	4.33		
1911	Unknown	Snyder	Gross Sub S. A.												

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Broom Corn Show at Beville.
 Beville, Texas.—The progressive League of this city has about completed arrangements for the broom corn show to be held here during October. Although Broom Corn will be the stellar attraction, other crops will be on display and suitable prizes will be offered for all exhibits of farm products. California beans will also occupy a conspicuous place in the display quarters. This product was introduced in this section last year for the first time and remarkable success has followed the planting which was more in the way of experiment than otherwise. Indications point to a large attendance and special arrangements will be made to entertain the visitors.

Deafness Cannot be Cured
 by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed, you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result and unless the inflammation can be taken out and tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be destroyed forever; Nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Exhibits Planet Mellons.
 Sulphur Springs, Texas, Aug. 15.—J. B. Mahaffey, a farmer, living near here, placed on exhibition at the Commercial Club rooms today three water melons known as the Planet Mellon. On one the moon is full with a number of stars around on another the stars are just rising, with stars in full view, and on the other the seven stars in a cluster appear. He states that he has more than 100 of these melons and the quality is very fine.

Stepping on a rusty nail has caused many cases of lockjaw. The nail not so much the fault as neglect of the wound. If such wounds were promptly cleansed and BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT applied there would be no lockjaw as the antiseptic properties of the liniment would counteract the poison and the wound would heal quickly. Price 25c, 50c and \$1 per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

The Duty of a Newspaper
 Only very recently a good friend of ours told us that a newspaper should not attempt to be a mold of public opinion, but should merely reflect the sentiments of the people of the community where it existed. That would be alright, perhaps, if there were no such thing as conscience.

At New Braunfels the prohibition editor would be forced to reflect anti-doctrine, while in sections of Kansas it would be to the Texas pull driver to concede the beauty and grandeur with social equality with the negro.

The newspaper man worthy of respect will have convictions and undertake, in a gentlemanly way, to impress the whole community with their correctness. The editor who waits to find out what all his readers think before daring to venture an independent opinion, ought to be a hall sweeper for a band of rampant female politicians. He has no business in a man's garb. He is an infinitesimal it, totally unfit to preside over anything.

We might never be able to change the opinion of a single individual by the power of logic. It may be true that our persuasive influence cannot reach out and enwrap as well as that of the more learned and eloquent, but as long as God gives us strength to wield a pen as long as light from source falls upon our pathway, we shall write the ideas and conclusions of our own brain and not those of any individual or any community.

If newspapers, public speakers and thinkers of all character had always followed the rule of simply reflecting the sentiments of their community, a free republic would never have been born, all the earth would recognize the divine right of kings and the institution of slavery would still be a brutal scar upon the face of civilization.

The independence of the press, its right to speak and think is one of the mightiest forces on the continent of America, and whenever there are tangled wilderness of difficulty to cut through, or great mountain ranges to cross, it opens the way and makes legislative success possible.

It is the duty of an editor to search diligently for the light and to earnestly strive to make every one of his readers see the truth of these convictions, that come honestly into his heart. He cannot inwardly muffle the voice of conscience in order to race alongside the throng. He must cut against the solid rock, even though the sprawls would seem timid feet that follow after.

To get at the right and let the world know about it, that is more honorable than to reflect the wrong though it represents the sentiments of every individual in one's community.—Del Rio Herald.

Notice to Creditors of the Estate of C. F. Harkey, Deceased
 Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary upon the estate of C. F. Harkey deceased, were granted to us, the undersigned on the 15th day of July, A. D. 1912 by the County Court of Scurry county, Texas. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to us within the time prescribed by law. Our residence and post office addresses are Snyder, County of Scurry, State of Texas.

MARY HARKEY, O. P. THRANE,
 Co-executors of Estate of C. F. Harkey, deceased.
 Clarence S. Darrow has been acquitted of the first indictment in the bribery charges connected with the McNamara trial at Los Angeles. There is one more indictment to be disposed of, but it is generally believed that the case will not come to trial.

Hogs Wanted.
 We are going to ship a car of hogs next week. If you have any for sale let us know at once.
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TEXAS INDUSTRIAL NOTES.
 Fort Worth.—The Meacham Dry Goods Company has purchased a lot on the corner of Twelfth and Main streets for a consideration of \$142,500 and will erect a modern eight story department building which is to be used as the future home of the company.

Taylor.—Cotton receipts for this city during the past twelve months total 36,868 bales, which is a large increase over any similar period in the history of this city. Five bales of this year's cotton crop are included in the above total.

Beaumont.—The Nona Mills of this city, through its land department is negotiating with immigration authorities in Germany and other foreign countries with a view of settling several thousand acres of land in this vicinity for farm purposes. The company operates a demonstration farm for the benefit of the farmers in this locality and crops of all varieties are on display.

Houston.—Another factory has been secured for this city and actual construction work on the buildings will start within thirty days. The factory will manufacture all kinds of machinery and tools and will give employment to over sixty men.

Flying Men Fall
 victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles just like other people, with like results in loss of appetite, backache, nervousness, headache and tired listless, rundown feeling. But there is no need to feel like that as T. D. Peebles, Henry, Tenn., proved. Six bottles of Electric Bitters" he writes "did more to give me new strength and good appetite than all other stomach remedies I used." So they help everybody. It is folly to suffer when this great remedy will help you from the first dose. Try it, only 50c at all dealers.

W. C. T. U. Notes.
 The Womans Christian Union is an organization of Christian Women banded together for the protection of the home. The abolition of the liquor traffic and the triumph of Christ's Golden Rule in custom and in law.
 It is the outcome of the historic event and is a lineal descendent of the great Woman's Temperance Crusade of 1833-74.

The origin and work of that crusade: In December 1873, under the inspiration of a temperance address delivered by Dr. Dio Lewis of Boston, the women of Hillsboro, Washington Court House and other Ohio towns were moved to concerted action against the saloon. They gathered in the streets to pray, and marched two by two into the saloons. They besought the men who drank to cease to do so, and the men who sold to give up the business, and invited all to accept Christ. In fifty days this whirlwind of the Lord had swept the liquor traffic out of two hundred and fifty towns and villages.

The leaders of this crusade was Mrs. Eliza J. Thompson, wife of Judge Thompson, of Hillsboro, Ohio, who was known for many years as "mother" Thompson, and who gave the world an inspiring record of those early days, and "Mother" Stewart, of Spring field Ohio, who was early baptized with the spirit of the crusade, and whose marvelous power of oratory and rare executive ability easily marked her as a leader. Mrs. George Carpenter lead a large band in Washington Court House Ohio, which did most valiant work in closing the saloons of that town where the crusade came to its greatest success.

This was not carried on at that time because the saloon itself was found to be, but the out-cropping of the liquor system, which is protected by law and entrenched in the very heart of our government, and legal sanction was found to be necessary as well as moral suasion.

FOR TRADE—160 acres of land in Roger Mills County, Okla., brick store building in Trent, Texas, Bungalow dwelling house in Trent, Texas. All valued at \$8700.00 and clear of incumbrance. Buildings rented. Will trade for a Scurry county farm. Baker, Grayum & Anderson.

Quite a number of farmers were in town Monday hunting cotton pickers. 65 cents, per hundred, and board was the average price offered.

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 Alpine Texas.—The Rio Grande Wax Company of Arizona has been granted a permit to do business in Texas with headquarters in this city capital stock \$25,000. The company controls about 500,000 acres of land in Brewster and other counties in this vicinity. The land abounds in cadelilla plants which will be utilized as the raw material in manufacturing a superior quality of wax.

The Trials of a Traveller
 "I am a travelling salesman writes E. E. Youngs, E. Berkshire, Vt., "and was often troubled with constipation and indigestion till I began to use Dr. King's New Life Pills, which I have found an excellent remedy." For all stomach, liver or kidney troubles they are unequalled. Only 25c at all dealers.

Irrigation Near Gonzales.
 Gonzales, Texas.—It is reported here that capitalists of Victoria are contemplating damming the Guadalupe River, at a point five miles south of this city. This project calls for the construction of a dam which will impound four billion cubic feet of water and this supply will be used to irrigate 100,000 acres of land.

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Texas Dairy Cattle in Good Condition.
 Austin, Texas.—The State Food and Drug Department has completed an inspection of the dairy cattle in Texas which shows that less than one per cent of the stock is afflicted. Tests were made in all sections of the state and over ten thousand head examined. The department states that the low percentage of disease will hold for the dairy cattle of the entire state.

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NEW YORK'S BIG CRIMINALS

The officials "higher up" in New York have served notice on the police murder suspects in that city that death will be their portion if any of the big ones are exposed. Now comes the question: Will the entire constabulary and the citizenship of New York and the entire country submit to a bluff like that?

When President Roosevelt found that the negro soldiers at Brownville would not surrender the men guilty of shooting up the town, he proceeded to punish the entire company and finally abolished the fort. Now, if the big cut throats in Gotham are going to defeat the ends of justice by threats of crimes of greater terror that those already committed, the forces of the nation should be enlisted to hunt down the guilty men, even though it may bring down every man on the police force and every gentleman of the cloth and even if the great Metropolitan city should come to destruction.

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Dead of Strangulation.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 14.—Mary Thomas, aged 40, was found dead from strangulation this morning. When she went to bed last night she neglected to remove her false teeth and they became lodged in her throat during sleep.

C. Varley has for sale the finest and most complete set of carpenter's tools ever offered in Snyder at the Burton Lingo Lumber company, also two carpenter's chests and a shoulder box. Will sell altogether or separate to suit purchaser. Also one wood trimmer.

We want all parties interested in Gulf Coast lands and irrigated farms to call at our office as we have some thing worth your careful consideration.

Baker, Grayum & Anderson
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Texas Produced 27.4 Per Cent of Cotton in the U. S. in 1911.

Washington, D. C.—The Department of Commerce and Labor has just issued its report showing the cotton production of the United States for 1911 by states. Texas produced 27.4 per cent of the crop of the United States in 1911 and 26.4 per cent in 1910. The Texas crop for last year was 4,297,248 bales an increase over the preceding year of 1,224,313 or 39.6 per cent. The total production for the United States for the year 1911 was 16,250,276 bales which is an increase over 1910 of 4,244,588 bales or 35.6 per cent.

Indian Killed on Track.

Near Rochelle, Ill., an Indian went to sleep on a railroad track and was killed by the fast express. He paid for his carelessness by his life. Often it is that way when people neglect coughs and colds. Don't risk your life when prompt use of Dr. King's New Discovery will cure them and so prevent a dangerous throat of lung trouble. "It completely cured me in a short time of a terrible cough that followed a severe attack of Grip" writes J. R. Watts, Floydada, Texas, "and I regained 15 pounds in weight that I had lost. Quick, safe, reliable and guaranteed. 50c and \$1.00 Trial bottle free at all druggists."

Texas Has 4,260 Cotton Gins

Washington, D. C.—The Department of Commerce and Labor has just given out a report that shows the number of cotton ginneries in the United States by States. Texas ranks first in number having 4,260 gins in operation during the ginning season. The number of bales ginned per establishment in Texas last year was 713 as compared with 533 bales in 1910. The average for the entire United States was 592 bales in 1911 and 443 bales in 1910.

TEXAS AGRICULTURAL NEWS.

Will Plan Pea Nuts in India.

Bangalore, India.—The fame of the American peanut has penetrated the wilds of this country and natives farmers have arranged for shipment of this product from Houston, Texas. The land in this country is peculiarly adapted to the raising of this profitable farm product and it is expected that an extensive area of land will be given to the planting if the goober this season.

Texas Potatoes in Good Condition.

Washington, D. C.—A report just issued by the Department of Agriculture shows there are 46,000 acres planted in Irish potatoes in Texas this year. This is a decrease under last year's acreage of 8 per cent or 4,000 acres. The condition of the crop is 2 per cent better than last year and the farm price per bushel is given at \$1.29 as compared with \$1.20 on the same date last year.

Large Crop Yielded This Year.

Washington, D. C.—Reports received by the Federal Department of Agriculture indicate that Texas will soon harvest one of the largest apple crops in her history. The condition of the crop in that state on July 1st, was 76 per cent of normal as compared with 50 per cent on the same date last year. The condition in continental United States is given as 67 per cent of normal.

Farmer Cans Own Fruit.

Sulphur Springs, Texas.—John Nicholson, a peach grower living a few miles from this city has canned two car loads of peaches to date with a home canner of 1,200 cans per day capacity. This represents fruit from one orchard that otherwise would have rotted for the plentiful yield in this vicinity has caused sharp decline in prices.

1920 acres, rough, strictly grazing land, fenced in, three pastures and a good well and windmill on each section. No other improvements. Located three and four miles of Mary neal. Patented, title o. k. Price \$6 per acre. 220 acres adjoining Mary neal, half tillable, 75 acres in cultivation, fenced, cheap camp house, well and windmill, horse and cow sheds. Price \$30.00 per acre.

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CITY BUILDING NOTES.

Shade trees will enable a town to boast of the delightful cool evenings encountered in its locality. Trees create breeze, and breeze brings relief from the heat.

A modern sewer system will increase the population by giving disease and pestilence a serious setback.

Put not your money in a dead town—quoth Experience.

A Commercial Club would be a failure without the aid of the local newspapers, for the success of any community depends largely on the quality and quantity of publicity received.

Advertising in a consistent way is absolutely necessary to the progress of any line of business.

A stranger can usually distinguish between the store that advertises and the one that does not. One is crowded with local and out-of-town buyers while the other carries a woe-begone look of dissolution and decay.

Some cities lack the very things that could add very materially to their growth, health and prosperity, such as down town parks, shade trees, side walks and attractive public buildings. The aim of the citizens seems to be to develop the commercial side and to skip by the very things that build. Health as well as wealth should receive attention.

Some boosters make a lot of noise but attract very little attention for the reason that they cannot go into detail and exploit the resources of the adjacent country as well as the home town. A general knowledge of the whole section is necessary to systematic promotion. Capital demands definite details.

You may have been a city knocker all your life, but remember it is never too late to boost.

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Sallow complexion comes from bilious impurities in the blood and the fault lies with the liver and bowels—they are torpid. The medicine that gives results in such cases is HERBINE. It is a fine liver stimulant and bowel regulator. Price 50c, sold by all druggists.

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For nearly ten years, at different times, Mrs. Mary Jinks of Treadway, Tenn., suffered with womanly troubles. She says: "At last, I took down and thought I would die. I could not sleep. I couldn't eat. I had pains all over. The doctors gave me up. I read that Cardui had helped so many, and I began to take it, and it cured me. Cardui saved my life! Now, I can do anything."

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If you are weak, tired, worn-out, or suffer from any of the pains peculiar to weak women, such as headache, backache, dragging-down feelings, pains in arm, side, hip or limbs, and other symptoms of womanly trouble, you should try Cardui, the woman's tonic. Prepared from perfectly harmless, vegetable ingredients, Cardui is the best remedy for you to use, as it can do you nothing but good. It contains no dangerous drugs. It has no bad after-effects. Ask your druggist. He sells and recommends Cardui.

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A TALE OF HARD TIMES

Two gay young frogs, from inland bogs; had spend the night in drinking; As morning broke and they awoke, while yet their eyes were blinking. A farmer's swale came to the swale and caught them quick as winking. For they could gather scattered senses, or breathe a prayer for past offenses. The granger grave—that guileless man—had dumped them in the milk man's can. The can filled up, the cover down, they soon were started off to town. The luckless frogs began to quake and scober up on cold milk-shake. They quickly find their breath will stop unless they swim upon the top. They swim for life and kick and swim until their weary eyes grow dim; their muscles ache, their breath grows short, and gasping speaks one wear sport: "Say, dear old boy, it's pretty tough to die so young, but I've enough of kicks for life. No more I'll tryit, I was not raised on milk diet." "Tut, tut, my lad," the other cries, "a frog's not dead until he dies." "Let's keep on kicking, that's my plan, we may yet see outside this can. "No use, no use" faint heart replied and turned up his toes and gently died. The braver frog, undaunted still, kept kicking with a right good will, unjoy too great to utter, he found he'd churned a lump of butter. And climbing on that chunk of grease, he floated round with greatest ease.

MORAL.

When times are hard—no trade in town—don't get discouraged and go down. But struggle still—No murmur utter—a few more kicks may bring the butter.

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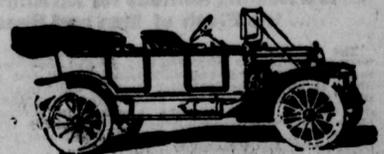
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1910	Unknown	Snyder	Cas Sub of Cody	10	1		.80	1910	Unknown	Snyder	G. and C. Sub of C. H. A.	3	10		.48		
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1910	J. L. Hubbard	Snyder	Cor Sub of Cody	5	1		4.79	1908	Unknown	Snyder	G. and C. Sub of C. H. A.	4	10		.65		
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1911	C. E. Brown	Snyder	Scarborough	N pt W 1/2 2	4		6.37	1910	Unknown	Snyder	G. and C. Sub of C. H. A.	6	11		.43		
1911	Ed J Thompson	Snyder	Scarborough	S part S 1/2 2	4		7.76	1911	Unknown	Snyder	G. and C. Sub of C. H. A.	6	11		.39		
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1911	J. B. Cloyes	Snyder	Scarborough	W 1/2 2	7		2.40	1909	Unknown	Snyder	G. and C. Sub of C. H. A.	4	12		.32		
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1906	Unknown	Snyder	Scarborough	2	7		.74	1910	Unknown	Snyder	Med Sub C. H. A.	2	46		.48		
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1910	A. F. McCain	Snyder	G. and N.	All 60	60		3.83	1911	Unknown	Snyder	Ben Sub C. H. A.	12	1		.52		
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Snyder Public Schools Begin Monday, Sept. 9th

Courses of Study for the Snyder Public Schools and for the schools of the county as usual will be filled complete here.

We have the state adopted books and high school books for the Primary, Intermediate, and High School Departments.

Books for the Primary Department consisting of the first, second, third and fourth grades.

Books for the Intermediate Department consisting of the fifth, sixth and seventh grades.

Books for the High School Department consisting of the eighth, ninth, tenth and eleventh grades.

State Adopted books, High School Books and Classics—Everything complete will be found here.

Also complete stock of school supplies: Pens, ink tablets, crayons, etc.

Bring us your school book orders. We fill them complete.

Free Delivery Phone 221

OWL DRUG STORE

F. V. CLARK, Druggist.

John Thomas of Hermleigh was in Snyder Monday.

A slight earth quake was felt in Arizona this week.

E. J. Anderson made a flying trip to Hermleigh Monday.

Prof. Howell, of Fluvanna, was a visitor in Snyder Saturday.

Hon. A. C. Wilmett went down to Colorado, Monday on legal business.

Miss Fannie Mitchell of Ft Worth is visiting her sister Mrs. R. S. Jackson.

Rev. M. C. Bishop is in a meeting this week with the Baptist church at Fluvanna.

The City Dads were in session Monday night but nothing startling happened.

Miss Dannie Lee Sears returned Tuesday from Polar where she has been visiting friends.

A. L. Jones the mule buyer of Fort Worth is in Snyder this week buying horses and mules.

The Western Union Telegraph office has been moved up stairs, next door to telephone office.

FOR SALE—Dead pole wood at my place thirteen miles north of Snyder. \$1.50 per load. Sidney Johnson. 10-2t

L. E. Pyeatt and wife of Fluvanna, came in on the Santa Fe Tuesday from an extended trip to south Texas.

Misses Cora and Ollie Lindsey returned Monday from a visit to friends at Mineral Wells and Ranger, Texas.

Every member of Lake City Lodge, Knights of Pythias, should not fail to be on hand Tuesday night something doing.

W. O. Kent employed by the Big Springs Herald, was in Snyder Saturday, on his way to visit friends at Camp Springs.

A. H. Trice of Camp Springs was a pleasant caller at the Signal office Saturday. Mr. Trice says he does not expect to get rich this fall picking cotton. He reports a very short crop in his community.

Miss Eula Thompson, who has been visiting Miss Myrtle Davis at Fort Worth for the past six weeks has returned home.

Mrs. Lee Boren returned Saturday from Marrietta, where she went to attend the funeral of her sister's husband, Dr. R. B. Jones.

Berry Singletary a former citizen of Snyder, but now living at Colmesneil, Texas, is in Snyder circulating around among old friends.

For Sale—Young Jersey cow with young calf for sale at a bargain. E. W. Sturgeon, 3 miles north of Hermleigh

J. G. Davenport of Abilene, Texas, and Z. T. Davenport of Valley Head, Alabama, father and uncle of B. C. Davenport, are visiting in the city.

RICHARD W. WEBB
Attorney-at-Law
Office with County Attorney. Do a General Practice.

W. W. Smith returned Monday from a short visit to his ranch in Kent county. He reports the range in fairly good condition despite the drought.

For soreness of the muscles, whether induced by violent exercise or injury, there is nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment also relieves rheumatic pains. For sale by all dealers.

B. A. Eubank has returned from a prospecting trip to Hartlingen, Texas. He was very favorably impressed with the looks of everything down there.

Dysentery is always serious and often a dangerous disease, but it can be cured. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has cured it even when malignant and epidemic. For sale by all dealers.

J. B. Harris of Gallatin, Tenn., was in Snyder this week visiting his nephew, Geo. W. Brown. Mr. Harris says his state has good crops and the country in a prosperous condition generally.

Buy it now. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over. Buy it now and be prepared for such an emergency. For sale by all dealers.

Chas. Cooper visited Colorado Monday to see his brother John Cooper, who will be taken to Fort Stockton this week, in the hope his health may be benefited.

NOTICE

To the ladies of Snyder and Scurry County:
The best toilet goods in the world are the Franco American Hygienic Toilet Requisites. Call at Contes-Coleman for same.
MRS. W. A. WATKINS

ABSTRACTS

of all Scurry County lands and town property.
Higgins-Curnutte Abstract Co

HARDY M. BOYD, Proprietor.

Upstairs over First State Bank. Snyder, Texas

Wanted—Boarders at \$4.00 per week; nice rooms. Near Baptist church. Mrs. J. L. Abbott

Earl Elkins who has been very sick for the past ten days is able to be out again.

Mrs. J. J. Hunter left today to buy Dry goods for the firm of Hunter Mercantile Company.

Miss Minnie Chapman has gone to the Eastern markets in the interest of the Millinery department for the Hunter Mercantile Co.

Mrs. Hugh Scarborough came in Wednesday from Dallas where she has been visiting her mother and sister.

Mrs. J. Orville Dodson returned Wednesday from an extended visit with friends and relatives in Missouri.

John Weller has quit weighing groceries for a week or so and will visit friends in the southern part of the county.

P. C. Miller of Abilene representing the American Correspondence law school of Chicago was in Snyder Tuesday.

Rev. U. C. Howard has returned from Gall where he has just closed a very successful revival. He will fill his pulpit Sunday.

Alex Weems of Fluvanna, one of the county's promising young teachers was in Snyder Thursday. He will teach at Sharon.

Dr. A. O. Scarborough and wife returned home this morning from an extended visit with relatives in the north and eastern states.

Prominent Masons of Old Mexico are in Washington conferring with high officials of the order, trying to formulate some plan to put an end to the Mexican revolution.

Commodore Ezell and bride came in from Caldwell, Texas, Thursday morning. Mr. Ezell and Miss Willie Wolipka, one of Caldwell's most popular young ladies, were married on August 7th. The Signal joins their many friends in wishing them a long life and much happiness.

Camp Cowling met some friends on the streets one day this week and they promised to let him have the money if he would leave town. Camp soon after bought three suits of clothes, several pairs of shoes, a hat and a walking cane, and hit the road. He says he will go back to Arkansas but don't know how long he will stay.

M. E. Rosser and Hardy M. Boyd returned from San Antonio Monday. They came back loaded to the brim with the doings of the convention and if you wanted to know just how a man looks and feels after getting run over by an up to date automatic steam roller, get them to talk about the trip.

J. L. Murphy of Dunn community returned Tuesday from a trip up the Orient and Denver railroads. Mr. Murphy says he was just looking around trying to locate some of those wonderful crops he has been hearing so much about. He reports good crops in some places and some not better than ours. He is still of the opinion that "Old Scurry can come back."

Dr. M. M. Carrick of Dallas, health officer and inspector for the Holland Magazine Clean-town contest, was in Snyder on his inspecting tour Wednesday. He was very favorably impressed with the looks of the city and stated Snyder would rank high in some particulars. The result of the contest will be awaited with interest by our people.

T. F. Baker returned Sunday from Flowerton, La Salle, Texas, where he had gone to inspect some land his company are agents for. He reports everything O. K. as represented, and says that portion of the state will rival California in fruit and truck farming in a few years.

A party now living on our lands made the following statement to Mr. Grantham. The first crop raised this year was cabbage, from which the owner received \$200.00 per acre, the second crop, now growing, is corn, which will make 75 bushels per acre, and will sell at 60 cents per bushel, the third crop will be fresh potatoes which will yield 100 to 200 bushels per acre and will sell from \$2.00 to \$4.00 per bushel at the car door.
Johnson-Grantham Land Co.



SPECIAL EXCURSION RATES

Account Summer Institute, Texas Commercial Executives Association, we will sell tickets Snyder to Wichita Falls and return at \$8.95

Good going Aug. 24 and 25. Return limit Aug. 30.

See me for 1-3 fare, Snyder to Dallas and return on various dates in August and September. Also rates to Texas resorts, all points of interest in the United States phone or call at Santa Fe passenger depot.
I. G. CLARK,
Agent

PROTRACTED MEETING.

At the First Christian Church beginning Tuesday Night, Aug 30th.

Exangelist Arthur W. Jones, of Dallas assisted by his singer, Mr. Martin, will conduct the meeting.

Every denomination in town is invited to come and join in this meeting. Two services a day. Bro.



Jones is one of our best preachers, and we are more than glad to have him with us and are sure that it will be a great pleasure for anyone to hear him. His singer is of the very best.

MORE WETNESS.

Good Rains Fall in Portion of Scurry County.

Wednesday a goodly portion of Scurry county was blessed with fine rains. It extended from the northern portion down the divide between Hermleigh and Wastela; the section between Snyder and Dunn also, came in for a share. About four miles north of Snyder the R. S. & P. tracks were washed out and the morning train did not get into Fluvanna until about noon. The precipitation was greater in some localities than in others. At Snyder just a good shower fell, while at Dermott it amounted to almost a water spout. The feed crop will be greatly benefited as well as some cotton that has a good growth.

Good rains are reported at Post City, Roscoe, Sweetwater and as far east as Fort Worth.

Presbyterian Meeting Closed

The Presbyterian meeting closed Sunday night and Revs. Tate and Howard left for Fluvanna Monday morning.

Gall was greatly strengthened by the week's services and it could not be hoped to have a better preacher than Brother Howard visit our town.

He holds up Christ and Him crucified and allows the individual to apply the same to his own life and see to the things in his conduct and thoughts which are inconsistent with such doctrine, his ideals are sublime, his thoughts are logical, and his presentation forceful.

We have no cleaner or more conscientious men than Bro. Tate, and among other things which Gall is indebted to him for is his selection of help to hold his revival services.—Borden Citizen.

NOTICE!

Mrs. Allen Weaver will begin her music class Monday September 9th, anyone wishing to enter see or phone her at once.

Teachers' Examination.

The school board will be in session September 6 and 7. County and state examinations. Those desiring teachers' certificates will please take notice.

Fritz R. Smith,
County Judge.

Notice to the Public

After an extended absence on account of ill health, I have resumed the practice of law at my former offices in Sweetwater, Texas, where I will be glad to receive my old clients and such new ones as have feasible suits and are willing to pay suitable fees. All business heretofore entrusted to me will receive my personal attention. The business heretofore entrusted to the firm of Hamner & Wilson will receive the joint attention of both members of the former firm until finally disposed of.
ED. J. HAMNER,
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School Per Capita.

August 20, 1912.
To the County Superintendent and County Board of Education:
This is to advise you that the State Board of Education, at its regular meeting on August 10th, fixed the apportionment of the State available school fund for the scholastic year beginning September 1, 1912, at \$6.85 per capita, which will be paid in monthly installments as funds are available.
Yours sincerely,
F. M. BRALLEY,
State Superintendent and Secretary of State Board of Education.

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H. B. Winston returned from Archer county Wednesday. He reports good crops in this section of the state, but it is the first good harvest the people there have had in several years.

Talking About

FLOUR

SEE

Denson & Smith
South side square

before you buy. We have the price now and can save you some money.

Everything in Groceries, priced to make them sell!

Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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Ice tea is the true test of tea quality—according to the foundation you use, it is either absolutely delicious or an insult to your palate.

White Swan TEA

and ordinary tea-making knowledge on your part, will produce the nicest, smoothest, most delicately flavored ice tea you ever tasted. Be sure of the brand *White Swan*.

Grocers Everywhere

sell White Swan Tea—four sizes in air-tight tins—10c, 25c, 40c, and 75c. Should your grocer be one of the few who don't carry it, write us for

A "Large Enough" Sample

so that you may learn all about White Swan Tea by the test of taster we will, on receipt of your grocer's name and address and tea cents in stamps to pay packing and postage, send you a plenty large enough sample package for you to try it several times.

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Dallas—Denison—Ft. Worth



If you are a housewife you cannot reasonably hope to be healthy or beautiful by washing dishes, sweeping and doing housework all day, and crawling into bed dead tired at night. You must get out into the open air and sunlight. If you do this every day and keep your stomach and bowels in good order by taking Chamberlain's Tablets when needed, you should become both healthy and beautiful. For sale by all dealers.

ICE.

We have started wagons in the residence part of town. Have your refrigerators ready early. Get your coupon books while they last. Ice strictly cash.

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Fine Machines

Needles, Oils, Belts and Repairs of all kinds for any make of machine at

J. D. BOYD,

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Improved, Unimproved, Timber and Raw Prairie Lands in Matagorda and Brazoria counties in small or large tracts. 44 inch rainfall.

Will Consider a Few Small Bargains In Trade

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Heat Is All On the Bottom of the Iron

And the ironing surface on an "American" Electric Iron is always clean and beautifully polished. Just the thing for all the household ironing. Do your ironing—even on the hottest day—in cool comfort, in half the time and at much lower cost.



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Coal and Wood

We have the exclusive Agency of the celebrated

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That we guarantee to be free from dust or sut and all to burn up, with 5 per cent white ashes. And to last longer than any other coal on the market. And also on all other Domestic Coal put out by the Victor American Fuel Co, of Denver Colo.

We also have good DRY OAK wood CUT and SPLIT to suit our customers Phone us, 262, your order and we will do the rest.

Blacksmithing in Connection

W. T. Baze & Sons

2038-712-400 PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION SO AS TO AUTHORIZE THE GRANT OF AID TO INDIGENT AND DISABLED SOLDIERS AND SAILORS AND THEIR WIVES.

(S. J. R. No. 9) Senate Joint Resolution.

Senate Joint Resolution to amend Section 51, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas so as to authorize the grant of aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors and their widows and to soldiers who served in the militia and in organizations for the protection of the frontier and their indigent widows and to grant aid for the establishment and maintenance of a home for the indigent and dependent wives and widows of Confederate soldiers and sailors, and such women as aided the Confederacy and authorize a special ad valorem pension tax and making appropriations for same.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Sec. 1.—That Section 51, Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

Article 3, Section 51.—The Legislature shall have no power to make any grant or authorize the making of any grant of public money to any individual, association of individuals, municipal or other corporation whatsoever; provided however, the Legislature may grant aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors who came to Texas prior to January 1, 1900 and their widows in indigent circumstances and who

have been bonafide residents of the State of Texas since January 1, 1900 and who were married to such soldiers and sailors anterior to Jan. 1 1900; to indigent and disabled soldiers, who under special laws of the State of Texas, during the war between the States served for a period of at least six months in organizations for the protection of the frontier against Indian raids or Mexican marauders and to indigent and disabled soldiers of the militia of the State of Texas who were in active service for a period of at least six months during the war between the States, or the widows of such soldiers who are in indigent circumstances, and who were married to such soldiers, prior to Jan. 1, 1900, provided that the word "widow" in the preceding lines of this section shall not apply to women born since 1861 and also to grant aid for the establishment and maintenance of a home for said soldiers and sailors, their wives and widows and women who aided in the Confederacy under such regulations and limitations as may be provided for by law; provided the Legislature may provide for husband and wife to remain together in the home.

The Legislature shall have the power to levy and collect, in addition to all other taxes heretofore permitted by the constitution of Texas, a State ad Valorem tax on property not exceeding 5 cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the payment of the pensions for services in the Confederate army and navy, frontier organizations and the militia of the State of Texas and for the widows of such soldiers serving in said armies, navies organizations or militia.

Sec. 2.—The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for the submission of this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at the general election of State officers in November 1912. At which election all voters favoring this amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For the amendment to Section 51, Article 3 of the Constitution relating to increase of Confederate pensions," and the voters opposed to said amendments shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment of Sec. 51, Article 3 of the Constitution, relating to increase of Confederate pensions."

Sec. 3.—The sum of \$5000.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of carrying out the provisions of this resolution.

Quite a number of pupils from out of town are expected to enter school here at the opening, September, 9th.

Are Ever at War.

There are two things everlastingly at war, joy and piles. Zucklen's Arnica Salve will banish piles in any form. It soon subdues the itching, irritation, inflammation or swelling. It gives comfort, invites joy. Greatest healer of burns, boils, ulcers, cuts, bruises, eczema, scalds, pimples, skin eruptions. Only 25 cents at all druggists.

Joe Bailey says he will not under any circumstances accept the governorship of Texas. Good for Joe. This is one time we hasten to give him our unqualified endorsement.

Bites of poisonous insects that cause the flesh to swell up must be treated with a healing antiseptic that will counteract the poison and heal the wound. BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT answers every requirement in such cases. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Sixteen bales of cotton were marketed last Saturday at the prices from 10 to 10.10.

Ladies, Stop, Think and Consider

That the Franko American Toilet Goods are the best in the land. Especially the Beautigine which you will find at A. D. Dodson's store.

KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS
DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY
 FOR COUGHS, COLDS, BRONCHITIS, AND ALL THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLES
 GUARANTEED SATISFACTORY OR MONEY REFUNDED.

INDIVIDUALS AND INSTITUTIONS
(Continued from Page 2.)

prosperous looking as a short time back when his revenue was \$5000 a year, although he then kept but fourteen horses. It is a bright auguring of a prosperous future and it always spells individual success to be the possessor of such a sanguine temperament.

But, Mr. Miller has lived in West Texas twenty years, thoroughly knows and believes in it, especially Snyder and Scurry county and he predicts that the dry spell has ended and that next year will be one of banner crops and plenteous prosperity.

Mr. Miller loves horses, has had to deal with them all his life and knows their good and bad traits, their fine points and their defects. He keeps good teams, drivers who know the roads and his rates are commensurate with the times.

Ed A. Kelly.

Although business conditions in Snyder are comparatively dull at the present time, due to well known obvious causes success now, as always, attends the active and energetic.

A case in point in this regards, the gentleman above named, who started his business career, but three months ago in the hotly competed for field of insurance and who has already built up a business that in the southern vernacular can be well described as "right smart."

It is true Mr. Kelly has the advantage of being the agent of first class companies in the insurance lines, such as the Providence, Washington of Providence and the Teutonia of New Orleans in fire companies and the American National of Galveston in life; he also has the advantages of a wide acquaintance and hosts of friends, having been practically raised in Scurry county, and with these vantage grounds he couples indefatigable energy and is hence meeting with deserved success. He will also deal in real estate, handling only West Texas lands and preferably those of Scurry county, the fertility of which he knows.

Mr. Kelly is in the hey day of youthful manhood and a prosperous future undoubtedly awaits him in the calling he has chosen.

He is a native of Bell county, but has lived in Fisher and Scurry counties for the past 28 years.

His office is in the Harpole-Coleman building on the north side of the square.

J. V. White.

A recent and valuable acquisition to the hotel and business world of Snyder and Scurry county is the gentleman above named who two months ago took charge of the Maxwell hotel and in the short period of time that has since elapsed has melomonpatronized this old time hostelry into one of the favorite stopping places of West Texas.

This hotel is ideally located for its purposes, adjacent to the square, depot and business center on North Bridge street.

It is a substantial, stone building and the only in the city especially constructed and conveniently designed for hotel purposes.

It has a well appointed office amply supplied with writing tables, paraphernalia for amusing games to while away a pleasant hour and the other appointment that give home like surroundings and realize what philosophical Ben Johnson had in mind when he said: "I take my comfort at mine inn." The rooms are commodious, cleanly kept and well furnished, guests have free access to hot and cold water baths, the cuisine is of the best the market contains and well cooked and whilst the rates are but \$1.00 per day every desirable desideratum to be found in more potentious and higher priced hotels is to be had at the Maxwell.

Mr. White is a native of Louisiana and as he says, was water bound in the swamp state for 27 years, but has lived in Texas for 31 years past. Prior to locating at Snyder he conducted co-jointly the two hotels at Rosecoe and for many years previous ly he was a successful business man in that town.

Mr. White is a firm believer in the fertility of West Texas soil and is the owner of 2500 acres in Andrews county as well as other holdings.

Warren Brothers.

One of the oldest established drug stores of Scurry county and one whose prescription case is presided over by amongst the oldest registered pharmacists of Western Texas, although both young men, is that of Warren Brothers, adjoining the First National Bank on the North side of the square.

The firm was established in 1904 but for 21 months prior to that date Robert Warren, the senior partner had charge of the Drug Department of the Snyder Mercantile Company.

The book



that helps you to succeed

You do not need to be a scholar to get the greatest use from this book. Many an uneducated person is now enjoying all the best the world can give with its help.

An bank book will start you on the road to success. Come into this bank today and let us give you one.

Snyder National Bank

Mr. Warren has been compounding prescriptions for 16 years, having the necessary qualifications and receiving a permit so to do when he was but 16 years of age. This he supplemented upon attaining his majority by taking the regular examination and receiving a license as a registered pharmacist.

Will Warren, the junior member of the firm has been a duly qualified registered pharmacist for eight years past.

The Warren Brothers sightly store is well stocked with drugs, and drugs sundries, wall paper, toilet articles, pocket knives, smokers' articles and the things usually to be found in a first class drug store, whilst its auxilliary cool drink stand is always thronged with pelased patrons.

As citizens, Messrs Bob and Will Warren are public spirited and progressive and pushers of all projects for the up-building of Snyder.

They are sons of the well known physician, Dr. J. W. Warren, who is the nestor of the medical profession in Scurry county.

Manhattan Hotel.

There are few as forceful factors that go so far in giving a city a good name, as superior hotel service.

A well conduted hotel is a community's best asset and advertisement, heralds afar its fair fame and quickens its avenues of trade by causing additional life blood of currency to flow through their arteries. And all this the Manhattan Hotel is and does for Snyder and Scurry County.

The travelling public does not look solely for a stopping place, but is, as well, actively alert to, and keenly appreciative of the attractive but not easily definable environments which combine and contains the luxuries, comforts and ease of home.

The present proprietors of the Manhattan, who are so well and favorably known to the travelling public as the former bonifaces of the popular Yeargin Hotel in this city, have the happy faculty of giving to the hostelry this home-like atmosphere whilst keeping it equipped with the best appointments and its table, supplied with the choicest viands in the markets.

The Manhattan has thirty-four commodius, well furnished rooms, hot and cold water in the lavatories and bath rooms; has a well appointed office supplied with desks, writing material and other accessories and accommodations for its guests, its bus meets all trains and it is, in short, modern and down to date in all regards.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Yeargin are pioneer residents of Texas, essentially progressive and always active participants in every movement making for the material benefits of the city.

Sewing Machines at Sacrifice.
 During the month of September, I will offer for sale one half dozen White Sewing Machines at less than cost.

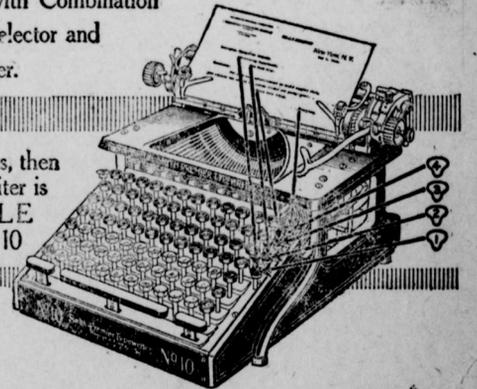
If you want one of the finest machines made, at an extremely low price, don't miss this chance.

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Ask the man with whom you talk typewriters if he has a machine with Combination

Column Selector and Paragrapher.

If he has, then his typewriter is a **VISIBLE MODEL 10**



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The Combination Column Selector and Paragrapher is the latest labor saving idea in typewriting.

It saves 10 to 20 per cent. of the time and labor according to the nature of the work; and it does it in the simplest manner—by keyboard control of the carriage movements.

The Smith Premier Typewriter, Model 10, has Fourteen new features—all of vital importance in producing the best and quickest work. Let us send you a Smith Premier catalogue, describing them all.

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First State Bank & Trust Co., Snyder, Texas.

Snyder's Financial Institutions.

Its banks best bespeak a community's prosperity and are its sheet anchors of safety in the adverse hour.

It is true they are usually first to feel an advancing tide of fortune and to float to dividend anchorage on its favoring flood, but it should also be borne in mind that in the dark day of financial stress and storm they ever stand ready with a succoring life line for every worthy breaker threatened enterprise and to pilot it through the dangerous shoals of monetary stringency to a safe harbor of success.

Snyder, with its three great financial institutions with capital, surplus and profits of over \$300,000.00 and resources of over one million has a valid reason to be proud of its financial showing and in its largest banking institution, the

Snyder National Bank.

The citizens of Scurry county have a breakwater of Gibraltar-like strength to safeguard them against any tidal wave of financial disaster.

This splendidly successful institution was chartered as a National Bank but seven years ago, March 7th, 1905.

Its statement of condition made to the comptroller of the currency, June 14th last, tersely tells a story of sound and successful banking rarely equalled and, as well, attests the inherent richness of resource of Snyder and Scurry county. Upon the date mentioned it had respective resources and liabilities of \$334,634.40.

Significant items of its liabilities well evidencing that Snyder community is in a prosperous condition and this bank successfully and profitably conducted, are those showing that its surplus and undivided profits aggregated \$43,222.17 or nearly half its capital stock, and that its combined individual and demand deposits amount to \$148,244.32.

It is very questionable if any bank in any section of the Lone Star State can make a showing superior to the above, even in those sections where the most propitious conditions have prevailed.

The officers of this noteworthy successful banking institution are: President, W. A. Fuller, Vice Pres., E. W. Clark; Cashier, O. P. Thrane; Assistant Cashiers, George Ralston, M. A. Fuller. All are names that are synonyms of success and integrity in every confine of Scurry county.

The First National Bank

Snyder's oldest banking institution and a lusty giant of titanic strength and power in the field of finance is the First National Bank which was established in 1900. Its original capital stock was \$25,000.00 which, to give greater elasticity to its increasing volume of business was six years later increased to \$60,000.00.

The career of the First National Bank has been unusually successful, unprecedentedly so as regards its earnings which, as shown by its surplus and undivided profits as per its last sworn statement of condition made in requirement with the law in June last, aggregated \$42,617.60 or closely approximating its capital stock at its par value.

The story to be deduced from this splendid showing is not alone one of successful banking for it also speaks eloquently of the productivity and redundant resources of this section and its prosperity of its people—and this latter statement is further emphasized by the fact that notwithstanding the comparative quiet of recent years in business and industrial channels the business of the bank has steadily increased and its asset and resources augmented—all of which bears strong evidence and is a safe criterion of the community's wealth and prosperity.

The First National Bank occupies its own slightly and substantial two story brick building especially erected for banking purposes, on the northwest corner of the square. It is officered by the following well known successful citizens: W. A. Fuller, president; Robt. H. Cur-

putte, Cashier; E. E. Grimes and Miss Ethel Wasson, assistant cashiers.

Messrs N. N. Rodgers, D. A. Jones and W. D. Sims, wealthy and successful farmers and ranchmen, with Mr. Johnson and Mr. Curmutte comprise the board of directors. It is but fair to say that to Mr. Curmutte upon whom devolves the practical management of the bank, is in great measure due its splendid success.

The First State Bank & Trust Co.

Last, but by no means least of Snyder's sound financial institutions, and one housed in the most beautiful and substantial bank building of all West Texas, is the only one chartered under the laws of Texas, which charter carries with it the credit, standing and resources of our great commonwealth as one of the State Banks assets to safeguard the funds of its commercial depositors.

This bank was organized in October 1907 and although the period that has since elapsed has not been up to the ordinary standard as regards crop production and money in circulation it has enjoyed a most successful career. One of the elements that have contributed to the bank's unusual success and high standing is the fact that its executive and directing officers are made up of old time citizens of tried and true probity and eminent success in their individual pursuits. These are: H. B. Patterson, president; Col. A. C. Wilmeth, vice president; C. L. Ezell Cashier; and J. C. Stinson, assistant cashier.

H. P. Patterson, A. C. Wilmeth, J. D. Scoggins, W. W. Smith and G. W. Harris comprise the board of directors—all of which names are household words in every confine of Scurry county and symbolic of success and integrity of character.

Under the banking law of Texas, by virtue of which the First State Bank and Trust Company is chartered, no officer of a bank is allowed to borrow or use the bank's funds without first getting permission from the board of directors and the fact made a matter of record on the minutes of the board, and hence no officer is permitted to overdraw his accounts, and no director can use or borrow more than ten per cent of a bank's capital stock and surplus without getting like permission.

The above stringent provisions of the State law coupled with the further enactment that all State Banks must contribute to a sinking fund up to \$2,000,000.00 to be deposited with the State treasurer to safeguard the funds of the customer gives an element of strength to State Banks that cannot be had in private banks or those chartered by the federal government.

Snyder Cotton Oil Company.

Its manufactures are the pulsing heart of a community's prosperity and the merry hum of their machinery wheels sing a sweeter song than the peans of departed glory or the tales of triumph in war. And whilst Snyder is essentially an agricultural and soil tilling center it has several industrial plants that rank with similar enterprises of the Southwest and in which its citizens take a justifiable pride—chief among them as regards material dimensions, the number of persons to which it gives employment and general utilitarian usefulness to all classes of the community, is the Snyder Cotton Oil Co. the greatest plant of this kind in Western Texas.

It is located a mile south of the city proper, adjoining the R. S. & P. tracks and its commodious buildings and enclosures cover a large area of ground. These comprise the mill proper, which is 36x200 feet in dimensions and which has a capacity of crushing 80 tons of seed daily, and extracting therefrom 2400 gallons of the beneficent cotton seed oil which goes to the different marts of trade for refinement and sale to be ultimately used in the manufacture for domestic cooking purposes, as a medicine and for the myriad of uses for which cotton oil has been found to be ideal. The mill is equipped with a 250

horse power Hamilton-Corless engine, two 150 horse power high pressure boilers and the Buckeye equipment throughout save ten carver linters.

It was erected under the supervision of J. C. Fox, a skilled cotton seed oil man of thirty years experience in the Southern cotton fields, who has since been its superintendent.

The largest building of the plant is the adjoining seed house 60x240 feet in size which has a storage capacity of 5000 tons, and the next the hull house, 50x100 feet with a capacity of 600 tons. Then there is the commodious and well appointed 28x40 foot office building, the mule and horse barns, the stock enclosures where are fed from 1,000 to 2,500 head daily in shipping time and the other auxiliary houses of a great industrial plant.

The executive officers of this important and splendidly equipped plant comprise men whose names are closely identified with the development and up-building of Snyder. They are: Pres. W. A. Fuller, Vice Pres., E. W. Clark, Secretary and Manager, M. A. Fuller; Treasurer, O. P. Thrane.

Snyder Nurseries.

W. K. Eastes, Proprietor

One 1-4 miles southwest of Snyder advantageously situated midway between the Santa Fe and Roscoe, Snyder & Pacific Ry. tracks is the nucleus of what assuredly one day will be one of the greatest industries of Scurry county and Western Texas.

Reference is had to the Snyder Nurseries of which W. K. Eastes is proprietor, established three years ago and which are steadily progressing and giving promise of attaining vast proportions. Nor is Mr. Eastes' efforts confined to the propagation of trees and shrubs that have been preva indigenous to the soil and climate of Western Texas. He has demonstrated that here is the natural home of the peach, pear, plum, and apricot and many members of deciduous fruit family and that almost every variety of venerated grapes, the table and wine grapes transplanted from Spain, Italy, Hungary and other semi-tropical continental countries to California and Barstow and other places in this state will thrive in their adopted home equally as well as in their native land. He has this year budded seventy thousand of these plants and is carrying over thirty thousand two-year olds having thoroughly tested eight different Venera varieties and found six that grew to lusty life beyond his most sanguine expectations.

Generally speaking the Snyder Nurseries are propagators and growers of high grade nursery stock and from actual observation have proven that plant life best succeeds in its native locality and that the planting of foreign trees should be avoided as they are out of their native climate, are often dried out or frozen in transit and are liable to bring bad diseases to not only destroy present orchards but to live for ages and contaminate others.

The Snyder Nurseries during its three years of life have been uniformly successful in every one of their output of peaches, plum, apricot, pears, cherries, figs, grapes and berries and in ornamental shade trees, evergreens, hedge plants, clinging vines, deciduous flower shrubs and roses have successfully met an increasing demand and their stock has unfailingly bore, bloomed and blossomed to beautiful life and maturity.

Mr. Eastes, who comes of a family of orchardists and nurserymen and has, himself, had fifteen years experience, firmly believes that this section is not only ideal for the propagation of Nursery stock, but the natural home of most of the deciduous fruits and that in time even king cotton will give first place to the fruit family as a profitable crop.

C. Nation and Son

When with the coming of the additional railroad systems of the Katy, the Frisco and the Rock Island, which dream is certain to be fulfilled as the confirmation of the county and the logic of commercial strategy demand it if these lines are to expand and reach the fertile country lying west and north, Snyder will become a great wholesaling center. Nor is this field now entirely unfilled. The firm above named are very extensive wholesalers as well as retail dealers in grain and feed stuff. They import grain and corn in car lots for local consumption and they purchase at the highest market price the peerless feeders of milo maize and kafir corn for which Scurry county is famed and of which it produces more than any other west Texas county.

Messrs. C. Nation and Son occupy their own handsome two-story brick building, 30x80 feet in dimensions, situated a half block north of the square on Scarborough street. Albeit the comparative quiet prevailing

in trade circles they report an excellent business the current year.

Both sire and son of the responsible and reliable firm are Texas born and bred and are proud to claim the cotton king county of good old Ellis as their native heath.

Mr. Nation, senior, has seen 52 summers and Earl Nation his son has recently turned the 28th mile post of life.

B. A. Eubank.

The new comer to a community helps support its schools and churches and "the butcher, the baker and the candle stick maker" but the energetic real estate man, whose enterprise brought him thither, usually gets but one whack at him in the shape of a small commission.

Did you ever think of it, you merchants, doctors, lawyers and artisans who depend upon the development of the community for your livelihood?

Rightly considered its responsible real estate men are the greatest history makers and builders and in the very van of this desirable type of business man in this highly deserving field is County Clerk, B. A. Eubank whose principal efforts during his six years residence in Snyder has been the securing of capital and investment in Scurry county lands and enterprises corollary with which he has placed a great many loans for foreign investors in city and county property, thereby enhancing the volume of money, current in the arteries of trade and industry.

He is a sincere believer in the fertility of Scurry county soil, its illimitable and as yet but little developed resources and its assured future rapid progress along the pathway of prosperity.

Mr. Eubank has served as County Clerk for four years being twice elected to this office by pronounced majorities and declining renomination at the recent primaries.

He is an active member of the useful and progressive Young Men's Business League and ever in the vanguard of all movements making for a bigger and better Snyder.

Col. A. C. Wilmeth

In every community there are personalities of such pronounced individuality and marked ability in the profession or calling in life they are pursuing that if their predilections lead them into the pathways of public life or the promotion of measures and movements for the common and public good they inevitably become instruments of great material benefit to the section in which they reside.

And it is no disparagement of the many able and enterprising citizens who have placed Snyder and Scurry county on the map in bold face type to state that for nearly three decades past A. C. Wilmeth has been one of the most potent of forces and factors in developing their respective resources and heralding afar their fair fame and advantages.

Framed in his office is his check for \$2,000.00 with the paid cancel stamp of the teller thereon. This was the first cash bonus paid to secure the construction of the Roscoe, Snyder & Pacific Ry. and it is indicative of what has always been his attitude towards all matters making for progress and material advancement. His was the greatest instrumentality and individual force in securing the building of this road, he was likewise indefatigable in his efforts to supplement this line with the Santa Fe a few years later and his name is indissolubly interwoven with enterprises of this and kindred nature for the upbuilding and development of the city and county.

Alexander Campbell Wilmeth first saw the light in Collin county, Texas, April 7, 1861, being the son of a hardy pioneer but poor parents and his success in life has been wholly self wrought and achieved. After a meagre education such as the public

schools then afforded, he pored over the precepts of Blackstone, Kent and other commentators on jurisprudence by the light of the tallow candles of early after-bellum days, self taught himself in the law without the aid of preceptors and at an early age was admitted to practice.

He landed in Snyder in October, 1884 when a half dozen people and one store constituted the hamlet population and business world of this now flourishing city and he has ever since permanently resided here.

Perceiving the fertility of the surrounding country and the strategic advantages of the site that is now Snyder, he planted his foundations deep and lasting and cast his future lot with the struggling village which he has so materially aided to become a prosperous city.

The public offices which he has held and in which he has won the encomium of "well done thou good and faithful servant" have been State Surveyor, beginning in 1886; County and District Attorney 1900 to 1904 and representative of the 101st district then embracing 29 counties from 1905 to 1909. In the assembly he was the father of many and an advocate of all measures for the general public good and for the interest of West Texas in particular which lack of space does not permit of here recounting.

Mr. Wilmeth helped organize and is Vice President of the First State Bank and Trust Company; organized and was first president of the Snyder Development Co.; his individual championship gave Scurry the honor of being the first West Texas county to go dry and as heretofore noted his name is linked with practically every movement making for the moral up-lift and material betterment of this section.

In the prime of physical and mental manhood his active and far seeing mind is still busy evolving plans and projects for furthering the interests of Snyder and Scurry county which will doubtless take tangible shape and materialize into practical units.



Interior of Snyder Drug Company.

Snyder Drug Company.

"A thing of beauty is a joy forever" whether it be a lovely nature land scene, a creation of the artist's brush or a handsome and elegantly appointed store. All alike appeal to one artistic sense and leave pleasing impressions on the mind and hence it is that one entering the splendid establishment above named always experiences an exhilarating sensation.

For it is beyond question the most elegantly equipped and appointed pharmacy in all the broad domain of West Texas.

The store is located in the corner of the slightly and substantial Manhattan Hotel or the Scarborough building on the South side of the square, is 30 x 100 feet in dimensions, its show cases, prescription cases and appointments throughout are done in uniform, beautiful golden oak finish, which the active and glittering and aglow in burnished polish and its vast stock of drugs and medicines, fancy goods, toilet articles, books, stationery, leather

goods and the other things to be found in a downtown drug store are in keeping with these felicitous fittings. To the rear of the store are handsomely appointed suites of offices, which are occupied by three of the leading physicians of the city, Dr. A. O. Scarborough, Dr. W. R. Johnson and Dr. T. J. Whitmore—for this pharmacy puts up more prescriptions than any other in Scurry county.

And it is perhaps proper to here mention that Mr. Neil Gross, manager of this superb store since its establishment, is one of the oldest registered pharmacists in West Texas. Mr. Gross passed examination and was registered in 1897 at Denison, Texas and since that time has been actively engaged in his profession, having had charge of the prescription cases in leading Colorado drug stores for seven years prior to locating at Snyder.

The Snyder Drug Co. was established in August, 1910, and ever since throwing open its doors has done a markedly successful business.

It is an incorporated company, with a capital stock of \$10,000.00, fully paid, and its executive officers are composed of the following well known citizens and capitalists: Pres. Judge C. R. Buchanan; Vice Pres. B. F. Pryor and Sec. Treas. Lee Boren.

Rogers and Casstevens

A Snyder firm that combines the merchandising of useful goods with the utilitarian industry of manufacturing other articles indispensable to the soil tilling industry of Scurry county is that of Rogers and Casstevens whose commodious store and shop adjoins the Signal office on the east side of the square.

Their retail everything in shelf hardware, keep a superb line of stoves of popular makes and approved qualities that commend them to the prudent housewife and they make ranks of any dimensions, supply gasoline engines of any power desired, handle the best manufactur-

ers of windmills and have a well appointed tin shop with a master tinsmith of long experience, J. P. Beck, in charge of this indispensable and well patronized department.

The members of the firm are W. W. Rogers and S. J. Casstevens, who purchased the business of Lowe & Leath a year ago. Messrs. Rogers and Casstevens are old time stockmen of Scurry county with hosts of friends in its every confine and hence since assuming charge of their present establishment have done a flourishing and constantly increasing business.

Both are pleasant demeanored and affable gentlemen to meet, live wire, progressive citizens and potent factors in up-building and developing our town and county.

Watermelons

I desire to recommend the Georgia Sweet watermelons as the best melon I have ever raised. They are on sale at Ketcher Brothers, fresh all the time.

W. E. SORRELS, Ira, Texas



Residence of Jas. R. Welch, Snyder.



Dunn High School.

Owl Drug Store.

It sounds a cheerful note and is a message fraught with optimistic omen for a community's future, of its mercantile world, like a sanguine and hopeful view of present conditions and those expected to come.

No one interviewed by the LEXICON editor has an abiding faith in Snyder and Scurry county than Mr. F. V. Clark, proprietor of the Owl Drug Co., Treasurer of the Young Men's Business League and an all round live wire citizen.

When queried in this regard, he said: "I located here, three years ago, after a full examination of the resources of Snyder and Scurry Co. and a firm conviction in the fertility of the surrounding soil and the city's strategic commercial advantages. I am still assured, altho' trade conditions have not been up to the standard for a few months, that my conclusions were correct and I will adhere to them till the last day in the morning."

"We have had, it is true, a period of dryness during recent years, but our people's purse sars by no means depleted and I expect to soon see this section riding the buoyant crest of a long wave of prosperity."

Mr. Clark is a young and active business man in his 31st year, who has been reared and educated in Limestone county. Adopting pharmacy as a profession he has followed it through life and three years ago branched out for himself, selecting Snyder as his field for operations.

The Owl Drug Store is one of the best appointed and stocked pharmacies of Scurry county, and as heretofore noted, its proprietor has a pre-empted seat in the band wagon of progress.

J. H. Sears & Co.

Entering the portals of the above mentioned palatial establishment one can, by the merest flight of fancy, imagine oneself transplanted to the interior of some modern metropolitan emporium for its endless and tastily and conveniently arranged assortment of every article of apparel to adorn and beautify the female form divine, and to give

ings department and shoes and other distinct lines in departments by themselves. Mr. Sears having had the store rebuilt with an eye single to the pleasure and comfort of his patrons in this regard.

This great emporium was opened two years ago, in what is erroneously, if the business of this establishment be a criterion, termed our dull time period. Ever since throwing open its doors it has enjoyed a large and ever increasing trade and, it is not inappropriate to mention, a trade made up from the best people of Snyder and Scurry county.

The sole proprietor of this splendid emporium is J. H. Sears, who was formerly for fifteen years a leading and successful merchant of Corsicana. He is a native of Alabama, in his forty-fifth year, but was raised in and has lived all his life in Texas.

Mr. Sears is a valuable acquisition to our mercantile world.

Snyder Steam Laundry.

One of the principal spokes in Snyder's industrial wheel and its most important enterprise as regards the number of permanent employees on its weekly pay roll is the Snyder Steam Laundry, situated three blocks north of the square.

It is 24x70 ft. in dimensions and is equipped with the most modern machinery known to the laundry trade and employs only skilled and competent labor which fact coupled with the water available at Snyder for laundry purposes, probably accounts for its high repute for turning out the very best laundry work to be had. Aside from keeping all Snyderites cleanly as pertains to the important item of linen, it does the laundry work for all the towns in the county and many outside points.

The proprietor of the plant is Mr. P. E. Davenport, a native Texan who resided in Eastland county prior to his purchasing the laundry a year ago. He is a progressive citizen and a valuable addition to Snyder's business world.

Snyder Grocery Company

The busy 20th century is an age of specialization and it is eminently proper that it should be for in-

changes its goods and keeps its stock pure and fresh and hence is the favorite and largest purveyor in this line in the city and one of the greatest grocery establishments in West Texas.

It occupies the slightly and commodious 30x120 feet store building on the southwest corner of the square and every available foot of the interior is stocked with a superior line of staple and fancy groceries. It has done a large and steadily increasing business ever since its establishment two years ago, which trade is not confined to the city but extends to many enviroing ranch and farm homes. Free delivery is maintained in all parts within th city limits.

Hunter Mercantile Company.

One of the modern metropolitan merchandising establishments that give class and style to Snyder's mercantile world is the emporium of the above named company on the west side of the square of which Mr. J. J. Hunter is the sole proprietor. The Hunter Mercantile Company is strictly a dry goods house and carries everything to properly garb and adorn either sex. It is impossible in the limitations of a brief sketch to enumerate all its beautiful stock of stylish, durable and fashion-able fabrics and garments, but it should be said that it is the only store in Snyder where can be secured the incomparable Palmer Ready-to-Wear suits, cloaks, etc., that are conceded peerless in fit, finish, style, and quality and are especially favorites of the feminine sex. Here also is headquarters for Longly Hats, the most popular of all makes with well dressed men and in clothing, shoes, haberdashery and the other articles of personal use and adornment to be found in a first class dry goods store, its line is varied and complete.

This splendid mercantile house was established in 1909 and has always enjoyed a full meed of public approval and patronage, in fact its business has exceeded its proprietor's most sanguine expectations. Mr. Hunter came to Snyder from Adair county, Kentucky, where his life he had been a successful merchant. He is a great believer in the prosperous future of this section and states that it much reminds him of his own native state of blue grass blooded horses and bonny women. A modern, enterprising and energetic merchant and public spirited and progressive citizen, Mr. Hunter is a desirable addition to Snyder's world of live wire business men.

Darby and Son

The above progressive firm filled an exceedingly useful and utilitarian field in Scurry county when they established their business at Snyder three years ago. Primarily they are plumbers and steam fitters but they make most any kind of steam or gas machinery and repair all machinery of any and every description.

An important branch of their business is the manufacture of tanks and the supplying of gasoline engines in any dimensions or horsepower desired. Many of the prosperous farms, orchards and gardens that dot the landscape in Scurry county have been outfitted by them in this particular.

A very important innovation which this firm is now introducing is the Air Lift, manufactured by the Gardner Air Compressor Co. of Quincy, Ill. which is used in connection with a gasoline engine and which of a surety is the most reliable and most economical means of extracting water from wells to be diverted to the soil for irrigation purposes or used for domestic purposes.

Space does not permit of a detailed description of the air lift, which can however, be seen at the firm's place of business west of the First State Bank, but amongst its advantages may be enumerated cheapness of installment and operation, the fact that one compressor will supply air for a number of wells, more economy in fuel consumption than the direct acting steam pump. It

has no bothersome and expensive plungers or pump rods and generally it affords the best and most reliable service. Messrs Darby and Son will shortly install one of these air lifts on the place of banker H. B. Patterson adjacent to the city and similar lifts and pump compressors are used by the city of Dallas for its water supply for all purposes.

A. J. McDowell & Co.

Its responsible and reliable real-estate dealers, brokers and agents are the most potential forces of a community making for its material advancement, the peopling of its tillable soil, the up-building of the city and the general development of city and county resources though not always are they accorded this meed of merit. Such a firm is the one here considered. It is no disparagement of his able and enterprising colleagues and confreres in this useful field, for it is a fact well known and duly acknowledged that A. J. McDowell, senior member of the firm, has during his seven years residence in Snyder brought more capital to Scurry county and settled more people on its fertile acreage than any person in this section—and J. R. Welch, who is associated with Mr. McDowell has been no lagard in a similar regard as is elsewhere told of. Even in the present prevailing dull times, A. J. McDowell & Co. are actively hustling and doing business as will be noted by a transfer approximating \$50,000.00 which they have just consummated and referred to in the news columns of the Signal.

And through other channels this firm, or rather Mr. McDowell has brought great sums of the present greatly needed sinews of capital to West Texas. He is district manager of the Hartford Life Insurance Company and through his instrumentality, this company has placed vast sums in loans in the plains country and this immediate section and it is

Blackard-Johnson Hardware Co

The great establishment of the mercantile firm above named at the Southwest corner of the square occupies more floor space than any other merchandising house in Snyder and it is likely that its annual volume of business vastly exceeds that of any other business house.

It covers 60x150 feet in the corner store where is mainly carried its shelf and heavy hardware, buggies and farming implements of all kinds whilst in the adjoining building and connecting southern store, 60x80 in size is a superb stock of furniture, every useful and ornamental fixture to furnish a home or appropriately appoint an office or place of business.

Besides these store buildings the firm also utilizes much storage warehouse room.

The members of the Blackard-Johnson Co. which was organized Jan. 1st last when it purchased the stock, good will and all assets of the McCullough Hardware Co., are W. F. Johnson, J. K. Blackard H. M. Blackard and R. A. Blackard. Mr. Johnson was an active member of the firm which preceded the present one and the Messrs Blackard are amongst the best known ranch and stockmen of Scurry county.

The firm has done an exceptionally good business since its organization, in view of the somewhat depressed conditions in business, the ramifications of its trade covering not only Scurry county, but extending to Garza, Kent, oBrien, Fisher and Northern Mitchell county.

And inasmuch as the business of a large concern handling the ranch and farm necessary articles of utility, as does this company, well mirrors and reflects the condition of the soil tillers in its tributary trade sections this firm's flourishing business augurs well for the future stability and prosperity of this portion of West Texas.

ful farmer in that then virgin territory. Later he was for eight years to a day one of the leading grocers of Snyder and about a year ago he established his present prosperous business as a whole sale and retail dealer in grains and feed stuffs. He imports the former in car load lots and buys the surplus productions, when propitious seasons provide any, of milo maize and kaffir corn, shipping same to eastern markets where it is regarded as a premier fodder. Mr. Fickas is a native of Missouri, but has lived in Texas lo! these many years and does not have to be "shown" anything relative to its productive acreage or other peerless advantages.



Mac W. Weaver.

The stranger in Snyder might easily imagine himself in Dallas in some modern, metropolitan center if he judged by the nattish, stylishness of the well dressed men he meets on our streets.

The solution is to be found in the fact that this city has the most down-to-date outfitting establishment in men's wear in all west Texas. At the superb store of Mac W. Weaver on the northeast corner of the square, the most commanding location in the city, any form can be fitted, the most exacting taste suited, in men's and boys' wearing apparel of the latest styles and finish, in modish hats, in durable, and fitting footwear and in those essenti-



Burton-Lingo Lumber Co. Snyder.

BURTON-LINGO CO.

T. G. Deffebach, Mgr.

Whilst the central office and headquarters of the great lumber company above named is at Ft. Worth, it maintains at Snyder one of the largest most fully stocked of its vast chain of yards and has played a conspicuous part in the development and upbuilding of Snyder and Scurry County.

It is one of the oldest lumber firms of this section and established almost contemporaneously with the founding of the city. There are but few public or private buildings of any consequence for which it has not furnished the lumber and building material as it ever had close relations and connections with the early day and later contractors. It is a wholesale and retail dealer in lumber, wire and building material and it is scarcely necessary to say carries every constructive requisite in these lines and the vast ramifications and volume of business enables it at all times to meet and often undersell any competition in its field.

The officers of this great enterprise which operates over a score of yards throughout Texas are: President and Gen. Mgr. W. Burton, Vice President, J. A. Johnson, Secretary and Treasurer, A. Deffebach.

The local manager of the company for a year and a half past has been Mr. T. G. Deffebach, a brother of the Secretary and Treasurer. Mr. Deffebach although in appearance and speech a typical southern Texan, is a native of Colorado, and was reared and educated in the Black Hills of South Dakota.

Mr. Deffebach is thoroughly trained in all branches of the lumber trade, is ever courteous and affable in demeanor and is public spirited and progressive.

S. R. Fickas.

There is probably no person in Scurry county better posted as to its varied resources than pioneer, S. R. Fickas, who for almost a quarter of a century past has woven the wool of industry in different callings having to do with or closely related to the products of its soil. Twenty two years ago he began farming on the fertile soil of the divide lands near Hermleigh and for nearly a decade he was a success-

als that are the best criterions of the beau monde in correct garb, conservative, yet striking neckties and every approved form and style of haberdashery. Mr. Weaver, albeit as yet a young man, is one of the pioneer merchants of west Texas, having been in business in Snyder for five years, at Abilene seven years, at Hico ten years and at Iredell four years, in all of which cities he was eminently successful and there as here, had hosts of patrons and friends.

Although so long a resident of Texas and imbued with all the Lone Star State's best traditions, he first saw the light in Tennessee, where he was reared and close to its confines of which, in the bonny blue grass state of Kentucky, he wooed, won and led to the hymenal altar his charming wife.

Mr. Weaver is essentially progressive and in the vanguard of the procession of live wire citizens who are building Snyder and developing Scurry county.

B. C. Davenport

Amongst the comparatively newcomers to Snyder who have achieved marked success in its business world is B. C. Davenport, the hardware merchant on the south side of the square.

This house has a good trade in the supplying of tanks, windmills and they have built up a flourishing trade in Scurry and neighboring counties.

He is a booster in the sense of being public spirited and progressive and a desirable acquisition to Snyder's business life.

Wanted—Cotton Pickers.

I want at once, a number of cotton pickers at Ira, Texas. Have good cotton for this year.

Have good cotton for this year.

ALEX. BARNETT.

Granville Johnson, enroute home from Marfa, Texas, stopped over for a short visit with home folks. He is now located at Canadian, Texas. He says fine rains have fallen around Fort Stockton and Marfa and the country is in fine shape.

Gay McGlaun is handling the press wagon this week.



Interior of Snyder Steam Laundry.

class and style to the more rugged outline of the sterner sex, is scarcely surpassed by the more pretentious stores of our great cities.

This is markedly true as pertains to fabrics and garments dear to the feminine heart and ready to wear clothes for gentlemen, comprising the very latest in style and fashion and which combine with the desirable distinctions, durability and lasting qualities.

A peculiarly commendable feature of the commodious 31x125 foot store is the segregation of its different departments into separate compartments, insuring desirable privacy in making suitable selections and fitting garments to the form.

To the rear of the main floor space is a raised enclosure for ladies ready to wear suits, cloaks, etc., beyond this, is a still higher compartment is the millinery department, where is to be found the latest au fai fashions n headwear, below, beneath these divisions and the store proper, is the men's furnish-

competency is not tolerated in any walk of life. Thus the physician who makes a profound study of the eye, ear or any organ is a greater authority on its diseases, defects and what is best for it than the general practitioner, the lawyer who specializes in corporate law can prepare a better trust brief than his brother attorney who handles all classes of cases.

An analogy is true in a strict or sense in the business world. The firm or company, for instance that caters solely to supplying the necessities of existence, the staple groceries and food stuffs that sustain and nourish life have a far better knowledge of the needs of a housewife than general merchants who handle his groceries as a supplemental or side line.

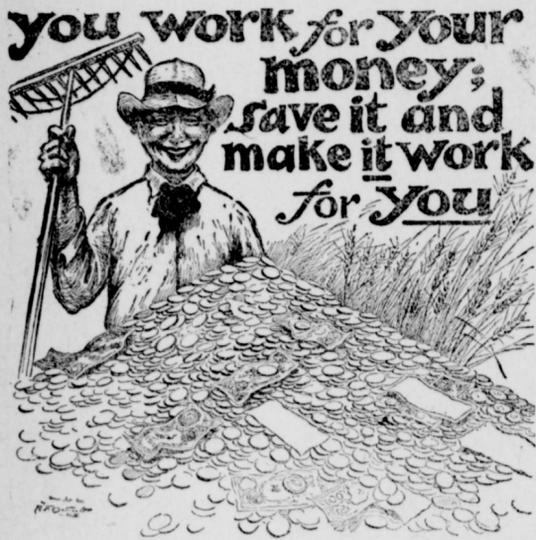
The Snyder Grocery Co. is a specialist in its line, the leading exclusive grocery establishment in Scurry county, gives all the time, talent and thought of its management to the needs of the family table, frequently

FRIO VALLEY WINTER GARDENS

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION AUTHORIZING CITIES OF MORE THAN 5000 INHABITANTS TO ADOPT THEIR CHARTERS BY VOTE OF THE PEOPLE.

(H. J. R. No. 10) House Joint Resolution.

House Joint Resolution proposing an Amendment to Section 5 of Article II of the Constitution of the State of Texas providing for cities of more than five thousand (5000) inhabitants to adopt their charter by a vote of the people.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:
Sec. 1—That Section 5 of Article II of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Sec. 5—Cities having more than five thousand (5000) inhabitants may, by a majority vote of the qualified voters of said city at an election held for that purpose, adopt or amend their charters, subject to such limitation as may be prescribed by the Legislature and providing that no charter or any ordinance passed under said charter shall contain any provision, inconsistent with the Constitution of the State or of the general laws enacted by the legislature of this State; said cities may levy may be authorized by law or by their charters; but no tax for any purpose shall ever be lawful for any

one year, which shall exceed two and one-half percent of the taxable property of such city and no debt shall ever be created by any city unless at the same time provision be made to assess and collect annually a sufficient sum to pay the interest thereon and creating a sinking fund of at least two per cent thereon, and providing further, that no city charter shall be altered, amended or repealed oftener than every two years

Sec. 2—The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation, submitting this amendment to the qualified voters of Texas at the next general election held in this State for other purposes, then this proposed amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State. At such election, those favoring the amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words: "For Amendment to Section 5, Article II of the Constitution, authorizing cities of more than five thousand inhabitants to adopt their charters by a vote of the people;" those opposing said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against amendment to Section 5, Article II of the Constitution, authorizing cities of more than five thousand inhabitants to adopt their charters by a vote of the people." The sum of five thousand dollars or so much as is necessary is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of the publication of this for the election.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION CREATING THE OFFICE OF PRISON COMMISSIONER AND MAKING THE TERM OF OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF PRISON COMMISSIONERS SIX YEARS.

(H. J. R. No. 22) House Joint Resolution.

A Joint Resolution proposing to amend Article XVI of the State Constitution by adding hereto Section 58, creating the office of Prison Commissioner and making the term of office of the Board of Prison Commissioners six years, and making an appropriation.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Sec. 1—That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section which shall be known as Section 58 and shall read as follows:

Sec. 58 (Art. XVI) The Board of law with the control and management of the State Prisons, shall be composed of three members appointed by the Governor, by and with the consent of the Senate, or whose terms of office shall be six years, or until their successors are appointed and qualified; provided that the terms of office of the Board of Prison Commissioners first appointed after the adoption of this amendment shall begin on January 20 of the year following the adoption of this amendment and shall hold office as follows: One shall serve two years, one four years and one six years. Their terms to be decided by lot after they shall have qualified and one Prison Commissioner shall be appointed every two years thereafter. In case of a vacancy in said office the Governor of this State shall fill said vacancy by appointment for the unexpired term hereof.

Sec. 2—The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue and have published the necessary proclamation for the submission of this proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas to the qualified voters for the members of the

Legislature of the State, of Texas Legislature of the State of Texas at the next general election to be held in this State. All persons favoring said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots: "For a Six Year Term of Prison Commissioners" and those opposed to the adoption of this amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots "Against a Six Year's term for Prison Commissioners."

Sec. 3—The sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds of the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to defray expenses of publication of the Governor's proclamation submitting this proposed amendment.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PROVIDING THAT MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE STATE UNIVERSITY AND THE BOARDS OF TRUSTEES AND MANAGERS OF THE EDUCATIONAL, ELEEMOSYNARY AND PENAL INSTITUTIONS SHALL BE ELECTED OR APPOINTED FOR THE TERM OF SIX YEARS.

(H. J. R. No. 9) House Joint Resolution.

An Act proposing an amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding a new section thereto, to be entitled "Section 30a" providing that the members of the Board of Regents of the State University, and the boards of trustees or managers of educational, eleemosynary and penal institutions of the State, and such other boards as have been or may hereafter be established by law, may be elected or appointed for a term of six (6) years one-third of the members of such boards to be elected or appointed every two (2) years in the manner provided by law, fixing the time for holding the election, and making the appropriation therefor.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Sec. 1—That Article 16 of the Constitution be amended by adding a new section thereto to be known and designated as "30a" and to read as follows:

Section 30a—The legislature may provide by law that the members of the Board of Regents of the State University and Boards of Trustees or managers of the educational, eleemosynary and penal institutions of the State, and such boards as have been or may hereafter be established by law, may hold their respective offices for a term of six (6) years, one third of the members of such board to be elected or appointed every two (2) years in such manner as the Legislature may determine; vacancies in such offices to be filled as may be provided by law" and the Legislature shall enact suitable laws to give effect to this section.

Sec. 2—The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for the members of the legislature, at the next general election to be held in this State, at which election, all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots: "For the Amendment of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, regulating the term of office of the Board of Regents of the State University and other Boards of Trustees or Managers, heretofore or hereafter established by law." And all voters opposed to said amendment shall have printed or written on their ballots the words: "Against the Amendment of Article 16 of the Constitution of

the State of Texas, regulating the term of office of the Board of Regents of the State University, and other Board of Trustees of Managers heretofore or hereafter established by law."

Sec. 3—The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and have the same published as required by the law of this State.

Sec. 4—The sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of said proclamation, publication, and election.

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