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APOSTLES OF PROGRESS HERE

Col. Dell M. Potter and Party Address Meeting at Court House. Great Highway Planned

Col. Dell M. Potter addressed a meeting of the Southern Highway Association in Dallas Monday to unfold plans for the great route that is to pass through 17 states.

The Dallas News says: "The speaker is one of a party of men now being conducted over the proposed transcontinental highway, a route that is being logged by the official legmaker of the American Automobile Association, W. L. Westergard."

From Dallas he will go to a meeting tonight at Fort Worth. Then in turn he will visit Weatherford, Mineral Wells, Palo Pinto, addo, Breckenridge, Albany, Abilene, Sweetwater, Roscoe, Hermlough, Snyder, Gale, Brownfield, Plains, Broncho and on to Roswell and the farther West. With him will be F. E. Keith of Dallas, president of the Texas State Automobile Association; R. B. Elmore, secretary of the Sweetwater Chamber of Commerce; Dr. S. M. Johnson of Roswell, Thomas Trammel and Bob Ragland of Sweetwater, E. J. Anderson of Snyder and probably a number of others.

Speaking of the proposed route and the probable cost of it Col. Potter said Arizona had voted \$10,000,000 in bonds.

"The sum, considering a favorable climatic conditions in Arizona and the ample granite for durable road-making, would mean as much as \$100,000,000 for an equal territory in Texas has except the extreme northwest. Texas has many good roads and is, I am told, providing for many more. But the Government of the Nation should be interested in great transcontinental trunks that will be fed by laterals threading the States."

"The route in Texas has not been definitely designated, except for certain central points. Organizations are to be effected in places visited and road improvements encouraged as a part of the big system of roads. In the trip across the State each place visited is to be invited to enter cars in a parade that will extend from town to town along the way."

Route of Highway.

"Beginning at Quebec the road passed through Montreal, Albany, New York City, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, Richmond, Durham and Asheville to Memphis, Tenn; thence to Little Rock, Hot Springs and Texarkana to Dallas; thence by Fort Worth, Sweetwater, Roscoe, Snyder to Roswell, N. M.; thence by the Rioindoso Valley and the White Mountains to El Paso; thence by Clifton and Phoenix, Ariz, to San Diego, see by Los Angeles, San Portland Tacoma and Se-

vanover, B. C. The section of thoroughfare in which the South is particularly interested is that which extends from Washington to

San Diego. It is known officially as "The Southern National Highway." In order to insure the establishment of the route through Snyder a subscription paper has been liberally signed here this week to put the road through Scurry county in first class condition. It is confidently believed that every dollar thus put into this fund will return several times over to our town and citizenship.

GOVERNOR JOHN LIND AND HIS DANGEROUS MISSION TO MEXICO

The visit of Gov. John Lind of Minnesota as special envoy from President Wilson to the City of Mexico has been described as a perilous mission. He goes to confer with the American Minister at the City of Mexico and not to butt into Mexico's affairs. President Huerta has been disposed to snub him but later promised to protect him.

There was manifest antagonism toward him on his arrival at Vera Cruz.

Unfortunately there is an element in the United States senate disposed to plunge this nation into a war with Mexico. The late Ambassador, Henry Lane Wilson, urged recognition of Mexico, but President Wilson has won the admiration of other powers by his coolness in dealing with the matter.

It has been suspected that the late Ambassador has personal reasons for urging recognition. It is suspected that he is under Huerta's influence and it has been suspected that the war advocates in the senate are prompted by selfish designs while it has been charged on the floor of the senate that the administration leans to the constitutional party.

President Wilson calls upon congress for sober patriotic consideration and democrats and conservative republicans insist that the American Congress must not do anything rash or unwise.

If Mexico will show a disposition for peace and Huerta will get out of the way there can be peace there in a very few days, but stubbornness and ill advised conduct either in Washington or Mexico, may plunge the two countries in war—then other powers would come in for a share of the spoils and the end is not easily foreseen.

There is no doubt but what a half million men in this country would respond to a call to arms. One man in Houston has already offered to muster a regiment and one man said here this week that Texas can easily furnish fifty regiments on short notice.

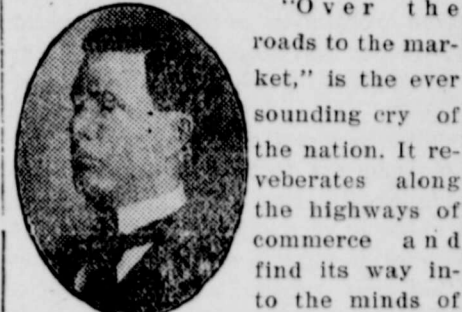
We are not disposed to doubt the result of the conflict, but we hope to avoid it if possible.

Mrs. A. D. Brown and children, after a visit of a month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hardy, left Tuesday evening for their home at Ennis.

The shower Thursday afternoon refreshed everything.

GOOD ROADS REDUCE EXPENSE

(By Homer D. Wade, Secretary Texas Good Roads Association.)



"Over the roads to the market," is the ever sounding cry of the nation. It reverberates along the highways of commerce and find its way into the minds of

men. To reduce the cost of transportation and make farming more remunerative is the thing that is attracting the attention of those who strive for the uplift of mankind. In Texas the evolution is going steadily onward. So far this year over \$4,000,000 in good roads bonds has been issued, an amount sufficient to improve 1,000 miles of public highways.

The farmers of Texas will market this year over ten million tons of products, entailing a highway expense of approximately \$21,000,000. If all our roads were in first class condition this enormous expense would be reduced one-half, as the cost of hauling freight over the mud hole and through the sand is 43 cents per ton mile, while the cost over improved highway is 23 cents per mile.

Good roads reduce expense and distance a well.

To the Overseers of Roads and Citizens of Scurry County:

The undersigned committee were appointed by Mass Meeting of citizens to secure a united improvement of the roads of the county.

After conferring we find that the treasury has no funds to pay to hire to do the work necessary. That in many places the county roads are in such a state that people cannot pass with reasonable loads and move their crops to gin and market. Therefore, as a committee we are appealing to the road overseers to call upon every male person over 15 years and ask that they donate three days work or its equivalent towards working the roads. That this work be on the 28, 29 and 30th, of this month, under the direction of the overseers of the respective roads.

The men in towns are asked to join with the country men in this work if you do not wish to work give your money to an overseer where you want work done or to your commissioner.

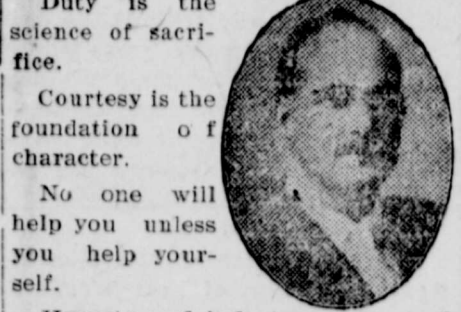
J. W. Templeton, J. W. Couch, F. I. Townsend, J. S. Hardy, A. C. Wilmeth, Committee.

At Presbyterian Church. Pastor U. C. Howard will discuss government of the Presbyterian church Sunday morning and night.

Miss Blanche Ely visited the home folks this week.

CITY BUILDING NOTES

(By L. M. Ward, President of Texas Commercial Executive Ass'n)



Duty is the science of sacrifice.

Courtesy is the foundation of character.

No one will help you unless you help yourself.

Honesty and industry are weak without knowledge.

Never mind who you talk about as long as it boosts.

Do not stand up for the city knocker—lay for it.

Whoever enlarges the prosperity of the city is a good citizen.

Truthfulness in exploitation is always the strongest argument.

Good intentions are bulwarks over which failure seldom climbs.

Education is to the human race what sculpture is to a block of marble.

Performance, not promises, is the first requisite to great undertakings.

God gave us tools to work with, but do not expect Him to do the tolling.

A commercial organization is a thought factory and an action distribution center.

Knowledge worth having comes slow. The other kind usually strikes us like an avalanche.

The mistakes of the past should be utilized in cementing the prosperity of the future.

When a man assumes a public trust he should consider himself public property.

Geo. W. Graves, Assistant Demonstrator for the Santa Fe was in town Tuesday making regular rounds of Santa Fe co-operators. Finds some damage done by hot winds to row crops but a good rain will yet insure fair crop. Cotton found in excellent condition but will need rain soon. Will go to Dermott thence to Slanton.

Special Session Almost Ended.

The special session has not done much work except to pass the contingent appropriation bill and provide for their own pay.

They are too much at logger heads with the Governor. He has charged that the legislature wants to dig his political grave, but Speaker Terrell contends that the grave has already been dug. They have invited each other to meet halfway, but neither has made any advance toward the middle of the road.

The penitentiary situation is just where it was before. Efforts have been made to call for a big tax levy to meet conditions intended to have been cared for with a bond issue and the state tax rate will be made several cents higher. There has been a great play of politics but probably not a man has made himself any stronger with the people.

A delegation from the Farmers' Union visited at Austin to urge plans for public warehouses and the lawmakers may do something on that line.

A bill has been prepared by Attorney General Looney looking to settlement of the Katy merger suit. This will probably be passed and it was hopped the Governor will not kill it. Later—He has declined to submit it.

WORK ON NEW COPPER LINE

Completed Between Snyder and Fluvanna by the Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Co.

COL. DELL M. POTTER OF CLIFTON, ARIZONA, PAYS VISIT TO SNYDER

Col. Dell M. Potter, Dr. S. M. Johnson and other promoters for the Southern National Highway came to Sweetwater Wednesday night and addressed a big mass meeting on the importance of the route to all sections of the country to be traversed.

Snyder sent over a strong delegation consisting of the following list:

E. J. Anderson, J. D. Letcher, Geo. W. Brown, W. W. Gross, Rufus Mitchell, C. C. Higgins, W. W. Hamilton, C. R. Buchanan, W. D. Sims, Dr. W. R. Johnson, Fritz R. Smith, H. G. Towle, T. C. Stinson, J. W. Templeton, T. F. Baker, W. W. Nelson, Chas. L. Harless, C. L. Ezell, J. S. Hardy.

The Snyder crowd passed through about ten miles of country near Wastella, where a hard rain had fallen and they arrived at Sweetwater at 9:45.

Col Potter was speaking, other speeches were made and Mr. Elmore of Sweetwater paid a compliment to our Mr. Anderson which was applauded by the Snyder crowd.

Most of our bunch came home at 3 a. m., the others remained over until morning.

Col. Potter and associates came on to Snyder Thursday afternoon and explained the Highway proposition to our people.

The plan is simple and easy and the Highway will be a great advantage to our county.

Sheriff Boles Gets His Man.

Sheriff J. B. Boles has been out for three days on a chase of a man accused of horse theft and he came in Thursday with Tom Parr, having arrested him and lodged him in jail at Gall, after a chase of 205 miles.

It is said that the man has been dodging arrest for thirteen years, during which time he has been connected with the revolution in Mexico.

It is said that he broke away from an arrest thirteen years ago. He recently broke through picket lines in Mexico.

He has had a pretty easy time until Jim Boles got in after him, but he knows now the hazard that hovers about a fugitive when the Sheriff of Scurry county gets into the game.

W. D. Lewis succeeds Peter Radford as president of the Farmers' Union and A. L. Baker of Stockdale was elected secretary at the late San Antonio meeting.

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Completed Between Snyder and Fluvanna by the Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Co.

With the completion of the work of installing a full copper telephone circuit between Snyder and Fluvanna, these two cities are linked together by the most approved means of communication.

Mr. A. H. McClurkin, District Plant Chief, out of Sweetwater, with a crew of experience linemen, had charge of the construction of this line for the Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Company.

Mr. McClurkin is an expert at the business as he has had fifteen years experience in this line and he used the very latest approved methods in this work which makes this one among the best toll lines in the west.

Here tofore telephone communication between Snyder and Fluvanna has been by a single grounded iron wire which has been very unsatisfactory for communication, but by the means of this new copper circuit it makes it possible for the people of the two cities to communicate with each other as if they were talking to them face to face.

The new copper circuit means that the most approved long distance facilities will be provided and that any Southwestern subscriber may speak to any of the millions of other users of the service of the one universal system within the radius of 1,750 miles.

At same time better transmission is provided for the short distance conversation.

An Unfortunate Affair.

An unfortunate difficulty occurred last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Coleman, south of town. It is said that Howard Nelson 17 or 18 years old had gone to the Coleman home to see his mother, Mrs. Coleman, and because of his conduct, that Mr. Coleman ordered him from the house. In the course of the trouble Howard received a knife wound in the back, though not a serious hurt. Mr. Coleman had an examining trial Friday before Judge Buchanan on an alleged charge of assault with intent to murder. After hearing the testimony and argument the Court held that intent to murder had not been shown and the defendant was discharged.

Walker Wilk's Home Burned.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wilks, near the ice factory, was totally destroyed by fire about 11:30 last Friday night. The family were visiting in Fort Worth. Mr. Wilks attended the Odd Fellows lodge and went home about 11 p. m. He states that he had lain down after having gone to a closet for some clothes and has no idea how the fire started.

When he discovered the blaze it was burning in two rooms. He saved but few of the household goods.

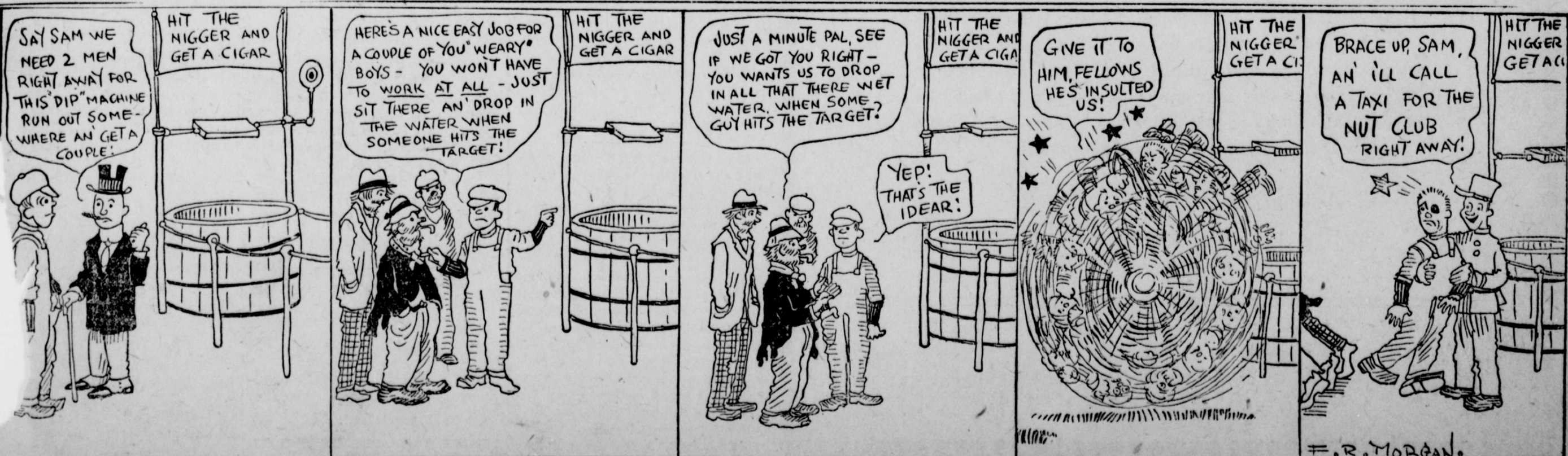
He carried \$400 insurance on the house and \$250 on the household goods.

THE NUT CLUB

In Cases Like This, a Bath Might Prove Fatal.

By F. R. MORGAN

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**A. & M. COLLEGE AND
SCIENTIFIC AGRICULTURE**

The Signal believes that the gentlemen who went from here to College Station state their observations of things as they saw them, however, their reports do not bear out the idea that this paper has always had of the purposes and the work of that institution.

The demonstrations that are made there along agricultural lines are not always for the purpose of making crops. They are to prove certain points. It may be to show how much can be grown under absolutely favorable conditions, or it may be to show the disadvantage of undesirable conditions. They may balance the soil foods and protect against insects to show the fullness of a correct method. This result they take as a 100 basis, or perfection and then where insects, poor soil, wrong fertilization or culture are permitted, the rate below 100 shows the ill effects.

They show the proper analysis of the soil and grow some plants under unfavorable conditions to prove the value of correct methods.

A grammar school teacher will write an incorrect sentence to have his class criticize it so as to establish in their minds the correct expression.

Men feed one hog on one ration and another on something else to prove which is best. The A. & M. College and the Farmers' Institute is a school for instruction in all lines of agricultural activity.

The Signal believes the A. & M. College has done and is doing a great work in the education of farmers and the Farmers' Institute has proven a valuable adjunct. The literature sent out from there gives practical ideas and the farmers who intelligently apply the lessons have found profit in them. Of course the instruction there is largely scientific and the farmer must use practical judgement in their application. A man doesn't fall out with a pump because it lacks a little of raising water to where the scientist says it will

go. He readily allows for friction and is satisfied.

The scientific farmer recommends application of certain chemicals to the soil, but the practical farmers see that the correct balance would thereby be established before he adds the suggested element.

As to the business management of the institution, the Signal doesn't know, but this paper yet believes the school and the institute are disseminating useful knowledge, and that we should not only continue to improve it there, but should not be content till another school like it has been established in West Texas.

It is said that every American now in Mexico hopes that the United States will recognize the Huerta government and all the Mexicans in this country are probably like minded. They think they would feel safer under a big American cannon than within rifle range of Huerta and other Mexican banditti.

MOSTLY POLITICS AT AUSTIN.

The Texas prison system seems no nearer out of chaos than when the legislature first met. Brahan and Tittle, two of the prison commission have been confirmed, but chairman Cabell is still on the anxious seat. The Fort Worth Record says Cabell has faught graft in all forms and the change of policy from the brutal lease system to the state farm system has called for more than ordinary skill and that the system needs lots of money to re-arrange the system.

It is said that Gov. Colquett will refuse to approve an appropriation bill carrying more than five and a half million dollars a year. The state tax rate will be almost up to the constitutional limit in any event, and there is talk now that Colquett may be a candidate for a third term to seek vindication in tax matters and as a "go-between" on the liquor question.

Congressman Garner wants Allison Mayfield for governor and W. P. Lane is sending out his announcement. Wortham and Hanger want in the running and Jack Beall and

Charlie Mills are not without backing for the job.

All these things are calling off the minds of legislators and there is very little real legislation being accomplished.

The election of Senators, the majority election law, the restoration of the "bat" and redistricting of the state will go dead on the calendar and the governor will not call another extra session.

All county and state officials should be elected to serve four years instead of two. At the end of the term let them step down and give the other fellow a chance to prove his efficiency as an officer.—Joaquin Journal.

The trouble in getting a law of four years lies in the appetite for more office after a man has once had a taste of it. It is harder for him to break away than it is for him to get in, very often.—Fort Worth Record.

You might fix a four years tenure if you like, but how are you going to abridge the lawful right of a citizen to run for office as often as he pleases and harmonize such abridgement with the constitution?

The latest morning salutation among the ladies of Fort Worth is said to be: "Good morning! Have you shot your husband yet.—Hamilton Record.

And she usually answers: "No I haven't but he came home last night more than half shot."

Remember Ladies.

This is to certify that you will find Beautigene and Dermacura Soap at A. D. Dodson's and Stimson Bros. Dry Goods Stores, and also at my residence.

MRS. WATKINS,
Representative.

Expression Class.

I will open my class in expression September 15th and would like to have my old pupils with me and as many new ones as would like to take My studio will be located near the high school building.

8-2t Mrs. F. L. Hutcheson.

Graves Replies To Warren.

To the Farmers of Scurry County:

Through the courtesy of the Signal, I will attempt to dispel some erroneous impressions left by an article signed by W. A. Warren, in the Signal of Aug. 8th. Mr. Warren was "one of the delegates to the Farmers Congress."

It is not at all uncommon in all states for an occasional misguided but honest man to draw some hasty conclusions regarding the value of experiment stations, and feel impelled by a false sense of patriotism to loudly cry that its all graft.

Like Mr. Warren, we are not proud of what he has learned. An old woman once said, "I am open to conviction but I'd like to see you convince me." We agree with Mr. Warren also, that it is not worth 18 cents to him. But we insist that it is worth \$18,000 to the Farmers of Texas. Please get this idea firmly rooted: The experiment station is not intended as a self supporting institution. Any station which really does experimental work, cannot in the nature of things be a self-sustaining proposition. No one can test out a hundred varieties of cotton or fifty varieties of maize, or determine the value of different fertilizers or try out numberless new grasses, and at the same time financially profit. But if, out of all the varieties tried one is found that is drouth resistant or resistant to the boll worm or is especially hardy or prolific, then the farmers all over the state profit by it. A single variety can in a single year more than pay all it costs to operate the experiment station.

A case of this occurred at the Colorado Experiment Station. Professor Blount originated a variety of wheat that made for the Colorado farmers millions of dollars in a single year.

In Wisconsin an improved variety of corn more than paid in a single year the total expense of all educational institutions in the state from the beginning. View it from this angle, Mr. Warren, and you can see the error of your contention.

During my travels over the Panhandle I have met some of the delegates. Possibly I did not meet any of the "100" mentioned by Mr. Warren. But he is the first one who has had anything adverse to report. It is a "big fire but there is no smoke." It is also a fire which does not consume the bush. The "sharks may swallow the state" but after the three days in the belly of the shark, when the state comes forth educated in the science of agriculture, the state will be considerably better off for the venture.

The statement of the number of grafters turned out by the college is of course only "borrowed" from other delegates. We are glad to note that this is the type of grafters that is furnishing Texas' best citizens.

County Experiment Stations are all right. But, would Mr. Warren be willing to pay the price? Would he obviate the "shark" difficulty, by multiplying the "sharks?" By all means let us have country experiment stations. But first let us get our minds clear as to what an experiment station is. Let us experiment on our own farms, too, but, we must remember we have to indulge in the "avocation" of earning our living as well as "experimenting." And while we're living we can "raise better crops, have better farms, prettier homes and we can love each other."

GEO. W. GRAVES,
Assistant Agricultural Demonstrator,
Santa Fe, R. R.

Peaches for Sale.
I have some nice peaches about ready for canning. \$1.00 and \$1.25 per bushel at the orchard near the Nursery J. C. Page 4-4t

Big Springs Man Killed.
Lubbock, Texas, Aug. 10.—J. W. Smith, a furniture dealer of Big Springs, was stabbed and killed at Slaton, about fifteen miles south of here, this morning. Smith was killed just after he got off a north-bound train.

Dr. E. M. Riley of Lubbock was arrested and brought here. He has retained W. F. Schenk as counsel. Dr. Riley is inspector for the Texas Cattle Association.

But Simmons' Liver Purifier is delightfully pleasant and its action is thorough. Constipation yields; biliousness goes. A trial convinces. (In Yellow Tin Boxes Only.) Tried once used—always. 3tf.

Our old friend Gabe Lucus, the bumble bee bard of Texas, whose home is McKinney was in Snyder this week stocking our merchants up on rubber goods. He says he would like to stay a few days in Snyder, but the boss is just like the grown folks were when he was a boy. His constant order is "Run, Gabe, run."

Only a dollar a year The Signal.

What Are You Doing?

TO PROVIDE AGAINST THE RAINY DAY AND OLD AGE WHICH IS CERTAIN.

TO LAY ASIDE A COMPETENCY FOR YOUR FAMILY WHILE YOUR EARNING CAPACITY IS IN ITS PRIME.

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TO ACCUMULATE AN ESTATE THAT YOU CAN ENJOY IF YOU LIVE AND THAT YOU CAN LEAVE UNINCUMBERED TO YOUR WIFE AND CHILDREN IF YOU DO NOT LIVE.

TO HAVE SOMETHING FOR WHICH IT IS A JOY TO WORK AND A PLEASURE TO STRIVE.

TO CULTIVATE THE HABITS OF FRUGALITY AND INDEPENDENCE.

TO FORTIFY YOURSELF AGAINST ADVERSITY AND MISFORTUNE IN LIFE, AND POVERTY AND CHARITY IN DEATH.

IF YOU CANNOT ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS SATISFACTORILY, COME TO SEE US AND LET US EXPLAIN AN EASY METHOD WHEREBY YOU CAN BEGIN THE ACCUMULATION OF ESTATE THAT SATISFACTORILY ANSWERS THEM ALL. IF YOU ARE SOUND IN BODY AND MORALS DO NOT WAIT. IF YOU ARE OVER 55 YEARS OF AGE, YOU HAVE ALREADY WAITED TOO LONG.

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing, or reputation of any person, firm or corporation, which may appear in the columns of the Signal will be gladly corrected called to the attention of the editor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Noble returned Wednesday from a visit to a brother in Coke County. The mayor says the people over there keep happy and have plenty to eat. He says he attended an old fashioned camp meeting and saw the people worshipping in the good old way. They made the trip from Colorado in an automobile and the Mitchell county roads are in fine fix. He said they were something over three hours in coming 30 miles over the Coke county road and made the twenty miles in Mitchell county in 38 minutes. By this he is reminded to urge the people here to get busy and bring the Scurry county roads up to as good a standard as the Mitchell or any other county.

Uriah Jones, Hezekiah Brown and John Peter Smith all say that Hunt's Lightning Oil stops neuralgia. Rheumatism and other pains. Just try a 50c or 25c bottle from your druggist.



Keep Your Eye on that Can

When Buying Baking Powder

For this is the baking powder that makes the baking better. It leavens the food evenly throughout; puffs it up to airy lightness, makes it delightfully appetizing and wholesome. Remember, Calumet is moderate in price—highest in quality.

Ask your grocer for Calumet. Don't take a substitute.

RECEIVED HIGHEST AWARDS. World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago, Illinois, Paris Exposition, France, March, 1912.



You don't save money when you buy cheap or big-can baking powder. Don't be misled. Buy Calumet. It's more economical—more wholesome—gives best results. Calumet is far superior to sour milk and soda.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF

FIRST STATE BANK & TRUST COMPANY.

At Snyder, State of Texas, at the close of business on the ninth day of August, 1913, published in the Snyder Signal, a newspaper printed and published at Snyder, State of Texas on the fifteenth day of August, 1913.

Resources.	
Loans and discounts, personal or collateral	\$105 631 32
Loans, real estate	7 559 00
Overdrafts	274 88
Real estate (banking house)	15 600 00
Other real estate	2 550 00
Furniture and Fixtures	3 600 00
Due from approved reserve agents net	10 934 95
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check, net	
Cash items	\$ 323 79
Currency	\$2 746 00
Specie	\$4 835 57
Interest in Depositors	
Guaranty fund	881 66
Total	\$154 937 17
Liabilities	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 50 000 00
Surplus fund	8 000 00
Undivided profits, net	3 734 70
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check net	40 14
Individual deposits, subject to check	64 585 79
Time certificates of deposit	7 111 54
Demand certificates of deposit	1 465 00
Bills payable and rediscounts	20 000 00
Total	\$154 937 17

STATE OF TEXAS,
 County of Scurry
 We, P. Brady, as president and C. L. Ezell, as cashier, of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
 P. Brady, President.
 C. L. Ezell, Cashier.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 13th day of August, A. D. nineteen hundred and thirteen.
 Witness my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid.
 H. M. Boyd, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
 Geo. W. Harris,
 W. W. Smith,
 P. M. Bolin,
 Directors.

So Many People Die of Blood Poison.
 A little scratch on the hand a splinter, or small abrasion of the skin is often fatal because the poisonous germs start the infection. That's where Hunt's Lightning Oil comes in handy as an application on the abrasion, kills all germs which may have lodged there, thereby preventing infection and death. It pays to keep this remedy in the home, especially where there are children. All drug stores in 25c and 50c bottles 7-5t.

FARMERS' UNION DOING MUCH GOOD WORK

The state meeting of the Farmers' Union at San Antonio last week was largely attended and absolute harmony marked the proceedings. This is a non-political organization and they welcome the co-operation of every order of organized citizenship engaged in trying to benefit the farming interests.
 On that line they work in harmony with the Commercial Secretaries Association, the Welfare Commission and any other beneficial agency. The co-operative work of these bodies has served to educate the people in farming, marketing, stock raising, road making, city building and school development which would not have come without their efforts.

The retirement of Farmer Peter Radford from the presidency of the Union takes from that position a wide awake, untiring and level headed leader.
 We hope to continue to hear from him on subjects of interest.

Causes of Stomach Troubles.
 Sedentary habits, lack of out-door exercise, insufficient mastication of food, constipation, a torpid liver, worry and anxiety, overeating, partaking of food and drink not suited to your age and occupation. Correct your habits and take Chamberlain's Tablets and you will be well again. For sale by...

No. 7635. REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

SNYDER NATIONAL BANK

At Snyder, in the state of Texas, at the close of business, August 9th, 1913.

Resources.	
Loans and Discounts	\$298 519 91
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	470 56
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	40 000 00
Bonds, securities, etc.	1 267 02
Banking house, furniture, fixtures	11 000 00
Other real estate owned	9 500 00
Due from National banks (not reserve agents)	1 105 55
Due from approved reserve agents	24 143 61
Checks and other cash items	795 78
Notes of other National banks	3 530 00
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels, and cents	339 77
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie	14 543 50
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	2 000 00
Total	\$407 215 70

Liabilities.	
Capital stock paid in	\$100 000 00
Surplus fund	25 000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	17 426 33
National bank notes outstanding	40 000 00
Due to other National Banks	1 794 61
Due to State and Private banks and bankers	277 34
Due to approved reserve agents	8 350 11
Individual deposits subject to check	179 542 31
Demand certificates of deposit	9 725 00
Certified checks	100 00
Bills payable, including obligations for money borrowed	25 000 00
Total	\$407 215 70

State of Texas, County of Scurry, ss:
 I, O. P. Thrane, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 O. P. Thrane, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of August, 1913.
 E. J. Anderson, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
 W. A. Fuller,
 P. L. Fuller,
 M. A. Fuller,
 Directors.

Wanted—Bring me your subscription or renewal to The Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News, \$1.00 per year 44-6m
 OWL DRUG STORE.

We're Opposed to Mail Order Concerns Because—

They have never contributed a cent to furthering the interests of our town—
 Every cent received by them from this community is a direct loss to our merchants—
 In almost every case their prices can be met right here, without delay in receiving goods and the possibility of mistakes in filling orders.

But—
 The natural human trait is to buy where goods are cheapest. Local pride is usually secondary in the game of life as played today.

Therefore
 Mr. Merchant and Business Man, meet your competitors with their own weapons—advertising.

Advertise!
 The local field is yours. All you need do is to avail yourself of the opportunities offered. An advertisement in this paper will carry your message into hundreds of homes in the community. It is the surest medium of selling your greatest commodity. A space this size won't cost much. Come in and see us about it.

DISTRICT SUNDAY SCHOOL MEETING

Program for District Sunday School at Dunn, Aug. 31, at 10 O'clock

10:00 a. m. Devotional service. W. H. Richardson.
 10:15. Song.
 10:15 Roll call of schools and responses.
 10:30. What constitutes an Ideal Sunday school. W. W. Werner.
 10:50 Song. Give your idea as to the class being interrupted while lesson is being taught. M. Stacy.
 11:05. What benefits are a teachers' meeting in the Sunday school? Bruer Palmer.
 Song.
 11:20. What three subjects should the teacher study continually. H. T. Coles.
 11:35 Planning the lesson. May Durham.
 Song.
 NOON RECESS.
 1:30 p. m. Song service.
 1:45. What benefits are the district Sunday schools to the local schools. C. R. Buchanan.
 2:00 Reports from the Superintendents of the different departments.
 Song.
 Round Table conducted by J. R. Coker.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sears left Monday evening for the Eastern Markets to purchase a big stock of fall and winter goods for their store. They expect to be away about three weeks and will have something swell in the drygoods line to show their friends when they come back.

A special from Kansas City dated last Saturday says farmers in Kansas, Missouri and Oklahoma are confronted by the most appalling weather and crop conditions known there since 1887. Sunheat is awful skies cloudless, crops dying, cattle perishing and conditions growing worse.

Hawthorne
 --heavier than standard
 One of the new and beautiful patterns in Rockford Silverware.
 Made for the discriminating woman seeking a beautiful service for her table.
 Desiring that her purchase should have great wearing qualities.
 You should see this, the new Hawthorne pattern now in stock. You are very welcome.
 H. G. TOWLE
 Jeweler and Optician Snyder, Tex.

There was a great crowd at the Dreamland Tuesday night to see the presentation of the famous picture—The Star of Bethlehem. It was a great hit and numbers of people have been heard to say it is well worth the cost of admission.

FOR SALE
 540 acres-4and at Maryneal, Nolan county, 75 acres in cultivation Plenty Water, 3 room rent house, horse and cow sheds.
 Would take house and lot in Snyder as part pay if clear of debt.
 Also 350 acres fine farm land close to Snyder, at a bargain.
J. H. HAMLETT
 SNYDER, TEXAS
 Prefer to deal with owners.

Telephone for Aid
 The DOCTOR, for man or beast, is only one of those you may summon instantly by **Bell Telephone**
 A perfect means of guarding against emergencies and overcoming loneliness.
 Now is a good time to learn how YOU can get this service.
 THE Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone Co. DALLAS, - TEXAS

NEW ARRIVALS at A. D. Dodson's

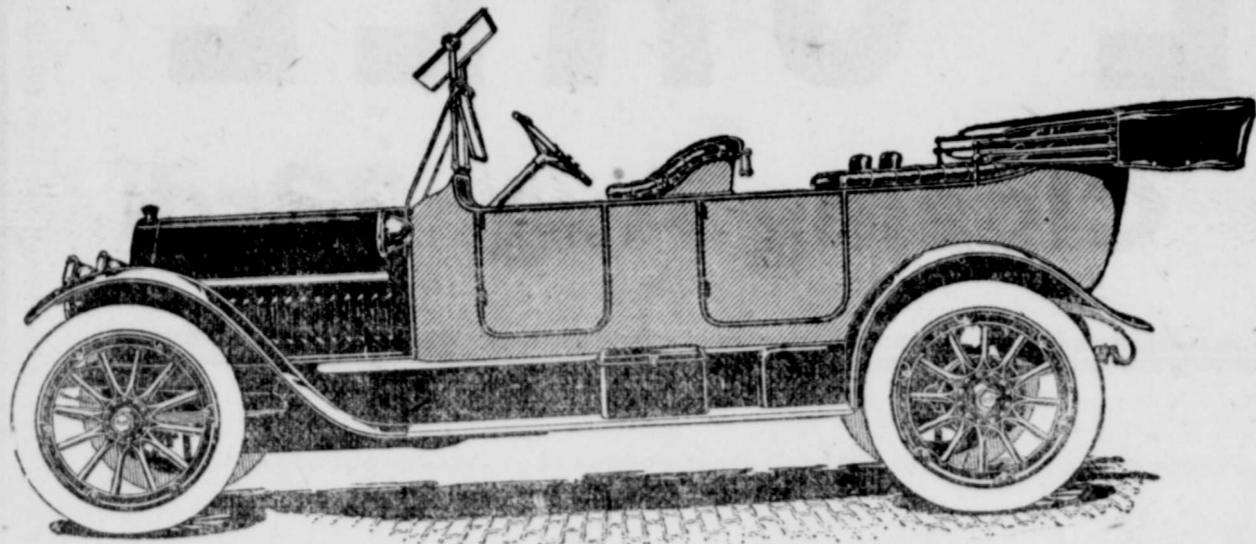
Our buyer has returned from market and the beautiful line of dress goods that he selected is now arriving and we cordially invite the buying public to call and look these goods over, and see if you don't say the same thing that we say, "that they are the prettiest patterns that has ever been shown in Snyder." We have the following named goods, that are by far the prettiest ever shown by us:--Crape DeChine, Charmuse, Brocade Chiffon, Brocade Velvet, Bulgar Cloth, Fancy Po, Matlesene, Ratine, Diagonal Suiting and many others too numerous to mention in this space, therefore we again invite you to call and look for yourself, as seeing is believing.

School days will soon be here and we have everything in the way of clothes and shoes that your children will need.

A. D. Dodson

Our Motto:--"Is to do all we can and a little more than we promise."

Two More Weeks And Then=== The Automobile



We still have a number of tickets that must be disposed of before September 1st, in order to bring this to a close. We solicit your co-operation and a liberal share of your business. We are offering some special inducements and it will pay you to investigate our **COUPON SYSTEM**.

Snyder Grocery Co.

Southwest corner square.

We're Shouting

about the excellent quality of our printing. We don't care what the job may be, we are equipped to turn it out to your satisfaction. If we can't, we'll tell you so frankly.

Let Us Convince You



Sweetwater and return on sale Aug 18th and 19th, limited until August 23rd, \$1.55.

Round trip ticket to Corpus Christi, Galveston, and Rockport, Texas on sale every Friday limited ten days, one way fare plus \$1.00 for round trip.

Summer Excursions and all year tourist tickets limited until October 31st on sale daily to various points in Texas and other states.

Effective August 31st the Texas and Pacific will restore their trains No. 1 and 2 between Fort Worth and Sweetwater. No. 1 will arrive Sweetwater 5:10 a. m. No. 2, will leave Sweetwater, 9:00 p. m. This will afford excellent service between Snyder and Fort Worth.

We are here to quote you rates to any point, call us.

F. E. JOLLY, AGENT.
Phone 253.

For Sale.

Will sell the building off my lots one block east of the Central school, consisting of shed 12x25, \$16. Good for storing feed, one 2 room house \$75, one 8 room house, boxed and stripped, canvassed, papered throughout, will take \$800.00, cost \$1200. Reason for selling want to put up a small modern cottage more suitable for self and daughter.

Any farmer who contemplates building will do well to investigate. Call on Mrs. M. E. Hall, Snyder, 9-4t

Surprising Cure of Stomach Trouble.

When you have trouble with your stomach or chronic constipation, don't imagine that your case is beyond help just because your doctor fails to give you relief. Mrs. G. Stengle, Plainfield, N. J., writes, "For over a month past I have been troubled with my stomach. Everything I ate upset it terribly. One of Chamberlain's advertising booklets came to me. After reading a few of the letters from people who had been cured by Chamberlain's Tablets, I decided to try them. I have taken nearly three-fourths of a package of them and can now eat almost everything that I want." For sale by all dealers.—Advertisement.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Kelly were here Thursday from Ira, to attend the Sunday school convention.

Home Mission Meeting.

The W. H. M. Society met in regular session Aug. 11 at the Presbyterian church. Mrs. Ralston conducting the business session.

An interesting lesson on Isaac and his two sons was led by Mrs. Williams. The next meeting will be Aug. 18. Every member urged to attend, every one invited.

There will be an ice cream festival on the court house lawn Tuesday evening Aug 19, from 8:30 to 11:00.

Girls from all over the world will serve delicious cream and cake at 15c or 2 for 25 cents.

Don't forget the time and place.

Franco-American Hygiene

A great many of our leading ladies of Snyder and surrounding cities are using Franco-American Hygienic toilet requisites and we want every lady in the country to do the same. We can please you. Call at A. D. Dodson's and Stimson Dry Goods & Grocery Co., for same. Everything pure and sweet, the best in the world. Mrs. W. A. Watkins, 3-1f. Representative.

County Commissioners court is in regular session this week and they are turning out the usual grind of county business.

Only a dollar a year—The Signal.

HEALTHY LIVER MAKES BEAUTY

Famous Actress Finds that A Healthy Liver is Necessary to Good Looks and Youthfulness.

One of the best known women of the American stage is writing a series of articles on the preservation of beauty. She attaches great importance to keeping the liver active at all times, and she is right. Neither good looks nor happiness will stay long with any man or woman who lets the liver get lazy and sluggish.

It is not always safe to take calomel the old liver remedy. Doctors agree that it is a very uncertain drug. But Grayum Drug Company has a remedy for sale that they guarantee to take the place of calomel absolutely, and still be harmless causing no restriction of habit or diet. This remedy is Dodson's Liver Tone.

Dodson's Liver Tone is a pleasant-tasting vegetable liquid, but it starts the liver gently and surely and relieves constipation and biliousness so promptly that it has become a dependable remedy in thousands of homes in the United States. There are scores of families in this vicinity who will not be without it in the house and who would not think of starting on a trip without a bottle of it.

Grayum Drug Co. has sold so much Dodson's Liver Tone that they are convinced of its merits and will give any person his 50 cents back, who buys a bottle and does not find that it takes the place of calomel to perfection.

Card of Thanks.

We take this method of extending our most sincere thanks to all for assistance rendered us in the loss of our home by fire, and more especially to the boys of the Snyder Volunteer Fire Department.

While there was very little saved on account of the flames being so far advanced when discovered, the ready response on the part of all is very much appreciated and will be long remembered.

We again extend our most sincere thanks.

C. W. WILKS AND FAMILY
August 13, 1913.

90c DROPS

CASTORIA

ALCOHOL 3 PER CENT.
A Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomachs and Bowels of

INFANTS & CHILDREN

Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral.
NOT NARCOTIC.

Recipe of Old Dr. J. C. WELLS

Purified Suet—
Licorice—
Rhubarb—
Cinnamon—
Mentha—
Candied Sugar—
Essence of Peppermint.

A Perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and LOSS OF SLEEP.

Facsimile Signature of
Chas. H. Fletcher
NEW YORK.

At 6 months old
35 Doses—35 CENTS

Guaranteed under the Food and Drug Act.

Exact Copy of Wrapper.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher

In Use For Over Thirty Years

CASTORIA

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

ALONG RELIGIOUS LINES.

The union meeting at Fluvanna closed Sunday night. There were two conversions and several reclamations. The Christian people were much revived along spiritual lines.

Rev. U. C. Howard has been engaged this week in a meeting at Ennis Creek.

The protracted meeting at the Christian church at Dunn closed Sunday and the Methodist people commenced a meeting at their church there Saturday night.

The Sun Beam Mission Band of the Baptist Sunday school had an interesting exercise at the Baptist church Sunday night.

The little folks acquitted themselves nicely in the following program.

Song of welcome.
Invocation—by Julius Tucker.
Song—Stand Up Stand UP for Jesus.

Mother Goose and her family as mission workers.
Duet—Nobody cares.
Our land for Christ.

A Glimpse of the Field.
Pleading for Jesus.

Address—M. E. Rosser.
Chorus—Little Chinese from over the seas.
Benediction—Bro. Plunkett.

Rev. J. W. Hunt reports a good meeting at Tulla. He left there before it closed. He was here Sunday to occupy his pulpit Sunday morning and night. The third quarterly conference for Snyder Station was held Monday.

Rev. Cecil Seamon rector of Grace Episcopal church filled his regular

monthly appointment in Snyder last Sunday.

Rev. M. T. Tucker, pastor of the First Baptist church has been engaged in a successful revival meeting at Dublin.

Rankin Thompson left Tuesday evening for San Antonio where he will attend a Commercial school.

Joe Strayhorn was in the Alvarado country last week. He says crops are fine in that country.

Advertise

IF YOU
Want a Cook
Want a Clerk
Want a Partner
Want a Situation
Want a Servant Girl
Want to Sell a Piano
Want to Sell a Carriage
Want to Sell Town Property
Want to Sell Your Groceries
Want to Sell Your Hardware
Want Customers for Anything
Advertise Weekly in This Paper.
Advertising Is the Way to Success
Advertising Brings Customers
Advertising Keeps Customers
Advertising Insures Success
Advertising Shows Energy
Advertising Shows Pluck
Advertising Is "Biz"
Advertise or Bust
Advertise Long
Advertise Well
ADVERTISE
At Once

In This Paper

PIANO For sale.
Old Instruments taken
as payment.

THE ARCADE

For Anything and Everything

**Tin Shop, Plumbing
and
Plumbing Supplies**

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued by the Clerk of the county court of Scurry county, on the 6th day of June 1913, in a certain cause wherein J. R. Huckabee is plaintiff, and A. J. McDowell and Oz Smith are defendants, in which cause a judgment was rendered on the 21st day of October, 1912, in favor of the said plaintiff, J. R. Huckabee, against said defendants, A. J. McDowell and Oz Smith, for the sum of Three hundred, twelve and 25-100 (\$312.25) Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per centum per annum from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit, I have levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in September, 1913, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said month, at the court house door in the town of Snyder, Texas, within legal hours, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of A. J. McDowell and Oz Smith 'in and to the following described real estate, levied upon as the property of A. J. McDowell and Oz Smith, to-wit:

160 acres of land situated in Scurry County, Texas, abstract No. 2522 northwest one fourth (1-4) of section one hundred sixty-seven (167), Block 97, H. & T. C. Ry Co. survey.

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for Three Hundred, Twelve and 25-100 (\$312.25) Dollars, in favor of J. R. Huckabee, together with the cost of said suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.

J. B. BOLES,
Sheriff Scurry County, Texas
Snyder, Texas, July 25, 1913.
8-4t.

Readers of the Signal will remember noting the death of Mrs. T. V. Garrell, of Savoy, Fannin county, a month ago. This week news was received of the death of Mr. T. V. Garrell, just a month's difference in the time of the deaths. They had lived together a little over fifty years and leave five children, one dead. They were sister and brother-in-law to Mrs. S. R. Fickas.

Little Miss Lois Sears has gone to visit in Corsicana while Mr. and Mrs. Sears are away in the dry goods market cities.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I, H. M. Blackard, have this day sold my interest in the partnership firm of Blackard-Johnson Hardware Company to J. K. Blackard, who is to remain in said firm, and that the said J. K. Blackard is to assume and has assumed all the indebtedness which I owe as a member of said partnership firm, and I hereby give notice to all persons dealing with said firm that I am no longer a member thereof.

Witness my hand this 11th day of August, A. D., 1913.

H. M. Blackard.

I am prepared to take orders for your winter coal any kind you want.

Phone 272
8-tf.
JIM DAWSON.

Card of Thanks.

I have sold my grain business and retired after a period of two years and eight months and I take this means to thank the people for their patronage during that time.

My dealings with you have been pleasant and I have greatly appreciated your trade and many courtesies extended.

Yours very truly,
S. R. FICKAS.

Mrs. Coates leaves this evening for the Eastern markets to purchase a big stock of goods for the Coates-Coleman Mercantile Co., and when she returns will have lots of nice things for her customers.

Riley Manry is here this week from Mineral Wells.

\$25.00 REWARD
Richards-McMillan & Co., Snyder, Texas, offer a reward of \$25.00 for the return of any "Star Brand" shoes sold by them that are not all leather. Of course, we do not refer to the buttons, eyelets, tacks or lining, but where a shoe ought to be leather, "Star Brand" shoes are leather. Buy your shoes from us and get nothing but the all leather kind.

Being lucky is better than being
—go to Dreamland Friday, Aug.
and see if you are lucky.

REMOVAL SALE

Beginning Aug. 16th.

Closing Aug. 23rd.

Inasmuch as we have decided to change our location, we are going to put on one of the greatest removal sales ever had in Snyder and will quote you a few of the many many bargains we expect to offer. To see our goods and prices is sufficient to convince the most skeptical.



Suit Department

Our Suits are the latest styles and patterns and have that individuality that will not fail to please the most fastidious.

Remember the place and date.

Boys Suits worth \$10.00 to \$12.00 now \$6.00

Low Cut Shoes

\$2.50 and \$3.00 now go at \$1.70
 \$3.50 and \$4.00 now go at \$2.40
 \$4.50 and \$5.00 now go at \$2.90
 \$5.50 and \$6.00 now go at \$3.35

A special lot worth from \$3.00 to \$5.00 now \$2.00

Boys low cut \$2.50 now \$1.55



Shoes

\$3.00 to \$3.50 now \$2.20
 \$4.00 to \$4.50 now \$2.95
 \$5.00 to \$6.00 now \$3.80
 3 doz. Boys Shoes at 50c
 Tennis Shoes \$1.00 at 65c

PANTS

Youths Pants worth from \$1.75 to \$3.00 go at this sale for \$1.20

Men's Trousers worth from \$1.75 to \$2.75 go at this sale for \$1.40

Men's Trousers worth from \$4.00 to \$6.50 go at this sale for \$3.20

MISCELLANEOUS

Suit Cases, hand bags and trunks 1-3 off.

\$3.00 Hats \$2.40.

\$6.00 Stetson \$4.50. \$5. Stetsons \$3.75

\$1.25 Monarch Shirts now 85c.

\$1.50 Cluett shirts now \$1.15.

Soft collar shirts at 25 per cent off.

Any 25c, 35c and 50c sox at 20c.

50c Ties at 35c and 25 per cent off on gloves

Many other bargains too numerous to mention.

KINCANON & DAVIS

County of Scurry.
To C. L. Phillips and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the county of Scurry and State of Texas, for taxes, to-wit: Situated in the county of Scurry, State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 10, block 4, Gross subdivision of the Scarborough Addition to Snyder, which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts \$2.67 for County and State taxes and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State of Texas for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the September Term of the District Court of Scurry County and state of Texas to be held at the court house of said county in Snyder, Texas on the 3rd Monday in pt. A. D., 1913, the same being the 15th day of Sept., A. D. 1913 and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot), and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Snyder, Texas, this the 24th day of July, A. D., 1913.

W. S. ADAMSON,
Clerk, District Court, Scurry County, Texas. 7-3t.

THE STATE OF TEXAS and County of Scurry.

To J. F. Duckett and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the county of Scurry and State of Texas, for taxes, to-wit: Situated in the county of Scurry, State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 6, block 9, Chambers Addition Snyder, Texas, which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts \$2.59 for County and State taxes and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State of Texas for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the September Term of the District Court of Scurry County and state of Texas to be held at the court house of said county in Snyder, Texas on the 3rd Monday in pt. A. D., 1913, the same being the 15th day of Sept., A. D. 1913 and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot), and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS and County of Scurry.

To D. R. Layman and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the county of Scurry and State of Texas, for taxes, to-wit: Situated in the county of Scurry, State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 9, block 11, Gross Subdivision of the Scarborough Addition to Snyder, which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts \$2.59 for County and State taxes and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State of Texas for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the September Term of the District Court of Scurry County and state of Texas to be held at the court house of said county in Snyder, Texas on the 3rd Monday in pt. A. D., 1913, the same being the 15th day of Sept., A. D. 1913 and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot), and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

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To J. T. Howard and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the county of Scurry and State of Texas, for taxes, to-wit: Situated in the county of Scurry, State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 7, block 19, Gross subdivision of the Scarborough Addition to the county of Snyder which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts \$2.59 for County and State taxes and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State of Texas

you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the September Term of the District Court of Scurry County and state of Texas to be held at the court house of said county in Snyder, Texas on the 3rd Monday in pt. A. D., 1913, the same being the 15th day of Sept., A. D. 1913 and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot), and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS and County of Scurry.

To E. M. McCord and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the county of Scurry and State of Texas, for taxes, to-wit: Situated in the county of Scurry, State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 7 in block 35 and lot 23 in block 36 in the town of Hermleigh, Scurry county, Texas which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts: \$25.18, for County and State taxes and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State of Texas for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the September Term of the District Court of Scurry County, and State of Texas to be held at the court house of said county in Snyder, Texas on the 3rd Monday in pt. A. D., 1913, the same being the 15th day of Sept., A. D. 1913 and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot), and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

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W. S. ADAMSON,
Clerk, District Court, Scurry County, Texas. 7-3t.

THE STATE OF TEXAS and County of Scurry.

To A. Q. Bateman and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the county of Scurry and State of Texas, for taxes, to-wit: Situated in the county of Scurry, State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 14, block 5, and lot 6, block 20, Gross subdivision of the Scarborough Addition to Snyder, which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts: \$2.93 for County and State taxes and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State of Texas for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the September Term of the District Court of Scurry County and state of Texas to be held at the court house of said county in Snyder, Texas on the 3rd Monday in pt. A. D., 1913, the same being the 15th day of Sept., A. D. 1913 and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot), and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

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W. S. ADAMSON,
Clerk, District Court, Scurry County, Texas. 7-3t.

THE STATE OF TEXAS and County of Scurry.

To R. W. Brown and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the county of Scurry and State of Texas, for taxes, to-wit: Situated in the county of Scurry, State of Texas, to-wit:

40 acres of land out of Survey No. 6, Original Grantee, W. C. Martin, Abst. No. 2544, Cert. No. 9-1738, which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts \$6.23 for County and State taxes and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State of Texas for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the September Term of the District Court of Scurry County, and State of Texas to be held at the court house of said county in Snyder, Texas on the 3rd Monday in pt. A. D., 1913, the same being the 15th day of Sept., A. D. 1913 and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot), and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS and County of Scurry.

To J. T. Sharp and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the county of Scurry and State of Texas, for taxes, to-wit: Situated in the county of Scurry, State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 2, block 12, Chambers addition to Snyder, Texas, which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts: \$2.70 for County and State taxes and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State of Texas for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the September Term of the District Court of Scurry County, and State of Texas to be held at the court house of said county in Snyder, Texas on the 3rd Monday in pt. A. D., 1913, the same being the 15th day of Sept., A. D. 1913 and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot), and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS and County of Scurry.

To Mrs. Robble Parks and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the county of Scurry and State of Texas, for taxes, to-wit: Situated in the county of Scurry, State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 3, block 29, of the L. M. Deavours Subdivision of the Cody Heights Addition to Snyder, which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts \$2.56 for County and State taxes and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State of Texas for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the September Term of the District Court of Scurry County and state of Texas to be held at the court house of said county in Snyder, Texas on the 3rd Monday in pt. A. D., 1913, the same being the 15th day of Sept., A. D. 1913 and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot), and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Snyder, Texas, this the 23rd day of July, A. D., 1913.

W. S. ADAMSON,
Clerk, District Court, Scurry County, Texas. 7-3t.

THE STATE OF TEXAS and County of Scurry.

To C. S. Phillips and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the county of Scurry and State of Texas, for taxes, to-wit: Situated in the county of Scurry, State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 10, block 4, Gross subdivision of the Scarborough Addition to Snyder, Scurry county, Texas, which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts: \$7.55 for County and State taxes and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State of Texas for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the September Term of the District Court of Scurry County and state of Texas to be held at the court house of said county in Snyder, Texas on the 3rd Monday in pt. A. D., 1913, the same being the 15th day of Sept., A. D. 1913 and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lot), and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

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To J. T. Howard and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the county of Scurry and State of Texas, for taxes, to-wit: Situated in the county of Scurry, State of Texas, to-wit:

Lot 7, block 19, Gross subdivision of the Scarborough Addition to the county of Snyder which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts \$2.59 for County and State taxes and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State of Texas

Jack Beall is a tentative candidate had a strong record in Congress and had a strong record in congress and announced voluntarily that he would retire. Candidates are already being groomed for his place.
He hails from a heavy voting congressional district and no doubt would be a strong factor in any state contest for the very reason that his people have long had faith in him.—Austin Statesman.

Jack Beall was raised on a farm in Ellis county. He made good in the legislature of Texas and has proved a credit to Texas in Congress. He has done good service as a member of the Agricultural Committee and his interests are identified through birth and training with the farmers of Texas.

How Foolish.
To suffer from Skin Diseases (itch eczema, ringworm, etc.) when one 50c box of "Hunt's Cure," is a positively guaranteed to cure or your money promptly refunded. Every retail druggist in the state stands behind this guarantee. Ask your druggist and see the guarantee with each box. You don't risk anything in giving it a trial. 3-tf.

The old probate law provides that to appoint a guardian to take charge of the business affairs of any one charged with lunacy the person must be tried before a jury selected as other jurymen. The 33rd legislature passed a law providing that persons charged with lunacy shall be tried before a jury of physicians. The contention now is that the old law was not repealed and that a lunatic with estate must be tried by two juries and those with no estate by one. This law is apt to be held in conflict with the constitution.

The public school is one of the greatest factors in our country. When reinforced by good, wholesome, reliable newspapers, it gives the American child a practical education. Without the aid of newspapers the public school can not give a boy or girl that degree of general intelligence that you wish your children to have. You can now get The Snyder Signal and the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News for one year, three papers a week, for \$1.75. We accept and receipt for subscriptions at this office. Do the ordering and take all the risk. 8-tf.

It is said that Judge Ramsey is willing to run for governor if the pros can find no other untried candidate. The woods and fields are full of them.

Calomel is Bad.
But Simmon's Liver Purifier is delightfully pleasant and its action is thorough. Constipation yields, biliousness goes. A trial convinces. In yellow tin boxes only. Tried once, used always. 7-5t.

If Jack Beall should enter the gubernatorial handicap, there would undoubtedly be a record as cetaetasidas. Jack is some spell-binder and has a record as clean as a hound's tooth.—Austin Statesman.

How the Trouble Starts.
Constipation is the cause of many ailments and disorders that make life miserable. Take Chamberlain's Tablets, keep your bowels regular and you will avoid these diseases. For sale by all dealers. 7-5t.

WATER IRRITATES
your skin if you are afflicted with Eczema and the only way to get relief is to cleanse the afflicted part with Zensel Skin Cleanser and then apply Dry Zensal for the scaly, crusty skin, or Moist Zensal for the watery eruption. There are two distinct types and no cure-all will help you.
Grayum Drug Co.
Snyder Drug Co.
3-4t Warren Brothers

NOTICE
W. A. Chapman
the Drayman
has bought a new MOWER and RAKE and will cut for the Public in Connection with his dray business.

It Always Helps

says Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mills, Ky., in writing of her experience with Gardui, the woman's tonic. She says further: "Before I began to use Gardui, my back and head would hurt so bad, I thought the pain would kill me. I was hardly able to do any of my housework. After taking three bottles of Gardui, I began to feel like a new woman. I soon gained 35 pounds, and now, I do all my housework, as well as run a big water mill.
I wish every suffering woman would give

GARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

a trial. I still use Gardui when I feel a little bad, and it always does me good."
Headache, backache, side ache, nervousness, tired, worn-out feelings, etc., are sure signs of womanly trouble. Signs that you need Gardui, the woman's tonic. You cannot make a mistake in trying Gardui for your trouble. It has been helping weak, ailing women for more than fifty years.

Get a Bottle Today!

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THE BEST SHORT ORDER HOUSE IN TOWN

ELKINS & SON

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Selling Colorado Coal

Is the way we made our reputation of "the best for the least money"—Quality considered

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Telephone 262 for Prompt Service

And the little FORD shall lead them all.

It is first in sales—first in economy—and first in the esteem of those who love safety, surety and comfort—because of its wonderful simplicity, strength and lightness. It leads in sales, service and satisfaction.

Change of prices—think what these prices mean—for the car that has stood the tests. Touring Car \$600 f. o. b. Snyder, with all equipment. Carload just received.

W. L. PETTY, Snyder, Tex.

When in Snyder go to

D. P. STRAYHORN

for

Breaking Plows, Harness, Saddles

All kinds of Leather Goods. Fine line of Buggy Whips and Lap Robes

East Side Square Successors to Stimson Bros.

You Can Save

A checking account will not only help you to spend your money economically, but it will also aid you to save money systematically.

When you have a record of every cent you pay out (which you will have, if you pay by check) you will be more careful of your expenditures.

A checking account gives you a complete record of every cent you spend. You have safety for your funds and convenience for your business transactions.

Snyder National Bank.

WINTER FUEL

It would be a good idea to put in your supply of Winter Fuel now, while it is cheap. Get the benefit of the summer price. Phone 272

Jim Dawson

Snyder Transfer Co.

JIM DOAK Mgr.

BUS MEETS ALL TRAINS

Special Attention given to baggage, Your business Solicited. Phone 164
Phone in calls for the Santa Fe morning train the night before. Residence Phone 71



Roscoe, Snyder & Pacific Schedule



West Bound	TEX. & PAC. RY.	East Bound	
Daily		Daily	
No. 3 Lv. .. 7:25 p. m.	ROSCOE	No. 6 Lv. .. 10:08 p. m.	
No. 7 Ar. .. 6:10 p. m.		No. 8 Lv. ... 6:00 a. m.	
No. 5 Lv. .. 7:55 a. m.		No. 4 Lv. ... 9:40 a. m.	
North Bound		South Bound	
Dly Exe S Sun Only	R. S. & P. RY.	Sun Only Dly Exe S	
No. 3 No. 1		No. 2 No. 4	
8:45 a. m. 8:45 a. m.	Lv. Roscoe 0.0 Lv.	5:30 p. m. 5:00 p. m.	
9:30 a. m. 9:40 a. m.	Lv. Hermligh 18.9 Lv.	4:05 p. m. 4:15 p. m.	
10:00 a. m. 10:15 a. m.	Lv. Snyder 30.4 Lv.	4:00 p. m. 3:45 p. m.	
10:50 a. m. 11:20 a. m.	Lv. Fluvanna 49.2 Lv.	1:45 p. m. 2:50 p. m.	
Read Down		Read up	

Schedule Subject to Change Without Notice.

FINE MACHINES
Sewing Machines, Oils, Belts and Reels of all kinds for any make of machine at
J. D. BOYD'S
Southwest Corner of Square
Snyder, Texas

Ideal Tailors

There is one place in town where you can get your clothes cleaned, pressed and repaired RIGHT.

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Music Store

Southwest Corner Square.
You will find Sheet Music, Instructional Books, Musical Instruments, Strings and Supplies of all kinds. Tuning and Organ Repairing a specialty.

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More Visitors

than ever before are being benefited by those wonderful waters at

MINERAL WELLS

Now is the time to go.



Excursion Rates Daily

Ask T. & P. Railway Agents for Particulars or write

A. D. BELL, GEO. D. HUNTER
A. G. P. A. G. P. A.
Dallas Texas.

August is the Big Month at the Wells.

Costly Treatment.

"I was troubled with constipation and indigestion and spent hundreds of dollars for medicine and treatment," writes C. H. Hines, of Whitlow, Ark. "I went to a St. Louis hospital, also to a hospital in New Orleans, but no cure was effected. On returning home I began taking Chamberlain's Tablets, and worked right along. I used them for some time and am now all right." Sold by all dealers. 7-5t

MOTHER MEADOR WRITES OF VISIT TO OLD HOME

To the Snyder Signal:

I am going to write a report of my recent trip to my old home at Roanoke, Virginia. An absence of 35 years' makes quite a change from a town of 500 inhabitants to a busy city of 80,000 people. Roanoke being my childhood home, I enjoyed many sources of happiness and pleasure—being permitted to be again with dear old friends and relatives. I left Roanoke 35 years ago, headed for Dallas, Texas. After six days and nights, I reached Dallas in safety and lived there for quite a while, thence to Denton county, thence to Snyder, Texas, fourteen years ago, and with all the hardships of a western life, I wouldn't exchange for my native home, Virginia.

I started from Snyder, via, Roscoe, June 17, thence to Little Rock. My first change, thence to Memphis where I caught the Southern Limited and on and on I sped to my old home. My letters had been delayed and there was no old friend to meet me. Of course the depot policeman was my first acquaintance. He led me to a directory and I soon located a number of my people.

I took a closed carriage through the great City finding the way O. K. I called for my sister whom I had not seen for 35 years.

I introduced myself as one wanting to engage board for a few days with a private family. My niece looked closely at me and expressed her thoughts that I was her dear old aunt. It was a great meeting. Pen cannot express the joy of meeting. I found several places that looked real natural to me. One, I noted, was a property owned by heirs and it cannot be sold or torn away. This building is where I ran a dressmaking department 35 years ago. It is now very much dilapidated and stands between two seven story brick buildings. Looking at this old landmark my memory went back to the many happy hours I have spent there. The mountains around Roanoke look very picturesque although not so beautiful as our broad prairies. The city lies on the Roanoke river, a very beautiful stream. The big Calahan Spring furnishes the city with water which is good and cold. No ice is used in the drinking water. This spring is noted for its age, having been the source of water supply for 70 years. It is beautiful to look at and grand to see God's natural fountain of pure water bubbling from the earth as clear as crystal and cold enough to make one's teeth ache.

I visited all the parks. They are not as pretty as the parks in our Texas cities—the loop-the-loop and the dancing pavilion being the main features. No flowers, no nice walks and no mountains, as we find in our parks, from El Paso to Texarkana and I have visited all of the most important cities in Texas.

Wages are low. Working girls and sales ladies get three dollars a week and pay board out of that.

I can't say that I like my native state as I like Texas. It seems the old Southern Aristocracy will never die out. A working girl who conducts herself properly ought not to be looked upon as of the lower class but they are not respected by the "upper ten" more than we did our negroes in slave times. In Texas a working girl of good character is respected just as much as the banker's daughters. We love Texas for that as well as for other things.

In my travels through the state I found crops looking better in portions of Texas and Alabama than elsewhere.

How beautiful our nice little town did look to me. I found nothing on my trip to equal it in cleanliness and our dear good people. The corn in Dallas and Tarrant counties was dried up in June.

A few words about Snyder and Scurry county. The most beautiful green grass, the high grade people and cattle can't be excelled. No such a little city did I behold. No such good folks anywhere, no broken down aristocrats. We all mingle together here. There is nothing else like good friends and home, sweet home, and Scurry county, where homes are plentiful and land is cheap—where the poor man can get a home and mix and mingle with the best people on earth. The yellow rose of Texas is good enough for me.

My little granddaughter, Janie Davis, who went with, said: "Grandma, I love our Texas home, don't you." I bade my friends and sisters good-bye to meet them next in the "Home Above." I am the youngest of the family, 67 years, the others are 71, 74 and 78—all hale, hearty and active, enjoying good health. Active Baptist workers for the cause of Christ, helping to carry the gospel to all nations. I am now in my little cottage contented and happy. Going to

remain in Scurry county the rest of my life time.

Mrs. D. W. Meador.
(Known as Mother Meador.)

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for Constipation. 7-5t.

Mayes Will Be Governor.

The time limit for the special session of the 33rd legislature will be up next Tuesday and Gov. Colquitt will not call another. He will leave the very next day for Colorado Springs, Colorado to attend the convention of Governors. He will return from there in time to pass upon the new bills passed by the legislature and in September he will go on a trip to Panama to see the water turned into the big ditch.

During these times of absence Lieut. Gov. Will H. Mayes will be governor of Texas.

Watermelons! Watermelons!

You will find my melons on sale at Ketner's Market. I have equipped my wagon with a good set of springs, therefore, no bruised melons.

9-4t W. E. SORRELS.

"I was attacked with dysentery about July 15th, and used the doctor's medicine and other remedies with no relief, only getting worse all the time. I was unable to do anything and my weight dropped from 145 to 125 pounds. I suffered for about two months when I was advised to use Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I used two bottles of it and it gave me permanent relief," writes B. W. Hill of Snow Hill, N. C. For sale by all dealers. 7-5t.

SERVICES AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

There will be regular services at First Christian church next Lord's day as follows:

Bible school, 9:45 a. m.
Communion 11:00 a. m.
Sermon, 11:15 a. m.
Training Class meeting 7:30 p. m.
Evening sermon 8:30 p. m.
Prayer and Praise every Wednesday at 8:30 p. m.

You are cordially invited and hearty welcome to attend any or all these services. Come and bring some one with you.

Thos. N. Plunkett, Minister.
Thos. G. Deffenbach, Bible school Superintendent

Texas Inventions.

Reported by Spellman & Murray, patent attorneys, Dallas, Texas,
Augustus F. W. Macmanus, San Antonio, aeroplane.

Arthur A. Dubuque and Phillip H. Voight, Houston, pump.
James Powell Owens, Weatherford, harrow.

Carl G. Sallander, Galveston, miner's lamp.

Charles C. Acker, Winnsboro, railway support and coupling.

Joseph D. Ingram, Washburn, vehicle wheel.

Samuel H. Martin, Brady, insect or worm destroyer.

Wisdom McGill, Waco, wrench.

Claude M. Edwards, Galveston Telegraph apparatus.

Claude M. Edwards, Galveston, selective telegraph system.

Thomas B. Alsop, Canadian, beam spring trip for cultivators.

Thomas M. Dugger, Comanche, automatic plow foot.

James William Terry, San Antonio, stamping machine.

Adolph E. Ashliman, Haskell, wrench.

Samuel E. Bennisen, Galveston, rotary engine.

Rupert R. Gibson, Waco, seed planter.

John A. Eddins, San Augustine, ink well.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis and children left a few days ago for Oklahoma. The children will visit there with their grand parents and Mr. and Mrs. Davis will go to Galveston and other pleasure resorts.



Be free from CRITICISM.

Mrs. Housekeeper:—

The way to be free from CRITICISM is to have your house so tastefully furnished that your NEIGHBORS' tattling tongues can find nothing to CRITICISE. And you will like to have your friends come to visit you if your home is well-appointed throughout. A good way to avoid criticism is to go to a store you can depend upon for selling up-to-date furniture. And you want to go to a store where you know that the price is right.

Blackard-Johnson Hwde. Co.

Southwest Corner Square.

Have You Tried a Sack

We are head-quarters for first class groceries



Prices and quality always right

Farmers' Union Store

Higginbotham - Harris & Co.

Dealers in Lumber, Wire, Posts, Paints and Oils, Screen Doors, Wire Cloth

Snyder, Texas

A. J. Ellerd brought in some specially fine peaches Monday from his farm northeast of town just to show that west Texas has got east Texas skinned a city block when it comes to growing peaches. A. J. admits that peaches here grow nearly as big as apples in Arkansas.

DARBY & SON
Plumbing & Plumbing Supplies

Binders Repaired.
I am especially prepared to repair your binders. All work guaranteed.
W. J. FULLER,
Rt 3 Box 22, Snyder, Texas 3-2tpd.

W. M. Crow, a member of the Iron Department of the Signal corps was a pleasant caller at the printery last Friday.

Joe Beck went up to the Scoggins ranch Monday to do a job of guttering.

BUY YOUR

Drugs, Chemicals, Rubber Goods, Toilet Soaps, Perfumes,
Cigars, Cold Soda, Books, Stationery, Etc. at "The Owl."

Prices Moderate; Service The Best.

Free Delivery.

Phone 221

OWL DRUG STORE

The Drug, Book and Stationery House

F. V. CLARK, Druggist

Postmaster Claude Westcott of Dunn was here Tuesday. He still carries his arm in splints.

Ike Boren came in from his Kent county farm a few days ago with some fine maize and he says he has lots of it.

See Hardy M. Boyd, for Abstracts, over State Bank. 41-tf.

J. S. Curtis is able to be down town again after an illness of several days. He has gone to visit his sister in Fisher county.

We are in the market for threshed maize and kaffir. 9-tf. C. Nation & Son.

Rev. M. T. Tucker has returned from Comanche and Erath counties where he has been preaching in revival meetings.

Who will be the lucky person at Dreamland Friday, Aug. 15th. Every one has an equal chance at the hand painted china tea set, on display at Grayum Drug Co.

See Hardy M. Boyd, for Abstracts, over State Bank. 41-tf.

Bert Beauchamp and family come in from an extended visit in east Texas. He says where he went things didnt look very good and everybody had the blues the worst kind.

We have secured the famous line of Buttrick Patterns. Call in and ask about our free pattern offer. 9-tf. Richards-McMillan.

Quite a bunch of Snyder men went over to Sweetwater Wednesday night to attend a Good Roads Meeting.

Have you read the ads this week?

Bouquet FLOUR

This flour stands the test.

CURRY & TAYLOR

"THE HOME OF BOQUET"

N. N. Rogers was here Sunday from Polar.

E. H. Higginbotham went to Post City Monday.

R. C. Herm was here Monday from Hermleigh.

Crops between Snyder and Hermleigh are good.

Mrs. H. N. Howell is visiting her son at DeLeon.

J. E. Sturdivant was here Monday from Hermleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Crenshaw have gone to Mineral Wells.

A nice little shower of rain fell here Thursday evening.

Two cars of dry wood, Red Oak, Burr Oak, Ash, I want to sell it right now. Phone 272. Jim Dawson.

Miss Alma Hall of Dallas is at home to visit her mother.

Are you lucky, go to Dreamland Friday Aug. 15th, and see.

Born in Snyder, Aug. 10, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnston, a girl.

Mrs. Joe Strayhorn has returned from visiting in Central Texas.

Beautiful hand painted china tea set given away at Dreamland, Friday Aug. 15th.

Geo. W. Harris made a quick business trip to Fort Worth last week.

Mrs. T. H. Green and children left Wednesday for Abilene to visit the lady's parents.

Sam Singleton, an old timer here, but now ranching on the plains is here this wegy.

Miss Virginia Matchett, of Corsicana is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Price.

We are in the market for threshed maize and kaffir. 9-tf. C. Nation & Son.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Paxton are at home from their trip to Detroit, Michigan.

J. D. Norris has returned from his vacation trip and is still heart whole and fancy free.

A marriage license was issued Aug. 5 to Mr. Lawrence Shields and Miss Lenna Mae Francis.

For Waggon, Binders and Twine see J. J. BELEW, 8-8t. Fluvanna, Tex.

Just received a car of the famous Domino Nut Coal, especially adapted for cooking stoves. Phone 272. Jim Dawson.

Lon Graham came home Sunday from Waco. He says the weather is dry and hot down there.

Get some medicine for that headache



A HEADACHE IS THE FIRST SYMPTOM OF AN ON-COMING SICKNESS. ALL SICKNESS SHOULD BE CAUGHT IN TIME. HAVE ALWAYS IN THE HOUSE SOME SIMPLE REMEDIES TO TAKE WHILE WAITING FOR THE DOCTOR TO COME. ONE OF OUR COMBINATION WATER BAG AND FOUNTAIN SYRINGE IS A HOUSEHOLD NECESSITY. HAVE YOU GOT ONE? THERE IS NO USE OF SUFFERING LONG WITH HEADACHE OR NEURALGIA. BE PREPARED TO TREAT IT AS SOON AS IT STARTS.

COME TO OUR DRUG STORE.

The Snyder Drug Comp'y

"We give mail orders prompt attention"

Eastman Kodaks and Supplies H. G. Towle

DR. PRICE'S CREAM Baking Powder

Purity in food, lower cost of living—these are the demands of the day.

Pure food is health, and health is economy itself. We cannot have health without healthful food.

The most healthful foods are the quickly raised flour foods—biscuit, cake, muffins, crusts and other pastry, when perfectly made from wholesome ingredients.

Dr. PRICE'S baking powder makes these foods in specially attractive, appetizing and wholesome form, and for both economic and hygienic reasons, such food should be more largely substituted for meat in the daily diet.

But bear in mind that alum, or unwholesome baking powder, can never make pure, wholesome food.

Country Produce Wanted. I am now offering the highest market price for everything in the produce line. Also buy hides. It will be to your interest to get my prices. JIM ELLIS, 4-tf. Phone 164



DO YOU know of anyone who is old enough to read, who has not seen that sign at a railroad crossing?

If everyone has seen it at some time or other, then why doesn't the railroad let the sign rot away? Why does the railroad company continue to keep those signs at every crossing?

Maybe you think, Mr. Merchant, "Most everybody knows my store, I don't have to advertise."

Your store and your goods need more advertising than the railroads need to warn people to "Look Out for the Cars."

Nothing is ever completed in the advertising world.

The Department Stores are a very good example—they are continually advertising—and they are continually doing a good business.

If it pays to run a few ads around about Christmas time, it certainly will pay you to run advertisements about all the time.

It's just business, that's all, to ADVERTISE in THIS PAPER

EXCHANGE ON NEW SCHOOL BOOKS

Old school books must be in good condition to be exchanged for the new books, to-wit:

They must have the outside cover or back in good shape and must have all the leaves with none torn or defaced, otherwise we will be compelled to refuse them, as our instructions from the Publishers strictly prohibit us to accept any old school books in exchange for the new books, unless they are in first class condition.

Please remember that the new school books belong to the Publishers and we are only selling them as per their instructions. This is why we advertise this before school opens, so that you will know the requirements of the publishers.

Yours truly, Grayum Drug Co.

Watermelons! Watermelons! You will find my melons on sale at Ketner's Market. I have equipped my wagon with a good set of springs, therefore, no bruised melons. 9-4t. W. E. SORRELS.

Expression Class.

I will open my class in expression September 15th and would like to have my old pupils with me and as many new ones as would like to take My studio will be located near the high school building. 8-2t. Mrs. F. L. Hutcheson.

It pays to read the Signal advertisements each week.

Calomel is Bad. But Simmon's Liver Purifier is delightfully pleasant and its action is thorough. Constipation yields, biliousness goes. A trial convinces. In yellow tin boxes only. Tried once, used always. 7-5t.

Special Envoy, John Lind, was received in Mexico City with all assurances of safety and conditions look more favorable now for peaceful consideration of relations.

This month is the time to prepare for your winter coal and wood. Phone 272. See 8-tf. JIM DAWSON.

Wanted—Man with family to take a cotton crop of 65 acres to gather. See or write J. W. Hendryx, Polar, Texas.

Remember Ladies.

This is to certify that you will find Beautigeline and Soap at A. D. Dodson's Bros. Dry Goods Store, my residence.

MRS. Need. 8-4t.

We are in the market for threshed maize and kaffir. 9-tf. C. Nation & Son.

School Books



and School Supplies for all grades. You will find every thing needed in our book department. We are prepared to

EQUIP EVERY SCHOLAR from one just beginning on up to the Senior at the High School, with every book and supply needed and at prices too, as low, if not lower than anywhere else.

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