

The Snyder Signal

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PRES. WILSON TO BE MARRIED

OFFICIAL WASHINGTON STARTLED BY SECRETARY'S ANNOUNCEMENT.

WEDDING TO BE IN DECEMBER

Bride-to-be is Widow of Washington Jeweler and Noted for Her Beauty and Charity

Washington, Oct. 6—President Wilson announced tonight his engagement to Mrs. Norma R. Galt, of Washington. The date of the wedding has not been fixed, but it will probably be in December at the home of the bride-elect.

The brief announcement made through Secretary Tumulty, came as a surprise to official Washington, but intimate friends had long expected such a culmination to a friendship that has endured through several months.

Mrs. Galt is an especial friend of Miss Margaret Wilson and of Helen Bones and has been seen in company with the president's daughters much this past summer.

She spent a month at Cornish as the guest of Mrs. Francis Sayer.

Mrs. Galt is the widow of a Washington Jeweler who died eight years ago. She is thirty-eight years old and was formerly Miss Edith Boling of Wytheville, Va., known for her beauty.

Her tastes are similar to those of the president, it is said; she takes a deep interest in literature and charity work. Friends say that Mrs. Galt will make an excellent companion for the president.

Mrs. Wilson has been dead a little over a year. The wedding will probably be a private affair at the bride's home and not at the capitol.

Beats Father on Hog Raising

Master Raymond Williams, of Denton County, has shown that the son can teach the father "something in agriculture." Young Williams is a member of the boys hog club in his county, which work is conducted jointly by the Extension Service of the A. & M. College and the United States department of Agriculture.

Five months ago he entered the hog raising business, when his father gave him a pig that weighed 41 pounds. His father kept a litter mate to the pig he gave his son, the father's pig weighing 39 pounds. At the age of five months the boy's pig weighed 244 pounds, while the father's pig only weighed 85 pounds. The lad fed his pig in accordance with the directions sent out by the Extension Service. The ration consisted of ground maize, wheat shorts, butter milk and oats and grass, fed as pasturage. This is but one of the many instances where members of boy's pig, corn, cotton and baby beef clubs have far outstripped their father's in production and quality.

Explosion at Ardmore

A tank car containing 250 gallons of gasoline exploded in the railroad yards at Ardmore, Oklahoma last night, and fifty people were killed.

Two workmen were repairing the car and one of them struck it with a hammer, causing a spark which ignited the gasoline at a small leak and the explosion came instantly. Fifty people perished. The Santa Fe and Frisco and the Rock Island depots, a hotel and an entire block in which a large wholesale grocery house was situated were destroyed. Thirty Santa Fe freight cars were destroyed.

Mrs. M. A. Fuller entertained on Thursday afternoon in honor of her guests from New York.

Walter Smith has well fitted up cotton office over the Townsend-Oldham store. He has complete wire service and gets market quotations every few minutes.

Dudley Kenedy representing the West-Cullum Paper Co., of Dallas was here Tuesday.

EVERETT GREEN SERIOUSLY HURT AT FULLER GIN

Everett Green, aged 18 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Green got his right arm caught in the gin saws at the Fuller gin late Tuesday evening and fearfully cut and mangled.

His injuries were dressed by local surgeons. It is said that more than 200 stitches were necessary in dressing the cuts and lacerations.

One of the physicians stated Wednesday that the young man is in a serious condition. He could not say yet if amputation will be resorted to—in fact he intimated that the outcome may be even worse than amputation.

City Marshal Buys Property.

Uncle Buck Wolfe has been in Snyder from the very first and knows as much as any other man about the history of the town and country. He has been right here through the ups and downs and he knows conditions in all variations and his faith in the country is stronger now than ever before.

In fact he knows that the man who buys property in Snyder now is on the safe side. He believes in it so strongly that he has recently bought some more town property.

Lot 1 in block 6, in Scarborough addition from Simmons College, \$50. From Mrs. Lillie Smith 2 7-10 acres in Scarborough addition, \$135.

From John E. Camp and wife, of Pecos, lot 2 block 9, Scarborough addition \$50. From J. H. Henderson and wife, lot 2 in block 3, Scarborough addition, \$150.

Mr. and Mrs. Perkins Entertain

The Gleaners of the Christian Sunday School were royally entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tilmon P. Perkins on Tuesday night.

"Hearts" was the game of the evening.

A delicious ice course was served to the following:

Misses Nannie Bail, Mary and Vera Heath, Vita Wasson, Besse Rose, Neena Perkins, Jim McClinton, Anne and Laura Hunter, Lizzie Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Perkins.

Snyder Horse Wins Again

E. E. Brumley received news from Roscoe Wednesday afternoon that his pacing horse Alcey Fern had carried off the honors at the Roscoe fair in the first two heats. Time 2:19½ and 2:22.

An Abundance of Stuff

Mr. A. D. Dodson was up to his farm near Fluvanna last week and reports everything looking good. Grass couldn't be finer, cattle and horses all fat. He says he has made more feed than he knows what to do with. His barns are all full and he reckons he will have to build a shed over the field to cover the crop now making. He says he might tear down the old barns and build new ones and have enough stuff laid up to do him a long time, and he might eat chicken pie and pork sausage and drink the best of well water and be merry, but he would be afraid to sit back to take his ease. He is not in a hurry to hear the summons a certain well-to-do old farmer heard one night.

State Bug Man Coming

Hon. J. W. Neff of the State Agricultural department has written the Signal that he will be in Snyder on October 28th with a fine sample of bugs and other insects. He is a well posted entomologist and can tell you the insects that destroy crops and how to combat them.

Good Cotton Picking

John Boles who lives on Ennis is 11 years old and weighs 73 pounds. He picked 510 pounds of cotton in 12 hours. Thelma Boles who is 13 years old and weighs 67 pounds picked 452 pounds of cotton in 12 hours. Where is the boy or girl who can beat this record? If you have them show them up.

CROPS AND MARKETING DISCUSSED

STATE DEPARTMENT MEN VISIT SNYDER—NICE PROGRAM PREPARED

FARMERS ELECT OFFICERS

C. H. Kelly Elected President; W. T. Thompson, Vice President and J. C. Maxwell, Secretary.

For several days the Scurry County Farmers' Institute, at the suggestion of the State Agricultural Department had planned for a mass meeting of farmers and business men to be held in Snyder, Tuesday night.

A nice program was prepared and handbills distributed over town.

Mr. W. E. Prescott, a traveling representative of the Agricultural Department was sent here to discuss matters pertaining to agriculture and Hon. Don Biggers of Lubbock, a representative in the Legislature and now travelling in West Texas in the interest of the State Marketing Association came in and was here to discuss the marketing problem from a practical and official standpoint.

The meeting was held at the Court House Tuesday night. Boyd's orchestra made good music. There were several ladies present and about a dozen or fifteen men.

Of course the visiting state representative did not attempt to make speeches to so small an audience. They merely talked a little while and promised to come back if our people shall manifest a desire to hear them.

Just before adjournment of the meeting, Mr. Strayhorn who has been president of the Farmer's Institute for some years stated that the time had come to elect new officers and upon motion, duly seconded, C. H. Kelly was elected president and W. T. Thompson, vice president and J. C. Maxwell, secretary.

These men are all practical farmers and we believe they will put new interest into the institute work.

Snyder Man Gets Certificate

J. Arch Farmer, while at the Odd Fellows Association in Abilene some time ago gave a test before the committee of his proficiency in giving the unwritten work of the order and this week he received a certificate from Grand Master Mibener as to his qualification and officially authorizing him to teach the work to other Odd Fellows.

Lit Chapman Case Dismissed

The Signal carried an error last week because of wrong information. It was stated in the paper last week that Lit Chapman, after examining trial before Justice Brown on charge of shooting his wife through the hand was admitted to bail in \$500.

Instead of being put under bond, Mr. Chapman was turned loose and the charge dismissed.

U. C. V. Meeting

Camp Bill Scurry, U. C. V. met in regular session Monday with Lieut. B. F. Davis presiding.

Prayer was offered by Comrade Hunt.

The recent death of Comrades W. R. Sharp and P. H. Morris were officially reported and J. T. Hunt, J. W. Shaw and J. S. Hardy were appointed to prepare resolutions concerning them.

Rev. J. T. Hunt suggested in a speech that a plan ought to be adopted to have the Camp members attend funerals of deceased comrades and offered the following resolution which was adopted:

Be it resolved by this Camp that the membership will hereafter, when ever a comrade shall die that the surviving members, in so far as may be practicable attend the funeral in a body and that such services may be had and rendered at the grave as will show respect for such deceased comrade.

This plan was commended by Comrades McDonald, Davis and others. The Camp then adjourned with prayer, by Captain Shaw.

WE ARE PARTNERS SAYS JOHN D., JR.

SAYS NEITHER LABOR NOR CAPITAL CAN EXIST WITHOUT THE OTHER

IS VISITING WYOMING MINES

Young Millionaire Declares That Two Forces Must Work Together or That Each Will Suffer

Sunrise, Wyo. Oct. 6—John D. Rockefeller, Jr. visited the iron mines here today and addressed the miners.

"We are partners in business," he told them. "Neither can get along without the other. Your labor will not earn you a living without capital to provide a place for you to work, a market for your products.

"My capital will not get ore without your strong arms and your brave hearts to toil at the steam shovels and under the earth.

"We must work together or we must both suffer."

It was announced that Mr. Rockefeller would leave Saturday for New York.

Death of P. H. Morris

Mr. P. H. Morris, of Snyder, aged 72 years died at an early hour last Saturday morning at the home of his son, A. P. Morris in this city. Mr. Morris was a good, honest, Christian gentleman. He was an ex-confederate Veteran and belonged to Camp Bill Scurry, U. C. V.

He served through the war in Co. G, 18th Georgia. He was born in North Carolina. Moved to Georgia in early life. From there he moved to Texas in 1870. Lived in Johnson county several years and came to Scurry county 17 years ago, locating in the Ennis country, where he resided until a few years ago.

His wife died last June, since which time he has resided with his children in Snyder.

He was taken sick early last week with acute indigestion and sank rapidly.

He is survived by two sons, and two daughters, Perry Morris of Snyder, Lowry Morris of Arizona, Mrs. John Parsons of Snyder and Mrs. Willie Johnson of Ennis.

He was a member of the Baptist church and was a Mason.

Funeral services Saturday evening were attended by quite a large gathering of friends and neighbors. Rev. M. T. Tucker conducted the services and the remains were buried in Snyder Cemetery with Masonic honors.

Three Samples from Bale

The Ginners' Association are trying to set aside the law passed by the 34th Legislature providing that three samples of every bale of cotton shall be taken at the gin. They argue that this work will require the employment of extra help and will entail that much more expense on the ginner, or be taxed up as against the farmer as cost of ginning.

The farmers wanted this law to be sure honest baling and to remove a hitherto prevalent suspicion among buyers that the handful pulled from a bale is not always a true sample.

By this plan of having a disinterested party take three samples, the opportunity is removed for "doctoring" the bale and the buyer knows what he is getting.

Mr. George Hendryx said the other day that it is a good law. He said all the farmer wants is a fair and square deal and he hopes this new law will stand the test.

The smoke stack at the Fuller gin was broken Thursday by a wagon being driven into a guy wire, and had to be taken down and a new one put up. The gin shut down a little while for repairs.

E. H. Brown formerly of Snyder, now of Wichita Falls is here this week. He sees great material improvement here and as for the people—well he's been in lots of towns, but nowhere does he find so good a Christian citizenship as here.

GOOD MEETING HELD BY BOARD OF GOVERNORS

A most enthusiastic meeting of the board of governors of the Chamber of Commerce was held at the court house last night. There were many subjects of importance discussed, among which was the establishing of a blind institute, the circulating of the common battery telephone petition and the publicity of an advertising proposition for the immediate territory.

Committees were authorized to take these matters up an act at once. Much interest was manifested in railroad interests but no immediate action was taken.

Board adjourned subject to the call of President.

First Meeting of "Apollo Club."

Mrs. E. B. Barnes's advanced pupils met and organized a music club at the Central School Building on Wednesday afternoon, the following officers were duly elected:

Willie Joe Sims, President, Dorris Marshal, Vice President, Dimple Gross, Secretary, Lois Curnutte, Reporter.

The object of this club is to study Harmony and the History of Famous Musicians.

A very interesting lesson on the life of Bach was led by Mrs. Barnes. —Reporter.

To the Mayor and City Council

On behalf of the pupils of the Central school building I am pleased to extend to you one and all, our sincere gratitude and appreciation for the splendid foot bridge which you have so kindly given us across the creek just west of the school building. This bridge was a public necessity as there are at least 250 children crossing that creek daily coming to school and going home. At times these children were greatly inconvenienced by the high water and slippery banks. Now they cross in comfort and security. We want to commend the Council for its wisdom in this matter and we hope to show our appreciation of its generosity. We are observing fire prevention day in every room in the schools thus showing that we want to co-operate with the City government. This is a laudable move on the part of the Governor and is meeting with the hearty response from the people.

Again thanking you, I am,

Yours sincerely,

E. A. WATSON,
Supt. Public Schools.

County Court Jury for Week

W. F. Martin,
D. C. Bentley,
T. B. Burroughs,
Tom Crenshaw,
Leslie Smith,
W. T. Rhea,
D. C. Arnett,
W. A. Deak,
J. V. Riley,
Roy Myers,
J. S. Farr,
E. A. McMath.

Cotton Has Deteriorated

The government report of the condition of the cotton crop issued about September 1 placed the figures at a fraction over 69 per cent and the report sent out Oct. 4 placed them at 66.9 per cent and the prices stiffened. Cotton sold in Snyder Tuesday at 12.25.

Little Girl Died

Neal Agnes, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Burditt died on Monday at the family home on North Scarborough street.

The Signal learns that Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Perkins are making arrangements to move to Palo Pinto to reside.

Mrs. Frank M. King and Miss Eva Travers, who were guests for two weeks of Mr. and Mrs. Lex Wilmoth, left Monday for their home in New York City.

CITY COUNCIL IN REGULAR SESSION

ROUTINE BUSINESS TRANSACTED AND CURRENT ACCOUNTS WERE ALLOWED

A SPECIAL POLL TAX LEVIED

Important Ordinances Enacted—West Side Sewer Line to be Extended

The City Council of the City of Snyder met in regular session October 4th with Mayor Noble presiding.

The following were present: City Secretary E. J. Anderson, City Marshal Wolfe, Aldermen Grayum, Fickas, Higginbotham, Monroe, Smith and Towle.

Minutes of regular meeting of Sept. 20th read and approved.

The following accounts were allowed:

Snyder Ice & Electric Co.	
Pumping Sept. water	\$40.00
Street lights for Sept.	35.30
Wiring City Hall	10.50
5 lamps for City Hall	2.40
J. W. Green, street work	\$2.00
J. A. Westbrook, bridgework	8.80
Hargreaves Ptg. Co, supplies	1.09
Baker, Grayum and Anderson, stamps	2.00
W. A. Jones hauling	10.50
B. P. Moffett, hauling	7.70
E. C. Abbott, work	54.40
Giles Grantham, labor	4.80
Caton Dodson, quilts for jail	6.00
Baze & Son, repair work	5.06
J. B. Gildart, repairs	3.70
Snyder Signal, printing	17.75
Gulf Refining Co., oil	16.31
J. W. Westbrook, bridge work	11.25

Fire hose salesman were instructed to meet with committee of Monroe, Higginbotham and Towle in reference to purchasing new fire hose.

Application of the R. S. & P. Railway company to operate on street passing under Santa Fe bridge and on the north side of the Compress was referred to the street committee.

Bills for union tabernacle lights, Briggs-Weaver Machinery Company for pump plunger and city hall lights were referred.

Secretary was instructed to purchase 25 water meters at \$8.60 less cost of carriage and issue warrant therefor without interest, payable February 15th, 1916.

The Sewer Committee was empowered to act with full authority in the matter of extending new sewer line onto the west side of the creek; the city accepting the proposition of the property owners to build proper sewer system and pay for same. Upon completion and acceptance of sewer line the city will issue warrants payable at some specific time after issuance reimbursing the property owners in full for the actual cost of construction from the bridge on the west side of Faught street to the terminus of line.

By unanimous vote of the Council the City of Snyder was authorized to levy a poll tax of \$1.00 per head on all males of legal liability for the ensuing year. Secretary was instructed to have proper ordinance drawn.

By order of the Council W. T. Baze & Son were requested to move scales from the side walk on Faught street and to hitch animals for horseshoeing and other purposes within their lot limit.

Ordinance committee was instructed to prepare ordinance covering the breeding of live stock within city limits.

The council appointed P. M. Bolin inspector of weights and measures for the city of Snyder.

Council adjourned.

Farmer Died Saturday.

John Graham, a farmer, aged 51 years died Saturday at his home near Camp Springs, with Brights disease.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. McDermott and little daughter were here Tuesday from Dermott, trading with Snyder merchants.

ATTENTION Housekeepers

Matresses made to order.
Old matresses renovated and made new.
Feather beds made into feather matresses.

Snyder Mattress Factory

Telephone 349

VISIT TO I. O. F. HOME

Snyder, Texas, 10.7-15.
Messrs Hardy & Chambliss,
Snyder, Texas.

Dear Sirs:

I went, I saw, I come home a more enthusiastic Robekah Oddfellow.

On Friday night of last week, Mr. Farmer read in the Star-Telegram of the approaching Annual Visit of the Tarrant County Odd Fellows Association to the I. O. F. Home at Corsicana, on last Sunday. He suggested that I go and, combining business with pleasure, see what would be the possible chance of a train load going from the West Texas I. O. F. Association. I left Saturday afternoon for the visit and I return very optimistic for I feel sure that by putting our shoulders to the wheel and pushing, that it can be done, giving a chance to many of the members in our Western section to visit "Our Home" who would possibly never go otherwise, and miss a great treat, both to themselves and to the inmates of the home.

I had read some of the Home and the reports of some who had been there but I had never realized the "bigness" of it until my visit last Sunday. There were something over nine hundred on the Home Going Special train, taking well filled lunch baskets and quite a lot of fruit besides. Dinner was served on long tables on the lawn, prepared for that day. When everything was ready, the visitors stood back and gave room for the children to march in file, down either side of the tables where they, as the guests of the day, were served first. When they were through there was quite a lot left. These visits are not looked upon by either

children or visitors as a "Sunday picnic", in fact not as a picnic at all, but only as a day spent together by friends.

I find the children so contented, being well cared for and taught the things that will help to make them successful men and women and it is good to hear them talk of the men and women at the head of the Institution for you realize then that these men and women are putting love behind their work and helping in every way to fill in the gap made by "the such great loss."

I should like very much to go into detail as to the different departments but that would make my letter too long, so I will only mention the new "Old Home". It is so well arranged with the comfort and convenience of the aged in view. They appreciate it too. One dear old soul the oldest in the home, has been there nine years and when we were in her room talking to her, she said "Dears go home and tell your members that theirs is a noble work and that they are helping to make life not only liveable but very peaceful and contented to we old worn out souls, who would otherwise be living on the world, possibly. Doesn't such testimony as that pay?"

As President of the West Texas I. O. F. Ass'n, I shall do all I can to get up the party to make a visit to the home, and anything that others can do to help will be appreciated by me beside the good you get from it yourself.

Yours in F. L. T.,
WILLIE STRAYHORN FARMER.

B. S. Huey and A. S. Harris have come to Snyder to buy cotton and Joe Lee will be back here in a few days.

AT THE OPERA HOUSE SATURDAY NIGHT

Herbert O. Rounds, entertainer, assisted by eight members of his Ladies Orchestra will appear at the Snyder Opera House Saturday night October 9, with an elaborate music festival.

This company is one of the Dixie Lyceum Bureau's most popular attractions.

One night only. Popular prices, 35c and 50c.

DON'T MISS IT.

Bids Wanted.

Notice is hereby given that the City Secretary of the City of Snyder will receive bids for the installation of twenty-five (25) or more Keystone Water Meters on water lines now in operation in the City of Snyder, also for the construction and installation of twenty-five (25) or more galvanized Iron Meter Boxes with covers.

Said installation of meters and of meter boxes to be in accordance with plans and specifications to be obtained on request at this office.

All bids must be made by bonded licensed plumbers and be in the hands of the Secretary on or before 7:30 p. m., October 18th, 1915. Each bid to be accompanied by a certified check for \$25.00 for the faithful performance of the Contract.

Given under my hand and seal this 7th day of October 1915.

E. J. ANDERSON,
City Secretary

Business Announcement

I have purchased the interest of O. F. Darby in the Darby, Sears Gin Company and will continue the business at the same stand with a modern equipment plant and the latest machinery.

I desire to extend hearty thanks for the liberal patronage accorded in the past and respectfully solicit a continuance of same through the coming season. I guarantee the best possible service and honest dealings.

E. F. SEARS, The Gin Man,
Snyder, Texas, Oct. 1, 1915.

Rev. R. W. Roe was here Wednesday from Camp Springs.

Alec Fern was taken to Rosecoe this week to perform on the pacing track at the fair. He will then go to Abilene to the fair.



Texaco Axle Grease is Real Grease—pure lubricant throughout.

Get a trial can—say just a pound to begin with. Subject it to the test of heavy hauling in hot weather. Keep a careful check on the number of times you need to regrease the axles.

You will see that Texaco Axle Grease costs less because it lasts longer.

It is one of the many Quality Products we make for use on the farm, in the factory, in the home—everywhere where oil products are used in this country and abroad.

THE TEXAS COMPANY
General Offices: Houston, Texas. Agents Everywhere



"Oh Look!

I can eat 'em all—they won't hurt me! That's because they're made with Calumet—and that's why they're pure, tempting, tasty, wholesome—that's why they won't hurt any kid."

Received Highest Awards
New Cook Book Free—See Slip
in Pound Can.



Cheap and big can Baking Powders don't save you money. Calumet does—it's pure and far superior to sour milk and soda.

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CHEWING TOBACCO

LEADING BRAND OF THE WORLD



**"Cheer Up, Brother.
Take a Chew of STAR
and Forget It."**

THEY'LL never "get your goat" if you have a chew of STAR in your cheek. You "forget it" the minute you set your teeth on the juicy STAR plug.

The naturally sweet leaf in STAR is developed to an even deliciousness throughout. This is retained to the last chew by the three-quarter inch thickness that can't dry out like a thin plug. And every STAR plug is *always* a full 16 ounce pound.

**Men Who Chew
Are Men Who DO**

If your work keeps you from smoking—chew STAR. If you're smoking too much or chewing too strong a tobacco—change off to mild, mellow STAR.

16 oz. Plugs 10c Cuts

Leggett & Myers Tobacco Co

STAR was awarded the Grand Prize at the San Francisco Exposition, and is the only chewing tobacco that has ever received this highest possible award.



EIGHT FOR-GET-ME-NOTS—COLISEUM FEATURE.

Dallas: Those who enjoy high-class musical, song and vaudeville entertainment have much in store for them at this year's State Fair of Texas. All offerings of this nature presented in the great Coliseum in the past will be surpassed in every way.

First in consideration comes the famous Scotch Highlander Band, the idol of Canadian music lovers. The splendid musicianship of this great organization, under the direction of its tireless and capable leader, Prof. Roy B. Smith, is now recognized throughout the length and breadth of the land.

The Scotch Highlander Band is the prize organization of Canada, having won that title in two great contests. It will come to Dallas prepared to give audiences just what they want in music—from the classic right down to the ragtime—and will give it in such a way to make them sit up and applaud and cheer and ask for more of the same.

Another popular musical organiza-

tion booked for this year is Ewing's Zouave Band, whose excellent musicianship and superb drill presentations made it very popular last year.

The vaudeville bill as arranged for the State Fair Coliseum is all-star throughout. The morning, afternoon and evening programs planned, call for six vaudeville acts, a continuous band program, instrumental and vocal soloists of national fame.

Among the vaudeville acts that deserve special praise are the Eight For-Get-Me-Nots, the Marco Twins, Nick Kaufman's Skating Girls, and Cora Youngblood Corson's instrumentalists.

Thirty-two good looking girls and two lonesome men—the Marco twins, that's the present Coliseum offering. However, the management is now negotiating for three more acts that will equalize the bill.

The vaudeville program arranged for this year will be a combination of song, dance and musical acts, and high class acrobatic features.

FOOTBALL AT STATE FAIR.

Dallas: The 1915 State Fair of Texas will be the occasion of a great football season. There will be as many as eight games, four of which have already been booked. The schedule so far decided is: Saturday, October 16, Trinity University vs. Baylor College; Tuesday, October 19, Texas Christian University vs. Austin College; Saturday, October 23, University of Texas vs. Oklahoma; Saturday, October 29, A. and M. College of Texas vs. Haskell Indians.

WRITE FOR PREMIUM LISTS.

Dallas: The State Fair premium list and catalogue is now ready for distribution. The premium list is a handsome book printed in two colors which covers in detail all departments of the State Fair; all prizes and premiums; all rules and regulations; how to enter exhibits; how to ship them to the State Fair; and numerous other details. For a premium list write Secretary W. H. Stratton, Dallas.

THE PROPER COURSE

Information of Priceless Value to Every Snyder Citizen

How to act in an emergency is knowledge of inestimable worth and this is particularly true of the diseases and ills of the human body. If you suffer with kidney backache, urinary disorders, or any form of kidney trouble, the advice contained in the following statement should add a valuable asset to your store of knowledge. What could be more convincing proof of the efficiency of Doan's Kidney Pills than the statement of a Snyder citizen who used them and who publicly tells of the benefit derived?

B. F. Davis, Snyder, says: "I had pains across the small of my back and in my sides. As Doan's Kidney Pills were recommended, I began using them as directed. Two boxes were I needed for a cure. I recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to anyone suffering with weak kidneys."

Price 50c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that cured Mr. Davis. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Notice to the Public

I have had some trouble of late with night calls, but I have done away with my night kids and have a good reliable man. Don't be afraid to phone us and go to sleep, for we will call you.

JIM ELLIS,
Mgr. Snyder Transfer Co.
Phone 154

Fish is brain food. Ask your doctor. Buy some Mackerel from Denson & Smith and feed your brain.

Special get acquainted matinee at the Lyric, Saturday. All school children free.

The Signal and Dallas News \$1.75.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Scurry

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Scurry County on the 5th day of October, A. D. 1915, by W. S. Adanson, clerk of said Court for the sum of Eight hundred thirty and 80-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of J. R. Huckabee in a certain cause in said Court No. 1779 and styled J. R. Huckabee vs. W. R. Syfrett, et al, placed in my hands for service, I, W. A. Merrell, as Sheriff of Scurry County, Texas, did on the 5th day of October, 1915 levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Scurry County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Lot No. 1 in Block No. 22 of the W. L. Gross subdivision of the Cody Addition to the town of Snyder, Scurry County, Texas.

And levied upon as the property of C. C. Carlton and that on the first Tuesday in November, 1915, the same being the second day of said month, at the Court House door of Scurry County, in the town of Snyder, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said order of sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said C. C. Carlton.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Snyder Signal, a newspaper published in Scurry County.

Witness my hand, this 5th day of October, 1915.

W. A. MERRELL,
Sheriff, Scurry County, Texas

Nature's Mineral Ore for Impure blood. See adv. in this paper. Call at Signal office. 5tf.

Special get acquainted matinee at the Lyric Saturday. All school children free.

Are you growing a fall crop of chickens?

Blackleg Vaccine for sale by Grayum Drug Company. 17

Plenty of Coal and Wood now on hand. Phone 154. Jim Dawson. 12tf

Watch for "Tilly's" Punctual Romance" in 6 reels, featuring Chas. Chaplin.

The Signal and Dallas News \$1.75.

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IF YOU
Want a Cook
Want a Clerk
Want a Partner
Want a Situation
Want a Servant Girl
Want to Sell a Fiance
Want to Sell a Carriage
Want to Sell Town Property
Want to Sell Your Groceries
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STATE FAIR AMUSEMENT FEATURE.

Dallas: New, novel and up-to-date, with splendid attractions as features, describes the Amusement Park offerings at the 1915 State Fair of Texas, which begins in this city Saturday, October 16.

C. A. Worsham, who is at the head of this big carnival attraction, has achieved a national distinction for producing clean, entertaining and wholesome shows.

Among the prominent ones for the State Fair may be mentioned the society horse show, where no less than seven trained and educated horses are the participants in a monster program, headed by Miss Essie Fay and her equine paradox, "Arabia," the horse with a human brain.

Then there is the Hippodrome, the Mecca for all those who enjoy circus and wild animal acts. Here Mile. La Rose, the interpid trainer of seven lions, will show them off to a real advantage. Other features will prove entertaining in the extreme and well worth seeing, whilst, in addition, there will be an extensive menagerie filled with strange and curious animals, reptiles and birds from all parts of the globe.

The auto stadium is a place where thrills will be produced at the rate of one per second. Here four riders, one of them a woman, Mile. Marie, late of the Vivandiere of the Chasseurs D'Afrique of the French Army, will drive high power racing autos around a perfectly perpendicular wall, flirting with death at every performance. Mile. Marie and three other riders attempt the globe of death at one and the same time and their performance is hair-raising to a degree.

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Among the other features may be mentioned Zetta and her tango queens; "Neptune's Daughter," with Miss Lillian Cooley, famous swimmer, in the leading role; the Philippine Midnets; Princess Carrie, a diminutive entertainer; A Trip to Mars; Crystal Tangle and Crazy House.

Mr. Wo tham brings to the State Fair a high-class musical organization—the famous Jameson Band of forty trained musicians and instrumental soloists.

In other words the carnival end of the State Fair this year will be what it ought to be—well produced, well fitted and well managed.

Cavalry, artillery, air scouts and polo teams from the United States Army will, it is believed, form a big encampment in the race track infield during the run of the State Fair. This will be a big feature with visitors, as a splendid army program will be assured. The program will be entirely different from that which created so much interest last year. Artillery drills, exhibitions by the aerial branch of the army, cavalry drills will make a realistic war presentation that will be both educational and thrilling.

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Dallas, Texas—Account Merchants Meeting. Fall series certificate plan. August and September at one and one third fare. Open to all persons.

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Fort Worth, Texas—Account Merchants Meeting—Fall Series, October 3-10. Open to all persons. Tickets on sale October 2nd to 10th, certificate plan.

Dallas, Texas—Texas State Fair, October 16th-21st. Round Trip tickets on sale October 15th to 20. Limited until November 2nd, \$9.80.

Austin, Texas—Reunion Scottish Rite Bodies, October 11th-14th. Round trip tickets on sale, October 10th, limited until October 13th, \$14.05.

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**A Personal Letter
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To the People of Scurry and Adjoining Counties:

I have fully decided to retire from business and am placing my entire stock of dry goods and fixtures on sale. I have been trying to quit for some time but conditions were such that it was impossible.

Frankly, I have studied the closing out business very closely and find that I can knock the bottom out of profits and still get out with more than at private sale.

Now, if you want to share in these profits, to be given to the buying public from this closing out sale, come on or after Oct. 15, and bring the cash and you shall have real fall and winter goods at bargains.

The proposition I wish to impress upon your mind is this, I am positively going to retire from business and in

**A. D. Dodson's \$30,000.00 Stock
of Valuable New Fall and Winter Merchandise**

is at the mercy of the people of Scurry and adjoining counties.

This sale begins Friday, Oct. 15th, 9 a. m. This is going to be a memorable event in the history of merchandising in Snyder and we predict the fastest selling days ever known in this store. Let nothing keep you away, you have never had the opportunity before and perhaps never again of visiting such a great and economical, saving event, as this is. A real Closing Out Sale. Nothing like it has ever been held here before.

One fore thought is worth a thousand regrets, we are conducting this sale under modern methods, where thousands and thousands of dollars worth of goods can be sold with the least exertion.

We propose to deal fair from start to finish and my reputation for fair dealing is known to most of you. No misrepresentations or exaggerated statements will be allowed while I am closing out my stock---nothing but remarkably low prices and an emphatic emphasis on, "I am quitting".



I am retiring from the Dry Goods business, and the above and below look good to me.

I am going to try to make as successful a stock and farm man as I have been a merchant. I prefer the freedom of the out door life to the in door, as I was born and raised a farmer.



Reduction Sale

In order to make room for New Goods and to secure the cash, I will beginning Tuesday, Oct. 12th. for 10 days offer my entire line of Dry Goods, Notions and Hardware at cost.

I have a lot of \$2.50 and \$3.50 Hats for - - - \$1.00 and \$2.00

Also a lot of Shoes at 1-2 of cost price. Groceries at Red Hot Prices during this sale.

Here is a few of the many bargains

Arbuckle Coffee	5 lbs for \$1.00
\$1.00 Bucket Coffee	.85c
Bulk Coffee	7 lbs for \$1.00
Pink Beans	18 lbs for \$1.00
Good Corn	1 dozen .95c
25c Baking Powder	.20c
7 Bars Soap	.25c

Other prices in line.

Nothing charged during this Sale

Horace Holley

Ira, - Texas.

Our old friend T. C. Stinson, was in town Tuesday in the intense enjoyment of private life. He is growing composed and strong since he got from under the responsibility of public service. He has only to feed the pigs and chickens, milk the cows and have a good easy time.

A good organ at a bargain, at 5 tt A. P. MORRIS.

Coy Watkins was in town Saturday with cotton and got \$79.15 for a bale of cotton and the seed. Coy is a young married man and he and Mrs. Watkins are starting in life in a substantial way. Of course they take the Signal. No family in Scurry county can go just right without the Signal in the home.

Don't forget Townsend, Oldham & Co. handles Folger's Golden Sun Coffee.

A. J. Ellerd a successful farmer and fruit grower on Route 5, east of town came in Saturday with a fine sugar yam and a Japanese persimmon, which have been placed in the Chamber of Commerce collection.

Miss Maggie Lee Hull was down town Tuesday afternoon with the pupils of her grade on an observation outing. They had pencils and tablets and were making notes of what they saw in their rounds.

Burn oil in your old cook stove and heater. See A. P. Morris.

A. H. White was here Saturday from Knapp and stated that he is moving to O'Donnel to engage in ginning business. He had his Signal changed to his new address, said he didn't want to miss a single copy.

Five packages XXXX Coffee 95c. Townsend, Oldham & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Fickas left in their car Tuesday for an overland trip to Marlin. They will touch, enroute at Hamilton, Gatesville and other points to visit friends. They expect to be away about a month.

You can get Crusto Lard at Townsend, Oldham & Co.

Joe Rogenstien was here Monday from the Lloyd Mountain district.

AMERICAN OPPORTUNITY

Ninety-three leading trades in forty-one cities in the United States pay higher wages than a year ago. There is more industrial activity throughout the country than for several years. Mills and factories are running on full time. Agriculture and stock raising is proving profitable. There is greater demand for building material and the unhappy people of Europe are calling upon this country for food.

Railroad building would be reviving but for the fact that a campaign is on to get higher freight rates and in order to make show of dire straits the railroads must stand away from any appearance of prosperity.

Labor is in greater demand and wage scales have been increased. There is more confidence in the financial world. Bank clearings are reported better than a few months ago. The public has quit dreading any protective tariff spook and men go about their business affairs with a firmer confidence in the stability and application of the principles of government. These conditions have been obtained through the wisdom of a sane, unbiased, non-partisan attitude of the National administration.

Of course foreign wars have contributed to the sum because of demand for our products, but it will not be overlooked, that the conduct and courage of a level headed administration at Washington has held the United States out of international entanglements and has retained the moral and commercial respect of all the other world powers.

The United States is now the recognized arbiter of World troubles, and it must follow that her wares and merchandise will be welcome in every warehouse and store in the civilized world. Our ships will be hailed with joy in every seaport and our teachers, missionaries and tradespeople will find welcome in all lands where the principles of enlightenment, peace and honest humanitarianism is appreciated.

Nature's Mineral Ore for Impure blood. See ady. in this paper. Call at Signal office. 5tt

Mrs. A. K. Keister and three sons of Fort Worth who have been the guests of her father, N. D. Dixon and family, left Saturday on their return home after a visit of two weeks.

An unloading a car of the celebrated Domino Coal. Phone 154. Jim Dawson. 12tt

Mr. H. L. Champion has recently returned from California, and intends to stay in Scurry county from now forward. He was in town Saturday stocking with furniture and house keeping supplies in general.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Wilsford have moved to Plainview. Billie has been there for some time in the telegraph service and Mrs. Wilsford and Billie, Jr., joined him there a few days ago.

Autumn Smiles

New subscriptions and renewals for September. Others will please follow the flag.

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- J. H. Patterson, Rt. 2, Snyder,
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- Mrs. T. W. Hodge, Rt. 1, Snyder,
- Mrs. T. J. Faight, Fort Worth,
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- A. L. Bassinger, Rt. 3, Snyder,
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J. P. CHAMBLESS.

Business Manager.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 2nd day of October 1915.

W. T. SKINNER,

Clerk Scurry County, Texas

By Cora Sturdivant, Deputy.

Mrs. Willie Strayhorn Farmer left last Saturday for Fort Worth to join a large party of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs on an excursion to the Odd Fellows' W. & O. Home at Corsicana.

Just received a car of the noted McAlester Coal. Phone 154. Jim Dawson. 12tt

Station agent, G. S. Hardin, of the R. S. & P., has been on the sick list for a few days and J. S. Bradberry comes up every day to the passenger station to sell tickets.

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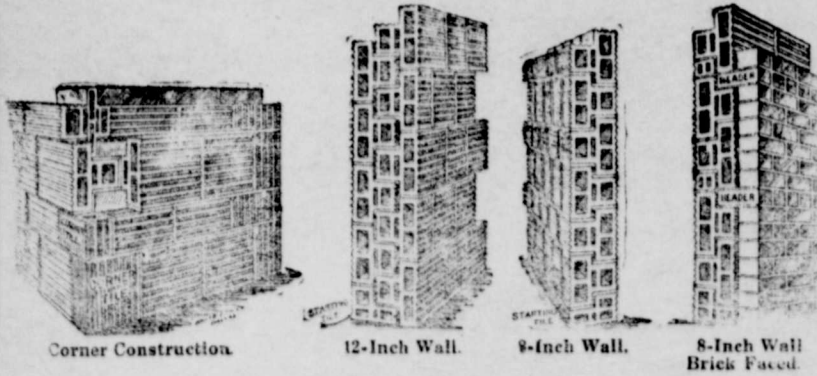
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SNYDER, TEXAS

J. B. Pickle of Snyder, was here Tuesday afternoon looking after business matters and greeting friends. Joe says Roscoe still looks good to him and we hope that some day we may win him back as a citizen. He really belongs to Roscoe anyway.—Roscoe Times.

Joe Pickle is like other people. He has found Snyder a good town in which to stay.

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W. H. Huckabee came in Tuesday from Comanche county. He was called to De Leon last week by the death of a sister. He says cotton is almost a failure there, but the people have grown lots of peanuts. But for that they would be up against it.

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TALK BY WIRELESS TO HONOLULU, H. I.

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SECOND SUCCESSFUL TEST

Came After Talk Without Aid of Wires From the Atlantic to the Pacific.

New York.—The human voice has bridged the North American continent and without the use of wires, intelligible sound has been projected through the ether and words spoken in an ordinary tone in New York have reached waiting ears at San Francisco. Beyond all this the official announcement has been made that the distance between Washington and Honolulu, four thousand six hundred miles, has been annihilated by the wireless telephone as perfected by J. J. Carty, chief engineer for the American Telephone & Telegraph company. Telephone communication between New York and any of the great capitals of Europe and even across the Pacific ocean from Seattle to Tokio is now altogether possible, depending upon the installation of apparatus.

The same engineers to whom credit for this achievement in the art of communicating intelligence by electricity, has been accorded, at the same time have announced another wonderful discovery. In the experiment by which the voice was carried between New York and San Francisco, words passed by land wires between New York and Arlington, Va., and from there, as if projected from the loose ends of the copper strands, were sent into the air to be wafted across the plains and valleys, the towering peaks of giant mountain ranges and the deserts, to be picked up again by the slender antennae of the wireless tower at Mare Island navy yard and carried to the waiting ear at a telephone receiver.

This strongly indicates the possibility by which people living inland may call friends who happen to be passengers on ships at sea, as voices are carried over present land lines to some central station along the coast, and there automatically passed into a radio transmitter and projected out over the ocean to a moving object and finally to the one who may be designated to receive the message sent by such wonderful ways.

Considerable Time.

Engineers of the American Telephone & Telegraph company have been engaged, during a considerable time, in perfecting the wireless telephone. To make possible the accomplishment recently recorded, it was necessary, it is stated, to apply radically new ideas to the generally accepted theories of wireless telegraphy. At first temporary towers at Montauk Point, L. I., and Wilmington, Del., served the purpose. Afterwards the government loaned its wireless towers at Arlington, near Washington, and at Mare Island, near San Francisco, to the work. Panama and points in Cuba were also brought into the experiment. The wireless station at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, was also equipped with necessary telephone apparatus. Obstacle after obstacle was finally overcome.

Seated in his office in New York, President T. N. Vail of the American Telephone & Telegraph company, who authorized the experimental work spoke the first words to travel, part by wire and part by wireless, to San Francisco. He called J. J. Carty, under whose direction the work was done and who was waiting on the Pacific coast, to participate in the final test.

"Hello, Carty," the talk started, "This is Mr. Vail."
Even Mr. Carty was surprised, so clearly and distinctly did the words reach him.
"This is fine," he exclaimed. "This is wonderful."

Army and Navy Take Part.

Representatives of the United States government, of the army and the navy, joined in the demonstration, talking across the continent without the use of wires. Words spoken in this way were repeated back by the transcontinental land telephone lines, opened last January, and the proof was conclusive. Secretary of the Navy Daniels, who had loaned government equipment to the prosecution of the experiment, issued a formal statement, announcing the achievement and placing the government's stamp of appreciation upon the marvelous accomplishment.

Talked to Panama Aug. 27.
Vallejo, Cal.—Wireless telephone communication between Washington, D. C., and the Panama canal, a distance of 2,100 miles, was established Aug. 27, but public announcement was withheld until the greater goal—transcontinental communication—could be reached. This statement was made by Chief Engineer John J. Carty after the conversation in the wireless tower at the Mare Island navy yard with Theodore N. Vail, president, who was speaking from New York.

WIRELESS TELEPHONE IS NOW A SUCCESS

J. E. FARNSWORTH SAYS THAT PRESENT WIRE SYSTEM WILL NOT BE SUPPLANTED.

IS A MARVELOUS INVENTION

Talk With Europe Possible, but for Conditions Brought About by Warfare.

Dallas.—The success of the experiment by which the voice was recently projected without the use of wires, across the continent and afterwards from Washington to Honolulu, does not mean that the telephone wire system of the United States will be supplanted, explains Vice President J. E. Farnsworth of the Southwestern Telegraph & Telephone company in Dallas.

"Instead," he says, "the net work of wires which go to make the present universal telephone system will be supplemented by the installation of this marvelous wireless equipment, devised by Bell telephone engineers, by which hitherto impassable barriers to the interchange of intelligence by direct conversation, may be surmounted. Telephone subscribers may soon see the day when they can call up friends who may be passengers of ships at sea. It is said that but for disturbed conditions in Europe we would even now be talking to England or Germany. It is not even beyond the bounds of possibility that the mayor of New York may call the governor general of Hong Kong with the remarkable question: "How are you tomorrow?"

"It has been demonstrated that the voice may be carried over land telephone wires and be automatically passed through wireless telephone transmitters and be flung across oceans, deserts or mountain barriers.

Results Not Surprising.

"The results of these wireless experiments," continued Mr. Farnsworth, "has not been surprising. Telephone officials generally knew that John J. Carty, chief engineer of the American Telephone & Telegraph company, was perfecting a method by which he hoped to span the ocean without the connecting link of a cable. Since he accomplished the task of establishing a physical wire circuit which would carry the voice from New York to San Francisco, it seemed as if any dream might come true with reference to the telephone.

Twenty years ago real long distance talking, as we know it today, seemed beyond the realm of the imagination. Last January the transcontinental lines were opened. Now we have transmission of sound through 5,000 miles without the use of wires and half of the distance was over land where all sorts of atmospheric conditions prevailed. It seems as if the limit in an age of marvelous accomplishment has been reached."

President Vail's Tribute to Inventor of Wireless.

New York.—In tribute to the recent accomplishment of telephone engineers who have perfected a method for wireless communication by spoken word, and in explanation of the probable uses of the wireless telephone, President T. N. Vail of the American Telephone & Telegraph company, has issued the following statement:

"I do not think I can better express my views in regard to wireless telephone than to quote the telegram which I have just sent to Mr. Carty, chief engineer for the company, with reference to what he has brought about. Here it is:

"Carty, I want to congratulate you on this climax in the way of achievements, the greatest in inter-communication the world has ever seen. To you and to the wonderful staff created by you the world owes a debt. To throw your voice directly, without aid of wires, from Washington to Hawaii, nearly five thousand miles, a greater distance than from New York to Paris, Berlin, Vienna or Petrograd, and greater than between Seattle and Tokio or Yokohama, was wonderful; but to send the recognized voice, part way over the wires and part through the air, was still more wonderful, and was the demonstration of the chiefest use that will probably attach to the wireless as amplifying and supplementing, not substituting the wire system and bring into communication ships, islands and places which could not otherwise be reached. Your work has brought us one long step nearer to our ideal—"A Universal System."

"As you will see from this," continued Mr. Vail, "it is clear that wireless will never substitute or supplant the wire systems but will greatly amplify and extend their usefulness. It is humanitarian rather than commercial but it is useful in that it makes conversation possible between places and moving objects that could not be connected by wire. As with wireless telegraphy, it will probably be dependable enough except as outlined above."

It Always Helps

says Mrs. Sylvania Woods, of Clifton Mill's, Ky., in writing of her experience with Cardui, the woman's tonic. She says further: "Before I began to use Cardui, 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 Cardui, 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.

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We are building up a community of actual home owners and are anxious to interest good, dependable men in our undertaking. We will sell raw land on which we will place improvements and charge against the land. In other words should you buy 160 acres, we will improve the same with a 4 or 5 room dwelling (with water piped into the kitchen), well and windmill, sheds for chickens, hogs and stock, and a silo if wanted. These improvements will cost from \$1500 to \$1700. We will not sell land unless it is to be farmed—no speculation.

One can buy 160 acres 10 to 15 miles from Post City, but near a school, at \$20 to \$22 an acre, plus the improvements mentioned above. We will sell you the land and improvements for a payment of \$2 per acre (\$320) down and \$1.75 an acre (280) per year at the unusually low rate of four per cent interest. Notes on or before. Payments cover both land and improvements.

Farms on the plains will be sold during 1915, to be occupied early in 1916, for \$2 00 an acre down and terms as above. Interest does not start until you go on the land. Next payment Jan. 1, 1917.

Also have just classified and put on the market the breaks, or grazing land. These lands will sell from \$6.00 to \$12.00 per acre. \$1.00 per acre cash, 50c per acre per year until paid out at 6 per cent interest. This goes in tracts of 640 acres and up.

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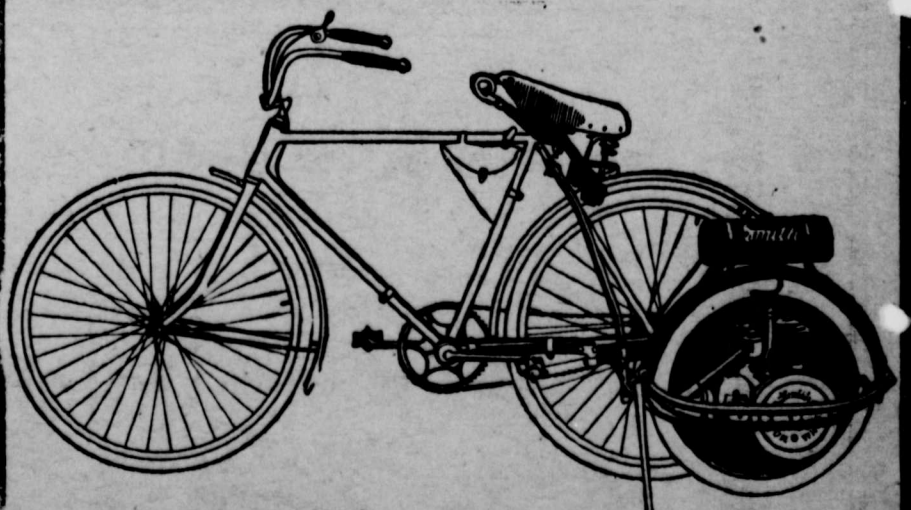
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NOTICE.

I am exclusive agent, of Scurry County, for the Post Home Farms and Ranches now being sold in Garza County, and I would like for all LIVE agents to get in touch with me at once. This land is selling very fast and any GOOD LIVE WIRE can make some nice business very easy. We have sold over 200 of these farms and the people are on them. Come up and let us show you what we have. There never was a proposition in Western Texas like this and probably never will be another. We want good people on this land and to do this we must have good agents. For further particulars write or phone,

J. S. CASH,
Post, Texas

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Scurry

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of the 62nd Judicial District, Lamar county, the 9th day of September 1915, by R. P. Young, District Clerk of said county for the sum of eleven hundred fifty five and 78-100 dollars with 10 per cent interest from August 9, 1915 and costs of suit, under a judgment and foreclosure in favor of Mrs. Florence B. F. Schneider in a certain cause in said court No. 15,341 and styled Mrs. Florence B. F. Schneider vs. W. A. McCullough, et al, placed in my hands for service, I, W. A. Merrill, as Sheriff of Scurry County, Texas, did on the 15th day of September, A. D. 1915, levy on certain real estate, situated in Scurry County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

One hundred sixty (160) acres of land situated in Scurry county, Texas, and being all of the N. W. 1-4 of Section No. 214, Block 97, surveyed for the common school fund of the State of Texas, by virtue of certificate No. 43-5609, issued to the Houston and Texas Central Railway company and conveyed by J. Q. Richardson and wife to W. A. McCullough by deed dated April 28th, 1910, and recorded in Vol. 29, Page 494 of the Deed Records of Lamar county, Tex-

as and in the Deed of Trust records of Scurry county, Texas.

And levied upon as the property of W. A. McCullough and the First National Bank of Snyder, Texas has some interest therein and that on the first Tuesday in November, 1915, the same being the second day of said month, at the Court House door of Scurry county, in the town of Snyder Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said order of sale issued on said judgment I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. A. McCullough and the interest of the First National Bank of Snyder, Texas.

And in compliance with law I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale in the Snyder Signal, a newspaper published in Scurry county.

Witness my hand this 15th day of September, 1915.

W. A. MERRILL,
Sheriff, Scurry County, Texas

Miss Leila Bell Pippin of Gainville has come to Snyder to attend school. She is with Miss Ball.

We now handle the nicest line of Stationery in the City, also the latest Magazines. 10tf

SMITH'S CONFECTIONERY

Methodist Missionary Matters

The Methodist Missionary Auxiliary met Monday in regular session, with the President, Mrs. C. L. Ezell in the chair.

The officers present gave reports of their work for the quarter.

First the ladies decided to have a bazaar, December 4th.

At our next social meeting, Oct. 25, we hope to have the Junior Society, their mothers and big girls and young ladies of the church present. We are planning for a good time, getting acquainted and lining up for better service in our work.

October 11, 3:30 p. m. Bible Lesson, Mark, Luke 4:18.

Leader—Mrs. Williams.

Mrs. Alexander with her Junior Class is starting around the world next Sunday (on the map of course).

Leaving Snyder at 4 p. m. for New York, thence to Cairo, visiting Naples and other towns along the way.

The agent will sell you a round trip ticket for two cents. We are anxious for you to bring your mothers along, perhaps some of them might want to go. Anyway we want them to visit us in our work. The pastor will be on hand to look after your comfort and answer all necessary questions.

There will be plenty of helpers to make the trip a pleasant one, and we are sure when they return they can tell us many interesting things they have learned about the people and places they have visited.

Supt. Publicity.

School Teachers Take Notice

The State Superintendent has called a special teacher's examination for State first and second grade certificate in the State on Friday and Saturday, October 15th and 16th, 1915. If you desire to take such examination kindly govern yourself accordingly.

C. R. BUCHANAN,
Ex-officio Co. Supt. Scurry County.

Mrs. Sidney Johnson and Miss Daphne Harper were shopping in town Friday.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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Dentist
Office in Williams' Building
Snyder, Texas

Real Estate Transfers

J. B. Adams and wife to R. B. Lewis, 118 acres out of Section 21, Blk. 3, H. & G. N. \$1360.

Lit Chapman and wife to W. A. Chapman, south half of lot 3 in blk. 16, town of Snyder, \$200.

H. J. Bowlin and wife to W. L. Keller, southeast quarter of section 153 in block 97, H. & T. C. \$1000.

Joe Caton to P. M. Caton, north-east quarter of Section 448, Block No. —, H. & T. C. \$875.

W. S. Lane to P. R. Jarten, lot 2 in block 67, Grayum and Nelson ad. \$262.50.

A. Johnston and wife to T. N. Nunn, lot 4 in block 25, Blankenship addition, \$3250.

F. J. Grayum and W. H. Morrow, to Mary Addison, Section 190 in blk. 97, H. & T. C. \$2657.

Harry Lee to O. Lykes, lots 4, 5 and 6 in block 32, Wilmeth addition, \$93.50.

G. S. Conroe and wife to E. C. Taylor, section 303 in block 97, H. & T. C. \$4160.

Mrs. Annie McKey to J. V. Norman, northwest quarter of Section 4, abstract No. 459, J. P. Smith patent, \$5000.

CALOMEL SALIVATES AND MAKES YOU SICK

Acts Like Dynamite on a Sluggish Liver and You Lose a Day's Work.

There's no reason why a person should take sickening, salivating calomel when 50 cents buys a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone—a perfect substitute for Calomel.

It is a pleasant, vegetable liquid which will start your liver just as surely as calomel, but it doesn't make you sick and can't salivate.

Children and grown folks can take Dodson's Liver Tone because it is perfectly harmless.

Calomel is a dangerous drug. It is mercury and attacks your bones. Take a dose of nasty calomel today and you will feel weak, sick and nauseated tomorrow. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone instead and you will wake up feeling great. No more biliousness, constipation, sluggishness, headache, coated tongue or sour stomach. Your druggist says if you don't find Dodson's Liver Tone acts better than horrible calomel your money is waiting for you (12) SOCIETY PRINTING, MONOGRAM stationery, wedding invitations, club year books and other classes of printing that requires typographical ability. The Signal.

Marriage Licenses

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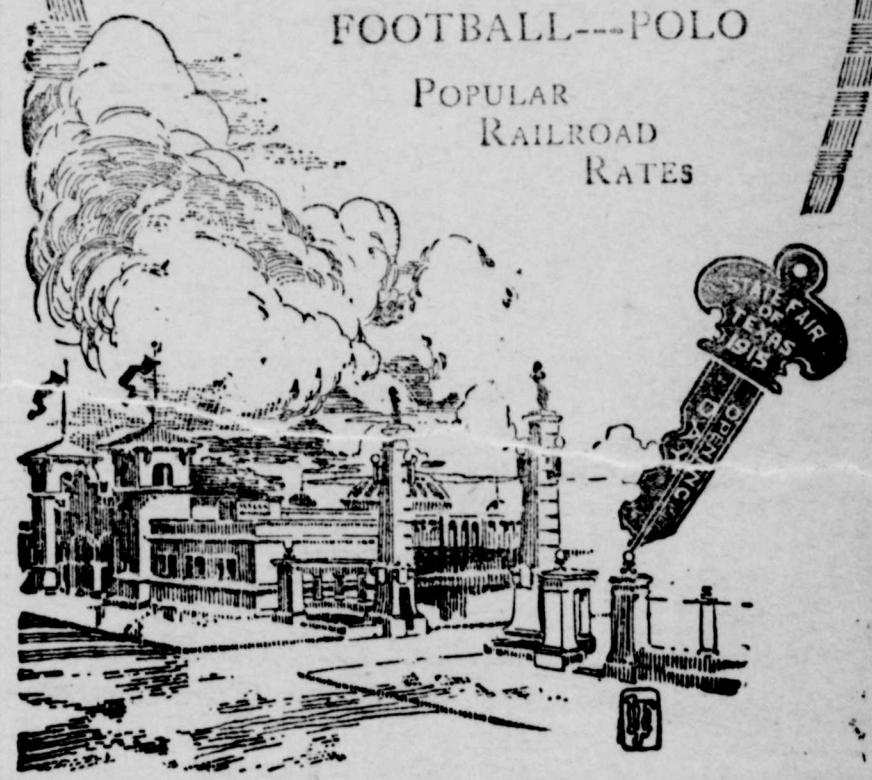
--Art Smith, wonderful aviator, in day and night flights---the latter to the accompaniment of fireworks.

--Superb Coliseum Program---an unusual offering of dance and acrobatic features, comedy and mirth.

--Amusement Park a wonderland of clean and wholesome amusement.

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THE VOICE OF NOW!

It is the present, the today, the NOW in which we are interested. Shakespeare wisely says:

"Tomorrow never yet
On any living mortal rose or set."

It is the printed page which deals most intimately and with the greatest detail in the movements of the present. It is THE VOICE OF NOW proclaiming to the world the things that are happening today. The government of the United States is NOW gravely concerned in certain aspects of the war in Europe and has had thrust on it several serious international problems which are NOW in process of solution. The American farmer is NOW interested in this titanic struggle, for his interests are being affected by it today and will be tomorrow, and he wants to keep in close touch with it NOW.

EVERYBODY is interested in the cotton crop from the time of its planting to the days of its harvesting and marketing. They want to know "the NOW" in all that pertains to the great Southern staple; they want to know "the NOW" of all other agricultural markets, the latest in modern farming, the facts of the warehousing problem, and all else that pertains to the progress of the time in every theater of life.

The tens of thousands of men and women who know the Semi-Weekly Farm News know it is "THE VOICE OF NOW," telling in direct and positive tones of what is going on at home and abroad.

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THE SEMI-WEEKLY FARM NEWS
A. H. Belo & Co., Publishers
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The Signal and The Semi-Weekly News \$1.75.

J. D. Rice, who farms on the Herren farm four miles east of town, came to the Signal office Saturday with a tomato that measured 11 1/2 inches around and weighed thirteen ounces.

We repair most anything at A. F. Morris' and stand behind the job. If

Mr. R. E. D. Smith, one of Dunn's hustling merchants was transacting business in Snyder last Friday.

Looking to the Future
If Snyder makes progress in improvement during the next four years like it has the past four and in proportion to the improved conditions as now existent and indicated, it will be a city of ten thousand population and then some, with more substantial homes and business houses, more sidewalks and other civic betterments. The population of Scurry county will be more than doubled. Good farms will be opened, more farm homes will be built. More industries will be established and the people will in a measure be out of debt.

Jim Pagan was here Monday from Lone Wolf, just looking around.

YOUR LAND TITLES.

THE SCURRY COUNTY ABSTRACT COMPANY.

Will be glad to abstract your land titles and assist in perfecting same. The time to do this is NOW, while the necessary papers may be secured. Charges as low as are consistent with first class work. See us in the Court House Basement.



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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 Snyder Signal, will be gladly corrected if called to the attention of the editor.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Obituaries and notices of charitable or church entertainments, where admission is charged, will be charged for at the rate of 2 1/2 cents per line.

Snyder, Texas, October 8, 1915

Nafarate has been made commander in chief of the Carranza forces in Mexico.

Clean your flues before you build a fire.

Scurry county has enough tomatoes this fall to supply two or three cities.

Those fellows who have been bearing the cotton market with top crop talk have been careful to not bet any money on it.

This is a great country. In two days of sunshine after a week of rain, a fellow may walk or drive most anywhere without serious mud trouble.

The French government has placed orders for 200,000 artificial limbs. An American company will have contracts for a share in filling the orders.

Last Saturday's press reports said the main leader of Mexican outlawry along the Rio Grande had been led into a trap on the Texas side and killed.

Indications are growing stronger that Gen. Carranza is growing in sufficient favor to justify American recognition of his faction of Mexican government.

Forty thousand garment workers are about to go on a strike in Chicago. Better get married young man and have a seamstress at home to make your shirts and pants.

TO BOOM YOUR TOWN

Talk about it.
 Write about it.
 Elect good men to office.
 Be friendly with everybody.

Keep your sidewalk in good condition.

Keep your houses well painted.
 If a poor man starts a project, help him.

If a rich man starts a project, encourage him.

Buying in other towns that which you can buy as well in your own, makes your town that much poorer.

Don't talk your town down to strangers.

If you are rich, invest in something, employ somebody.

If a project to improve the town comes up, don't hoot—investigate.

Don't let your personal antipathies get away with your business judgment.

Follow the men who have the vim and energy to go ahead—and "saw wood."

Be courteous to strangers who come among you, so they will go away with a good impression of your town.

If you don't like your home town well enough to speak well of it, get out of it and make room for better men.

Always cheer on the man who goes for improvements. Your portion of the cost will be nothing but that which is right.

LITTLE SIGNALS

Sow wheat.

A wireless telegraph station is being agitated for Snyder.

The telephone linemen crew is expected to resume work in Snyder right away. Have you signed the common battery petition.

Thank goodness the water fountains on the square have been cleaned out. They contained tin cans, trash, dirt, cat fish, perch, tadpoles, etc.

Did you hear the "Flowers and Gardens" lecture by Mr. Prescott?

Now for the sidewalks in the vicinity of the Central School building

What has become of the proposition to dam Deep Creek?

With the price of cotton going skyward also cotton seed, prosperity is bound to reign.

The plan of a county hospital should receive the attention of the people as a whole. No one institution would be of more direct benefit than a hospital that would take care of all local patients. Worlds of Scurry county money goes out to other places for surgical operations.

THE COTTON MARKET

Cotton speculators have just about been forced to realize that there has not been enough cotton made to meet the demand and that high prices must rule.

For a few weeks an effort was made to work the top crop fallacy on the market, but the excessive rains in some parts of the cotton area and drouthy weather in other sections, together with positive destruction by storms and boll weevils have conspired to head off all argument that anything like a normal crop would develop.

Bears hoped for some degree of comfort from the government report of condition to be sent out Monday, but there was no sugar in it for them. Cotton in interior towns in Texas sold Monday as high as 1 1/2 cents. This drop of a half cent from the previous week was probably due to the fact that it is mid-season in the South

and central regions and the staple was unduly and unwisely thrown on the market.

Farmers should not hurry to get 11 cents when by marketing more slowly, they may get 13c or even 15 cents.

Picking is just now getting under way in west and north Texas, and although the crop is good the picking season is bound to go into cold weather and much of the crop may be lost.

WAR TOO EXPENSIVE

It is strange that any American citizen would want the United States to go to war, when it is considered that the cost of war in Europe is so enormous that the people there will be impoverished by taxation for at least four generations. The poor children yet unborn will come into life crushed under the weight of public debt incurred by war lords, who brought on the strife through selfish ambition.

American posterity will be taught to love the memory of American Tullers who had the wisdom, the firmness, the clearness of vision and the enlightened Christian spirit to maintain National honor and dignity without plunging the nation into the vortex of human strife.

Somebody wanted Judge Taft to stand for nomination for Republican President, but he declines. Judge Taft is a friend to the Wilson administration. The margin for issues between these two men is too narrow to form a basis for a national campaign. The tariff question and the matter of national finance are not apt to enter into the coming campaign. Wilson and Taft are in harmony on international matters. Both men stand for a greater, a purer, a cleaner America.

The Signal has faith in Scurry county. The soil, the water, the climate, the citizenship are the best in the world. The Signal is Scurry County's paper. The people read it. It is here to tell about the human activities and to advocate all measures that tend to the moral, intellectual, social and material uplift.

People who contended that a reduction of the supply of cotton would not cause the staple to sell at a high price are agreeably discounted this fall, since a crop three fourths as large as that of last year is bringing more than one and a half better price.

After a complete checking of the books of the Fort Worth Savings Bank and Trust Company, of which E. E. Baldrige was president at the time he killed himself it was found that Baldrige owed the institution about \$790,000.

Mr. Bryan, it is said, received \$1,500 for his peace talk in Boston recently. "Making hay while the sun shines" as it were.—Coeman Democrat-Voice.

Separating Bostonians from their coin is easy for men who know how.

Wheat prices took an upturn Saturday due to shortage of supply in France and a consequent increase in exports. It is estimated that the French demand alone will call for 150,000,000 bushels.

Russia sent warning to Bulgaria demanding expulsion from Sofia of German-Austrian officers, but Bulgaria is so hard tied by Germany that she cannot exercise any degree of retaliation.

Since Uncle Sam has located a force of troops with heavy canon near the river in the Brownsville country, it is said that old Carranza has found a way to help control the bandits.

The recent tropical storm which swept the Gulf and Atlantic Coast from New Orleans to Cape Hatteras destroyed not less than 500 lives.

Snyder Nursery

HAS A

Nice Stock of Trees on Hand

which will be sold cheap.

J. M. Doak, Snyder, Texas

PHONE 289.

The British and French forces gained a splendid victory over the Germans in last Saturday's battle.

Every train brings in cotton pickers and the weather started in good this week. Cotton sold for 12 1/2c a pound Tuesday.

Comptroller Terrell has called on all tax collectors to remit as fast as possible so as to avert a threatened deficit in the State Treasury.

Two destructive tropical storms sweeping along our gulf coast in one season is causing life in that country to be a strenuous affair.

Drink Muscadine Punch at Smith's Confectionery.

I have permanently located in Snyder. Office over the Owl Drug Store. Practice limited to the diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. I. E. SMITH, M. D.

J. M. Doak of the Snyder Nursery has donated some Gonzales and Gold Coin plums to the collection of fruit for the Chamber of Commerce exhibit. The new offering is at the Signal office.

L. T. Condra was in from his farm Monday with a load of fine water melons and generously presented a fine juicy one to the Signal force.

Trade your old furniture off for new or have it repaired and made as good as new at A. P. MORRIS.

On the way. Oh! Joy.
 Snyder, Tues. Oct. 26
Jones Bros.
 Trained Wild Animal Shows

Worlds greatest Collection of trained Wild Beasts combined with the Greatest show ever ORGANIZED

SEE Mille Zira, the Girl with the Leopards, the most perfect of all Animal Acts.

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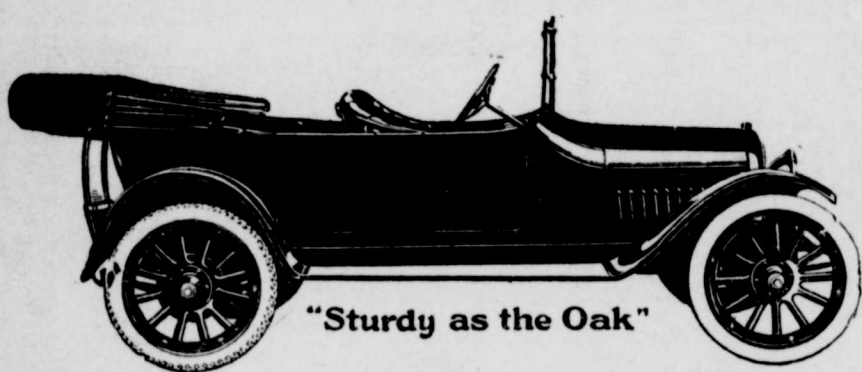
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Two Performances at 2 p. m. and 8 p. m.
 Doors Open at 1 p. m. and 7 p. m.

Free Street Parade at 10:30 A. M.

A tremendous exhibition of splendor of secret of open dens glittering tableaux, savage animals lead in leas, hundreds of thoroughbred horses, 3 bands, 40 clowns, scores of pretty women. The entire parade enriched by a beautiful display of costumes and trappings, altogether representing an immense fortune in property and stock.

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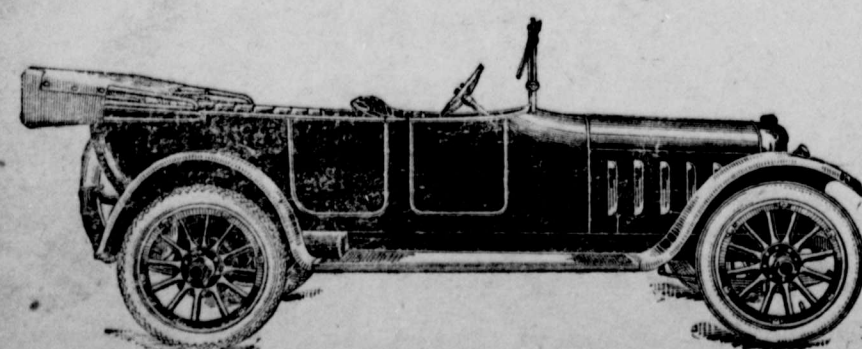
Five Passenger High Speed Motor Four

Oakland

Model 38

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OUR PUBLIC FORUM



R. C. Duff
On Cotton As Contraband.

Hon. R. C. Duff, one of the highest authorities on international law in the nation and one of the most capable citizens in the United States, when asked to investigate the exporting of cotton and interpret the laws of nations on this subject for the American plowman, said in part:

"Article 28 of the Declaration of London reads as follows: 'The following may not be declared contraband of war: (1) raw cotton, wool, silk, etc.' Great Britain is not only a signatory of the Declaration of London, but in fact called the conference and insisted upon the inclusion of raw cotton on the list of absolute non-contraband. Under this declaration, which was subscribed to by all the maritime nations, we have a right absolutely to ship cotton, not only to the neutral ports of Europe, but to Germany and Austria themselves. Humanity shudders at the thought of the death of the splendid Americans who went down on the Lusitania, but humanity would have more cause for shuddering if it could be presented to it in some similarly striking and dramatic way the woe, sorrow and suffering that will be occasioned to multiplied thousands of men, women and children in the Southern states as a result of cotton being forced down to starvation prices.

The reason why cotton does not command 18 or 20 cents per pound is simply because Great Britain has a naval strangle hold on our shipments and, therefore, on the world supply. England sends her ships of war out into the open seas, captures American cotton, no matter to whom the same may be destined, carries it into British ports, sets up prize courts of her own nomination, which prize courts, of course, are operating in her favor and which, under such circumstances, after whatever delay they elect to impose, assess the damages of the American shipper at whatever price they see fit and then, after having by such process 'bought' our cotton, she avails herself of the extraordinary high prices existing on the continent of Europe, produced in part by her diversion of our shipments, to resell it at a profit. The American shipper has no recourse except to the government. The acts of Great Britain referred to, according to the well-recognized principle of international law constitute war against the United States.

This grievance is now of many months standing and the South is about to bring to market another great crop of cotton. Under such circumstances one would expect that our government, without prompting, would know perfectly well how to deal with acts on the part of the British government, amounting to warfare against our trade and country.

It is not necessary for us to resort to war against Great Britain in retaliation. A simple, adequate and obvious remedy would be for the president to advise Great Britain that unless she respects the law of nations as regards our foreign commerce, he will call on Congress to adopt a resolution forbidding the exportation of arms and munitions of war to foreign countries.

The Newly Weds Go Shopping in Snyder

Away back yonder in early days there came from Germany a good old family with eight young children and, as all others settled in the far east. But as these children grew to man and womanhood they scattered to the four corners of America. One by the way came to Texas. He in time married and became the proud father of seven boys. As these boys grew to be men of affairs they too became interested in the possibilities of this great state and through the advertisement of the Chamber of Commerce of Snyder, our thriving little city of 4000 best of citizens and luxuries too numerous to mention Charles the youngest son began inquiries as to the lands for sale. So calling on the Taylor, Wescott Auto Company, rides out with Mr. Wescott, agent in the latest 1916 model Oakland 6, equipped with all improvements in the way of electric lighter and starter, full floating rear axle, upholstered with full leather which was fully demonstrated to Charles' own satisfaction as being the most durable, safest, best and cheapest car, not only from a financial standpoint, but from every consideration. He buys the car on the spot and he also finds a dandy tract of land for sale just a short distance out.

Now Chas. wasn't the fellow to start out alone, no three. He soon marries Mary, of whom his father was so proud he decided to give them a start in life and he doesn't wait to begin. Very first, says he, is to call on the old reliable O. L. Wilkinson Lumber Company Yard and have the manager, Mr. C. B. Clark figure for us a bill of lumber as they have the best in building material, lime, brick, cement, doors, window sash, the red cedar shingles and the famous American roofing. Yes and this yard carries the Lincoln Paints and Berry Bros. Varnishes that stand this climate best. Now, Mr. Clark get this bill out for us in your prompt and careful way.

We will go now to S. J. Casstevens Hardware store for our nails and builders supplies and we want some flues and guttering and these flunners understand just what and how to do to make service and quality count. Mary, do you remember that New Perfection range your mother cooked those good dinners on. Well they's got 'em. Same kinds of pans, cooking vessels, Dazey churn, motor washing machine, Diamond Edge tools of every description, triple plated wash boilers and buckets. And Chas. here's the Woodmanse, the

best of windmills and by the way, Winchester guns and ammunition. Had you noticed the display of these in their show window, and here's the old Bridge-Beach Coal and Wood Cookers and heaters, the fuel savers and floor warmers. Now everybody wants the best result in fuel and that's to be had from Jim Dawson, the exclusive agent for the Alabama, Montevallo Lump and nut coal. He sells gasoline and lubricating oils, has a great big stock of well seasoned wood and delivers to any part of the city. His phone No. is 154.

Now, Mr. Casstevens send out the very best of these materials and workment, don't worry about your pay, the First National Bank will look after that. Chas. let me say to you, at this bank you will find the most courteous treatment, safe and conservative business men ready and willing to meet every legitimate demand. I know Mr. W. A. Johnson, the president and Mr. R. H. Curnutte, the cashier. I do know these men appreciate one's banking business and you can just rest assured every deposit is safe in their hands.

Now, while we are in town and have the time we might as well see about the furniture and R. M. Stokes is the man for that. Anything we buy there will be out to the house in first class shape. He has a complete stock of home furnishings, Metal beds, dressers, chairs, rugs, art quilts and fancy patterns of matting and linoleum floor coverings. Mr. Stokes, show us one of those Hoosier kitchen cabinets, with its many compartments that make it a kitchen within itself, the step saver, and I see you offer to sell these at only \$1 down and \$1 weekly payments. That's easy to buy that way, but I like other easy things. Send out a duofold set of Metal Bed Springs and a Sealy mattress, that's guaranteed for 20 years. And send out a fumed oak dining room suit and some of these pretty pictures, some curtains and poles. No home is complete without a machine. My but the weather is warm today, let's step over to the Owl Drug Store and get a cool drink at their sanitary fountain. Here's a lot of pretty things in this store, powders, perfumes, toilet water, hair brushes and combs. Girls sure can keep sweet with these things, can't they Mary? Now everybody has to have medicine. This store sells the best of family remedies, but prescription work is their specialty. This work is done by registered pharmacists who do their work carefully, write the directions plainly and correctly on each bottle and by the way here is where we find the Dallas News and Evening Journal, the big dailies.

But seeing that stock powder in the drug store reminds me, I noticed one of those horse's shoes was missing. I must take him right now to J. M. Hollingsworth and have him shod. J. M. makes a specialty of that, but wood work on buggies and wagons, tire setting, sharpening tools, in fact repairs of all kinds are guaranteed first class and first class is what everybody says of this nobby new suit I ordered from the Buckhorn Tailor Shop. Their clothes look better and fit better, wear longer and cost less and the beauty of it is they always give a fellow a square deal. Wife says there is no one equal to

Eoff Brothers cleaning and pressing and their prices are right. While I am on my way to the blacksmith shop I'll call by the Snyder Fruit Co, get their prices on eggs, butter and chickens as I understand they always pay the highest price for almost everything the farmer has to sell. Call around and get acquainted with them, fellows. They'll be glad to meet you and in season they handle fruit in car lots.

While I am gone, Mary, you and Charles step over to the Hunter Mercantile Company, dry goods store and get for mother those blankets and winter covers. She says you will find what she wants there. Well, I guess yes and what every other lady wants. The buyer of this store knows what and how to buy to save you money. The salesmen and ladies take great pride assisting their patrons to find what they want. You'll find here Mary, the Marquette, ready-to-wear cloaks and suits, Madam Cooves corsets, Simmons gloves and just the thing in ladies underwear; and Chas they sell Palmer Sowers clothing, Lion Shirts and Collars, Haws underwear for men, Beacon shoes, grips, trunks and suit cases, by the way Village School Shoes, Crown Overall and work shirts, plain Gingham and fancy silk dress and the Peerless patterns, in fact every thing in a first class dry goods store is to be found here.

But come, lets have a dish of the best ice cream in town at Smith's Confectionery. That's the place where those dandy boxes of candy came from Chas. sent you, but that's alright. Those boys know what to buy to please a fellow's sweetheart and they have peanuts, pop corn, fruits and dandy drinks.

Talk about good things to eat, but did you ever try the Cash Grocery Company's store. Mother wants me to bring her another sack of that Flake White Flour that's sold and guaranteed to be the best. If you don't find it so you get your money back. She wants too, some Canova Coffee, some Sun-kissed canned corn, tomatoes and berries and peaches and some more of that Catsup and Pickles of the Hyman line. Pure food did you say? Well I guess yes. The purest freshest staple and fancy groceries are to be had here. They sold me some Premium Hams and Bacon—that reminds me, once ma sent away off somewhere for some premium dishes and I had to pay the freight on them. I could have gone right over here to the Arcade and bought the whole business for less money. They have a complete line of dining room and kitchen furnishings, plates, cups and saucers, china and enamel ware, stationery, lamps and want be long before they have on display a great big assortment of Christmas toys. You don't make a mistake to go there as nickels and dimes do double duty there. Do you know I was about to forget to take that cotton to be ginned. I am going to the Fuller Gin who always have had the reputation of giving good and efficient service, but after overhauling the machinery they are better equipped this year to give us a good turn out, a good sample, clean seed and the best price for our seed or seed cotton. Well it will be late when I'm through so we will stay in the city tonight and visit the movies. The New Lyric is a comfortably seated room and this is Friday night. They show "The Bad Man and Others" 2 reels and the Grandparents, a drama, and Saturday night they show a three reel comedy "Caught by the Handle" and "Peggy Lyn" which is a wonderful picture of the world's famous New York Hippodrome. We are sure to enjoy a good clean show and the price is only 5c and 10c.

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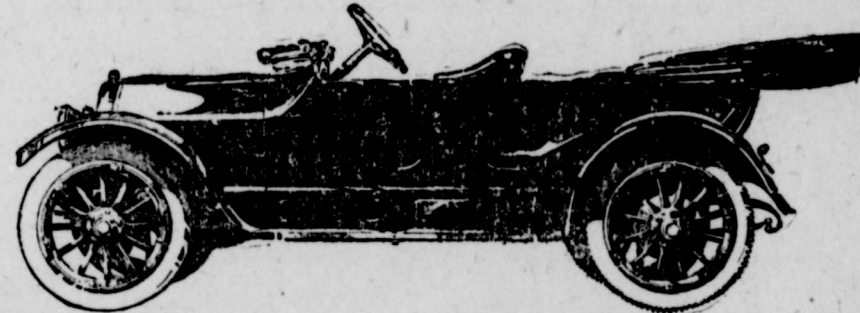
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The center of style and values, can be easily found by coming to J. H. Sears & Co., where you will find the largest shoe stock that has ever been shown in Snyder. Our stock of shoes are all new and we take pleasure in saying that our careful buying in this department, knowing how to judge the grade of Shoes, and selecting values, has placed us so that this year we can make our shoes lowest in price, and save you from 50c to \$1.00 on a shoe. Quick sale and more of them is our plans for this fall. Now we don't ask you to take our word but come for yourself and we will show you values in shoes that can not be bought elsewhere in Snyder. Bring all the family, we have shoes for everybody, values can be bought in shoes for Men, Women and Children.

Shoes

FOR MEN

We are proud of our men's shoes, any kind you want dress shoes, work shoes, in all leathers.

- 24 pair of men's satin calf, lace shoes, for only 1.75
- 24 pair of gun metal lace shoes for only 2.00
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- 50 pair of men's gun metal and vici shoes lace or button, for only 3.00
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- 50 pair of genuine kangaroo leather dress shoes button and lace, they all go at only 4.00

Walk-Over Shoes

Men's Walk-Over shoes have no equal for style and wear, everybody knows

what the Walk-Over shoe is, even the little children are familiar with that name, for it is so extensively advertised in all parts of the globe. You will find this shoe at J. H. Sears & Co.'s where there is always carried a large stock of styles and grades.

A beautiful assortment of this shoe in the lace, button, vici, kangaroo, gun metal and tans are always shown by us at prices from 3.50 to 6.00

Our shoe stock is composed of more than 5,000 pairs of Shoes, they are all marked in at the very lowest price in ink, there can be no mistake in prices, we are prepared to handle your wants in Shoes, we guarantee fit, quality and style, all we ask is that you come get our prices before buying. We are back of all we say. It is to your advantage to inspect our shoes for prices now.

Shoes

FOR CHILDREN

Our children's shoes are better than ever; we have increased our stock this year, more values, more shoes, at less money.

- Childs fancy soft sole shoes in white kid, patent blue, putty, white and black tops, they are all only 50 cents
- Childs fancy high top soft sole boots in all colors, white kids and patents, with colored tops, only \$1.
- Childs vici button shoes, sizes 2 1-2 to 8, soft and good leather, price only75

- 75 pair of childas vici, gun metal and patent button shoes, heavy and light sole, price only 1.00

- 100 pair of childas patent button shoes, in white, red black and putty tops, sizes 2 1-2 to 8 at only 1.50

- Childs fancy patent button extra high top bootees, in white and putty tops at only 2.00
- 100 pair of childas vici, patent and gun metal shoes sizes from 8 1-2 to 11 1-2 at only 1.25
- Childs gun metal, patent and vici shoes, sizes 8 1-2 to 11 1-2 extra values, at only 1.50 and 1.75
- Misses vici and gun metal button, sizes 12 to 2 at only 1.50
- Misses vici patente and gun metal buttons in fancy shoes for the girl, school and dress shoes at only 1.75 2.00 2.25 2.50

We have made special efforts to carry a large line of Children's school shoes in low heels, patent and gun metal. Our

line of Boys school shoes are great, we will make a sacrifice this season to give the boy an extra bargain in his shoes.

Our price is the same to all and once we show you we will always sell you.



Shoes

FOR LADIES

Never were we stronger in this line than we are this season. We have taken special efforts to make this department the strongest west of Fort Worth.

We have the very best styles that we can secure from the famous "Julia Marlowe, Hotters and Walk-Over" Shoes for ladies. When you buy a Walk-Over shoe you buy the best. We have a splendid assortment of styles to select from in the lace and button, plain blacks, brown, grey, putty and tan tops. The ladies of Snyder should feel proud to know that they can come to our shoe department

and select any style shoe they desire in all widths from A to EE, in prices from

\$1.50 to \$5.00



- We are offering you this season a beautiful bronze kid lace boot at only \$4.50
- A beautiful dull kid lace boot cloth top, "Walk-Over" at \$4.50
- 50 pair of fancy lace and button boots in all leathers and widths, at only \$4.00
- 100 pair of fancy lace and button boots, a t only \$3.00 and \$3.50
- 150 pair of patents and vici boots, all styles at only \$2.00 and 2.50
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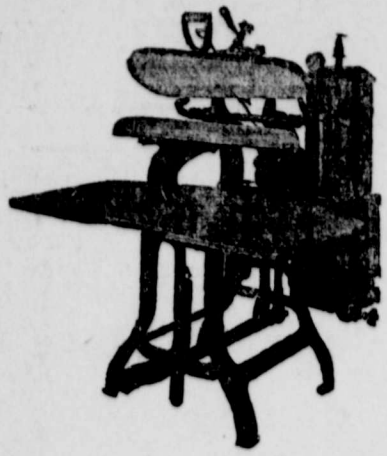
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I will sell you a suit out of stock or take your measure for one made to your measure and guarantee you a perfect fit and satisfaction. Come and look my line and stock over before you buy. New and up-to-date goods just received. All old stock goes at a sacrifice.

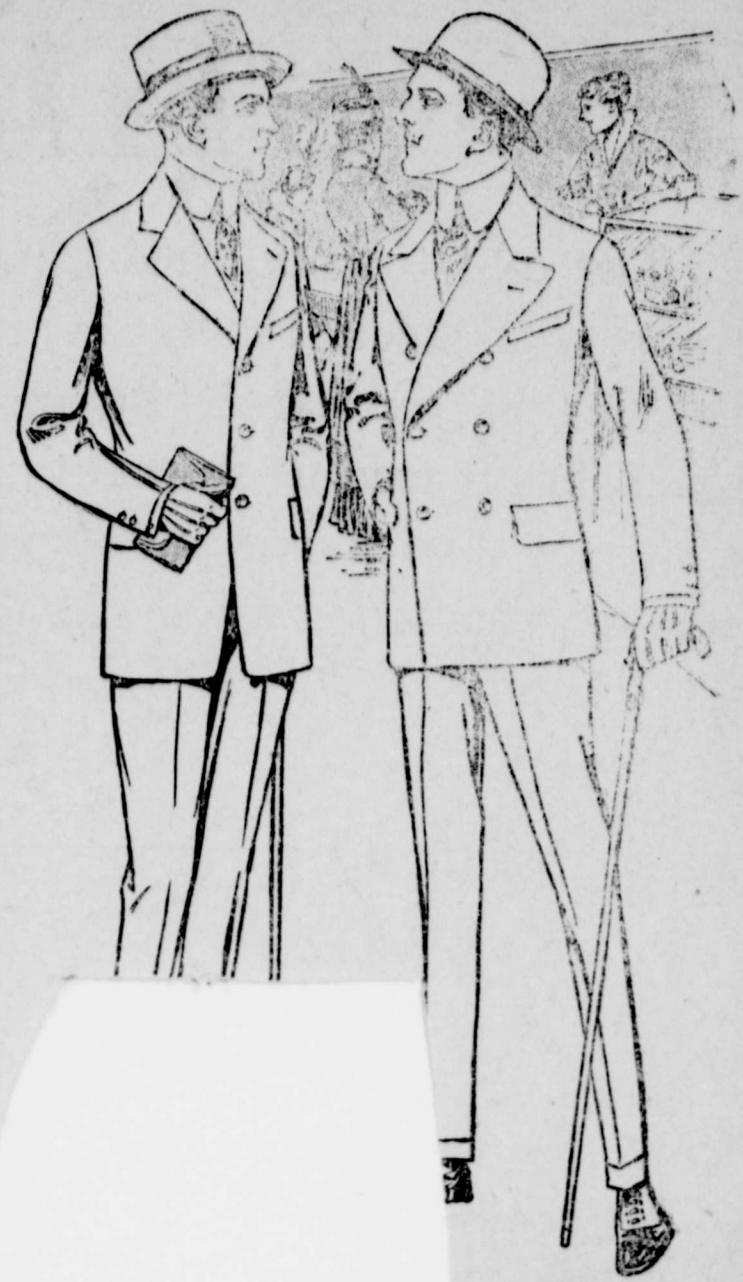
Notice to Auto Drivers: I have the gloves. If you are contemplating a trip I have got the suit cases and traveling bags.

Six or Seven old K. & D. stock suits at \$5.00 per suit. All Kincanon & Davis stock of two and three dollar hats now going at \$1.00

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JONES BROS.' WORLD TOURED SHOWS

The greatest shows to pay us a visit this year will be Jones Bros' Big three ring wild animal circus with a whole army of notable artists brought direct from Europe, all absolutely new to American audiences. This season the Jones brothers have combined their shows into one big, giant three fold shows, offering a grand hippodrome menagerie and gorgeous spectacular ballet. Coming in their own steel cars with everything spic and span, with the largest collection of trained wild animals ever brought together in captivity. These highly educated denizens of the jungle seem to possess almost human intelligence and the Jones brothers have already increased their already large zoological congress by a number of elephants, lions, camels and grizzly bears. Hundreds of high class acts are presented in the arena and the number of high school and pesing horses, high jumping horses are legion. Indeed Jones Brothers are renowned for the superlative beauty of these equine wonders; no show travelling carries a finer assortment of thoroughbred horses and ponies. Novelties galore are shown under the big top and as an innovation the Jones Brothers will introduce an Amazon ballet of the world's most graceful dancers. These exquisitely formed young women, fresh from their Parisian triumphs, appear as if moulded by the sculptor's art. They are grace personified and in a whirlwind dancing novelty are alluring specimens of feminine beauty. Miss Irma Clare, a statuesque beauty who represents "Peace" in the "Marble Nymphs" has won the prize for the Continental Europe. The grand free street parade is a revelation in lavish splendor. This is the circus that you are waiting for—the worth while shows. Don't forget that the date will be Snyder, Tuesday, October 26.

SERVICE STATION

For Dodge Brothers and Ford Cars.

All parts and accessories kept in stock for these cars. Just one block west of the Post Office in building recently vacated by the Snyder Garage. Free Air and Filling Station in connection with Service Station.

FRED A. GRAYUM, Prop.

District Clerk, W. S. Adamson, has added two maize heads to the Chamber of Commerce collection of agricultural products.

Wall paper, Wall paper. Worren Brothers.

R. C. Herm of Hermleigh was here on business Monday and paid the Signal a substantial visit.

Try a sack of Belle of Vernon Flour. Townsend, Oldham & Co.

Get my prices on Wall Paper before you send the order to Sears and Roebuck. A. P. Morris.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

That it is day School ranks of shown b adopted Sunday San Fr 1. V Sunda teach. insur as sh mem (a) (b) The destruction of the liquor traffic. (c) The extinction of the Cigarette habit. (d) The surrender of every self indulgence which impairs or destroys the power to render service to God and man.

2. Recognizing the value and importance of World's Temperance Sunday as a special occasion of Temperance instruction and Temperance Fledge Signing, we urge the observance of that occasion throughout all Sunday Schools and we earnestly request that every Sunday School prepare a special Temperance program to be given as best suited to conditions and their respective surroundings, therefore the Sunday School department of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union makes its annual appeal to the Pastors and Sunday School superintendents to observe World's Temperance Sunday with the United Sunday School Temperance Rally Contest. This means each Sunday School prepare (commence now) a Temperance program and enter the contest as has been done for three years past. The first and second years the Christian Sunday School won the banner which was offered by the W. C. T. U. to the Sunday School giving the best program, the third year, the Presbyterian Sunday school carried off the Temperance Banner and all wait with interest, not only to see which Sunday School will march off with the Banner, but also to listen to the fine program.

The object of this effort is to increase interest in the quarterly Temperance lessons, to stimulate Temperance work in the Sunday School and create a greater bond of sympathy between all Sunday school workers, thus educating the young to a standard of total abstinence.

The appeal to each pastor and Sunday school superintendent "Will you assist with your school to do this?" The pastors are requested to say something special to draw attention to this program. Also announce this Sunday School Temperance Rally Day every Sunday before the World's Temperance Sunday.

3. We further urge that throughout all the courses of graded lessons four Bible Temperance Lessons for each year shall be supplied; and that the selection of such Bible Temperance Lessons be governed by the same sound principle of adaption to the selection of other lessons.

4. With Thanksgiving to God we rejoice in the awakening of consci-

once throughout the churches and community toward the evils of intemperance, especially as represented by the liquor habit and liquor traffic and by the cigarette evil. We rejoice in the increase in temperance sentiment, the spread of temperance education in Church and Sunday Schools and in Public schools and by means of the Public Press; and especially do we thank God for the united efforts of religious, moral and civic agencies, in combating these evils and for the victories won by this army of allies over that great destroyer of body, mind and soul, the saloon. We rejoice that in these victories the Sunday School has its vital share.

In hearty co-operation with other agencies the Sunday School pledges itself to unceasing warfare against the legalized saloon. Looking with unflinching confidence for the coming of that day when we may join the song of triumph: "Thanks be unto God which giveth us the victory through our Lord, Jesus Christ."

Cordially yours for service,
W. C. T. U.

Mr. B. E. Wagner was here Friday from the Knapp country.

Andrew Kemp was here Monday from Hermleigh.

Charlie Jones has accepted a position as bill clerk for the R. S. & P.

Fred A. Grayum made a business trip to Colorado City Tuesday and Sweetwater Wednesday.

The Signal and Semi-Weekly Dallas News for \$1.75.

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**We Have Received a Very Beautiful Line of Skirts
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The correct Skirt. Call and see the new fads in the skirt world.

New Middies

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**Are You Beginning Your Christmas Gifts.
 NOW IS THE TIME**

We received this week a beautiful new line of Royal Society goods. When you know they are Royal Society goods, you know they are pretty. Call in and make your selection before they are picked over.

A new line of Silks Came in Today

Also beautiful Georgette Crepes for your waists.

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To be your guide in making up your new Fall Dress.



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FOR SALE—We have about 20 fifteen gallon wooden oil barrels, which we would like to dispose of at 50c a piece as long as they last. Snyder Ice & Electric Company. 16tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—50 acre truck farm and house and lot close by. See J. M. Hunter. 16

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Good team of wagon mules for sale or will trade for maize. Snyder Ice & Electric company. 16

HAVE A CARLOAD of 3 and 4 year old Western mules for sale at Snyder. Prices very low. See me at once. Joe Buchanan, Snyder, Texas. 16

FOR SALE—A Jersey Cow. See Curry. 17

FOR SALE—A four room house with lot 160x150, a bargain at \$250.00 Apply to E. H. Burditt, Route 2, Snyder, Texas. 17p

FOR SALE—One new rubber tire buggy at a bargain. Apply to Gay McGlaun. 17tf.

FOR SALE—at once. Three tents in fair condition. Two are 12x14 feet, one 10x12. 3 burner oil stove, camping outfit. J. D. Woodall, Snyder, Texas. 17p

FOR COTTON PICKERS address Abel Barrientes, Aarh, Texas. 21

WANTED
WANTED, At once
 50 lbs. clean cotton rags, will pay 3 cents per lb. Snyder Signal.

WANTED—To let contract for picking 35 acres of cotton at my place one mile northeast of Snyder. Have no house to furnish. O. L. Jones. 16p

LADIES—when you want sewing, telephone 202 or see Mrs. M. J. Thornton. 20p

FOR RENT

I have one or two rooms, 2 blocks from the square, across street from Baptist Church, for rent. Mrs. O. V. Trueblood.

FOR RENT—Two rooms, furnished or unfurnished, on West side, for light house keeping. Phone 283 or see J. B. Gildart at Rogers Tin Shop.

Loss of Appetite
 Is the first signal of disorder and decay. The usual loss of appetite is often caused by functional disturbances in the stomach. The stomach fails to do the work required, the appetite is gone and the body suffers from lack of nourishment. Such a stomach needs to be cleaned and sweetened. Meritol Tonic Digestive is made especially to assist the stomach to digest food, and promote a healthy appetite. This remedy is sold on our positive guarantee and we ask you to give it a trial. It is a genuine tonic. Price \$1.00, Warren Bros. Sole agents.

Genuine Home Made Sorghum Syrup, at Denson & Smith's.

E. E. Bramley of the Home Bakery has found it necessary, to meet the demands of his growing trade to build another large brick oven. He says he can turn out 1000 loaves a day.

Notice to the Public
 I have had some trouble of late with night calls, but I have done away with my night kids and have a good reliable man. Don't be afraid to phone us and go to sleep, for we will call you.
JIM ELLIS,
 Mgr. Snyder Transfer Co.
 Phone 154

W. A. Johnson was here Wednesday from Dunn with seven bales of cotton.

Maver Noble states that his son Ralph, who has been sick for nine weeks at a sanitarium at Hubbard City is getting well and is now recuperating at Valley Mills.

Watch for "Fly's" Punctual Romance in 6 reels, featuring Chas. Chaplin.

Rev. J. E. Stephens, until recently pastor of the Methodist church here, but now financial agent for Stamford College, is here for a few days this week circulating among his many Snyder friends.

Get some of those nice fresh Mackerel at Denson & Smith's.

Smith & Allen, cotton dealers and the Snyder Abstract Company have opened offices on the second floor of the Townsend-Oldham store on the west side of the square.

Special get acquainted matinee at the Lyric Saturday. All school children free.

Caton-Dodson have received their modern clothing cabinets and are installing them.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
 County of Scurry

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain order of sale, issued out of the Honorable District Court of Scurry County on the 30th day of Sept., 1915, by W. S. Adamson clerk of said court for the sum of Nineteen hundred fifty-seven and 80/100 dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of Wenzel Freitag in a certain cause in said Court No. 1785 and styled Wenzel Freitag vs. W. H. Baker, placed in my hands for service, I, W. A. Merrell, as sheriff of Scurry County, Texas, did on the 30th day of September 1915, levy on certain real estate, situated in Scurry County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Being the east 160 acres of the North one-half of Section No. 60, in Block No. 3, of the H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, in Scurry County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of W. H. Baker and that on the first Tuesday in November 1915, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the Court House door of Scurry county, in the town of Snyder, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said order of sale, I will sell above described Real Estate at public vendue for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. H. Baker.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Snyder Signal, a newspaper published in Scurry county.

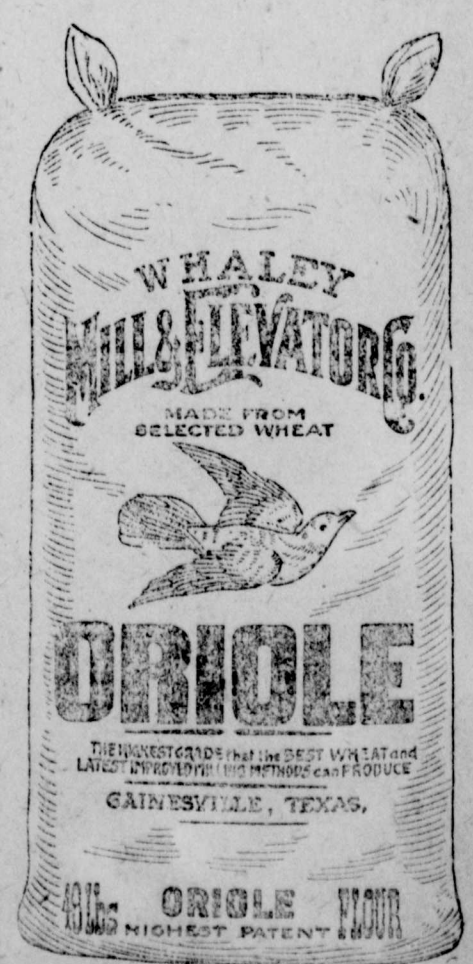
Witness my hand this 30th day of September, 1915.

W. A. MERRELL,
 Sheriff, Scurry County, Texas.

If will pay you to see Denson & Smith before buying your goods.

Special get acquainted matinee at the Lyric Saturday. All school children free.

A Fair Proposition
 The manufacturers of Meritol Rheumatism Powders have so much confidence in this preparation that they authorize us to sell them to you on a positive guarantee to give you relief in all cases of Rheumatism or refund your money. This is certainly a fair proposition. Let us show them to you. Prices 50c and \$1.00. Warren Brothers, Exclusive Agency.



Just received a carload
 Its the best Flour on the Texas market and is in the "Buy It Made In Texas" class.
W. S. PERKINS GROCERY Co.
 Telephone 327
 Snyder, Texas.

NEW GOODS

Our house is full of new and dependable goods. Quality considered, we will save you money on every bill of goods you buy of us, and guarantee you satisfaction money refunded cheerfully.

THE ARCADE R. W. Nelson, Prop.
 South Snyder

SERVICE



**Courtesy
Promptness
Accuracy**

Everything In Drugs.
Particular attention to prescription work.
Fair dealing.

**GIVE US YOUR DRUG BUSINESS
OWL DRUG STORE**

Nature's Mineral Ore for Impure blood. See adv. in this paper. Call at Signal office. 5tf.

The Chief of Police at Wichita Kansas is charged with bootlegging.

We repair any old thing and stand behind the job. A. P. Morris.

Hogs at Denton are dying with cholera.

We have a nice ice cream parlor and give good service. Smith's Confectionery.

Tomorrow will be clean up day.

For bargains in Wall Paper see Warren Brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Orr of New Decatur, Alabama, are guests of his sister, Mrs. J. B. Kerr.

For bargains in Wall Paper see Warren Brothers.

Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Dehoney who have been here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hunter have returned to their respective homes, Cisco and Dallas.

For bargains in Wall Paper see Warren Brothers.

The cotton market dropped about 10 points Thursday morning.

Warren Brothers for Wall Paper.

H. B. Winston says he has received that long expected car of seed wheat and that it is going rapidly.

A big shipment of the best, fancy candies, chocolates and bonbons just received at Smith's Confectionery. 17tf

Boys and Girls, we have a fresh shipment of fine candies. Grayum Drug Company. 17

County Court next week.

Window Glass at Warren Brothers.

Farmer Jim Beles was here Monday from Plainview district, presumably to swap horses.

My studio on the West Side is now open for the fall term. Special terms to beginners.

MISS HARRINGTON, Piano, 12tf Phone 202

Window Glass at Warren Brothers.

Mr. J. A. Staveley of Fluvanna attended Churchservices in Snyder Sunday night.

\$1.00 bucket good coffee 85c at Townsend, Oldham & Co.

Benjo Buchanan is here this week from Marfa with a carload of mules to sell.

Dr. L. E. Trigg was here Monday from Hermleigh.

Window Glass at Warren Brothers.

Trico, Townsend, Oldham & Co., handles it.

Mrs. J. B. Kerr and daughter, Floe, returned last Friday from a summer visit with relatives in Alabama.

Window Glass at Warren Brothers.

Dr. C. W. Merrell and Horace Holley were here Monday from Ira.

Wall paper, Wall paper. Warren Brothers.

Geo. W. Johnson and W. W. Nelson were part of the first Monday crowd this week.

Wall paper, Wall paper. Warren Brothers.

Judge C. C. Higgins attended court at Clairemont this week.

Judge Frye of Graham has been convicted of forgery in one case and another similar case against him is on trial.

Attention Ladies

We have just received a large shipment of

Colgates, Hudnuts, Moorland, La Valliere, Velvatina and Willow

Toilet Water, Face Powder, Cold Cream, Perfume, Etc. We take special pride in our toilet article department and can please the most fastidious.

WE HANDLE ALL THE STANDARD LINES

THOMPSON DRUG CO.

Phone 33 A Better Drug Store North Side

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PRICES

CREAM Baking Powder

Sixty Years the Standard

NO ALUM

Some of Mr. G. S. Hardin's people have come in this week to be at his bedside.

Just received a car of the noted McAlester Coal. Phone 154. Jim Dawson. 12tf

Dixie Smith was in town Wednesday in a new car.

Fresh fine candies just received at Grayum Drug Company. 17

Have you put up your heater?

Plenty of Coal and Wood now on hand. Phone 154. Jim Dawson. 12tf

Mrs. Spencer Smith and Mrs. J. E. Park of Fluvanna were the guests of Miss Minnie Lindsey yesterday.

WANTED, At once 50 pounds large clean cotton rags. Will pay 3 cents per pound. Call at The Signal Office.

THE NEWS, THE JOURNAL, THE SEMI-WEEKLY FARM NEWS. Subscriptions and Advertisements received here.

OWL DRUG STORE

Cherry Bark Cough Syrup is the best for your cough at Grayum Drug Company. 17

The norther Thursday caused people to sit up and take notice.

Warren Brothers for Wall Paper.

Mr. J. D. Woodall says the Post City road is now ready for travel and will be fine when dragged. He is going to do some street work in Snyder.

Warren Brothers for Wall Paper.

Doe Lykes visited the Roscoe fair last night.

The coal man is coming into prominence.

WANTED—You to bring us your subscription to the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News \$1.00 per year. OWL DRUG STORE

Men's Belts, with Gold and Silver Buckles at H. G. Towle's



We have just received large shipments of new Coat Suits in the most popular styles and colors. Visit the store when down town, we are receiving new merchandise every day.

Matthews
THE QUALITY SHOP

AMONG THE MERCHANTS

The Snyder National bank has removed the old awning in front of their building on the west side and erected a modern one. It adds wonderfully to the appearance as well as shows a spirit of progressiveness.

The Lyric Theatre has paid the Signal a red silver dollar on account and the Signal immediately paid it to A. D. Dodson. Snyder people are asked not to deposit this dollar, either spend it with some one in Snyder or pay it on a local account, thus keeping it in continuous circulation. The Signal will be pleased to keep trace of same and publish its rounds from week to week, if the receiver will notify this office immediately upon gaining possession of it. Don't hesitate to do this and let's see what a dollar will do. Phone 88 and tell the Signal every time you get hold of the Red Lyric Dollar.

Notice the page advertisement of J. H. Sears & Co., this week. They are offering some exceptional bargains and a splendid line of merchandise.

V. B. Thomas and wife now have charge of the Woodrow Hotel. Mr. Witt and family have moved to Fluvanna, and will engage in the hotel business.

For twenty-two years, A. D. Dodson has served the people of Snyder and Scurry county in the mercantile business. His career has been a most successful one and he has decided to retire. Attention is called to his double page advertisement in today's Signal heralding the announcement of his closing out sale. Read it carefully and note the deep cut in the price of new, up-to-date and reliable goods, which he has always made a practice of retailing. This reduction in prices right at the beginning of a prosperous season ought to appeal

to all who are in the market for fall and winter merchandise.

Townsend-Oldham & Co. have erected an attractive and modern business office in the rear of the magnificent store which is imposing like unto a regular banking business.

Uncle Charlie Dodson is now in the clerical department of the A. D. Dodson dry goods emporium.

Dr. J. E. Dodson of Pasadena, California, is mingling with his many friends in Snyder and incidentally looking after business matters.

Otis Thompson has opened a new grocery store next door to the Maxwell hotel. He is in the same building with the P. E. Davenport Produce house.

Yesterday's freight brought the shipment of store furniture and equipment for the Townsend-Old-

ham & Co., which will be installed at once. All the modern dust-proof furniture is included in the plans when installed the interior of the new store will be right up-to-row.

Caton Dodson Dry Goods Company are building an addition to their store, which includes an extension of the west building in which will be placed the ladies ready-to-wear department with all the modern furniture and equipments. This will add greatly to the convenience of the store.

E. E. Matthews of the Quality Store for Ladies, made a business trip to Dallas this week.

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OWL DRUG STORE

The Signal and Dallas News \$1.75

Now is the time to vaccinate against

BLACKLEG

We have complete stock of vaccine and injectors.

GRAYUM DRUG CO.

The Rexall Store