Bulletin

EL PASO, TEXAS, THURS-DAY, JUNE 22 (4:15 P M)-THE VERY LATEST NEWS CONCERNING THE UNITED STATES-MEXICAN WAR SITU-ATION WAS RECEIVED BY THE THE SNYDER SIGNAL AT 4:45 THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

THE REPORT SAYS:

"EVERYTHING IS QUIET HERE TODAY AND THE CITY OF JUAREZ IS BEING EVACUA-TED BY THE MEXICAN SOL-DIERS. THE AMERICAN ARMY IS EXPECTED TO PEACEFUL-LY OCCUPY THE CITY OF JUA-REZ AT ONCE.

IN THE INTERIOR LAST NIGHT. IT IS AN ESTABLISH-ED BELIEF THAT IMMEDIATE WAR IS INEVITABLE.

THERE IS NO IMMEDIATE DANGER IN THE CITY OF EI-PASO AND EVERYTHING LOOK

A COMPLETE OCCUPATION OF THE COUNTRY BY THE UNITED STATES TROOPS WILL FOLLOW.

PROCEEDINGS OF

The city council of the city of ent and presiding. The following city officials were present: City Marshall, O. P. Wolfe, City Secretary, A. Johnston and aldermen, H. G. Pension budget. He has faith that can dead. Towle, R. E. Cox, J. W. Massey, E. President Wilson will safely conduct | The American command is said | Let's turn out en masse and hear cans. H. Higginbotham, J. J. Taylor, and the ship of state for the material and to have been part of a scouting pa-this distinguished gentleman on the

The minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved.

Balance in the General funr from last meeting \$301.09.

Receipts: Addison Castevens auto permit \$1.00 utterances. Total receipts \$4.00 Total in general fund \$305.09 Disbursements as folows:

R. L. Howell, Mayor \$3.00 J. J. Burnett, alderman \$3.00 J. J. Taylor, alderman \$3.00 A. Johnston, secretary \$12.50 J. W. Massey, Alderman \$3.00 E. H. Higginbotham, alderman \$3.00 R. E. Cox, alderman \$3.00 H. M. Hedges, street work .. \$6.47 nesday night. W. A. Temple, street work.. \$17.50 S. O. Chapman, street work. . \$24.00 W. L. Shaw, work and sup. . . \$4.00 J. A. Tucker, work and sup... \$3.80 Balance on hand in the general

Fund \$123.90 Mr. Chambers appeared before the council and asked for water connection with the city water works. Referred to the water and sewer com-

Motion made and seconded that the report of the auditorium committee Marshal Wolfe very promptly apmade at the last regular meeting, peared on the scene and took the lead wherein they recommended that a in the performance and now if Carfee of \$25.00 be collected for the use ranza and Villa want their warrior Oklahoma, preached last Sunday and of the Auditorium during the Chau- they will have to apply to the Scurry Sunday night at First Baptist church county is the guest of his brother A. crease of capacity at any time in futauqua meeting be received and that county jailer or wait till our courts in Snyder. He is a forceful pleasing N. Woodard. the Marshal be instructed to collect get through with him. same and that the committee be discharged. Vote being taken Mayor declared it carried.

Latest War S. P. BROOKS AND

Wednesday was the date for the coming to Snyder of Dr. S. P. Brooks of Waco, a candidate for United States Senator. Quite a bunch of citizens were on hand when the east bound Santa Fe came and met Dr. Brooks and Judge Daniel E. Garrett, of Houston, candidate for Congress from the State at Large.

By 3:30 p. m .a large crowd of people had gathered in the District Court room.

Judge M. E. Rosser, introduced Judge Garrett who spoke but a short while. He spoke of his services as Congressman, when a member of Congress. He said when he was elected in 1912 he owed his time and energies. He refused to quit his post of duty to come home and campaign for re-election and he was defeated. A LITTLE CLASH OCCURED | He feels that he did right and has never regretted it. He says when a Congressman comes home, leaving his job to be re-elected, he ought to leave his salary in the treasury. He doesn't promise many things, but will help in everything that looks good. Nobody has ever challenged one of

his votes in Congress. Judge Rosser then introduced Dr. Brooks as a man who, by his own efforts has gone from the surroundings of a poor farmer boy in Johnson county to the presidency of one of the leading Colleges of Texas and has made good at every point in his life. Dr. Brooks was already known to many of our people and was given a cordial welcome.

He modestly reviewed some of the early struggles in his Johnson county home and pointed to his record as president of Baylor University.

and above reproach. He has a clear authorities in Juarez tonight. men of Education.

each day what the conditions may hua. Geo. Johnson Auto permit .. \$1.00 be. He manifests a clear knowledge

> tutional amendment submitted for confirmed but said he had no official hand promptly at the time specified. to be arranged later. ratification to the voters of each report as to the number of casualties | The city council and the Snyder State, instead of to the several state on either side. Legislatures.

The speech has been generally complimented by people who heard it.

Girl's Auxiliary.

H. E. Rosser, visit small pox \$3.00 their leader at the Baptiast Church which they may be called. Blackard Bros. chairs, etc. . . . \$9.60 Tuesday afternoon at 6 o'clock. The crowd having gathered we went to ed the cruiser Dolphin, Flagship of, o'clock.

A Bad Mexican.

A rantankerous Mexican got on the Wheeling is at El Carmen. high gear here last Saturday evening and was pulling of stunts that this afternoon that additional ships north of the Rio Grande and City east coast of Mexico.

Wednesday from Arah.

Difficulties American Troops Must Encounter in Mexico



El Paso, June 21.—A detachment He is a man of recognizedability, ualties, according to unofficial re- the ladies, are cordially invited to as an educator and his life is clean ports received by Mexican military attend.

Snyder met in regular session June would conduct the political affairs of Mexican authorities are investigating will arrive here Tuesday afternoon berson should not be re-elected to try has been troubled with men and 19, with Mayor R. L. Howell pres- the country on the higher lines of 40 Americans were killed by machine in an automobile, accompanied by the senate because he is physically agencies of foreign nations going justice and right. He favors a mer- gun fire in surprise attack. The Mex Judge R. A. Ragland of that city, unfit. chant marine sufficient to meet the ican casualties were said not to have who will be the principal speaker of needs of ocean traffic. He opposes been so heavy but General Felix Diaz the evening, confining his remarks single hobby and that Colquitt is States in its attitude of neutrality the constant increase of hte Federal is named as being among the Mexi- mainly to civic improvement and to not a democrat and ought to be and while the platform recognized

> moral betterment of the world. He trol from Guzman, returning to Gen- very live subject assigned him. favors two new Cabinet Departments, eral Fershing's line of communicaa department of Health and a depart- tion. Carrizal, named as the place of DON'T MISS OPEN MEETING the encounter, is about nine miles He favors a National Marketing southeast of Villa Ahumada, the Mex-System so that the people may know | ican field base in northern Chihua-

He is in favor of Nationwide, Con- command had taken seventeen Amer- and women of Scurry county.

Naval Forces Ready.

The navy department has ordered Dr. Brooks and Judge Garrett left the tender Panther and six torpedo H. G. Towle, alderman \$3.00 early in the evening for Sweetwater, boat destroyers of the Atlantic fleet. The report regarding local Mexi- should be presented in joint discus- other nations. Geo. H. Brown, officer \$55.00 where they were billed to speak Wed- from Santo Domingo to Key West. | cans purchasing guns and ammuni- sions. I hope that you will agree to This fleet, comprising two divisions tion in Snyder recently seems to be this suggestion in order that I may with respect to weaker nations is upof the torpedo boat flotilla, will be entirely without foundation, as none thus present my views and you may held. It is pointed out that the polheld in readiness at Key West for of the local merchants filled orders defend your position in repudiating icy of this government is and should The girls met Mrs. C. R. Lockhart any service in Mexican waters for as per the report.

The navy department also order-

Total disbursements \$181.19 25 at the Baptist church at five lantic fleet in Mexican waters, navy cents better this year than last tho' L. Spiler and was to speak there -Reporter department officials said. The Ma- quality probably not so good. Mr. Saturday night. chias and Marietta are at Tampico, Winston says there is about 60 per the Nebraska is at Vera Cruz and cent less wheat on the market than

The navy department announced

A Visiting Preacher.

Rev. W. R. Chandler of Marlow pulpit speaker and is a consecrated Christian minister. He expressed |. Mr. H. P. Wellborn returned Wedder and our people.

As previous announcement, an of American cavalry clashed with open meeting of the city council will Carranza forces at Carrizal, about be held at the city park auditorium 90 miles south of El Paso early to- next Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock, day, both sides suffering heavy cas- to which all the citizens, especially

Every individual in Snyder is urg- Hon. Thomas M. Campbell, ed to be present and hear Judge R. Later General Francisco Gonzales, A. Ragland at the City Park Audi-

stitutional prohibition of the liquor ican prisoners. He also said that Don't sit down and wait until too posed by me. I invite you to engage affairs. Confidence is expressed in traffic. He would have such a consti- General Gomez's death had been late to air your opinion but be on in ten joint discussions, the details the great body of citizens, and

Chamber of Commerce are anxious that every person in Snyder attend gress during the year 1914, and op- administration has avoided war, and

Nothing Doing.

this meeting.

First Car of Snyder Wheat,

Mr. H. B. Winston shipped out his J. A. Tucker, supplies \$1.25 the creek. After playing several Rear Admiral Caperton, of the cruis- first car of 1916 wheat Thursday. It rural credit law. Mav.-Clark Co. supplies \$2.65 games we spread our lunches togeth- er squadron from Santo Domingo to grades No. 3 and he paid 96 1/2 cents O. P. Woife, Board prisoners \$0.75 er and enjoyed ourselves very much Guantanamo, where it will be avail- a bushel. The shipment was 950 bu-Thompson Drug Co, medicine \$7.50 | Having finished our lunch we ad- able to respond to an immediate call. shels. The first shipment last year last year.

ers Union.

month in Arkansas.

HON. R. L. HENRY

Congressman R. L. Henry of Waco, candidate for United States Senator, addressed a good sized crowd of voters at the court house in Snyder last Saturday afternoon. He was introduced by Mr. F. I .Townsend, one of our most prominent workers in the Farmers' Union.

Mr. Townsend told of the good work done in congress by Mr. Henry democratic administration are outin the interest of the cotton plant- lined showing the most extensive and ers of the south in general and the beneficial record of legislative enactfarmers of Texas in particular.

Mr Henry started out by giving period of time by any administration. a short sketch of his early life in Texas, following his career up to and uniformly wise and just course is including his 20 years in the con- fully approved and his renomination gics of the United States.

as and when the cotton crop of 1914 of national enactments for the prohad to be dumped on the market at gress and prosperity of the country 6 or 7 cents, he began to study the with a guarantee of equal rights to reasons. He found the money centers, all men. The platform congratulates the spinners, the speculators and the the country on keeping out of wars, gamblers reveling in the ruin of the entangling alliances and this condifarmers and he set himself to the tion is attributed to President Wilwork of relief.

the necessary funds to hold the stock otic people. markets steady and he introduced : bill to place \$30,000,000 in reach sort of a ripple on the harmonious of the farmers to be loaned on cot- waters was the equal suffrage plank. ton at a low rate of interest. He met Gov. Ferguson of Texas made a with scoffs and jeers, but he contin- strong fight to keep out an expression ued to push his measure. If the gov- on that question, but the minority stock brokers, it ought to furnish vote, relief in time of distress to the cot

the democracy on financial legisla- to women the same as to men. tion. He is in complete harmony This provision preserves the prinwith Wilson's foreign policies and ciple of state sovereignty, but it is stands four square for the adminis- not going as far as suffragists want-Secretary Thos. F. Hodge of the tration on all points of foreign and ed. vision of the science of politics. He | According to the report which the | Sweetwater Chamber of Commerce | domestic activity. He says Mr. Cul-

the commission form of government. lined up with the standpat republi- foreign born citizens, and those of

He considers that the race is between himself and ex-Gov. Camp- against foreign meddlers. bell, and while here he wired Mr. OF THE CITY COUNCIL a series of joint discussions.

Snyder, Texas 6-17-1916.

Palestine, Texas.

Inasmuch as you are now author-Francis Harris auto permit . . . \$1.00 of statesmanship, but there is not a Mexican commander at Juarez, gave torium next Tuesday night. This is itatively established as the candidate spurn political support from any or-Becton Templeton auto permit \$1.00 tinge of the demagogue in any of his out a statement in which he an- a matter that should interest every of the anti-saloon league, with the ganization of foreign-born citizens nounced officially that the Mexican tax payer and all progressive men national prohibition amendment as which endeavors to influence this your chief issue, which is being op- government's policy in international

> And since you antagonized my cotton relief bills, introduced in Conical differences between us that antees of freedom of intercourse with cotton growers and establishing a perous.

" will appreciate an early reply.

A. Johnston, storage, etc pump \$7.17 journed to meet again Monday, June There are four vessels of the At- was on June 26. The price is five Sweetwater accompanied by Mr. Jas. ican territory.

Up-to-Date Ginnery.

new Fuller Company gin, being built Snyder, \$550. A. Johnston, F. I. Townsend, B. on the old livery stable lot north of were unbecoming in a community would be sent to the west coast and F. Womack and F. M. Blair, will the square. The machinery is now on leave tomorrow for Galveston to at- the way and Mr. Fuller says it will Brown, lots 1 and 3 in block 22, tend a business session of the Farm- be the best equipped gin in West Blankenship addition to Snyder, Texas. There will be five 80-saw gins \$3,000. and they will provide for a reserve Mr. E. J. Woodard of Coleman power and be prepared for an inture.

S. J. D. Hallmau was here Wednes-Mr. George Ralston was in town quite a favorable impression of Sny- nesday from a business trip of a day from Pyron and heard Dr. Brooks' speech

WILSON AND MAR-SPEAKS IN SNYDER SHALL HEAD TICKET

The National Democratic Convention in St. Louis has done well. Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey and Thomas Riley Marshal of Indiana for President and Vice President of the United States.

These nominations were by acclamation. The platform bristles with Americanism throughout. The achievements of three years of the ments ever recorded in the same

Wilson's constructive humane and and the prevailing harmony in the He has been in position to study party are a guarantee of a sane, the condition of the farmers in Tex- sound and far reaching continuation son's wisdom and firmness support-He found the government put up ed by a loyal congress and a patri-

The only question that caused any ernment could come to the rescue of report was defeated by a tremendous

The suffrage plank finally adopted recommends provisions, state by He declared himself in line with state for giving the voting franchise

For more than a year this counabout sowing seeds of discord and He charges that Brooks has one seeking to embarrass the United foreign extraction as good American citizens a strong stand is made

The president's suggestion for a Campbell the following challenge for plank on Americanism was incorporated in the platform. The declaration is strong in its insistence on whole-hearted support of the government by all citizens. It is understood that all parties are called upon to "America first" is emphasized as the creed of all.

The platform points out that the posed the plan of rural credits urged at the same time has preserved Amer by me, it is plain that there are rad- ican rights and secured certain guar-

The policty of the administration the San Antonio platform and ex- be to refrain from interference in plain, if you can, your attitude the extreme cases, and at the same against my plan for relieving the time to assist them to become pros-

The platform declares in favor of keeping the troops in Mexico long R. L. HENRY." enough to insure against further up-Mr. Henry left after speaking for risings which might endanger Amer-

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Geo. F. Evans and wife to J. S. Work is going right along on the Curtis, lot 1 in block 29, town of

W. W. Davis and wife to Martha

W. W. Echols and wife to Lee Tims, northeast quarter of section 94, in block No. 3, H. & T. C. survey, \$2,400.

J R. Kimsey and wife to A. Y. Wade 100 acres out of section 227, survey 3, H. & T. C., \$2500.

Everything for Everybody

If you don't know just where to find anything you need in summer dry goods just call on

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MEXICAN IGNORANCE

OF THE NEGROES

A paper published over in Mexico says there is going to be an uprising of negroes in Texas in the way of a revolution demanding the ind pend- to show Judge Smith's attitude in ence of Texas and equal social and political rights of all races That fellow doesn't know the American Legro. If he did he would know that negro is as loyal to the federal government as he knows how to be and already has all the political rights he can appropriate, and as for social rights, he has long ago ceased to want social equality, since he has gotten from under the influence of scalawags and carpet baggers.

NOTICE.

Every chicken raiser in Scurry county is invited to attend a meeting which will be held June 24 at one o'clock p. m. in the Justice of the Peace office for the purpose of organizing a Poultry Association of Scurry county.

P. BENBENEK.

Mrs. F. L. Hutcheson will present her pupil Miss Marie Kerr in recital assisted by Miss Willie Joe Sims (pupil of Mrs. E. B. Barnes) and Miss Flossie Kerr, June 29, 1916, the Methodist Church.

ed Sunday from a visit of several proposition to establish service on a days in Amarillo.



needles and repair parts for any make of machine, or as fine machine at a reasonable? price.

chines made.

J. D. BOYD

JUDGE SMITH CLEARS MAIL ROUTE MATTER

The following correspondence relative to the Dunn-Ira-Snyder mail route in Scurry county is submitted the matter:

House of Representatives, Washington, D. C., June 5, 1916. Mr. M. E. Rosser,

Snyder, Texas. Dear Friend:

Your letter of the 24th ultimo was duly received. I supposed that the old story about my interference in the Ira mail route matter had died out. I know of nothing more unjust for I had absolutely nothing to do with it. Immediately upon receipt of write me a letter giving the reasons died Sunday night. why the department changed its mind about establishing the service with it and I received in reply the Thompson. letter which I herewith enclose.

Your friend, W. R. SMITH.

Post Office Department June 1-16 Hon. W. R. Smith,

House of Representatives. My dear Mr. Smith:

With reference to your personal call at the Department today, when Mr. G. B. Clark and family return- you made inquiry concerning the route from Ira by Knap, to Durham, and another from Ira to Snyder, returning by Dunn to Ira, Texas, I beg to inform you that this matter was carefully considered in March, 1914, and advertisements were issued inviting proposals for carrying the mails on the routes mentioned. The lowest bids received in response to the advertisements were defective and as protests of Dunn patrons were submitted and the changes proposed would involve an increase in cost of operation over the existing service of about \$1000 per annum, it was decided to make no award of contract but to continue the service as then and now arranged. This conclusion was based on the facts as above stated and not because of any recommendation made by you. The files relating to the case show that no recommendation whatever was made by you in the matter.

Sincerely yours,

J. K. PICKETT. Acting Fourth Assistant Postmaster

C. I. Jaeggli and Andrew Kemp were here Saturday from Hermleigh. BISON

As I never see anything from this part of the country, I will dot down a few of the happenings to let you know we are still on the globe.

We have had several good showers the past few days but we need a hard rain to put out stock water.

Crops are simply fine inthis part of the county. Have had some hail but not enough to damage the crops.

Rev. Hotelling filled his regular appointment here Sunday, and preach ed two good sermons which were enjoyed by a large crowd. Bro. Hotellyour letter I called at the Post of- ing's horse got sick, Dr. Avary came fice department and asked them to out in the afternoon but the horse

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Thompson of between Snyder and Ira and stating New Mexico have moved here and whether or not I had anything to do are now staying with their son, Paul

> Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Seabourn Sunday.

A large crown attended the Ice Bentley's Monday. Saturday night. Had lots of Cream and every one enjoyed themselves.

Mr. and Mrs. West, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Huddleston visited at Mr. W. H. Huddleston's Sunday.

Mad dogs are getting to be very popular in this part of the country. Three of Mr. Wellborn's dogs and one of Mr. Fulmey's went mad but they were all killed Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richter gave their little daughter Melba a birthday dinner Sunday.

Mr. Claud Busby and sister Miss Ola were pleasant visitors at Bison Sunday and took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Stringer.

Mr. Stevenson had a horse to die Saturday caused by eating Mesquite

Mr and Mrs. Walker Huddleston visited Mr. and Mrs. Marshal Morton

Miss Josie West went to Hermleigh Sunday to stay a few weks.

Miss Lela Birdwell visited at Bison

tune to let a cat get drowned in her cistern Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Clark had the misfor-

Come take in our Singing School that Mr. Berry is going to start here next Monday night.

Fred Miller went down to the Ira community Thursday to try to find grass for his cattle.

Candidates must be geting scared for we have been having Green ones and Black ones too, working just as hard as they could.

The Commissioners of Nolan Couny have sold their old Court House for \$300. It is to be torn away and the ground cleared by August 24 to make ready for a new temple of

FOR SALE-Legal blanks of all inds at the Signal office.

CROWDER.

We had a good slow rain here Wednesday night a good rain soon would be well appreciated.

Mr. John Biggs and family visited Mr. Sam Hays Sunday.

Mr. Leonard Turner and wife vis ited Mr. R. L. Higgins Sunday.

Mr. Tom Hodges Sunday.

Bison visited Mrs. J. T. Ramsey's American forces. Carranza's late

with Mr R. L. Higgins.

the sick list but is better at this

There were some few attended Children's Day Services at White Bluff Community Sunday and all report a good time and plenty of dinner for every body.

Fruit Jars-The old reliable Maons. Farmers Union Merc. Co.

Mrs. E. J. Anderson and litle daughter left Thursday to visit her parents at Crowell.

CARRANZA MAKES

FALSE CHARGE.

Gen. Caranza charges Americans with bad faith. Asserts the first expedition did not try to capture bandits. Of course this charge comes as an after thought. People already know that while the Americans were on a Villa "hot trail" the Mexicans aided in concealing their chief and helping him to elude his pursuers. Mr. Loon Wren and wife visited The Constitualist troops were in position to have aided in capturing the band of Columbus raiders but Mr. Will Seabourn and family from they refused to co-operate with the charge is fully disproved by the conduct of his own men. Had the de-Mr. Sam Harrington Sundayed facto government lived up to the agreement to faithful co-operation the bandits would have been run Mrs. Robert Turner has been on down and the American troops would have returned to the United States long ago.

> Our highest patent Flour, guaranteed at \$3.00. Farmers Union Mercantile Co.

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> Pure Sisal Binder Twine, 12cts. at Farmers Union Mercantile Co.

J. K. Blackard has returned from a recreation trip to Mineral Wells.

Expresison Recital.

The following invitation is being ssued this week:

"Miss Dura Durelle Dawson, pupil of Mrs. F. L. Hutcheson, requests your presence at her graduation exercises, June 23, 1916, at eight thirty o'clock. The First Christian Church, Snyder, Texas."

Miss Dura is one of Snyder's brightest and swectest young ladies and you will enjoy her readings.

Mr. Lum Clark who has been here hrough the Spring months with his brother Fred Clark and family left Monday for Mineral Wells and from there will go to his home at Kosse.

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Catarrh that Contain Mercury as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohlo, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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Men who think they can't smoke a pipe or roll a cigarette can smoke and will smoke if they use Prince Albert. And smokers who have not yet given P. A. a tryout certainly have a big surprise and a lot of enjoyment coming their way as soon as they invest in a supply. Prince Albert tobacco will tell its own story!

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Just received, a new shipment of Sport Shirts, including Silk Dress Shirts.

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der, Texas.

FOR SALE-HighClass ribbons for Oliver and Underwood typewriters at the Signal office.

HAVE FIVE RANCHES o' four sections each and one ranch of 9 sections, will exchange any or all of FOR SALE -Both legal and letter them for good farming land in Scur- size carbon paper, best grade, at the ry or adjoining counties. Cunning- Signal Office. ham, Big Springs, Texas.

FOR SALE-One 6 horse power J. I. Case Steam Engine at a bargain. Snyder, Texas.

FOR SALE-120 acres good heavy bay mare, 3 white feet, blaze face, land, all tillable, no washes, 1/2 mile shod all around, about 14 hands high. FOR SALE-160 acres land 8 miles from school, 3 miles from depot, all Finder please phone Mercer & Jones Southwest of Snyder, Consideration fenced, 50 acres in cultivation, no Prod. Co. for reward. \$2000. Address D. P. Strayhorn, Sny- other improvements, \$10.00 per acre ½ cash, balance long time, small payments. C. B. Alexander, Snyder,

> FOR SALE-Both legal and letter size carbon paper, best grade, at the Signal Office.

FOR RENT

ROOMS FOR RENT-To either local Address P. O. Box 645, or phone 164 or transient parties. Phone 168. Mrs. HAVE CLIENT with cash, wants J. W. Templeton.

LOST AND FOUND

STRAYED or STOLEN-from my place, west of Snyder, white spotted ham, Big Springs. muley cow, branded A on right hip, half circle A on left side, N on left hip. Finder notify A. R. Turner, Rt. 1 Snyder, Texas.

LOST or STOLEN-One 3 year old

LOST-A screw cap for automobile gasoline tank. Return to Palm Cafe 2

WANTED.

WANTED-Jobs on farms for large boys, to start them at small wages. Emile Reck, Agent, Weatherford,

WANTED-Your orders for all kinds of legal blanks at the Signal office. Retail or wholesale. Ask us for what

49tf from two to eight sections of land.

Must be bargain NOW. Need not answer unless you are anxious to sell. Give description and price." Cunning-

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Cullen C. Higgins.

PERSONAL NOTICES

IF YOU HAVE moles, warts or birthmarks and want them removed, see Harrington, the Barber.

TO THE VOTERS OF SCURRY COUNTY.

I take this method of announcing my self as a candidate for County Surveyor of Scurry County for the next two years. I have held this ofthe people to return me to the same for another term.

Two years ago it seemed that no one would offer for the office as it was considered of little importance. I was asked to place my name on the ticket but did not do so till the evening of the last day on which names could be placed on the ticket. I did not particularly seek the office but when I was elected and took the oath of office I immediately went to work to make the office worth something to the people and I can truthfully say that the business of the office has increased till now it keeps me extremely busy most of the time. The duties of the office I have tried to perform without fear or favor. The records of work I have done are open to inspection and the public is cordially invited to look into them. My services to the people are too well known to them for me to say anything. I refer to the people for whom I have worked as to whether my

work has been satisfactory. Since the work of the office takes so much of my time it is practically impossible for me to make the speaking dates of the county candidates but I shall endeavor to see most of the voters in their respective communities before the primary. In case I do not get to see you, I assure you I fully appreciate the honor you bestowed upon me two years ago and I sincerely ask you to indorse my services by returning me to the office for another term.

Thanking you one and all for your past kindness and trusting your sense of fairness for my indorsement, I am,

> Yours for service, W. L. GROSS.

Mr. Geo. W. Harris returned Mon-

the Democratic executive committee.

cratic ticket.

Lex Wilmeth and T. F. Bowden

THE SENATORIAL OUTLOOK

There were 157 Texas Newspaper men on the excursion last Friday from El Paso to Cloudcroft and they were polled as to their individual notions on the standing of the several candidates for the United States senate. It was explained that this was not to be an expresion of personal preference, but a general impression of the places held by the candi-

The result shows the estimate of first lead and second lead.

Campbell 27 26 Colquitt 32 Culberson 44 Henry 4 17

Some of the editors believe that if the pros divide up anything like equal on Brooks and Campbell that the antis are apt to rally to Colquitt in sufficient strength to make him the winner, but if the pros will concentrate to any great extent they can easily elect either Brooks or Campbell. Such is the private opinion of many of the prohibition newspaper men at the recent meeting in El

Notice.

cars, busses and baggage wagons, strictly for cash. This applies to everybody alike, so please have your fares ready.

SNYDER TRANSFER CO. By Jim Ellis, Mgr

VERDUN-HISTORY'S

SADDEST WORD.

Over a hundred suns have set on the battle of Verdun. Each new attack of the Germans

seems super-human. Each time the French "hold"-

and it seems a miracle. Neutrals weep over the horrible daily sacrifice while diplomats whisper that now the Hohenzollerns can never explain Verdun to Berlin except as a victory, and that just to keep a throne from tumbling still more men are doomed to go up Dead Man's Hill.

To neutrals in a republic, no royal house on earth is worth the price.

Democracy has from the first been admittedly one of the stakes of the war. Whether democracy wins or loses, Verdun will remain the saddest word in history.-Colorado Record.

Notice.

From July 1st, I will operate my cars, busses and baggage wagons, strictly for cash. This applies to everybody alike, so please have your

SNYDER TRANSFER CO. By Jim Ellis, Mgr.

Texas Railroad Men Ready.

Cail for volunteer trainment to handle troop trains in Mexico in

case of war with the southern republic has been received in Fort Worth. Between twenty-five, and day from a business trip to Fort thirty of the trainmen, including engineers, firemen and conductors, have volunteered.

E. J. Ely was here Monday with | This was learned from a reliable source Saturday, but no official of the Brotherhood of Railway Train-J. C. Beakley represented Dunn men would discuss it. It is underhere Monday in shaping up the demo- stood this call also has been sent to all other railroad centers of the Southwest.

Reports from railroad headquartleft Snuday in a wagon for an over- ers in nearly all Texas division points land cruise in New Mexico and Ari- indicate that men are ready to respond to the call of country.



"One day last fall my wife and I started for a drive, leaving the house deserted. A short while after we'd passed Jones' place, Mrs. Jones saw smoke coming from our

"She ran to the telephone-Got Mrs. Reed who operates the switchboard located in her home. Mrs. Reed called all the nearby people on the line (two long rings - the emergency signal,) and they put the fire out with little damage."

A Telephone on the Farm conprotection and safe-guard in emergencies.

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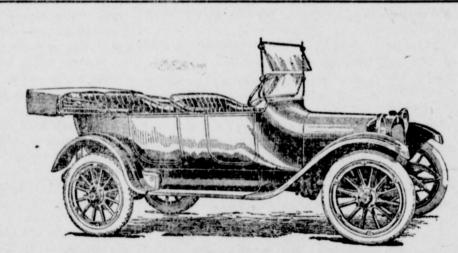
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Snyder, Texas, June 16, 1916.

COUNTY ANNOUNCEMENTS. For State Senator, 28th. District-C. R. BUCHANAN For Representative 105th District: FRITZ R. SMITH. A. J. HAGINS

District: JOE C. RANDEL, of Hamlin. E. A. WATSON of Snyder.

CALVIN J. HENSON of Throck- leaving. morton. For District Clerk-GUY E. CASEY

OLIN F. HARDY CHAS. H. COOPER For County Judge-W. S. ADAMSON

For Sheriff W. A. MERRELL, Re-Election For County Attorney:

W. W. WEEMS For County Clerk:

W. T. SKINNER. (Re-Election.) W. M. CURRY

O. L. HOWELL MRS WILLIE (Strayhorn) FARMER For County Treasurer-

C. R. LOCKHART (Re-election) D. EMMETT BANKS. For Tax Assessor-

F. M. (Frank) BROWNFIELD W. A. LOUDER, J. B. HUDNALL

J. A. (Joe) MERRITT, ReElection.

O. L. MORROW T H. CROWD.R J. W. STIMSON W. C. DAVIDSON.

For Tax Collector-GEO. W. BROWN W. R. WREN

B. F. PRYOR S. T. (Tom) ELZA J. J. HARRIS

O. A. SEWALT. For County Superintendent of Public Instruction-

B. D. BLACK JOHN L. GREEN For County Surveyor-H. A. GOODWIN

W. L. GROSS For Public Weigher: ZACK EVANS

W. B. (Will) GREEN. For County Commissioner, Precinct !

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct

No. 1: D. F. WILSON J. Z. MOBLE

No. 1: D. F. WILSON J. Z. NOBLE

For Constable Precinct No. 1: GEORGE EPPLY. For County Commissioner, Precinct

B. F. DARGITZ For Justice of the Peace, Precinct

No. 2-B. F. DARGITZ For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:

A. L. BARNETT. J. M. CUTHBERTSON. For Justice of the Peace Precinct 3:

A. L. BARNETT. J. M. CUTHBERTSON.

Theodore Roosevelt has been strung up to a high nervous tension for several months in the hope that the Republicans would nominate him for President and when they refused to do it he collapsed physical-

The large crowd of Texas newspaper people who went to El Paso last week will continue to carry feelings of generous good will toward Mr. Hunter, General Passenger agent of the T. & P. for his uniform cour- pot will boil over. tesies, going and coming. Mr. Hunter stayed with the crowd to the finish.

A political news item from New York says that because Gov. Whitman made so strong a fight to prevent the nomination of Roosevelt, the Progressives in that State will try to defeat the re-election of Whitman. They have picked their candidate for over near El Paso Tuesday and took governor, a man who has heretofore a few shots at an American line rider supported the democratic ticket.

where illiteracy is most common, and encouraged by the leaders known where public education is least re- to be Carancistas. garded, and where all the attributes of modern civilization, material and spiritual, exist in the smallest de- Sweetwater did itself proud on Mongree."-Colliers for June 17, 1916.

South and the above quotation fol- per folks who stopped off there for lowing an editorial reflecting upon an hour enroute to the Press meetthe chastity of Southern women ing at El Paso. A great banquet was ought tobe enough to banish that given and a spirit of welcome was publication from Southern homes. In evidence everywhere.

MEXICAN DOINGS

IN PARAGRAPHS.

Gen. Pershing is going right along was a bluff.

The Governor of Sinaloa shows a sounds like a declaration of war.

Ten Thousand Mexicans paraded the streets of Mexico City Monday The throngs were addressed by Carranza, Obregon and others. Carranza said he was not seeking war with the United States and would not declare war but would not avoid it at a cost For District Attorney, 39th Judicial of Mexican dignity.

During the demonstration in Mexico City Monday American Consulate was stoned. Many Americans are

A bridge on the I. & G. N. near Laredo was burned Monday night. The Ursaline Convent at Laredo was attacked by eMxicans Monday night and badly damaged.

A thousand peons have comeinto Jaurez from Southern Chihuahua and crossed over to El Paso in search of work and food. They are destitute and actually starving.

At Guamas orders have been issued calling Mexicans to arms and ordering arrest and imprisonment of all Americans.

REPUBLICAN NEGATION AND DEMOCRATIC POSITIVENESS

The Republican will not attempt to arraign the Democratic adminis- to a big sum and then the patient tration on its peace policy, on its is so far from home that his family preparedness doctrine on its watch- cannot visit him or contribute to his ful waiting toward Mexico, on its comfort unless they are people of conprogram of preparedness, on its bank siderable means. Humanity and pubing and finance laws, on its many lic economy are therefore joined in acts conducive to American prosper- calling for an asylum nearer home. ity. On nothing but protective tariff —and when the tauff question is EDITORS AS ELECTION GUESSERS laid bare it is found that no country has ever had a more just tariff system now in force.

tering nothing. The Democrats are people talking about Henry and President.

LITTLE SIGNALS

Swat the fly. Cut the weeds. Cut the weeds.

Clean the channel of Deep Creek Build the park in Snyder. Remember the open meeting of the

city council and the citizens meeting next Tuesday at the City Audi-

Just one month and the campaign The Play-ground Association is do-

ing its duty. Equipment is to be placed at once.

Build more houses in Snyder. Come to Texas and ON TO SNYDER.

Mexican raiders are growing bolder every day. Three fellows crossed and then scooted back across the river. Evidences are piling up to show "Democratic solidarity is greatest that these raids are being planned

The Chamber of Commrece at day of last week in the reception and Collier's is read in all parts of the entertainment of the Texas newspa-

CONTRADICTORY EXPRESSIONS.

That the entire republican platform is a bunch of inconsistencies is with his military affairs and the im- patent on the face of it, but Acting pression grows that Trevino's threat Governor W. P. Hobby, in a recent interview, accentuates this when he! calls attention to two planks of the decidedly hostile spirit toward the structure. These two to which he Americans and his recent ultimatum refers are those relating to intrastate railway traffic and woman suffrage: He said:

"In one breath it proposes to take away the rights of the states in the regulation of intrastate railway traffic, and in the next it declares for equal suffrage but affirms the right of the states to determine the question of woman suffrage. In the first instance it is reflecting the wishes of the great railway sustems which desire to escape state control, and in the other it is throwing a tub to the suffrage whale in several states. It is consistent only in its inconsistency. It may be depended upon to serve the great interests and to appeal to any passing political fancy that may promise votes in doubtful

A GREAT NEED IN WEST TEXAS.

Judge Buchanan says if he goes to the State Senate he has in mind the introduction of a bill to establish a lunatic asylum somewhere in West Texas. It ought to be done. It is a heavy expense on a West Texas Coun ty to send an insane patient to Terrel, Austin or San Antonio. The fare of the officer and the patient amount

The Texas editors took a straw vote tem for all the people than the sys- last week on the senatorial race and gave Brooks first place, but the other Besides these facts the Republican candidates are going on with their are racked by dissention. There was speech making just as though the no enthusiasm in their convention question were still unsettled. Fact is and they go before the country of- since returning and finding a lot of harmonious, enthusiastic. They point Campbell we have privately decided to great advances in legislation, and that it is better to let the election especially do they rely upon the firm, decide the matter and see how nearhand of a broad minded Christian ly the editors came to guessing right.

--000-MILEAGE OF CONGRESSMEN.

Candidate Blanton is having a good deal to say about the mileage of Congressmen being excessive, and tries to leave the impression, that Congressman Smith is opposed to any reduction in mileage.

Blanton knows that Smith has favored and voted for every reduction of mileage that has been proposed since he has been a member of congress, and has even voted to eliminate mileage altogether.

Blanton also knows that Smith has voted against every proposal to raise the salaries of congressmen since he has been in congress.

In fact the record will show that in all his votes Congressman Smith has invariably placed the public welfare above his private interests .-Colorado Record.

-000-LEST WE FORGET.

Just merely as a matter of reference and to see how nearly history may come to repeating itself in Scurry county, we give here the primary vote of the county in 1914 on these propositions: For Governor—

For Congressman at Large-Other candidates a few each. For Submission 518, Against 347. -000-

PROHIBITIONISTS ORGANIZING

Advocates of prohibition are organinzing in all parts of the State for a campaign to urge the people to vote on July 22, for Submission of a prohibition amendment. It is expected that an organization will be perfected in Scurry County

Voters will keep in mind that this vote does not establish Statewide prohibition. If the proposition of submission carries in July it will be instruction to the next Legislature to prepare and submit a prohibition amendment to the State Constitution to be accepted or rejected by the voters of the state at an election to be provided for later.

MORRIS FLAYS FERGUSON.

Hon. C. H. Morris candidate for governor spoke last Saturday at Ira 25c at the Arcade.

COUNTY SURVEYOR

Mr. W. L. Gross announces this wages war on the high tax rate and week as a candidate for re-election cial pastime. Those present diligently to the office of county surveyor of worked for a seat at the head table Scurry county, subject to the July (a seat of honor on this occasion esprimaries. Mr. Gross is serving his pecially.) first term in the office and has made good. He is well qualified to meet all requirements in his line and has made the office a valuable institution. He is always easily found at his office when not away on duty and thanking Misses Heath for a very is ready to give the people information and assistance at any time.

SUMMER DRESS GOODS

New striped and flowered voiles, yd. 25c and 35c

New shipm't. of apron and shirting percales 12 1-2c

Sport stripes for suits and skirts, 25c and 50c yd.

Mrs. Samples will be glad to take your measure and

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Wash skirts, white or sport skirts , 1.25 to 3.00

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Palm Beach suiting in all colors , ,

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Bungals aprons, all colors at

White voiles and nets, prices

Call and let us fit you in

Lawn dresses for ladies

Fern waists

a speech here. He opposes Ferguson's

ple they like.

lican party across the line.

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Gingham house dresses , ,

and West Texas, met with Thanks giving Grove No. 1269, Tuesday El Feliz Club night. A good attendance including Ferguson 487 a number of visitors were present to ly entertained by Mrs. W. W. Ham- been boring a well for the city and

Morris 24 the regular session, Mrs. Sharp gave of the guests they were served de- came loose from the drill and is lost us a very helpful and interesting licious punch. At the appointed hour at the bottom. He says he has found W. P. Lane 468 work. We feel sure that more inter-D. E. Garrett 322 est will be manifested in the future dispensed with, after which social it over to the city. He could do so and that something will be "doing". At the close of the session a pleasant social hour was spent, while all

> enjoyed plenty of ice cream and -A Branch from the Grove.

NOTICE CHICKENS AND EGGS

Our advertisement last week seemed to create the impression that we were retiring from the produce business. This is not so. We have merely discontinued gathering Produce outside the city limits during the summer months. Mercer & Jones.

Four dozen best Fruit Jar Rubbers 25c at the Arcade.

was here Thursday and paid the Sig- go & Co's. Express. nal a social call. He is visiting his son, H. P. Wellborn, at Knapp.

Four dozen best Fruit Jar Rubbers

and came back to Snyder and made W. L. GROSS FOR

administration charging dereliction in penitentiary management, then he the extravagant and unbusiness like expenditure of the public revenues. He says the taxes of private citizens have been enormously increased while the taxes of corporations have been Most people are disposed to approve things said and done by peo-

Col. Roosevelt is reported a very sick man. He probably over worked in easy reach to show the metes garette Wegner. himself in trying to pull the Repuband bounds and plats of land for any one desiring any information. Woodman Circle Entertain Officer Consider his claims and qualifica-Mrs. Juila Sharp of Roswell, N. tions. He will appreciate your sup-M., District Manager of New Mex.,

The El Feliz Club was delightfulorder and quite a lot of business was ready to finish the well up and turn games of 42 were enjoyed.

next meeting will be with Mrs. Chas. Harless, Friday, June 30th.

ed on at Texarkana last Saturday is & Rubber Co. doing fine, so Mr. Coats reports.

Misses Inez and Jean Moore who have been visiting Misses Fay and Grace Moore, have returned to their home at Gordon. Miss Fay accompanied them. They will stop over at Merkel anod Abilene for a few days visit with friends.

Billie Smith, son of Dr. and Mrs. I. E. Smith has gone to Austin where Mr. P. M. Wellborn of Abilene he is connected with the Wells-Far-

> The Lyric Airdome has re-opened in the Wilmeth block under the management of Costephens & Whorton, formerly of Roscoe.

Idle Hours Club.

15c yd.

25c yd.

\$1.25 to \$2.25

4.00 to 20.00

10.00 to 25.00

\$1.00 each

The "Idle Hours Club" met cn Thursday morning of June 15 with Misses Heath. Forty two was the so-

After such hard work those present were allowed the privilege of refreshing themselves at the Punch

All present reluctantly departed. pleasant morning.

The visitors present were Misses He is conversant with conditions of Lna Davis, Willie Jo Sims, Hattie land lines and has the necessary data | Faught, Gladys Messimer and Mar-

> Miss Edna Henderson will entertain the Club at 4 o'clock June 29. -Reporter.

DRILL BIT LOST IN THE NEW CITY WELL

J. T. Caddel is in trouble. He has yet and it would be a good one, but The hostess served lovely refresh- the city wants a well that can go ments and gave the Club an after- deeper, and because of the obstrucnoon long to be remembered. The tion we hole will have to be drill-

Phone 368 and see the little red Mrs. W.H. Coats who was operat- wagon. Free Tire Service. Snyder Tire

> The New Airdome opens Friday night, June 23.

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"The Play House of Quality"

Meet your friends

Monday, June 26th And see the last chapter of "The Girl and the Game"

Paramount Pictures Tuesday and Friday of each week.

Friday, June 23rd.

"UNKNOWN"

Tuesday, June 27th.

"GENTLEMAN FROM INDIANA" Friday, June 30th.

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"The Secret of the Submarine" A mystery within a mystery.

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WANTED-Enginemen and Trainmen for Service on the A. T. & S. F.

The present employes in the Engine, Train and Yard Service on the A. T. & S. F. are to be called upon by their Brotherhood officers for a strike vote. It is hoped that the vote on our territory will be in the negative, but it is necessary for the com-

Applications will therefore be received from experienced men for positions as Engineers, Conductors, Firemen, Brakemen and Switchmen, and from inexperienced men for positions as Firemen and Brakemen.

Applications should be made to urged to be present. the undersigned and should give experience, former employer, reason for leaving service and present address. These applications will be considered confidential and the applicant, if his application is approved and his services are required will be notified where and to whom he should report.

F. C. FOX Gen. Mgr. A. T. & S. F. Ry. Co. Amarillo, Texas. Missionary Auxiliary

iary will meet with Mrs. H. G. Towle next Monday afternoon, June

Solo-Mrs. Olin Hardy.

Roll Call-Answer with Roll of Honor" pages 95 and 96 of Text

An Impersonation-Mrs. C. B. Alexander.

Debate.-Resolved that the growth nutte, Mrs. Olin Hardy.

sionary Enterprise.

Piano Solo-Mrs. W. W. Hamilton. Every member of the Society is

I will sell the Joseph M. and Elizabeth A. Temple estate including personal effects, livestock and 160 acres of land on very reasonable terms and will assist financially in the purchase

Mrs. and Mrs. George W. Harris, Francis and Billie Harris, and George Johnson left this week for a months outing in New Mexico.

The Woman's Missionary Auxil-

Our lesson will be Chapters 4 and of our study course "Rising Churches in Non-Christian Lands" We will have an unusually attractive program as seen below.

A prayer for Guidance and Scrip-

A chart Picture, Mrs. W. E. Baird.

and influences of the Church in Apostolic times were greater than they are throughout the world today. Affirmative: Mrs. C. L. Ezell, Mrs. F. V. Clark, Negative: Mrs. R. H. Cur-

An Open Discussion: What is the unfinished task of the Foreign Mis-

E. J. ANDERSON, Receiver

If you are looking for Groceries, Let us quote you some prices

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Large bucket of Crisco	1.60
Large bucket of White Cloud ,	1.40
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Guaranteed Flour from \$3.00 to	.50
Red and green Velva Syrup, 60c and .	.65
Sorghum substitutes, 35c to	.50

These are ever day prices. No special sale. If you need groceries or feed. let us figure with you.

FARMERS UNION MERCANTILE COMPANY

CONCERNING COMMISSION FORM OF CITY GOVERNMENT

I have been asked by some individuals to explain the law on the Commission form of Government such as is available to Snyder, and at

their request submit this article. In 1913 the Legislature of Texas, enacted a law whereby a commission form of government was made available to towns of less than 5,000 population and is found in Arts 1070 1076a R. S. 1911. This law provides that at any time 10 per cent of the voters of the town shall petition the Mayor of the town for an election to be held on the question of a commission form of government it becomes the duty of the Mayor to order such an election and at said election two commissioners are to be voted on and if the majority of the votes cast are for the commission wo commisisoners and the mayor and all other city oficers go out and this commission appoints the police force, tax assessor and collector, etc. and has absolute conrol over their appointees to discharge, etc., at their own will.

These new commissioners and the Mayor will receive \$5.00 per meetng for all regular meetings held and \$3.00 for all special meetings, provided they shall not be paid for more than 5 special meetings per month. Or in lieu of the per diem the Board of commissioners in towns of not less than 2,000 population may pay the mayor any sum not exceeding \$1200 per year salary and the commissioners not exceeding

Art. 1075 above referred to provides that with the exception of the changes mentioned above, the same law shall govern as governs under our present form of city government.

That this commission form of government only changes the manner of no more taxes can be levied and no more power given in any way other than mentioned

Thus we find the only difference in the commission form of government and what we have is a centering of power in three individuals whereas it is held by the people and delegated to 6 aldermen and Mayor and we have the privilege of electing our own police force and other city officers, whereas in that form of government we would not have this pow

Some often refer to other towns to levy heavier tax rate and a commission form of gvernment are towns of more than 5,000 inhabitants. Towns of more than 5000 inhabitants can vote a commission form of government on themselves and have the legislature delegate additional power upon them but those of less than 5000 strong can not do this although they can have the commission form of government.

Under this condition we fail to see wherein our town would in the least be benefitted by a change in the form of government. I believe the people will be better satisfied to exercise their own choice in officers than they will to elect three men to elect them for the town and hence beleive we should try to be satisfied to remain

-M. E. ROSSER.

Program Junior Missionary Auxiliary Friday 4:30 p. m. June 23, M. E.

"Be to others kind and true As you'd have others be to you And neither do nor say to men Whate'r you would not take again.

Junior's Telescope-Mary Stray-

Children of Juarez-Dorothy

hambless Piano Solo-Lois Curnutte. Story of a Dime (illustrated)-

Howard Alexander. Animal Poster-It's story-Minnie Maud Harris.

Young Citizens at Play-Eleanor 1. Law of Health-Eva Strayhorn.

2. Law of Fair Play-Edwena 3. Law of Self Control-Willie

Fern Curry. 4. Law of Co-operation-Lila Cur-

5. Law of Unselfishness-Juanita Whitmore What we can do for young citizens

-Crawford Fullilove. Eggs guaranteed at Denson

Mr. G. T. Rorie who has resided for a long time in the Dermott coun- Mr. and Mrs. Brice were married in try has had his Signal address chang- Birmingham last week and are here ed to Valley View, New Mexico.

MEXICAN ACTIVITIES CAUSE ARMY RE-ENFORCEMENTS

Resident Mexicans Arouse Uneasiness in the Interior.

Mexican bandits including Carranza soldiers raided a ranch near San Benito, Col. Parker and a squadron of cavalry followed a hot trail into Mexico and cleaned up a nest of bandits. Then the Carranza officers notified the Americans that they must get back on American soil or they would be attacked and Gen Ricaut promised to run the bandits down. Then Col. Parker started his men back home and were attacked in the rear by Mexicans.

This and other outrages and war like demonstrations by Mexico, caused the President to issue an order Sunday for the National Guards in every state to hurry to the border. This will give Gen. Funsion 200, 000 troops. Mexicans have cut tele graph and telephone wires and Americans yet in Mexico are in great dan-

Gen. Pershing refuses to move his army out of Mexico and Trevino's bluff goes unheeded.

The country is being assured that Pershing can defend himself.

The Government has started seven warships to Mexican waters so as to guard against any danger from the

History is making so fast that every day is supplying a new chapter. The temper of Mexicans is such that nothing short of absolute subjugation is apt to bring them under control and if the United States shall have to establish a protectorate over that country we may reasonably expect at least five years of guerrilla

The American policy of temporizing with them has caused Mexicans to think we will not fight, and it seems that nothing but actual dem-

onstration will change their notion. The situation is serious. Mexico is a hot bed of revolution and as has long been suspected our efforts to assist the defacto government to a state of quiet is resulting in our having to fight all the factions com-

All along the border and for long distances into the interior of Texas there are thousands of Mexicans. These resident Mexicans and laborers are giving allegiance to Mexico and are apt at any time to turn on unsuspecting American communities and do immense damage before our people could organize for defense. It where greater power is given but is but an act of wisdom on our part if you will investigate you will find to perfect local organizations and be that the towns having the power ready for emergencies. It is said that since the people are waking up to that fact, such a feeling of precaution is aroused that merchants are being requested to refuse to sell such things to Mexicans and steps will be taken to have these people sent away.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION FIX PRIMARY TICKET

Pursuant to the call of County Chairman, Jas. L. Spiller, a democratic convention was held at the court house Monday, June 19 and the primary voting ticket was arranged

for the coming election July 22. The following executive committee was appointed:

Precinct 1-D. Nation, Precinct 2-J. C. Helms, Precinct 3-C. T. Williams, Precinct 4-W T. Rhea, Precinct 5-S. P. Smith, Fluvanna, Frecinct 6-Chas. Eastman, Precinct 7-C. N. Von Roeder, Precinct 8-Emmett Trevey, Precinct 9-A. Rhoades, Precinct 10-F. I. Townsend, Precinct 11-J. H. Byrd, Precinct 12-W. C. Fargerson, Precinct 13-D. Z. Hess, Precinct 14-H. W. Harlan,

Precinct 15-J. R. Kincaid, Precinct 16-J. S. Golden, Precinct 17-C. R. Burk, The county candidates were assessed \$10 each for the first primary and \$6.00 each for the second primary, while the precinct candi-

dates rate was fixed at \$5.00 and

Werner-Appleton.

\$3.00.

Mr. F. A. Werner and Miss Mae Appleton both of Hermleigh were married there at 8 o'clock last Sunday evening by Rev. Campbell. These young people are among the best and most popular members of the community. Worthy represenatives of two Scurry County's good families. The Signal extends congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Brice, of Birmingham, Alabama are visiting their parents, Mrs. and Mrs. W. T. Brice. on their honeymoon trip.

Lyric Theatre

The New Lyric Airdome opens Friday night. Everything new. Every one has a special invitation.

Admission 5c and 10c

Costephens Bros. & Whorton, Props.

Shows at Roscoe and Snyder

Missionary Meeting

The Woman's Missionary Auxiliary had a splendid lesson last week. There were ten present. We decided to have a free will offering in order to meet our note on the piano, due July 10th. The Bulletins have just come and in order that we may get these items from the field, just as soon as possible, we have decided to cut each item separate and distribute them at the big Social Meeting next week with Mrs. H. G. Towle. Every member is urged to come. We have a splendid program.

-Supt. Publicity.

Buy your Fruit Jars and Jelly Glasses from Denson & Smith.

Notice All members of the First Baptist Church of Snyder are requested to be present next Sunday at the 11 o'clock hour for the purpose of holding conference

The matter of the election of a pastor will be again taken up and ossibly voted on at that hour.

It behooves all members to be present at this conference and vote in this matter and the pulpit committee is very anxious for the matter to be taken up and in some manner dis-

THE PULPIT COMMITTEE

See us for prices on Flour before

ou buy. Denson & Smith.

W. L. Bedwell of the Bethel community lost a fine colt Tuesday eve. It ran into a wire fence and cut its

Have you ever used Cottonwhite

throat dying within five minutes.

Judge C. C. Higgins returned Monday from St. Louis where he went as a delegate to the National Democratic Convention. He is pleased with the work of the Convention and feels confident that the Democratic ticket will sweep the country.

Phone us your orders for fresh vegetables. Denson & Smith.

The baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Hardy is quite sick this week.

Good Flour \$3.00 for 100 pounds at Denson & Smith's.

Mission Society.

The Aid and Mission Society of the Baptist church met in a Missionary Meeting Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. A. Grayum who was assisted by Mesdames Pryor and Wil-

The meeting was led by Mrs. Denson. There were twenty-two mem-

The paper by Mrs. Ralston "Our Stewardship of Personality" was es-

The song by Miss Faught and Mrs. Rosser was a joy to all. It was decided to have only two meetings each month until September, the time being on Monday after the first and third Sundays.

Refershments were served at the

close of the program. -Reporter.

When you want anything to eat and want it quick. Telephone 34.

for a visit to the old home at Pitts-

Mrs. Nelson Dunn left Wednesday

Brice and family. Clyde Boren who came home a few days ago from A. & M. College

is back at his old post in the gro-

cery house of Denson & Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brice, of Bowie

are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T.

Snyder Tiré and Rubber Co., is now ready to take care of your punctures. We have a car equipped with an air reservoir. Will call anywhere in town or vicinity of the city absolutely free of chaarge and change tubes while you wait. Snyder Tire and Rubber

Leroy Johnson was here Monday from Sweetwater.

Co., Phone 368.

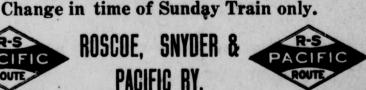
Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Gillihan of the Arah route were pleasant callers at the Signal sanctum Saturday.

' Miss Mary Whiteside of Hermleigh visited in Snyder Sunday.

President P. Brady of the State Bank returned Saturday from a business trip to Washington City.

The Lyric Theatre Tonight (Friday

SHIP YOUR FREIGHT and DO YOUR TRAVELING New Schedule Effective, June 23, 1916.



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No. 7.	No. 5	SCHEDULE	No. 6.	No. 8.
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10:20 a m	9.40 a m	Lv Hermleigh Lv	4.85 p m	3:55 p m
10:55 a m	10.15 a m	LY SNYDER LY	4.00 p m	3:00 p m
11:50 a m	11.%(a m	Ar Fluvanna Lv	1.45 p m	1:30 p m
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Schedule subject to change without notice. PHONE 188 J. L. ROBINSON, Agent

HUSBAND RESCUED DESPAIRING WIFE

After Four Years of Discouraging I had gotten so weak I could not stand, Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave Up in Despair. Husband Came to Rescue.

Catron, Ky.-In an interesting letter from "is place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains surely help you, too. Your druggist has in my left side.

ment relieved me for a while, but I was mend it. Begin taking Cardui today. soon confined to my bed again. After Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladles' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, 'Homa Treatment fer Women,' sent in plain wrapper.

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Snyder, Texas.

Hon. Joe C. Randel of Hamlin,

candidate for District Attorney of the

house Friday night. He is a pleas-

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the old Bush-Tiller Ranch, now the

Reynolds ranch is posted and any-

one violating the law by fishing, haul-

erty will be prosecuted.

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The public is hereby notified that

impression here.

Arthur Yonge

Phone 21

and I gave up in despair.

At last, my husband got me a bottle of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I commenced taking it. From the very first dose, I could tell it was helping me. I can now walk two miles without its tiring me, and am doing all my work."

If you are all run down from womanly troubles, don't give up in despair. Try Cardui, the woman's tonic. It has helped more than a million women, in its 50 years of continuous success, and should sold Cardui for years. He knows what The doctor was called in, and his treat- it will do. Ask him. He will recom-

Wreck on Texas Pacific.

cial heavily loaded with passengers Saturday evening and rolled down a high embankment. Two sleepers, chair car and the dining car were ditched and about 20 people were injured. One lady has since died at Abilene from her injuries. As a result of the wreck Snyder got no mail last Sunday.

Fresh shipment of Vitona just re ceived at the Signal office.



39th Judicial District, spent Friday and Saturday in Snyder. He address- LET US PUT YOU ON ed a small audience at the court OUR LIST OF DEPOSITORS ant gentleman and made a favorable

The Courtesies of our institution are extended to each and everyone ALIKE. Your deposit-large or small-will receive our most careful consideration. Our MODERN ing wood or trespassing on said prop- Banking Methods and efficient SERVICE will be Reynolds Ranch sure to please you.

Good organs, at big bargains, A. P. Snyder **National** Bank

O. P. Scranton, formerly of Snyder, now of Crockett county was visiting friends here this week.

44tf.

The Texas Pacific Sunshine Spe

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NEW LOCATION

I am now located in my new quarters. one block east of the southeast corner of square, where we are prepared to serve you with the best

Coal, Wood, Motor Oils and Gasoline.

Will appreciate your order and give it prompt attention.

JIM DAWSON Phone 154

AMERICANISM ON TOP.

St. Louis, Mo., June 14 .- In callchairman of the Democratic National Committee, said:

er and to place a milestone upon the put itself in readiness for action. path of its future success.

ceiving itself. In its platform it of- miles from the border and that Gen. with vacuous intent.

cloven hoof of special interest still ernment.

Republicanism and Progressiveism, of Mexican guns, so called, in place of our only ism Americanism.

trading principles like competitors control his people if he wanted to. in a fish market, in the hope that With the accumulated conditions went off the track near Putnum last support. They have not come togeth- war is now longer, avoidable. thought that 'united we stand.' We ever may come. welcome the pent-up Americanism of A raid Saturday near Brownsville our ranks, offering them a haven, in ing up of a nest of bandits. principle. Their leader has abandoned them.

"This is a crucial hour in the hisevery one should see whether his con Vera Cruz and other ports to comdramatic episode when this country land forces are being made stronger resolutely maintained peace with as fast as troops can be moved.

of vicious attacks, has maintained prevent war with Mexico, and now this great American ideal. While for if it must come, it should come in peace it has worked for sound and earnest so as to be over as soon as powerful preparedness. It has main- possible. It is going to cost money tained dignity in the face of circum- and American lives, but in the end stances which might have drawn it the honor of our country will be into the vortex of a world destruc- maintained and let us hope that Mextion. It has maintained friendly re- ico may be re-established on saner lations throughout the world; it has lines than ever, been true to the spirit of America. The country has found that its constructive ability, a party of perform-America!

Notice.

From July 1st, I will operate my FERGUSON DEFENDS RECORD. cars, busses and baggage wagons, strictly for cash. This applies to everybody alike, so please have your fares ready.

SNYDER TRANSFER CO. By Jim Ellis, Mgr.

W. J. Bryan For Wilson.

While the resolutions committee of the St. Louis convention was at work on the Democratic platform Mr. Bryan was asked if he had any planks to offer and he said:

"I have no planks to offer but one, and that is the President's. Dethe people in his behalf on your re-

When you come to Sweetwater, Texas, drive your car in the National Highway Garage. On the west side of the square, near the hotels. No charges to tourists and visitors for day storage. Do not leave your car in the hot sun, it will ruin the varnish and upholstering on your car. You are welcome to make our place home, while in Sweetwater. We have free air and water on the side walk. We carry a fine line of accessories and tires. Our readers are especially invited to call on them when in Sweet-

Attended Mother's Funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Thompson and daughter, Mrs. Harrell, of Ira, were called last week to Bell county to attend the funeral of Mrs. Thompson's mother, Mrs. L. Y. Swann. The lady died last week at Merkel, aged 81 years. She was buried last Friday at Sparks in Bell county.

Mr. Thompson says the farmers are almost rained out in Bell county. Grass and weeds are about to get the crops.

Miss Nannie Ball will close her summer school work today with a lawn breakfast for her pupils. She expects to leave in a day or two for vacation visit to Dodsonville.

OUR MEXICO TROUBLES.

ing the Democratic National Conven- day discovered evidences of unusual tion to order William F. McCombs, activity among the Mexican soldiers in Juarez and very soon a report came that 5000 Carranza troops were "Ladies and Gentlemen of the Con- mustered along the railroad south vention: We are in an atmosphere of of Juarez and that 1500 were drawn victory. We meet to celebrate the up at the border opposite Ysleta. marvelous achievements of the Dem- These movements caused an order for ocratic party since it came into pow- the entire garrison at El Paso to

It was further announced that a "The Republican party for years large force had mobilized on three deceived the country. Now it is de- sides of Gen. Pershing's position 120 fers pulchritudinous promise-but Trevino acting under direction from Carranza had notified Pershing that "It promises the country in the any move south, east or west would main what the Democratic party has be construed as a signal for hostilalready done or is in the process of ities. Pershing is said to be amply doing, saving always the bogus god equiped for defense and he has no-'protection.' It has cloaked its ini- tified Trevino that he is subject to quity with a judicial robe, but the no orders except from his own gov-

While these movements are in "We have recently witnessed the progress marauding bands continue spectacle of two great American par- to cross the river, perpetrate a robties at Chicago putting self glorifi- bery or attack on an isolated comcation in place of national honor, munity, and rush back under cover

The cover is off now and everybody is convinced that there is no "We have recently witnessed the distinction between bandits and Cardrab spectacle of two groups of men rancistas. Gen. Carranza couldn't

some compromise would win public last Sunday, the country believed a

er-they have fallen out over the An order was sent out Sunday to swag.' The result is inevitable, 'di- move all the militia of all the states vided they fall.' We are proud in the to the border and be ready for what

the real progressives individually to led to a ruining fight and the clean-

The soldiers are on the alert and

ready for action.

It will be only a few days till tory of the world, an hour when enough warships will be lined up at science squares with the periods of mand the situation on water and the

President Wilson and his country "The Democratic party, in the face men have done all they could to

Removal Notice

We desire to announce to the peofidence has been well bestowed. The ple of Snyder and Scurry county that Democratic party has proved itself we have moved our grocery store to a party of principle, a party of con- the Perkins' building on the west side of the square which was former ance. It has proved that ideals can ly occupied by Hunter Mercantile Co. be realized. United we stand for Your continuous patronage is respectfully solicited.

C. S. Perkins Grocery Co.

Gov. James E. Ferguson made a speech in Waco last week in which he made a strong defense of his record as chief executive. Refering to the fight being made on him because of the high tax rate, he holds that the present rate is necessary to meet the sum total of appropriations made by the legislature and calls upon the people to say what items in the appropriation bill they would have had vetoed.

He holds that the state should not deal out a niggardly pension termine what he wants and his plank budget to the old veterans of the will be mine. I expect to go before Confederacy and declares that as long as he is governor he will contend for a liberal pension for the old fellows who wore the gray.

> FOR SALE—HighClass ribbons for Oliver and Remington typewrters at the Signal office.

> Senator James of Kentucky says Woodrow Wilson the school teacher with a class in a college has become teacher for the whole civilized

"The Pure Ice

COUNT VON MOLTKE FORMER

HEAD OF GERMAN ARMY DIES

Amsterdam, June 18 .- (Via Lon-

don, 6:45 p. m.) - Lieut. Gen. Count

Helmuth von Moltke, chief of the

supplementary general staff of the

army, died of heart apoplexy this

afternoon during a service of mourn-

ing in the reichstag for the late Field

Marshal von Der Goltz, says a Berlin

Wall paper, latest patterns, best prices at A. P. Morris'.

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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,

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All Running Parts-Of the Adriance Binder have a separate drive. No ower is transmitted through running parts. The reel is not driven through the evator, nor is the Binder head driven through the packers, as on other binders. Thus by having the work equally divided, no working parts receive undue strain. The Large Elevator Rollers-Give greater carrying capacity. All rollers are

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Reel-Is gear driven with an even, steady motion, directly from second shaft.

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When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a doseof dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for 50 cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for Calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up tween A. N. Harkrider and F. V. inside and cannot salivate.

Don't take calomel! It ma sick the next day; it loses you a

Fresh shipment of Vitona just received at the Signal office. 38tf

Miss Ina Davis who has been teach ing at Lamesa is in Snyder visiting relatives and friends. Miss Ina was week to their home in Oklahoma, a teacher here for several years and after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. has scores of friends here.

Judge Riddle would like the best CALOMEL? HORRIBLE! in the world to have your support for the Senate. You know there is Calomel is Quicksilver and Acts Like nothing in the professional politician and chronic office seeker. We need men with initiative and con-Calomel loses you a day! You structive ability, men that have proven themselves worthy and capable, men that have our country at heart and can do things. We need that kind of a man now, and will need him badly for the next few years. Congress is wasting hundreds of millions every year in foolish extravagance, and we need the element of common-sense and practical ability in it. Tell your friends about Judge Riddle.

Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given of the dissolution of the partnership existing be- Roby Banner.

feel great. Give it to the children be- obligations of the said firm and all teachers: cause it is perfectly harmless and accounts outstanding are due and R. L. Stark, Bryan, Texas, Su-No. 10 payable to the said F. V. Clark 2 perintendent; Mr. Keene, Sylvester, Respectfully,

A. N. Harkrider, F. V. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Purdom returned last E. E. Grimes.

MEXICO MATTERS

LOOK VERY UGLY

The Mexico situation seems to be growing in gravity. Throughout N. Mexico the anti-American sentiment is spreading. Carranza has lost control over his people and it is believed the defacto government is apt to be attacked by revolutionists.

A band of so-called bandits were Garza county. found Saturday trying to burn a bridge. American soldiers attacked der. them and it was found that the bunch was composed of Villa men, Carranza men and three Japs.

This indicates that several elements in the Mexican muddle are coming together and that the suspicion found some time ago that Japan is interested, is about to prove

As signs are now showing up the Carranza government which we have recognized may be dissolved and the United States will have no chance to deal with an organized government. Our entire border is exposed to the wrath of hordes of free booters robbers and assassins and if we must resort to armed intervention it will be a war of extermination with out any sort of opportunity for enforcing rules of civilized warfare.

CANDIDATE SPEAKING DATES BEGIN JUNE 3RD.

The committee appointed at the meeting of the candidates several days ago to prepare a schedule of dates for speaking over the county have handed in the following dates and hour of meeting.

Dermott, Saturday, June 24 at 2

Bethel, Saturday, June 24, ac

Plainview, Tuesday, June 27 at Dunn, Saturday, July 1st at 2 p. m.

Pleasant Hill, Saturday July 1, at Hermleigh, Saturday, July 8, at

Pyron, Saturday, July 15 at 2 p. m. Lone Wolfe, Saturday, July 15 at

Snyder, Friday, July 21, at 8:30

The dates for Bison and Sharon will be announced later.

No speaker will consume more than five minutes.

Roby's School Faculty.

The trustees of the Roby High Clark under the firm name of the School have recently employed the F. V. Clark having purchased the school. The followings parties, with day's work. Dodson's Liver Tone interest of A. N. Harkrider in the the exception of one more to be straightens you right up and you above firm assumes all outstanding elected, will constitute the corps of

Principal; Misses Mabel Thomas, Pottsboro; May Kent, Hillsboro; Ruth Spann, Breckenridge; Ina Davis, Snyder, Assistants.

Dr. McClannahan of Camp Springs returned a few days ago from his old home at Blooming Grove.

FAMILY REUNION AT HOME OF B. F. WILKS

Post City Post.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wilks of Sny-

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jenkins, of Menard county.

Loving, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Barrow of Garza County.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Wilks, of Garza county.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilks of Bor-

On account of distance the following were unable to be present: Mr. and Mrs. Oran Wilks, of New

Mr. and Mrs. Leman Wilks of Montana.

PROMINENT CITIZEN TESTIFIES FOR VITONA

The following expression, from prominent Scurry County man, fully explains itself:

Hermleigh, Tex., Oct. 18, 1915. Eld. M. M. Melton: Dear Sir:

I write this to let you know that have been greatly benefitted by the use of VITONA and can recommend it as being all that you claim for it. I am 86 years old and feel better than I have felt for several years.

Respectfully, N. M. LESLIE Vitona can be had at the Signal office or address P. O. Bex P., Snyder

Hail at Stephensville.

Stephensville, Texas, June 15 .-One of the worst storms in the history of Erath county visited Stephensville and vicinity last night, MORE MEN THAN WOMEN doing damage estimated at between \$150,000 and \$200,000. Hailstones fell estimated in size from a hen's egg to six inches in diameter.

The area covered by the storm is were broken, and hardly a house has glass left on the northeast side. Great apple and peach orchards were left absolutely bare.

Notice.

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SNYDER TRANSFER CO. By Jim Ellis, Mgr

JUDGE GRISHAM

SPOKE IN SNYDER

Judge Robert N. Grisham of Sweetwater, candidate for congress in the 16th district made a speech at the court house in Snyder last Friday night. He was heard by only about 20 voters. He was introduced by Col. A. C. Wilmeth. He presents a practical and sound platform and gives his audience an impression that he is an honest and capable man. He shows broad knowledge of public questions and given opportunity he would make his district a safe, hard working reliable congressman. He presents his views in a plain forceful way without dealing in any sort of criticism or abuse of his oppon-

100 Pound Flour Given Away. July 1, 1916, we will give away 100 pounds of Oriole Flour absolutely Free. Contest beginning May 20,

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plan to beautify Snyder, the effort to

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ham & Company

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The Snyder Signal takes pleasure

J. T. Robison,

Commissioner.

The contest between T. B. Love of There was a family reunion at the Dallas and Wm. Poindexter of Clehome of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wilks burne for the position of National last Monday, and the occasion was Democratic Committeeman for Texgreatly enjoyed. Those present were: as was submitted to the National affairs and for the benefit of those Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Wilks, Post Committee in St Louis and Poindex- who desire to acquire homes there-Mr. and Mrs. George Wilks, of ter was declared the Committeeman upon very favorable terms, will you by a vote of 38 to 2. Six members de- kindly say to your readers that 1 clined to vote. It will be remember- have sent to the printer a list of the ed that in the State Convention in lands that will be offered for sale San Antonio Poindexter was declared September first. This list includes elected. Love contended that some of about 4,300,000 acres. They will be Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Graham, of his votes were not counted for him, ready for distribution about July else he would have won out there.

first. The lists are free and will give He sought to appeal his case to further information. Those wanting the National Convention. That body them may write me now and the held that the committeeman should list will be forwarded just as soon as be elected by his state delegation they are received from the printer. and then presented to the National Committee. Poindexter won out on both of these votes and is now the Texas Committeeman.

Sears & Roebuck.

Have one live competitor in Snyder. Iron beds at almost wholesale cost. A. P. Morris.

Two Immortal Utterances.

For 20 years the American people have repeated and cheered the elo- and the arrangement to give a winquent utterances of Mr. Bryan, ter Chautauqua all deserve special Thou shalt not press the crown of commendation from local citizens. thorns to the brow of labor, nor Let the good work continue. crucify mankind on a cross of gold.'

Now let orators and declaimers and school children everywhere take up and repeat another eloquent paragraph, uttered in the St. Louis convention of 1916 by Senator Ollie James of Kentucky.

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Joe Church returned from an extended sojourn in New Mexico where he has been to establish his three boys in a ranching business. He has has plenty of water and grass. The boys are Arthur, Oscar and Steve, and they have settled down on the job. Joe says the cattlemen are hunting everywhere for grass land. Many people have gone in there and filed on the land and the cowmen have to look out for pastures.

Coal oil at 8c per gal. at Townsend-Oldham & Co.

Miss Mertie Akers returned Thurs day from a visit of two weeks at

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morning for a week's visit at Here-

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Coal oil at 8c per gal, at Townsend-Oldham & Co.

Mrs. R. A Stewart and baby daughleased about 10 sections where he ter returned Thursday from from an extended visit to the old home in

> Fruit Jars-The old reliable Masons. Farmers Union Merc. Co.

> Geo. W. Harris and George Johnson made a trip to Lamesa and Ta-

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Mrs. Geo. W. Harris is visiting her sister in New Mexico.

Mrs. L. I. Garton left Monday guaranteed. Townsend-Oldham & Co. visit relatives.

Mr. J. G. Lockhart is at the Post Sanitarium this week where he sub-See our special prices on Men's mitted to a surgical operation Tues- ton.

High Patent Flour at \$3.00 per hundred pounds. Extra High Patent at \$3.25 per hundred pounds. All guaranteed. Townsend-Oldham & Co.

Mr. C. L. Ezell is on a business rip to Dallas this week.

A Mexican at Brownwood assaulted a white woman Monday inflicting a number of serious knife wounds. The Mexican was captured and promptly lynched.

Still got few dandy bargains in Misses' and Ladies' Slippers at 50c per pair. Townsend-Oldham & Co.

Miss Alice Grayum left last Thursday evening for an extended visit with friends at Georgetown.

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Mr. W. D. Moon was here Monday from Dunn looking after business af-

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Mrs. L. H. McGowen of Grandview Texas, is the guest of her brotherin-law, Rev. W. W. Werner and fam-

Dr. McClanahan of Camp Springs returned a few days ago from a visit to his old home in Central Texas.

Mrs. Coates went to Sweetwater Wednesday evening to meet her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Welch coming in from Dresden, Tennessee for a

Mr. Cecil Tyson, of Waco has arrived in the city and is the guest, with his wife, at the Woodrow Hotel. He expects to reside here.

B. D. Black has returned from Temple and is back in the campaign field after a week's absence, occasioned by the illness of his daughter who was taken to Temple for treat-High Patent Flour at \$3.00 per ment. The child is reported on the hundred pounds. Extra High Patent road to recovery. Mrs. Black and at \$3.25 per hundred pounds. All children stopped off at Coleman to

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Rev. O. J. Hull and family are here from Abilene for a vacation visit with friends and kinfolks in Sny-

suits. Townsend-Oldham & Co.

Mr. Wm. Pearn returned Tuesday evening from Paducah.

thing for this purpose is

Mr. H. B. Winston received this High Patent Flour at \$3.00 per

Mrs. C. R. Lockhart entertained School. her Sunday School Class with an enjoyable picnic Tuesday evening in the

Pure Sisal Binder Twine, 12cts. at Farmers Union Mercantile Co.

was the guest of Mrs. Walker Mc- there this year. Mullen the past week left Sunday morning on the Santa Fe enroute to See our special prices on Men's [Denver, Colorado, where she will York under treatment, including an spend the summer.

> Born in Snyder, June 18, to Mr. 1 and Mrs. R. W. Ramage, a girl.

History Teacher Elected.

ment of History in the Snyder High

Dr. W. H. Morrow was here Saturday from Dunn.

Clyde Boren, Clifford Doak, Sims Palmer and Jimmie Curnutte have returned from A. & M. College for Mrs. Ed Lane of Big Springs who vacation. Jim Curnutte graduated

35tf prayer. kinds at the Signal office.

Mrs. J. H. Cunningham of Yoakum, together with Misses Ross and Gibson, of San Antonio, sisters and neice of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cunningham are visiting them at their ranch home.

CAMP SPRING TRIP.

Mr. Editor:

"split the breeze" for Camp Springs. loops we lit in front of that magnificent, up to date, well equipped, edifice, devoted to the intellectual training of the children through the ed us that he had an engagement at week and to their moral training on 1 p. m. for a 30 mile trip. So again

We found a good audience of mostour arrival. I never saw a happier lot of faces; joy and gladness and sunshine just beamed from every countenance from old Grandma Guinn down to the cooing babe.

Soon after our arrival Miss Erla, who acts as superintendent in the

absence of her father opened the The School Board had a meeting Sunday school by song, responsive reading, prayer, and then recitation.

Everything was done in perfect or-

over, Mr. Lockhart gave a short and tache." A. N. submitted and the barappropriate sketch of how he con- ber, didn't know until told later that ducted his class at Snyder, after he had never seen the customer bewhich your writer looked into the fore. He would still believe it was face of as noble, tender hearted an E. J. if he hadn't seen the two brothaudience as it was ever his lot to ers together. Mrs. R. G. Davenport is in New behold. I tell you there is material in that community worth while. We ad dressed them as best we could for a short time; then the services were FOR SALE-Legal blanks of all dismissed with a song, and short

It is a treat to hear those people

We went to the hospitable home of Alph Trice and took dinner and I tell you it was a good dinner, it denoted prosperity and good cooking. Everything was prepared to suit the appetite of a hungry man. During the meal Lockhart remarked that when he ate that meal and two more with Alph that would make three. Last Sunday morning in company Now listen: do you know that he dewith C. R. Lockhart, we boarded the cided that he might not get another whack right soon at Alph's table so After cutting a few "didoes," turn- he decided just to eat all three meals ing a few short angles, in great at one sitting and so he did, and haste, and turning a few loop the strange to say he was able to be at his ofice the next day.

We were anxious to remain for the afternoon singing but Odus informwe boarded the aerial cleaver. Others may be painted with dazzling beauly young folks and children waiting ty more charming to the eye. Others may run more smoothly but for the height of his flight and the dexterity of movement there is no equal to Odus and his get there now, safe and sound flyer, you ask Alph, he was with us on the return trip.

-E. C. DODSON.

Mistaken Identity.

A. N. Woodard of Scurry county and E. J. Woodard of Coleman who is now visiting here are twin brothers. A. N. visited at Coleman last der. I don't wonder that those people week and while in town a barber are proud of her; well they may be called him into his shop and complifor she is a valuable asset in any com- mented him on having shaved off his munity. She is truly devoted to her heavy growth of black whiskers. He said: "Now you look alright, but

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