

The Snyder Signal

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THE REVIVAL MEETING.

The revival under the direction of the Christian church will begin on the evening of July 4th at the City Tabernacle. This is America's greatest day. We begin with a patriotic service. We very earnestly desire the help and co-operation of all the ministers, members of the churches and friends of this time and all through the meeting. Whenever one congregation is built up, it does not mean the destruction of the others. It provokes the entire membership of the city to greater activity.

Remember that your religious feelings will not be trampled upon and no one's feelings will be hurt except those who will not come, and therefore, deserve a spiritual shock. Bro. T. J. Stephens, a good leader of song will direct the music and he asks that all the singers help during this meeting.

Praying God's richest blessings upon all the services and upon every one who may take some part.

We are sincerely,
D. R. Hardison, Pastor.

Capt. J. M. Bannister Back Home.

Dr. J. M. Bannister came in Sunday morning from Columbus, New Mexico where he was stationed for nearly two years as chief surgeon in the hospital service. He left here the latter part of August, 1917. He was assigned to Columbus and has been held there in charge of the hospital during the entire war. He tried every reasonable way to get to go over seas but could never get relieved there.

His family were there with him for several months, returning to Snyder about two weeks ago. The Doctor says he has not made plans for the future, but may resume medical practice here.

Newton-Harpole.

At the home of the bride's parents last Monday afternoon, as the clock tolled out the 12:30 hour, Mr. Melvin Newton and Miss Ilene Harpole pledged their troth to share each other's joys and sorrows through life. The immediate relatives of the bride and a few of the many friends of the young couple were present, and all joined in wishig them a long and happy life.

Though but few were present, everything about the occasion was sacred and solemn. In beautiful and impressive way the ring was placed on the finger of the bride to wear as a constant reminder of the unending and untarnished love of the young husband.

Both the bride and the groom are well known to Snyder people, and all their many friends join in wishing for them the very best of heaven's benedictions. They are both members of the First Baptist church of Snyder, and it is a grief to us that they will not make their home with us. They may, however, see fit to do so in the future. They will make their home in Cisco for the present.

For many months they have been seeking each other's company, and had built their castle in the air; but when the great war came on, Mr. Newton responded to the call of his country and went on to the battle. While he was on the front he was gassed, but has overcome the effects of it and is now himself again.

May their lives be long, happy and useful, and as bright as the present.
W. H. Sims.

Change of Compress Managers.

Mr. Dalton Moore and family have moved to Sweetwater where Mr. Moore will have charge of the compress. He has done well with the compress here, although most of the time he has had to contend with short crop conditions. He will be succeeded here by Mr. Thurman Anderson as compress manager. Mr. Anderson will move his family here from Texarkana in the near future.

The I. & G. N. offices have been moved back from Houston to Palestine.

OIL STOCK IS NOW ALL PLACED

Secretary Guy E. Paxton of the Snyder Oil Association said Tuesday that all of the \$20,000 of stock has been sold. About \$12,000 is held by home people and the balance has been taken by Fort Worth and Dallas people. A representative of the Association left Tuesday for the east to make a drilling contract. He will confer with several drilling concerns and will secure a good outfit. It is expected to have the rig up and at work in very few weeks.

Interest Shows Up On Bib Sulphur

Timbers have been hauled out from here this week to build a derrick for oil drilling about four miles south of Dunn. Sheriff Byrd figures that the drilling will be about a quarter of a mile from his farm. That is about all we have learned about it.

Oil Men Make Statement.

Messrs J. T. T. Harris and Emory Powers called at the Signal office Thursday and stated that the Oklahoma Snyder Company have struck sand and are waiting for casing which was shipped June 26 and that on arrival of the casing they will be ready to show up. Mr. Harris says he knows oil sand when he sees it. Later, they stated they had a telephone message assuring them their casing is now at Hermligh.

Mr. Kemp Goes to Post.

Mr. Z. D. Kemp who has been our agricultural agent for two or three years has gone from us to become demonstration agent for Garza county. Our court considered the matter of re-employing Mr. Kemp, but owing to the scarcity of funds they have hesitated and Mr. Kemp accepted the proposition from Garza. We may yet take steps to employ an agent. The court appreciates the value of a good well qualified, active agricultural agent, but they feel it their duty to guard the finances of the county.

Mr. Kemp has proven a good man in that line. He has been in touch with other agents and has been active in assisting the people in judicious buying of feed and seed. He has built up a lively farming and stock raising interest among the boys and has organized a number of farm clubs and pig clubs in the county and it is generally felt that his services have been worth all they have cost.

Laundry May Start Up Soon.

Mr. G. I. Wilcox has been in correspondence with Mr. F. E. Morrow owner of the Snyder laundry to urge the resumption of operations and he is now in receipt of a letter from Mr. Morrow dated June 28th in which he says: "I have a man in Oklahoma who will take hold of the plant and run it just as soon as he can arrange to get there. He will buy the plant and from what he says, I think you will find him alright. I am sure the plant will be started up in a little while now."

Snyder Went Over the Top.

Lieut. L. H. Barnes of Fort Bliss and his team of baseball players who were here June 24th, dropped off here Thursday enroute to Lubbock and a home nine was readily mobilized for a game on the Manry ground. It was a good game from start to finish and resulted in a score of 7 to 5 in favor of the Snyder boys.

Miss Theresa Cotten left last Friday for an extended visit to relatives and friends in Lubbock and New Mexico.

Mrs. T. J. Shaw and children of Amarillo have been here for several days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Davis, returning to their home today.

Kin Blackard is having a new smoke house built at his new home in West Snyder. He probably expects to have more pork to care for than he can store in the pantry.

WHAT ONE CLASS IS DOING



Ten per cent of the weekly collection of the Loyal Men's Class of the South Dallas Christian Sunday School is put into a sinking fund by investing it in War Savings Stamps. The accompanying picture of the Class was taken Easter Sunday in celebration of the winning of an attendance contest over every other class in the school.

The Class has an active War Savings Society and meets every other Tuesday night. The Class also pays a regular amount toward the support of a Home for Aged Persons and is active in all lines of church work.

What this Class has done, others can do. The Sunday School Class which is also a War Savings Society is laying up money which may be needed at any time and which can always be secured—with interest—on ten days' notice to the postmaster.

Have you bought your Thrift Stamp today?

COTTON CROP IS NOW ESTIMATED AT 10,986,000 BALES

Washington, July 1.—The cotton production this year was forecast today to be at \$10,896,000 equivalent 500 pound bales by the Department of agriculture, basing the estimate on the condition of the growing crop June 25 which was 70.2 per cent of normal.

The area under cultivation was 33,960,000 acres.

The Country on Water Wagon.

July 1st put us dry. Attorney General Palmer holds that beer that is 2-3-4 per cent alcohol can be sold until the courts pass on cases now before them, but he warns beer dealers that if the half per cent contention is held good they will be held as violators if, in the meantime, they shall sell a stronger brew. Congress will define intoxicating stuff, the committee says the courts can't do it. The chairman of the committee in charge of the liquor question says some people would be made drunken by drinking 2-3-4 per cent stuff while others can stand up under the full shot grog. It is not the purpose of congress to fix the standard so one man can drink it and keep his head while another would go to the gutter under it. All must fare alike. The country must be bone dry.

Some Fine Millet.

Mrs. Horace Holley of Ira was in Wednesday with sample bunches of extra fine millet from the Holley farm. The samples are stored in the Signal's collection booth. This shows that Scurry county people are through with importing feed stuff and we are going to live at home here after.

Cemetery Auxiliary to Meet.

The Auxiliary to Snyder Cemetery Association will have a meeting at the Christian church at 4 o'clock next Tuesday afternoon to go over the affairs and formulate plans for future activities. Some matters of big importance will come up for consideration.

Died in Kress.

Mrs. Bettie Bridgeman died in Kress June 27, 1919. Mrs. Bridgeman was the wife of A. T. Bridgeman who was killed three years ago in Kress. She now leaves nine children to mourn her loss. Mr. Marvin Woods of Eastland, Texas, Mr. Pete Bridgeman of Eastland, Miss Zee Bridgeman of Dallas, Mrs. Dick Woods of Kress, Mr. Howell Bridgeman of Kress, Mr. Sid Bridgeman of Amarillo, Mr. Jim Bridgeman of Snyder, Texas, Babe and Pearl Bridgeman of Kress. She also leaves an aged mother and several brothers and sisters. She was a devoted wife and mother and was a faithful christian. She leaves many friends. Her sister-in-law, Mrs. E. E. Smith of Eastland was unable to see the remains laid away but is able to express her sympathy toward the bereaved family.

Written by her sister-in-law, Mrs. E. E. Smith.

PEACE TREATY SIGNED SATURDAY

The peace treaty was signed at Versailles, France, last Saturday afternoon in the same hall where the treaty between Germany and France was signed in 1871. On the occasion Germany was the victor and gloated over the humiliation and ruin of France. On this last occasion the conditions are reversed and Germany signed away her power and domination.

Germany tried every way possible to avoid the humiliation, but the allies had set the terms and their armies were ready to advance on Berlin. That would have meant further conquest in Germany and a complete economic blockade and Germany did the only thing possible to preserve life and opportunity.

Mueller and Bell, representing Germany signed the treaty at 3:13 p. m., then President Wilson and American Associates signed for the United States. Italy, Japan, England, and France followed and then the smaller nations in alphabetical order. China failed to come in and South Africa signed under protest. Whether Germany intends to live up to the terms or not remains to be seen. None of us expect her to do so unless held in position to compel respect. The signatory delegates professed good faith but there are many leading Germans who refuse to surrender in spirit. They are controlled by hate, chagrin, malice and resentment.

This item sent out from Berlin shows the spirit of the German press:

Berlin, June 28.—The pan-German Deutsche Zeitung prints the following across its front page.

"Germany's honor today will be carried to its grave in the Hall of Mirrors, in which in the glorious year of '71 the German empire was resurrected in all its former splendor. Let us remember that the German people will again strive to attain that place among the nations of the world to which it is entitled. Then vengeance of the disgrace of 1918."

The Tageblatt says: "The German people reject the treaty which the delegates are signing today and it does not believe for a single moment that it will endure. Despite the fact that it is written on parchment, it remains a scrap of paper, because it is a mockery of all the laws of reason and morals and the most disgraceful exhibit in the museum of civilization."

With that feeling dominating the German mind, it is plain enough that the allied powers may never relax watchfulness nor permit Germany to recover her old military strength.

The representatives, in signing the treaty were humble enough, but we all know that Germany can show

about enough humility for the purpose of gaining a point.

Those delegates, while signing made these statements:

"We are signing without mental reservation. What we are signing will be carried out. The German people will use every means to meet the terms."

"We believe the Entente will in its own interest find it necessary to change some of the terms, or they will see the treaty is impossible of execution."

"We believe the Entente will not insist on delivery of the Kaiser and other high officers."

"The Central Government will not assist in any attack on Poland."

"Germany will make every effort to prove herself worthy to enter the League of Nations."

That sounds good enough like real surrender of will power, but people who have noted German treachery, will understand the value of such expressions.

With all that the allied powers can hold the Hun to his agreement by constant vigilance and fair treatment and only that.

The terms have been made easier for Germany through constant insistence of President Wilson, who purposed from the start to establish just, honorable and fair conditions and to bring to all nations a just and righteous system of living. His ideal has always been a settlement of social, political and economical conditions in the world as will comport with the teachings of the man of Galilee.

After the treaty had been signed President Wilson cabled to Washington the following message to the American people.

"My fellow countrymen: The treaty of peace has been signed. If it is ratified and acted upon in full and sincere execution of its terms, it will furnish the charter for a new order of affairs in the world. It is a severe treaty in the duties and penalties imposed upon Germany, but it is severe only because great wrongs done by Germany are to be righted and repaired; it imposes nothing that Germany cannot do; and she can regain her rightful standing in the world by prompt and honorable fulfillment of its terms."

And it is much more than a treaty of peace with Germany. It liberates great peoples who have never before been able to find the way to liberty. It ends, once for all, an old and intolerable order under which small groups of selfish men could use the peoples of great empires to serve their ambition for power and domination. It associates the free governments of the world in a permanent league in which they are pledged to use their united power to maintain peace by maintaining sanction. It does away with the right of conquest and rejects the policy of annexation and substitutes a new order under which backward nations—populations which have not yet come to political consciousness and peoples who are ready for independence, but not yet quite prepared to dispense with protection and guidance—shall no more be subjected to the domination and exploitation of a stronger nation, but shall be put under the friendly direction and afforded the helpful assistance of governments which undertake to be responsible to the opinion of mankind in the execution of their task by accepting the direction of the league of nations. It recognizes the inalienable rights of nationality, the rights of minorities and the sanctity of religious belief and practice. It lays the base for conventions which shall free the commercial intercourse of the world from unjust and vexatious restrictions and for every sort of international co-operation that will serve to cleanse the life of the world and facilitate its common action in beneficent service of every kind. It furnishes guarantees such as were never given or even contemplated for the fair treatment of all who labor at the daily tasks of the world.

It is for this reason that I have spoken of it as a great charter for a new order of affairs. There is ground here for deep satisfaction universal reassurance and confident hope."
WOODROW WILSON.

Mrs. Mary Banks is visiting her parents at Plainview.

PLANNING FOR COUNTY FAIR

We want farmers, gardeners, orchardists and everybody else to bring in samples of products for the industrial exhibit. There is not being much said about it, but all the people are agreed that we must have a two days county fair about the last week in September to show the world what can be grown in Scurry county.

Farm and garden products to be put on display must be saved as they come in, else they can never be. The Signal has space for awhile, where these things can be cared for and if other arrangements become necessary a room can be secured in town. It is proposed that the fall fair be for display of all kinds of products, and also of poultry and live stock, dairy and culinary exhibits, needle work, knitting, embroidery and such other lines of hand craft. It is hoped the Commercial Club and the Women's Clubs will take interest in the matter so a program can be outlined. A flower show department will certainly appeal to everybody.

"Go Thy Way and Sin No More."

About a month ago the grocery store of Perkins & Co. was burglarized and a quantity of stuff was stolen and on the same night Joe Strayhorn's gas filling station was tapped. Then news came of similar burglaries at Plainview and in Lamb county. Officers got on the trail and later three young fellows were arrested in Fort Worth, and the case has taken a peculiar turn. One of the accused is a mere boy. He is of good family and this week his father started out with him to clean up the damage. They went over the route traveled by the boys and paid what ever the victims said was right. They paid here all that was asked, but disclaimed responsibility for the gasoline theft. They had paid the claims found and the boy's father will try to keep him in line of right here after. It is said the other two of the party are being held in Fort Worth for automobile theft.

Criminal charges were not filed against the boys here, but it is the belief of the father and of the officers that this bit of experience will serve the boy as a good lesson.

Thompson-Wellburn.

At the beautiful home of the bride's parents last Saturday afternoon, while the relatives and a few of the many friends of the young couple looked on, the words were said which made Mr. C. V. Thompson and Miss Manie Wellburn husband and wife. They have been sweet hearts for several years, but when the war came on Mr. Thompson entered the service and helped to fight the battles of his country. Just recently he returned and arranged to consummate the dreams of himself and bride and build their home, not in theory but in reality.

Very much to our disappointment the young couple will leave our county and live in Sweetwater. We regret to lose them from our community and county, but wish for them all the blessings and happiness in our power to wish.

W. H. Sims.

Twenty French war brides appealed to President Wilson for permits to sail on the George Washington with their American husbands. They got what they wanted.

A violent earthquake last Sunday near Florence, Italy, destroyed several villages and more than a hundred people were killed.

The Cossacks have routed the Bolshevik forces at Petrograd and have possession of the city. As the Bols retired Trotsky had as much of the town blown up as possible.

Mr. J. W. Joyce and family have returned from visiting at Brownwood.

A number of people spent a few hours at the Cemetery Tuesday afternoon cutting weeds.

Texas in the Hall of States



Hundreds of Texas soldiers, wounded or ill, lying in the big army hospitals of New York City, receive their first special welcome and their first hint of home calls made on them by volunteer women workers at the Texas desk in the Hall of States. Backed only by the Texas Club of New York and the Southern Society, these women are trying to do as well by Texans who reach New York on their way home as other states are doing for their sons with the aid of large appropriations. Kansas is spending \$35,000 to welcome her boys, Massachusetts \$50,000, and other states smaller amounts. The Texas women say they have received no financial aid from the state even toward the clerical work of writing to two or three hundred Texas fighters they have found in the hospitals here.

These letters, sent out under a plan devised by War Camp Community Service, are the first words from home to reach the wounded boys as a rule. The women invite the lads to visit their headquarters in the Hall of States or, in the cases of the severely wounded, they call on the men in the wards, carrying cheer, home papers that are avidly seized and flowers or fruit.

All this hospitality activity for the various states centres at the Hall of States, which the War Camp Community Service has established at 27 West 25th Street, close to the Victory Arch. Here "Buddies" meet, and home-folks welcome the boys back from the trenches and the deep seas. How the eyes of the home-sick lads do shine when they see women from home. How they do rush for the home papers. Some of them need more practical aid, some are "blue," some need a job back home, some want to trace lost families. To all of these the Texan women give help. Sometimes they take a "blue" lad home to dinner, and then to the theatre, sometimes they get their men folks to talk to them. For those that need jobs back home the Community Service maintains a nation-wide employment bureau in the building, the manager of which, Ralph M. MacDonald, canvasses Texas and the other states for positions.

Mrs. J. F. Thomas is chairman of the Texas Committee. She is aided by Mrs. Lucile Waggoner, Mrs. Lyle, president of the Texas Club, Mrs. Bernard Wall, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Kirby Smith, Miss Ann Robb, Mrs. Hattie Dunklin and Mrs. Foot.

The Coming of Power Farming.

Power is just beginning to come into its own. It is just beginning to revolutionize American agriculture.

Many thousands of young men are leaving the farm for towns and cities, and many of our leading thinkers are of the opinion that this nation will soon be an importer of large quantities of food. However, these men have overlooked two very important facts: That though our farming population has decreased, the area of land under cultivation has increased, and that we produce more in proportion to the number of persons engaged in agriculture than any other nation on earth.

Power machinery has been taking the place of this ever-increasing stream of young men flowing from the farm to the city, and at the same time has permitted more intensive farming.

Two thirds of the population was necessary in the early history of the country to produce the necessary food. One-third of the population now feeds the nation, and the power farming is hastening the day when say, one-fifth of the population will be able to produce the greatest abundance of food for our people.

Four-fifths of England's able-bodied men were either actively engaged in the recent great war or in industries necessary to the prosecution of the war, but that country raised more food than she ever had before. Inexperienced women and girls and a few agricultural experts called the tractor to their aid and raised larger crops than three or four times the number of men had ever raised.

It is a regrettable fact that thousands of our most intelligent boys are leaving the farm, but power machinery will continue to release them to carry on manufacturing and make

this a nation of still greater industrial prosperity. A smaller per cent of our people will be needed on the farm as the years go by, and the vast number released by power machinery will devote their energies along other lines to the making of a still greater nation.—Progressive Farmer

Worms interfere with the growth of children. They become thin, pale and sickly. Get rid of these parasites at once if you would have healthy, happy cheerful children. White's Cream Vermifuge destroys worms and benefits the whole system. Sold by Grayum Drug Co.

Von Bethman-Holweg is trying the Pythian stunt on the council of four. He assumes all blame for the war and says the kaiser should be held blameless. He wants the allies to try him instead of the kaiser. The crafty old fox knows there is no law to punish one man for the crimes of another. It is a reasonable suggestion that they both be tried and adequately punished.

The rain Monday afternoon measured nearly one inch. Billie Wilsford keeps the rain gauge and said Tuesday we have had 14 1/2 inches of rain this year.

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MEXICO'S ATTITUDE AND OPPORTUNITY

A few days ago, newspaper staff writers started us with announcement that Carranza was lining up South American states against the United States, then in a day or two the announcement comes that Venézuella is opening up direct trade relations with Texas and other American points. It being so to look like much of the apparent strained relations between the United States and Mexico is special propaganda sent out by somebody that wants to bring on trouble. Of course we all feel that Carranza has been antagonistic toward this country and that he was so, because of the poisonous influence of Germany, but he must know that now, he could in no wise stand up against any sort of American demonstration. He ought to know that friendship and co-operation with this country will sooner bring prosperity and stability to Mexico, and we are slow to believe that he is seeking a belligerent alliance to oppose us. There may yet develop a spirit of greed here with purpose to encroach on Mexico with demands for rights and concession that would breed resentment and lead up to a breach of relations, in order to base an excuse for intervention. Such a movement, if existent, is not in the mind of our government, but is being nurtured by ambitious exploiters who have covetous eyes on the undeveloped resources of Mexico.

CITATION.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry County, Greeting.

You are hereby commanded to cite all persons interested in the welfare of Velma, Earnest, Melvin, and Mildred Hester, minors, to be and appear at the next Regular Term of the County Court of Scurry county, to be holden at the Court house thereof in the City of Snyder on the 2nd Monday in July, A. D., 1919, the same being the 14th day of July A. D., 1919, and contest, if they see proper to do so, the application of Mrs. Dona Hester, which has been filed in said court, for the guardianship of the estate of said minors.

Herein fail not, but have you this writ before said Court at the next term thereof, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in the city of Snyder, this 23rd day of June, A. D., 1919.

(Seal) W. M. Curry, Clerk, County Court of Scurry county, Tex.

When the baby is suffering the double affliction of hot weather and bowel disorders, the remedy needed is McGee's Baby Elixir. It reduces the feverish condition, corrects the stomach and checks looseness of the bowels. Sold by Grayum Drug Co.

Stings or bites of insects that are followed by swelling, pain or itching should be treated promptly as they are poisonous. Ballard's Snow Liment counteracts the poison. It is both antiseptic and healing. Sold by Grayum Drug Co.

I. O. O. F. Secretary Dead.
W. H. Walker for thirteen years Grand Secretary of the Texas Grand Lodge of the Odd Fellows, died in Dallas last Saturday night. Aged 66 years. He was one of the best known Odd Fellows in the State.

Surgeons agree that in cases of Cuts, Burns, Bruises, and Wounds, the first treatment is most important. When an efficient antiseptic is applied promptly, there is no danger of infection and the wound begins to heal at once. For use on man or beast, Borozone is the ideal antiseptic and healing agent. Buy it now and be ready for an emergency. Sold by Grayum Drug Company.

We meet all Santa Fe trains. Phone your orders in to 14 or 121. Newt Hargrove

When you feel lazy, out of sorts and yawn a good deal in the day time, you can charge it to a torpid liver which allowed the system to get full of impurities. Herbine cures all disorders produced by an inactive liver. It strengthens the organ, cleanses the bowels and puts the system in good healthy condition. Sold by Grayum Drug Co.

Mrs. M. E. Bowen of Pyron was the guest this week of Mrs. W. T. Thompson.

The oil people are still stirring about and something may yet drop. Who knows?



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Dealers

Joe Strayhorn,

D. Dorward Gail.

Strange as it may seem, those homes where Christ abides are gloriously sweetened, softened and made tender by the advent of sorrow. The hope that is eternal does not produce bitterness when the ravages of sorrow multiply, but enrich life, enables hope and strengthens character. The truly great men and women of the world are those who have bent down beneath the burden of sorrow, only to receive the blessed benediction that can only come through faith built on the foundation of eternity.—Merkel Mail.

That is David's testimony and is supported by the experience of humble, trusting, consecrated christian men and women everywhere.

Miss Tennie Patterson of Sansom renews for the Signal.

Rev. J. H. Tate was here Tuesday from Fluvanna enroute to Abilene on church business.

J. O. Casey who went from here to the war about a year ago returned this week. He was in France about eleven months. He was in Co. M. G. 36th Division, 141st Infantry and had lots of actual experience at the front.

It is our guess that when President Wilson goes before the Senate and explains the scope and meaning of the League of Nations that body will endorse it. The republicans will not dare reject the peace pact recently signed and thereby commit this country to a prolonged condition of war.

Kansas City ran out of beer before time but Chicago boasted of a bountiful supply of all sorts of licker and planned for a general drunken brawl for Monday night.

Attorney General Palmer announces that all prohibition laws of the nation will be strictly enforced.

Ireland wants to be recognized as a member of the League of Nations even before the country obtains independence.

E. E. Matthews has returned from his fishing trip and says, as to fish stories he can go all over Will Thompson and Mayor Echols.

G. I. Wilcox of Snyder, Texas is in McKinney attending to business. Mr. Wilcox moved with his family to Snyder a few months ago. He traded property in McKinney for the light and ice plant in Snyder. He still owns the Telephone exchange at Wylie.—McKinney Courier Gazette.

Newspaper readers are again being asked to fool away time in reading about Harry K. Thaw. He is said to have gotten out of confinement and is to have another court trial. We have hoped that the book was closed as to that worthless and eccentric imbecile, but maybe so the lawyers have found that his money is not yet all gone.

The Signal goes to Ben Waskom at Great Lakes, Ill., where Ben is recuperating after a prolonged illness here that will hold him for a while.

Mr. M. Collier of South Plain Marble works was a business visitor in Snyder Friday.

Mrs. J. E. Chinn and children returned Saturday night from Chappell Hill. They were called there to the bedside of an aunt who died while they were there.

We meet all Santa Fe trains. Phone your orders in to 14 or 121. Newt Hargrove

J. O. Temple of the Plains and J. C. Seabourn of Bethel were n Sunday to discuss material prospects. Mr. Temple is an old timer in this county but has been away for some time. He thinks now of going to Tullia to hit the harvest field. Seabourn said he would probably go but has a job here that will hold him for a while.

Ford

THE UNIVERSAL CAR

It's no longer necessary to go into the details describing the practical merits of the Ford car—everybody knows all about "The Universal Car." How it goes and comes day after day and year after year at an operating expense so small that it's wonderful. This advertisement is to urge prospective buyers to place orders without delay. Buy a Ford car when you can get one. We'll take good care of your order—get your Ford to you as soon as possible—and give the best in "after service" when required.

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Light up your tobacco

Chesterfield CIGARETTES

—of Turkish and Domestic tobaccos—blended



They **SATISFY!**

Moisture-proof package keeps them firm and fresh, whatever the weather.

Congressman Hudspeth hadn't been in the House very long till he found out that very few of the congressmen really know anything about West Texas and he wants a committee sent out here to see the need of irrigation.

A county agricultural agent and the United States Department of Agriculture, taken together with the extension departments of the A. & M. colleges form a wonderful combination for the dissemination of useful information.

The rains come with but little warning. Almost before anyone knew it Monday afternoon we were getting a genuine downpour.

There were 29 additions to the Methodist church last Sunday.

At Methodist Church.

Last Sunday was a great day at our church. A fine Sunday school, great crowd at church. A class of 29 were received in the church on profession of faith.

It was a very fitting close of the revival held at the Tabernacle for the past two weeks. Dr. Hay and Prof. Bledsoe proved to be great help in revival work. It is commonly reported on every hand that the preaching done by Dr. Hay was the highest class ever heard in this community. Next Sunday there will be Sunday school at 9.45 a. m. preaching at 11 a. m.

There will not be any preaching at night at our church on account of the meeting at the Tabernacle conducted by the Christian church. A. W. Waddill, Pastor.

For prompt and efficient car service day telephone 14, night 121. 11tf Newt Hargrove.

Senator Hiram Johnson of California who wants the republicans to nominate him for president. Senator Borah of Idaho who has gone so far in opposition of the League of Nations that he can't consistently reconsider, and Senator Reed of Missouri who has made a fool of himself had a rousing meeting in New York the other day and they romped on the democratic administration in the guise of patriotism and were cheered by 4,500 people that many in New York City and they thought the whole country was with them.

Highest Prices Paid for Chickens. Don't fail to see Lon Pierce before you sell your chickens. I will pay the highest prices for them. See me at Lon Pierce Meat Market. 6

It took two years for the United States to mobilize her forces and put proud, arrogant, equipped Germany down and out and Carranza will never succeed in getting the South American countries to line up against Uncle Sam.

Senator Borah objects to the League disposition of Shan Tung and it is probable that he would have to refer to geography and statistics to locate the place or explain its importance.

A newspaper writer has discovered that Carranza is trying to form an alliance with South American countries in opposition to the United States. The more we hear of Carranza the more we feel like Villa ought to be in control of Mexico for about two weeks.

Old time Congressmen and department heads at Washington call Tom Blanton a "nuisance" because he insists on inquiring into the expenses of the departments.

The Snyder Light and Power Co. have moved their office to the north side of the square next door to the Palm Cafe.

Good Sheaf oats 4 1/2 cents a bundle on H. W. Harless farm seven miles east of Snyder. See Parks, on place. 4pd.

WRIGLEY'S

The Greatest Name in Goody-Land



YOU know the realm of childhood dreams is a land of sweets.

Make some of those dreams a delightful reality by taking home

WRIGLEY'S

frequently.

How about tonight?



SEALED TIGHT KEPT RIGHT

The Flavor Lasts!



Miss Flora E. Goodwin, who has been for two months in charge of Home Economics demonstration work in Scurry county went to Post City this week under contract to take up that line for Garza county. She has done splendid work here in getting the women and girls interested in various branches of home industry and we regret that our people could not see a way clear to renew a contract with her.

We meet all Santa Fe trains. Phone your orders in to 14 or 121. Newt Hargrove

Andy Trevey and Henry Wellborn represented Knapp here Monday. They admit that they may not get an oil well but there is no wild set uncertainty about a crop this year.

Born in Snyder, June 30 to Mr. and Mrs. Oliver McElyea, a boy.

Peace was signed up just five years from the date of the killing of the Austrian Prince that gave Germany the excuse to push Austria into war and 37 days less than five years from the time the war started.

A little son of Mr. and Mrs. Bargman got one of his thumbs cut off one day last week by the lawn mower.

Miss Mell Thompson went to Canyon to attend the normal, but took sick and had to come home.



"We are quick to guard the industrial interests of our community of seeking to establish and maintain industrial plants within its bounds.



We should be no less solicitous to guard the investments of our community," said Robt H. Cnrrutte of the First National Bank today. "If an industry, however small, plans to move to another community, our businessmen and bankers would use every effort to induce its owners to remain. They want its wages to continue to go to local merchants, to buy local homes, and to build up saving accounts. Such business loss directly affects the community's business prosperity.

"Yet when sharpers, dishonest promoters and stock jobbers begin to unload utterly worthless stock and bonds of wild cat companies on our people we make no organized effort to keep them from taking our capital, wages and savings out of our community. Instead of protecting our citizens we are likely to allow these sharpers to ply their trade so long as they do not run afoul of the criminal law.

One of the favorite means of mulching the small investor today is to induce those who have put their savings into War Saving Stamps and other Government securities and transfer their funds into worthless papers. The community, to protect its capital and its property, should organize, if not to punish the sharpers, at least to educate its citizens as to the value of their Government securities and as to the risk of entrusting their money to strangers glib of tongue and unscrupulous in promise and prospectus. Communities who fail to do this fail to realize that some thirty million of people own Government securities but really know very little about the nature or value of bonds and how to use them.

"The 'Baby bonds', The War Saving Stamps are particularly the targets of the vendors of worthless stocks and of stamp scalpers. Owners of these War Saving Stamps ought to know that they are as good as gold and can be readily redeemed for full value, plus interest to date, on ten days' notice at any post office. The scalper, however, even attempts to convince owners of these Stamps that their security has fallen in value in some strange fashion, despite the fact that the stamps can never go below their par value plus the interest accrued today. A favorite trick is to tell persons who have one or more Stamps in a 1918 certificate that these Stamps are valueless unless the certificate is filled with twenty stamps. They then offer to buy these Stamps at a cash discount, or to exchange them for worthless stocks.

"The truth is that War Saving Stamps are as good as gold whether you have one Stamp or one hundred Stamps. The Government on maturity will pay five dollars for the single stamp in a certificate just as readily as it will pay \$100 for twenty of them. Similar arguments are used by the scalpers to discredit the 25 cent Thrift Stamps.

"Where banks, merchants, businessmen and other community leaders fail to make clear to everyone in the community how good Government securities is to hold, they are simply allowing their citizens to be cheated, and are cheating themselves out of investments which ought to be making good business for local business.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK
SNYDER, TEXAS

Trousers, Britches, Pants

Anything you call for we have it

We have bought a big stock of pants. Come in and look them over. We sell at a price consistent with the best workmanship and better goods.

Remember

Summer is here in full swing, a nice pair of pants and shirt sleeves make you a cool well dressed man.

Buckhorn Tailors

Snyder,

Texas.

The Snyder Signal

Subscription \$1.50 per year in Adv.

LEWIS & CRAMBLESS, Publishers

Entered in the postoffice at Snyder, Texas, as second class mail matter

On advertising 25c per inch for display space and 10c a line for readers. Cash must accompany all orders.

Snyder, Texas, July 4, 1919.

Snyder has horn blowers enough to form a good band if somebody would lead out in re-organizations.

Scurry county people have carried out the slogan "Raise food and feed" and this year they have crops growing everywhere and there will be an abundance of everything good for man and brute.

County Attorney Wilmeth says it is not so much the intention of the law to punish criminals as it is to prevent crime and restrain the criminally inclined person and restore him to virtuous living.

For goodness' sake cut the weeds.

Rains have interfered to some extent with harvest but the grain will all be saved.

It will be to cheat justice of her dues if Kaiser Wilhelm and several other German leaders are permitted to go unpunished. Germany thought the allies were bluffing about bringing them to trial and if they back down now the public will be disgusted.

W. W. Echols, Perry Morris and D. Anderson have gone to Lubbock to play in the band for the Fourth of July celebration.

Patriotic Service City Tabernacle

July 4th, 8:15 p. m.

The pastors of the city have been asked to speak upon the following subjects:

National Prohibition

Woman Suffrage,

League of Nations and

Signing the Peace Terms.

Come and help celebrate

Our Greatest National Holiday.

N. W. West, J. K. Blackard, N. C. Letcher, W. T. Brooks, J. R. Huckabee, W. N. Moon, M. Gosnell, R. L. Smith, Hub Taylor, J. W. Templeton, J. J. Taylor, Joe Merritt, S. L. Johnson, F. H. Taylor, Newt Hargrove, John Weller, J. W. Woody, Fred Parsons, W. W. Wilsford, W. C. Fullilove, H. M. Blackard, R. A. Blackard and C. C. Head. The record shows that the company failed and refused to turn the money into the treasury or to drill on or develop the 50 acres of land to the damage of plaintiffs in the sum of \$30,000 and judgment was rendered against the directors and officers of the company and Arthur Yonge, Esq., was appointed receiver of the assets of the Moran Oil & Gas company to take charge of same and handle same as directed by the court.

The local agents, Brice, McClinton and Cornelius, and certain mentioned members of the said company go hence without day.

Hemstitching and Picot edge work promptly done, 10 cents per yard, any material. Customer to furnish the thread.

Sweetwater Hemstitching Co.
Sweetwater Texas.

Miss Alice Grayum and Mrs. L. E. Hodges have gone to Anson to visit their sister, Mrs. Steele.

First Baptist Church

We are planning now to make next Sunday a great day. I. . . the teachers and many others present at the Teachers' meeting. The subject is a great one, the Church, its life and work. Last Sunday we announced a special message for Sunday morning, by have seen fit to change the subject. The subject to which we have changed will be "Who Is This?" Great matters will be discussed and the fundamentals presented. Many others ought to come into the church at this time, and we are hopeful that they will do so.

We are to have a great service and unique at the evening hour, 8:30. Our service flag will be removed with appropriate services. The peace terms have been signed and there is no further need for the flag to remain. We shall honor it and the men whose names appear on it. There will be special music and a special reading for the occasion. We are anxious that all the men whose names appear on the flag be present; and not only they, but also all their relatives and friends. In fact everybody.

W. H. Sims, Pastor.

We have empty half gallon crushed fruit jars for sale. 75 cents per dozen.
Grayum Drug Co. 4t

J. K. Winston of Fort Worth has been the guest of his brother H. B. Winston.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR SALE OF REAL ESTATE

The State of Texas:
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry County, greeting:
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published in the Snyder Signal a newspaper of general circulation published in said county, at least once a week for 20 consecutive days before the return day hereof, the following notice:

The State of Texas, to all persons interested in the estate of E. C. Taylor deceased.

Know ye, that Hugh Taylor, administrator of the estate of E. C. Taylor, deceased, having on the 16th day of June, A. D., 1919, filed in the County Court of Scurry County, Texas, exhibit application to sell the following described land belonging



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

Let Us Convince You

LAYING GOLDEN EGGS

The Hen that lays every day is a gold mine— Take a lesson from the hen— Lay up for your future by buying WAR SAVINGS STAMPS regularly!



W.S.S.

to estate: All the east one-half of Section No. 2, block 2 S. P. Ry. Co. survey in Taylor county, Texas; All the east one-half of Section No. 2, block 2, T. & N. O. Ry. Co. survey in Taylor County, Texas;

And all the N. W. 1-4 of Section No. 4, block 2 T. & N. O. Ry. Co. survey in Taylor County, Texas; All the N. E. 1-4 of Section No. 5 block 2 S. P. Ry. Co. survey in Taylor county, Texas; and all of section No. 303 in block 97, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey in Scurry county, Texas.

Now therefore these are to notify all persons interested in said estate to be and personally appear at the next regular term of the honorable County Court, to be holden at the

court house in the city of Snyder, on the 2nd Monday in July, A. D., 1919, same being the 14th day of said month, and then and there to show cause why such sale should not be made, should they choose to do so.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 23rd day of June, A. D., 1919.
(Seal) W. M. Curry, Clerk,
County Court, Scurry County, Tex.
By Willie Morred, Deputy. 4

Schools are being established along the Mexican border to teach Mexicans the principles of American policies and business methods and it is said the Mexicans are taking nicely to the plan.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, 7c.

LOOK OUT FOR THE CARS

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

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

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

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

Nothing is ever completed in the advertising world.

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

Try to run a few ads round out Christmas time, it surely will pay you to run advertisements about all the time.

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

Velvet

THE FRIENDLY TOBACCO

There's two things can't be imitated—youthful charm and mellow old age.

Velvet Joe

"Mellow old age" in good Kentucky Burley Tobacco is reached after it has cured for two years.

We put millions of pounds in warehouses every year, to ripen for two years. It is a slow, expensive method. But it makes Velvet as good a pipe tobacco as money can buy.

It makes Velvet mellow and friendly—cool and long-burning. Get that charm of Velvet's mellow age in your pipe today.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

Roll a VELVET Cigarette



15c

Douglas Fairbanks.

In the "Knickerbocker Buckaroo"

An Aircraft Picture.
Directed by Albert Parker
It'd make a horse laugh
Six Thousand, Seven Hundred Feet of Thrills and Laughter

It took six solid months to make "Knickerbocker Buckaroo," the biggest and best Douglas Fairbanks picture ever produced. Six months, many thousands of feet of film, hundreds of actors, magnificent sets, the lease of a complete railroad system, engines, cowboys, Mexicans, New York clubmen, pretty girls, villains and—Douglas Fairbanks!

The longest, the most pretentious, the funniest, the most exciting Fairbanks picture ever attempted. Every foot of film is packed with punch and laughter. It'll make you gasp and laugh and appause and yell for more when the 6,700 feet is run. And you'll talk about it for a week.

It cost a quarter of a million to make.
It means the best evening's enjoyment you have ever had.

Tomorrow

COZY THEATRE

MATINEE, 10c and 20c. NIGHT 10c and 25c.
Also one reel comedy of Tom Mix, an 8 reel program.

Amusement Column

Today: "Beloved Imposter," by Gladys Leslie. Come to second show after patriotic speaking at tabernacle.

Tomorrow: "Knickerbocker Buckaroo," by Douglas Fairbanks.

Monday: "Daughter Angela," by Pauline Starke. "Vod-a-Vill Movies."

Tuesday "To Him That Hath," by Montague Love. Ford's Educational Weekly.

Wednesday: "The Terror of the Range," 4th Episode. "Fortunes of Corinne," by Gloria Joy; "Hoot Mon," by Harold Lloyd.

Thursday: "Children of Banishment," by Mitchell Lewis. Mitchell Lewis is one of the best actors on the screen today. His pictures are all of the BIG OUT Doors, Alaskan scenes, etc. He has been on this screen several times, and my patrons have had nothing but praise for his productions.

Friday: "The man who wouldn't tell," by Earl Williams. This actor needs no introduction in Snyder. His plays are all good and entertaining.

Saturday: "The Gypsy Trail" by Bryant Washburn. "A Tom Mix Comedy."

"Who could ask for a week of better pictures?"
"Any night you come you will get value received."

DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS' FILM HAS BACK GROUND FULL OF CHEERFULNESS

Builds Ideal Mexican Town For Aircraft's "The Knickerbocker Buckaroo."

Artistic photography is quite in vogue, but Douglas Fairbanks believes in bright, cheerful backgrounds for his particular type of pictures, rather than the dim, indefinite setting, characteristic of some

film productions. It is his theory that to try to spread the gospel of good cheer in a dark room is even more ridiculous than expecting people to laugh during a funeral procession.

Therefore his new Aircraft photograph, "The Knickerbocker Buckaroo," which will be shown at the Cozy Theatre tomorrow is laid in bright cheerful interiors. He had an idealistic Mexican town built in preference to the typical setting that usually exploits negligence and filth on the part of the natives and is bound to be distasteful to screen patrons. This town was erected on the side of a California hill, vivid with colorful touches that are pleasing, and automatically have effect on the action of the play.

The new picture is said to be based on sound constructive philosophy, not of a preachy nature, but treated in a comedy-dramatic spirit. Fairbanks believed that the people of America like to laugh. He likes to laugh. It braces him up and makes him feel fine and keeps him in prime mental condition. To him, laughter is a necessity. His nervous system requires it, and it is the object of his new picture to make everybody laugh, with the hope that it will bring a happy moment to those who know for the most part only sorrow and discontent.

Marjorie Daw appears opposite Fairbanks in the new production in his latest film, directed by Albert Parker, with a supporting cast that includes Frank Campeau, Edyth Chapman, Albert McQuarrie, Ted Reed and William Wellman.

"Mitch" Lewis Has Narrow Escape From Death.

For the locale of "Children of Banishment," Mitchell Lewis' second Select Picture, which will be seen on Thursday at the Cozy Theatre, Mr. Lewis selected the site of a lumber company in the Yosemite Valley which is the only lumber company operating within the limits of the Yosemite National Park Reserve. The

only exit and entrance to the camp leads up and down the longest and steepest incline railroad in the world. It is 8,000 feet from the base of the mountain to the camp location. The elevation is more than 3,000 feet, varying at times from 78 to 87 degrees.

Mr. Lewis and his entire company took their lives in their hands in reaching the location of this camp, and again in making their descent as the road over which they traveled was built only for the transportation of logs. Before the lumber company would allow Mr. Lewis or the members of his company to use the road, they were obliged to sign slips assuming all responsibility in case of accident.

The trip to camp was made on flat cars in zero weather, with a huge snow-plow breaking a way through the swirling drifts. Once, when the train stopped to allow the plow to break a path through an unusually large drift, Mr. Lewis left the flat car and climbed out on a projecting ledge, overlooking the valley 4,000 feet below. Recent rains had evidently undermined the foundation. For just as Mr. Lewis stood upright, the ground crumbled away and the big bolder started on a crashing trip

The Purpose of an Advertisement

is to serve your needs. It will help sell your goods—talk to the people you want to reach. An advertisement in this paper is a reference guide to those whose wants are worth supplying.

through the trees and brush to the level below. Mr. Lewis jumped clear and grabbed the limb of an overhanging tree, but for several seconds he was forced to fight for a tread-mill footing on the slipping rock until he was able to swing himself to one side.

This incident furnished the narrowest escape from actual death that Mitchell Lewis has ever experienced, and while it completely unnerved the other members of the company, "Big Mitch" laughingly jumped back on the flat car and ordered the engineer to continue to the camp.

"TO HIM THAT HATH" IS PARTICULARLY STRONG PLAY

Montague Love Has One of the Most Forceful Roles He has Ever Assumed in This Production.

"To Him That Hath," the new World Picture, is a particularly strong play. And in it Montague Love, the popular star, has one of the most forceful roles he has ever assumed.

The story tells of the manner in which David Aldrich, a struggling author, assumed the guilt of his great friend and benefactor, Philip Morton, when upon the latter's death David finds that Morton had stolen \$2,000 of the money intrusted to him as the head of an East Side Mission. David does this because he realizes that if it becomes known that Morton was a thief all his splendid work at the mission will be ruined. To the East Siders Morton has always stood for everything good and noble and to have it become known that he was merely a thief would utterly destroy his wonderful work at the mission.

So David says that he stole the money and he goes to the penitentiary for the crime. He does this despite the fact that he is in love with Helen Chambers, whose father is a director of the mission.

When David finally gets out of prison he finds life a hard proposition and he meets with many experiences which are interesting and unusual. Eventually David and Helen are happily reunited.

"To Him That Hath," is a tremendously strong play. It is the sort of a picture you long remember. Be sure to see it on Tuesday at the Cozy Theatre.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

The State of Texas.
To the sheriff or any constable of Scurry County, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten consecutive days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Scurry county, a copy of the following notice.

The State of Texas.
To all Persons interested in the welfare of Marshall C. Higgins, a minor: Mary Olive Higgins has filed in the county court of Scurry county, an application for guardianship upon the estate of said minor, which will be heard at the next regular term of said county court of Scurry county, Texas, to be held at the court house thereof, in the city of Snyder, on the 14th day of July, A. D., 1919, the same being the second Monday in July, A. D., 1919, at which time and place all persons interested in the welfare of said minor are cited to appear and contest, if they see

proper, said application, being number 365 on the docket of said court.

Herein fail not but have you before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Snyder, Texas, this the 3rd day of July, A. D., 1919.

(Seal) W. M. CURRY, Clerk
County Court Scurry County, Tex.

Notice.

We are now located on North side of square, where we expect to keep all kinds of electric appliances, washing machines, Sewing Machines, Ranges, or anything else you may want.

When the New Type C4 Lamp comes you should get one or more. They are the Newest Thing Electrical.

Snyder Ice & Electric Co.

"Meats in Storage"

Every working day of the year 75,000,000 pounds of meat are required to supply home and export needs—and only 10 per cent of this is exported.

These facts must be kept in mind when considering the U. S. Bureau of Markets report that on June 1, 1919, there were 1,348,000,000 pounds of meats in cold storage. If the meat in storage was placed on the market it would only be 20 days' supply.

This meat is not artificially withheld from trade channels to maintain or advance prices.

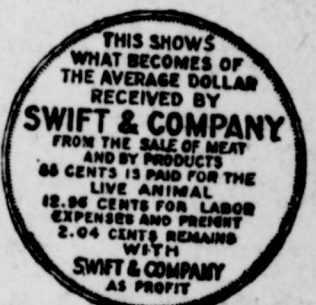
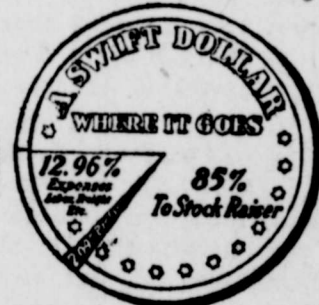
Meats in storage consist of—

- 65 per cent (approximate) hams, bacon, etc., in process of curing. It takes 30 to 90 days in pickle or salt to complete the process.
- 10 per cent is frozen pork that is to be cured later in the year.
- 6 per cent is lard. This is only four-fifths of a pound per capita, and much of it will have to go to supply European needs.
- 19 per cent is frozen beef and lamb, part of which is owned by the Government and was intended chiefly for over-seas shipment. If this were all diverted to domestic trade channels, it would be only 1 1/2 lbs. per capita—a 3 days' supply.

From this it will be seen that "meats in storage" represent merely unfinished goods in process of curing and the working supply necessary to assure the consumer a steady flow of finished product.

Let us send you a Swift "Dollar". It will interest you. Address Swift & Company, Union Stock Yards, Chicago, Ill.

Swift & Company, U. S. A.



SERVICE

"We cannot improve the fabrics, so we improve the selling method"
This "Ad" is Not Intended to Sell Anything

It is a little talk about a new device which you will find installed in the Silks, Dress Goods, Linens and White Goods Sections.

On the counter you'll find a little black enameled instrument, with two open spaces on top—one of these spaces looks like a clock face and the other like a multiplication table. The clock face tells the quantity of goods you've purchased, the multiplication table shows the exact amount of your purchase. This instrument is called

MEASUREGRAPHS

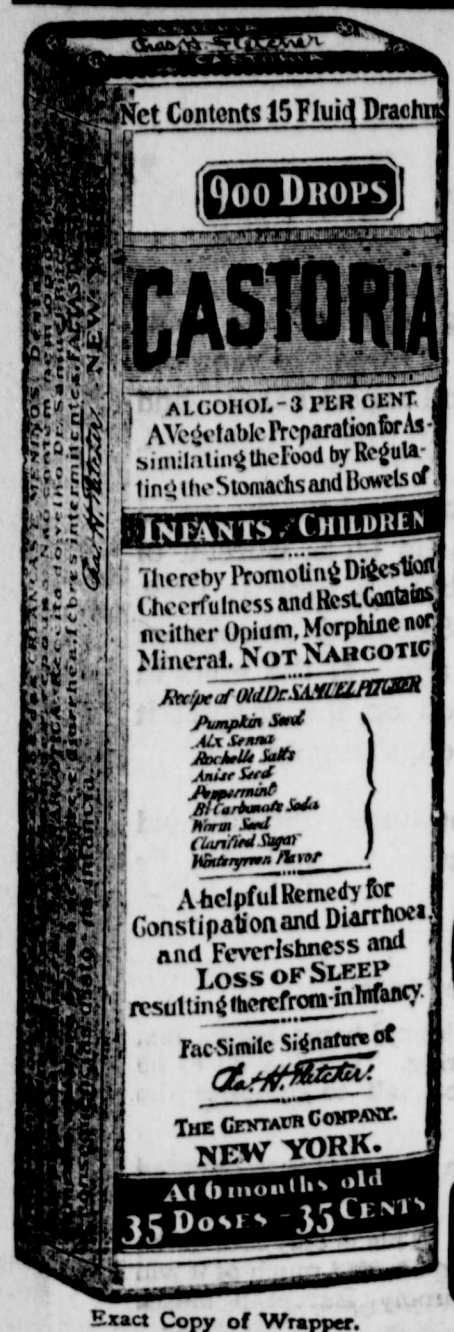
and its purpose is to assist us in giving purchasers of yard goods exact measurement and charging them the correct price on every purchase. This means that you can be waited on more quickly than heretofore, a vital consideration in these busy times: and equally important to us is the knowledge that our patrons receive all that they pay for.

First in the installation of many conveniences for the shopping public, this store is also first to install the "Measuregraph."

Early Buying is the Thing

We still have gingham at 25c per yard, in the fall new gingham will be 30c and 35c per yard. Overalls now \$1.75 the garment next shipment \$2.00. Other things in proportion to the above.

Caton-Dodson Dry Goods Company



CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

**Mothers Know That
Genuine Castoria**

Always
Bears the
Signature

of
Chas. H. Fletcher.

In
Use

For Over
Thirty Years

CASTORIA

WHY SUFFER SO?

Why suffer from a bad back, from sharp, shooting twinges, headaches, dizziness and distressing urinary ills? Snyder people recommend Doan's kidney pills. Could you ask for stronger proof of merit?

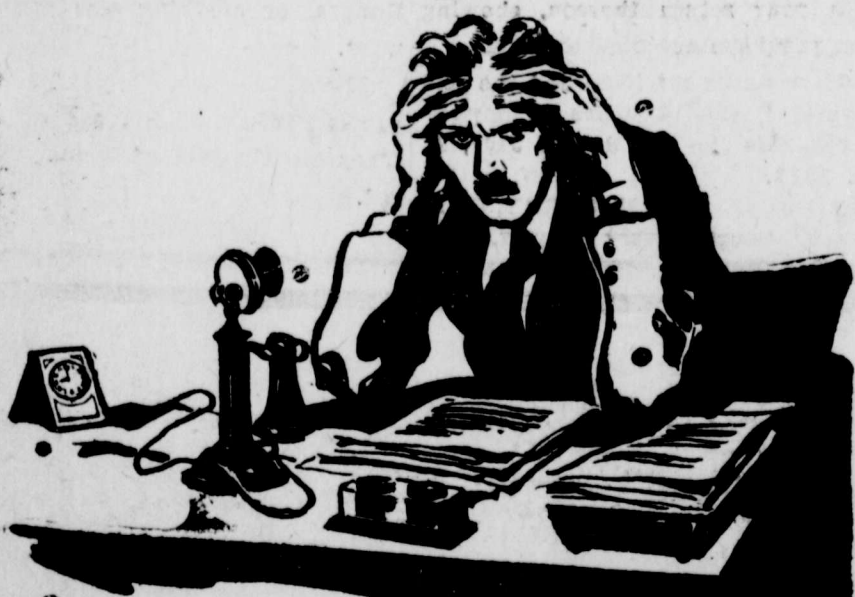
Mrs. J. L. Abbott, Church St., Snyder, says: "About a year ago I was in a pretty bad way with my back. At times there were sharp pains in the small of my back, which I could hardly bear and when I stooped over to put on my shoes in the morning it was an effort for me to straighten up, as the pains were so intense. I had terrible nervous spells and throbbing headaches. My feet and ankles would swell twice their normal size and morning I felt tired and worn out. Doan's Kidney Pills had been used in my family for a good many years with wonderful results, so I took them and I am glad to say I certainly derived wonderful benefits from their use. I am not at all bothered in that way now, but use Doan's as a preventive."

60c. at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years

Always bears
the
Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*



"Racking, torturing, pain—"

such as Headaches, Backaches, Neuralgia, etc., are serious handicaps and also most annoying, painful and depressing. They can be relieved promptly and effectively by the use of DR. MILES' ANTI-PAIN PILLS.

"I had for a long time been troubled with a severe pain at the base of the brain, sometimes being almost unendurable. I began using DR. MILES' ANTI-PAIN PILLS and soon saw an improvement and at the present time consider myself entirely relieved." W. F. Chadwick, Montello, Mass.

These wonderful little tablets contain no habit forming drug—nor produce ill after effect but when used according to directions afford almost instant relief. Your druggist knows why these effective tablets have been increasing in popular favor for over 30 years. Ask him about them—a box costs only a few cents.



DR. MILES' Anti-Pain Pills
FOR RELIEF OF PAIN

Mrs. Burns' Letter.

Here is a letter that is certain to prove of interest to people in this vicinity, as cases of this sort occur in almost every neighborhood, and people should know what to do in like circumstances:

Savannah, Mo., Oct. 12, 1916.
"I used a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy about nine years ago and it cured me of flux (dysentery.) I had another attack of the same complaint some three or four years ago and a few doses of this remedy cured me. I have recommended Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy to dozens of people since I first used it."

Probably everybody whoever witnessed a fist fight has heard the licked fellow declare that it is not done with. Just so with Germany, they know they have been threshed, but they are mad enough to think they'll try it again. They will unless they are held down by force

Chamberlain's Tablets.

These tablets are intended especially for stomach troubles, biliousness and constipation. If you have any trouble of this sort, give them a trial and realize for yourself what a first class medicine will do for you. They only cost a quarter.

It smacks of selfishness for a person to have feelings of envy over the prosperity of other folks.

HEARD ABOUT TOWN

It can rain here any old time.

There are a number of fine weed patches in Snyder.

July comes in with peaches, plums, potatoes, prohibition, woman suffrage, big crops prospects and two cent postage.

—O—O—

The family that have no garden this year surely didn't try it.

Andy Trevey said Monday that he expected a drilling contract to be closed this week at Knapp. The abstracts have all been completed and the time is ripe.

W. L. Gillum was asked what they are doing at Dunn and he replied "Spending money."

Frank Brownfield said here the other day that he has a docile old mule that has been eating imported feed all the year and behaving nicely. Last week he began to feed home grown oats and the mule had been on home feed just three days when he got to feeling his oats and kicked Frank a regular Fitz Simmons just about the fourth and fifth ribs.

Lame Shoulder.

This ailment is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles. All that is needed is absolute rest and a few applications of Chamberlain's Liniment. Try it.

Some fellow got up in a supposedly religious meeting in Dallas and advocates rewriting the bible, making the statement that the bible was not written by inspired minds, but merely ignorant men, who expressed their individual opinions of the matter contained therein. He evidently overlooks the fact that our state, national, county, and precinct laws are written by "smart men," and they are usually found to be full of flaws, and bring on more trouble than the laws of Moses and others as laid down in Holy Writ. It is our humble opinion that the less we tamper with changing the wording of the bible, and the closer we try to live up to its teachings, the better off we will be when the final reckoning takes place. The peculiar part of the thing is, the statement was made in the presence of able ministers of the gospel, and not a word of resentment offered, according to the statement in the paper—Lynn County News.

Those same fellows would probably try to make St. Peter believe it honest to get through the gates on another fellows pass.

Advertised Letters.

Snyder, Texas, July 4, 1919.

Mrs. J. L. Bradley.
Miss Howard Belcher.
Guy Maunce.

The above letters if uncalled for within two weeks will be forwarded to Division of Dead Letters, Washington, D. C.

Respectfully,
E. B. Barnes, P. M.

The funniest joke in Texas is the suggestion of Jim Ferguson to get Joe Bailey in the race for president of the United States.

The Fort Worth Record insists that if American merchants expect to quickly build up a leading trade with Europe they must get in shape to extend long time credit, even six, twelve or eighteen months. Europe has had that system and under present financial stress will have to be indulged.

Tuesday, June 17, was the birthday of Rev. J. H. Stewart and J. P. Chambless, and a revival of old times was resumed yesterday when Mrs. Chambless served 6 o'clock dinner, assisted by Mrs. Stewart, in their new home, 503 East Marvin avenue. Ten years ago a like celebration was practiced for four years while Rev. Stewart was pastor at Ennis.—Waxahachie Light.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, etc.

THE TEXAS GRAIN CROP.

Fort Worth Record.—

The value of the wheat crop this year in Texas is threatening to displace the cotton crop in value. "Texas can feed the United States," has been the boast of the Texan for long time, but it has been doubted by others. Thus far no authentic estimate of the crop can be obtained but with reports pouring in it will be the largest in the history of the state.

The southern belt that extends as far south as Austin produced some good wheat and it has been thrown on the market. Bad weather has interfered some with thrashing and caused some of the grain to grade low. Inability to get good seed wheat also caused low grading. This is offset by the northern belt extending from Denton county on up through the Llano Estacado country.

In the staked plains country the soil has long been pronounced wonderfully adapted to the raising of grains, but there has never in years been the weather suitable for the grains. The acreage has been increased greatly and reports from Amarillo state that the farmers will average from twenty to forty bushels of the grain to the acre.

Around Denton the wheat has been graded No. 2 and a premium of 8 cents, or \$2.12, paid for it. This is true at Sherman. The only fear now is that the wheat that is not thrashed may sprout in the shocks if it is not given to the machine at once.

The oat crop over the state is running as large as the wheat and is reported to be grading well. Recent rains however have damaged the crop in the southern belt.

Special reports from Kansas City and other terminal points report the massing of grain cars to be sent to Texas to handle the crop rapidly. One report said that 400 cars had already been sent into the state, and that 500 more are being massed for early movement.

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION.

The State of Texas:

To the Sheriff or any constable of Scurry county, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published in the Snyder Signal, a newspaper of general circulation published in said county, at least once a week for ten consecutive days before the return day hereof, the following notice:

The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the welfare of Esther McDermott, a minor, Mrs. Dovie McDermott Edmondson has filed application in the county court of said Scurry county to be appointed guardian of the estate of said Esther McDermott, minor; which said application will be heard by said court at the next regular term thereof to be holden at the court house of said county in the city of Snyder on the 2nd Monday in July, A. D., 1919, the same being the 14th day of July, A. D., 1919, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said proceedings, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Snyder, Texas, this 13th day of June, A. D., 1919.

(Seal) W. M. Curry, Clerk,
of the County Court, Scurry County,
Texas.

One Hamlin lady remarked that the weeds lookd beautiful. Yes after so long without them, any thing looks beautiful that is green. From appearance of some of our streets it looks as if some Hamlin people had forgotten how to use the hoe.—Hamlin Herald.

People should not be so severely censured for failing to cut weeds. For a long time we've been used to them dying and drying up and possibly the folks are waiting for them to do so this year.

H. H. Copeland and family accompanied by Miss McBurnett of Brownfield were visitors at the Baptist parsonage last Friday night and left Saturday morning for Snyder.—Post City Post

A movement is well under way to establish an American colony in Mexico by whiskey people who have been put out of business in the United States. They aim to call their town Braunfels, but it will likely be recognized as Boozeville.

Oklahoma democrats are boosting Senator Owens for president in 1920.



A Doctor's Gift to The World

A Remedy to Overcome Catarrh and Catarrhal Conditions was Dr. Hartman's Legacy to the World of Suffering.

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If sick and in doubt, write The Peruna Company, Dept. S 81, Columbus, Ohio, for Dr. Hartman's Health Book. It is free. Sent in a plain wrapper to any address.
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HAD CATARRH IN WORST FORM

"I had catarrh and was all run down. Many claimed it was consumption and I really thought so myself. I had a pain in my lungs and left side, no appetite, could not sleep, always weak and tired. My weight was 89 pounds.

I took fifteen bottles of Peruna and am entirely cured. I now weigh 135 pounds. Thanks to Peruna."
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WOULD MAKE OIL COMPANIES SHOW THEIR HAND.

Gov. Hobby has asked the Legislature to enact a law to require oil gas companies to file prompt reports and gas companies to file prompt report of production, sale, price of output and to report progress in development and the disposition of money received for stock. This is a very important proposition. Oil companies are organized and they send out flaming advertisements showing how in a few days or weeks the average gamblingly inclined person will soon be drawing dividends or his stock will increase in market value several fold in a short time. They are already drilling, or soon will be right near other good wells and can't possibly miss a good strike. The glibbing plunger is over come with glittering promise, he sends his good check, gets a nice lithographed certificate of stock and sits down to wait for his dividend check which doesn't come. No report comes from the proposed drilling and the certificate holder begins to suspect "buffalo." The company may be getting ready to make good but the investor doesn't know it. A law to compel reports will at least open a way to know whether or not the supposed company has gone to the mountains or is still in line to show what has gone with the money sent to them.

The Joy of Living.

To enjoy life we must have good health. No one can reasonably hope to get much real pleasure out of life when his bowels are clogged a good share of the time and the poisons that should be expelled are absorbed into the system, producing headache and indigestion. A few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets will move the bowels, strengthen the digestion and give you a chance to realize the real joy of living. Try it.

After much grumbling and growling and threatening and howling, the Germans decided to sign the peace treaty. With an army of Americans on the Rhine ready to strike toward Berlin, there was nothing for huns to do but sign as they were told. The old bully has been cowed.

GIRLS! WHITEN SKIN WITH LEMON JUICE

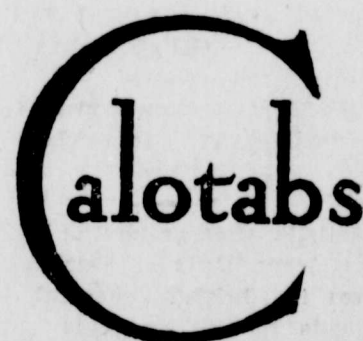
Make a Beauty Lotion for a few cents To Remove Tan, Freckles and Sallowiness.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply you with three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Squeeze the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle, then put in the orchard white and shake well. This makes a quarter pint of the very best lemon skin whitener and complexion beautifier known. Massage this fragrant creamy lotion into the face, neck and arms and hands and just see how freckles tan, sallowness, redness and roughness, disappear and how smooth, soft and clear the skin becomes. Yes it is harmless and the beautiful results will surprise you.

Editor Shelton of the Rotan Advance wants the mosquitoes killed, before July because after then there will be no remedy for malaria but quinine.

The act of the Germans in sinking the interned ships aroused a feeling in other people that the Armistice was signed about 60 days too soon.

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DEALER

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CALLED HER FAMILY TO HER BEDSIDE

Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady, But Now She Is a Well, Strong Woman and Praises Cardui For Her Recovery.

Roysse City, Tex.—Mrs. Mary Kilman, of this place, says: "After the birth of my little girl... my side commenced to hurt me. I had to go back to bed. We called the doctor. He treated me... but I got no better. I got worse and worse until the misery was unbearable... I was in bed for three months and suffered such agony that I was just drawn up in a knot... I told my husband if he would get me a bottle of Cardui I would try it... I commenced taking it, however, that evening I called my family about me... for I knew I could not last many days unless I had a change for

the better. That was six years ago and I am still here and am a well, strong woman, and I owe my life to Cardui. I had only taken half the bottle when I began to feel better. The misery in my side got less... I continued right on taking the Cardui until I had taken three bottles and I did not need any more for I was well and never felt better in my life... I have never had any trouble from that day to this."

Do you suffer from headache, backache, pains in sides, or other discomforts, each month? Or do you feel weak, nervous and fagged-out? If so, give Cardui, the woman's tonic, a trial.

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What Do You Know of the Home of Food Products You Use.

An article for food used in a can or a package is like a person dressed in his "best." But you can't judge by appearance.

Every housewife should know something of the homes of the food products she buys. She should know something of the materials used—the methods employed.

Is the factory clean? Is it sanitary? Are the materials pure and kept kept pure. You can't always tell by the looks of an article or by the taste. There's only one safe way—that is knowledge of the source and production—acquaintance with the factory.

The Calumet Baking Powder Co. of Chicago seems to appreciate the importance of the housewife knowing the facts about the Calumet factory—the Home of Calumet Baking Powder. They not only invite everyone to visit their plant but publish booklets, etc., picturing and describing their factory. It is the largest finest, best equipped factory of the kind in the world. Absolutely sanitation governs every operation of manufacture. Every appliance, every inch of space is kept hygienically

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Calumet is made only from the highest and purest of ingredients. It is absolutely pure when it reaches the user and is positively pure in the baking—leaves no harmful residue of any nature.

In acquainting the housewife with their rigid rules of cleanliness, purity and sanitation, the Calumet Baking Powder Co. establish a standard that is always open to investigation—guaranteeing at all times strict adherence to their policy of protection against impurities and unsanitary factory conditions.

Miss Nena Perkins left Friday to visit at Sulphur Springs, after then she will go back to Abilene.

Miss Emily McClinton is on a summer visit with relatives at Commerce and Paris.

Born at Gail, June 29 to Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Wooten a girl.

Judge J. G. Patterson and Osar Sears were here Saturday from Gail.

Miss Effie Riley is visiting the Wicker family at Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. Wicker of Durham were in Snyder Saturday.

Mrs. B. C. Taylor of Knapp comes back on the Signal list.

Mrs. C. L. Simmons sends in renewal.

J. R. Burditt sends in \$1.50. Says he has to keep reading up.

John Stavely Jr. who is at Ranger helping W. R. Craft get rich in reading the Signal.

T. N. Nunn comes back in line.

R. E. Clark on route 3 has come back from south Texas and moves his Signal address to correspond.

Luther Garner reads the Signal at Gorman.

E. P. Ainsworth at Arah is a renewal.

George Northcutt of Texarkana continues to read about the good outlook in Scurry county. We have only loaned George to East Texas.

Dallas suffragettes will get up a big rally in honor of ratification and will invite all of the Dallas county legislators except Senator McNealus. They don't like that old mean thing because he opposed them.

Germany Planned to Not Sign.

Everybody has noticed the reluctance of the Germans about signing the peace terms. They have been holding out that they would be signing away the honor of Germany. They have come back time and again with counter suggestions and have tried to argue with the peace council. Most of their suggestions have been rejected an finally after a time limit had been fixed and no further respite could be obtained they thought to delay signing by a disorganization of their government so there would be no one authorized to sign, and in that way shove the humiliation off a few days. It is now made plain through German papers that it has been their purpose to not sign the treaty until they should have tried to get their Hohenzollerns back and see if they could restore the old monarchy. The German intention is fully explained in this news item sent out from Berlin last week:

The German government headed by Phillip Scheidemann had planned to refuse to sign the peace treaty and to permit the allied troops to march into Germany as far as Elbe where it would be attacked by a strong German force, the Danzig correspondent of the Tageblatt declares in a dispatch describing the details of a secret plan to create a separate state in northeastern Germany.

The plan failed because of jealousies and differences of opinions between the government and the army leaders, the correspondent says.

A report from Geneva Thursday night said Herr Schiedemann had arrived in Switzerland and crossing the frontier on foot.

The last proposal made by the conspirators planning to oppose the allies, it is said, was to ask Poland to combine with eastern Germany in the formation of an independent republic. The offer, it is declared, was rebuffed by the Poles who asked why it had not been offered ten years ago.

Mrs. J. R. Higgins and Mrs. W. S. Upton of West Point community visited the Signal office Monday and placed in the farm product booth a bunch of as fine millet as anybody ever saw.

Dr. W. C. Mullens and son W. C. Jr. of Fort Worth and Lawyer Kirk of Plainview were here Monday.

"BAYER CROSS" ON ASPIRIN

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Only Aspirin Tablets with the safe "Bayer Cross" on them are genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin," owned and made by Americans and proved safe by millions of people. Unknown quantities of fraudulent Aspirin Tablets were sold recently by a Brooklyn dealer which proved to be composed mostly of Talcum Powder.

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PROFESSIONAL
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Office in Williams' Building
Snyder, Texas.

Mrs. J. C. Dawson has returned from visiting at Lamesa.

Mr. Thomas Fletcher was down town Monday with a lot of fine lucious peaches from his orchard. He had already sold them but brought the Signal a nice sample sack of them.

Mr. E. H. Chorn of Mansfield is the guest of his brother J. I. Chorn.

Cecil Chorn Died Friday.
Cecil Chorn 18 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Chorn of the Bell community died at Lubbock last Friday following an operation on Tuesday for appendicitis. The remains were buried Saturday at Herleigh.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR SALE OF REAL ESTATE

The State of Texas:
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Scurry County, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published in the Snyder Signal a newspaper of general circulation published in said county, at least once a week for 20 consecutive days before the return day hereof, the following notice:

The State of Texas, to all persons interested in the estate of E. C. Taylor deceased.

Know ye, that Hugh Taylor, administrator of the estate of E. C. Taylor, deceased, having on the 16th day of June, A. D., 1919, filed in the County Court of Scurry County, Texas, exhibit application to sell the following described land belonging to said estate: All the east one-half of Section No. 2, block 2 S. P. Ry. Co. survey in Taylor county, Texas; All the east one-half of Section No. 2, block 2, T. & N. O. Ry. Co. survey in Taylor County, Texas;

And all the N. W. 1-4 of Section No. 4, block 2 T. & N. O. Ry. Co. survey in Taylor County, Texas; All the N. E. 1-4 of Section No. 5 block 2 S. P. Ry. Co. survey in Taylor county, Texas; and all of section No. 303 in block 97, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey in Scurry county, Texas.

Now therefore these are to notify all persons interested in said estate to be and personally appear at the next regular term of the honorable County Court, to be holden at the court house in the city of Snyder, on the 2nd Monday in July, A. D., 1919, same being the 14th day of said month, and then and there to show cause why such sale should not be made, should they choose to do so.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 23rd day of June, A. D., 1919.

(Seal) W. M. Curry, Clerk, County Court, Scurry County, Tex.
By Willie Morred, Deputy. 4

Schools are being established along the Mexican border to teach Mexicans the principles of American policies and business methods and it is said the Mexicans are taking nicely to the plan.

Miss Claudia Curnutte of Dallas, but formerly a Post citizen came in from Dallas last Monday morning and will visit friends here for several days—Post City Post.

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION.

The State of Texas,
County of Scurry,
In Probate Court,
The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or any constable of Scurry County, Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published in the Snyder Signal, a newspaper of general circulation published in said county, at least once a week for twenty (20) consecutive days before the return day hereof, the following notice:

The State of Texas
To all persons interested in the estate of Nancy Ann Harris, deceased and J. C. Harris, deceased.

M. W. Bavousett administrator of the estate of Nancy Ann Harris, deceased, and J. C. Harris, deceased has filed his annual report which said proceedings will be heard by said court on the 14th day of July, 1919, at the court house of said County in Snyder, Texas at which time all persons interested in said estate are requested to appear and answer said proceedings should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Snyder, Texas, this 17th day of June, 1919.

(Seal) W. M. CURRY
Clerk County Court, Scurry County, Texas.
By Willie Norred, Deputy. 3

Wanted Sacks 4 and 6 cents each

Highest Prices Paid for Produce & Hides. Feed and farm seed of all kinds. Henderson & Merrell Successors to Ketner Bros.

SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT RATIFIED BY TEXAS LEGISLATURE

The Woman suffrage amendment to the Federal Constitution was ratified by the Texas State Senate last Saturday by a safe majority. The House had already voted overwhelmingly for ratification. Texas is the 9th state to ratify the first southern state to line up.

Oponents of the measure wanted the matter referred to the people. They argued that the Texas people had gone on record in opposition to woman suffrage and that Texas people didn't want it. Advocates argued that woman suffrage was a platform demand and that Texas Legislature had requested congress to provide just such an amendment.

One source of regret to Texans in this matter over defeat of the state amendment in May, is that the Texas constitution and laws will be made to conform to the federal constitution and yet the ignorant half-way naturalized foreigners will still be privileged to vote in Texas. The amendment proposed in Texas would have cut out that illiterate unqualified element from voting, but unless some way is found to bring about reform that element

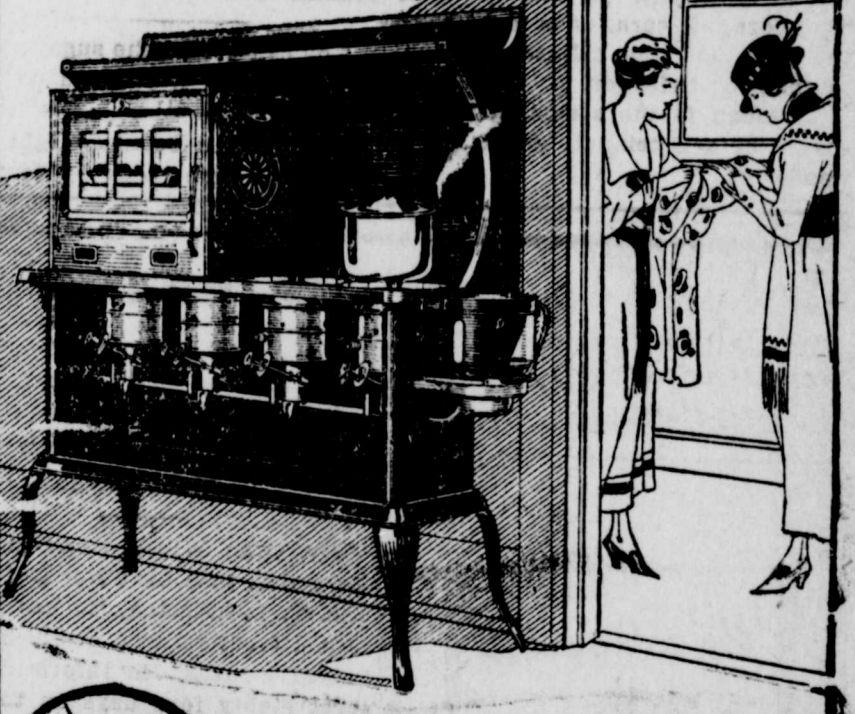
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FOR SALE—New Zealand buck rabbit. For further information call or write Horace Cotton, care Western Union.

Just received a car of the genuine "Davis Big Vein" Piedmont Smithing coal direct from the fields of J. C. Dawson.

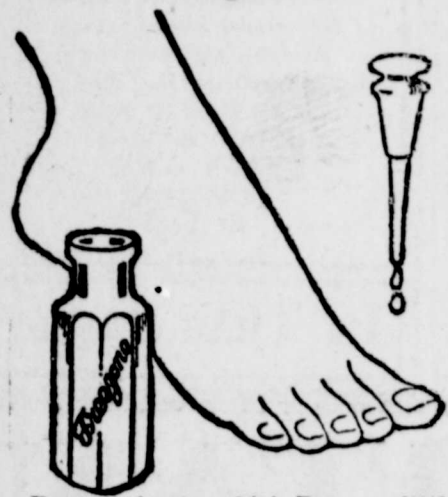
SWEET POTATO PLANTS—Nancy Hall, Porto Rico, Pumpkin Yam, Bunch Yam, Southern Queen; post-paid, 500, \$1.75; 1000, \$3.00. By Express 5000 \$12.50, 10,000 \$22.50, 20,000 \$42.00, cash with order. Wire for quantity prices. Prompt service, full count, careful pack. Liberty Plant Company, Crystal City, Texas. 50tf.

FOR SERVICE—A Jersey male at my place of business one block from northeast corner square. Telephone 262. W. T. Baze. 49tf

ESTRAYED—A yellow headed green parrot from my home in west Snyder. Reward if returned to Mrs. W. W. Livingston or Signal office. 3

LIFT OFF CORNS!

Apply few drops then lift sore, touchy corns off with fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magic! A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation. Freezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—One medium size jack branded triangle on left thigh. Good reward will be paid, if stolen, for arrest and conviction of thief Reynolds Ranch, Cuthbert, Texas. 6p

LOST—Near Santa Fe railroad crossing on Camp Springs road, Maxwell spare wheel with tire and tube inflated. Finder please return to Snyder Signal office for reward or notify W. D. Taylor, Snyder, Texas 4p

Revival Meeting.

We make the announcement again that the revival meeting under the auspices of the First Baptist church will begin on July 20 and continue until Aug 3. We are anxious that all Christian people help us make it a great success. We want the best singing and music we have ever had. While we want all the co-operation possible on the part of the different churches, we do not think it best for any church to dismiss its regular services. It is the regular services that build a church, and individual ground is always lost by giving away for some other services. There is plenty of time during the week for the several churches to co-operate with each other. W. H. Sims, Pastor.

Transfer of School Children.

Patrons wishing to transfer their children from one school district to another, must do so by August 1st. Application blanks for transfer can be had in my office and the law says must be signed by the patron with the bona fide intention of patronizing the school to which they are transferred. O. L. Howell, Co. Supt. 4

Born in Snyder July 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. L. Harless, a girl.

With a cotton crop of less than 11,000,000 bales and with all the world needing cotton the price ought to be high this year.

The allies have dealt generously with Germany and if that people will get down to honest effort they can rebuild their country.

You can get all the sugar you need for preserving if you can pay for it.

The Willard-Dempsey fight will be bulletined here today by rounds.

Signal Reader Still Thinks of Scurry County.

Lockney, Texas, Floyd County. Dear Signal: We are always glad when the Signal days come. We enjoy reading of the Scurry county people. I sure am glad that the drouth has broken up glad to see that Scurry is making her own feed once more.

I love to read of my old neighbors.

Too bad that Mr. Birdwell is having too much rain as it has been so long since he has had any. Sorry his crop got hauled out.

The Plains has certainly got its Sunday clothes on this time. The wheat is fine. The binders are going Sunday and Monday when it is not raining.

I thought the last two years that I never would wish for it to quit raining any more, but I sure would like to see some fair weather. I have a fine garden, wish I could divide with those that haven't any, as we haven't had any in two years. We sure do enjoy it.

A very sad accident occurred last week at Lockney. Robert Shelton, one of Baker Brothers employees was drowned in a big lake, not far out, while bathing. He was 17 years old.

I sure am glad to know of so many soldier boys coming home and that the war is over.

Good wishes for Scurry county. Yours, Mrs. Nannie Mathis.

Mr. Crawford of the Cozy Theatre wishes to inform the public that he will have his large fan in operation by tonight or tomorrow and that the patrons need not be afraid of the hot weather, as the show room will be very cool and pleasant.

B. Y. P. U. Program.

Song, prayer, song. Business, song. Scripture reading, 1 Cor. 13. Nellie Wilson.

Love, Fairy Doak.

The Love of Jesus for us, Alma-nelle Morris.

Obedience is the Test of Love, Lela Isaacs.

Our Love for Each Other, Ruby Stokes.

Discussion "Some Bible Illustrations of the Love of Jesus." (see leaders' quarterly.) Miss Isaacs.

Leader's ten minutes. Song, closing prayer.

KILL THE BLUE BUGS.

And all bloodsucking insects by feeding Martin's Wonderful Blue Bug Killer to your chickens. Your money back if not absolutely satisfied. Ask Grayum Drug Co. 14

The allies will raise the German blockade as soon as the peace treaty has been ratified.

The Signal really enjoys hearing and talking about the fine crop outlook and wants to see the people stand shoulder to shoulder for material progress. It has been assured by certain leading business men that its efforts for active material development will be backed up by the people, all working together in harmonious, unselfish effort.

There probably are a good many people in Snyder wondering what has become of the outside oil stock money.

TURNER DISTRICT.

Crops are looking fine now.

Mr. Boyd has the thrasher at his house this week.

Gotton that had to be planted over is coming along nicely now.

Everybody has a good garden this year and a patch of beans in the field for winter.

We are glad to state that the health of the community is good.

Aunt Mandy Turner is visiting out here this week.

Mr. Conroe's brother is visiting him.

Leon Wren has a mule that just cant face Jake Groves as he leaves the place when Jake appears.

Mrs. Leon Wren is visiting her parents in Comanche County.

Mesdames J. R. Higgins and W. S. Upton visited at Mrs. Lyman Wren's Tuesday and also Mrs. Upton paid Mrs. C. C. Higgins a short visit and on their way home got caught in a nice shower and visited with Mrs. Boothe at the Barnhart place while it rained. Mr. and Mrs. Boothe have just recently come to Scurry county. And we are glad to have good friendly people like them to come.

Our Sunday school is progressing nicely at Turner school. Everybody invited to come and take part.

We learn that Mr. Eoff has sold out. His daughter, Mrs. Herman Blakely visited him Sunday night and Monday.

Mrs. Upton is so glad their farm is not blank this year that she took a sample of her millet patch and put on display at the Signal office. —AUNTIE.

John Stavely, Jr., was here this week from Ranger.

J. W. Wemken as here Wednesday reconciled than usual. His farms are dry from Hermleib. He looks more making him rich this year.

Wholesome Food Keeps the Children Well

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder is made from Cream of Tartar derived from grapes, a delicious, healthful fruit, and that is why it produces wholesome food, superior in texture and keeping quality.

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Porter King who has been in war service in France for a year or more arrived back in Snyder. We are glad to get him back in good shape and the way is open for his razor and lather brush to fix up civilians.

Knights Templar Meet.

The Knights Templar had an interesting meeting here Tuesday afternoon and night. Some of the Colorado Knights were here. So far as noted the visitors were J. A. Buchanan, J. R. Sheppard, R. P. Price, J. W. Sherwin and W. P. Garvin.

Mrs. J. H. Ellis had a message this week informing her that her son, George Ellis, had reached Newport News on his way home from France. George is badly needed at home with his mother and sisters since his father's death and he is coming as fast as he can.

T. F. Blackard came in Thursday to say the lumber has been put on the ground for the derrick for the deep test on the Shoemaker land south of Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Leath returned Thursday morning from their wedding trip in Alabama.

Neva, baby of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ellis, died at Dunn, June 30.

We are in the market for country produce, butter and eggs, and will pay the highest market prices for your produce. 3tf

Star Meat Market

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It was positively stated last week in Associated Press dispatches that former Crown Prince Frederick had escaped from his hiding place in Holland and was back in Germany planning to organize the military force and resume the leadership in Germany, but in a day or two the story was denied. There are evidences however to show that the imperialists in Germany have their plans laid along that line.

The anti-Suffrage senators tried to get a number of State senators to resign to break a quorum, but so many were afraid they couldn't be elected. The people would hardly approve of such a course which would bring on the expense of a special election.

Just received a large shipment of Eastman Kodak films and film Packs. H. G. TOWLE, JEWELER.

FLUVANNA.

Mr. Oran Wilson came in Friday for a visit with his sister and family, Mrs. T. L. Winston. He has just returned from France, where he spent twelve months. He informed us he spent eighty four days on the front line and things got very warm for the boys during the latter days of the hostilities.

Mr. W. H. Bland and Mr. J. T. Thompson of Taylor, Texas, came in Friday to look after their ranch interest in Borden county.

Mr. E. L. Sewall returned Friday from Lovington, N. M., where he has been the past week. His son, J. W. will remain there a few days.

Mr. David Whatley came in Friday to visit his sister, Mrs. W. O. Wills. He is just returning from France. His wife met him at Fort Worth and came back with him. He reports that everything was well with him and was more than glad to get home again. He and wife left Monday for their new home in Western N. M., where he expects to homestead.

Good rains fell most all over this part of the country last week. Farmers were never busier than they are now. While most of them have their crops in fair condition prospects was never better here.

Harvesting is still under full headway and with fair weather the balance of this week they will near

about finish cutting.

Mr. Winston of Fort Worth visited his son, T. L. Winston, last week.

Fluvanna Cemetery Working July 12. There will be a general working of the cemetery on Saturday, July 12 at Fluvanna, and everybody interested there or in any other cemetery ought to be there. Bring your hoe and be ready to work. Dinner will be served on the grounds.

Mr. J. A. Middleton came in Wednesday with samples of his long cucumbers for the Signal's products collection, he is enthusiastic about the county exhibit and says he is going to give all the help and boosting he can. He wants the Signal to whoop it along and get the people to bring in the stuff.

Senator Gerry of Rhode Island in a speech in the senate said: "The real question is whether we believe that it is better for the United States to have a say in European matters and thus try to prevent another horrible war, or to keep our hands off and wait until the world is aflame and then endeavor to assert our might to protect our rights. In one case we have a hand in shaping the destinies of mankind. In the other we suffer the consequences that are likely to come from an uncontrollable situation in Europe."

Hogs and hog feed in abundance this year.

The Mexican government not only permits bandits to murder and maltreat American citizens, but sent soldiers to American owned oil fields to drive away American workers. This is being branded as an over act of confiscation and indications increase that intervention, or invasion is bound to come.

Tracey Smith who went to Austin recently has secured a position in the office of Gov. Hobby.

Rev. D. R. Hardison came in Wednesday from Colorado and has been busy getting ready for the revival meeting to begin tonight.

The old war party in Germany will try to kidnap the crown prince and take him back to Germany to head a counter revolt. The queen of Holland has told the young man that such a step by him will be Holland's ruin and she thinks her hospitality should be respected. He will care very little for that if he sees any chance to succeed. Germany doesn't stand on sentiment or honor.

The brewers and whiskey people are running wide open in St. Louis in open violation of the prohibition law. They will try to hang the matter up in the courts and will spend millions of dollars to defeat the expressed will of the American people.

Robert Ball of Cleburne is here looking after his farm and here he thinks he will move out here in the fall.

Rev. J. W. Gerrard of Megargel is visiting relatives and friends in Scurry county.

Mrs. J. H. Byrd and children are visiting at Abilene and the sheriff is all out of sorts for having to do his on cooking.

Mrs. J. C. Stinson and children will leave Sunday to visit at Carlsbad, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Nation and Mrs. Allen Warren are visiting in Oklahoma.

Paul Hudgens of Dallas is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hayter and Mrs. Cotten and family.

W. R. McFarland was here yesterday from Dunn and substantially remembered the Signal.

Miss Dura Dawson and Miss Janie Warren left today to spend the Fourth at Post City.

Mrs. W. R. Minor says there was some sort of a mistake about her having fruit to sell. She says she has only about what she wants for her use.

Germany's loss of men during the war is reported 5,500,000.

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