

It's Big, and Little
Fit at 50c Why Not at 100?
Lindbergh Glides a Little
Only \$150,000 a Year

Los Angeles, Calif.—To know that the world is small, come to the edge of the Pacific and talk to New York friends as easily as though they were in the same room. Or call London, and talk, unconscious of the fact that your voice, transformed into an electric impulse, flashes across the Atlantic ocean in less than a sixteenth of a second, through the ether.

Next, to realize that the world, this country especially, is big, explore the map on your railroad time table, and look for Tucson, ARIZ. You find it a couple of inches away from Los Angeles, and decide to drive there some afternoon to investigate the much praised climate.

You discover that the distance is 700 miles, and decide to take a train that makes the trip in a night.

This west coast supplies everything that you want in the way of new ideas, religions, queer beliefs.

Many gentlemen teach you to explore hidden resources of your brain and exchange them for cash, right away.

One, enthusiastic, teaches something new called "Brain Breathing." By brain breathing, it seems, you can get rich rapidly.

California has a "Fit at Fifty" club, which politely sends you an honorary membership and says it is endorsed by the governor.

California and every other state should have a "Fit at One Hundred" club. In this country, fifty should be only the beginning of fitness and hard work.

At San Diego Lindbergh borrowed a "glider" airplane, with no engine. He asked a few questions, went up alone, flew for half an hour, 500 feet up, came down and applied for a first-class glider pilot license. He got it. There is only one Lindbergh, but there are a million young Americans like him. They will keep aviation going.

A lady stockholder in the Fox Film company complains that "William Fox paid himself a salary of \$150,000." If that's true, Mr. Fox, like a distinguished servant of the East India company, must be amazed at his own moderation.

One company that he controls pays each of the two managers three times \$150,000. And moving picture stars hired by him get \$150,000 for one picture.

Even humble newspaper employees get more than that modest \$150,000 salary. It isn't what you are paid, but what you produce, that counts.

This glorious coast from Seattle to San Diego, the land of good roads, faces a family problem less acute in other parts of the country.

The problem is "which cars shall go into the garage, and which shall be parked in the driveway?" Here the two-car, three-car and four-car family is the rule.

The distressing accident to a Maddux airplane returning from the Mexican horse races at Agua Caliente is part of the price of progress. It means one of the first improvements should be to make a plane taking fire, due to collision, impossible.

When railroading started in France, and an accident between Paris and Versailles killed many, it was thought that Frenchmen would ride no more. A troupe of actors, hired, sat in trains at the windows smiling, pretended to like it. Railroading was not abandoned. Flying will increase every year, and become safer than rail or motor travel.

This nation needs 250,000,000 more people to eat the food and use the automobiles, clothing, houses, and radio sets the country could produce.

Some day 500,000,000 Americans will live on the hill tops and mountain tops, and fly down to business or to work on plains and in valleys.

What ships are to the Clyde, packing houses to Chicago, big banks to New York and fat goose livers to Strasburg, moving pictures are to this Hollywood land.

The two biggest billboards read "Garbo Talks." They don't even mention the lady's first name, which is greta.

And "at last the voice of voices, Norma Talmadge."

Two ladies—Bernhardt and Duse—might dispute that, but they are dead; Norma Talmadge much alive.

In 1933 Chicago will celebrate in grand style the "Century of Progress."

And there is much to celebrate. Rufus C. Dawes, brother of our ambassador to England, president of the Chicago celebration, says: "Man is becoming smarter all the time, and because of science the world is a much better place than ever before."

Most gratifying is the fact that man is becoming less brutal all the time. Now if you want to find murder in the name of religion, the vilest beliefs or superstitions, you go into the gutters of ignorance. You no longer find such things on the throne of lawmaking bodies.

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Snyder Tigers Defeat Abilene High Saturday

Local Squad Rallies at Last Minute to Emerge Victorious

The Snyder Tigers led by their inimitable coach, "Red" Moore, traveled into the home lair of the Abilene Eagles Saturday night and proceeded to polish them off to the sweet tune of 20 to 17. The Times-Signal had given ample warning to Prexy Anderson of the Reporter-News there just what would happen, but "Prexy" must have overlooked sufficient "tonic" to get the Eagles going just right, for it's sweet music for a bunch of boys from the sticks to wander into the big towns and take their city cousins to a cleaning.

The Reporter-News in reporting the game Sunday morning said: Snyder High School showed itself ahead in the last minutes of a game in the Eagles' gymnasium last night to beat Abilene, 20 to 17. The defeat made the week-end a complete washout for the Eagles, who had been taken out at Colorado Friday evening by a count of 18 to 10.

A Boomerang
With a two-point lead and with time becoming scarce, the Abilene club essayed a stall. Apparently, that was exactly what the Snyder team wanted. All five Tigers marched down the court, took the ball away from the Eagles and promptly knotted the score.

A field goal and a foul goal were then chalked up by the bengals to give them the victory.

Snyder won by shooting long goals. The Eagles, on the other hand, were able to work the ball close in for their shots, but their average in striking the target was fatally low.

Coach Red Moore kept the same five men for Snyder on the floor from start to last, and three members of the club did all the scoring. Huestis accounted for nine points, Martin for six, and Greenfield for five. Captain Smoky Allen was high for the entire field with four field goals and two bulls-eyes from the dead line. Expending a lot of energy as usual, the Eagle leader also attracted attention by his efforts to advance the ball or to stop the rushes of the enemy.

SNYDER	FG	FT	PP	TP
Martin, f	2	2	1	6
Huestis, f	4	1	0	9
Greenfield, c	2	1	1	5
Trice, c	0	0	0	0
Burdine, g	0	0	0	0
Totals	8	4	2	20

ABILENE	FG	FT	PP	TP
Allen, f	4	2	3	10
J. Smith, f	1	0	1	2
Moore, f	0	0	0	1
R. Groseclose, c	1	0	2	2
White, g	1	1	0	3
W. Groseclose, g	0	0	1	0
S. Smith, g	0	0	2	0
Totals	7	3	10	17

Referee: Anderson.

COURT HOUSE LAWN BEING CLEANED UP

The annual clean-up and beautification of the court house lawn and trees is in progress, with all trees now being trimmed and placed in shape.

The Commissioners' Court is responsible for this improvement, and the members of this court are maintaining Snyder's enviable record of having the best looking and finest appearing court house lawn and trees of any city on the Dal-Paso Cavern Highway between Fort Worth and El Paso. Visitors who come through Snyder have often repeated the fact that our city looks the neatest and finest around the square of any of the cities they have passed through. This is quite a fine feather in the hats of the Commissioners' Court, as well as the Federated Club ladies who annually plant flowers and shrubbery to assist in the improved appearance. It takes a lot of booster folks to make a real city—and Snyder boasts of a goodly portion.

Charity Meeting
WAYS and means of disposing of charity cases will be taken up at the court house this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

NORTH CAROLINA EDITOR HITS NAIL ON THE HEAD

Editor W. O. Saunders of the Independent, Elizabeth City, N. C., said a mouth full of truthful sense when he said: "The trouble with my little town and your little town, as I see it, is too many organizations and not enough organization. We unload almost every social, political and spiritual responsibility on some little jack-ass organization, when what we need is to harness all our horse-power in one big team and move heaven and earth with it if desirable. "And what are we going to do about it? Bless me if I know. I guess we'll organize another organization."

Scurry County Wildcat Test Drilling Ahead

Oil and Gas Encountered in J. Wright Moorar Oil Test

Although showings of oil and gas were encountered in the E. L. Smith-Magnolia Petroleum Co.'s No. 1 J. Wright Moorar well during the past week, Saturday morning drilling continuing below a total depth of 2,630 feet in hard grey lime. Early the past week they were below 2,800 feet and were apparently having no trouble in going through a dark sand formation.

Eight and one-quarter-inch casing was set at 2,553 feet where a small showing of oil was noticed. A previous showing of oil was encountered at 2,280 feet, but as drilling continued below 2,553 feet to the present depth of the well, both showings had been cased off. There was a small amount of gas noticeable in the well Saturday. According to information from a Big Spring source, visitors from that point indicated that acreage does not warrant a substantial increase as yet in the average price for wildcat acreage.

This well is located 1,320 feet from the south and west lines of section 379, block 97, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey. Salt was topped in the well at 750 feet and 500,000 cubic feet of gas was reached at 1,510 feet. An upper showing of oil was drilled into at 2,215 feet.

Camp Springs Shut Down

Camp Springs Oil Company's No. 3 Guinn, 1,300 feet from the south line and 300 feet from the east line of section 12, block 3, T. & T. C. Ry. Co. survey, is still shut down at 3,805 feet, but the showing of gas reported in the well last week is said to have been exhausted.

New Location

One new location was made in Scurry County last week. The Transcontinental Oil Co. & Vacuum Oil Company's No. 1 Beckham is a wildcat location 330 feet from the south and west lines of the R. N. Miller survey.

Census to Cover All Farm Data

Farmers Will Answer 232 Questions; City Dweller Only 24

Recently the Times-Signal printed the 24 questions necessary to be answered by the city dweller, and information received early this week from an authoritative source says the farmer has a schedule of 232 questions which will cover the farm operator himself, farm acreage, pasture, drainage, farm tenure, farm rentals, farm values, farm debts, taxes and expenditures, farm machinery, co-operative marketing, number of domestic animals of various species, crops of all kinds, value of products, movement of farm population, etc. Sample schedules are sent to farmers well in advance so that they may figure out the data and be ready for the enumerator.

Women who decline to reveal their ages will not, as a matter of policy, be threatened with a fine or a term in the hoosegow. But most women are said to be frank about their ages. Information given is held secret and cannot be used to incriminate anyone. Thus, if a few thousand persons describe their occupation as "bootlegging," they will not be bothered because of their frankness. But the Census Bureau expects very few bootleggers to be honest about it; most of them have other ostensible occupations.

Finish in Two Weeks

There are 574 supervisory districts where the census returns will be received and given a preliminary count before being sent on to Washington. Each census taker is paid according to the number of persons or farms he enumerates. He or she, that is, inasmuch as 20 or 25 per cent of the enumerators are likely to be women. They are all supposed to finish their territory within two weeks after the census begins.

Some of them have really difficult tasks climbing into the more remote fastnesses of the country. A certain tiny percentage of maniacs or cranks is bound to be encountered, with a modicum of strange experiences. For instances, one enumerator pumped a Texas farmer's wife in the last agricultural census while the farmer was away. When the farmer returned and heard that his wife had told all, he leaped on a horse, overtook the enumerator and forced the paper from him at a pistol's point. After federal officials had threatened him with arrest, however, he gave it back.

FUNERAL AT SWEETWATER

Funeral rites for R. L. Reynolds, 50, a resident of the Plum Creek community in Nolan County, were held at the Church of Christ in Sweetwater Saturday afternoon, W. M. Winters, Snyder, was an uncle of the deceased.

IT DOES PAY TO ADVERTISE

That most Scurry County folks read the Times-Signal is shown by the re-print of an article that appeared in last week's *Hermleigh Herald*:

Just as we go to press today, the Times-Signal made its weekly appearance in the office. We notice the following want-ad which has been running for two weeks.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Five-tube black land farm, \$2,500 will handle. Will take team and tools and cows part way. W. H. Kinzey, *Hermleigh, Texas.*

Mr. Kinzey says he has had dozens of people to see him in person and equally as many to write him asking information as to what a "Five-tube black land farm is."

Ed. Note—The only explanation that we have is that the original copy read "Five-tube."

HOME TALENT PLAY BEST OF THE SEASON

"Beats on a String," home talent production given by the Vocational Agriculture class of Snyder High School, was declared to have been the best home talent production given here this year. A fine crowd was in attendance.

Pilot Mitchell Signs Contract Local Airport

Widely Known Flyer Buys Plane; Will Manage Yoder Field

Pilot Loy Mitchell consummated arrangements Saturday whereby he has purchased the Yoder Curtiss Robin plane that has been located at the field. The three-place plane with dual controls will be used to conduct a flying school at Sweetwater, Big Spring and Snyder.

Mr. Mitchell is a "self-taught" flyer, and received his first education at Inadale, Scurry County, in an old JN-4, a war-time "Jenny," that is still being used at Sweetwater. Mr. Mitchell, who has been flying more than eight years, has over 4,000 hours in the air and is one of the safest and most widely known flyers in the state. He secured his transport pilot license last October. He previously had passed an examination and secured a license as a mechanic of civil aircraft.

Until January 1 Mr. Mitchell was manager of the Big Spring airport where officials of S. A. T. and citizens there have given him noteworthy recommendations for the type of citizen and his expert driving of aircraft.

Mr. Mitchell's parents live in Sweetwater, and he will remove to Snyder and give his entire time to managing the field as well as starting the flying schools at Sweetwater and Big Spring. The Times-Signal wants to join in a wholesome welcome to Mr. Mitchell with the hope that he will be able to focus the attention of the aviation world to the remarkable flying field that is located right here in Snyder.

NEW CITIZEN COMES TO BE WITH THE ECONOMY STORE

Ben T. Hill of Brownwood has arrived in Snyder to be associated with the Economy Dry Goods store in the place of O. M. Latimer. Mr. Hill has had many years of experience in the dry goods and shoe line and is not new in Snyder, having been here for a time when Henry Rosenberg was manager of the store. Mr. and Mrs. Hill have already moved here. They have a daughter who is now in school at C. I. A. Denton.

The Times-Signal wants to welcome both Mr. and Mrs. Hill to our city and hope they will enjoy their new surroundings and learn to love Snyder and Scurry as the rest of us do. Welcome, folks!

"BILL" LOSES IT—GETS IT BACK QUICK

Billy Lee drove down town Saturday morning and parked his Buick in front of the First State Bank & Trust Co. After completing some business at his office, he went down to get his car and be on his way elsewhere, but said car was not there. He immediately notified the sheriff's office, and the telephone started ringing to nearby towns, with the result that later in the afternoon the car was found at Big Spring parked in the center of the city. Mr. Lee had the car returned to him Sunday morning with no apparent consequences aside from a few extra miles on his tires.

Home Burns at Colorado

The new home of Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Whitmore at Colorado was destroyed by fire of undetermined origin at 3 o'clock Friday morning, they have advised friends here. The loss of \$10,000 was covered by \$8,500 insurance.

Snyder's Chain Stores Owned By Snyder Men

With Four Chain Grocery Stores, Snyder Fears No Propaganda

Snyder and Scurry County citizens are mighty proud of their four chain grocery stores that are entirely owned by Snyder men and which are operated on local capital and which pay taxes along with the other merchants and citizens of city and county.

One hearing the "ranting" and "tearing" of KWKH, Shreveport, might possibly deduce that Piggly Wiggly, Hely-Sely, "M" System and Clarence Saunders were included in Mr. Henderson's war on the chain evils that might exist in other places in this world. But none of his talk hits Snyder in any way, insofar as our grocery stores are concerned, and the Times-Signal will stay by them until "they start rolling snow balls across the top of Satan's farm."

What little money goes out of town from Snyder is for buying the franchise from the owners of the names under which they operate. Less than one per cent royalty is paid for the privilege of using these names and buying goods at a discount. Much more than this percentage is saved Snyder and Scurry County buyers on practically every purchase made.

There are positively no chain grocery stores in Snyder. Each of the four is owned and operated by Snyder men and Snyder capital, friends of yours, friends of ours, and the kind of fellows who will be friendly long after Henderson and his insidious propaganda are forgotten. In some parts of the United States Henderson might be all right, but when he goes to hitting Snyder home-owned grocery stores, why he's as wet as any old hen in a rain-storm, and the Times-Signal would just as soon tell him right to his face. He can't wear any more neckties than we do.

Not one single penny of the earnings of Snyder's four chain grocery stores goes to Wall Street or anywhere else. It stays right here, and the Times-Signal is happy and glad to back up any home-owned store.

LIONS CLUB FULL OF WIM, WIGOR, WITALITY

Thirty Members Enjoy Luncheon And Good Program Yesterday at 1 O'Clock

The Lions Club, under the able leadership of Warren Dodson, is growing into a "peppy" outfit, full of the old wim, wigor, 'nervything, and that's great news.

Yesterday noon more than thirty men sat down and enjoyed a mighty fine luncheon, and they had a quartet that was voted the official Snyder Lions Club representatives. The quartet sang "My Wild Irish Rose," as she was never sung before. They repeated with popular bits of "Sweet Adeline," but added soap to the prevailing theme. Composed of M. Y. Lewis, Willard Jones, Pat Bullock and D. P. Yoder, their voices blended in mighty sweet fashion.

Following a very fine lunch, Pat Bullock told the angles that concerned Scurry County and the rural aid law which is fully handled in another part of this paper. The club went on record to notify Rep. W. R. Johnson and Senator Oliver Cunningham to vote for the return of the rural aid money to the children where it belongs.

Then came a debate between Abe Rogers and Melvin Blackard, taking the affirmative, and J. M. Claunch and O. P. Thrane for the negative on the question, "Resolved, that the New Long Skirt was Against, etc., etc.," in which the affirmative won. Our ordinarily bashful disposition fails to articulate properly in a true report of the debate, so we must pass on to other news of interest.

Jake Smyth reported that another show would soon be given. Next week's meeting will be with the P. T. Association at the new cafeteria in the high school building. Abe Rogers and Howard McDonald will have charge of the program.

Rev. Cal C. Wright was admitted as a new member.

SCHOOL CAFETERIA OPENS NEXT MONDAY

Next Monday will be a real red letter day in the history of the Snyder schools when the new cafeteria will be open to the school children at 12 o'clock. Following this opening, at 5 o'clock, Snyder citizens who come will enjoy a real cowboy supper at regular rates, and the town should swamp the Parent-Teachers Association, who have made this great improvement possible. It takes the women of Snyder to do things, and it's surely a sad commentary that the men of the town are not equally as full of pep.

Another innovation will be sprung Friday, Feb. 7, when the room that brings the most hens to the cafeteria will be given a half holiday. Folks, watch your chicken coops and let at least one out for the kid to bring to school.

HONORS COME TO SCURRY COUNTY

Scurry County holds the unusual and distinguished record of being the first county west of Fort Worth to install the county-wide seventh grade examinations, which was started here by County Supt. A. A. Bullock, to us the best county superintendent either in Texas or the U. S. A., so far as that matters.

Hardly a week goes by but that Supt. Bullock does not receive letters concerning these examinations; even the State Department of Education has asked for what is now termed "The Scurry County Plan." Last Saturday Mr. Bullock was called to Mitchell County at the request of Miss Ruby McGill to address the teachers of the county, where they are contemplating the plan.

Besides leading in all rural school activity, Pat is a leader in all civic enterprises, Boy Scout endeavor and whatever project means for the betterment of either town or county. He's a real dyed-in-the-wool booster, the kind that every section must have to forge ahead in this battle of life for betterment in all lines of endeavor. Our hats are off to Pat Bullock. Snyder needs a lot of chaps just like him in word and deed.

Texas Electric Service Co. Finds Radio Trouble

Local Appliances and Cable on White Way Believed Entire Cause

Two weeks ago the Times-Signal carried a story wherein all blame for radio interference was placed on the shoulders of local consumers in the use of various appliances. The information that we printed two weeks ago came from J. D. Murphree Jr., radio interference engineer who is connected with the Texas Electric Service Co. Just following the publication of that story Mr. Murphree with the assistance of Ollie Bruton of the Dixie Radio Shop discovered that some of this trouble came from the company lines in that the cables leading to the white way system around the square were likewise giving some trouble. Mr. Murphree admitted the fact, which we are happy to pass on to our readers.

Local Manager J. E. Blakey has told the radio merchants here that the company will co-operate to the limit to eliminate its part of the trouble, and within a very few days. However, this will not entirely free local interference, as one comes right back to local appliance troubles. We are reliably informed that where vacuum cleaners, violet ray machines, washing machines and like appliances are at fault, users should call their radio man, and if trouble is found, filterettes can be installed which will provide real reception for Snyder. It takes but a little co-operation on the part of every citizen, as the electric company has promised an early fulfillment of its end of the bargain.

C. Wedgeworth and Coach Moore Are Re-Elected

Two outstanding things happened at the Board of Education meeting Monday night.

One of them was the re-election of Supt. C. Wedgeworth, one of the most outstanding school men in West Texas, and the Board needs a fine, large bouquet for re-electing him.

The other outstanding matter was the re-election of Coach "Red" Moore, who has proven his mettle and worth, times without number. Another bouquet goes for that also.

The Times-Signal and citizens in general join in a hearty bit of congratulations to the Board, as well as shaking the right mitt of the two gentlemen who were re-elected. That's great and fine news.

DISTRICT EPWORTH LEAGUE MEETING HELD AT BIG SPRING

The third quarterly district meeting of the Sweetwater District Epworth League was held at Big Spring Saturday and Sunday. Among the Snyder representatives who attended the meet were: Misses Ruth Yoder, Dorothy Egerton, Alene Curry, Gwendolyn Gray and Doris Doak, with Clarence Walton and LeRoy Fesnire. Mr. Walton was on the program, and gave the response at the get-together meeting Saturday night. The Snyder folks report an enjoyable meeting that was full of good thoughts and enthusiasm.

Running at Hermleigh
O. D. Rummels and K. B. Rector have announced for public weigher at Hermleigh; and for Precinct 13, R. N. Garrett.

Pay your taxes before Saturday.

Buffalo Trails Council Holds Fine Meeting

Big Spring Entertains Real Peppy Bunch Tuesday Despite Cold

The annual meeting of the Buffalo Trails Council, Boy Scouts of America, one of the 36 units and covering fifteen counties, was held at Big Spring Tuesday with representatives from Midland, Sweetwater, Colorado, Snyder, Odessa and Sylvester. Group meetings and discussions were held in the afternoon on Camp, Health and Safety, led by J. P. Fitch, regional scout executive from Dallas; Leadership Training, Troop Organization and Rural Scouting, by P. T. Quast of Sweetwater; Educational and Civic Service, by Wendell Bedichek, Big Spring; Scoutmaster and Assistant Scoutmaster, by Rev. R. L. Owen, Big Spring; Finance, by Lon Geer, Sweetwater.

Officers for the year elected included C. S. Holmes, president, Big Spring; Rev. W. M. Elliott, vice president, Colorado; K. E. Ambrose, vice president, Midland; A. A. Bullock, vice president, Snyder; C. E. Paxton, vice president, Sweetwater; Clyde Payne, treasurer, Sweetwater; and A. C. Williamson, area scout executive. The following committee chairmen for the year were named: Finance, Lon Geer, Sweetwater; Educational Publicity, Wendell Bedichek, Big Spring; Health and Safety, Dr. J. R. Dillard, Big Spring; Leadership Training, W. W. Parn, Colorado; Court of Honor, Rev. W. M. Elliott, Colorado; Reading, B. H. McLain, Sweetwater; Civic Service, W. I. Pratt, Midland; Camping, P. T. Quast, Sweetwater; Rural Scouting, A. A. Bullock, Snyder; Troop Organization, Claude O. Crane, Midland.

C. S. Holmes of Big Spring, the newly elected president of the council, has the distinction of organizing the first Boy Scout troop in Big Spring, which has been in constant existence for more than seventeen years. It is the oldest Boy Scout troop in Texas.

ANNUAL MEETING

The Scurry County Chamber of Commerce has announced its annual meeting for next Thursday night, Feb. 6, at its offices for the annual election of officers and such other business as may come before the body. The meeting has been called for 7:30, and it is hoped that a full quota of business men and members will be present.

Enjoy New Bank Connections in Snyder

Editor Norman Comments on Pleasant Relations With Local Bank

Editor Norman of the *Hermleigh Herald* in commenting on the new bank relationship since the First State Bank of Hermleigh consolidated with the First State Bank & Trust Co., of Snyder, said last week:

When the First State Bank of this place merged with the First State Bank & Trust Co. of Snyder it was thought that the country was ruined. Nearly two months have passed, and everything is moving along smoothly. The Snyder bank has become our bank, and everyone seems to be settling down nicely to the new situation. It is proving quite different to what the fear of inconvenience was in the beginning. The courteous treatment and splendid accommodations offered our people by the First State Bank & Trust Co. are making the banking situation very satisfactory as is seen in absence of complaints or unfavorable comments.

The greater part of comments being made on the new situation is to the effect that a stronger bank than ours is to be the advantage of the entire country. The personal reception of the patrons of the old Hermleigh Bank by the men of the First State Bank & Trust Co. and the courteous treatment which each one receives is making the new banking situation pleasant.

The fact that our own former Banker Lewis, whom the people here like so well, is connected with the new bank has a great deal to do with the agreeableness of the new business relationship. Lewis is exceedingly well liked by the patrons of the old First State Bank of Hermleigh.

A. J. TOWLE IMPROVING

A. J. Towle underwent a major operation at the Lubbock Sanitarium Saturday morning and successfully rallied, and daily reports from there indicate that he is coming through in fine shape. This is great and good news to the many friends of the Towle family.

Let us go to Sunday School and pray for him Sunday.

West Texas Girls Basketball Meet at Roby

Roby Will Not Have A. A. U. Sponsorship; Is Due Congratulations

Supt. N. C. Forrester of Roby High School has announced the fourth annual invitation for girls' high school basketball teams of West Texas and Central Texas to play in the tournament to be held there February 20, 21 and 22. Congratulations are due Supt. Forrester for NOT permitting the tournament to be operated under A. A. U. supervision if they are still continuing the practices that disgusted the Snyder Lions Club here last year when the tournament was held and their so-called amateur outfit was paid a total of \$948.93 from a total gate of \$1,305.00. In fact, the Southern A. A. U. just "hogged" the Snyder tournament, which was one of the most successful from the point of attendance and interest ever held in the state.

Supt. Forrester in announcing the dates of the tourney stated that sixty teams had been invited and that as many as thirty-five of them are expected to attend. Free rooms will be provided for all contestants, and college coaches will officiate the tournament games. Sponsors of the meet are offering a long list of prizes. It is hoped that the Snyder Tigettes will enter the tournament, which requires no entrance fees.

But fine words to you, Supt. Forrester and Roby High, for laying off this amateur supervision out of Dallas.

TIGERS TO PLAY WOLVES AT COLORADO FRIDAY NIGHT

The Snyder Tigers' journey to Colorado Friday night where they will tie into the Wolves and hope to administer the same sort of defeat that was brought out in football the past season. There is really no way to judge thus far how good the Wolves might be, aside from the fact that they, too, defeated the Abilene Eagles last week on their own floor Friday night. The Tigers likewise defeated Abilene the following night, but it was on the Abilene floor.



"Be Up On Your Toes"

This is an age of new things and new ways. If we do not adopt them, we are left out. To succeed, one has to—use a slang phrase—

"BE UP ON YOUR TOES"

New machinery, new products, new methods. And the farmer even has to adopt new crops and with it all, diversification and terracing as one of the most important farm helps of all. We are helping to build Scurry County and will always continue.

SOMEONE SAVES THE MONEY YOU WASTE— WHY NOT SAVE IT YOURSELF? —

Open a Checking Account Today with the

First State Bank & Trust Co. A GROWING BANK

FRIENDLY

Locals

Oscar Brice spent Saturday night in Abilene.

Miss Ina Mae Caswell spent the week-end in Hermleigh.

Roland Bell made a trip to Hobbs, N. M., the first of the week.

Herschel Rucker spent Saturday and Sunday in Abilene.

Mrs. Lee Newsom was in Abilene Sunday afternoon.

J. D. Murphy is in Sweetwater for a few days.

Miss Mary Lynn Nation is home from Denton for a few days.

Mrs. Joe Stacy of Lubbock is visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. Stacy here.

Miss Ruth Smith of Pecos visited her mother, Mrs. D. C. Howell, this week.

Misses Bobby Chambers, Evelyn Pratt, Mrs. A. H. Sams Jr. and Charles Cooper visited friends in Ballinger Sunday.

George Thompson, Henry Rogers and Jack Harris of Sweetwater visited in Snyder Sunday.

Miss Lillian Rogers and Miss Gilbert of Kent County were shopping in Snyder Saturday.

C. L. Harless and family returned Saturday from Farmersville where they have been visiting relatives.

Hugh Boren Jr. returned to Fort Worth Monday after spending a few days with his parents here.

Mrs. R. E. Gray, Miss Martha Gray and Wilmet Cloud visited Bob Gray in McCamey last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hull of Sweetwater visited their mother, Mrs. D. J. Hull, last Sunday.

Pilot Loy Mitchell flew the Curtiss-Robin plane to Big Spring Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Randals and little son, Jimmie, visited Mr. Randals' brother and family in Odessa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Green and family visited Mr. Green's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Diffy, of Lubbock last Sunday.

Misses Maurine and Mattie Ross Cunningham and Messrs. Homer Springfield and J. C. Smyth were in Sweetwater Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Deakins were in Sweetwater Saturday afternoon. Judge J. M. Harris spent Saturday and Sunday in Eastland.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Strayhorn and children and Miss Vera Culberson of Rotan spent Sunday with Joe Strayhorn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Covey and son, John R. Jr., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Patterson.

Mrs. Leslie Jones, who has been visiting Mrs. Joe Strayhorn the past week, returned to her home in Dallas Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Patterson and daughter, Claire, of Westbrook and H. V. Patterson and family of Turner spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stoker left last week for Eastland where they will make their home, having leased a ranch there.

Mrs. M. C. Thomas of Sweetwater is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. O. D. Carter.

Paschal Watts of San Antonio was in Snyder last Monday. He will be remembered by many readers having resided here a number of years ago.

FOLKS—write us a letter for publication. Give us your viewpoints on Snyder needs and what you believe will help the city. If you do not want your name published, say so.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Blackard and little granddaughter, Mary Ellen Williams, visited Mrs. Blackard's parents in Dunn Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McMeans of Pie Town, N. M., are visiting Mrs. McMeans' mother, Mrs. Mary E. Banks. Mr. McMeans is feeding cattle in this section.

Mrs. Bob Norwood of Wichita Falls came Wednesday for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McClinton.

Emmett Trevey of the Ira community and said they had passed Monday and said they had passed through the extreme cold spell fine.

Hermleigh's water mains were all frozen up during the cold spell, with the public schools being compelled to shut down for a day and a half.

THE WEATHER PROPHET

G. W. Hamil, local weather prophet, says that his prediction is that West Texas will produce the biggest general crop in its history this year. He is basing his reason on the fact that the extremely low temperature extending over such a long period of time will totally destroy all insects, and on this prediction that there will be plenty of rainfall this season. The moon is back in its normal position now, he says, and he is expecting rain as early as February. The rain will extend over a period of months, falling just right for the production of a crop, he thinks.

Mr. Hamil further takes notice that conditions will repeat themselves over a period of years. The years of 1917-18 were repeated in 1928-29. This year will repeat the history of 1919, he continued.

Mr. Hamil advises that no great acreage of cotton be planted, and that those who plant endeavor to grow the best staple possible.—Hermleigh Herald.

WELCOME, BILL COOPER

Colorado dispatches to city dailies state that W. S. Cooper will be the new editor of the Colorado Record, "Bill" as he is known to his army succeeding Wed Reid, resigned, of friends, formerly lived in Colorado.

that will be electrically operated. Temple has a new \$45,000 "white way" . . . Blossom now has natural gas . . . Gregg County farmers have agreed to plant 150 acres to tomatoes and buyers have agreed to furnish packing sheds and a market for the crop . . . Brady is to have an airport . . . Bonham is to have a municipal airport . . . Contract for an \$800,000 chemistry building for the University of Texas has been let . . .

Boiled down Texas improvement stories! . . . \$3,500,000 copper refinery opens at El Paso in January. Employs 400-500 persons . . . Amarillo plans to spend \$550,000 on additional school buildings . . . Detroit (Red River County) farmers will diversify with 100 acres in cucumbers. Pickling firm has made offer of contract to purchase entire crop from that acreage . . . Clarksville campaigning to plant pecans for ornamental shade trees all over town . . . Rivers and Harbors bill provides \$315,000 for deepening the channel at Corpus Christi . . . Van, new East Texas oil town, starts paying campaign . . . Jasper is to have \$158,000 sewer and water system.

New 16-story Wooten hotel building at Abilene is half complete . . . New Hilton at Lubbock—12 stories, cost \$1,000,000. Lubbock's building program last year totaled \$3,340,000 . . . Waco set a new improvement record in '29 and expects to pass it in '30 with a million-dollar program at Baylor and \$8,500,000 worth of road construction as major items . . . Texarkana invested \$4,000,000 in buildings last year, expects to do more this . . . Houston's port handled \$59,668,752 worth of merchandise in November, 16.8 per cent gain over same month last year. Gain for first eleven months 7.1 per cent . . . Gulf States Telephone recently completed \$15,000 improvements in its plant at Cooper and \$20,000 at Groesbeck . . .

Dairy industry in Texas is growing! . . . New \$40,000 plant completed at Alice . . . Work on powdered milk plant at Lamesa costing \$200,000 soon to start . . . Oldest cheese factory in Texas . . . Round Rock, sold to Armour & Co., which will enlarge it and add central milk plant and ice cream factory . . . New milk plant for Madisonville . . .

COLD SPELL BROKEN

Tuesday morning with rain falling and freezing immediately, it looked like a sure enough cold spell again, but the sun took the snap out of it, which was a most happy conclusion. Moisture is needed, however.

Feb. 2 is Ground Hog Day.

Giles Garner To Have 10,000 Laying Hens

Scurry County Farmers Can Improve Flock at Low Price for Eggs

Giles Garner with a poultry experiment costing him \$10,000 cash, has proven that thoroughbred stock will win every time, and so remarkable has been his cash returns this year that he will increase his laying flock to 10,000 hens. Along with this thought, Mr. Garner has an ad in this issue, in which he is going to assist Scurry County farmers to improve their flocks at an unusually low price. Pioneering a real poultry experiment in this county, Mr. Garner is showing the other man how it is done, and his bargain price for eggs as shown in his ad should bring him orders by the thousands. Read his ad before you do another thing. It's worth actual cash to every farmer in the county as well as local residents.

BUCHANAN PRESIDES AT BOLLWORM CLAIM COMMISSION PARLEY

Former Senator C. R. Buchanan of Snyder presided over a session of the state pink bollworm claims commission last week, preparing an estimate of approximately \$320,000 claims expected to arise this year from compulsory procession and fumigation of cotton and seed shipped from Howard and nine adjacent counties under bollworm regulations. Gov. Moody previously vetoed the appropriation out of the bill legalizing the claims and farmers' claims for the past two years also are unpaid.—Austin Dispatch.

FUNERAL WEDNESDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. J. N. Bynum, 60, were held at the Church of Christ yesterday afternoon, conducted by Bro. W. M. Speck. Interment was made in the Snyder cemetery.

DR. E. E. COCKERELL

Rectal and Skin Specialist of Abilene, Texas

WILL BE IN SNYDER Sunday, Feb. 2nd Examination Free

at Manhattan Hotel From 12 to 5 P. M.

rado, knows every angle of the newspaper game, is a hale fellow well met, full of the old win, vigor and vitality that any publisher needs—and more honest-to-goodness "devil" than any mule that ever kicked over a trace.

The Times-Signal for one wants to welcome "Bill" back to this great zone of living, and anytime we can be of help to let him know that we can borrow anything we've got except our typewriter and sweet disposition. Furthermore than that, we hope Mr. Cooper soars in editorial flights to territory that he had heretofore thought unattainable—and that he stays right there.

WHAT OTHER TEXAS TOWNS ARE DOING

Our good friend, "Bill" Edwards, editor of Public Service News, Dallas, sends the Times-Signal some progressive items of what other Texas towns are doing. Here we go: Miscellaneous things . . . Pittsburg is to have a 12,000-egg hatchery

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- Freedom from Friction.
- A "Carry-Over" Film by Metal Penetration.

TO lubricate, an oil must decrease friction between metal surfaces. A motor oil does this by separating the metal surfaces, and theoretically keeping them separated under all operating conditions. It may amaze you to know that many oils frequently fail to do this.

Think how this "separation" of moving parts is accomplished. The oil forms a wall or "film" between opposing surfaces . . . and it is upon this film that the reputation of every oil must rest. The film is thin, of course, for it must ride in the tight crevices of bearings, cylinder-walls, etc. . . . But it must also be of extraordinary strength . . . it must cling tenaciously . . . or the pressure of your motor will squeeze and hurl it from the vital points that must be kept separated.

Penetrative Lubricity . . . The New Gauge of Motor Oil Merit

Penetrative lubricity is the outstanding characteristic of the new Conoco Germ-Processed Motor Oils. This characteristic is the direct result of Germ-Processing.

You must know this story of Germ-Process. Briefly, it is the patented result of 16 years' experimentation by the British scientists, Wells and Southcombe. Back in 1911, when everything of fundamental importance was known about the refining of mineral oils . . . these two scientists foresaw that additional improvements must be made, in order to keep lubricants abreast of the future development of the "gasoline buggy."

They knew that animal and vegetable oils were "oilier" than mineral oils could ever be, but were impractical for use in internal combustion motors which operated at high temperatures.

Finally the Germ-Essence, containing the "oily" property lacking in mineral oils, was isolated. And a method was devised for combining this essence with highly refined mineral oils.

Only Conoco Oils Are Germ-Processed . . . This Gives Them Penetrative Lubricity

Continental Oil Company now owns the exclusive right to Germ-Processing for North America. Only with these new oils can you secure a fracture-proof film which actually penetrates the metal surfaces of your motor! What does this mean? . . . It means that the all-important film no longer may be hurled and squeezed from moving parts. The Germ-Essence carries the oil into every minute crevice . . . into the very metal itself. And there it clings—clings when the heat of high speeds seeks to scorch and drive it away . . . clings when bearings try to squeeze it out . . . clings, too, when you stop your motor. And this is most important . . . for the oils you are now using drain away as the motor stops, and require 5 to 15 minutes to restore their guard duty when you next tread on the starter. That's why 40% to 60% of your motor wear occurs in those first minutes of operation.

Save your motor by the use of this new oil. Introduce it to Conoco Germ-Processed oils today at the sign of the Red Triangle.



GERM PROCESSED MOTOR OIL

PARAFFIN BASE

SWEETWATER APPROVES BONDS

Sweetwater school patrons last week approved a school bond issue for \$180,000, with which to erect three new buildings, a junior high, a Mexican school and a negro school. The vote was 405 for and 28 against.

Site for the junior high school has already been chosen. Contracts for construction are expected to be let soon. A part of the bond money will be used to remodel the senior high school building which has been used as a junior high since the new senior high was erected a few years ago.

The total vote was very small for

Sweetwater, inclement weather keeping many voters indoors.

Erection of the new building will relieve congested conditions which now exist in the Sweetwater schools. American workmen are said to be wage slaves, but anyway many of the slaves are riding to work in their own automobiles.

Notice to Scurry County Farmers

THOROUGHBRED EGGS 5c each

Those of you who are desirous of extending your efforts in the poultry business this year are notified that we are going to make a special price on our Thoroughbred White Leghorn English strain eggs for hatching. All of our cockerels and a large percentage of the hens are full brothers and sisters to the High Pen at the John Tarleton College contest. This same pen was the third high pen at all contests held in the United States and Canada. The pullets are all out of hens of 250-300 egg production; their fathers were mated to hens of 275-302 egg production, official records.

To those Scurry County farmers who desire eggs from our ranch, we will make them a special price of 5 cents an egg, on any quantity that reason we are making this low rate. For the same type eggs from them. In no case will we sell to any man who in turn will sell to a hatchery. Our aim is to get better poultry in Scurry County, and for that reason we are making this low rate. For the same type egg from a large breeder you would pay from 25 cents apiece on up. We are conscious of the fact that poultry is one of the big things that will bring ready cash to our farms, for we have had a practical experience with our experiment and know whereof we speak. If you haven't visited our ranch, do so today and place your order for eggs early, for at the price we are quoting we will be swamped with orders.

We have invested better than \$10,000 cash in our experiment and are so well satisfied that this year we will increase our laying flock to 10,000 hens. This year already we have turned down orders for eggs, owing to more orders on our books than we could handle, and this has all been accomplished without a line of advertising, so that it has absolutely proven to us that poultry will and does pay handsome returns on your investment.

GILES GARNER POULTRY RANCH

TWO MILES WEST OF PUBLIC SQUARE ON DAL-PASO CAVERN HIGHWAY Snyder, Texas

Taylor's "M SYSTEM"

PRICES FRI. & SAT.

Cream-meal	24 Pound Sack	.68
Sugar	25 Pound Sack	\$1.50
Tomatoes	No. 2 Can	.08
Coffee	High Grade Bulk, 45c Value,	.36
Soup	Campbell's Tomato	.10
Sausage	Armour's Veribest, Pure Meat	.09
SHORTS	Grey, In White Sacks	\$1.90
PEACHES	No. 2 1/2 Can, Sliced or Halves	.19

WE WILL HAVE OTHER GOOD SPECIALS
Fresh Car Flour at Attractive Prices
EVERY DOLLAR EARNED BY THIS STORE KEPT IN SCURRY CO.

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Increasing Your Balance Increases Your Opportunities!

The Snyder National Bank

Nearly a Quarter Century of Complete Banking Service

Pink Parrish Scores Marriage Law of Texas

Lubbock Senator Gets Down to Earth With Views He Expresses

Hon. Pink Parrish, state senator from Lubbock, is one Texas gentleman who is getting down to earth as regards intelligent action of the Texas marriage law requiring three days notice of marriage intention as well as the groom to present a health certificate. Mr. Parrish says it is all one-sided and is truly un-American. He asks: "Why should the boy be made to present a health certificate and not the girl in the case?" Pink is right. The law as it now stands is about as silly as the Texas legislator who tried to put a bill through at the last legislature to make ladies quit wearing high-heeled shoes and oxfords. Nitty is about the best way to refer to it.

A dispatch from San Antonio Saturday further stated: "The law," said Senator Parrish, "that requires brides and grooms to apply for a marriage license three days before it is issued is un-American, and is driving many of them out of the state to get married. If they want to marry at home I think they have that right, and nothing should discourage them in that matter."

But such laws must come up in every state to further clutter the heaps of "junk" laws that become the pet hobby of legislators. They feel that they must show the boys back in their districts that they are on top of their duties.

OFFICIAL DATA

Taken From Records of the County Clerk

Births
Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Hill, a boy, Jan. 24.
Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hernandez, a girl, Isabel, Jan. 25.

Real Estate Transfers
Mrs. H. Lanham to J. B. Bley, part of sec. 483, blk. 97, H&TC sur.
Eugenia Reynolds and J. J. Reynolds to J. O. Dodson, 210 acres, middle part of sec. 384, blk. 97, H&TC sur.

Marriages
A. A. Karnes and Mrs. Mollie Pinkerton, Jan. 25.

New Cars
Austin Higgins, Snyder, Ford roadster.
A. O. Koonsman, Snyder, Chevrolet coupe.
G. L. Burt, Snyder, Whippet coupe.

None of the important alfalfa tested thus far are better than the domestic strains for any part of the United States, according to the Bureau of Plant Industry, U. S. Department of Agriculture, with the possible exception of areas where bacterial wilt is prevalent.

SENIOR A CLASS POEM SENIOR A PICNIC

By Julia Von Roeder
As out upon life's road we go These days will still remain, As our memories' dearest treasures—though They ne'er will come again. Our hearts will often yearn for thee, The class to which we're true— So here's to the class of '30 And Snyder Hi—to you.

And if we take a different path And go a different way, If we'll all strive upward, onward—then We'll meet again some day. Our tears will then be tears of joy. Instead, as now, of woe— So here's to old Red and White And the class that we love so.

Seniors, Juniors, Freshmen and Sophs, Faculty and all the rest, We hope you'll remember us all, dear friends. As a class who has done its best. We love you, dearly love you all, So much no words can tell. But something calls us to a life that waits, So Snyder Hi—Farewell! —From The Tigers Tale.

HERMLEIGH PASTOR AND WIFE WED 43 YEARS

The Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Parks of Roscoe last week celebrated their 42nd wedding anniversary. Rev. Parks is pastor of the Baptist Churches at Hermleigh and Payne Chapel.

Forty years of their married life has been spent in West Texas, of which 10 years has been spent in Roscoe. Coming from Kentucky in 1899, the couple settled in the Cisco community and lived near there until 1913 when they moved to Abilene. In November, 1929, they moved to Roscoe and have lived there since that time.

They are the parents of eight children, four boys and four girls. They are James E. Parks, Dallas; John C. Parks, Sweetwater; Mrs. A. I. Skiles, Cisco; Mrs. A. J. Parker, Roscoe; Mrs. L. B. Dawson, Roscoe; Mrs. H. G. Griffith, Atlanta, Ga.; George Parks Jr., Sweetwater; and Herman Parks, Roscoe.

Although in the 60's, the Rev. Parks is almost as strong as he ever was. He is six feet two inches in height and weighs 210 pounds. Three of the boys measure six feet and weigh over 200 pounds. He was pastor of the Clyde Baptist Church for 18 years, and is well known all over West Texas for his thorough knowledge of the Bible and his ability as a preacher. He seldom fails to appear on the program of the Mitchell-Scurry Baptist Association meetings. He devotes part of his time to farming.

TIGERS AVENGE FOOTBALL DEFEAT

The Snyder Tigers have twice avenged their football defeat by Roscoe High when they again polished the Nolan County team Friday night, 28 to 8. With Roscoe defeating the Colorado Wolves Saturday night, 28 to 24, the Tigers should not have much trouble in licking their Mitchell County brethren both Friday and Saturday nights. Here's hoping they do.

CLASS HISTORY

Why represent Time as a decrepit old man swinging a scythe of destruction? Why not, instead, picture it as perennial youth, bubbling with enthusiasm, letting a song of happiness, reveling in the beauty of God's creations, gathering the fruits of long past sowing and dropping the seeds for future generations to reap the harvest? Youth, impetuous, perhaps, but glowing in a vision and impation to bring it into reality. That is the Time to know, to greet, and to give hospitable welcome into your life.

Time gives you no yesterday to reclaim and remodel. It promises you no tomorrow wherein to build. Time vests you with NOW. These seconds, minutes and hours are yours alone. What accounting shall you make to Time for their use? If measured alone by the tick of the clock or the passing of years, they are to you but seconds, minutes and hours. Of freighted with industry, thoughtfulness, earnestness, and blazoned with cheerfulness, optimism, and unselfishness, you will never grow old, though the hair be bathed as in moonlight and your face be toward the setting sun.

Your vision of today may not be accomplished in your lifetime. What does it matter? Time gives other eyes to your picture, other hands to its painting, and youth finishes it more gloriously than ever you dreamed.

The litter of yesterday is the palace trained of today and the winged chariot of tomorrow. Time is always young. It has no age for you if you fondle it as youth, give it the gold of your experience and send it on to progressive increase.

However, the wheels of time move swiftly. Realizing the fact, we sat in Memory's Theatre viewing the play entitled "The History of the Senior Class of 1930." The actors were men and women of the coming day who had for four years peered for the Camera of Time, and the pen of History had recorded their deeds.

The curtain rose revealing the spring of '26 with out beloved Miss Philan as sponsor. There were some twenty or twenty-five eager Freshmen ready to begin their first step of high school life. The activities during that spring were few, but the spirits of the Freshmen were still heaving high, anxiously waiting the arrival of the coming fall.

The bell clangs the burning of time. The next scene introduces Miss Philan again as our sponsor with the same enthusiastic group of Freshmen ready to resume work. The month rolled on and soon Christmas holidays were near at hand.

The spring term of '27 found us Sophomores with Miss Mary Strayhorn our wide-awake, industrious and attractive young sponsor. During that spring our picnics and parties revived somewhat the failing spirits of the Sophomores. Then came final examinations, report cards and freedom.

Father Time wields the scythe and brings to us our sponsor and beloved friend, Miss Effie McLeod, who has guided us on through the struggles of high school until now we have come to the reward—the receiving of our diplomas. Thoughts were not on activities, but on the proud aspirations of being a Junior the year of '28. With Miss McLeod as our sponsor, Miss Clark, English; Mr. Oliver, mathematics and coach; Miss Mattie Ross Cunningham, Latin; Mr. Crouch, science; Mr. Covey, principal; and Mr. Wedgeworth, superintendent, we accomplished a great deal of work and also had

fun. Another May had come bringing gladness and freedom and sorrow of parting.

The following September came, and the old seats that had long been vacant were rapidly being filled by the Junior A Class. The class was small, nevertheless we were heard from when the race for editor-in-chief of the first high school paper was mentioned. Proud of the fact that we had won in that race made us more determined to win in our grades at the end of the semester, which meant we were to be seniors, the ambition of a lifetime.

The faces of the majority of the teachers were new, however the voices from the offices were the same, occupied by Mr. Wedgeworth and Mr. Covey. Mr. General Whitaker, coach, came to take the place of our friend and coach, Mr. Oliver, who won his way into the hearts of all the boys as well as proved to be a good mathematics teacher. Miss Marion Engel came to take the place of Miss Crozier, and Miss Maurine Cunningham, Miss Person, Mrs. Nelson, Mr. Cox and Mr. Sullivan were also members of the faculty. That school semester was very interesting with football games, athletic councils, a picnic at the Green Springs, and also chapel. Then come mid-term exams.

The once Freshman class of '29 now bloomed into the Senior Class of '29. Again during that year the class made itself renowned by putting over its candidates for most popular girl and most handsome boy. Basketball filled the minds of most of the students, and much fun and interest prevailed throughout the semester. During this semester the Seniors received their rings.

As the curtain rises for the final time, the cry rings out, "Senior A's at last!" The faces of the faculty were changed but little, however upon glancing we see a tall, thin man who is introduced as the coach for the following year, and who is now known as Coach "Red" Moore, and loved by every student in high school for his friendly welcome, his personality and most of all his spotless character. Another face comes to view. That is the one of a little dark-haired man who has a winning smile, which seems to have brought him a host of friends from the start—Mr. Corry, principal. Also Mr. Jamison, V. A. teacher, who possesses a personality that no one could resist and who is loved and respected by every student. Our dearly beloved Miss McLeod again resumed her work as sponsor, with Miss Clark, our well qualified English teacher; Mrs. Gibson, little but sweet and industrious, H. E. teacher; Miss Person, the auburn-haired teacher who will put up with more and still be sweet; Mrs. Nelson, who is quiet and earnest, but has her fun in her classes just the same; Mr. Sullivan, geometry teacher, the dreaded subject, but the teacher in whose classes you love to be; and the other teachers who were willing to lend us all their aid to help us pass were: Miss Mattie Ross Cunningham, with gentle patience, who helped us with our work, for her "quality of mercy is not strained."—"It droppeth as the gentle rain from heaven." Miss Maurine Cunningham's purity of advice and counsel enabled us to master the matters in hand and successfully pass. Mr. Cox, in a quiet and an unassuming way, gave encouragement and perseverance to many of the class. Mr. Brooks, faithful in time of need, came to fill the place of Mrs. Wedgeworth. She,

LUCILLE BROWN. —From The Tigers Tale.

the golden haired, gentle and lovable woman who is an inspiration and model for any young girl, even though she is not with us, our thoughts are ever of her, hoping that not many more hours may pass before she can again be with us in school to brighten our lives, and also that of our dear superintendent, Mr. Wedgeworth, who with his untiring efforts has ever been watchful of our comfort and welfare. School plays and school activities were numerous. Among these the seniors presented the play, "Tumble Inn," which was quite a success. The play was directed by Mr. Springfield, the director of music and a valuable asset to our school. We also elected our editor-in-chief of the paper—the race will long be remembered.

On Friday, January 3, the Senior Class had its all-day picnic when Miss McLeod, with sweet resourcefulness and patience, guided the day to success. The food was plentiful and the fun more plentiful.

On Monday night, January 6, Miss McLeod gave us a party at the home of Mrs. C. R. Buchanan. This was also a very pleasurable event. The last days are near at hand for the Seniors. Soon we must part and remember that the times will be few when we will all be together again. Life will bring to each something different, and after the night you receive your diplomas you will no longer be boys and girls of Snyder High School. Then you must face the world battling for a higher education, always keeping high your courage. As you leave the stage of high school, take with you, keeping bright and ever untarnished, the pride and honor of the Senior Class of 1930.

An Endless Record

Willie—Our Sunday school teacher sez woman wuz made out of a rib. Wuz Maw made out of a rib, Paw?
Willie's Father (who knows Willie's mother)—No, son. Your mother was hatched out of a phonograph.

If some folks would listen to the stock ticker a little less and a little more to the ticking of the clock that records the loss of their valuable time, they would come out better.

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Cheating students think themselves very smart if they can find means by which they can avoid getting ready for successful careers.

The dollar bill is much smaller than formerly, but people do not seem any readier to put it in the collection plate.

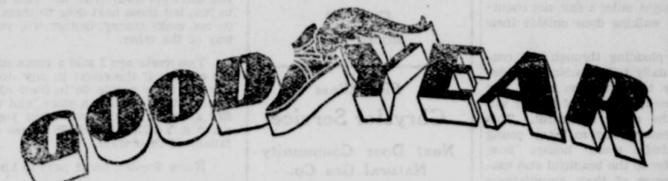
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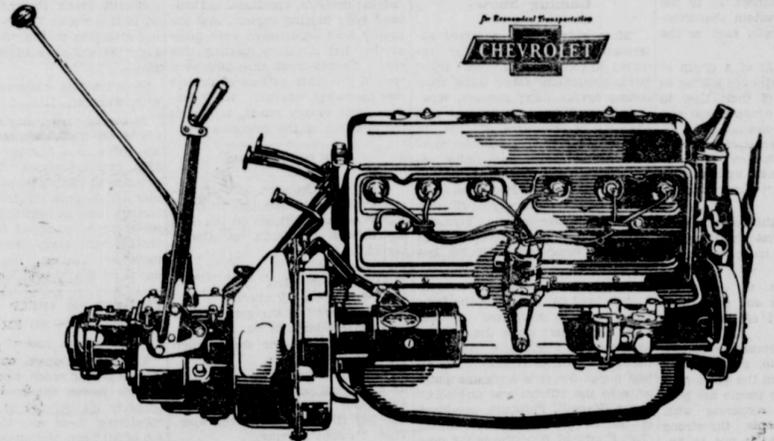
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The COUPE	\$565	The ONE AND ONE HALF TON CHASSIS	\$520
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BLACKBERRIES No. 2 Can	13c
COCOANUT 1-4 lb. Package	8c
BEANS Wapco Cut, No. 2 Can	13c
PICKLES Sour, Quart Jar	23c
PEAS Kuner's Tender Garden, Extra Fancy, No. 2 Can	13c

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STEPS OF THE HOUSEWIFE

How far do you walk in a day? The National Association of Chiropractors and podiatrists recently put pedometers on a number of persons engaged in various occupations, to obtain answers to this question. One of their conclusions was that housewives ordinarily walk seven and a half to eight miles a day, not counting any walking done outside their homes.

After plodding through the routine of daily toil, climbing and descending the stairways again and again, the housewives of Snyder will credit the above statement. This is the reason why so many young brides desire small houses now. They refer to the beautiful and spacious homes of their grandfathers as Noah's arks.

The men who build houses should not be too proud to take advice from their wives, who will tell them how to save steps. A conveniently arranged kitchen subtracts several miles from the daily pilgrimage of the house worker, and saves aching backs and feet. The women will tell their husbands to pay more for it.

ELEMENTS OF PROGRESS

When cities and towns go ahead, their advance is commonly due not so much to favorable locations and fortunate circumstances, as to the manifestation of certain characteristics by their people, such as the following:

- 1.—The leadership of a group of men and women who are willing to give some share of their time to work for business advancement and community improvement.
 - 2.—A spirit of enterprise on the part of the business men, a willingness to attempt new undertakings and make constant improvements in their service.
 - 3.—Absence of the carping and knocking spirit that chills public spirited effort in many communities.
 - 4.—A willingness to co-operate and to accept new and progressive ideas, on the part of the general public.
- Two of these characteristics call for good leadership, and two call for cooperation from the whole population. When the people are generally willing to cooperate with community movements, the strong and wise leadership is apt to appear.

REGARDING POLL TAX EXEMPTIONS

There have been quite a few requests for information as regarding the payment of poll tax, by one becoming of age and what is necessary to do to obtain exemption receipt. Anyone who has reached the age of twenty-one after January 1, 1929, or will be twenty-one on July 27, 1930, may vote in the primaries next July 26, 1930, without the payment of a poll tax and it is not necessary to obtain an exemption certificate, for if you will state these facts to the election judges they will allow you to vote.

HOW COME, DICK?

The Times-Signal had a post card from Washington, D. C., Monday signed by Editor Dick Gaines of the Rockwall Success. Now, what we want to know is how a felt-boot publisher can get that far away from home and not be up to something devilish? Anyhow, Dick, we glory in your trip and hope you may have knocked some political demagogue for a row of bed-slats.

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IT PAYS TO KNOW YOUR BUSINESS

Whatever you do to make a living is your BUSINESS. You may call it employment, occupation, profession, trade, work or job; but regardless of what you call it, it is your BUSINESS. At the same time anything that takes money out of your pocket, or keeps you from making money in any way, also is YOUR BUSINESS, your affair, and as important to you as that which brings money in or otherwise makes a gain or profit for you.

The better a man knows his business the greater his profit. The more familiar a man is with those that cut down his profits and earning power, the more profit he makes. You know that, and so does everyone else that stops to think about it.

If your BUSINESS is making something in a factory, and some other fellow does that which may cause your pay to be cut or lowered, it is YOUR BUSINESS to see that he does not continue to do it; and that is just what you do.

If you work in a store and some other employee starts some dirty work which possibly will drive trade to another store, thereby giving the boss reason to lay you off, you do not hesitate to make it YOUR BUSINESS to protect your job. That's your BUSINESS and that is just what you should do.

In other words, it is YOUR BUSINESS to do everything possible for the good of your BUSINESS and to take a stand against anything that will hurt your BUSINESS.

That's just plain, common, everyday horse sense, and everybody knows it; and in your mind you say that any man or woman who did not agree with it would be foolish or in their dotage.

I have repeatedly said that, regardless of what your BUSINESS is, what Snyder is and what it is going to be is YOUR BUSINESS and on what Snyder is, depends whether or not you make more money. Therefore, what goes on for or against Snyder is for or against your BUSINESS. Maybe you cannot see it that way. You may think that such talk is a lot of hot air. But if you will sit down and think about it, you will see that it is just good, common sense.

You can't make money unless your neighbor does; that is a law, and you can't get away from it. Your neighbors are not just those next door to you, but those next door to them, and their neighbors as well. If they do not make money, neither will you; and if they lose, you lose too, one way or the other.

Two weeks ago I said a community was like a store, the citizens being the clerks. If the clerks in any store took the same attitude toward the store as some people do to their community, those clerks would be fired immediately. Unlike a store, and regrettably so, sometimes, you cannot fire a citizen; but if you know your BUSINESS you will get busy and make it YOUR BUSINESS to see to it that such people are shown the fallacy of their ways.

Know Snyder, for it pays to know your BUSINESS.
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NOTICE TO EX-SERVICE MEN

Just recently there has been organized in Snyder a post of the American Legion, of which every ex-service man should have an interest in and be proud of. There are now several hundred men living in Scurry County who served honorably in the World War, and to them the exclusive privilege of being eligible for membership in the Legion is something of which to be proud.

At the close of the war the necessity for such an organization as the American Legion was very evident, for if it had become necessary to call men to go to war to defend American rights and principles, then why not band together this vast army in civilian life to continue to fight that these rights and principles for which they were called on to make the supreme sacrifice in war might be maintained and adhered to in the future? And for this purpose alone it is the duty every ex-service man owes his family to be a member of the American Legion.

Then it must be remembered that there is a certain obligation which every able bodied ex-service man owes to those of his comrades who were wounded during the war. They should be cared for as well as their dependants, and it is through the efforts of the American Legion in their behalf that they are getting the attention that they need and are entitled to.

There are various other things which the American Legion is undertaking to do in the interest of the country and the citizenship, locally, nationally and internationally, and every American who served honorably in the armed forces of the country during the world war owes it to himself, to his family, to his comrades and to his country to lend his influence through membership in the American Legion that he might have a part in making it possible to carry on the noble purpose of the Legion.

It is the intention of the Will Lane Post at Snyder to have its part in the general American Legion program and to try to be of some benefit to our local community and at the same time to offer every possible advantage to its membership, and a large membership is greatly desired and solicited.

Meeting Called on Sunday, Feb. 2, at 3 p. m. There will be a meeting in the chamber of commerce offices in the basement under the Star Grocery on the northeast corner of the square at Snyder, at which time some important matters will be discussed, and the presence of every ex-service man who can possibly come is greatly desired. Let's make our part a good one, that will mean something to us all. Come and bring someone with you.
HARRIE WINSTON, Post Commander.

GOOD ROADS PROVE GOLD MINE FOR IOWA

Ten years ago nine-tenths of Iowa's state highway system was composed of unimproved dirt roads. Today four out of every five miles are surfaced, and when this year's construction program of 1,000 miles of concrete pavement is completed, Iowa will have 3,320 miles of hard surfaced roads.

From the standpoint of the motorist alone, and not considering lowered road upkeep costs, this thousand miles of new pavements will pay for themselves in ten years. Conservatively estimating that these pavements will carry an average of 500 vehicles daily, the total mileage piled up by motorists yearly will be 180,000,000 miles. Careful studies have revealed that pavements save motorists from one to two and a half cents per mile of travel. In Iowa the saving will be at least two cents a mile so that the total annual saving over the 1,000 miles will be no less than \$3,600,000. In ten years this saving will amount to about the cost of the pavement.

As yet there is no gauge of how long pavements will last that have been built in accordance with modern precepts. But it is safe to say that Iowans may expect at least 25 years of service from this hard surfacing. By that token Iowa motorists will pile up savings during the 25 years in the neighborhood of \$75,000,000. And this only

on pavements that will be built in 1930.

Iowa is financing her highways on the county bond issue plan, with the counties turning funds over to the state highway department for supervised and efficient expenditure. Under the present plan county bond issues are to total about \$100,000,000 and were adopted with the understanding that the state would later reimburse the counties. Last year only one county of those considering bond issues failed to adopt the measure.

The bond issue plan is soon to bring Iowa a completely paved state system of roads. These pavements will not only serve motorists of the future but, more important, those of today. Furthermore, these pavements will be paid for by both the motorists of today and those of the future.

What Iowa is doing, Texas can and will do. Let's have more paved highways, and not be eternally fearing the scalled bugaboo of bond issues.

"If you need a thing, you pay for it whether you have it or not, so why not have it?"

DR. SWANN DIES AT ROTAN

Dr. A. R. Swann, 69, died at his home in Rotan Monday from pneumonia. He had been a resident of Rotan for 22 years.

Surviving are his wife and five children who are Mrs. R. O. Owen, Hugh and Edward Swann, Rotan; Mrs. Jack Joyce, Memphis, Texas; Alfred Swann, Tucson, Ariz. Three brothers, J. S. Swann, Merkel; J. H. Swann, Comanche, and W. D. Swann, Tyler, also survive.

Dr. Swann had retired from the practice of medicine several years ago and was justice of the peace at the time of his death.

The cruel Indians used to frighten the pioneers with their painted faces, and the modern girls do the same thing for the people of these times.

Panhandle Dairy Show
April 7 to 10

Scurry County Agent Listed Among Officers of Coming Show

"More entries, and a larger attendance," is the word being received by officials of the Texas Panhandle-Plains Dairy Show from county agents, dairy farmers, vocational agricultural instructors and chamber of commerce officials in each of the fifty-four counties comprising the Texas Panhandle, as preparations for the third annual show to be held in Plainview April 7, 8, 9 and 10 go forward. Citizens of Plainview are making arrangements to entertain 50,000 visitors this year compared to 35,000 last year.

"Much of the increased interest in pure bred dairy stock in the Panhandle can be attributed to the show, and while the interest as shown by attendance and the number of entries is more than we had hoped for, it is a pleasant surprise to the officers and directors," Oscar Stansell, Floydada, president of the dairy association, stated. "Every official is enthusiastic over the prospects for the show this year, and from every county we have reports that there will be an increase of from fifteen to thirty percent in both attendance and entries."

From Swisher, Potter, Collingsworth, Floyd, Carson, Randall, Deaf Smith, Lamb, and a number of other counties that led last year in entries and attendance representatives at a recent directors meeting in Plainview stated that there would be from ten to twenty percent in-

crease in the number of animals entered and the attendance. Chambers of commerce in some of the cities in the Panhandle are making special arrangements for transportation for a number of farmers to the show and in some instances are offering awards for attendance and premiums won.

Arrangements for the annual sale, the production contest, boys 4-H judging contests, vocational agricultural boys judging contest, and the county herd department were made at the first directors meeting this year. Twenty-three directors were present for this gathering despite very inclement weather. W. O. Logan, local county agent, is one of the directors of the association.

THE OPEN DOOR

(By Grace Coolidge, wife of former Pres. Calvin Coolidge, in Good Housekeeping. Written on the fifth anniversary of death of Calvin Coolidge, Jr.)
You, my son, have shown me God. Your kiss upon my cheek Has made me feel the gentle touch Of Him who leads us on. The memory of your smile, when young, Reveals His face, As mellowing years come on apace. And when you went before, You left the gates of heaven ajar That I might glimpse, Approaching from afar, The glories of His grace.

Hold, son, my hand! Guide me along the path, That coming, I may stumble not. Nor roam, Nor fail to show the way Which leads us—home.

SATURDAY IS DEAD LINE TAX PAY DAY

Sheriff Frank Brownfield has an ad in this week's Times-Signal calling attention to the "dead line" on taxes, as well as automobile license plates.

Penalties are assessed for taxes after February 1.

Motorists not having license plates on their cars by Saturday are liable to a fine not exceeding \$200, and licenses purchased after January 31 carry a 20 per cent penalty. This year for the first time trailers must be registered. All vehicles to be attached to cars and trucks must carry licenses. Payment on trailers, like trucks, is based on weight and load capacity.

FEEDING 900 SHEEP IS NO SMALL TASK

Tommie McDonald, out on the J. Wright Moorar ranch, had no end of trouble during the cold spell in properly taking care of 900 sheep. "Watering them was the toughest job of all," Mr. McDonald said, "but we got away with it fine, losing only two sheep, and they were trampled

in the scramble to keep warm." We met Mr. McDonald at the Moorar No. 1 well Sunday afternoon, and there has been plenty of visiting activity at that point since the recent developments have been made known there.

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FLUVANNA NEWS

Mr. Raymond Seale of the First State Bank is the authorized correspondent for Fluvanna, and as such is authorized to receive renewal and new subscriptions. Cooperate with him by sending your news and subscriptions to him.

Church Services

Weather conditions were such that the people were able to attend Sunday school and preaching services Sunday, and it is reported that a good attendance was had at all the Sunday schools, although the writer wasn't present at any due to sickness.

Rev. D. G. Wells filled his regular appointment at the Fluvanna Baptist Church Saturday night and Sunday.

Next Sunday is the regular preaching day at the Methodist Church, Rev. J. I. Kelly, pastor. Services will be had Sunday and Sunday night. Also, the Epworth League meets Sunday evening at 6:15 o'clock.

The coming Sunday is the regular preaching day for the First Baptist Church.

Sickness

The "flu" epidemic is still lingering with us, but since the warmer weather it will probably let up for a while.

Mrs. Ulic Clark and Mrs. Raymond Seale have been battling with the flu but seem to be improving slowly.

We are very sorry to report at this writing that Dr. J. T. Jones is very sick, and has been since about Sunday. We all wish him a speedy recovery.

Miscellaneous

Since the warmer weather the work on the school building has been resumed. Forms have been built for the completion of the concrete work, that is, the foundations.

The gale that was in force at the writing last week (Tuesday morning) started like the one last Friday but seems to have reached its worst along in the morning, at which time the temperature was as low as 4 degrees.

Since the warmer weather has almost vanished from our sight, it is hard to tell yet just how extensive the moisture will be due to the fact that the ground is just thawing. We all hope that a good rain will follow, as the time is drawing near for the farming season to start. Another coat of ice seems to be covering the ground, and this will be fine if it will thaw and continue falling.

An Unusual Occasion

On Monday morning a very strange thing happened in our town. A large turkey was supposedly being weighed in the Fluvanna Mercantile Co. store near the rear of the building or somewhere thereabout, and all of a sudden the bird decided to escape. It headed for the front door, and noticing that the street was visible, made a strenuous effort to reach it and did. The door was closed, but since it was glass panel, the turkey didn't halt to open but went right on through, leaving a very large hole in the glass and landing out near the middle of the street without serious damage to himself. The charge for the offense goes to the turkey, which will make him a rather expensive bird. Be sure to hold your turkeys to prevent such accidents.

School Notes

The Fluvanna High basketball team will be contenders in the

county basketball tournament next week. The girls' team will be somewhat weakened due to the sickness of one of its best players, Ruby Bley, but we are all hoping that she will be well again soon and be in the starting line-up. Due to the extremely bad weather, the teams haven't had much practice since the first of the year. All games that were matched have had to be called off and postponed to later dates.

About two hundred dollars worth of maps and charts have been added to the history and government departments in our school. These maps were badly needed and will be a great factor in the bringing about of affiliation on these subjects.

There are several new courses being offered this semester taking places of other half credit courses. Among these are physical geography by Mr. Wedgeworth, Economics will take the place of government and will be taught by Mr. McCarter, while commercial geography is taking the place of commercial arithmetic and will be taught by Mr. Wedgeworth.

Some new books have been added this week to the reference shelf. Among these are the reference books on economics and geography. The books were given to the school by the Fluvanna Fair Committee, thanks a lot to the committee.

The Fluvanna Band will give a Sunday afternoon concert next Sunday at the Presbyterian Church at three o'clock, according to J. W. Crowley, director. The band has been working hard lately, and a good concert is promised. The surrounding towns, as well as Fluvanna and community, are given a special invitation to be present.

According to Roland Squyres, president of the 4-H Club here, the club is renewing its interest in the work. He states that the membership has grown to twenty-six active members and that more members are expected to join soon. Mr. Logan, the county agent, is expected out soon to help the boys in terracing land and in livestock judging. Edd Jones, the general manager of the local club, entertained the club boys with a turkey banquet at his ranch house on Tuesday night of this week. Watch the future farmers of Fluvanna farm.

Since semester exams have blown over and every one has settled down to work, much interest has been shown toward a winning debating team for the county meet. If you remember, Fluvanna sent a girls' debating team to the district meet last year and were successful in the going to the semi-finals. If interest is kept up as it has started, Fluvanna should have a winning team again this year, even if we did lose both of the girls we debated last year. Materials have been received from the State Department and other sources, and several students are hard at work getting ready for the try-outs, which will be held soon. Mr. Wedgeworth will be in charge, and he says that prospects are very bright for a winning team. The following will try out for debate: Pauline Haynes, senior; Matty Lynn Beaver, senior; Ruby Bley, senior; La Verne Farquhar, senior; Mae Bell Tucker, senior; Charley Bley, senior; Jesse Lemons, junior; and Luke Weems, junior.

In April. All Leaguers take notice and get set to go.

Well, the political pot is filling up, and the gas will soon be turned on, and then the boiling will begin. Some of the boys from up the creek will find just how sorry they are.

Long before the election, and then on election day, a lot of them will find out that most of the voters didn't know what great men and women they really are, and some will say that there are a lot of just plain old liars in the county when in fact there are no real liars; they just can't say "No" to a fine upright man or woman who has as fine reputation as they all claim to have, so when they go to the polls they can't vote for all of them, so they just shut their eyes and begin marking out till all but one for each office are scratched, and sometimes all are marked off.

So mote it be. J. L. C.

POLAR NEWS

By Mrs. J. A. Martin

Polar people have been living in a polar region for the past few weeks, but everyone has come out smiling because of the wonderful moisture. If people don't believe it is muddy at Polar, just let them try to travel our roads.

There has been no Sunday school since the zero weather, and our public school has been greatly hindered during the cold weather.

W. J. Cargile, who carries the mail from Dermott to Polar, missed only one day during the cold weather. Ranchmen who had to feed cattle were also on the job every day.

Eggs Brothers, who own a ranch near here, received several cars of young cows and calves a few weeks ago.

Miss Edith Massingill has been quite ill from sticking a nail in her foot, but we understand she is improving.

A family by the name of Norris has moved on the Ben Peterson place.

Mr. Sellars and family will occupy the rent place of W. J. Cargile next year.

The Boy Scouts of Snyder hiked to Polar one day last week and spent the night at Ike Boren's place north of here.

A family by the name of White will live on the Currrington place next year.

Clyde Clanton of Luther was a Polar visitor last week and helped move the Blythe family to Luther.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Moore were business visitors at Dermott Saturday.

Mrs. J. A. Martin and Alina Dell Martin were guests of Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Christopher, of Dunn last Monday.

A number of Polar people were shopping in Snyder Monday.

GARMMAR SCHOOL NEWS NOTES

Primary Department Teachers and students are glad to welcome the following new students who have enrolled this semester into their large happy family:

John Hilborn Biggs, Martha Corrine Overstreet, Junior Thomas, Gilbert Daniels, Dion Murry, Patsy Dean Wallace, C. W. Stimson Jr., Nora Lee James, Eldon Way, Elizabeth Jacobs, Cozette White, Guy Senter, Harvey Smyrl, Thurman James, Otis White, Alice Overstreet, Mildred McGinty, Mildred McClammy and Dorothy Wallace.

They regret to lose Maxine Reid, David Alexander, Roy Reid and Marion Howell.

Clubs High 2nd A, with Mrs. Ryan as sponsor, has organized a "Story Hour Club," electing the following officers:

Lyle Alexander, president. Melvin Newton, vice president. Dorothy Winston, sec'y-treasurer.

High 3rd, with Miss H. Herm as sponsor met in a special meeting Wednesday, January 22, for the purpose of electing new officers for the second semester. Result: Charles Harless, president. Mavis Jenkins, secretary. Doris Wilson, treasurer. Jay Rogers, reporter.

Chapel Friday, January 31, the High 3rd with Miss H. Herm as sponsor, will have charge of the chapel program from 8:45 to 9:15. Visitors are welcome.

Intermediate Department This department is glad to add the following students to the enrollment this semester. The faculty and student body sincerely hope they may find their work pleasant and profitable:

Evelyn Way, Lillie James, Marshall Woodson, Ernest Pierce, Lillian James, La Rue Newman, Roland White, Luther Lewallen, Roy Holmes, Dorcie Lee White, Leona Prather, Riley Floyd, James A. Clark, and Walter White.

They regret to lose Margaret Howell.

Clubs Low 5th, with Miss Halley as sponsor, has organized the Rinky-Dink Club, with the following officers:

Cecil Travis Smith, president. Juanita Sentell, vice president. Florentz Winston, secretary. E. E. Wallace, treasurer.

High 5th A, with Miss Boone as sponsor, has completed the organization of the Sunshine Friday Club, with the following officers elected: Alton Rogers, president. Joetta Beauchamp, vice president. Ruth Wright, secretary-treasurer. Elsie Holley, reporter.

High 5th B, sponsored by Mr. Springfield, completed the organization of The Little American Club by initiating the following officers-elect:

Lyndal Westbrook, president. Balum Grant, vice president. Dorothy Trent, secretary. Sadie Tell Jenkins, treasurer. Virginia Yoder, reporter.

The High 6th, sponsored by Mrs.

Higgins, Francis Evans, Maxine Jones, Mary Helen Bollin, Charlie Morrow, Gordon Sentell, Johnnie Ruth Base, Barbara Davis, Evelyn Stell Harris, Mavis Jenkins, Dorothy Pinkerton, Vernon Moffett, Vivian Chenault, Dorothy Jones, Elwanda Allen, John Marie Lauder, Elizabeth Alexander, Geneva Allen, Doris Davis, Ruth Davis, Helen Hedges, Ona Faye Speck, Happy Hendrix, James Neal, Allen Hargrove, Oleta Ikard, June Clements, Geraldine Chapman and Irene DeShazo.

Intermediate Department Billy Hamilton, Tommy Winters, Sterlin Taylor, Elsie Holley, Joetta Beauchamp, Jack Bean, Chalmers Watkins, J. R. Watkins, Lucille Green, Sadie Tell Jenkins, Ruth Letcher, Oleta Ware, Virginia Yoder, Thelma Burdett, Roseanna Reynolds, William Miller, Clyde Sturdivant, Irene Spears, Maxine Huckabee, Edna Mae Dunnam, Sonley Huestis, Geraldine Longbottom, John Blakey, Wiley Brice, Vera Gay Arnold, Beverly Chambers, Mittie Idellah Crowder, Vaunelle Erwin, Hazel Pollard, Mabel Watkins, Geneva White, Virginia Will, Lois Mae Littlepage, Ruby Lee and Louise Jones.

Special Mention (Those who have the highest average among the boys or girls respectively of their class.) Ernest Taylor, Marjory Brown, John Holley, Wanda Lee Spradley, J. C. Pitner, Louise Bowers, Marion Howell, Wilma Terry, Dwan Kite, Faye Best, Weldon Hart, Maxine Jones, Jay Rogers, Josephine Kelly, Truman Wilson, Louise Hardin, Victor Base, Homer Adams, Virginia Egerton, Emil Slovacek, Olline Morrow, Balum Grant, Lyndal Westbrook, Glenwood Trigg, Geneva Glasscock, Billy Smith, Horace Holley, Evelyn Erwin (all A's), Otis Martin, Margaret Miller.

Extra: Marie Oliver, Juanita Sentell and Florentz Winston, tied for first honor in their section. Estine Dorward, Le Frances Hamilton and Frances Northcut, tied for first honor in their section. Netha Lynn Rogers and Maureen Wolf tied for first honor in their section.

A CORRECTION In the recent edition of the Scurry County Rural School News, type made the paper say that Hermleigh was receiving \$1,281, whereas it should have read \$815.

Dunn school received \$1,281, the largest amount given any Scurry County school.

As the original state aid figures appeared in the Times-Signal they were correct, but when it was later re-set for the Rural School News an error was made, which is hereby corrected.

Some of our people who claim to be ahead of the times can't remember to write 1930 on their letters.

From an enrollment of more than 625 students, 257 attended Sunday school last Sunday; on the same Sabbath 184 attended church. It would be fine if those who attended would carry some other students with them next Sunday.

There are many boys in the Grammar School who do not belong to the Boy Scouts. Perhaps a kind suggestion from some boy friend who already knows the value of this wonderful organization might cause others to get in.

OUR SCHOOL RECORD

By Billy Smith High Sixth Reporter

On Friday morning, Jan. 24, we met in chapel. We were first given an example of "Beads on a String," the play given that night by the V. A. boys. Then Principal J. M. Claunch had all the honor and special mention students come on the stage. They were as follows:

Primary Department: Alton Duff, Kenneth Wilson, Darlene Bowling, Patricia Dodson, Wilota Hart, Dalma Piquet, Nell Verna Lemond, Horence Leath, Glen Perry, Lyle Alexander, Carl Hargrove, Billie Mae Henry, Melvin Newton Jr., Marion Frances Ferguson, Blossom Lee Green, Wynona Keller, Lunell Pitner, Dorothy Winston, David Alexander, Bobby Baugh, Daren Benbenek, Billy Hutchinson, Gerald Haney, Vernell Edmondson, Francis Head, Evelyn Pollard, Ella Eugenia Lambert, Max West, Joe Rue Lemley, Fred Johnston, Ervel Lee Keller, Josephine Henderson, Thurman

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PHONE 47

OLNEY CITIZENS WILL FOLLOW KELLY'S LEAD

Citizens of Olney had best take warning that with the coming there of James E. Kelly as editor of the Olney Enterprise, they are securing one of the most outstanding and real worth-while editorial writers in the entire West. Kelly, who has been with the Graham Leader, never comes to Olney, and when it comes to Olney, he is an able and fluent writer, and here's best wishes to him from the Times-Signal.

TECH SHORT COURSE TO BE HELD FEB. 3-5

Three or four thousand farmers and farm women are expected to attend the second annual Texas Technological College Farmers' and Home Makers' Short Course to be held at Lubbock February 3, 4, and 5, according to officials of the school in charge of the course. A three-day program, including evening meetings on Feb. 3 and 4, has been worked out by H. J. Bower, Dean Margaret W. Weeks and W. L. Stangel that is full of interesting and instructive addresses, discussions and demonstrations that will be of invaluable assistance to farmers and farm wives in making a

more profitable and a more enjoyable living.

The men and women will meet in separate groups during the day, while a combined session will be held each evening.

The Lubbock Chamber of Commerce will be host to the entire gathering at a luncheon the first day.

Each afternoon the farmers and their wives will be taken for an inspection trip to the various buildings and live stock barns and yards at the college.

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Announcement

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ARTICLE XLIX
Making Big Ones Out of Little Ones

Proper Feeding of Vital Importance During the Early Days of a Chick's Existence.

Editor's Note—This is another story in a series of 52 stories on poultry raising written by the well known national authority, Dr. L. D. LeGeary, V. S., of St. Louis, Mo. The entire series will appear in this paper. Our readers are urged to read these carefully and clip them out for future reference.

Business took me into a small country court room recently. As I entered, a convicted chicken thief was just receiving sentence. "Thirty days on the rock pile, Henry," drawled the judge, and continued, "and when you get home again, Henry, get yourself some little chickens—honestly—and try making big ones out of little ones for a while, instead of always having to make little ones out of big ones on the county rock pile the way you've been doing here lately."

The soundness of this homely advice struck me very forcibly. I couldn't help thinking how much more profitable the poultry business would be if every one engaged in it could realize how many thousands of dollars are lost every year because poultry raisers generally are not doing all they should in the way of "making big ones out of little ones."

Over 20 years ago I adopted a plan of feeding young chicks which proved so successful that I have continued it without change ever since. Many have adopted it, tried all sorts of variations to it and have revolved all around it in various ways. Invariably, however, they return again to my original system. I know that many can profit by adopting my method, so I shall describe it as fully as space will permit. I do not claim this is the best method, for there is no best one. If your present method gives the desired results, do not change.

A great many are now successfully feeding an "all mash" ration from the start to maturity; and not feeding any whole or cracked grain at all. Many others successfully start their baby chicks on a mash "starter feed" and after two weeks supplement it with commercial chick grain, etc.

My method is quite different. When my chicks are about 48 hours old, I take them out of the incubator and put them into the brooder room that is warm, thoroughly cleaned and disinfected. The temperature under the hover should be close to 100 degrees, and the room should not be too cold. I give them at this time fresh buttermilk or fresh clabbermilk in clean vessels that are protected so they cannot get into the milk with their feet. I also provide them with water, with Chick Tablets dissolved in it, in clean vessels protected in the same way. I also give them baby chick grit, and charcoal and keep this before them at all times.

A few hours later I give them their first feed which is pinhead (steel cut) oatmeal. This is the same kind of oatmeal our mothers used to make mush out of when we (the older of us) were young. It can still be secured in all the larger cities. Rolled oats are too large to feed at this time unless broken up. I spread papers on the floor near the hovers and put the oatmeal on the papers. I see that all the chicks get on the papers and they are soon all eating. I leave this before them for about ten minutes.

The second feed may consist of either commercial chick grain or oatmeal. After the first day and for the first ten days I mix one part of oatmeal and two parts chick grain and feed what they will clean up in fifteen minutes, every three hours at 6, 9, 12, 3 and 6 o'clock. Milk as well as water should be kept before them all the time. Also tender grass or other green food should be provided every day. If milk is not available, one hard boiled egg should be ground up fine and fed to each 25 chicks each day. I keep clean chaff or short cut straw on the floor of the brooder room and after the chicks are 4 or 5 days old, I scatter all their grain feed in the litter and make them

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scratch for it. During the second week I start feeding a dry mash made by mixing equal parts wheat bran, yellow corn meal, wheat middlings, oatmeal and if no milk is being fed, I add 10 per cent of good grade sifted meat scraps to the mash. For about a week I give them in hoppers at 9 and 3 o'clock each day what they will eat of this mash in half an hour. This, of course, is fed dry.

When the chicks are about two weeks old, this dry mash can be kept before them all the time in hoppers. When I begin feeding the above mash, I discontinue the 9 and 3 o'clock grain feed and feed grain but three times each day. Also when I begin giving the dry mash I leave the oatmeal out of the grain and give chick grain only.

From the third to the sixth week I continue feeding baby chicks scratch grain in litter morning, noon and night. Gradually increasing the amount, but never giving them more than can be cleaned up in 15 minutes. At all times, keep before them mash, grit and charcoal. When six weeks old, a crumbly wet mash can be fed in troughs at noon, only what they will clean up in fifteen minutes, made by wetting the dry mash with milk, and leave off the noonday grain feed.

Beginning with the sixth week, I start feeding whole wheat, cracked corn and milo maize instead of fine chick grain or mix them together. Chicks now may eat whole sprouted oats and can also handle medium size grit and charcoal. Schedule and system of feeding remains as before, gradually increasing ration until the birds approach maturity. Then they may have the rations intended for laying pullets and hens or breeding males.

It is most important to keep chicks growing every minute. That is what this schedule is intended to do and it will succeed if given a fair chance. You cannot raise chicks successfully, however, without constant attention to detail—neglect will never do it.

FUNERAL SERVICES ARE HELD SATURDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. D. R. Bright were held at the Odom Funeral Home Saturday in charge of Rev. Cal C. Wright, assisted by Bro. W. M. Speck. Mrs. Bright had been critically ill for about a month after a decline in health for about a year.

Mrs. Bright was born at the frontier town of Content, now Tolton, in Burnetts county, where her father was an early day physician. She was also married at Content. With her husband she moved to Scurry County 30 years ago. Dr. and Mrs. Reed, her parents, moved from Content to Buffalo Gap and later to Abilene, where they died more than 30 years ago.

Mrs. Bright is survived by her husband and one daughter, Florence Bright, and besides Abilene relatives, two brothers, C. M. Reed of Wichita Falls and John M. Reed of Trinity, and a sister, Mrs. W. G. Jones, of Dallas.

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HERE is good news for the traveling public! Southland Greyhound Lines, as evidence of their policy of offering convenient, luxurious travel at lowest cost, announce new lower fares, and new schedules. The changes affect practically all of the lines over the entire system. Many fares have been reduced as much as 25%—schedules have been so arranged and coordinated as to save the greatest amount of time on both long and short trips.

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Return to Farm Means Much To This Country

Times-Signal Joins Heartily In Campaign to Re-Sell Farm as Home

With the unmistakable signs of a return to the farm from the cities, the Times-Signal is happy to join with other weekly and daily papers of the state to champion the greatest cause of the time to hasten this return and graphically point out why it is desirable.

A decade or more ago young people started deserting the farms in droves. They had seen the flickering lights of the broad white way; some had served in the war and glimpsed gay Paree, so "how you gonna keep 'em down on the farm with all its drabness?"

The reason the farms were left was not because of its labor, but simply because there were no pleasures or conveniences in agricultural homes. Nothing—save work, eat, sleep and work again—in isolation. But that has all been changed, and if there were a great exodus from the cities back to the farm by those able-bodied and intelligent young folks with a real desire to farm all the year, buy the place and make it pay, Texas would be experiencing the greatest move in history.

There are ten reasons why Scurry County and Texas farms are now desirable as permanent homes. Here they are:

- 1.—In practically all of Texas there is a plethora of good water, some places at shallow depth but others where fine artesian water, as pure as any in the country, may be had deeper. No place can ever succeed in attracting enterprising farmers without plenty of pure water. Texas has it in abundance and Scurry a wonderful supply.
- 2.—Texas has an unexcelled climate for year round farming. Many crops may be planted and all of them produce well. The North may be ice-bound six months a year, but not in the Sunny South, and West Texas has ample crop months in the year.
- 3.—Good roads now extend to all parts of Texas. Many of them are concrete, others are asphalt tops, others are graveled, while the remainder are improved by drags. Persons can go any place in Texas nowadays in autos knowing no barriers in the way of poor highways.
- 4.—One complaint of persons years ago was that the farm had no heat for cooking save coal oil and wood. Today farmers may have canned heat—gas in containers—and cook from the latest gas appliances.
- 5.—The old kerosene lamp and

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tallow candle have now been relegated to the limbo of an almost forgotten past. Huge light and power companies are extending their lines, and others not so fortunately situated there are small electric light plants for the home, barn, garage and poultry houses. Electric lights are now available for all.

6.—The old time farm boy complained he could get no newspapers, music or current information and entertainment on the farm. The radio has solved that. The finest musical programs, up-to-date news are furnished by radio, and the daily paper comes out with the mail man every day. Thus the farm home is linked to the world 24 hours a day.

7.—Productivity of the soil is another reason for a return to land. Banks may crash, stock markets may collapse, your job may be lost in town, but if you live on a Texas farm and know your stuff you may have a market every day and every month from the best land in the United States. Texas' broad plains are fertile.

8.—Folks used to leave the farm because their children could not get educational advantages. Nowadays high grade schools are close by, or else it is a matter of only an hour or so by bus or car to town schools. What better rural schools in the state than right here in old Scurry?

9.—Texas land is as low as it will go, because the "smart investors" in the cities and in the North and

East are turning to it daily. It is likely to be controlled in thousand acre lots by immense syndicates who don't know and don't care who you are—therefore if you are a farmer by birth and inclination you would do well to buy your piece of ground now. You would regret to have to compete with foreign labor, and yet the number of Mexicans and other nationalities on the farms each year is increasing. Buying your farm now is but a sensible, safety-first measure.

10.—Ownership of a farm is the best investment in the world because land is the basis of all wealth. It cannot burn nor blow away. Farm life is the most independent and the happiest in the world; you are your own boss; you exultantly breathe the pure ozone; you have length and breadth without being crowded by undesirable neighbors; your investment is bound to increase, with no high city taxes to pay; and you have many other important and worthwhile advantages.

Who Got the Best?

"My landlady saved me the tenderest part of the chicken yesterday when I was late for dinner."
"What part was that?"
"Some of the gravy."

Many of the schools are reported as being crowded, but there is always room at the head of the classes.

School Terms May Be Cut By Court Ruling

"Peanut Politics" Brings Drastic Court Action at San Antonio

The courts at San Antonio delivered a knock-out blow to the rural children of the state of Texas unless the situation can be remedied in some way. Somebody in Medina County for reason that is hard to understand attacked the rural aid law, and the court held that the law was unconstitutional, thereby rendering null and void the rural aid law that has been in operation for some fifteen years. Why any person with a heart should wish to visit such calamity on the defenseless children of the rural districts of Texas is a question hard to answer.

The money belongs to the children just the same as the money appropriated to the state colleges belongs to the colleges. The state of Texas in the constitution guarantees to each child in the state a term of free school of not less than six months each year. Last year was the first time in the history of the state that it has fulfilled this phase of the constitution. Now for

the children to be beaten out of this, their just rights, is just too bad, and something should be done and done at once.

County Superintendent A. A. Bullock got on top of the situation as soon as the bad news was out and asked that each trustee in Scurry County write Governor Moody asking that he submit such legislation as is necessary to remedy the situation and that they write to their representative and senator asking them to not only support, but work for any legislation that will restore to the rural children of the state their money.

If the aid money is not restored it will mean a shortening of the terms of school all over the state from one to three months. The county board was also called together by Supt. Bullock, and letters were sent to the officials asking that something be done.

DUCKS GALORE

The Duck Editor of the Times-Signal made a plea last week that we needed some ducks for our table. That it pays to advertise was shown when Messrs. Maurice Brownfield, Horace Leath and T. J. Green delivered sufficient birds to grace the table of every employee of the paper, as well as the aforesaid duck editors.

Now any other hunters who feel themselves slipping at getting more kills and want to get lucky should not overlook dropping their extra birds at the office, where good luck will come to their aid. We guarantee that in words, but not in writing.

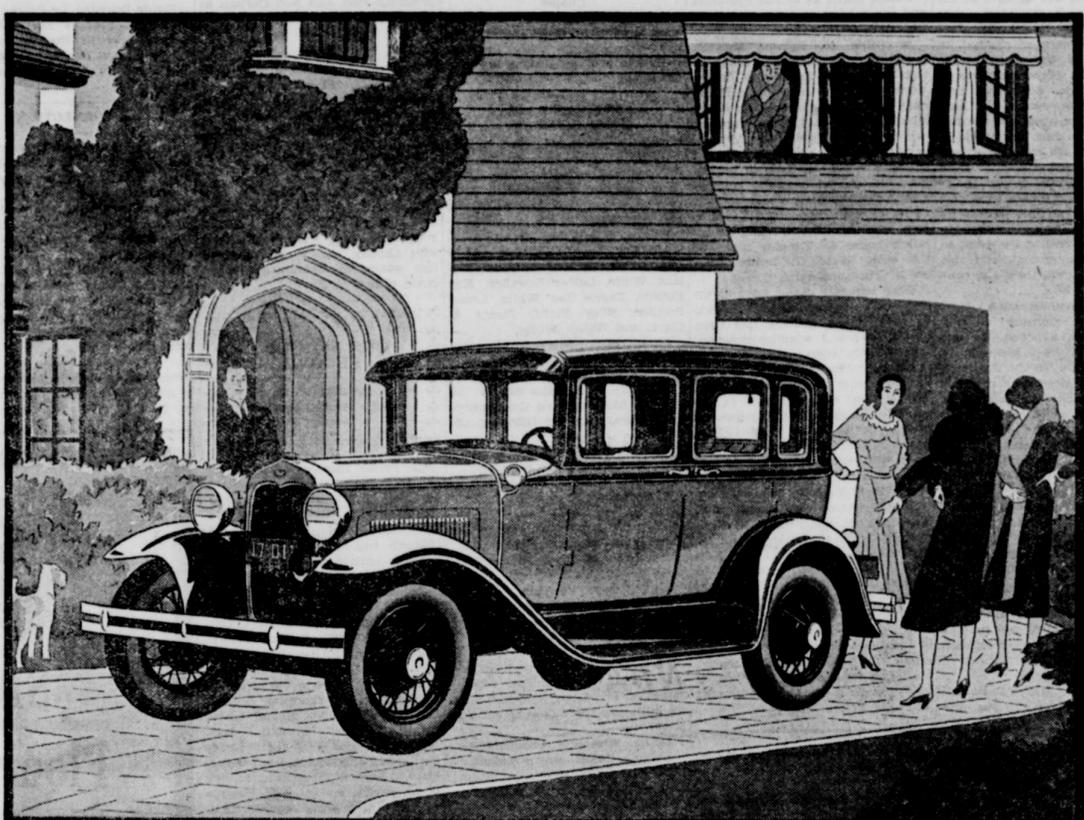
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The introduction of the new Ford bodies has set a high standard of motor car value.

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You will take a real pride in the smart style and fresh new beauty of the Ford just as you will find an ever-growing satisfaction in its safety, comfort, speed, acceleration, ease of control, reliability and economy. In appearance, as in mechanical construction, craftsmanship has been put into mass production. New beauty has been added to outstanding performance.

A feature of unusual interest is the use of Rustless Steel for the radiator shell, head lamps, cowl finish strip, hub caps, tail lamp and other exposed metal parts. This steel will not rust, corrode or tarnish and will retain its bright brilliance for the life of the car. Here, as in so many other important details, you see evidence of the enduring quality that has been built into the new Ford.

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SOCIETY

FEDERATION WILL GIVE SCHOLARSHIP

The Texas Federation of Music Clubs is offering a scholarship, and those who are interested in music will be interested in the following announcement:

A preliminary contest will be held in each district before the spring convention which meets in Abilene in April. Contestants in the voice department must be between the ages of 18 and 30 years. In the violin and piano departments, between the ages of 16 and 30, except when otherwise specified by the donor. These ages are inclusive counting from birthday nearest the contest.

The following scholarships will be given: M. Paulsen, Sherwood School of Music, Chicago, seven weeks' summer term. Piano, Leo Podolsky, Sherwood School of Music, six weeks summer term. The voice scholarship will be announced later, and each district should have a representation in each department, so that the Seventh District may have its share.

Further details will be published later, and anyone interested may write Minnie Hutchins, Graham, Texas.

BAXTER-DAVIS

On Wednesday, Jan. 22, Mr. Lewis Davis and Mrs. Frances Baxter surprised their many friends by quietly slipping away to Colorado where they were united in marriage. The young couple are well known here, the bride being the daughter of Mrs. J. Q. Richardson, and the bridegroom the son of Frank Davis, long a resident of Scurry County. At present Mr. and Mrs. Davis are making their home with the bride's mother, Mr. Davis being employed as driller on an oil well near here.

ELABORATE PARTIES GIVEN

Two of the most beautifully appointed parties of the year were given Saturday, one in the morning and one in the afternoon, by Mesdames Pat Brown, Roland Bell and Bob Gray at the home of Mrs. Gray. Tulips, carnations and calendulas were lavishly used in decorating, and the entertaining rooms were a bower of beauty. Single tulips and fern centered each table where "42" was played. A most tempting two-course luncheon was served to one hundred and sixteen guests who were entertained during the day.

ALTRURIANS MEET WITH MRS. W. W. HAMILTON

The Altrurian Club met with Mrs. W. W. Hamilton Friday, January 24. Just now the subject for club study and discussion is Western Literature, and the following program was carried out: Home reading, "Ramona" Helen Hunt Jackson. Reading, "October," Helen Hunt Jackson, by Mrs. Gray. Roll Call—Name and Work of a writer of the West. Whites Enter Literature: (a) History—"54-40 or Fight," Emerson Hough, by Mrs. Joe Stinson. (b) Romance, "Ramona," Mrs. Hagan.

Helen Hunt Jackson—How a Reformer? Mrs. Anderson. Reading, "South Cheyenne Canon and Seven Falls," Mrs. Taylor. At the conclusion of the program the hostess, assisted by her daughter, La Frances, served delicious refreshments to Mesdames E. J. Anderson, Roland Bell, H. P. Brown, Joe Caton, Joe Stinson, R. D. English, G. A. Hagan, C. C. Higgins, J. M. Harris, A. C. Preull, Fritz F. Smith, L. T. Stinson, Hugh Taylor, O. P. Thrane, J. T. Whitmore.

DINNER AT COM EZEEL'S
Sunday several friends of Mr. and Mrs. Com Ezell surprised them by gathering at their home for dinner. Each one brought some part of the dinner which when assembled proved to be a regular turkey spread with all the fixings. A great time was had by Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Brice and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. George Northcutt and daughter, Frances, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. McCarty, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Taylor and daughter, Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Monroe, Miss Loyce Clark and the Ezells.

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR BUSINESS WOMEN'S CLUB

An election of officers for the Business and Professional Women's Club was held Tuesday evening, with Mrs. Alma Buchanan, president, in charge of the meeting. After a report from the nominating committee, the following officers

for the new year were nominated and elected: Mrs. W. W. Smith, president; Miss Mattie Ross Cunningham, vice president; Mrs. Louise Darby, secretary; and Mrs. Ethel Elland, treasurer.

At the conclusion of the business session a very enjoyable program was given. For roll call members answered with Irish witticisms. A report on "Independent Woman" was given by Mrs. Ethel Elland. Mrs. Joe Caton read an interesting article on "Stretching the Salary Bill," and Mrs. Mabel Y. German, parliamentarian, discussed the rules governing debate.

Members present were Mesdames Ophelia Blackard, Alma Buchanan, Ethel Casstevens, Nancy Caton, Louise Darby, Ethel Elland, Alma Frank, Mabel German, Vera Miles, Dora Morris, Woodie Scarborough, Daisy Smith, Zilpha Teague, Katherine Thrane, Misses Maurine and Mattie Ross Cunningham, Mattie Clark, Effie McLeod, Maggie Norred, Eula Stinson and Eloise Scott.

On next Tuesday evening Mesdames Alma Nell Morris, Eula Stinson and Ora Norred, hostesses, are planning a big surprise for club members and their guests with a "Night in Japan."

BRIDGE PARTY

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. W. T. Raybon entertained a few of her friends with two tables of bridge. A delicious salad course was served to Mesdames Ed Deakins, T. L. Lollar, J. J. Taylor, A. D. Erwin, J. M. Harris, W. B. Lee, P. M. Chambers and W. D. Beggs.

MISS EDITH GRANTHAM ENTERTAINS

Friday night Miss Edith Grantham entertained the San Souci Club at the home of Mrs. J. P. Nelson. After the bridge games, a plate lunch was served to the following members and guests: Mesdames Wayne Boren, H. M. Harris, Forest Sears, J. R. Hicks, J. P. Nelson, Jesse Sellars, Melvin Blackard, Lee Newsom, J. Q. Barnes, Misses Gertrude Herm, Hattie Herm, Sallie Boone, Neoma Strayhorn, Vera Nell Grantham, Eloise Scott and Ann Duncan.

LADIES AID OF FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH MEET

The Ladies Aid of the First Christian Church met Monday at the church. The following program was given:

Scripture lesson, Eph. 4:11, 24. Mrs. Lon Pierce. Prayer, Mrs. W. B. Stanfield. Solo, Open My Eyes That I May See, Mrs. R. S. Snow.

Introductory talk, by the leader, Mrs. T. M. Broadfoot. The Need of Authoritative Teaching, Mrs. W. B. Stanfield. What Churches of Christ Have a Right to Expect of Their Bible Colleges, Mrs. J. H. Hamlett. Illustrations in Story, Miss Elizabeth Smith.

What is the Difference Between Christian Education and Religious Education? Mrs. Nettie Wasson.

How Can a Mother Be Sure That the Child to Which She is Sending Her Son or Daughter Will Not Undermine the Child's Christian Faith? Mrs. Fritz R. Smith.

Does the Development of the Intellect Tend to Undermine the Simple Childlike Faith or to Strengthen It? Mrs. Hugh Boren. What is the Best Thing in the Way of Christian Education that a Home Can Give to the Children in It? Mrs. Roy Brown.

TWENTIETH CENTURY MEETS AT WARREN HOME

Friday afternoon Mrs. Allen Warren entertained the Twentieth Century Club members. The following program was given, with Mrs. H. E. Rosser leader.

Roll Call—Where I Shine. Native Treasure Talk Up the Prio, Mrs. H. M. Blackard. Mysterious Gold Mines of the Guadalupe River, Mrs. H. J. Brice. Vocal solo, "Mighty Lak a Rose," Mrs. C. E. Fish. Fpeinhimer's Millions, Mrs. B. M. West.

How Dollars Turn into Bumble Bees, Mrs. O. S. Williamson.

A plate lunch was served to Mesdames H. M. Blackard, I. W. Boren, H. J. Brice, P. C. Chennault, W. J. Ely, C. E. Fish, I. A. Griffin, H. E. Rosser, W. T. Raybon, Joe Strayhorn, J. J. Taylor, B. M. West and O. S. Williamson.

MRS. J. L. CASKEY HOSTESS TO MOTHERS SELF-CULTURE

Mrs. J. L. Caskey was hostess to the Mothers Self-Culture Club in the home of Mrs. B. M. West on Tuesday afternoon. After the business session a very interesting pro-

gram was given, the subject being "Architecture Modern", with Mrs. W. H. Cauble leader. Mesdames L. E. Trigg, E. P. Sears, Estelle Wylie, Will Williams, J. P. Avary, J. A. Woodfin and P. C. Chennault were on the program.

Some special numbers by guests were then enjoyed. Mrs. Earl Henry played a piano solo, and Billie Cauble sang a solo accompanied at the piano by Wylie Brice.

Mrs. Caskey, assisted by her daughter, Miss Inez, and Miss Saxton West, served a delicious plate to the following: Mesdames J. P. Avary, W. H. Cauble, B. M. West, E. P. Sears, Will Williams, Estelle Wylie, L. E. Trigg, E. F. McCarty, J. A. Woodfin, P. C. Chennault, and the following guests: Mesdames Earl Henry, and Miles.

The next meeting will be on Feb. 11 with Mrs. L. E. Trigg as hostess, with Mrs. P. C. Chennault as leader.

4-H CLUB ORGANIZED AT GANNAWAY

The Gannaway 4-H Club girls re-organized Wednesday, Jan. 22, by Miss Jessie Lee Davis, county home demonstration agent.

There were eight members enrolled, as follows: Sallie Pettit,

president; Ella Mae Davis, secretary; Ruth Wright, song and yell leader. The other members are Lillian Holdridge, Maurine, Nadine and Lovena Whitehead.

HI LEAGUE PROGRAM SUNDAY, FEB. 2

Song and prayer service. Subject, Prayer in the Lives of Real Leaders.

Scripture reading, Mark 11:25; Luke 6:12, Mary Janet Smith. Leader, Hazel Bannister. Moses, The Servant of God, Ruth Yoder. Paul, the Dauntless, Grace Avary. Prayer in the Life of Jesus, Jan- yce Thompson. Wesley, a Believer in Prayer, Dawson Bridgeman. Song and League Benediction.

MARRIED RECENTLY

Announcements have been mailed out of the marriage of Miss Nora Lee Alford to Mr. Claud E. Ingram, January 19. They will reside in Snyder, and the Times-Signal joins their many friends in congratulations.

Advertise in the Times-Signal.

MRS. BILL MILLER HOSTESS TO ALPHA STUDY CLUB

Mrs. Bill Miller entertained the Alpha Study Club Tuesday afternoon at her home. An interesting program was given on the Drama, with Miss Neoma Strayhorn as leader:

Roll Call, Foremost American Playwrights. Brief History of Drama, Mrs. J. G. Hicks. Selection from Chief Contemporary Dramatist, Mrs. Forest Sears. Little Theatre Movement, Neoma Strayhorn.

A plate lunch was served to Mesdames J. E. Sentell, Frank Sentell, Clyde Boren, Wayne Boren, Homer Snyder, J. G. Hicks, Wraymond Sims, Albert Norred, Charles Noble, Forest Sears, Melvin Blackard, Wayne Williams, G. B. Clark Jr., Alfred McClaun, Wade Winston, Misses Hattie Herm, Neoma Strayhorn, members; Mrs. Iora Miller and Mrs. C. H. Metcalf of Houston, guests.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

At noon Tuesday Mrs. J. M. Claunch entertained at the home of Mrs. Abe Rogers with a birthday dinner honoring her husband, J. M.

Claunch. The following members of the school faculty were present: Messrs. Claunch, H. F. Springfield, C. Wedgeworth, W. N. Corry, J. P. Jamison, Brooks, Cox, Moore and R. S. Sullivan.

MRS. GUY STOKER HOSTESS TO EL FELIZ CLUB

Friday, January 17, Mrs. Guy Stoker entertained the El Feliz Club at the home of her mother, Mrs. Henry Brice. Forty-two was enjoyed at tables centered with glass baskets of geranium and fern. A lively two-course luncheon was served to Mesdames Hugh Boren, J. C. Dorward, A. J. Cody, C. L. Harless, Geo. Northcutt, R. H. Odom, Lee Stinson, T. L. Lollar, W. H. Cauble, H. J. Brice, members; Mesdames W. C. Shull, W. J. Ely, Burns of Jayton; Misses Maurine Stimson and Mary Ellen Martin, guests.

WOODMAN CIRCLE ELECTS OFFICERS

The Woodman Circle met recently and elected officers for the coming year. Those elected were: Past Guardian, Mrs. Edna E. Banks, re-elected; Guardian, Mrs. Lizzie Hendryx, re-elected; Advisor, Mrs. Mar-

tha Spear, re-elected; Corresponding, Recording and Financial Secretary, Mrs. H. V. Williams, re-elected; Banker, Mrs. Anna Moffett; First Auditor (chairman) Mrs. Maude Riley; Secand Auditor, Mrs. Alma Watkins; Third Auditor, Marguerite Riley; Chaplain, Mrs. Alpha Moffett; Attendant, Mrs. Beatrice Forkner, re-elected; Assistant Attendant, Miss Hattie Pate, re-elected; Inner Sentinel, Mrs. Frank Bronfield, re-elected; Outer Sentinel, Mrs. Mary McGlothlin; Musician, Miss Floy Brownfield.

INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U.

Group No. 3 will have charge of the program at the church, 6:30. Subject, What To Do When We Doubt. Doubt, an Old Malady, by E. J. Bradbury. Things About Which We May Doubt, by Weldon Alexander. Some Cause of Doubt, Lola Mae Littlepage. Choosing Wrong Companions, by Nadine Sumruid. Some Effects of Doubt, by Louise Wilsford. The Cure Doubt for Doubt, Maybeth Smith. Pray Each Day, Johnnie Horton. Find Something to do for Jesus, by Leighton Griffin.

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 BERNARD LONGBOTHAM.
 W. W. (WALLACE) MERRITT

FOR DISTRICT CLERK
 LOUISE E. DARBY

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 A. A. BULLOCK

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
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 TWO nice suites of rooms for rent. Also one 4-room house. See H. V. Williams. 33-1tc

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 We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness and sympathy and beautiful floral offering extended us in the loss of our husband, father and brother.—Mrs. O. S. Green and children, brothers and sisters. 33-1tc

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Taking No Chances
 Grocer (to small customer)—Willie, would you like to have an apple? Willie—No, sir. I'm afraid to eat 'em.
 Grocer—Why?
 Willie—Cause my grandfather died of appleplexy.

NOTICE TO MACHINERY DEALERS AND MANUFACTURERS

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Scurry County will receive bids at any time up to ten o'clock a. m. Saturday, Feb. 15th, 1930, on one twenty-two Austin Western Dual Drive Maintainer.

All bids must be in sealed envelopes and addressed to Mabel Y. German, County Clerk, Snyder, Texas, and must be accompanied by certified check in the amount of 5 per cent of the price bid.

Done by order of the Commissioners' Court this the 23rd day of January, 1930.

HORACE HOLLEY, Presiding Officer.

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RUPTURE EXPERT HERE

C. F. Redlich, Minneapolis, Minn., nationally famous Rupture Appliance Expert, will demonstrate without charge his unequalled method at the Blue Bonnet Hotel, Sweetwater, on Wed. Feb. 12, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Mr. C. F. Redlich says: "The 'Perfect Retention Shields' hold the rupture perfectly, no matter what position the body assumes or how heavy a weight you lift. They give instant relief and contract the opening in a remarkably short time."

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Livestock Loss Small in Worst Of Texas Storms

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FORT WORTH, Jan. 28.—The most devastated blizzard of the century has spent its fury on the plains of the Southwest, and jubilant stockmen are thanking science and modern invention for the most negligible loss of livestock in the history of Texas storms.

Anxiously scanning the reports from the snow covered and windswept ranges of Texas as they filtered into headquarters of the Texas-Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, Secretary E. B. Spiller daily read the fate of countless herds of cattle after a fortnight of intense cold, the vernal official announced that what might have been economic disaster for the stockmen had been avoided as a result of swift motor transportation and their knowledge and practice of proper feeding methods.

In their dramatic fight against the ravages of the elements, the stockmen's most dependable ally was the product of Texas' fields in brighter and sunnier days. Cakes and meal, made from Texas cottonseed, and both highly concentrated feed stuff of high protein content, played the most important part in the battle against starvation and freezing, in the opinion of Spiller. Motor transportation enabled the necessary feed rapidly over the wide areas wherein the improvised cattle foraged unsuccessfully in the never ending blankets of snow.

Although the extremely low temperature and heavy snowfall was not anticipated, very few stockmen were caught unprepared, Spiller reported. Experience which was paid for at a heavy price in other years, has taught the cattle raisers of Texas to make provisions for adequate feed stuffs in proper proportions as the winter season comes in.

As the cattlemen congratulate themselves on their emergence from the worst blizzard for 30 years with little or no loss of their stock, some of the younger ones and all of the

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THE PUBLISHERS.

old timers recall the disaster which overtook their herds in the winter of 1918-19, with the grass buried under thick snows week after week the stock slowly starved and froze by the thousands while the owners looked helplessly on.

Probably never again, Spiller predicted, in view of the record of more recent years, and the modern knowledge and facilities for the care of stock, will the marauder of winter bring major economic loss to the cattlemen of the Southwest. The year 1930 already has provided the test, he said.

The Insult
 The traffic officer had raised his hand and the lady motorist stopped with a jerk. Said the officer, as he drew out his little book: "As soon as I saw you come around the bend I said to myself, 'Forty-five at least.'"

"Officer," remonstrated the lady indignantly, "you are very much mistaken. It's that hat that makes me look so old."

The American people are said to be very forgetful, but they can always recollect the deductions to be made from their income on their tax returns.

SNYDER HIGH, MY SNYDER

A song to thee, fair school of mine, Snyder High, My Snyder High, But greater song than this is thine, Snyder High, My Snyder High. The whisper of the forest tree, The thunder of the inland sea Unite in one grand symphony, of Snyder High, My Snyder High.

We sing a song of thee, the best, Snyder High, My Snyder High, We sing a school with riches bless'd Snyder High, My Snyder High. Thy mines unmask a hidden store, But richer thy historic lore, More great the love thy builders bore, oh, Snyder High, My Snyder High.

Thou rich in wealth that makes a school, Snyder High, My Snyder High. Thou great in things, which is our rule, Snyder High, My Snyder High. Our loyal voices sound thy claim Upon the golden walls of Fame. Our loyal hands shall write the name of Snyder High, My Snyder High.

Ruby Dunham and Sadie Mae Bruton. —From 'The Tigers Tale.'

The Money Changers
 Cohen and his family sat down to dinner on Sunday. To his three boys Cohen said: "Now children, which of you would want it a nickel instead of meat for dinner?"

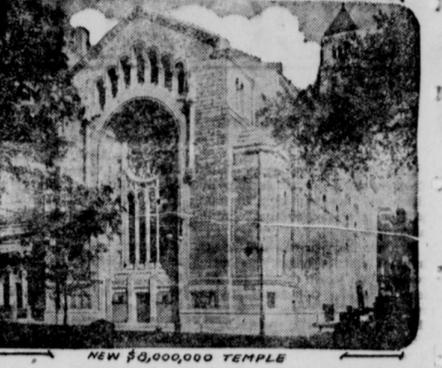
Each of the three decided in favor of the cash settlement, so Mrs. Cohen put the meat away. Then she brought in the pie and put it on the table.

"Now children," inquired Cohen, "how many of you want a nickel's worth of pie?"

Home Missions
 Old Lady—Where did you get all those nickels, sonny?
 Sonny—Down at the church.
 Old Lady—Did you steal them, you naughty boy?
 Sonny—Oh, no; the minister said that this money is all for the heathens. Me and pa is atheists, so I took a handful.

Perpetual Motion
 Jimmie—Wot's perpetual motion, paw?
 Paw—Keep your eye on your mother when she talks.

Thousands of New Churches Needed



NEW \$3,000,000 TEMPLE

America needs 1,600 new churches a year to replace obsolete structures. It is estimated 20 per cent, or 33,000, of the old churches now being used have been outgrown. It would take twenty years to replace them, building 1,600 new edifices a year.

This is the estimate of President A. E. Dickinson of the Indiana Limestone company, who has "provided more stone for use in churches in the past year than ever before." Strength, beauty and practicality characterize new churches. They are built with the security of a fortress. The new Temple Emanuel—El, Fifth Avenue and Sixty-Fifth Street, New York, with its gorgeous lace stone front, typifies the new era in church building, Mr. Dickinson says. Its lines are Romanesque in style, the architecture being an adaptation of the early Romanesque where it was influenced by the Eastern and Arab invasions of Sicily and Southern Italy. The structural proportions are magnificent. The exterior is variegated Indiana limestone, and an interior decorative feature centers on the ark where columns and dome are of varicolored marble and mosaic work inlays. The new temple, of which Koha, Butler & Stein are architects, represents a cost of around \$3,000,000. "Church construction is on a high plane," added Mr. Dickinson. "Some of our cathedrals surpass those of the old world. Certainly the flimsy old frame church is a ghost of the dim past."

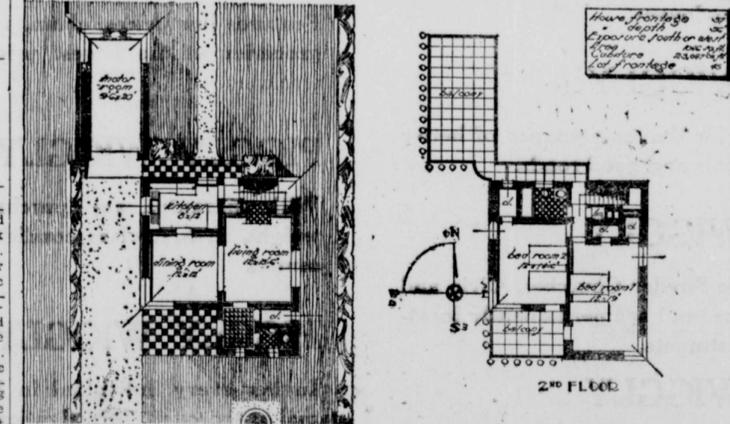
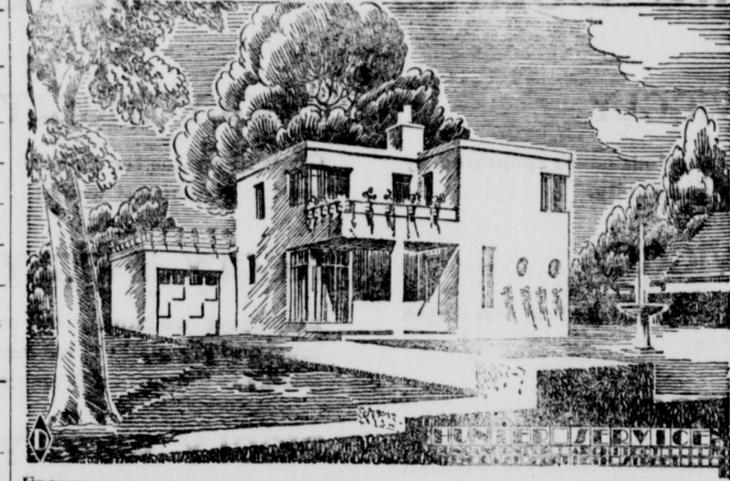
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The Compact is modern throughout. It has—
 Cellar (full area of house): Laundry, heater and general space, cold room. A recreation room could be provided if desired.
 First Floor: Entrance vestibule with lavatory and coat closet, living room, dining room, kitchen, front and rear covered terrace and a one-car motor room.
 Second Floor: Two bedrooms, a bath, closets, and two large balconies or decks, one over the front terrace, the other over the motor room.
 Ceiling heights: Cellar, seven feet; first floor, eight feet six inches; second floor, eight feet.
 Exposure: The plans as shown are for a lot facing north or east. The plans should be reversed.
 Lot size: House frontage, 37 feet; side clearance, left, 3 feet, right 5 feet; lot frontage, minimum 45 feet.
 Construction: Hollow tile with stucco finish; roofs and decks, canvas; foundation, concrete; windows, metal casements in special arrangement, with integral screens; doors, wood, to special details.
 Interiors: Floors, linoleum; walls, plaster in special moulded texture; ceilings, plaster, with cornices; kitchen, composition tile; bathroom, composition tile; steam heat, gas and electric wiring.
 Cubature, 23,097 cubic feet. Approximate cost \$7,800.
 Complete working plans and specifications of this house are available for a nominal sum. Address the Building Editor and refer

To The Men Who "Delivered The Gas"!

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 1615 WOOD STREET
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To The Men Who Delivered The Gas:
 Both the public and the press have very generously commended the gas service delivered by this organization in the recent zero weather. An organization is only as good as the men and women in it. During the stress of the severest weather Texas and Oklahoma have suffered in thirty years, the employees of the Lone Star Gas Company and affiliated companies gave their best to prevent suffering to their fellow citizens. Every man remained at his post and did his duty. The management of the gas companies appreciates this unstinted co-operation and gives all credit to these men for the organization's success in meeting the supreme test.

L. B. Dunham
 President.

They Delivered the Gas
 It is probable that the strain thrown upon the maintenance and operation force of the gas company and allied companies supplying Dallas during the recent severe weather was the greatest in their history. And it is but fair to note in their behalf that they served the people of Dallas admirably throughout. The ordinary user of gas does not know the tension that seizes upon those thus responsible for the very lives of thousands in a time such as we have just passed through. But in order that Dallas may have heat when the thermometer goes down, down, down, many men have to labor in places of exposure and under circumstances of bitter bodily discomfort. The endeavors of the valiant corps of workers who brought us safely through a genuine emergency with ample fuel supply deserve to be ranked but little below the plans of the heroic.

Seasons of distress and difficulty, such as this one proved to be, test out men in the utility service generally. Executives who go through with it, without a failure of accommodation to the public, experience an exhaustion of mind and frame not unlike the utter weariness of those who battle with the elements in the physical struggle. The gas was delivered, pressure was maintained and Dallas greeted the returning sunshine shivering, but grateful. Maybe few customers will think to thank the company or its men. But the thanks have been earned by fidelity under trial.

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