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SCURRYLY SPEAKING

NOT MANY people will admit that they love gossip more than they love news; but most of them do, nevertheless. Rather, most of us do, I love gossip when it is tinged with friendship rather than backbiting, if there be such gossip.

I think that this half-cold morning, when nature is painting the sky's few clouds with sunshine, is an ideal time for some nice gossip about some of the folks you know and I know.

Not many of us knew, before "The Womanish Divorce Case" was staged recently, that Harvey Shuler's form and figure were direct arguments against the new skirt length.

As far as that goes, not many of us knew that Abe Rogers, Snyder's tiny tailor, believes in short skirts. We found out Wednesday at noon, when he upheld the short skirt in scientific terms during the course of a bitter debate.

Speaking of tailors: Few of us would ever have dreamed that Earl Fish, long known for his cosmopolitan men and hearing, had never been to Dallas in all his eventful life. He told me, in all secrecy, that his first visit to "the city of the hour" was made last week; but even secrets may be broken during a gossip feast.

SOME ONE, probably a school teacher, has suggested that Judge Horace Holley will have a hard time since the tree tops on the court house lawn has been trimmed. The reason, I take it, is that holly is a winter-time decoration and hates to see the spring sap rising.

And speaking of sap: Miles, the photographer, says he has been raising a little sap in his home for five or six years. His name, we believe, is Bill.

B. F. Womack, our industrious postmaster, has been reported as saying that the reason mail is so often mixed in folks' boxes is because all the department's local employees are too busy waiting on the front windows to do their back-field job right.

Otis Carter, I understand, has a beautiful car for sale, trade, or borrowing. One of my pipe dreams is bursted. I've always thought that a man who could get a wife one year and a car the next would be sublimely satisfied.

Some of the county candidates are becoming more prominent in the public eye than they were a few short weeks ago. I don't blame them; I, too, believe that one church pew is worth two on-the-street canvasses.

A MAN'S REACH should exceed his grasp, else what's a heaven for? That line from Browning must be Coach Otis "Red" Moore's guiding light. Last September he grasped a bunch of green-horn youngsters, most of whom didn't know a football from a cabbage. Next September he will start reaching for a district championship, or words to that effect.

That new preacher, Cal C. Wright, has none of the outstanding qualities of Cal Coolidge, unless it be a skinny figure. He talks lots, he laughs lots, and he's not too frugal with his "how-de-dos."

Young Johnnie, messenger boy de luxe, has a supreme trust in man's honesty, even if half the folks he delivers telegrams to never give him a tip. He leaves his bicycle out in the street a lot of nights. If the vehicle is stolen after some fellow with rough morals reads this column, my comeback to Johnnie will be: "I told you so."

The reason P. W. Cloud is feeling so spry these days, observers say, is because his blue skies have turned to gray.

Even a groceryman must have some melody around. So Mr. Wilhelm, the "Me" of the east side, has permitted several Singers to be placed in his show windows.

H. G. NIEDECKEN, poultryman, believes Scurry County will raise more and more chickens as the years come and go. But, as I see it, this old county needs more and better knockers above all else. The old crop of knockers is getting so quiet that the progressives are not doing quite enough to spite them.

J. M. Claunch, grammar school principal, is making a special study of civic questions. Mrs. Claunch, it is rumored, wants her husband to become a candidate so he will go more places with her.

The way to create optimism is to be an optimist. I'm one. I think one News reader out of every hundred read past the first line of this column when he found that I planned to talk about his neighbors.

School Cafeteria Opens Monday

Good old "son-of-a-gun!" Snyder folks who attend the public opening of the school cafeteria, between 5:30 and 9:00 o'clock Monday, will be served that delicious dish--at only ten cents for a large bowlful.

Or, if sandwiches, without the son-of-a-gun, are desired, sandwiches you may have, in satisfying variety. There will be beans, salads, drinks and other palate pleasers, too, at five or ten cents each. Parents, and the general public, are invited to attend this opening. All proceeds will go toward the Parent-Teacher Association fund for improvement of the cafeteria.

Several hours before the grown-ups are permitted to invade the school's latest addition, the grade and high school students will have sampled the cafeteria's foods and drinks. Next Monday at noon has been set as the opening hour. Students and faculty members will be served a variety of nourishing foods at five cents each on this day as well as on all subsequent school days, according to Mrs. Hugh Taylor, president of the P. T. A.

The cafeteria's three rooms and hallway, all newly painted in browns, greens and whites, will present an attractive face to hungry children. All walls are finished in two shades of brown, while the tables and some of the woodwork are finished in light green. Marquisette curtains will greet the window watchers. A golden rail separates the diner from the counter on which edibles are served. Before he reaches the serving room, however, Mr. Eater passes into an ante-room from the east end of the grammar school building. New light fixtures have been placed in all the rooms.

The ten tables in the dining room, having a seating capacity of 60 persons, were built and painted by vocational students. From the tables the diner passes into the hallway again and out the same door by which entrance was made.

Music will be furnished throughout the public opening period, from 5:30 until 9:00 o'clock Monday. Members of the Business Men's Luncheon Club will have their weekly meeting in the cafeteria Wednesday at 1:00 o'clock.

WAR VETERANS PLAN MEETING

Harrie Winston, post commander, has given the following notice to ex-service men:

A meeting of the Will Layne American Legion post at Snyder will be held in the office of the Chamber of Commerce Sunday, 3 p. m., February 2. The presence of every ex-service man in Scurry and adjoining counties is earnestly requested, as there will be matters of importance to be discussed, which will in a large measure determine the program to be carried out during the coming year.

The Will Layne post was just recently organized, and it is the desire of those who are responsible for its organization that this post do all within the power of its membership to make its program stand for something in the community. There are a lot of worthy things which every ex-service man should consider his duty--to the community and nation as well as a privilege to have a part in doing.

So let's all come to this meeting and bring someone with us and try to make our local post worth while in our community.

Gump Wedding Will Be P. T. A. Feature

"The Zander-Gump Wedding" will become more than a comic strip in a couple of weeks. On the stage of the high school auditorium, with the Parent-Teacher Association doing the ram-rodging, the famous ceremony will become a reality on the evening of Tuesday, February 18. The wedding is said to be equally as funny as "The Womanish Divorce Case," recently put on by the organization. Proceeds from the play will go toward installing the new cafeteria equipment.

Wigs, long noses and other accessories will be furnished by the company holding the play franchise. A cast is expected to be announced within a week or ten days.

Trees Get Trimmed

Snyder square is becoming more and more desolate since a decree from the county dads that the tops be trimmed from the largest trees on the court house lawn.

It looks like Judge Horace Holley and his commissioners will have several cords of stovewood when the saws and axes finish with their work. Only a few trees remain untouched as The News goes to press Thursday afternoon.

After all, the present trimming is just to help Mother Nature in her plan to have bigger and better trees in the spring.

TIGERS WIN OFF CHAMP EAGLES

Playing on a foreign court two nights in succession, the Snyder High Tigers won a brace of basketball games last week-end that give them a district championship complexion. Friday night, on a cold-streaked outdoor court, the Roscoe Plowboys were given their second defeat at the Tigers' hands, this time by a count of 26 to 8. Coach R. S. Sullivan's Snyder girls were winning, 28 to 18, also their second game from Roscoe, at the same time. Coach Moore played his first-string men throughout the game.

In a brilliant game, featured by close guarding and tight scores, the Tigers beat the Abilene Eagles, district champions of 1929, on Saturday night by a score of 20 to 17. Again "Red" Moore used only his first stringers, except for a couple of players when the centers were changed. Here is the way the Abilene Reporter-News told about the game:

Snyder High School shoved itself ahead in the last minutes of the 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.

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 shots, but their average in striking the target was fatally low.

Three members of the Tiger club did all the scoring. Huestis accounted for nine points, Martin for six, and Greenfield for five. Captain Smokey Allen was high point man for the entire field with four field goals and two ball's-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 PF TP
Martin, f. 2 2 1 6
Huestis, f. 4 1 0 9
Greenfield, c. 2 1 5
Price, g. 0 0 0 0
Burdine, g. 0 0 0 0
Totals. 8 4 2 20

Abilene-- FG FT PF TP
Allen, f. 4 2 3 10
J. Smith, f. 1 0 1 2
Moore, f. 0 0 1 0
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.

Tax Offices to Stay Open Till Midnight

Taxes will become delinquent after midnight tonight, according to Deputy Tax Collector A. M. McPherson, and penalties will be added to all payments after that time. The collector's office in the court house will be open until the first hour of Saturday morning, as an accommodation to the citizens of Scurry County. Mr. McPherson states.

SNYDER RADIO INTERFERENCE NOW REDUCED

Radio interference, which has been one of Snyder's chief fire-side topics for a number of months, was given a severe jolt when J. D. Murphree Jr. came to town two weeks ago.

Called to Snyder from Dallas, where he is employed with the Texas Power & Light Company as a radio interference expert, Mr. Murphree worked on the persistent interference problem for 10 days. He tackled it from every angle, testing appliances as well as the high lines and other Texas Public Service Company equipment.

With the splendid co-operation given by the people of Snyder, Mr. Murphree said he left last week-end, "I was able to cut out much of the interference that has bothered local radio fans. Part of the trouble was due to the service company's equipment, and this is being remedied as fast as possible. A large part can be destroyed only through the close cooperation of all those who use electrical appliances."

In describing the cause for much of the interference, Mr. Murphree pointed out that violet rays, X-rays, electric cash registers, old-type heating pads, almost all brush type motors, electric sweepers, sewing machines, fans and other small equipment in homes and offices should be used carefully and at most advantageous times if radio interference is to be cut to a minimum.

"The service company is not only willing but anxious to serve its patrons in every way possible," according to the Dallas man. "They have sent a number of their highest salaried men here to clear up the interference, but it finally became necessary to put a man on the job for several days. Snyder, however, is no exception to the rule, for many towns her size and larger have much more interference than she is bothered with."

Mr. Murphree states that he is indebted to Ollie Braton, local radio dealer, for valuable assistance in locating the trouble. Other dealers here, as well as many private citizens, were also of material assistance. Mr. Braton says he is well pleased with the efforts put forth by the interference expert, since they helped to extinguish Snyder radio fad's biggest enemy for them much happiness.

C. OF C. CLOSSES YEAR IN MARCH

"The fiscal year of the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce is from March to March," J. W. Scott, secretary, stated early this week when it was reported from some sources that the organization should have given its annual report at an earlier date.

The annual banquet is always given in February, following election of officers for the ensuing year. A meeting of all officers and members of the Chamber has been called for Thursday evening, February 6, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Chamber of Commerce hall. New officers and directors will be elected at this time, and the annual banquet will follow on a date set by those present for late February.

"Every member of the organization is urged to be present," Mr. Scott states. "The Chamber of Commerce belongs to and is a part of all of us, and it will reach its greatest efficiency only when a large number of business men take a part in its activities."

Officers of the Chamber for the year just closing are: Joe Stinson, president; A. J. Cody, first vice president; Clarence Weninger, second vice president. It is possible that the present large directorship will be cut to include the four officers mentioned above and seven others.

Misses Dorothy Edgerton, Allene Curry, Doris Doak, Ruth Yoder, Gwendolyn Gray, Messrs. Leroy Ferris and Clarence Walton attended the district Epworth League meeting held in Big Spring last week-end.

Mrs. J. N. Bynum of Snyder Dies Tuesday

Mrs. J. N. Bynum, 60 years old, died Tuesday, January 28. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon, 3:30 o'clock, at the Church of Christ, officiated by Bro. W. M. Speck.

SCOUT COUNCIL MEET TUESDAY AT BIG SPRING

Fifty officials and scouts of the Buffalo Trail council, Boy Scouts of America, gathered in Big Spring Tuesday evening for the annual business and social meeting. The banquet and business session at 7:00 o'clock was preceded by an afternoon series of group meetings, in which various phases of scouting were discussed.

The prospect of slick roads and cold weather reduced the Snyder attendance to four. Scoutmasters M. Y. Lewis and J. C. Smyth, with Rodney Glascock and William Boren, scouts, were the local representatives.

A. A. Bullock, Snyder's chief scout executive, was chosen as fourth vice president of the regional group, which composes 15 counties. He was also made chairman of the committee on rural scouting.

James P. Fitch, Dallas, chief executive of the ninth region in scouting, comprising the states of Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico, delivered the principal address of the evening. He declared that scouting is a necessary supplement to our educational system, and that it had proven itself capable of fitting one-sixth of the boys of the United States for better citizenship and manhood during the past several years.

C. E. Holmes of Big Spring, who has been a scoutmaster and scout executive for 15 years, succeeded W. M. Elliott of Colorado as president of the Buffalo Trails council. The retiring president had been in office for six years. He was placed in the first vice president's chair.

A. C. Williamson of Sweetwater, district scout executive, gave the best financial and organization report in the history of the council, according to the retiring president. A balance was reported in the treasury, all original troops are now functioning, together with two new ones, and several are in process of formation.

The evening meeting was held in the basement of the Methodist church, with the Methodist ladies doing the serving.

Grade School News Printed This Week

J. M. Claunch, grammar school principal, believes in publicity and lots of it. With the assistance of his faculty and students, he has compiled for this week's paper a number of interesting news items concerning the activities of his "big, happy family" of more than 600. The feature will be found on another page of The News.

Grammar school news will be published weekly for the remainder of the school year, Mr. Claunch states.

BAPTISTS WILL MEET TUESDAY

The following program for the Mitchell-Scurry Baptist Association meeting, to be held with the Fair View Baptist church, three miles east of Cuthbert, has been submitted. The program will begin at 10:00 o'clock Tuesday morning, February 4.

Devotional--W. R. Morgan.
Roll call and report from churches.
"Why Maintain Associational Work?"--Mrs. T. L. Nipp.
Special music--Snyder church.
Sermon--Rev. Willie Howell.
Lunch.
Executive and W. M. U. board meetings.

Devotional--Rev. Stewart.
"Why Maintain Associational Work?"--G. W. Park.
"How Maintain Associational Work?"--T. L. Nipp.
"Why Is Associational Work Becoming More Difficult?"--W. D. Green.

"Bring a Chicken"

Friday is "Bring a Chicken" day at the Snyder schools. Each student has been asked by the Parent-Teacher Association to bring a chicken of eatable dimensions to school with him Friday morning. The fowls will be used for making the meals Monday, the new cafeteria's opening day.

State Aid Comes to Schools Here

Few Sick in County

Death has stalked relentlessly through Scurry County during the recent severe cold. The eight or ten deaths, however, have been principally old persons or others afflicted with ailments on which the weather had little effect.

Doctors report that sickness has been remarkably scarce throughout the county during the worst cold spell in many years. Few serious flu cases have been reported, and even had odds have been cut to a minimum.

It is pointed out that the late winter and early spring are favorable seasons of the flu germs, and physicians urge that everyone be extremely careful, even when Old Sol is beaming bright and clear.

FOUR SINGERS ARE OFFICIAL

Four members of the Snyder Business Men's Luncheon Club sang their way into the local hall of fame Wednesday at noon, when they were designated as "the official Snyder quartet" following the rendition of two numbers. M. Y. Lewis, Willard Jones, A. A. Bullock and D. P. Yoder, who compose the quartet, sang "My Wild Irish Nose" and "Sweet Ivory Soap" at the weekly meeting Wednesday.

Three more members and an ex-officio member distinguished themselves as orators when they were assigned a debate subject. Abe Rogers, with his scientific attitude, and Melvin Blackard, with his analytical eye and tongue, were victors over O. P. Thrane and J. M. Claunch, according to a decision of the judges, H. J. Brice, Sam LaRue and Jimmy Smith. The subject for debate was, "Resolved, That the new skirt length is contrary to all laws of hygiene, morals, symmetry and equilibrium."

Miss Eula Pearl Ferguson, accompanist for the quartet, and J. M. Claunch, principal of the Snyder grammar school, were guests of the club. Twenty-three members were present.

Rev. Cal C. Wright was received as a member of the club, his Lions Club membership being transferred from Baird, his former home.

Next week's meeting will be held in the new school cafeteria, where the food will be furnished by the Parent-Teacher Association, it was decided. One o'clock, the regular meeting hour, will be observed. The February program committee, composed of Abe Rogers and Howard McDonald, will provide entertainment for the occasion. It is probable that the charter for the Boy Scout troop sponsored by the club, which failed to arrive in time for this week's meeting, will be formally presented at the next meeting.

Definite plans for a play to be given some time this month will be presented at this meeting also, and a cast will probably be appointed. Proceeds from the play are for the handmaster's salary.

After Mr. Bullock, county superintendent, had made a report on the rural aid situation in Scurry County, he was appointed to send a wire, in the name of the club to Representative W. R. Johnson, and another to Senator Oliver Cunningham, asking that they do all in their power to see that rural aid is again placed on a sound basis.

Lee's Car Stolen and Returned Same Day

A Buick coach, owned by Billie Lee, was stolen Saturday morning about 8:30 o'clock from in front of the First State Bank building.

Later in the day, the car was found about 12 miles south of Big Spring with two flat tires and no gasoline.

Abilene Man Buried At Pyron Tuesday

J. M. Latham, 45 years old, died Monday, January 27, at the home of his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Rogers, in Snyder.

Full rural aid will be granted Scurry County schools this year, despite the injunction by a South Texas judge restraining the rural aid fund from being distributed.

This county was one among a few in Texas that was visited by the rural aid inspector on his first rounds. As a result, Superintendent A. A. Bullock has already received the warrants for the year, and the money is either in the bank or already spent.

The superintendent cashed in on the warrants last Friday and the injunction became effective on the following day.

This county, as well as all others, will receive a severe blow, however, unless a radical change is made by the higher courts or the Legislature, according to Mr. Bullock.

All high school tuition money, even for this year, will not be available, Mr. Bullock states. This will mean that more than 100 boys and girls in this county who have been receiving their tuition to Snyder and other high schools, will receive no more aid.

The bonuses for school truck maintenance and industrial work in rural schools will also be cancelled by the injunction. The total amount lost to Scurry County, this year, in high school tuition, truck maintenance and industrial work will be several thousand dollars, the superintendent says. If the injunction remains in force, the county will lose more than \$20,000 next year, he says.

At the weekly meeting of the Business Men's Luncheon Club Wednesday it was voted to send a telegram to W. R. Johnson, representative, and another to Oliver Cunningham, senator, urging that they do all within their power to replace the funds held up by the injunction.

School Enrollments For Second Term on Increase Says Corry

A total enrollment of 335 students in Snyder High School is the report for the two terms. Second term enrollment in both high and grammar schools has just been completed.

Sixty new pupils have enrolled in the high school classes for the second term, according to Principal W. N. Corry. About half of these are transfers from the grade school, and the remainder have been out of school the first term.

The second term enrollment is considerably more than that for the first term, far less than 60, including the 13 graduates, have dropped out since Christmas.

Several new pupils, especially in the first grade, are also reported by Principal J. M. Claunch of the grammar school.

Several are taking post-graduate work in the high school, Mr. Corry reports. Especial interest is being taken in the commercial department, even if extra tuition is charged for shorthand and typewriting courses.

Superintendent C. Wedgworth, the two principals, and the entire faculty of the two schools are confident that the present term will be one of the most worth while in the schools' history.

Soil Helped In This Section By Freezes

Condition of the soil in this district has been aided by freezes and snow during the recent cold waves, and trees probably were saved from premature budding, according to local crop experts. A good season has been left in the ground, generally, in preparation for crops for the coming year. Owing to the fact that the snow and ice have melted slowly, most of the moisture was soaked into the ground, little water running off.

It is reported, however, that growing winter crops have been damaged considerably. Small grain has suffered in some instances.

Charity Meet Held In Snyder Thursday

A number of Snyder business men, ministers and others were scheduled to meet in the county court room at 2:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon for the purpose of considering local charity needs. Rev. Cal C. Wright, pastor of the Methodist church, made the call, with the assistance of others interested in the work.

Concentration of charity gifts here, as well as provision of caring for more of them, are among the purposes of the meeting.

DIRECTORY AND CALENDAR FOR CLUBS OF SNYDER

COUNTY FEDERATION.
Object: Closer cooperation between town and rural women.
Meetings: The second Saturday in each month at courthouse, 3 p. m. Club sponsors a woman's exchange each Saturday afternoon in the Snyder News office. President, Mrs. W. W. Hamilton.

SAN SOUCL.
Object: Pleasure. Meetings: Second and fourth Fridays in each month. President, Mrs. Forest Sears.

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S CLUB.
Character of work to be accomplished: Better Business Women for a Better Business World. Meetings: First and third Tuesday evenings in each month. Mrs. C. R. Buchanan, president.

THURSDAY NIGHT BRIDGE CLUB.
Object: Pleasure. Meetings: Alternate Thursday evenings. W. T. Raybon, president.

MOTHERS SELF CULTURE CLUB.
Course of study: Foreign arts, dramatics, music and sculpture. Meetings: Second and fourth Tuesdays in each month. President, Mrs. B. M. West.

TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB.
Course of study: Legends of Texas and varied programs. Meetings: Alternate Tuesdays beginning January 7. President, Mrs. Allen Warren.

EL FELIZ CLUB.
Object: Pleasure. Meetings: Alternate Fridays beginning with January 17. President, Mrs. L. T. Stinson.

MUSICAL COTERIE.
Course of study: Musical instruments. Meetings: First Wednesday in each month. President, Mrs. A. C. Pruitt. Instructor: J. W. Crowley.

PARENT-TEACHERS.
Object: Close cooperation between the teachers and parents. Meetings: Third Thursday evening in each month at the high school auditorium. President, Mrs. Hugh Taylor.

ALPHA STUDY CLUB.
Course of study, art and dramatics; also varied programs. Meetings: Second and fourth Tuesdays in each month. President, Mrs. J. E. Seut-ll.

ALTRURIAN CLUB.
Course of study: Shakespeare's Julius Caesar and History of Western Literature. Meetings: Alternate Fridays beginning with January 10. President, Mrs. Joe Caton.

SIXE CURE CLUB.
Object: Pleasure. Meetings: Alternate Tuesdays beginning with January 7. President, Mrs. R. H. Curmutte.

Officers Elected Tuesday by B. and P. W. Organization

Election of officers for the Business and Professional Women's Club was held Tuesday evening, with Mrs. Alma Buchanan, president, in charge. After a report from the nominating committee, composed of Mmes. Joe Caton, A. P. Morris and Miss May McClinton, 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. A. G. Elland, treasurer. These officers shall enter upon their duties at the first meeting in September.

The club has made rapid advancement in the past year, and has been capably led by efficient officers, Mrs. C. R. Buchanan, president; Mrs. Woodie Scarborough, vice president; Miss Mattie Clark, secretary, and Mrs. O. P. Thrane, treasurer.

As in the past, the club plans to promote the interests of business and professional women of Snyder; bring them into closer contact and friendship; promote the spirit of co-operation among them and to aid all causes that tend to promote the general welfare of the community.

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

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

DIRECTORY FOR ORGANIZATIONS IN CHURCHES OF CITY

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.
Euzelian.
Meetings: First Thursday in each month. President, Mrs. Clyde Boren.

T. E. L.
Meetings: First Wednesday in each month. President, Mrs. H. E. Rosser.

Alathenn.
Meetings: First Thursday in each month. President, Mrs. W. M. Scott.

Esrudoma.
Meetings: Second Wednesday afternoon in each month. President, Mrs. Wayne Williams.

Faithful Followers.
Meetings: First Wednesday in each month. President, Miss Alta Bowers.

Mrs. Elland's Class.
Meetings: First Monday evening in each month. President, Miss Maxine Shaler.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.
Missionary Society.
Meetings: First and third Monday in each month, 2:30 p. m. President, Mrs. C. R. Buchanan.

Ladies' Aid.
Meetings: Second and fourth Mondays in each month, 2:30 p. m. President, Mrs. S. T. Elza.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.
Victory.
Meetings: Second Wednesdays in each month. President, Mrs. J. C. Dorwood.

Crusaders.
Meetings: Third Friday evenings in each month. President, Miss Joe Hailey.

Friendly Helpers.
Meetings: Last Thursday in each month. President, Mrs. L. T. Stinson.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.
Ladies' Bible Class.
Meetings: Every Wednesday afternoon, 3 p. m. Teacher, W. M. Speck.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST.
Ladies' Aid.
Meetings: Every Monday afternoon in each month. President, Mrs. J. M. Hamlett.

Woodman Circle Elects New Officers.

The Woodman Circle met recently and elected the following officers: Past guardian, Mrs. Edna E. Banks, re-elected; guardian, Mrs. Lizzie Hendryx, re-elected; advisor, Mrs. Mattie Spear, re-elected; corresponding, recording and financial secretary, Mrs. H. V. Williams, re-elected; banker, Mrs. Anna Moffett; first auditor (chairman), Mrs. Maudie Watkins; second auditor, Marguerite Riley; chaplain, Mrs. Alpha Moffett; attendant, Mrs. Beatrice Forkner, re-elected; assistant attendant, Miss Hattie Pate, re-elected; inner sentinel, Mrs. Frank Brownfield, re-elected; outer sentinel, Mrs. Mary McGlothlin; musician, Miss Floye Brownfield.

A delightful meeting was reported. Grove closed with happy hearts, according to the circle reporter.

Claude Ingram and Miss Alford Married.

Claude G. Ingram and Miss Nora Alford were married Sunday, January 19, at Clairmont, with Rev. Boyd performing the ceremony.

The bride was dressed in lovely blue crepe and had accessories to match. She is employed with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

Mr. Ingram is connected with the Texas Electric Service Company.

The young couple have many friends in Snyder that are wishing for the much happiness.

The motor car is a necessity, not a luxury for people who go to work every day, and can garage their cars at a minimum expense. Five cents a mile will cover oil, gas, upkeep and repairs.

PERSONAL NEWS

Miss Johnnie Lee Green spent the week-end in Lubbock.

Miss Polly Merrill is visiting with friends in Sweetwater.

Judge C. R. Buchanan was a visitor in Austin last week.

Miss Zona Erwin was a visitor in Roscoe Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Williams were visitors in Colorado Wednesday.

Miss Annie Davis of Lamesa visited with friends and relatives in Snyder Sunday.

Mmes. L. E. Trigg and J. A. Hood were visitors in Colorado Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. M. F. Merrell and little son of El Paso are visiting with Mrs. W. A. Merrell.

Mrs. W. P. Brown of Big Spring visited in the home of her son, W. H. Brown, last week.

L. M. Brown of Los Angeles, Calif., visited with his brother, W. H. Brown, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Green visited in Lubbock Sunday with his sister, Mrs. T. S. Diffey.

Mrs. J. W. Stacy of Lubbock was a guest in the home of M. Stacy Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hull of Sweetwater visited with his mother, Mrs. D. J. Hull, Sunday.

Ward Simpson of Colorado was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hood last week.

Mrs. R. E. Gray, Miss Martha Gray and P. W. Cloud were guests of Bob Gray in McCamey Sunday.

John W. Smith of San Angelo is visiting with his daughters, Mmes. W. W. Hamilton and C. C. Higgins.

Miss Maxine Whitmore of San Antonio is in Snyder visiting with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Whitmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tatum and Miss Lucille Eoff spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday in Lubbock visiting with relatives.

Miss Gladys Bullard, student at the Technological school, Lubbock, visited with her sister, Mrs. Oma Ryan, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Covey and little son of Lubbock were in Snyder Saturday and Sunday visiting with friends and relatives.

Miss Mary Lynn Nation has returned home after finishing her fall and winter courses at the College of Industrial Arts, Denton.

Brud Boren, student at the Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Boren.

Mrs. Bobbie Champion and little daughter, Francine, spent the week-end in Big Spring, and while there visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cassaway.

J. D. Scott left Saturday for Wichita Falls. He accompanied his mother, Mrs. W. M. Scott, home Sunday. Mrs. Scott has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. O. D. McCoy.

Bridge Club Meets in Williams Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Williams were host and hostess to members and guests of the Thursday Night Bridge Club Thursday evening, January 23.

At the conclusion of the bridge games, high score prizes were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Boren, Mrs. Melvin Blackard and Alfred McLaughlin.

Mrs. Williams served a lovely refreshment plate to Messrs. and Mmes. W. T. Raybon, J. G. Hicks, Albert Norred, Wraymond Sims, Wayne Boren, Robert Curmutte, Jr., G. B. Clark, Jr., members. Club guests were Messrs. and Mmes. Jesse Sellars, Alfred McLaughlin, Lewis Blackard and Melvin Blackard.

Auxiliary Meets with Mrs. Wayne Boren

Mrs. Wayne Boren, assisted by Mmes. I. W. Boren, W. J. Ely and J. G. Hicks, entertained members of the Methodist Auxiliary Monday afternoon at her home.

The devotional was led by Mrs. Cal C. Wright. Mmes. W. W. Hamilton and A. C. Pruitt discussed the financial program for the new year. A bulletin was read by Mrs. C. C. Higgins. The organization was divided into four circles for the benefit of local activities, and a membership campaign has been started. The hostesses served a delicious salad course to about 30 members.

Ladies' Aid Meets Monday Afternoon.

The Ladies Aid met Monday afternoon at the First Christian church and enjoyed an interesting program.

Mrs. Lou Pierce read verses from the fourth chapter of Ephesians, after which Mrs. W. B. Stanfield led in prayer. A vocal solo, "Open My Eyes That I May See," was sung by Mrs. R. S. Snow. Mrs. Thomas Broadfoot, leader for the lesson on Christian education, gave an introductory talk. The need for authority teaching was discussed by Mrs. Stanfield. Mrs. J. H. Hamlett talked on what Churches of Christ have a right to expect of Bible colleges. An illustration by a story was given by Miss Elizabeth Smith. Mrs. Nettie Watson talked on the difference between Christian and religious.

How can a mother be sure that the college to which she is sending her son or daughter will not undermine the child's Christian faith? was discussed by Mrs. Friz R. Smith. Mrs. Hugh Boren talked on the development of intellect tends to undermine the simple child-like faith, and Mrs. Roy Brown spoke on what is the best thing in the way of Christian education that a home can give to the child in it.

Last day today for poll taxes.

Mrs. Raybon Hostess At Bridge Party.

Mrs. W. T. Raybon entertained a few of her friends with afternoon bridge games Tuesday at her beautiful home.

A lovely salad course was served to Mmes. T. L. Lollar, E. M. Deakins, J. J. Taylor, J. M. Chambers, A. D. Erwin, W. B. Lee, O. O. Harris and W. D. Beggs.

Altrurians Meet with Mrs. Hamilton.

The Altrurian Club met in the home of Mrs. W. W. Hamilton Friday afternoon, January 24.

The subject for club study and discussion was "Western Literature," and the following program was given. Home reading by club, "Ramona," by Helen Hunt Jackson. Reading, "October," by Helen Hunt Jackson, given by Mrs. R. L. Gray. Names and works of western writers were given when roll was called. Mrs. Joe Stinson discussed history, "54-40 or Fight," by Emerson Hough. The romance in the story, "Ramona," was told by Mrs. G. A. Hagan. Mrs. E. J. Anderson discussed "Helen Hunt Jackson, How a Reformer?" Mrs. Hugh Taylor gave a reading, "South Chelyenne Canyon and Seven Falls."

At the conclusion of the program, the hostess, assisted by her daughter, La Frances, served delicious refreshments to Mmes. E. J. Anderson, R. D. English, Joe Caton, G. A. Hagan, C. C. Higgins, J. M. Harris, A. C. Pruitt, Friz R. Smith, L. T. Stinson, Hugh Taylor, O. P. Thrane and J. T. Whitmore.

Alpha Study Club Meets Tuesday.

The Alpha Study Club was entertained Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Bill Miller.

Leader for the interesting lesson on drama was Miss Neoma Strayhorn. For roll call, the foremost American playwright was discussed. Mrs. J. G. Hicks gave a brief history of drama. A selection from "Chief Contemporary Dramatist" was given by Mrs. Forest Sears, and the Little Theatre movement was discussed by Miss Neoma Strayhorn.

The hostess served delicious refreshments to the following members: Mmes. J. E. Sentell, Clyde Boren, Homer Snyder, Wraymond Sims, Wayne Boren, Frank Sentell, J. G. Hicks, Albert Norred, Charles Noble, Forest Sears, Melvin Blackard, Wade Winston, G. B. Clark, Jr., Wayne Williams, Alfred McLaughlin, Misses Hattie Herm and Neoma Strayhorn. Guests were Mrs. C. H. Metcalf of Houston and Mrs. Lora Miller.

Miss Grantham Entertains San Souci.

Miss Edith Grantham was hostess to members and guests of the San Souci Club Friday evening at the home of Mrs. J. P. Nelson.

A short business session was held after which games of bridge were enjoyed. The hostess served lovely refreshments to Mmes. Ralph Hicks, Wayne Boren, J. M. Harris, J. P. Nelson, Melvin Blackard, Forest Sears, Jesse Sellars, Misses Hattie and Gertrude Herm, Neoma Strayhorn and Sallie Evelyn Boone, members. Club guests were Mmes. J. O. Barnes, Lee Newson, Misses Anne Dunen, Vera Nell Grantham and Eloise Scott.

Esrudoma Class Meets Wednesday.

Mrs. G. B. Clark, Jr., was hostess to members of the Esrudoma Sunday school class of the First Baptist church Wednesday afternoon at her home.

After the business session, the hostess served delicious refreshments to Mmes. Forest Sears, Bill Tatum, A. A. Bailey, Jesse Sellars, Amos Joyce, Alfred McLaughlin, Wayne Williams and Miss Alma Nell Morris.

Saturday Parties Are Given.

The home of Mrs. R. L. Gray was the scene for two lovely parties given Saturday morning and afternoon, with Mmes. Gray, Roland Bell and H. P. Brown as hostesses.

A profusion of beautiful calendula and tulips, in the pink and yellow hues, were seen in the entertaining rooms.

In the morning from 10 until 12 o'clock, 56 guests were entertained. Forty-two games were played, and a delicious two-course luncheon served, the hostesses being assisted in serving by Misses Lucille Brown, Brookie Wright, Bobby Chambers, Floye Brownfield, Paul Sears, Andrea Jennings and Ida Sue Wallace.

Sixty guests were present in the afternoon from 3 until 5 o'clock.

Mrs. Warren Hostess To 20th Century.

The Twentieth Century Club met Friday afternoon, January 24, at the home of Mrs. Allen Warren. Mrs. H. E. Rosser was leader for the interesting study.

Roll call was answered with "Where I Shine." A Native Treasure Talk Up the Rio was given by Mrs. H. M. Blackard. Mrs. H. J. Brice described the Mysterious Gobi Mine of the Guadalupe River. A vocal solo, "Mighty Like a Rose," was sung by Mrs. C. E. Fish. Mrs. B. M. West discussed Steinheimer's Mill-Ann, and Mrs. O. S. Williamson told How Dollars Turned Into Bunches of Bees, and other legends.

Mrs. Warren served a dainty refreshment plate to Mmes. H. M. Blackard, I. W. Boren, H. J. Brice, P. C. Chenaunt, W. J. Ely, C. E. Fish, L. A. Griffin, H. E. Rosser, W. T. Raybon, Joe Strayhorn, J. J. Taylor, B. M. West and O. S. Williamson.

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Grammar School News

Intermediate Dept.

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, Liller James, Marshall Woodson, Ernest Pierce, Lillian James, La Rue Newman, Roland White, Luther Lewallen, Koy Holmes, Doree Lee White, Leona Prather, Riley Floyd, James A. Clark, and Walter White.

They regret to lose Margaret Howell.

Clubs.

The low fifth, with Miss Hailey as sponsor, has organized the Rinkey-Dink Club, with the following as officers: Cecil Travis Smith, president; Juanita Sentell, vice president; Florentz Winston, secretary; E. E. Wallace, treasurer.

The high fifth A, with Miss Boone as sponsor, has completed the organization of the Sunshine Friday Club, with the following officers elected: Alton Rogers, president; Josetta Beauchamp, vice president; Ruth Wright, secretary-treasurer; Elsie Holley, reporter.

The high fifth 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 Terry, secretary; Sadie Tell Jenkins, treasurer; Virginia Yoder, reporter.

The high sixth, sponsored by Mrs. Claunch, has displaced their Baby Lions Club of last semester with the Non-Stop English Club. At the initial meeting the following officers were elected: Netha Lynn Rogers, president; La Frances Hamilton, vice president; Frances Northcutt, secretary; William Miller, treasurer; Billie Smith, reporter; Estine Dorward, critic.

The high seventh, with Miss Lemons in charge, met Friday, January 24, and elected the following officers: Geneva White, president; Horace Holley, Jr., vice president; Mabel Watkins, secretary-treasurer; Sarah Higgins, reporter; Sambo Joyce and Otis Martin, fire captains; Royce Eiland and Clark Sturdivant, fire monitors; Evelyn Erwin, critic; Mary Ruth Pierce, song and pep leader. After electing officers, "Utopian" was decided on as the club name.

The latest development of interest to the entire department is evidenced in the newly organized Glee Club, made up of students from the public school music department, under the efficient leadership of Mr. Springfield, with Geneva White as president-elect and Nell Carlton as secretary.

S. S. AND CHURCH.

From an enrollment of more than 425 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.

BOY SCOUTING.

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.

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Principal J. M. Claunch of the Snyder Grammar School has, with the assistance of his corps of teachers, compiled the following group of interesting news. Watch for this feature from week to week.

HONOR ROLL FOR THIRD PERIOD

Following is the Snyder grammar school honor roll for the third six week period:

Primary department: Alton Duff, Kenneth Wilson, Darlene Bowling, Patricia Dodson, Wilota Hart, Dalna Piguet, Nell Verna LeMond, Florence Leath, Glen Perry, Lyle Alexander, Carl Hargrove, Billie Mae Henry, Melvin Newton Jr., Marion Frances Ferguson, Blossom Lee Green, Wynona Keller, Lunell Ferguson, Dorothy Winston, Davis Alexander, Bobby Raugh, Daren Benbenek, Billy Hutcheson, Gerald Haney, Vernell Edmondson, Francis Head, Evelyn Poffard, Ella Eugenia Lambert, Fred Johnston, Max West, Joe Rue Lennley, Ervel Lee Keller, Josephine Henderson, Thurman Higgins, Francis Evans, Maxine Jones, Charles Morrow, Mary Helen Bolin, Gordon Sentell, Johnnie Ruth Baze, Barbara Davis, Evelyn Strell Harris, Mavis Jenkins, Dorothy Pinkerton, Vernon Moffett, Vivian Chenualt, Dorothy Jones, Elwanda Allen, John Henry Bore, Minnie Francis Bruton, Jack Smith, Katie Marie Lauder, Elizabeth Alexander, Geneva Allen, Doris Davis, Ruth Davis, Helen Hodges, Oma Faye Speck, Happy Hendryx, James Neal, Allen Hargrove, Olea Kard, June Clements, Geraldine Chapman, and Irene DeShazo.

Intermediate department: Billy Hamilton, Tommy Winters, Sterling Taylor, Elsie Holley, Joetta Beauchamp, Jack Bean, Chalmer Watkins, J. R. Watkins, Lucille Green, Sadie Tell Jenkins, Ruth Letcher, Oteka Ware, Virginia Yoder, Thelma Burdett, Roseanna Reynolds, William Miller, Clyde Sturdivant, Edna Mae Dunnam, Irene Spears, Maxine Huckabee, Stanley Huestis, Geraldine Longbottom, John Blakey, Vera Gay Arnold, Wiley Brice, Beverly Chambers, Mittie Idellah Crowder, Vau-nelle Egwin, Hazel Pollard, Mabel Watkins, Geneva White, Virginia Will, Lola Mae Littlepage, Ruby Lee, and Louise Jones.

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

Marie Oliver, Juanita Sentell, and Florentz Winston tied for first honor in their section. Estine Dorward, La Frances Hamilton, and Frances Northcutt tied for honor in their

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, C. W. Stinson, Jr., Patsy Dean Wallace, Nora Lee James, Eldon Way, Elizabeth Jacobs, Cozett White, Guy Senter, Harvey Syrl, Thurman James, Ottie White, Alice Overstreet, Mittie Ree McGinty, Mildred McClammy and Dorothy Wallace.

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

Clubs.

The high second A, with Mrs. Ryan as sponsor, has organized a Story Club, electing the following officers: Lyle Alexander, president; Melvin Newton, vice president; Dorothy Winston, secretary-treasurer.

The high third, 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. Charles Harless is the new president, Mavis Jenkins is secretary, Doris Wilson is treasurer, and Jay Rogers is reporter.

The high third organized a Tell-a-Tale Club Friday. Visitors are welcome at all meetings. Friday is the regular meeting time.

Chapel.

Friday, January 21, the high third, with Miss H. Herm as sponsor, will have charge of the chapel program from 8:45 to 9:15. Visitors are welcome.

section. Netha Lynn Rogers and Vau-nelle Wolf tied for first honor in their section.

Story With a Moral.

A peasant with a trouble conscience went to a priest for advice. He said he had circulated a vile story about a friend only to find that the story was not true. "If you want to make peace with your conscience," said the priest, "you must fill a bag with chicken down, go to every doorway in the village, and drop in each one of them a fluffy feather." The peasant did as he was told, then he came back to the priest and announced that he had done penance for his folly. "Not yet," replied the priest. "Take your bag, go the round again, and gather up every feather that you have dropped." "But the wind must have blown them all away," said the peasant. "Yes, my son," said the priest, "and so it is with gossip. Words are easily dropped, but no matter how hard you try you can never get them back again."

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Latimer Is Quoted in Star-Telegram Issue

Another Scurry County citizen was quoted in W. D. Van Blarcom's column in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram Sunday morning. Mr. Van Blarcom is state editor of the Fort Worth newspaper.

"We people of Snyder and Scurry County have little to complain of, as a whole," O. M. Latimer, merchant, said Saturday at The Texas. "We have a wonderful seasoning in the ground. Range conditions were a lit-

tle short for the bad storm we had, but with feeding and keeping all kinds of livestock well rounded up and sheltered, losses were surprisingly few."

"When are Joan and Edward to be married?"

"Never, I'm afraid."

"Why, how's that?"

"Well, she won't marry him until he pays his debts and he can't pay his debts until she marries him."

—Rent that extra room with a News classified ad.

A "Literary Digest."

A "modern Priscilla" crossed the "Atlantic" in search of an "American boy" who had gone to help with the "world's work." Having good "success," she found the "country gentleman" leaning against a "Saturday evening post" and gazing at an "evening star." He asked her to be his "youth's companion" and share his "farm and fireside." A "pathfinder" guided them to his home, where the "household" goods consisted mostly of "needle craft" and old "farm bureaus." The "current opinion" was

that they would have an "independent" life, but after they had enjoyed "farm life" for nearly a "golden age," she received a "dispatch" from a "Virginia farmer," saying "come back." She laid aside her "red book" and said to her "woman's home companion," "I'm going to leave this 'cosmopolitan' country and return to 'America' and be an 'American woman.'"—The Pathfinder.

Tick—"So your brother tries to get a government job. What is he doing now?"
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H. G. TOWLE (Re-election)
- For Secretary, City of Snyder:**
A. C. PREUITT (Re-election)
- For Tax Assessor of Scurry County:**
GEORGE M. GARNER
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W. W. (WALLACE) MERRITT
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MABEL Y. GERMAN (Re-election)
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- For County Attorney of Scurry County:**
WARREN DODSON (Re-election)
- For Superintendent of Scurry County Schools:**
A. A. BULLOCK (Re-election)
- For Treasurer of Scurry County:**
EDNA B. TINKER (Re-election)
- For County Judge of Scurry County:**
HORACE HOLLEY (Re-election)
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:**
JNO. C. (LUM) DAY (Re-election)
FORREST JONES
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:**
H. C. FLOURNOY (Re-election)
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:**
J. R. COKER
- For District Clerk:**
LOUISE E. DARBY (Re-election)

The Snyder News Creed.

For the cause that needs assistance;
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The Weekly Dozen.

"His said that eye specialists are finding business extremely dull since the coming of long skirts.

The only thing worse than facing a blue northern is facing your bank account when it's in the red.

Bert Acosta, trans-Atlantic flyer, is out of a job. Which goes to show that high flyers are not always what they are cracked up to be.

It's not so much fun looking across the square since the tree tops were trimmed off. A little limb is a wonderful thing, even if uncolored.

In Japan women's clothing is sold by weight, which may explain why the enterprising Japanese merchants are not opening up branch stores in this country.—Star-Telegram.

The army flyer who photographed Mount Rainier from a point 227 miles away should be paid handsomely for use of his new-found art on husbands who go to the city for week-ends—"business."

Some of our dear readers may wonder why this column is devoted primarily to the new skirt styles this week. It's just a sort of dirge, as it were, to the death of knee caps, and some hosannas to the birth of winter calves.

At least the pedestrian can cheer himself with the thought that sometimes he has the right-of-way—when the ambulance picks him up after the accident, says the Star-Telegram. Yeah, and when traffic jams after he has been knocked to small bits.

Two and seventy-five one hundredths percent beer is wanted in pretty strong terms by Representative Dyer, Republican, from Missouri. The Anti-Saloon League is hoping for Mr. Dyer's proposed bill that other Congressmen dye-er a dull water color.

A woman doctor advises that womanhood will never achieve real emancipation until "they can relax, at ease, with their feet higher than their heads." Yes, but what'll they wear for skirts, in order to keep the unmentionable wearables from showing?

"Believe It or Not" has a competitor in The Dallas News, we notice. Ripley's new opponent is named Hix. Somebody should tell one of these fellows about the Snyder girl who wears flesh-colored hose on limbs having tremendous bows; she also refuses to wear the new long skirts.

The radicals in this land of the free and home of the brave are claiming that newspapers are not giving the truth about India's uprising. They claim that the Asiatics are staging one of the biggest revolutions in several decades and that British control of news sources keeps down publicity. That may be right. Just wait until woman's style revolution against short skirts is over; then the Communists will get the front pages.

Hard Times and Scurry County.

Scurry County, some sob-mongers want to tell you, is in a terrible plight. But Scurry County, the man with a vision eye, is in far better shape than a lot of other sections in West Texas.

Not many days ago a Scurry County farmer won a \$200 award because he raised the best stalk of cotton from a well-known kind of seed, in a state-wide contest. Poultry men and feed manufacturers, seeing the future of the county's poultry yards, are increasing our incubator capacity by several thousands this winter and introducing new feeds to sustain the incoming flocks.

The snow, sleet and rain, which has been heavy in some parts of the county, has left the soil in good condition for cultivation in the spring.

The most terrific winter in many years has not left a dent in such poor shape as ranchers have expected. With the slow precipitation in the western and northern parts of the county, grass should sprout through better than usually with the coming of more sunshine.

Probably the biggest thing that has happened is that Scurry County has become one of the best terraced counties in all the state. And terraced lands were much more productive last year than unterraced lands. The terracing program has been the chief salvation in a lean year.

More and more farmers are being weaned from half-and-half seed cotton. The man with the pedigreed seed is coming to the front, in spite of the knocks he gets from the fellow who says pure-bred seed doesn't pay.

Old Man Hard Times will need to do a lot more pounding before he gives Scurry County a knockout blow.

Does World Really Want Peace?

The naval disarmament conference which is meeting in London is of immense importance to the whole world, but of more immediate importance to the United States than to any other country. We pride ourselves on being the most peace-loving people in the world, yet we spend more money today on military and naval preparations for war than any other nation!

Perhaps we are wrong in believing that we love peace more than other people do. Hon. Alanson Houghton, former ambassador to Berlin and then to London, suggested as much in his address on assuming the position of chairman of the Commission on International Justice and Good-Will of the Federal Council of Churches. Pointing out that the United States has managed to get into at least one important war during every generation since the republic was established, he said that his knowledge of European nations convinced him that each of them honestly thinks, as we do, its people love peace more than any other.—Big Spring Weekly Herald.

On the Long Skirt.

The long skirt fashion is causing much consternation among American women. They are torn between their love of style and their love of freedom and comfort which they have been enjoying in the short skirts for several years. Woman has achieved her independence in many fields, but it seems difficult to maintain that cherished independence in the face of Paris styles.

Since the long skirt style has been launched we have had occasion to ask many women what their opinion of it is and they almost unanimously express the sentiment, "It won't last," and they accompany it with a facial expression implying disgust with the idea of changing. Long dresses for evening wear can be endured, but for street and sport wear they are impossible.

The following story from New York gives a fair idea of what women are thinking and what they may do about the matter.

"Foreign entanglements in the form of the long skirts decreed by Paris style dictators have been denounced by New York club women.

"After hearing the skirt debated at length yesterday at a meeting sponsored by the New York State Federation of Club Women, the 600 delegates indicated by applause their approval of a statement that 'American women cannot be dictated to by a small coterie of meal ticket seeking Frenchmen in Paris.'

"Six models, three dressed in the short skirts of last year and three in the new longer style, were called to the platform. The short skirts won a popularity vote from the audience.

"Gertrude Lawrence, English actress, wearing a skirt 12 inches from the floor, defended long skirts. She said: 'The new styles with their long graceful lines are more aesthetic. They are easier to look at, and that should be a determining reason for us.'

"Rita Weiman, short story writer, arrayed in a frock which was 17 inches from the floor, voiced the declaration of American independence of Paris style tyranny in a speech championing the short skirt. She said:

"My task is almost helpless. I am pitted against the entire world of fashion and commerce. But we must fight. After years of comfort we find ourselves trying to manipulate dresses that drag on the dance floor.

"I agree every woman likes to cross a ball room floor in a trailing dress. But we must remember the dust we pick up. They are trying to make us look quaint again.

"I don't believe in knees except in bathing suits. But I do believe in honesty. The new styles are not honest. I do believe American women should refuse to be meal tickets to the foreign style mongers."

"In regard to this meeting of the New York club women, an Abilene editor writes as follows (We hope he isn't right about women losing their nerve at the last moment).

"We applaud the noble sentiment expressed by these women, and hope they stick to their determination to keep on wearing short skirts; but we have misgivings. We are afraid they will lose their nerve, at the last moment, and swing meekly into line.

"You'll notice more and more long skirts every day now. No use talking, they are nifty. Our American girls and women look good in any sort of garb, to be sure, and there is nothing essentially ugly about a long skirt.

"Paris dictates the fashions of the day and the American woman, knowing full well that Paris is out after the money and nothing else falls right into line after only a momentary struggle.

"Paris dressmakers and French cloth manufacturers want more cloth to go into skirts, hence the decree."—Coleman Democrat-Voice.

The reporter wrote it "hell" but the compositor garbled it as usual and when printed it read: "The bride and groom received congratulations standing in the shadow of a large wedding bill."

Drug Store Punch-Boards.

Here's an editorial from the Farm & Ranch with more than the usual fire and brimstone:

Not infrequently do we read of law enforcement officers making the rounds of drug stores where they confiscate the punch boards on the counters, leaving a solemn warning with the druggist that gambling is not to be tolerated. Should the Ladies' Aid Society raffle off a quilt in order to raise a few dollars for the missionary cause and some newspaper published the fact, Uncle Sam, the great guardian of the morals of the people, would refuse that publication the use of the mails. Our governments, both state and national, exercise diligence in prosecuting small offenders, but when it comes to the big gamblers, an almost unqualified endorsement is given to their operations.

During the past few months Uncle Sam has distributed through the post office department millions upon millions of pieces of literature sent out by brokers for the purpose of interesting the citizens of this country in the stock market—not in the purchase of stock as an investment, but as a gambling proposition pure and simple. These efforts were supplemented by pages of stock quotations in the daily newspapers which used the mails without question. Men in high places in the government and in the financial world encouraged the people to gamble in stocks. Call money kept going up and up until the receipts of chain stores, insurance companies, and industry of almost every description were shipped to New York to keep the world's greatest gambling

institution running in high gear. Cities with the best of credit could not sell their improvement bonds; industrial expansion was hampered. Then came the crash, and the savings of thousands, probably millions of workers, clerks, professional men and business men were swept away. Of course the paper loss far exceeded the loss of real money, but the actual loss in money to the citizens of this country, although unestimated officially, probably approached \$1,000,000,000, if it did not actually exceed it.

The same thing happens in the grain, cotton, and provision exchanges with great regularity, with probably a more disastrous result to producers than the gambling in stocks. If those who control the big industries of the country refrain from gambling and the country remains in a normal condition of prosperity, the earning power of that industry is not greatly influenced by the rise and fall in the quotations. It is different with cotton, wheat, corn, and other products of the farm. The producers are always the innocent parties who get hurt. A bear raid during the farm marketing season is always in order. After farmers have sold, prices take an upward trend. The average for the year may be all the producer is worth, but the producer gets the short end of it.

If consistency were the kind of a jewel that it is sometimes said to be, this great government of ours would spend less time enforcing laws against petty gambling and make it hot for the big fellows.

Exchange gamblers are fighting the very thing the Federal Farm Board is striving to do—viz.: the stabilization of prices.

Candidate: "It is my intention to conduct a bankless campaign."
Publicity Man: "Swell, brother, and I'm the guy that's got the holoney to put that hooney over."

"Sir, my wife is starving."
"But is she making headway? My wife has been starving for six months and hasn't lost an ounce."

Minister (calling at the Aronoffs):
"Well, my little fellow, do you always do as your mama tells you?"
Little Joe: "You bet I do, and so does papa."

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The Story So Far.

Chapter I.—Sam Stanley, wealthy owner of the Desert Moon Ranch, informs his housekeeper, Mary Magin, who tells the story, that his former wife's twin daughters, Danielle and Gabrielle, are coming to the ranch to live, their mother being dead and their father, Daniel Canneziano, who had been the cause of Sam's divorcing his wife, in the penitentiary. Sam has adopted a boy, John, now grown to manhood, and a girl, Martha, 21, physically healthy but weak-minded. Mrs. Ollie Ricker, Martha's nurse, lives with them.

Chapter II.—Hubert Hand, a wanderer, and Chadwick Caulfield, John's wartime buddy, who is an expert ventriloquist, are the other members of the household. The girls arrive.

Chapter III.—Mrs. Magin has an uneasy feeling that there is a sinister motive in the twins' presence at the ranch, and her suspicions are strengthened by the girls' mysterious prowling around the place. John becomes engaged to Danielle. Caulfield shows a pronounced liking for Gabrielle.

Chapter IV.—Gabrielle's actions when she receives a letter from France arouse and mystify Mrs. Magin.

Chapter V.—Sam learns Canneziano is soon to be released from the penitentiary and he looks for him to come to the ranch. The household, with the exception of John, in town for the mail, and the twins, together upstairs, are in the living room when Gabrielle comes down and, with Caulfield, goes into the garden. Gabrielle, upstairs, calls to her sister. Caulfield comes back alone. In a few minutes Danielle comes into the living room.

Chapter VI.—Mrs. Magin finds Gabrielle, choked to death, with tobacco ashes beside her. Despite her terror at the discovery of the body, she realizes that the ashes must be from Sam's pipe, he being the only pipe smoker, and conceals them before calling the household. Caulfield commits suicide.

CHAPTER VII.—The coroner's verdict is murder and suicide. Sam finds a note left by Caulfield confessing he killed Gabrielle, but the ransom proves he could not have done it.

CHAPTER VIII.—Danielle shows Mrs. Magin the letter Gabrielle had received from France. It is in code, typewritten.

CHAPTER IX.—At a conference of all the members of the household it was revealed that the girls had come to the ranch hoping to find the proceeds of a train robbery in which their father had participated and which Lewis Baumert, his partner in crime, had told them she had hidden there. Danielle tells them she found tobacco ashes on Gabrielle's bag, beside the body, and practically accuses Sam of the murder.

CHAPTER X.—After heated reprimands, the conference finds Martha, who had seemed to be asleep, is dead. Mrs. Ricker asserts Martha killed Gabrielle, and Sam knew it shielded the girl. Sam hotly denies it.

CHAPTER XI.—Sam tells them he has hired a San Francisco detective, Lynn MacDonald, to try to clear up the mystery. Canneziano comes to the ranch. He knows of Lynn MacDonald, who he says is a woman and an expert "crime analyst."

Now go on with the story—

CHAPTER XII Lynn MacDonald.

On Friday afternoon, late, I went with John and Sam down to Rattrail to meet the train. Just before it stopped, with its usual roar of protest against Rattrail, Clarence Pette swung off it.

"Miss MacDonald is on this train," he said to Sam and me. "Is there anything else I can do for you?"

"Not a thing, if you are positive that she is Miss MacDonald, except to take your fifty—here it is—and vamoose."

"I'm positive. Thanks. Here she comes now."

I looked up to see her coming. I could hardly believe my eyes. I don't know what I had expected, but I surely had not expected anything to get off that smoke-dirty train, in the middle of a Nevada desert, on a sweltering hot July evening, that looked as she did.

In the first place, in her pongee silk dress with coat to match, and perky little green hat, she looked as if she had been fresh picked, in the last nice California garden, and had been kept under glass, on ice, ever since. She was tall; taller than most women, and with weight enough to look durable and useful, but not a mite fat. She had eyes that were as

gray as pussywillows, and that did no monkey-tricks of changing to green or blue; she had wavy, carrot-colored hair, that was so full of life it looked as if it were trying to break the bonds of its neat, boyish bob and go floating off, on its own, to make maybe a tiny sunset cloud. Her nose was small; her mouth was a mite too large, showing freely in a smile her teeth, little and polished white, like a puppy's.

Her voice was low and pleasant, but there was something brisk and crisp about it, and about all of her, that seemed to say plenty and plenty of time for everything, but not one precious minute to waste.

In the background, during this meeting, John and Danny had been hugging and kissing. At last, to my relief, they came over to join us; Danny looking paler and more snuffed-out than usual, by contrast, maybe, with Miss MacDonald; John beaming with triumph at having her home again.

"You girls get acquainted on the train?" Sam asked.

"We had breakfast together in the dining room," Miss MacDonald answered.

"Did you know who I was?" Danny questioned.

"It was my business to know that, wasn't it?" Miss MacDonald smiled.

We got into the sedan and were riding along the Victory highway. Just as I was thinking how much more wholesome everything felt, since I had shaken hands with Miss MacDonald, Danny, who was riding in the front seat beside John, spoiled it all by emitting a shriek; it was not a very loud one, but it was thick with horror and repulsion.

John explained, over his shoulder to us, that he had told her about "that man" being on the ranch.

"Uncle Sam," Danny pleaded, "do I have to see him?"

"Well, Danny," Sam apologized, "I'm right down sorry about it; but, you see, he is staying on the place. We'll keep him out of your way as much as we can."

Danny put her head on John's shoulder and began to cry; weak, choking little sobs that hurt like hawking to watch a sick baby.

I leaned forward and tried to soothe her; told her that we would all do what we could to keep him away from her, and to make it easy for her.

"It can't be made easy," she answered. "You can't keep him away from me. I won't see him, I tell you. I've been so homesick—and now to come home to this. I can't see him, I won't!"

Miss MacDonald, who the minute before, had seemed all pity for Danny, began, suddenly, to talk right through and over her sobs, to Sam; to talk in rather a loud voice about stock raising, paying no more attention to Danny's troubles than she paid to the humming of the motor.

I sat and sulked and nursed my disappointment. If I had been a man—which praise the Lord I am not—it would have been a case of love at first sight with me toward Lynn MacDonald. But now I told myself bitterly that I had been a fool to expect real womanly sympathy and kindness from a person in her profession. Ferreting out criminals would make anyone as hard as nails.

Not until Danny had quieted down, and had turned to us with stammered apologies and attempted explanations, did Miss MacDonald ask, "Who is this man?"

"Dreadful as it must seem to you," Danny answered, "he is my father. But he has brought sorrow, and fear and trouble to my mother, and to my sister, and to me, whenever he came near us. He is a wicked man."

But for all the fuss she made about it, I will say that Danny did very well when we all went into the house and she saw Canneziano, standing over by the east windows, smoking a cigarette.

"What-ho, Dan," he said, smiling his smooth, smirking smile at her. "You are looking seedy. Bad times around here lately."

She didn't go near him. She edged closer to John; but she answered, looking at him straight and lifting her chin a pretty, dignified way she had. "Very, very bad times indeed." She and John walked through the room to the stairway, and up the steps, and out of sight.

Canneziano stood watching them, a dark, ugly look on his face. "There's filial affection for you," he said. And then, with a half laugh, as he lit another cigarette, and shook the flame from the match, "The girl is a fool."

Miss MacDonald came down to breakfast in the morning, trim and

white as a new candle. When we had finished breakfast, she asked Sam if she might detain him. I stayed on, when the others had left the dining room. She said pointedly, though politely and to Sam, not to me, that she wanted to speak to him alone.

I took myself off. But the open window in the pass pantry was too big a temptation; so I went in there, softly, and stood far back and to the side.

Her very first words took me right off my feet. "Mr. Stanley," she questioned, "do you trust your housekeeper?"

"Mary?" Sam drawled. "Well, I don't know as to trusting—but if Mary was going on a long journey, to indefinite foreign parts, and felt the need of my right eye to take along with her, I'd loan it—no questions asked. I can't say that I'd go much further than that, though."

I was warm and glowing. Sam, the old nunny, getting his dander up, and to a beautiful woman like that, just because she had asked him a simple question.

She laughed; a cheery, escaping sort of laugh. Like something with bright wings suddenly flying loose.

"Come back into the dining room, then, Mrs. Magin," she called to me.

"You can hear better in here."

I came in, a mite shamefacedly. "It was my overweening curiosity," I explained.



"Do You Trust Your Housekeeper?"

"I like people with curiosity," she said. "I understand them, too; because, I suppose, I am one of the most curious persons in the world. Another thing, I have never found a truly curious person who was a wicked person. Of course, one has to be able to discriminate between innate curiosity and the slyness of a self-protection— But, forgive me, Mr. Stanley. I am chattering away your time. Now then."

(Later we became accustomed to that brisk, professional opening of hers, that "Now then," as a signal for getting right down to business, but it was as surprising, heard for the first time, as biting your tongue.)

"Gabrielle Canneziano was last seen, alive, where and at about what hour?"

We told her.

"Did she seem at ease, happy, untroubled?"

I said, "She was unhappy, troubled, and frightened."

"Did she speak to any one of you, as she walked through the room?"

I told her about Gaby's gesture to Chad, and about him following her to the porch and talking to her there.

"Chadwick Caulfield? The man who killed himself when the body was found?"

"Yes."

"Did he leave the porch with her?"

"No. He came straight back into the house."

"What other members of the household were in the room at that time?"

Sam told her.

"That leaves her sister, and your son and daughter as the only members of the household who were absent at the time. How long before Martha Stanley returned to the house?"

Sam said, "I was playing chess. But I know it wasn't long."

"It wasn't more than five or six minutes," I said.

"How long before Danielle Canneziano came downstairs?"

I told her about Danny's calling after Gaby. "It wasn't more than ten minutes after she called, not fifteen, I am sure, before Danny came downstairs."

She went on with her questioning. We had finished breakfast at eight-thirty o'clock. At eleven-thirty, I felt that she knew everything that Sam and I knew about the case, and, probably, a deal more.

She had asked Sam to explain, in detail, why he had entirely discounted Chad's note of confession.

Sam said, "The body was cold and stiff when we found it. That is proof, isn't it, that she had been dead more than an hour?"

"If you are certain of that, it is positive that she had been dead much longer than one hour?"

"I am certain. Well, until seven o'clock the boy had not been out of my sight one minute, after Gaby had walked through the room, alive, for us all to see her, at four o'clock."

Miss MacDonald went on with her questions. They brought us to Mar-

tha's death. She took what seemed a long time asking us questions about Martha's health. Had she ever complained of dizziness? Shortness of breath? Indigestion? And all sorts of other seemingly unimportant things.

"Where," she finally asked, "was this sleeping medicine purchased?"

Sam told her in San Francisco, with a doctor's prescription.

"Have you still some of them left in the original box?"

"A few, I think."

"Good. Will you get it for me, Mr. Stanley?"

"I'll get it," I said.

I had seen the powder box, left out of place on the table, the morning of the fifth of July, when I had gone into the hall bathroom. I had picked it up, out of habit, and replaced it in the medicine chest. I thought that I could put my hand right on it.

I could not. When I opened the mirror door, the box was not to be seen. I searched and searched. I might have spared myself the trouble. From that day to this, the box, with the remaining powders in it, has never been found.

"I was afraid of that," Miss MacDonald said, when I returned with my information, and nothing else, to the dining room. "Now then: Would it be possible for you to remember who last took one of these powders, and when, with no ill effects?"

"Danny and Mary each took one the night of the fourth, when Martha did," Sam answered. "I've asked them about it, and both of them say that they did not feel queer at all afterwards. They were both wide awake in the morning."

"My word!" said Miss MacDonald. "I think," I offered, "that something was all wrong with Martha's heart before she took the powder. She acted sleepy, stupid, all afternoon."

"Yes. Now then—" She was off again, lending us with her questions, through Mrs. Ricker's confession and her suspicions of Martha.

"After Martha came into the house with the bracelet," she asked, "was she out of the room again within the hour; or even within the second hour, between five and six?"

"She was not out between four and five," I said. "We all stayed right in the room. It was too hot to move around. I know that Martha did not leave the room. She sat beside Chad on the piano bench, for a while. She sat on the arm of Sam's chair, watching the chess game—"

"Hold on," Sam interrupted. "I've got two things to tell you that you are overlooking, and I know that they are both mighty important."

"What are they?"

"The first one is this: Gaby had lived here close to two months. Martha had never harmed her. Does it stand to reason that, on the very day Gaby was afraid she was going to be killed, Martha would do it? There's too much coincidence in that, isn't there?"

"I think so. Though we can not ever discount coincidence. What appears to be coincidence usually proves not to be coincidence in the end. But, Mr. Stanley, unless the other thing you have to tell me is a fact, and not an opinion, I am going to ask you not to tell it to me, at least not until later."

"It is straight fact."

"Very well, then?"

"Martha was always trying experiments with feeding her rabbits. I guess she thought that they might like grain. Anyway, she, or someone, had tugged a half sack of grain up there. A lot of it had spilled out under the berry bushes. It is all fresh sprouted, and growing; fine. There wasn't a spot out there, except under those bushes, where Martha could have hidden the body. A body, even as small as Gaby's, would have smashed down and broken those fresh sprouts of grain."

"But—the body was never there. Is it possible that you do not know that Gabrielle Canneziano was taun-

dered right there on the stairs, where she fell, and where she was found?"

"How in blazes could I know it?" Sam said.

"My word! Weren't you present when the body was moved?"

"No, I—well, I didn't care about being."

"The fingers of her right hand were clutching the stair rail with the grip of death. Nothing could disprove that. Dead fingers can not be made to clutch."

"How do you know that?" Sam demanded. "About the fingers, I mean."

"When I saw the body in the crematory in San Francisco—"

"What?"

"I always do that when I can. Before I sent you my telegram, I had gone to see the body."

"Did—does Danny know that?"

"No. It might be better not to tell her. It is a necessary part of my profession. The crematory people realize that; but, since people are often very sensitive about it, they prefer that the relatives should not know that they allow it. As I was saying, I saw, then, that the fingers on the right hand had been broken. The undertaker had done that, you understand, in order that they might look natural to fold."

"When I had received your telegram engaging me to take the case, I telephoned to the coroner and the undertaker in Telco. They corroborated the opinion I had formed, from the fingers, about the death clutch— among other things. Those proved that she had been killed on the stairs by someone who had been coming downstairs behind her. How did it happen that you did not know this?"

"As soon as I realized what had occurred," Sam explained, "I cleared everybody right out and locked the door. I knew that it was necessary for the coroner to examine the body

before it had been disturbed."

"How—very, very sensible," Miss MacDonald said. "But I did not quite like the way she said it."

I looked at my watch and said that it was time for me to be starting to get dinner. She asked if she might help me. I thought that she was trying to be polite, and I was making my refusal just as polite, when she interrupted me.

"Please, Mrs. Magin," she urged. "You mentioned at breakfast that you had only one inefficient girl to help you just now. I have housework, of all sorts. And I want to get intimately acquainted with this house. The best way to do it is to work in it, isn't it?"

Sam winked at me. "She isn't going to let you out of her sight, Mary."

Miss MacDonald tried to smile, but she made a failure of it.

"But you don't need to worry, Mary," Sam went on, "because one thing, now, is dead certain. If Gaby was murdered there on the steps, it is impossible that any member of this household could have done it. It was, anyway. But now it is sure. That clears us all."

Miss MacDonald flashed on, in one of her rarely shown tempers.

"What utter nonsense," she said.

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 Mr. and Mrs. John Watte visited her mother, Mrs. W. H. Huckabee, Sunday.
 Mrs. E. U. Bullard and children visited Mrs. Sherman Blakely Thursday of last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Blakely and family visited his brother, Sherman Blakely, Sunday.
 Jack Witherspoon, A. C. Newman and Maniel Davenport visited Charles Binion Sunday afternoon.
 Community singing each second and fourth Sunday. Everyone invited. W. W. Merritt, president.
 Mrs. Jim Hendryx and mother, Mrs. Mahalia Kitts, visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. E. U. Bullard, Monday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eckie and children of the Plainview community spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. W. H. Huckabee.
 Miss Margaret Carroll, who is teaching school in Bonnen County, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carroll.
 Miss Edrice Gilmore, who is teaching school in the Plainview community, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Davenport and children, Wanda, Maniel, Melvin, Willis, Marie and Willie Mae Willis visited in Rotan Saturday, returning Saturday afternoon, leaving Misses Marie and Willie Mae, who returned Sunday afternoon.
 Miss Tennyne Mae Jeffers, Leonard Brunley and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis represented the Union Chapel League in the district Epworth League assembly at Big Spring Saturday and Sunday of this week. They reported a very enjoyable time.

MR. AND MRS. MOORE ARE HOSTS TO YOUNGER SET
 Mr. and Mrs. Herman Moore entertained the younger set with a forty-two party Saturday evening. Various other games were played at intervals during the evening. All reported an enjoyable time.

CHURCH NOTES.
Baptist Church.
 Sunday school each Sunday at 10 a. m. Services each second Sunday. Rev. Kelly, pastor. Epworth League

WHAT'S WRONG AND WHERE?



How good are you at finding mistakes? The artist has intentionally made thirteen obvious ones in drawing the above picture. Some of them are easily discovered; others may be difficult.
 To the first person bringing to this office a list of corrections for the thirteen mistakes, two passes to either the Ritz or the Palace Theatre will be given. To each of the next two persons bringing in corrections, one pass to either theatre will be given. The same person or persons may not receive free tickets on consecutive weeks. No answers will be judged before Friday. These "What's Wrong and Where" pictures are weekly features in The Snyder News. Watch for them—and win one or more free tickets.

FLUVANNA NEWS

Mrs. J. G. Landrum, Cor.
 Henry Fulford left Tuesday for Dublin on business.
 Jap Carter of Marlow, Okla., is here. Mr. Carter intends to locate in Fluvanna.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Patterson and Mrs. J. C. Dowdy spent Sunday in Hermleigh.
 Ernest Chapman and family of Odessa moved to Fluvanna the first of this week.
 Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Deere left for Dallas last Tuesday, where they will make their home.
 W. A. Chapman spent last week with his sons, Roy, of Roscoe, and Bill, of Sweetwater.
 Messrs. Dan Moore and G. W. Young of Dublin were here on business first of this week.
 Ollie Carnell and family of Mountain View, N. M., are here visiting their parents. Mr. Carnell says they may locate here.
 Mrs. Lillie Lee Snodgrass and children of Snyder spent Sunday with Mrs. Snodgrass' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Beaver.
 Miss Pauline Trussell underwent an operation for appendicitis last Wednesday at Lubbock. At this writing she is reported doing fine.
 Dr. J. T. Jones, who has been in bad health for several months, was seriously ill last Sunday. Dr. A. C. Leslie of Snyder was called. We are glad to report that the doctor is better.
 Mrs. J. T. Sturdivant received a message last Monday afternoon stating that her brother-in-law, G. Harris, of Abilene, was dead. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved ones.
E. A. Boles Trades Land.
 E. A. Boles traded part of his land east of town to Ralph Waddell of

Portales, N. M., for an irrigated farm near Portales. Mr. Waddell, with his family, has moved on the Boles place. Ed Boles, with his family, has moved on the farm near Portales.
SCHOOL NOTES.
 The Independents won from Hobbs, 35 to 17.
 Hats off to the Fluvanna school. Watch her grow.
 Our school is growing. The enrollment has reached 285.
 The boys lost their first game to Hobbs last Friday night, 16 to 19.
 The Croak will be out next Friday with all the school news in detail.
 The work on the new school building is progressing rapidly, considering the bad weather.
 Everyone is at work on the Inter-scholastic League contests. Watch Fluvanna come out on top.
 The band will give a concert next Sunday. Let everyone be present and note the progress our band is making.
CHURCH NOTES.
Primitive Baptist.
 Rev. R. B. Hester of Snyder will preach the first Saturday and Sunday of each month.
Methodist Church.
 Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. J. I. Kelly, every first and third Sunday. Prayer meeting at 7:30 each Wednesday evening. Epworth League at 7:15 each Sunday evening.
First Baptist Church.
 Sunday school at 10 a. m. each Sunday. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. R. L. Montgomery, every second Sunday and Saturday evening before fourth Sunday, and the fourth Sunday. Prayer meeting each Thursday night.
Presbyterian Church.
 Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching every second and fourth Sunday.

Christian Endeavor at 7:30 p. m. each Sunday.
Fluvanna Baptist.
 Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. D. G. Wells, every second and fourth Sunday. B. Y. P. U. at 7:30 p. m. each Sunday. Prayer meeting at 7:30 each Wednesday evening.
Church of Christ.
 Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. W. A. Barnhill, every third Sunday. Bible study for the ladies each Monday at 3 p. m.
 Most of us don't know we're in trouble until we are caught.
 Our idea of a slow movie is a committee of 15 getting down to business.

FORMER SNYDER GIRL IS MAKING SCHOOL RECORD
 Friends of Miss Mattie Grace Hardee, now of Childress, formerly of Snyder high school, will be glad to know that she is making quite a record in school at her new home. She was second best in Spanish in the entire school. She is taking five subjects, keeping house for her aunt, and teaching a pupil on the side.
 The best work is done by men who are not afraid of their own ideas.
 Usually, what we don't earn we don't keep.
 At all events, the correspondence school does leave its stamp.—Stanford Chaparral.

We're at Home!

There's no place like home, some fellow has said truly. We've been trying to move into our New Quarters for the past three weeks, but Old Man Weather has taken a hand in the proceedings, and has hindered our plans time and again. We have at last made the grade, and may now be found in the north wing of the old Burton-Lingo Company lumber yard, just off the northeast corner of the square . . . ready to serve you in every possible way.
HIGHEST MARKET PRICES PAID FOR YOUR PRODUCE
 As you have always found our business, we will continue to offer top-of-the-market prices for all your eggs, poultry, cream, furs and hides. Get our prices before you sell.
Farmers Produce
 Otto Mund, Owner and Prop.

each Sunday at 6:30 p. m. W.M.S. meets twice a month.
 The B. Y. P. U. met in its regular business meeting Friday night. Fay Bullard was elected to succeed Miss Vernia Stephenson as corresponding secretary.
Methodist Church.
 Sunday school each Sunday at 10 a. m. Services each first and third Sunday. Rev. T. L. Nipp, pastor. B. Y. P. U. each Sunday at 6:30 p. m.
Singing.
 Community singing every second and fourth Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Hattie Shuler, president. Election of officers for ensuing year to be held next Sunday. Everyone urged to attend.
Prayer Meeting.
 Union prayer meeting each Wednesday evening. Everyone cordially invited.

INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U. First Baptist Church.
 Group No. 3 will have charge of the program, which begins at 6:30 Sunday evening. The subject is, "What to Do When We Doubt." The following parts will be given:
 "Doubt an Old Malady"—E. J. Bradbury.
 "Things About Which We May Doubt"—Weldon Alexander.
 "Some Causes of Doubt"—Lola Mae Littlepage.
 "Choosing Wrong Companions"—Mildred Sumner.
 "Some Effects of Doubt"—Louise Wilsford.
 "The Cause for Doubt"—Maybeth Smith.
 "Pray Each Day"—Johnnie Horton.
 "Find Something to Do for Jesus"—Leighton Griffin.

To The Men Who "Delivered The Gas"!

LONE STAR GAS COMPANY
 1012 WOOD STREET
 DALLAS, TEXAS

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. Dunning
 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 plane 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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IN ADDITION to expressing our thanks directly to those who enabled us to fulfill our service responsibility to users of gas, we desire to pay public tribute to these men in recognition of the large part they have taken in this service.



Are Your Tires Just "Getting By"?

ALL SIZES ALL PRICES

Double Eagles
Heavy Duty All-Weathers
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Speedways

Does that describe your present tires? Treads worn smooth and slippery as banana peels. Cuts and cracks that any moment may cause a blow-out that could easily wreck or ditch you?
 For the sake of the very few dollars that these new Goodyears sell for, why tempt Fate another hour—with roads so slippery and tire-changing so disagreeable?
 Yes sir, these are first-rate values—possible because Goodyear manufactures nearly one-third of all the tires sold today. Come in and have a look.

GENUINE PATHFINDERS:

Full Balloons	High Pressure
30x4.50.....\$7.00	30x3 1/2 O.S. \$5.60
29x5.00.....\$8.85	32x4.....\$10.10

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 Tubes at Corresponding Low Prices. Come in to See Us!

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 Ralph Hicks, Prop.

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 Supplying Gas Wholesale to
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PLAINS DAIRY SHOW WILL BE BEST YET HELD

W. O. Logan, county agent for Scurry County, is one of the directors of the Texas-Panhandle Plains Dairy Show, to be held in Plainview April 7 to 10, inclusive. As a director, he will assist in assembling a group of dairy cattle for showing at the annual affair.

"More entries, and a larger attendance," is the word being received by officials of the show from county agents, dairy farmers, vocational agriculture instructors, and chamber of commerce officials in each of the 54 counties comprising the Texas Panhandle. Citizens of Plainview are making arrangements to entertain 50,000 visitors this year compared to 35,000 last year.

Held as Big Aid.

"Much of the increased interest in pure bred stock in the Panhandle can be attributed to the dairy 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 15 to 30 per cent 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 10 to 20 per cent increase 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.

Other Arrangements Made.

Arrangements for the annual sale, the production contest, boys 4-H judging contest, vocational agricultural boys judging contest, and the county herd department were made at the first directors meeting this year.

TURNER NEWS

Miss Lorena Patterson, Cor.

Ogle Walker visited Herman Crawford Sunday.

M. H. Brumley of Sweetwater visited Carl Brumley.

Elsie Huffman visited A. L. Graham Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Devers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Allridge visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Spivy Sunday.

Miss Alma Williamson spent the weekend in Snyder with Miss Tiney Poter.

Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong of Plainview visited A. L. Graham and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Goss of Crowder visited Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Goss Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Payne visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Birdwell Sunday afternoon.

Miss Lorena Patterson is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John R. Covey in Lubbock this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Head visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Head, and family.

Mrs. Williamson and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Blakely of Union Sunday afternoon.

Elmer Payne of Sweetwater was visiting his parents in the Turner community this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Taylor and family visited Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Martin Sunday at Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Walker and family visited Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Yantis and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Patterson and family spent Sunday in Snyder visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Patterson.

Miss Beulah and J. T. Hughes entered as new pupils in the Turner school Monday morning, while Truman and Lorain Goss entered school last week.

Jack Irion spent Saturday night with M. M. Watkins, his uncle, of Snyder, and then Mr. Watkins spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Irion.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank our many neighbors and friends for their kindness during the sickness of our dear wife and mother, and for the many floral offerings.—D. R. Bright, Florence Bright.

Charles Schwab left a job clerking in a grocery store to take a job in the steel mills. Today he is head of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation.

Midland Scout Tells Why It Pays to Give Bootleg Black Eye

Leland Murphy, a school boy, tells in this article from the Midland Reporter-Telegram how total abstinence from alcohol helps keep oneself "physically strong, mentally awake, and morally straight," three things the Boy Scout pledges himself to do.

"As a Boy Scout I am pledged to keep myself 'Physically Strong, Mentally Awake, and Morally Straight.' Total abstinence from alcohol will help me to keep myself 'physically strong.' Science teaches me that alcohol is the enemy of growth, that the use of it will stunt and dwarf my body. Alcohol injures the cells of the body and probably destroys some entirely. It decreases the vigor of activity of the white blood cells, it diminishes the power of the digestion, and it damages the delicate nerve tissues. By using alcohol I spend my money for that which will tear down my body rather than build it up. By refraining from alcohol I have the money to buy an abundance of milk which is recognized as the best food for a growing boy. The money that I do not spend for alcoholic drinks I use in purchasing warm, comfortable clothes to protect my body from the cold. Alcohol lowers resistance to disease and is the friend and ally of tuberculosis.

"I live a healthier life and have a better prospect of a long one by abstaining from the use of alcohol. I desire to excel in sports—and must therefore keep myself 'physically strong.' Alcohol does not help me to be a good athlete but lessens muscular co-ordination and reaction. Rita, world record racer, says: 'The use of alcohol never fails to prevent one from becoming a first-rate athlete.' Eris Liddell, English Olympic hero, says, 'I have never found any use of drink. I am retical; so were my grandfather and grandmother.' Under the influence of alcohol I may stumble and fall and injure my body or even lose my life. I am not safe on the highway while under the influence of alcohol either as a pedestrian or as a driver.

A Boy Scout must be mentally awake. Alcohol in the human system affects the brain much more quickly than any other part of the body. The use of alcohol dulls one's mind and confuses the powers of the brain. In order to be efficient in any line of service which I choose I must have a keen mind in a healthy body. Never before were clear eyes, steady nerves, and sober brains so essential as today. I must be prepared to meet any emergency which may arise and call for my best judgment. Years ago most of the railroads in the United States adopted a regulation called 'Rule C' which reads: 'The use of intoxicants by employees while on duty is prohibited. Their use, or the frequenting of places where they are sold, is sufficient cause for dismissal.' The heads of industry, employers of workmen, and managers of industrial plants do not waste time upon violators of the prohibition law.

"Some one has truly said, 'John Barleycorn has been caught in the fast revolving machinery of American industry. There is no hope for him.' Theodore Roosevelt said, 'There isn't a thought in a hog's head of beer. There isn't an idea in a whole brewery. Nothing of merit has ever been written or done under the inspiration of lager beer. It stupifies without invigorating. Its only effect upon the brain is to stagnate thought.'

My scout oath requires that I keep myself morally straight, and I desire to set an example safe for others to follow. My body is the temple of the Holy Ghost and I should put nothing into it which will mar it or keep it from making the best out of my life. While under the influence of alcohol men break almost every one of the commandments; they lie, steal, and kill. I have pledged allegiance to my

HERMLEIGH NEWS

Mrs. J. O. Kelley, Cor.

Jack Bradley has moved out on a place east of town.

Bernard Gleanstine spent Saturday night with Joe Groves.

Willie Kimzey made a business trip to Camp Springs Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sheehan were shopping in Snyder Saturday.

Miss Vera Barfoot spent Friday night with her sister, Mrs. Roy Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Smith and little daughter are visiting in Plainview.

A. M. Merket of China Grove was a pleasant visitor to Hermleigh Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sharp were transacting business in Snyder Saturday.

J. B. Early of Snyder visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Early, Sunday.

Charles J. Lewis of Snyder was transacting business in Hermleigh Saturday.

Bernard Gleanstine spent last week with his Uncle Charlie Gleanstine and family east of town.

Mrs. A. J. Noles of Clyde spent the weekend here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Early.

Graden Wasson has moved his family back to Hermleigh. We welcome these good people back home.

Miss Henrietta Callis was unable to attend school Monday and Tuesday of last week, on account of being sick with a cold.

We are glad to report that little Charles Hicks, who has been very sick the past week, is much improved at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Groves and little Miss Winnie were Snyder visitors Saturday. Mrs. Groves is having some dental work done.

R. B. Montgomery is moving his family to Stephenville. We regret very much losing these good people from our community, but wish for them much success in their new home.

Mrs. Herman Shultz, who was called to Hanover, Kan., to the bedside of her father, has returned. Her father died soon after her arrival there. This community joins in offering consolation to Mrs. Shultz.

Feed a good dry mash and scratch grain. Keep litter on floor. Stalks from stack lot will do, but shucks are better. You can get by with hay, but it comes high.

Grow green stuff and feed lots of it. Feed clabber or buttermilk if you have it. In cold weather, a moist, warm mash is excellent, and you should keep their drinking water warm. Hens will not lay well on grain alone.

I have omitted several other items that are needed in the ration, such as grit, oyster shells, charcoal, and meat scraps. I am taking it for granted that you know that much about feeding. Grit and oyster shells must be kept before them. Most of the com-

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Courthouse News

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Grady White and Miss Hazel Byars, January 18.

A. A. Karnes and Mrs. Mollie Pinkerton, January 25.

NEW CARS REGISTERED.

Austin Higgins, Snyder, Ford roadster.

A. O. Koonsman, Snyder, Chevrolet coupe.

Smith & Cochran, Snyder, Ford pick-up.

G. L. Burt, Snyder, Whippet coupe.

BIRTHS REGISTERED.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hernandez, a girl named Isabel, January 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Hill, a boy, January 24.

flag and to the Republic for which it stands. I am, therefore, as a loyal citizen bound to respect the laws of my land. Since it takes two to make a bootlegger; by the use of alcohol I would be encouraging crime and breaking the spirit of the law. Washington, Taft, and Lincoln have been men who have taught me to fight for sobriety, sanity, and safety. Edison, Ford, Lindbergh and Hoover at present urge me to be a total abstainer by the force of their example. I believe, with Calvin Coolidge, that "The sober, serious thought of America always finally decides wisely. And the final, sober thought of America is and will be that America shall be sober."

FREE! FREE!

100 pounds Cackelo given free with every 10 trays of hatching;
50 pounds Cackelo given free with every five trays of hatching

—We are looking for our Mammoth Buckeye Incubator in any day. We have booked several orders for Chicks and Hatching. You'd better hurry in your order for those Chicks and Hatching if you want choice dates.

Custom Hatching—3 Cents per Egg

—Consider the quality of our Chicks before you buy. Our hatchery experience dates back as far as 1904.

—All orders placed during January, accompanied with cash, will be given 10 per cent discount.

CACKELO FEEDS ARE BEING FED BY THE LARGEST POULTRY FARM IN THE U. S.

Come In and Let Us Serve You

Snyder Hatchery & Feed Store

Niedecken & Son

H.G. NIEDECKEN TELLS HOW TO MAKE HEN LAY

How do you make hens lay? This is a question asked many times, especially at this season of the year.

First, I will say you must have the proper kind of good stock to begin with. Second, it must be properly cared for. Third, it must be disease and vermin free.

We will take it for granted that you have good stock that should lay. I don't mean by this some particular breed or variety; most any well-bred stock will lay well if properly cared for.

I am going to answer the main question that should be considered by asking you one: If you expect to pick a cotton crop at regular picking time, what is your first consideration after you have decided on the place of planting and the kind of seed to use?

It is the proper time of planting the seeds. All right, then, if you want eggs the first day of November here, when prices are high, you will necessarily have to sit down and figure out how long it will take to develop your pullets, as pullets the right age properly developed are the right kind of any breed to get the eggs from for market.

Next you must consider the amount of room you have the way you are fixed to care for them. Chicks hatched at the proper time from good well bred stock, well cared for, well matured, will lay; they can't do otherwise.

Don't try to fool yourself by trying to keep a mixed flock of ages and try to get eggs; it can't be done. If it is just eggs you want, don't keep those four and five-year-old hens. Don't keep those small, short aged pullets. The short ages will also include poorly matured pullets that should be developed that are only about large frying size. You can't get eggs to amount to anything by just turning your flock loose to pick up waste. They will do much better shut up in a good house. This house must be properly constructed, roomy, well ventilated, and warm.

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Sunday: "Well, neither does a bath."

Southland Bus Lines Reduce Texas Fares

A general reduction of approximately 25 per cent in rates and complete revision of schedules in further perfecting service for practically all lines in a network covering Texas, is announced by the Southland Greyhound Lines, Inc. The changes are effective February 1.

The revisions affect the lines running from Dallas and Fort Worth to El Paso and San Angelo, as well as many others throughout the state.

In addition to efficient schedules and lower rates, the Southland is enlarging its campaign for safety and comfort in operation. A special department, "Accident and Prevention and Welfare," has been established and includes among its numerous duties the safeguarding against recklessness, loss of baggage, improper care of equipment and subsequent discomfort to passengers.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our thanks for the kindness shown us during the illness and death of our dear mother and sister, Mrs. A. A. Williams. May God's blessings be with you all.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl L. Mason, Bazel Williams and children W. E. Young and children; Mr. and Mrs. J. N. C. W. and W. A. Byrnes and children.

Economists say that as wages increase the buying power of the people increases, and that this results in greater demands for goods, better living conditions and greater prosperity for all. All the manufacturers have to do is to keep on increasing wages.

All things strive to ascend, and all things ascend by striving.—Robert Browning.

Motion is the greater part of promotion.

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Sheriff's Sale.

The state of Texas, county of Scurry.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution issued out of the county court of Scurry County, Texas, by the clerk of said court, on January 9th, 1930, in the case of W. R. West vs. Roy West, No. 1062, on the docket of said court, on judgment rendered in said court on May 14th, 1929, in favor of said plaintiff, against said defendant for \$559.75, with 10 per cent interest thereon per annum from date of judgment, and costs of suit, reciting that a writ of attachment issued out of said court in said cause on March 14th, 1929, was on March 14th, 1929, levied on all the undivided interest of said defendant in and to the following lands, situated in Scurry County, Texas, to wit:

First tract: The north 100 feet of Lot No. 3, in Block 21, in original town of Snyder, Texas;

Second tract: Lot No. 2 in Block 20 in the T. N. Nunn Addition to the town of Snyder, Texas;

Third tract: Forty acres lying on the east side of Section No. 153, in Block No. 3, H. & G. N. Ry. Co. Survey, lying in Scurry County, Texas, and fully described by field notes in correction deed from S. J. Casstevens to J. A. West, dated May 20th, 1924, recorded in deed records of Scurry County, Texas, in Book 51, on pages 222 to 224, inclusive, referred to and made part hereof for full description of said 40 acres of land;

And that said property be sold as under execution in satisfaction of said judgment fixing a lien on said lands, levied on as property of said defendant; and that on the first Tuesday in February, A. D. 1930, same being February 4th, 1930, at the courthouse door of Scurry County, Texas, in the town of Snyder, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the said Roy West in and to said above described real estate.

Witness my hand, this 9th day of January, A. D. 1930.

22-31 F. M. BROWNFIELD,

Sheriff of Scurry County, Texas.

CLEANERS BACK FROM MEETING

Abe Rogers, Earl Fish and Lee Caldwell, who returned from Dallas last week-end where they attended the annual national meeting of the Association of Cleaners and Dyers, report that a number of valuable pointers on how to better serve their patrons were gained from the session.

Delegates from every state in the union, representing the most expert cleaners in the world, were among the delegates to the first meeting of the association ever held in the south. The Adolphus ball room was filled with cleaning equipment from manufacturers and distributors throughout the country.

We've Started the Incubators

—Our big Petersime Automatic Electric Incubators were received several days ago, and one machine was started Thursday. Settings will be made every Monday and Thursday of each week. Those who have arranged for hatching schedules will please bear these days in mind and bring their eggs on these days.

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BOARD ELECTS MOORE AGAIN

Ottis "Red" Moore, head coach of Snyder high school athletics for the present scholastic year, this week accepted the school board's proffer of the position for another year. His re-election was announced by the board following a meeting Monday night, at which Hugh Taylor, president, presided.

C. Wedgworth, superintendent of Snyder schools, was also re-elected Monday night, but his acceptance has not been made.

"Red," as he is known to everyone in Snyder who loves clean sports, came to the local school system last September. He had been captain and star end on the Simmons University football eleven, and had lettered in other sports. With little actual coaching experience behind him, he stepped into Snyder high's group of green-horn football prospects; he decided at once that with only a bare handful of letter men around which to build a team, he was destined for a tough task.

But "Red" knows football, and he knows how to teach it even to green-horns. Before the season was half over, Snyder knew that she had one of the best football teams in her history. After two decisive conference victories, a district championship was in sight, but the Roscoe Plowboys, who became bi-district champions, stepped in with a bitter 12-3 win. As a grand finale of the season, however, Colorado and Sweetwater were defeated decisively. When the season was over, Snyder was saying, and is still saying, that "Red" Moore, during his first season, gave the town her greatest football team.

Already the basketball team under Moore's tutelage has carved a notch for itself by downing some of the best fires in West Texas, including last year's district champions, the Abilene Eagles.

That the Snyder Tigers, under "Red" Moore's second year of coaching, will end the season of 1930-31 with at least one or two district championships hanging on their belt, is the consensus of opinion among those who are in the "know."

Colorado to Be Met By Tigers for Two Tilts During Week

Four basketball games, two of them at home and two of them on foreign soil, will be on the card for Snyder High Tigers within the next seven days.

The boys go to Colorado tonight, while the girls are playing a team from the same town on the local court. The same boys' teams wangle on the Wolf Park court Saturday night, while the girls are idle. Colorado, by comparative scores, should be a district leader this year. She defeated Abilene by a decisive score last week-end just before the Tigers scolded the Eagles by three points. The Coloradans, however, played on their home court, and Coach Moore believes his boys will deal the Mitchell County lads at least one knock-out blow during the two-game series next week-end.

On Wednesday of week after next the Abilene Eagles will play a return game here. Next Tuesday the Post Antelopes will be played on their home stamping grounds, while the Tigers will be hosts at a return engagement on the following Saturday.

With the district tournament at Big Spring only two weeks away, Coach Moore is giving his boys plenty of games. He is expecting several hundred people out to the Colorado game here, he says, as well as a lot of folks to make the trip to Mitchell County tonight.

Elza & Wenninger Take Feed Agency

Elza & Wenninger first of the week received a big shipment of Abtex chicken feed, which they will handle at their place of business, on the east side of the square.

A specialty of chicken feed only will be made by this firm, and they invite their friends and poultry users generally to allow them the opportunity of assisting them with their chicken feeding problems.

Pat Bullock Talks to Mitchell School Men

A. A. Bullock, superintendent of this county's schools, spoke to a special meeting of Mitchell County school officials, in session in Colorado last Saturday. The talk was made following an invitation from the neighboring county's superintendent.

Mr. Bullock spoke on the county-wide system of examinations for seventh grade students, as it has been worked out in this county.

A Buick coach that had been stolen from Lee Crawford in Fort Worth, was found by Sheriff F. M. Brownfield and City Marshal J. A. Woodfin northwest of Snyder Saturday.

V. A. Play Nets Nice Sum for Boys' Trips

"Beads on a String," the vocational agriculture department's play presented at the high school last Friday evening, was another milestone on the city's road of stage success, which has been traveled so regularly for several months.

The characters, most of them members of J. P. Jamison's V. A. classes, carried out the parts in the comedy drama to near-perfection, according to the fair-sized audience that came out on the most perfect night Snyder had seen in two weeks.

Mr. Jamison reports that receipts from the play will go a long way toward paying expenses of some of the other exhibits of interest.

Star Hatchery Sets Its First Incubator

One of the big 16,000-egg capacity incubators received last week by the Star Feed & Hatchery was put into operation Thursday, according to Bill Tatum, local manager. The second machine probably will be started next week. Settings will be made on Mondays and Thursdays of each week, it is announced.

The machines are new type Petersime automatic electric incubators, said to be the last word in hatching equipment.

LIVESTOCK LOSS SMALL IN WORST OF TEXAS STORMS

Fort Worth, Jan. 30.—The most devastating 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 veteran official announced that what might have been economic disaster for the stockmen had been avoided as a result of available 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. Cake 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 stockmen to distribute the necessary feed rapidly over the wide areas in which the impoverished 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.

SNYDER SQUAD TO ENTER ROBY TOURNAMENT

Coach R. S. Sullivan's girls' basketball team of Snyder high school will enter the annual invitation tournament for girls' high school basketball teams, to be held February 20, 21 and 22 at Roby.

Sullivan's charges have gone thru the season thus far without a single defeat, and should come out among the leaders in the contests.

N. C. Forrester, superintendent of Roby schools, in announcing the dates of the tourney last week-end, stated that 68 teams have been invited and that as many as 35 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. To the championship team will go a full size silver basketball, and to the runner-up a large loving cup. The winner of the consolation play will receive a half size silver basketball, and the consolation runner-up will be given a cup.

Six special awards are also offered—one to the outstanding forward, one to the outstanding center, and one to the outstanding guard; one to the team showing the best sportsmanship, one to the team scoring the most points during the tournament, and one to the best looking team.

The tournament is not to be confused with the A. A. U. meet held annually. No entrance fees will be charged, and the tourney will be held under the personal supervision of Mr. Forrester, with the help of W. W. Reed, assistant director of athletics at Roby high school, and Miss "ora Blount, director of girls' athletics at Roby high school.

Farmers Produce in Burton-Lingo Stand

The Farmers Produce, which recently moved to the north wing of the lumber yard vacated January 1 by the Burton-Lingo Company, is enjoying a thriving business in its new location, according to Otto Mund, owner.

Mr. Mund, who has purchased Van Bratton's interest in the concern, invites his friends and customers to visit him in the location just a half block from the northeast corner of the square.

"When I was young, leisure for a woman was impossible. She had hardly time really to nag her husband as her husband ought to be nagged."—George Bernard Shaw.

He: "What an attractive thing your friend is! She's got real Clara Bow legs."

She: "Oh, but her name isn't Clara."

One: "Do you know why Washington threw the silver dollar across the Potomac?"

Two: "No, why?"

Three: "He was teaching a couple of Scotchmen how to swim."

Two Reasons Why Drivers Should Be Careful Are Given

Two highly important reasons why automobile owners should "take stock at the beginning of the new year are set forth in a statement just issued by a automobile service expert.

First, according to the statement, all drivers should make sure that their driving habits are in step with the finer, safer and more efficient machines they are being given to handle.

Secondly, it is pointed out, that it is up to the owner to get the performance and durability out of his car that has been designed into it.

"Until the individual motorist assumes the responsibility of revamping his personal driving habits and bringing them up to date, progress toward the ideal for which the industry and all others interested are striving will be retarded," says the expert.

"Automobile engines have been improved, brakes have been made responsive, steering has been made positive and easy, cars are sturdier, more efficient and more beautiful, but our capacity to drive them has, in too many cases, not kept pace.

"We are living in an automobile age, and our very civilization depends upon the increasing use of the motor car. What we eat and wear, how we play, all of our interests and habits are tied up with the constant use of the automobile. No place is too remote and none is too congested to escape the all pervading influence of the gasoline engine hitched to wheels and rubber tires.

"The automobile of today is built for absolute safety. Only abuse can bring damage to it or injury to its occupants. We must all become masters of our machines.

"Drastic laws limiting speed have been tried generally, and found wanting. There is but one answer to the question of greater safety: The drivers of 1930 model automobiles must use 1930 driving tactics. With a little brushing up, the average driver today can go safely and comfortably wherever he chooses. The fundamental rules of safe driving are very simple. By observing the following rules and others which individual ex-

1. Always drive so that you have room to stop safely within the distance you can see clearly ahead.
2. Never pass a car on a curve and especially never pass one when approaching the brow of a hill.
3. Drive on the right-hand side of the road. Where white lines divide the roadway, respect the line.
4. If a fellow motorist signals to pass you, give him the courtesy of the road. Don't race.
5. Never drive when under the influence of liquor.
6. If you intend to stop or turn, or to take any unusual action, warn those following and approaching you by appropriate signals.

"It is equally important, not only from a selfish point of view but also for the promotion of greater safety, that the owner give his car the proper care from day to day. The fundamentals are just as simple. Nearly everyone who drives an automobile knows the things to do in order to keep his car looking good, running best and lasting longest. Still only a comparatively few give their cars the right care.

"Thousands of people have bought or are just about to buy new cars. Into these cars has been designed the finest kind of performance and more than ever before a great amount of durability. Why not take advantage of it?"

"Just by way of helping the motorist take stock in this respect, it might not be amiss to mention a few of the essentials:

1. Break the new car in gradually. Don't race the motor.
2. Change the oil on schedule.
3. Do not keep the choke open too long.
4. Watch the instruments and gauges on the instrument panel. If you do not know how they should read under any conditions, consult your instruction book or a service manager.
5. Don't stop and start too suddenly.
6. Have your car checked over by an authorized station every 2,500 miles. It's the most economical maintenance method.

Drop in behind the Scurry County terracing program. Seventy-five thousand acres should be the 1930 goal.

"MOTHER" NORRIN TO BE AT COLORED CHURCH HERE

"Mother Norrin, colored woman preacher, will speak at the Snyder church near the cotton mill on Friday, Saturday and Sunday evenings. Local members of the church invite all colored people living in and near Snyder to be present.

Women in industry in the United States have passed the nine million mark.

Why is it that regardless of a woman's size every new dress is a "little dress"?

Rexall Birthday Sale Starting at Stinson's

A Rexall "birthday sale," celebrating the twenty-seventh year of the products' birth, will begin Saturday of this week at both Stinson drug stores here. Reduced prices on Rexall products, as well as many others, will be featured by the two stores throughout the month of February. The Rexall stock and buying privilege was taken over by the Stinson stores when they recently absorbed the Warren Brothers Drug Company.

Try a Snyder News classified ad.

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