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MISS EFFIE FICKAS' GRADUATING ESSAY.

Fickas at the Close of Snyder ject-"Mother, Home and Heaven."

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Home is the sincerety in all her accomplish- magic circle within which the ments, but if mother still believes weary spirit finds refuge; it is a in us need we care for the opin- sacred asylum to the care worn ion of others? For the sacred heart; it is a green spot in memory; an oasis in the desert. mother love and trust is the pur- Home! That name touches every fiber of the soul and strikes every chord of the human heart with its angelic fingers. Nothing but death can break its spell. What tender associations day evening, May 22, to witness are linked with home! What the beautiful and impressive Prudence, foresight, strength and pleasing images and deep emo- ceremony, which united for life 6:33 p. m., Friday June 6th. While the father loves his chil- influence which is stronger than Nettie Fizgerald. The Sorosis dren in his way, yet the mother death. Ask the little child, what ladies assisted by the 4 B boys has the making of her child's is home? 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the deep, earnest yearnings of our spirits for a mother's love, by the weary, aching void in our our spirits for a mother's love, by the weary, aching void in our our output of the world of the world output hearts, we answer no! Alas! which is so venerable as the How little do we appreciate a character of parents; nothing so mother's tenderness while living. intimate and endearing as the How heedless are we in youth of relation of husband and wife; when the cares and coldness of lovely as that of brothers and difficult it is to find true sympa- affections. Home is a place of

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Church at this Place Married to Miss Nettie Fitzgerald at Sweetwater on May 22-Rev. W. H. Harris Ties the Knot.

A large crowd assembled at the Presbyterian church Thurstions it awakens! Home has an Rev. J. L. McAdams and Miss

Melodies. -Sweetwater Reporter. 'round our hearts that they must that noblest gift of God to man, number of our readers who will cease to throb ere we forget it! is nourished by poverty. He is join us in extending felicitations.

I. O. O. F. MEETING.

June 5th.

Meeting called to order by Dr. R. E. Cates, president; Abilene,

Opening ode-Invocation by Rev. W. A. Mason, chaplain, of Cisco.

Address of welcome by Hon. H. E. Crowley of Midland. Response to address of welcome by Hon. W. B. Crockett of

Colorado. Reports of committees. Election of officers.

Address of retiring president. 8 o'clock p. m. Confering of subordinate degree by Staked

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Prayer by chaplain.

and new business.

Address on the Rebekah de-

grees by Mrs. Rhoda Reagan of Short talks on good, welfare

2 o'clock p. m. Meeting call-

ed to order by president. Address-"The Spirit of Odd

Fellowship,"-L. A. Dale of Ab-

Appointment of committees. Closing ode.

Adjournment. Mrs. W. D. LITTLER. H. N. GARRETT. COM. G. H. SPARENBERG.

S. T. SHROPSHER. The Snyder Lodge I. O. O. F. at its last meeting elected A. J. Grantham, B. L. Crump, Frank Lockwood, J. F. Stephens and R. W. Ramage, delegates to the

Association.

Tickets on the railroad will be on sale at convention rates at Cisco and all intermediate points to Midland and return, on June 4th and 5th, limited for return to June 6th. Leaves Midland at

SUSTAINS THE LAW.

At Austin on May 21, the court law of the state is not only conrefused.

WAGON YARD NOTICE.

I now have charge of the court house June 14th, 1902, at 2 live in the rear of the store were grain and feed store on Bridge o'clock p.m for the purpose of away visiting. The robbery was meet, Both pleasures more re-choicest gifts a parent can be-fined and sweet; The fairest gar-stow." "Be it ever so humble, of the First Presbyterian church Street and very respectfully so-electing and instructing dela-soon discovered. den in her looks, And in her there is no place like home," for at this place since its organization licit a part of your patronage. gates to the state and district con- ed to some boys mind the wisest books." Moth- remember it is one of the mys- about one year ago, and is con- Keep on hand a full supply of ventions and to do anything else preclude their beautiful to the mys- about one year ago, and is con- Keep on hand a full supply of ventions and to do anything else preclude their beautiful to the mys- about one year ago, and is con- Keep on hand a full supply of ventions and to do anything else preclude their beautiful to the mys- about one year ago, and is con- keep on hand a full supply of ventions and to do anything else preclude their beautiful to the mys- about one year ago, and is con- keep on hand a full supply of ventions and to do anything else preclude their beautiful to the mys- about one year ago, and is con- keep on hand a full supply of ventions and to do anything else preclude their beautiful to the mys- about one year ago, and is con- keep on hand a full supply of ventions and to do anything else preclude their beautiful to the mys- about one year ago, and is con- keep on hand a full supply of ventions and to do anything else preclude their beautiful to the mys- about one year ago, and is con- keep on hand a full supply of ventions are the mys- about one year ago, and is coner! ecstatic sound, so twined teries of our life that genius, sequently known to a large grain, hay, bran, etc. at all that the wisdom of said conventue. The times and am running a wagon

B. L. PATTERSON.

HON. OCIE SPEER.

Hon. Ocie Speer of Bowie, Montague conuty, candidate for associate justice for the second supreme judicial district, has received the instructed vote of Second Candidate for the Office twelve of the large counties, mittee for the West Texas which places him far ahead of I. O. O. F. Association to be the combined vote of both his Held at Midland, Texas, on opponents. His nomination now seems to be an assured fact, and we suppose a more worthy or able man for the exalted place could scarcely be found in the district.

June 8th, 8:30 p. m.)

Welcome song .- By 'School. Address .- W. J. McElhaney. Recitation-"Children's Day." -Vita Rhinehart.

Recitation.—Earl Brown. "Little Sowers."-Class No. 1 Recitation .- Viola Ellis.

Song .- "Little Children Praise he Lord." Recitation .- Lucy McElhaney. Recitation .- Maggie Wasson.

Song .- By the Choir. Dialogue.-Classes Nos. 2 and

Recitation.—Geo. Brown. Song .- "All, and Always for he King."

Recitation .- Dean McElhaney Recitation.-Vita Wasson. Oration .- Miss Lizzie Smith. Recitation .- Alta Wasson. Quartette.

Recitation .- "The Captain" Call."-John Song.—By C.

Recitation .- M. ie Wat-

WEDDING BY

evening while sitting in buggy in front of the Methe Parsonage, Pastor A. B. Roberts performing the ceremony. These young people are very popular in Snyder and their many friends will join us in wishing them a happy and prosperous life.

The marriage of Mr. J. A Mitchell and Miss M. O. Birdwell, a note of which occurred in our last issue, took place on Wed- a life long democrat from which nesday evening of last week at party he now seeks preferment. the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Birdwell, Rev. A. B. Roberts officiating. The groom left with his bride Friday for Coleman county, where they will make their future home.

LEAGUE PROGRAM.

(June 1, 1902.)

Subject.—Covenant. Leader.—A. J. Grantham. Scripture Lesson; Heb. 10:29; Jeri. 11:2.

Prayer.

Benediction.

Reading.—Miss Mary Roberts.

the Covenant."-Dr. A. G. Per- Smith.

Reading.-Willie Rascoe. Song. Talk .- Bro. F. Aucutt. Prayer. Talk.—Bro. A. B. Roberts. Business session.

tion may see fit.

A. C. WILMETH. Chairmau of Democratic Execu- ing themselve tive Committee.

M. E. ROSSER FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

Comes Before the People this Week for County Judge of Scurry County-Subject to Action of Democratic Party.

M. E. Rosser who announces this week for the office of county judge is not a native of Texas, CHILDREN'S DAY SERVICE. having been born near the site (Christian Church, Sunday, of the famous Chattanooga National Military Park in Walker county, Georgia.

His early education was received on the farm and in the public schools of his home county after which he took a course in the Mountain City Business College at Chattanooga, Tenn. His next work was that of teacher by which means he accumulated money sufficient to pay his expenses while taking a regular A. B. course in one of the leading literary schools of Georgia, the J. S. Green College, from which institution he graduated with the first honors of his class.

He came to Texas nearly three years ago and took charge of the school work at Bison in the southwest part of this county, at which place he has just completed a very successful term. He has been devoting his spare time during the past year to the study of law; hence, a thorough and practical teacher, and lawyer, he possesses the essentials necessary to successfully administer the affairs of the county judge's office. Without saying anything in disparagement of any gentleman to whom it may seem proper to seek this position we believe that if entrusted to him the color of the ermine would be spotless and the dignity of the office upheld and untarnished. He is studious sober and industrious; a man of the highest ideals, correct principles and the courage to stand by his convictions, and is not the kind to desert a friend or maltreat a foe. He has been

ENDEAVOR PROGRAM.

(June 8. 1902.) Subject-How the Weak are

made Strong. Leader-Miss Ella Dodson.

II Cor. 12:9-10. Isah 41:10; and 58: 11.

Prayer-I. W. Wasson. Song.

Essay-"How Spiritual Weakness is manifested."—Miss Ethe Wasson. Solo-Miss Lizzie Watkins.

Select Reading .- Miss Vita Wasson. Song.

Essay-"How we gain Spirit-Essay .- "Danger of Despising | ual | Strength." -Miss Lizzie

> Select Reading .- Mrs. Edna Tinker.

Admission of new members.

BURGLARY SUNDAY.

The Racket Store, owned by S. P. McCrary, was broken into Sunday evening and \$3.45 in money, three pocket knives and DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION. a lot of chewing gum taken. I hereby call a massmeeting The house was entered from the convention of the democrats of rear by breaking out a window. Scurry county, to meet at the Mr. McCrary and family who age may ndled by have no doubt repented promisbe guilty of such again.

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At Austin on May 21, the court law of the state is not only conselling liquor in a local option Heaven has imprinted in the their childhood; the orchard, the The Reporter joins with their precinct and was jailed, and ap-

WAGON YARD NOTICE ..

I now have charge of the court house June 14th, 1902, at 2 live in the rear of the store were grain and feed store on Bridge o'clock p.m for the purpose of away visiting. meet, Both pleasures more re-choicest gifts a parent can be-fined and sweet; The fairest gar-stow." "Be it ever so humble, of the First Presbyterian church Street and very respectfully so-electing and instructing dela-soon discovered stows." den in her looks, And in her there is no place like home," for at this place since its organization licit a part of your patronage. gates to the state and district coned to some boys mind the wisest books." Moth-remember it is one of the mys-about one year ago, and is con-Keep on hand a full supply of ventions and to do anything else preclude their beautiful to the state and district coned to some boys about one year ago, and is con-keep on hand a full supply of ventions and to do anything else preclude their beautiful to the state and district coned to some boys about one year ago, and is con-keep on hand a full supply of ventions and to do anything else preclude their beautiful to the state and district coned to some boys about one year ago, and is con-keep on hand a full supply of ventions and to do anything else preclude their beautiful to the state and district coned to some boys about one year ago, and is con-keep on hand a full supply of ventions and to do anything else preclude their beautiful to the state and district coned to some boys about one year ago, and is con-keep on hand a full supply of ventions and to do anything else preclude their beautiful to the state and district coned to the state and district cone are the state and district cone and the state and district cone are the state and district cone ar er! ecstatic sound, so twined teries of our life that genius, sequently known to a large grain, hay, bran, etc. at all that the wisdom of said convent the law. The

B. L. PATTERSON.

HON. OCIE SPEER. Hon. Ocie Speer of Bowie,

Montague conuty, candidate for associate justice for the second supreme judicial district, has received the instructed vote of Second Candidate for the Office twelve of the large counties, which places him far ahead of the combined vote of both his opponents. His nomination now seems to be an assured fact, and we suppose a more worthy or able man for the exalted place could scarcely be found in the

CHILDREN'S DAY SERVICE. (Christian Church, Sunday,

June 8th, 8:30 p. m.)

Welcome song .- By 'School. Address .- W. J. McElhaney Recitation-"Children's Day." -Vita Rhinehart.

Recitation.—Earl Brown. "Little Sowers."-Class No. 1 Recitation.—Viola Ellis.

Song.-"Little Children Praise the Lord." Recitation .- Lucy McElhaney. Recitation .- Maggie Wasson.

Song .- By the Choir. Dialogue.-Classes Nos. 2 and

Recitation.—Geo. Brown. Song .- "All, and Always for the King."

Recitation .- Dean McElhaney Recitation.—Vita Wasson. Oration.-Miss Lizzie Smith. Recitation.—Alta Wasson.

Quartette. Recitation .- "The Captain" Call."-John Baze. Song .- By Choir.

Recitation .- Miss Lizzie Wat-

buggy in front of the Methodist Parsonage, Pastor A. B. Roberts performing the ceremony. These young people are very popular in Snyder and their many friends will join us in wishing them a happy and prosperous life.

The marriage of Mr. J. A. Mitchell and Miss M. O. Birdwell, a note of which occurred in our nesday evening of last week at party he now seeks preferment. the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Birdwell, Rev. A. B. Roberts officiating. The groom left with his bride Friday for Coleman county, where they will make their future home.

LEAGUE PROGRAM,

(June 1, 1902.)

Subject.—Covenant. Leader.—A. J. Grantham. Scripture Lesson; Heb. 10:29; eri. 11:2.

Song. Prayer.

Reading.—Miss Mary Roberts. Essay.-"Danger of Despising | ual the Covenant."—Dr. A. G. Per- Smith.

Reading.-Willie Rascoe.

Song. Talk .- Bro. F. Aucutt. Prayer. Song. Talk .- Bro. A. B. Roberts.

Business session.

Benediction.

convention of the democrats of rear by breaking out a window. Scurry county, to meet at the Mr. McCrary and family who tion may see fit.

A. C. WILMETH. Chairmau of Democratic Execu- ing themselve tive Committee.

M. E. ROSSER FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

Comes Before the People this Week for County Judge of Scurry County-Subject to Action of Democratic Party.

M. E. Rosser who announces this week for the office of county judge is not a native of Texas, having been born near the site of the famous Chattanooga National Military Park in Walker county, Georgia.

His early education was received on the farm and in the public schools of his home county after which he took a course in the Mountain City Business College at Chattanooga, Tenn. His next work was that of teacher by which means he accumulated money sufficient to pay his expenses while taking a regular A. B. course in one of the leading literary schools of Georgia, the J. S. Green College, from which institution he graduated with the first honors of his class.

He came to Texas nearly three years ago and took charge of the school work at Bison in the southwest part of this county, at which place he has just completed a very successful term. He has been devoting his spare time during the past year to the study of law; hence, a thorough and practical teacher, and lawyer, he possesses the essentials necessary to successfully administer the affairs of the county judge's office. Without saying anything in disparagement of any gentleman to whom it may seem proper to seek this position we believe that if entrusted to him the color of the ermine would be spotless and the dignity of the office upheld and untarnished. He is studious sober and industrious; a man of the highest ideals. correct principles and the courage to stand by his convictions, and is not the kind to desert a friend or maltreat a foe. He has been last issue, took place on Wed- a life long democrat from which

ENDEAVOR PROGRAM.

(June 8. 1902.)

Subject-How the Weak are made Strong. Leader-Miss Ella Dodson.

II Cor. 12:9-10. Isah 41:10; and 58: 11.

Prayer-I. W. Wasson. Song.

Essay-"How Spiritual Weakness is manifested."-Miss Ethe Wasson.

Solo-Miss Lizzie Watkins. Select Reading .- Miss Vita Wasson.

Song. Essay-"How we gain Spirit-Strength." -Miss Lizzie

Select Reading.-Mrs. Edna

Admission of new members.

BURGLARY SUNDAY.

The Racket Store, owned by S. P. McCrary, was broken into Sunday evening and \$3.45 in money, three pocket knives and I hereby call a massmeeting The house was entered from the ndled by have no doubt repented promisbe guilty of such again.

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NOTICE.

All advertisments and local notices placed in The Coming West without a specified time to run, will be charged for until ordered out. Advertising rates made known on application.

TYPOGRAPHICAL ERRORS

None but the initiated know the intricacies required in a printing office, says the Press Specter. The average reader who detects a missspelled word or a letter upside down feels that his mission on earth is not fully accomplished till he has called the attention of the editor to the glaring defect. He does not notice the thousands of letters that are in right place nor the multitude of atic rheumatism for fourteen words correctly spelled, but his years," says Josh Edgar, of Gereagle eye is glued on that one mantown, Cal. "I was able to which is out of place. So with our be around but constantly suffered deeds. Man does a thousand I tried everything I could hear of good things and no attention is and at last was told to try Champaid to them, but if he makes one berlain's Pain Balm, which I did mistake it is flashed all over the and was imediately relieved and world. A life-time may be spent in a short time cured, and I am in building up a reputation that happy to say it has not since remay be wrecked in a moment. turned." Why not use this lin-The world is a harsh critic, exact- | iment and get | well? It is for ing to a fault, and if the Father sale by F. J. Grayum. doesn't temper justice with mercy we may fail to reach Heaven.

COW STEALING IN KENT.

Mr. McMeans, of Kent county a ranger, was here this week on tales. New Mexico. They returntrail of eight hundred cattle R. ed by way of Hale Center and Daniels was driving from Kent Lubbock. county to Amarillo. He, Sheriff T. N. Carmack and Lute Davis held up the herd on Whiteflat for the purpose of exanining the they examined. By the process for Congress. of shearing, and thus examining the brands, they found one cow that bore a brand as same as the cattle that had been stolen. Mr. Daniels and another man along fly traps. with the herd, made oath that he (Daniels) bought the animal from a citizen of Kent county. This citizen's title to the cow will be investigated. If a theft has been committed it will likely be found out .- Matador Maverick.

WORLD WIDE REPUTATION.

White's Cream Vermifuge has worm destroyers, and for its ton- his section. ic influence on weak and unthrifty children, as it neutralizes the acidity or sourness of the stomach, improves their digestion, and assimilation of food, strength-

Telephone the news to The Coming West. Phone No. 3.

WHAT'S THE TROUBLE

Rheumatism? Too bad, too bad. I advise you to try Hunt's Lightning Oil. It is said to be a wonderful remedy. Sold by F. J. Grayum, Druggist, Snyder.

Parlor on northwest corner, to some business matters. when you want a good healthy and wholesome drink.

ments have been contending for. party.

Mrs. Greg Kinchen has been quite sick for several days.

Messrs Bob and Tom Marable returned Wednesday from their Garza county ranch.

list this week. County Treasurer, C. R. Lockhart, is visiting his home folks at

Matthew Looney is on the sick

Wheat this week. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Webb visited friends in Kent county the

first of the week. The Coming West will do you uptonow job work on short notice. More new type just re-

Villipeg, the saddle and harness man was here this week soliciting orders from some of our business men.

Sam Pruitt is confined to his bed this week suffering with a throat trouble.

Dock Ellis of Dickens city came down Wednesday to visit his mother who is in very feeble

SCIATIC RHEUMATISM CURED AFTER FOURTEEN YEARS OF SUFFERING.

"I have been afficted with sci-

Old papers for sale at Coming West office 25c per hundred.

H. C. Hayter and E. Gable came in Wednesday from Por-

McMeans of the Circle-ranch is here today.

Felix G. Thurmond of Colorado brands. The cattle had not passed through here today enshedded and the hair was so route to Stonewall county to do long that they had to shear those political work for Judge Smith

> D. Nation wants to sell you groceries for cash.

Screen Doors Screen wire and

GIRARD & Co.

Stonewall county will hold a mass convention on June 7 for the purpose of nominating candidates for state and county officers, and to seclect delegates to state and district coventions.

D. T. Fairley, of the southwestern part of the county was achieved a world wide reputa- in the city this morning. He retion as being the best of all ported everything flourishing in

> ty is visiting in the city, the living in the Knapp community. tion. The Centennicl Exposition guest of Miss Fairrie Wood.

ens their nervous spstem and re- of near Roscoe are in Scurry stores them to the health, vigor this week prospecting. They and elasticity of spirits natural to spent a day in Snyder and went childhood. 25e at F. J. Grayum. up to light this (Thursday) morn-

> Ladies spring-heel sandals at L. D. Grantham's.

W. A. Jones left Monday for With your back, old man? Hale Center, Texas. He was accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Ella Liggon, who is returning home from a visit to friends and relatives at this place.

do, addressed a fair sized audi- move it, secure to the secretions Terms of peace between the ence at the court house last Sat- a right exit, and by its tonic eff- about 300 head of cows in addi-Boers and British have been urday night in the interest of his ect, fully restore the wasted tis- tion to the 1500 bought last week agreed upon and one of the most candidacy for congress. Judge sues and give strength in place from Mrs. Chas. Coppinger. destructive wars to both life and Smith confined his remarks um. property in modern times closed. strictly to national issues and to The terms of peace as reported an arraignment of the trusts and Infants strap sandals, patent ham's Laxative Chill Tablets. earth. Can carry it in the vest are in part, what both govern- the policy of the republican tip, sizes 1 to 5 at L. D. Gran- Try them. 25 cts. No cure-no

The little child of Prof. and Mrs. W. M. Cavness which has been sick for some time is reported much better today.

Mrs. Hicks of Rockwall county, is in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. B. B. Singletary.

ance in 1, 2, and 3 years at 8 per children. cent interest. Barnes, Higgins & Curnutte.

Frank white and J. W. Smith of Colorado were up last week and bought 1500 head of cows from Mrs. Chas. Coppinger. They will likely move the cattle to the plains for pasturage.

John Mooar of Colorado was in the city Friday last.

WON'T FOLLOW ADVICE AFTER

PAYING FOR IT. In a recent article a prominent physician says; "It is next to imposible for the physician to get his patients to carry out any prescribed course of hygiene or diet to the smallest extent; he has but one resort left, namely, the drug treatment." When medicines are used for chronic constipation, the most mild gentle obtainable, such as Chamberland's F. J. Grayum.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Parties are hereby notified un-SCOGGIN & BROWN.

the arrival of a new girl at his road. house Wednesday night. Mother and child doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Jonos of Light, passed through today on and relatives.

S. R. Fickas will sell Groceries Cheap for cash for the next thirty days.

B. H. Freeland is reported quite and \$1.00 at F. J. Grayum.

B. H. Freeland who has been living in South Snyder moved into the Mrs. Wyax residence in North Snyder Wednesday.

first of the week at Wheat looking after business affairs.

Rev. W. W. Werner was in town today. Bro. Werner says the Fair be near, but it will also he has about fifty acres of cotton be the biggest and best show & A. M., meets Saturday night that is up and looking well.

Dr. Rosser reports Mrs. J.

Snyder has as fine a location than at some future time.

SPRING AILMENTS

There is an aching and tired feeling; the liver, bowles and 000,000.00. The estimated cost kidneys become sluggish and in-H. C. McCullouch left last bition for anything, and a feel- mean a total expenditure of \$40,- of the original, so be careful and Thursday for Bosque county on ing that the whole body and mind 000,000.00 by the time the work see that it's "Purifier" and man-Dont forget the new Ice Cream a visit to relatives and to attend needs toning up. The trouble is thatduring winter there has been Messrs B. F. White and J. W. an accumulation of waste matter Smith of Colorado were up this Judge W. R. Smith of Colora- in the system. Herbine will re- week again and purchased of weakness. 50c at F. J. Gray-

tham's.

Scott's

of Cod Liver Oil is the means Announcement Fees Payable in Advance. 30 sections of patented land of life, and enjoyment of life to \$2. per acre; one half cash, bal- thousands: men women and For District Judge:

When appetite fails, it restores it. When food is a burden, it lifts the burden.

When youlose flesh, it brings | For District Atttorney: the plumpness of health. When work is hard and

duty is heavy, it makes life

bright. It is the thin edge of the wedge; the thick end is food. But what is the use of food, For District and County Clerk: when you hate it, and can't di-

gest it? Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil is the food that makes you forget your stomach. If you have not tried it, send for free sample, its agreeable taste will SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409 Pearl Street. New York. 50c, and \$1.00; all druggists.

Oh My! What candies at Wassons & Browns; the finest ever in Snyder.

Messrs. E. C. Dodson and Lee Stomach & Liver Tablets, should Boren are to start the first of be employed. Their use is not next week, so we are informed, followed by constipation as they with their families on a trip leave the bowels in a natural and through the western part of the P. D. Sanders,.....Judge. healthy condition. For sale by state and probably into New Mexico and Arizona.

WANTED.

I want four good broke milch der penalty of the law not to cows, 2 giving milk and 2 dry, chop or haul wood out of any of also one No. 1 good brood mare, the Scoggin and Brown pastures. on fall time, party retaining lien! on fall time, party retaining lien or mortgage on stock for pur-large on stock for pur-larg Joe Reddell is rejoicing over east of Snyder on lower Roby G. B. GUNN.

'I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment; always recomend it to their way to Hico to visit friends my friends, as I am confident there is no better made. It is a dapy for burns." Those who live on farms are especially lia- nesday night. A. B. Roberts, pastor ble to many accidental cuts, Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. burns and bruises, which heal A. J. Grantham, superintendent. rapidly when Ballard's Snow Liniment is applied. It should day night. D. H. Burt, pastor. Sunalways be kept in the house for day school at 10 o'clock a. m., B. L The little babe of Mr. and Mrs. cases of emergency. 25c, 50c Crump, superintendent.

Because of the proximity of school at 10 o'clock a. m. G. Texas to Si. Louis, the World.s a finer opportunity than has Werner, pastor. Sunday school at 10 Fair to be held in 1904 will afford been heretofore presented to Sheriff L. C. Darby spent the bring Texas prominently to the attention of the world and to induce many thousands of persons to visit the State. Not only will son, N. G.; E. B. Barnes, secretary. ever given in the world. The each month. W. W. Nelson, W. following tersely stated facts will M.; W. H. Jones, S. W.; A. J. Boot and Shoe Making. convey a general idea of the Grantham, J. W; V. A. Beck, D. Sigler as being in very feeble magnitude of the Exposition: Secretary. health. Mrs. Sigler came here a The St. Louis World's Fair will few months ago with her hus- be approximately twice as big as Miss Adda Sims of Kent coun- band from Geergia. They are any former international exposi-

Billy McFall one of Kent at Philadelphia covered 236 Messrs, Leggett and Mahoney county's good citizens and a well acres, the Paris Exposition of nights in each month. W. L. known stockman is in town today. 1899-1900, 336 acres; the Colum- Gross, W. P.; L. J. Nichols, bia Exposition at Chicago, 633 Scribe. just north of town for a park as acres and the Pan-American at could be found any where. Why Buffalo, 350 acres. The St.- W. H. Harvey, Pres.; Homer not have a nice park? It would Louis World's Fair will cover Cotten, Secretary. probably cost the town less now 1260 acres. The construction cost of the Paris Exposition was \$9,000,000.00, that of the Columbia Exposition, \$18,322,000.00 let it be known to The Coming Wes and the total cost of the Pan- and change will be made in the directory American Exposition was \$10,of the St. Louis World's Fair will active, the digestion impaired, be \$30,000,000.00, which the man with little or no appetite, no am- of practical affairs knows will is completed.

HOPE AND WISDOM

Both are contained in Cheatpay. Sold by F. J. Grayum.

Announcements.

All announcements appearing in this column are subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

H. R. JONES.

T. J. WRIGHT. P. D. SANDERS.

CULLEN C. HIGGINS. R. N. GRISHAM. GSCAR MARTIN.

For County Judge.

M. E. ROSSER. C. R. BUCHANAN.

For Sheriff and Tax-collector: J. A. SUITS,

T. J. FAUGHT.

For County Attorney: FRITZ R. SMITH.

For Tax Assessor; S. T. (Tom) ELZA.

B. L. CRUMP. E. B. BAUGH.

DISTRICT OFFICERS.

Mondays in February and August.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

C. R. Lockhart, Treasurer, H. J. Camp, Tax Assessor, Commissioner's court meets on second Mondays in February, May, August ing, and November. Commissioners:-

Dr. Bergin, Pana, Ills., writes: "" 2, B. F. Davis. "" 3, H. P. Wellborn. "I have used Ballard's Snow " 4, J. Y. Bowen.

CHURCHES. .

Methodist:- Preaching first and third Sundays; prayermeeting every Wed-

Baptist:-Preaching first and third Sundays; prayermeeting every Thurs

Christian:-Preaching fourth Sunday, prayermeeting every Tuesday night. J. McElhaney, pastor. Sunday Brown, superintendent.

Cumberland Presbyterian:-Preacho'clock a, m., H. B. Patterson, Supt.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

Scurry Lodge, No. 706, A. F. on or before the full moon in

Valentine Camp, W. O. W. meets last Monday night in each Repair work done on short notice. month. T. F. Baker, C, C.; A. West Side, Square, Snyder, Texas J. Grantham, Clerk.

Royal Tribe of Joseph, meets second and fourth Thursday

B. U. W., meets first and third Monday nights in each month.

NOTICE.

When changes are made for dates of meeting, or new officers are elected,

DON'T BECOME DISCOURAGED. But use Simmons' Liver Purifier [tin box.] Many imitations ufactured by the A. C. Simmons Jr. Medicine Co. Sold by F. J Grayum, Druggist, Snyder.

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Builder..... Parties desiring work done in my line would find it to their interest to figure With me.

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Will treat you right

SOUTH SIDE SQUARE,

SNYDER,

Announcements.

Announcement Fees Payable in Advance.

For County Judge: A. M. CRAIG. For Sheriff and Tax-collector: T. D. McMILLAN. W. A. MERRILL.

For District and County Clerk: B. F. WILKS.

A. J. GRANTHAM. For County Treasurer: C. R. LOCKHART.

LOCAL NOTES.

A good rain is reported to have fallen in Kent county Tuesday night.

H. A. Stacy of Ira was a pleasant caller at our office while in the city Saturday.

...The Finest...

Tailor Made

....Clothing....

Call and see me.

All kinds of sewing machine needles & oil kept at Girard & Co's.

J. H. Henderson was among the Ira visitors to Snyder Satur-

ney Floyd county passed through second favorable recognition ing on Tuesday, the 13th. It here Friday of last week enroute from the postal authorities and home from Sweetwater.

sheriff of Floyd county, was here people. a few days of last week on official business.

We are informed that an attachment was sent out from Colorado Monday for E. T. Pruitt, a witness in a shooting case.

Cheaper

Than Hand-

me-downs.

C. D. Palmer.

Cell on M. R. Looney, for up-to-date Barber work. First door east of Williams Photo Galery.

I. H. Nelson has just been appointed for the second time, postmaster at this place. His method af attending to Uncle Sam's Prof. C. W. Thomas of Lock- affairs has justly won him this also made him a most acceptable Byron B. Parrish, deputy man for the place to his home

Wm. Camron, accompanied by his two sons and a daughter, of Dallas; came in Tuesday and a nephew of F. M. German is R. H. Henderson of Colorado spent a day in our city. Mr. here this week looking at the will run an ice house here. We Camron is in very poor health country with a view of purchasare informed that he will be and is traveling over the western ready for business the latter part country in hope of receiving some benefit. He left Wednesday for the Panhandle country.

WHOOPING COUGH.

who is on his way to Canada lence with this disease, tells how with a herd of L. H. Pruitts to prevent any dangerous consecattle, to appear in district court quences from it. She says: Our J. W. Mooar was in town Fri- at Colorado on the 16th of June as cough last summer, our baby three children took whooping boy being only three months old, they lost none of their plumpness corn on hand this week. and came out in much better healt than other children whose Our oldest little girl would call lustily for cough syrup between whoops .-- Jessie Pinkely Hall, for sale by F. J. Grayum.

> ranch east of town. This time acquaintances. it's a fine girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Snyder on the 26th.

A. W. Hudson of Kansas City, one of the owners of the Circle ranch, was in the city Tuesday. everything that hurts. Hunt's He reports conditions on the Lightning Oil keeps off every-

Paul Arledge of Bonham, Texas, came in Sunday and will spend several weeks here visiting

Clothing, Shoes and dry goods Come and see.

The democratic convention to nominate a man to represent the J. M. Kelley, the merchant

Mrs. W. T. Baze.

Ladies spring-heel sandals at L. D. Grantham's.

mill and other necessary fixtures

THE FAIR.

A Fine line of Notions. OLIVER JOHNSON, Proprietor. North side square. 1-tf

POCKET PURSE LOST.

A pocket purse was lost between town and the school build. contained a finger ring, a bracelet lock and a receipt. Finder please return it to thin office or to Mrs. A. C. Wilmeth.

J. H. Conway of Elk Ind. Ter., ing land.

The Abilene Reporter states that at Content, Runnels Co., the hail last Thursday drifted as much as fifteen feet deep and A woman who has had exper- that cattle were piled up by hundreds, drowning like rats in holes.

SEED! SEED! SEED!

Of all kind at C. A. Goodwin and owing to our giving them line of feed and seed at both Chamberland's Cough Remedy, Colorado and Snyder. Lots of

J. G. Hamilton and family of parents did not use this remedy. Plainview, stopped over here the first of the week. They wer en route home from Stamford and Springville, Ala. This remedy is other points east where they had been visiting. While here they were guests at the homes of Dr. Leslie reports an increase Messrs. B. L. Crump and F. J. in population on the Grayum Grayum, old time friends and

EVERYTHING COMES

To those that wait, even now and then aches and pains, rheumatism, catarrh, neuralgia and ranch as being very good since thing except old age and death. faction or money refunded. Sold F. J. Grayum, Snyder, Texas.

The new Confectionery is now the family of his uncle, F. M. open at the Smith stand. Nice line of Candies, Cigars and

at McElhaney's at the lowest Mr. and Mrs. Pope Strayhorn, cash prices. \$15.00 suits at \$11. accompanied by Misses Birdie \$8.00 and \$10.00 suits only \$6.00. and Willie Strayhorn left Monday for Lubbock to spend sever-

new 16th congressional district prince at Clipper, Kent county, has been called to meet at was here the first of the week Mineral Wells on the 15th of interviewing some of our business men.

Misses Grace and Roxie Baze Mrs. Ira Kutch returned Tuesof Knickerbocker, Texas, are day morning from the Billy Sims visiting in the city, the guests ranch in the northeastern part of of their uncle and family Mr. and the county, where she spent several days visiting.

BARBER NOTICE.

Tonsorial work done in up-to-M. K. Lindsay left for Terry date style by Joe Garland. county Wednesday with wind- Smith & Hall old stand. North side square.

for the ranch which he recently! The face of the country has purchased. He was accompanied wonderfully changed during the by Archie Roberts who goes to past two weeks, it is no longer Snyder, Texas. Femain during the summer. Mr. barren as it was inteen days ago but grass is green and growing three weeks and move his family and the hungry cattle can graze to satisfaction.

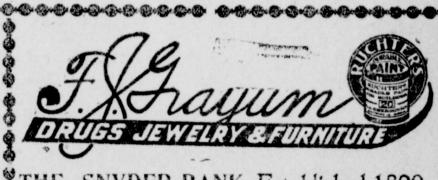
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day in the city.

W. A. Johnson was in town

Tuesday.

here Tuesday.

Y. D. McMurray one of Coloday in the city.

Frank Hunter, one of Clairemont's popular merchants came down last Saturday and spent a couple of days in the city.

Frank A. Judkins, county attorney of Kent county, spent last Saturday and Sunday in

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Haskell county holds her prinaries Saturday, the 31st.

John Coleman will leave in a Center, Texas, where they will probably make their future home. They will carry with best wishes of many friends here They will carry with them the in the city Monday.

have sold Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for years, and would children visited at B. F. Davis' rather be out of coffee and sugar than it. I sold five bottles of it yesterday to threshers that at work again this morning.-H. latter part of last week. R. Phelps, Plymouth, Okla. As will be seen by the above the threshers were able to keep on with their work without loosing a Tuesday. single days time. You should keep a bottle of this remedy in your home. For sale by F. J.

O. M. Rhea and family left Monday for Williamson county on a visit of several weeks to

IRA CULLINGS

The splendid rains of the 13, 18 and 21, have put the people of the Ira community on the rustle; planting and farming in general.

Fred Wilson and family moved in a few days ago from Brown county, and will make this their future home.

We see B. S. Cox handling the post office temporarily at this place. Prof. Rosser who was in charge having been released. We hope to see matters satisfactorially adjusted to all parties concerned regarding the quar-

Some slight damage was done by wind, rain and hail on Wednesday of last week at G. A. and J. B. Autry's places, sheds and

J. P. Fowler put his residence on wheels last week and moved about a quarter of a mile without telling us where he was going to take supper.

The work on the gin plant that was abandoned before the rair., will commence again now. I. L. Hicks says he will proceed as Houses and lots situated in the fast as circumstances will admit. O, ye candidates! You should not try the water's edge alone down in this part. Bring your opponents along to ward off some of the waves, that you may not

be drawn away too far in the

ANDY J.

CURES WHEN DOCTORS FAIL. son, La., writes June the 8th, 19-01: "I had malaria fever in very bad form, was under treatment by doctors, but as soon as I stoped taking their medicine the The Best place in West Texas to buy anything in the Lumber Line fever would return. I used a sample bottle of Herbine, found W. T. Black was in town Wed- it helped me. I feel grateful to you for furnishing such a splended medicine, and can honestly recommend it to those suffering Joe Stokes of Colorado was from malaria, as it will surely cure them." Herbine, 50c bottle at F. J. Grayum

Remember Wasson & Brown rado's business men spent Tues- have a complete line of coffins. Mens and boys straw hats at L. D. Grantham's

> The little boy of Mr. and Mrs. B.H.Freeland is quite sick this

Billy Ferguson passed through Tuesday en route from Colorado to his home in Lynn

A. C. Wilmeth left on Tuesdays' hack for Haskell, Texas, on important busines.

C. C. Higgins candidate for district attorney is in Stonewall county this week.

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J. A. Reddell and Joe Garland have the material on the ground for the erection of a barber shop on west side of square.

Miss Hill of Abilene who has been visiting the Misses Meador few days with his family for Hale of the Knapp community returned home Monday.

Dr. Day and wife of Ira, were

John Coleman and wife visited friends in Kent county Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Davis and on Ennis last Sunday.

Robt Henderson made a busicould go no farther, and they are ness trip to Garza county the

> Willis Looney who has been at Lubbock for some time came in

> S. J. Houghton of Waco, representing the Moline Hardware and Implement Co., was here the latter part of last week.

Infants strap sandals, patent tip, sizes 1 to 5 at L. D. Grantham's.

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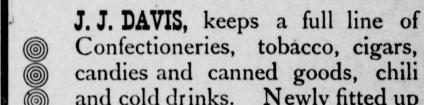
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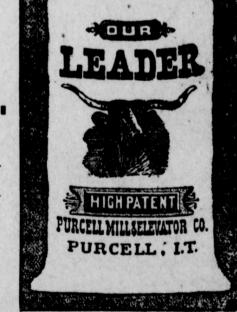


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