

#### Volume XXVII.

Snyder, Scurry County, Texas, Friday, March 27, 1914.

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Sunder

GROWN LAST YEAR

14,000,000 Bales Exclusive of

Linters.

Washington, March 20 .- One of

the largest cotton crops ever grown,

amounting to 14.127.546, equivalent

# J. J. DILLARD WAS ARREST

#### Charged With Swindling and Forgery-Released on Bond to Ap. pear in Hale County Court.

J. J. Dillard was arrested at Wichita Falls, this week by Deputy Sheriff Box of this county, on an indictment by the recent grand jury, charging that will reach 80 per cent of the 795, equivalent to 500 pound bales of under the auspices of the Interscholas forgery. Dillard is well known here population of the country and more linters, was produced by the farmers tic League of Texas. This is a league and was for many years a prominent than 66 2-3 per cent of all the sec- of the United States during 1913, of the High Schools of the State citizen of Lubbock county, representing that district in the legislature in 1912-13. It is alleged that a year or more ago Dillard forged a quit-claim tax of fifteen cents on the hundred deed to a section of land in Swisher dollars of your property to clothe 703,421 equivalent 500-pound bales battles of life. county. The deal was made here with you each year and your assessed val- of lint and 609,594 bales of linters Jas. R. DeLay, and it is alleged that uation was \$1000.00, you would get last year, and 15,682,701 bales of on debating on the same occasion. Dillard forged the name of Joshua only \$1.50 worth of clothing each lint and 557,575 bales of linters in but as Snyder High School was the Thuitt, Sr., of Shelby county, in the year, would this last you until next 1911. extreme eastern part of the state, year's tax paying time? This wouldn't who was the owner of the land to do you much good would it? But sup- estimate, announced December 12, championship of the county without a the deed; also forged the name of pose, on the other hand, you get placed the 1913 crop at 13,677,000 fight in this phase of the Interschonotary public of Shelby county, and 40 years supply of clothing in ad- equivalent 500-pound bales. imprinted on the deed the seal of a vance which would amount to \$60.00,

up at the next term of court here in men living on these graded roads, The number of running bales of the state meet. August .- Plainview News.

## MY REASONS FOR FAVOR-

Every man has, or should have, a quires. reason for his position on any public question or public enterprise.

raise valuations to take care of the bond issue Second: The above being true, I favor the issue because it places no extra burden and gives us \$35,000 worth of road 40 years in advance, and takes up the present bridge indebtedness that is bearing 6 per cent interest and carries it at 5 per cent, This Country Produced More Than County Declamation and Athletics making a saving of one per cent, and

saves money on every purchase of lumber and also labor, of more than ten per cent.

Third: We are told by an expert, furnished by the government, that we can build 155 miles of road at an approximated cost of \$200 per mile 500 pound bales of lint and 639-, tions of land in the county, and get the Census Bureau announced today whose object is the encouragement it now and have the use of it for for- in its preliminary report of cotton of these mental and physical exerty years before we pay for the same. ginned as reported by ginners and de- cises, which tend toward the devel-To illustrate: If you had to pay a linters to February 28.

The Department of Agriculture's test, our boys were awarded the

With this report the Bureau of The winners in the declamatiton and Shelby county notary public. Dillard and pay the same amount annually, it Census departed from its previous debating contests, have by their vicis said to have received \$3,000 in would do you more good would it method of reporting the cotton crop tories won the right to represent cash and several thousand dollars in not? I think so and believe you do. by not including the quantity of lint- Scurry County in a district contest vendor's lien notes. It is alleged that The same will apply to the road ers in the total production, Didector to be held at Sweetwater on the 10th the deal was made through a man question, you pay for \$1.50 worth J. Harris announced this was done and 11th of April, which district emnamed Haney, who lives at Canyon, of road each year on the \$1,000.00 because with the installation of mod- braces all of this senatorial district. and who is also indicted in the case valuation and before the next year's ern machinery closer delinting of The winners in this district contest

and was arrested two weeks ago, and taxes are paid it is like the clothes, seed had largely increased the quan- represent the district in a state conis now out on bond. It is said that worn out and gone, consequently tity of linters at the same time low- test on Clark field at the University Truitt is 85 years of age and blind. Dillard made bond in the sum of \$1,000 at Wichita Falls and was re-of these roads after we get them, is a pertipent one, and will say that the ton. ered the average quality of the fibre, of Texas on the 1st and 2nd of May.

who are elegible to road duty, can lint cotton, counting round as half In the declamation contest only with a systematic use of the drags, bales , was 13,964,981, and of linter Fluvanna and Snyder High Schools keep these roads in perfect condition cotton 629,019 running bales, com- were represented. In the Junior con-ING THE BOND ISSUE or practically so, by putting in their pared with 12,488,539 running bales test, Fluvanna was represented by full time each year, as the law re- of lint and 602, 324 running bales Carroll Jones and Willie Hardin and patch confirms reports that have of Abilene, W. S. Payne and Fritz R.

of linters last year, and 15,553,073 Snyder by Forest Sears and Grayum One might say, well they cannot running bales of lint and 556,276 Baker. By the decision of the five days: raise the tax, but they will raise val- running bales of linters in 1911. judges the first and second places We must all admit that the good ues; of comrse the Commissioners Sea Island bales included, 77,409, were awarded to Grayum Baker and The White House gave out the an roads movement has been growing Court can thise values, but they can- compared with 73,777 last year and Willie Hardin, respectively. In the nouncement today that Hon Cone and well it should, for good roads not use the bood issue as an excuse 119,923 in 1911. are to the country what good streets for doing so, for should the values of The average gross weight of bale boys who are in or above the tenth inated for the position of solicitor of creating a great deal of interest. are to the town or city, there is not Scurry county never be more than for the crop, counting round as half grade, Snyder was represented by the state department. When the nomanything that enhances the value so \$6,400,000.00, the bonds are provid- bales and excluding linters, was Grady Whitmore and Carroli Hen- ination will be made was not stated LEON MARTINEZ WILL much in the city as good streets and ed for, because they are figured on 505.8 pounds, compared with 508.0 derson and Fluvanna by Clinton defnitely, but the expectation is that sidewalks, to say pothing of the com- that basis, to pay out in 40 years. last year and 504.5 in 1911. The number of ginneries operated roll Henderson and Clinton Ware next day or so. vocations, and the same will apply to for favoring the bond issue and I for the crop of 1913 was 24,730 com- were entitled to honors in the order It was announced that Robert Lan- Peccos one day last week from Waco, have others, but think this sufficient; pared with 25,279 for 1912 crop. Therefore, believing that a bond is- would not have written this, but did Texas led all other states as usual: Texas: Total production, 3,943,-The track meet Saturday, March partment. perhaps a large rone and one which for what it is worth and after due 133 bales, compared with 4,889,210 21, was held under many obstacles. would necessitate a special tax to pro- consideration of this question, vote as in 1912 and 5,426,427 in 1911. De- The weather was very unfit for such ARRESTED ON MURDER CHARGE. an auto which was there in waiting vide for, thereby placing an extra you believe to be the best for Scurry partment of Agriculture estimated a contest and was a great hindrance burden on the people, and one which County, for that is your duty and I 3,390,000 bales for 1913. to the boys.

GOUU 1. Hull (S) 5 points Time 6 min 32 seconds/ 2. Lynn (S) 3 points. 3. Deck (S) 1 point. -220 Yard Dash. 1. Strayhorn (S) 5 points Time 26 seconds. 2. Vineyard (E) 3 points. **Contests Held in Snyder Last** 3. Henderson (S) 1 point. Saturday. -Hammer Throw. 1. Gibson (S) 5 points Distance In Snyder on last Saturday there 100 feet, 7inches. 2. Coker (H) 3 points, Distance 96 were held contests in declamation eet, 6 inches. and in athletics, these contests being (3) Strayhorn (S) Distance 14 ft

- 9.—Pole Vault. 1. Boren (S) 4 pts Ht. 8 ft. 10 1/2 in 2. Parsons (S) 4 pts Hgt. Same. 3. Rea (H) 1 point.
  - 10-440 yard Run.
    - 1. Hull (S) 5 pts . Time 55 sec. 2. Vineyard (E) 3 points.

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3. Gibson (S) 1 point.

.-One Mile Run.

- opment of a citizenship better pre-These figures compare with 13,- pared in mind and body to meet the 3. Henderson (S) 1 point. 29 feet, 8 inches.
  - 11-12 Pound Shot Put. There was to have been a contest 1. Strayhorn (S) 5 points. Distance 30 feet, 9 in.
  - 2. Vineyard (E) 3 points. Distance only school represented in this con-30 feet, 1 inch.

#### 12-One Half Mile Run.

- 1. Hull (S) 5 points. Time 2 minutes, 39 seconds. Coker (H) 3 points.
- 3. Deck (S) 1 point.
- 3.—Discus Hurl.
- 1. Popnoe (S) 5 points Distanc
- 74 feet, 6 in. 2. Boren (S) 3 points, 73 ft. 6 in
- 3. Gibson (S) 1 point, 72 ft.
- 4-One Mile Relay Race.
- 1. Ennis Team 10 points. Time minutes, 37 seconds (1. Hutcheson, 2. Hutcheson, 3. Haney, 4. Vineyard.)
- 2. Snyder Team 5 points (1. Boren, from Sterling county, besides some 2. Strayhorn, 3. Ramsour, 4. Hull.) from Nolan and other counties, the

### CONE JOHNSON GETS

GOOD GOVERNMENT PLACE ]

The following Associated Press disbeen current in Texas for several

Washington, D. C., March 20 .-

The Case of the State of Texas vs. Minnie Latham Called at 10

charged with the killing of John Y. Steward in Snyder on Jan. 20, was called for trial in the District Court

The defendant was not in the court District Attorney Stinson called atention to the fact that the defendant

Judge Wright of San Angelo arose and stated that the defendant was ill and not able to appear in court, and requested Mrs. Latham's physician to make a statement tothe court about her condition. Her physician stated that he was called in to see Mrs. Latham yesterday and found her suffering with tonsilitis with temperature of 102 Wednesday morning and 103 Wednesday afternoon and 102

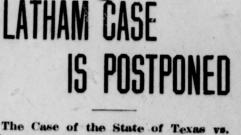
statement, postponed the case until Saturday morning at 9 o'clock and instructed the special venire and witnesses in the case to be present at that time.

There was a large crowd present at the convening of court. A special venire of 72 men had been summoned. and a large number of witnesses were here, about thirty five witnesses largest number of witnesses, however c oming from Scurry.

The defense is represented by Judge Wright of San Angelo, Snodgrass of Coleman, J. F. Cunningham Smith of Snyder.

Jas. P. Stinson, district attorney, is being assisted by the firm of Higgins & Hamilton of Snyder.

O'clock Thursday Morning The case of Mrs. Minnie Latham Thursday morning at 10 c'clock. was not in the court room. and two-fifths Thursday morning. Judge Thomas, after hearing this



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fort they afford people in their daily The above are some of my reasons good roads in the country.

sue would come sooner or later and so on request, and submit it to you they are not ableto bear at this time, feel that every man will do that with hence my first reason for the issue is: all good feeling toward those who

First-It will not place an extra may differ with him. burden on us for the reason that our present rate of tax will provide for the \$50,000 issue, by setting aside 6 GONE TO WORK ON cents of the present road and bridge tax to provide a sinking fund and interest fund to care for them.

last years assessed valuation as a towns of Loraine, Mitchell county basis, the same being \$6,400,000.00 in round numbers, and the time of and Roscoe, Nolan county, are to be expiration of that time.

50,000.00 is \$1,250.00 and that the the West Texas Electric Co., a interest at 5 per cent would be \$2,- branch of the Texas Power and Light 500.00 a year, therefore that amount Company, which awarded the conalso must be provided for, now we tract, and will motor to Roscoe, have a total of \$3,750.00 that must where active work is first to be bebe collected to care for the sinking gun, Mr. Westbrook stated Saturday fund and interest and you will see at that he would return probably Wedonce that 6 cents on the hundred dol- nesday or Thursday, and after a few iars on the 6,400,000.00 would make days' stay here to complete arrangethe amount \$3,840.00 or \$90.00 more ments for the work, would leave for than the required amount to take Roscoe to take active charge of op- April 10th. care of the bond issue of \$50,000.00 erations. A number of men are to be and would leave us 9 cents for a re- placed on the work, which will repair and maintainance fund on our quire several weeks to complete. roads, and to improve lateral roads. In Roscoe 114 residences and 14 and at the same time cannot place an business houses are to be wired while additional ta xon the people, and as in Loraine there are ol dwellings these bonds will be issued under the and 11 business establishments. old law, they must be provided for These towns are to receive their powout of the present road and bridge er through a line, capable of translevy, which by law cannot be over mitting a current of 66,000 volts, some two years ago. The case was 4 .-- 100 Yard Dash. 15 cents on the hundred dollars.

of 1913, at \$6,400,00.00 provides for San Angelo Standard. the bonds in both interest and sink-

at once there can be no excuse to day morning.

BELIEVES BENTON STABBED

GEO. W. BROWN

for Sweetwater. There they will be will rest there for the present.

We now find that one-fortieth of joined by E. O. Wedge, manager of

dollars, with the assessed valuation for all purposes is to be furnished .-

ing fund, it takes no Solomon to see 1 Dr. Howell returned home Thurs-

BIG WIRING CONTRACT of William Benton, the British sub- points.

In order to superintend the begin- ject, who was killed at Juarez was court martialed, as alleged by Gen. points. Villa and Mexican Constitutionalists. The Snyder boys of course won the

Percival believes that Benton was contest with a total of 91 points, they the bonds 40 years; the aw requires completely wired for electrical pur- stabbed in Villa's private office in being better trained and having the alias of "Hearn," stoutly manifested Monday morning, where he called a that one-fortieth of the total amount poses, Lawrence Westbrook, the sen- Juarez. The report is that the fu- equipment which the other boys lackof the bonds must be collected every ior member of the Westbrook- ture permanent government of Mex- ed. year to provide for the necessary Broome Electric Co. and R. F. Bul- ico will be held responsible for the amount to take up the bonds at the lock, also of that firm, leave today death of Benton and that the matter feree and starter and Augustine How-

#### NO SERVICES.

Except the Sunday School and En- with the winners, etc. (The initial in in the opinion that they have the F. M. GERMAN VERY LOW deavor Society at the Presbyterian paranthesis stands for the school.) right man. church Sunday. The pastor will be 1-50 Yard Dash. away at Blackwell.

Bro. Howard's last sermon here before going to Presbytery, will be preached 8 p. m., first Sunday in 2 .- 120 yard Low Hurdle. April. Presbytery meets at Anson

#### Case Affirmed.

Perkins & Perkins were informed 3 .- Running Broad Jump. last week that the case of the Fire Association of Philaedlphia vs. Joe Strayhorn had been affirmed. The case was one in which Mr. Strayhorn sued the company for insurance on a building burned here which is being built between Sweet- tried in the district court twice here, Now if the 6 cents on the hundred water and Celorado City. Electricity resulting first in a hung jury and next time in a verdict for the plaintif". The company appealed the case and the verdict of the higher court 5 .- High Jump. last week gives Mr. Strayhorn a judgment of \$4971.75.

senior contest, to which are eligible Johnson, of Tyler, Texas, will be nom number of people to Snyder and is

Ware. The judges decided that Car- it will be forthcoming within the

named. The efforts of all the boys sing of New York would be nominawere highly praised by the audience. ted for counsellor for the state de-

seriously handicapped. They made a ty McNerlin on the charge of mur- sion. It was stated that the prisoner C. A. S. Percival, British Vice Con- good showing nevertheless and Cok- der alleged to have been committed looked a little drawn, but as a matter sul at Galveston, has reported, that er is to be specially complimented in Commanche county fourteen years of fact the writer failed to see that from the best information he could for his work, having scored fourteen ago. He had been employed at the the prisoner showed any signs of regather, after investigating the death out of Hermleigh's total of sixteen Sims ranch during the past three gret on account of that brutal dispo-

The Ennis school boys also made a tablished through a former acquaint- that he felt honored from the expres-Make your calculations, using our ning of operations, whereby the stabbed and not shot, after being good record, scoring a total of 25 ance who recently made a trip to this sion of his countenance, because of section.

When accosted by the officers see him .- Pecos Times. Hudson, who was going under the his innocence, but offered no resist- special session of district court to ance in arrest. He had just resigned pass the sentence upon Martinez. The E. J. Anderson acted as official re- his position on the ranch and would execution will take place in Pecos on have left Monday for other parts. Stamford Monday by Sheriff Mc- emotion when the sentence was pass-Combs to the Comanche county au- ed.-Midland Reporter.

The murder of which Hudson is charged is said to have been one of the most brutal in the history of the state, it being alleged that Hudson waylaid another citizen whom he assassinated from ambush and then beat the head of his victim into a pulp with a fence rail. Hudson eleuded the officers and

made good his escape and for several years following the tragedy a reward of \$1,600 (we are informed) was offered for his arrest. This reward had been withdrawn, however, and a smaller one of \$250 offered, which was in effect at the time of his arrest.-Clairemont Reporter.

MAKING ICE.

J. R. Evans, manager of the Sny- ter der Light, Ice Power Plant is making and ice and will soon be ready to enable and the population to keep cool.

The case has brought quite a large

## HANG ON APRIL 21st.

Sheriff Tom Harrison arrived in bringing with him Leon Martinez, who murdered Miss Emma Brown near Saragosa, August, 1911. The prisoner was rushed off and placed in and was driven to the jail where he A man by the name of Hudson, is now awaiting the day of execution, The Hermleigh boys had only three alias Hearn, was arrested Sunday at which will be announced as soon as of their team on the ground, being Polar by Sheriff McCombs and Depu- the court can convene an extra sesmonths. His whereabouts were es- sition that he possesses. It seemed the great throng that was there to

Judge S. J. Isaacks went to Pecos April 21st. Judge Isaacks states that The prisoner was delivered at the Mexican showed practically no

WITH PNEUMONIA

F. M. German, has been very sick for several days from an attack of pneumonia. Wednesday morning, Mr. German had a change for the better and it seemed that his condition continued to improve until Thursday morning about 3 o'clock. Thursday at noon his physician could hardly say that the patient was improving, however, they entertain hopes of Mr. German's sitimate recovery.

men is about 78 years of Mr. O course that may work to some extent, at least. his speedy recovery.

age.

with Mr. German in Snythe following children: n of Snyder, Billie Gerof town, Mrs. J. R. Car-Angelo, Frank German o Arledge of Bonham and hn Arlege of Bonham aud son of Waco.

1.Strayhorn (S) 5 points 2. Boren (S) 3 points. 3. Coker (H) 1 point. 1. Hutcheson (E) 5 points. Time 15 seconds. 2. Popnoe (S) 3 points. 3. Boren (S) 1 point.

1. Coker (H) 5 points. Distance 18 ft. 4 in. 2. Boren (S) 3 points, Distance 17 ft. 10 in.

3. Vineyard (E) 1 point. Distance 17 ft. 2 in.

1. Strayhorn (S) 5 points. Time 11 seconds.

2. Boren (S) Coker (H) Tie. 2 points each.

1. Parsons (S) 5 points Ht. 5 ft 2in 2. Popnoe (S) 3 points.

ell as announcer and score-keeper.

The judges were Atnip, Brice and MeMullan. The following is a record of events thorities, who we learn are positive



If you want to fatten your stock feed Golden Rod. Why? Because it is green and 100 per cent pure. Just quantity that Will Huckabee said a few days ago we needed.

This black waxy country has been

try a sack and be convinced.

F. A. Grayum, formerly manager of the Grayum Drug Co., left Tuesday morning on the north-bound Santo Fe for Kansas City, where he will spend several days on business, returning to Snyder about April 1st.

Have received a car of Domino Nut Coal, just the thing for cook stoves.

JIM DAWSON

Dr. I. E. Smith, the eye, ear, nose and throat specialist was here Monday and Tuesday from Big Springs.

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Rex Berry, born, Mar. 14, 1914. J. P. Abbott, born Jan. 26, 1914.

Elsie Alleto Meyers, born Feb. 12. J. P. Baugh, born Jan. 6, 1914. Sallie Vivian Cooper, born Feb. 26. Maxine Shuler, born, Feb. 27. Lit Chapman baby, Born Mar. 17, 1914.

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guaranteed without condition by BE HAPPY AND WELL Grayum Drug Co., who will cheerfully refund purchase price (50c) instantly without question in event of

any dissatisfaction with the remedy or its results.

#### Another Rabbit Drive.

Our friend, O. L. Morrow, was in headache and stomach ills are now the Signal office Mongay and inbrighter, healthier, happier, through formed us that the people of the taking Dodson's Liver Tone, the med- Lloyd Mountain neighborhood made icine which was made to use in- a drive on the jack rabbits in that Austin.

There were 24 guns and 150 jacks to smile again. were slain. A fine dinner was served. Mr. Morrow says that his commuter taking Dodson's. There are no de- nity waged war on the rabbits last pressing after affects, such as with year and again this year, but they that occasionally some foreigner calomel and other strong and violent are not getting more than one-half fails to conduct himself in a proper purgatives. You do not change your as many this year as last, which inhabits or diet when taking Dodson's dicates that the people have gotten Liver Tone. There is no pain nor rid of many of these pestiferous politics of his native country, we

its. Liver Tone promptly clears the It seems that the rabbit hunt with ordinary. dulled brainand clogged system. Na- shot guns is the best way to get rid

pation and biliousness. Dodson's also A reliable, pleasant-tasting vege- sack.

HEARD OF WAR AT AUSTIN Writer from Mexican Border Says People There See Little of Trou-

ble and Confusion. adv.

> El Paso, Texas, March 13 .- With reference to the Mexican situation, we who reside on the border, are reading with much interest of the war raging in our state capital at

Many of us travel up and down the border from Brownsville to California, and even when necessary, go over in Mexico. With the exception manner in Mexico, or some American-Mexican meddles too much in the

never hear of any trouble out of the

We are hoping that peaceful conditions will soon be restored at Austin, 37-tf and that a real live issue may be

Your flour troubles are settled found upon which aspiring politicians when you get Seymour's Best. Try a may make the race for the United on the O. S. Ranch, in Garza county,

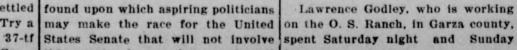
Farmers Union Merc. Co. this country in a useless, costly and here.

bloody war with Mexico, and perhaps other countries. JOSEPH S. MYERS. In Dallas News.

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W. H. Yeargin, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Yeargin of Snyder, has recently been appointed general freight and passenger agent of the Texas Central at Waco. This appointment is temporary, pending the consolidation of the M. K. & T. of Texas and the Texas Central railroads. We congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Yeargin on the advancement of their son in the railroad world.

If you want the choicest meal and grain fed meats, patronize the new market on the northeast corner. WATKINS & GLEN



riving light rains all through the winter, yet I have heard some of the people say they wanted more now. If Scurry county could get as much rain as ordinarily falls here we would make a bale of cotton to the acre and even Bro. Cruickshanks would be glad to vote for road bonds.

I found Mrs. Hardy just partially recovered from a severe attack of grip. She will be ready in a few days to go back to the West.

This town has done considerable improving in the past four years but business is quiet now and the people complain of hard times. The folks here are intensely human, and of course' they see the spectre of business collapse staring them in the face.

The coming of an interurban railroad gives the town a busy appearance, but merchants are not overenthusiastic over it, and this line has already caused the laying off of two passenger train crews on the H. & T. C. railroad.

J. S. HARDY.

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### **OBJECT LESSON IN LABRADOR**

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In administering justice in Labrador, Doctor Grenfell in the Wide World says it proved far more economical to condemn slanderers and libelers to provide free meals for their victims and join them at table than, by fining them, to deprive their innocent children of sorely needed butter. A prayer to "keep the door of our lips," publicly posted over the lintel of the offender's house for 12 months, has been a better prophylactic than incarceration in a prison house. The effort to keep our little house of correction perfectly clean, well supplied with wood and water and to lock himself up punctually and early after a good day's work for some public benefit has been as salutary and educational to the vagabond and thief as the degradation of idleness or obviously useless labor. I have seen the judge, the jailer and the prisoner chattering away as they worked on the same occupation. Yet the prisoners have never come back for a second sentence.

Another privilege of the doctor is to look after orphan and deserted children, and, indeed, to perform all the functions of service of which he is capable. He attends births, celebrates marriages as magistrate, conducts funerals and holds religious services in the absence of specialists in any of these departments. Jack of many trades, being also navigator of the vessel, he is very apt to be master of none. Had not the generous and loyal volunteer services of many men and women from all the three Anglo-Saxon countries, Great Britain, Canada and the United States, come to our assistance our record could only be one of diffuse inefficiency.

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Recent Discovery in Italian Province Will Arouse Keen Interest Among Archeologists.

A burial place of the Stone Age has just been found by Prof. Dall Osso of Ancona, in the Valle Vibrata (province of Abruzzi), Italy.

The bodies are not buried, but are all laid in small cabins containing from two to eight each, and are ranged on either side of these little huts on low platforms sloping toward the center.

With a single exception the bodies all rest on one side, with the knees drawn up, and it is assumed that the dead were placed in this position to give them the attitude of prayer in their death chamber, for it has been established that the custom of praying on one's knees was already in existence in the Stone Age in Egypt. In one of the cabins, almost in the center of the group, there are no bodies, but a big circular hearth.

Snyder, Texas, March 24, 1914.

To the Ladies of Scurry County:

Spring is coming. It is time to buy your spring sewing and finish before the warmer Weather reaches us, so that you can be in position to avail yourself of the outdoors or go vis\_ iting.

Don't wait until Spring comes and then have to stay in\_ doors and do your sewing but come now and get ready.

I am going to sell you on Saturday and Monday, March 28th and 30th, Standard grades of Calicos, regular 5 and 6 cent values for 4 cents. Regular 10 and 121-2 cent Westmoreland Percals and other well known brands for only 8 1\_3 cents per yd.

I will sell to you Plantation and Gold Medal brands of bleached domestic, full 36 inches wide free from imperfections, for which you have always paid 10 to 12 1\_2 cents, here they are for only 8 1-3 cents per yard.

Come Saturday and Monday as quantity is limited and it will go in a hurry.

Consider yourself cordially invited.

Very truly,

A. D. DODSON,

The store with real bargains.



The Snyder Signal		mediate steps to seat our church. It will cost approximately \$1500 to seat	WEST TEXAS NORMAL BURNS AT CANYON	PROGRAM PRESBYTERIAN SUN- DAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE	WENINGER & SON PURCHASE
HARDY, PICKLE & HARDY.	cities, Abilene merchants held a	the main auditorium and 1-3 of that			FELLMY GROCERY STOCK
HARDI, FICKLE & HARDI.	Spring Style Show, Wednesday. Abi-	would have to be cash, the remain-	One of the Largest Normal Schools	Of the West Section of the Abilene	The stock of groceries which be-
Entered in the postoffice at Sny-		der payable in one and two years. A \$500 donation at this point would	in the State is Totally Lost	Presbytery. Snyder, Texas,,	longed to C. R. Fellmy and which
er, Texas, as second class mail mat-		put us into the church by May 20 and	by Fire	Aneil 4th and 5th	has been on Scarborough street, ha
r.		would do more real good than at any		a tool of foregoing beginning of the	been sold to Weninger & Son. The
		other stage of the building of the	The West Texas Normal at Can-	Saturday forenoon, beginning at 10	moving of the stock to the store o
NOTICE TO PUBLIC.	appearance.	church from this on. We have those		o'clock. Devotional Services.	Wenninger & Son, to their place o
Any erroneous reflection upon the			lo was totally destroyed by fire Wed-	Cradle Roll Department, Mrs. S.	business on the north side of the
haracter, standing, or reputation of	According to the Almongon and	can be raised by additional subscrip-		T. Elza.	square began Thursday.
ny person, firm or corporation,		tions and notes from \$100 down,			The Signal is not informed as to
hich may appear in the columns of	Saturday, but the weather, did not	payable in three installments, the	a message from Jesse Smythe inform-	Hairston.	Mr. Fellmy's future plans.
he Signal will be gladly corrected	look like the time of the verual	first due June 1, 1914 the remain-	ing him of the loss, saying it was a	Pioneer Sunday School Work, Rev.	FOR EXCHANGE
called to the attention of the edi-	equinox by any means. It was very	der in one and two years. Shall we	total loss and would reach the ap-	Jas. H. Tate.	FOR EACHANGE
pr.		take immediate steps to occupy? Will			An 82 acre farm, six miles Sout
	snow fell in the forenoon. The ma-	you help?	The report was given out by R. B.	Saturday afternoon, beginning at 2	of Comanche, Texas. Well improve
Obituaries and notices of chari-	jority of our winter this time has	Links and Latin	Cousins, President of the Normal	u civen.	good farm, orchard, etc on R. F. D
able or church entertainments,	come very late. Perhaps the poetic-		that the building was insured for	Devotional Services.	and 3-4 mile of school and church
there admission is charged, will be		The beautiful light fixtures for the building are here and ready to be in-		Organized Class Work, Rev. W. W.	Will exchange for Snyder or Rosco
harged for at the rate of 21/2c per			Pending the rebuilding of the Nor- mal, the school will be conducted in		property. Price \$40 per acre.
ine.		finished. The big electrolier which			ARTHUR J. PARKER,
	"lingering."	will swing below the art dome is a	the court nouse at canyon.	Howard.	Roscoe, Texa
Snyder,, Texas, March 27, 1914.		beauty, finished in old gold and hand-		Teachers' Training Classes, Sid	
	The Austin Statesman in a sensible	somely carved. Mr. Evans has had his	The trouble in Ireland is getting		BARACA CLASS MEETING
	preachment for good county roads	electricians busy for many days past	more complicated and serious. The Ulsterites are determined not to ac-		TUESDAY NIGH
	very forcibly says:	placing the wires , drops and switches	cede to Home Rule because they are	Round Table Conference.	
ANNOUNCEMENTS +		and they are making a fine job of it.	largely Protestant and the majority	Business Session.	The Baraca Class met Tuesda
	lars of revenue every year from the		of Ireland is Catholic. Leading offi-		night at the home of the teacher
*** ****	trade that comes to it over roads		cers of the British army and navy	Saturday evening, beginning at 8	Mrs. Fred A. Grayum, with a good
	leading to the rich farms of this and		are resigning rather than compel		representation of the class, togethe
Subject to the action of the Demo-	surrounding counties. It is necessary		the Ulsterites to accept Home Rule.	Devotional Services.	with their wives. After a song an
ratic Party in July.	that all of these roads be kept in		It is a Protestant-Catholic contest	The Boy Problem, E. A. Bills.	prayer by Mr. Baker, the president H. L. Davis, called the class togethe
	first-class condition twelve months in the year and every road leading out		and is being watched with world-wide	Graded Organization and Instruc-	and the business of the class was dis
For Representative (105th. Repre-	of this city must eventually be ex-		interest.	tion, Dr. A. F. Lewis.	patched.
sentative District)	tended to the county line as a model				A class meeting with Mrs. Grayun
T. F. BAKER of Scurry Co.	of construction.	than now to come forward with	If you want the choicest meal and	SUNDAY:	means an evening of pleasure as wel
A. J. HAGINS of Kent Co.		checks sufficient to put us into the	grain fed meats, patronize the new	10 a. m. Sunday School.	as attending to business and at th
or District Attorney (39th Dis-				11 a. m., Address by A. F. Lewis.	proper time refreshments of Crean
trict)-	er hauling costs for the farmer as	church have responded nobly, and	37-tf WATKINS & GLEN	Popular meeting in afternoon to	Sherbet and cakes were served. The
	well as higher values for their land.	are yet in the fight for occupancy.		be arranged by local authorities.	class is to have another meeting in
W. J. ARINGTON, Stonewall	This county is already fairly well de-	A CONTRACTOR AND A CONTRACT	and the second		April, time and place to be announce
County.	veloped as a farming section. Its	Wall Paper at Warren Brothers	John C Aglachy	The above subjects will be open for	laterReporter.
or District Clerk-	business is staple and it market for	Yd, ita	John S. Uglesby	discussion. Anyone present will be	
WALTER S. ADAMSON		PROCEEDINGS OF THE	J	expected to speak on any phase of the	The Signal and Dal.as News \$1.75
	ford to lag behind in the matter of	DISTRICT COURT	Dublic	Sunday School work that he wishes	
for County Judge-	modern business facilitieis for a farm, first among which are good roads."	Very few cases were disposed of in	Public	to. Everybody invited to be present	
C. R. BUCHANAN				and lend a helping hand.	
or Sheriff-	and good roads is applicable exactly	Monday the case of the State vs. C.	Accountant Audit-	E. A. BILLS, President.	Santa E
W. A. MERRILL		A. Daniels was called and tried. Dan-		(The above program may not be	Santare
Clarks		iel had been indicted for forgery, the	or and Systemizer	understood by the public in view of	
or County Clerk: W. T. SKINNER		allegation being that he had raised		the recent convention at our church,	SANTA FE EXCURSIONS.
W. I. SKINNER	Progressive counties everywhere are	a five dollar check to forty-five after	817 Wilson Building	unless it is said that we Presbyter-	and the second
or Tax Assessor-	providing for better roads and Scur-	the five dollar check was paid. Dan-	Dallas, Texas	ians will have a special Sunday school man, Dr. Lewis, along at this	Fort Worth-Account Student
JOE MERRITT .		iels defense was that the check was		time, and are making good use of	Volunteer Movement, Sell April 2n
or Tax Collector:		on a gambling debt, and when this		him; also that our Sunday School	and 3rd. 1914. Final limit April
W. M. CURRY		evidence was adduced, District attor-		Missionary, Rev. J. B. Kerr, is stir-	Galveston, Texas-Account Sco
		ney Stinson asked the jury to return		ring up this Sunday School business	tish Rite Reunion-Sell April 3 an
or County Treasurer-		a verdict of not guilty.	AND RENTALS	among us especially. Everybody in-	4th. 1914. Final limit for retur
C. R. LOCKHART	icy. We need better roads and we will	The case of the State vs. Albert	WIICON S. WEDD	vited. U. C. Howard.)	April 15, 1914. Fare for round tri
or County Attorney—	never get them until we make the		WILSON C WLDD		\$19.55.
R. W. WEBB	right start. The Signal hopes every man in the country will see his way		JESSWILSON R. W. WEBB	SERIOUS AUTOMOBILE	Houston, Texas-Account Souther
W. W. WEEMS		for continuance and a continuance	special attention given to the	WRECK NEAR ROSCOE	Supply and Machinery Dealers' Asso
on Instice of the Back I man to		was granted and a change of venue	renting of property of non-res-	(1) 집 것 한 전 구 <del>구 가 가</del> (1) 것 가 가 있 것 같 것	diation. Sell April 6 and 7, 1914. Fin
or Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1—		granted at the same time. This case	Idents. Let us look after your	Ed Clayton of Roscoe came . in	al limit for return, April 14th, 1914
	road hand question as he thinks hest		business. We can get results.	Thursday on the R. S. & P. and in-	Fare for round trin. \$17.60

Ft. Worth, Texas-Account Wom-

No man should be small enough to

road bond question as he thinks best. will come up in Jones county.

Read the ads this week-it pays.

County Attys, of, in court house.

Thursday on the R. S. & P. and in- Fare for round trip, \$17.60. formed us that Dr. L. O. Dudgeon

For County Commissioner (Precinct vote pro or con on the proposition ex-No. 1)-B. F. DAVIS tled on their merits. For Commissioner and Justice of the

Peace, Precinct No. 3\_ JAKE AUTRY

For Public Weigher, Precinct No 1-ZACK EVANS SAM HULL

CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS (Election in April) For City Marshal-

O. P. WOLFE W. W. ROGERS

B. F. DAVIS

tried out

A certain amount of competition is Death of Mrs. Caton: goo'd, but too much is some times only half that number.

The progressive people of Ennis their bereavement. are getting ready to pull off an election for \$125,000 in bonds with Services Sunday: which to build a new school house, improve their water system, extend Sunday morning and evening. The their sewerage and improve their sermon Sunday morning will be on streets. The promoters believe Christian Education. At the evening the proposition will carry but there hour the theme will be "Christ Walkis some formidable opposition. The ing on the Sea." Quarterly Conference same people who have always op- has been postponed until April 15, at posed progress are still on the firing which time the presiding elder will line in opposition to the bonds. These be present and preach. same men have always opposed pro- Church Must Be Seated gress. The town has gone forward in at Once: spite of them but they have hinder- If we entertain the District Coned development many times.

cept for sound and logical reasons. Questions like these should be set-MTHODIST CHURCH NOTES

(By Rev. J. W. Hunt) Bro. Howard Again Called:

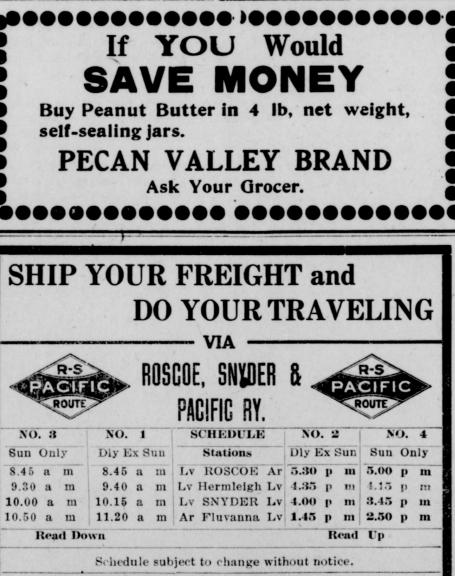
For the fifth consecutive time the Presbyterian church here has called all and his spirit of friendship to other churches make him a delight-

Congress voted recently to appropri- ful co-pastor. We have enjoyed his at \$35,000,000.00 to build a railroad love acquaintance and co-operation in Alaska. Is is possible that govern- for three years and have learned to ment ownership of railroads is on the love and ho nor him. For the third way? The question can better be an- time, in May, we shall co-operate swered after this large experiment is with him in a protracted meeting and he is a true yokefellow.

The death of Mrs. Caton, mother of hurtful, even destructive. There is our Joe Caton, while not unexpected, logic in trying to make two blades of was a sad loss to a happy family. For grass grow where one grew before, years, she has not been strong and but it is worse than folly to try to was the central object of the loving make half a dozen or more businesses | care and solicitude of her husband go where there is probably room for and children. A good woman has gone home to heaven. We all deeply sympathize with Joe and the others in

The pastor will occupy the pulpit

ference May 29-31, we must take im-



### **EXCURSIONS:**

ONE AND ONE-THIRD FARE for round trip to Abilene, College Station, Dallas, Fort Worth, Galveston, Houston, Pilot Point, San-Antonio, Temple, and Tyler during April. For selling dates, limit of tickets, etc., phone or write agent.

TOURIST TICKETS; at reduced rates, on sale daily to Brownsville, College Port, Corpus Christi, Hubbard, Marlin, Mineral Wells, Palacios, Port O'Connor and Rockport.

**PHONE 188.** 

G. S. HARDIN, Agent.

Easter, April 12th-Easter Novelties, Baskets, Candies. Big stock, big variety. Come early. -THE ARCADE

and Mrs. Sparks of Sweetwater were en's Missionary Council, M. E. seriously hurt early Thursday morn- Church, South. Sell April 7, 8, 9, 11, ing, just outo f Roscoe when an au- and 12, 1914. Fare for round trip tomobile, driven by Dr. Dudgeon \$9.60. Final limit for return, April turned turtle.

Dr. Dudgeon was going out with reared up and turned over.

It is feared that the victims are very seriously hurt, Dr. Dudgeon being hurt internally and Mrs. Sparks having a hip and lower limb crushed.

#### EDUCATIONAL RALLY

There will be a general Public School rally at the Baptist Tabernacle on Friday night, April 3rd. The program will consist of songs, readings by pupils, in the public schools, addresses from citizens of Snyder, including the President of the Board of Trustees and an address by the Superintendent. In these addresses the policy of the schools for the future will be discussed as well as the progress of the schools in the recent past. Some of the urgent needs of the schools will be stressed and the problems to be solved will be stated. The Industrial features will come in for full discussion. A more explicit program will be published in next week's papers. The patrons of the schools and all other citizens and friends of education are requested to be present. Respectfully,

E. A. WATSON, Superintendent.

GRAND JURY STILL GRINDING AWAY

The grand jury was grinding away Thursday morning. Up to the time of adjournment Wednesday night, fifteen bills of indictment had been turned in, four of which were felones and eleven misdemeanors.

The Signal is glad to report that Mrs. May, whose eye sight was restored by an operation some weeks ago to be doing nicely. Mrs. May was very old and the operation was to remove a growth that obscured the vision. Mrs. May had not seen for several years, previous to the opera-

17, 1914.

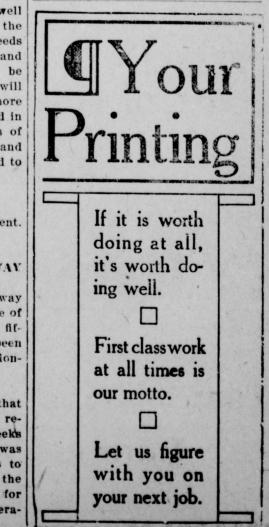
Temple, Texas-Account Annual Mrs. Sparks, who is a nurse, to as- Meeting, Grand Commandery Knights sist in an operation on a patient for Templar. Sell April 13 and 14, 1914. appendicitis and was going at a live- Final limit for return April 21, 1914. ly rate when it seemed that the auto to points in California, Colorado, Ida-\$11.15. Via Fort Worth, \$13.15.

One way Second Class Excursion Fares, to California, Colorado, Idaho, Mexico, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, Wyoming and points in Canada. On sale March 15th to April 15th, 1914 \$30.00.

All Year Tourist Tickets on sale daily, to Texas resorts. Also to points in other states.

For further particulars, call or write Santa Fe Ticket Agent. Phone Ticket Office No. 253, Freight office No. 128..

> J. M. RODGERS, Agent, P. & N. T. Ry. Co.



Bro. U. C. Howard as pastor. We trust he will accept. No truer man ever effectively served a people. His broad sympathy and charity toward

Dear Friends: A great many have asked us to continue to sell at the extraordinary values which we gave during our recent sale. The answer is: "Credit prohibits." However, since so many have seen the great saving to be had by paying cash, we have decided to re-open our sale for thirty days.

CASH VS. CREDIT

Kindly figure and compare the prices we offer with credit prices. Suppose you wanted to buy the following bill of staple goods:

# **Cash vs. Credit**

100	100 pounds best flour, Oriole and Bewley's Best, NO BETTER MAD	E
	Absolutely guaranteed, Costs for Cash	
es	100 lbs. Cane Sugar, Costs for Cash \$4.85	
Ŭ	80 cent can Baking Powder costs for cash	Costs on Credit
.=	1 Gross Matches, Costs for Cash	Costs on Credit
pri	100 pounds Irish Potatoes, Costs for Cash	Costs on Credit 3.00
-	6 pounds good Coffee, Costs for Cash 1.00	Costs on Credit 1.50
+	5 pounds Peaberry Coffee, Costs for Cash 1.00	Costs on Credit 1.50
est	1 large bucket, "Krisco", Costs for Cash	Costs on Credit 1.35
e	1, 10lb bucket Green Velva or King Komus syrup costs for cash .59	Costs on Credit
low		Costs on Credit 1.50
0		Costs on Credit
-	1 box Starch, Costs for Cash	Costs on Credit
P		
Ē	1pound of Candy, Costs for Cash	
and		
	\$16.18	\$22.30

Costs for cash \$16.18, costs on credit \$22.30, plus interest, if fall time, \$2.23, making \$24.53. Saving \$8.35, or over 50 per cent for cash. And these prices are as good as can be had on credit. The reason the mail order houses prosper is they sell for cash. Kindly study the above argument. If not correct we invite criticism. We are willing to credit our loyal and worthy customers, perfectly so, but we rather sell for cash and save you the difference. Credit, the monster it is. is the important factor in the high cost of living. It keeps noses eternally to the grind stone; it causes worry, both to the seller and the buyer; breaks and destroys friendship; hinders progress; and is the problem but few merchants have been able to solve and overcome.

We believe with our low expense, warehouse economy, and close buying for spot cash, that we can, by selling for cash, under sell anyone anywhere, and save our customers so much they wont want credit. Our prices are being made with this view and the store that even meets them will have to go some.

Remember Dry Goods, Millinery, Dress Goods, Clothing, Notions, Groceries, Feed and Flour All go at savings for you. Best line of tailor made clothing, Extra pair pants Free with each suit.

### Chickens and Eggs. We pay most and sell for less.

Our candy special is a hummer, 1 pound 5c. Fine Chocolate canay, with nut top and cream centers, 1 pound 15c. If you want to save money get our prices. If we haven't it we will get it for you and save you money. Yours for more cash and lower prices.

W. B. DANE

"The Price is the Thing"

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Fluvanna.

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Fluvanna, Texas

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i ranchman of Nebraska has been steers here for the past four or five		Laburah Gaugest plane and supplied	Wednesday after supplies for their	CAMP SPRINGS
nding the past week here buying years and knows where to get the	The protracted meeting that has	church. Several plows are running this week preparing the ground for		Camp Springs is on the boom since
a string of steers. It is understood good cattle. His dealings here are al	- been in progress at the First Baptist	planting.	in the near future.	the rain. We had a good rain last Wednesday night and snow in the lat-
t he purchased 1100 head here. ways satisfactory.	Church, closed Sunday night. Much good was done in the way of			ter part of the night. The people will
		sick the first of last week and his		soon begin planting their feed.
		attending physician, Dr. Browning, advised him to go to the Post sani-		A few of our people are attending
POST SANITARIUM		tarium at Post. His wife left with		court at Snyder this week and a good many others are in town
FUSI SANITARIUM	greatly benefited.	him Friday and at this writing, no word has been received as to how his	from Fort Worth where he attended the I. O. O. F. Grand lodge.	
POST, TEXAS	Rev. O. J. Hull of Snyder, spent	condition is.		J. A. Guinn and Uncle Judge Yeats were in town Tuesday with a load of
	Friday in our town.	Rev and Mrs S N Young left	Mr. Hughes of Abilene spant a couple of days in our town last week	cotton. Better late than not at all.
A MODERN SANITARIUM EQUIPPED ES-	Miss Viola Clawson left Tuesday	Saturday for Tye for a week's visit	looking after his land. We under-	Rev. Elsie Erwin has just closed
PECIALLY FOR PATIENTS REQUIRING	for Kansas City, Mo., for a few weeks	I with home falles	stand he leased his four section pas- ture to Mr. A. D. Dodson, of Snyder.	a meeting at Camp Springs.
SURGICAL ATTENTION.	visit with her sister, Mrs. Vantrim.	Mrs. Ted Wallace returned Sunday		Thelbert Finch and E. S. Dorsett
Stone building, two story and basement, twenty five rooms,	J. A. J. Jones and W. J. Beaver are	from Fort Worth, where she has been	I have to Gooden Mandan	attended singing at Plainview Sun-
equipped with all conveniences, bath, etc. Hot and cold	doing jury work this week.	visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Connell, the past week. Mr. Wal-		day afternoon and on their way back happened to an accident. The
water, hot water heat and electric light. The latest model X-Ray and electric appliances for diagnosis and treatment.	E. K. Smith of Snyder, was among	lace went down as far as Sweetwater	Mrs. D. A. Jones visited friends in	reaches on the buggy broke and they
A complete pathological laboratory.	the visitors to our town one day last	to meet her.	Snyder a couple of days last week.	went to the ground but neither of them were hurt.
	week.	Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hardin, T. B.	Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Sewalt and Waymon Green, left Friday for their	
Every convenience for the modern care of patients	The Methodist people of our town	Liels maited Covden Cunder	new home in New Mexico.	Cread Davidson and Robert Wil- liams made a flying trip to the
Trained nurses constantly in attendance.	have rented sixey-five acres of land to work in cotton this year for the		Doubt is feared that the fruit crop	Plainview community Sunday.
	purpose of applying the proceeds to		was all killed by the freeze of last	Miss Hattie Trice returned this
	-		week.	week from Slaton where she has been
			I AM HERE TO STAY.	visiting her uncle. QUACK
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			On account of some business mat-	NORMOR
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## **CATARRH OF** THE PHARYNX.

Clearing out your throat every day, all day. That is what you have been doing for months. Possibly years. A little mucus covers the pharynx.

If you were to go to a doctor he would tell you that you have pharyngitis. If you were to look into your own throat you would find just back of the soft palate a red, lumpy, granular appearance of the back part of the throat. Pharyngitis the doctors call it.

Perhaps he would call it, folicular pharyngitis. It causes you constant. annoyance. You are always making slight disturbances when seated in an audience. Can't hold your throat still. Stringy mucus bothers you. the surface, the expansion being caus-Worse in the morning.

A-hem! A-hem! A-hem! That is the way you are going nearly all day. from combustion in the interior of Sometimes in the night when you wake up. You ought to gargle your throat with salt water every morning. Cold salt water. That clears volcano the cooler the soil is and out the throat perfectly and makes it the longer the moisture is retained. ready for treatment.

Peruna is the treatment. Begin with a teaspoonful before each meal You will be convinced. Of course, Peruna will not entirely relieve you in a week. That is too much to ex- time. pect of any remedy. But it will benefit you so much you will be convinced. Yes, it will. It has done this many times.

Almost as bad as the disease. But if tember. Should the equinox br you take Peruna for one month reghad such a disease. Then you will cool summer and fall. If the "eruphave a perfect right to forget the big tion" does not take place we will

People who object to liquid medicines can now obtain Peruna Tablets.

went out to Ira country Saturday to from lack of sufficient rainfail. spend Sunday with his parents, Judge T. C. Stinson and wife.

Music Store

Southwest Corner Square.

You will find Sheet Music, Instruc tion Books, Musical Iustruments, Specialty.

J. D. BOYD

YOUR LAND TITLES. THE SCURRY COUNTY AB-STRACT COMPANY.

Will be glad to abstract your and titles and assist in perfecting same. The time to do this is

THE SEASONS.

Dear Signal:

As we have had many predictions as to crop prospects for 1914, a few observations from a logical point of view woul dnot be amiss.

What we generally term seasons is the effect of many causes. Moisture is not all we need to make a crop in West Texas. From all appearances we have an excess of heat in the earth that causes the moisture to dry out faster during the dry season, as we call it. The facts are that during the expansion of the earth's surface we suffer for want of moisture more

than we do during the contraction of ed from internal heat and pressure, the earth. Observation has shown that the greater the eruption from We some times see good rains fall that are not retained in the soil over

and at bedtime. Try it for a week. three days because the earth is so hot that it is evaporated in a very short

Ice in March and April show a lack of heat and is a good indication that crops will not suffer for mois-Folicular pharyngitis. Big words, ture earlier than August and Sepmore "eruption" we will have a very have hot winds in the summer, caused by the escaping heat, through the vestern part of Texas.

We conclude that short crops re-District Attorney Jas. P. Stinson sult from escaping heat, as well as -J. B. JORDAN.

Dunn, Texas

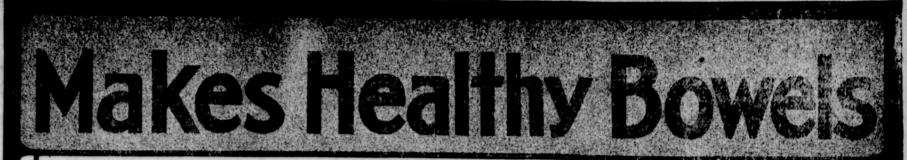
Barred Rock eggs, pure strain, 50c per setting of 15. C. C. BRACKEEN

Five and one-half miles northwest of 39-4t Snyder

J. A. Guinn and Henry Yeats, of the Camp Springs country were here Fine strings and supplies of all kinds Tuesday. Mr. Yeats was marketing Plano Tuning and Organ Repairing a four bales of cotton which he gathered early in the season last fall. Mr. Guinn reports a fine rain out in his neighborhood, and says the farmers will soon be planting feed crops.

> What is Golden Rodi it is 30 pounds ground corn, 20 pounds rich bran. 20 pounds molasses, properly mixed. 1-3 cheaper. Why? Because it is nutritious. For sale by your gro-38tf

Please Remember. We again call your attention to the



"HIS simple rule of health is daily called attention to by every doctor in the land, whose first question to the patient almost invariably is, "Are your bowels regular?" Yet there's not one person in fifty who takes proper care of the bowels. And the result of this foolish neglect is nine-tenths of all ill-health. If today you are unable to free your body of waste matter at the usual time, or if the act causes straining,

pains and discomfort, don't let that condition occur again tomorrow. Unless your bowels can carry away the waste materials left after food is digested, decay sets in, the poisons of which, taken up by the blood, increase the risk of Typhoid Fever, Appendicitis, and many other serious diseases.

In treating constipation, there is a right way and a wrong way. The wrong way is to take harsh purgatives which even though they do clear the bowels, cause griping and nausea, injure the delicate tissues, and so disturb the normal functions as to cause the return of constipation. The right way is to help Nature to produce natural movement, without pain or discomfort, by using

## More Than

# One Hundred Million Were Sold Last Year

This enormous quantity was used with good results by busy men who suffered from constipation, due to lack of exercise, or indigestion caused by overwork-by children whose parents realize the harmful effect of common purgatives-by old people whose systems cannot stand anything harsh-by women during pregnancy, and after childbirth, when any medicine with a violent action would be particularly dangerous. Many of these people are your neighbors and friends. Ask anyone who has ever used them-they'll tell you Rexall Orderlies satisfied and helped them.

-a gentle laxative in the form of a chocolate-tasting tablet. One of these tablets eaten just before going to bed will help to restore your bowels to normal activity at a time when, your body being at rest, the medicine can do its best work. As a result of taking that tablet (or say two, if your case is obstinate), your bowels will move easily and naturally in the morning. The use of Rexall Orderlies for a few days afterward will restore nor-

mal regularity. Even chronic constipation is benefited by them, and it is not necessary to continue the treatment for a long time, be-cause, instead of driving Nature, they simply help

her to help herself. Sold only at the more than 7,000 Rexail Stores and in this town only by us. In vest pecket tin boxes, 10c, 25c,

# This Is Our Guarantee-You

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**Risk No Money** If Rexall Orderlies do not make

your bowels act right, tell us so and we'll give back your money without asking a single question. There is no red tape to this guarantee. It means just what it says. You sign nothing. We won't hesitate, or ask you any questions. Your word is enough. If Rexall Orderlies do not do all you expect them to -if you don't feel better after using them and find that they are the pleasantest-acting and best laxative you have ever used, we want you to tell us and get your money back.

Grayum Drug Company Snyder, Texas

Rexall Means "KING OF ALL" - Ours is The Rexall Store in this town



### PUBLIC DINNER A NUISANCE?

#### New York Newspaper Says It Is, Both on Account of Poor Food and Poor Speakers.

# e Are Anxious That You **Inspect Our Lines**

Look through, compare and be convinced that you are getting the Best. It costs nothing to look, and it is a pleasure to have the privilege of showing you. "Make our store your store."

# Ladies' Furnishings

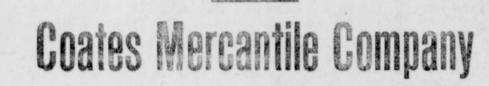
Our Millinery and Dress Goods Departments are receiving re-inforcements daily and we are now showing the strongest line of Ladies Furnishings ever displayed in Snyder.

CARGENTED BUTT STATE

# **Just Received**

An express shipment of the newest shapes and styles in Ladies Hats.

# Call and See Them.



It has long been the agreeable habit of friendly organizations, from the Sons of St. Patrick to the New England society, the Ohio, the Southern and others, to give occasional dinners at which they may refresh their spirits with the familiar dialect which is grateful in the ears long unused to it, and by reminding each other of what good place the old home was, and s, remarks the New York Evening Sun. But the old custom has long since become a bore beyond description because of the inordinate attention required of the diners to a long array of speakers, none of whom has anything in particular to say, and at the same time because of the very indifferent quality of the dinner provided. It is no doubt true, that the great majority of persons who go to these dinners do not know or care what they eat, and therefore gobble the usually very indifferent food set before them and wait, helplessly, for "the speakers." Their own indifference is much to blame for the general stodginess. It is encouraging, of course, to observe that the disgust with such silliness as this has finally resulted in an explosion which would do away entirely with the public dinner. The private dinner, of course, chosen carefully and served to a small and congenial company, is one of the most honorable and sacred social rites in the civilized world; men and women will always stand up to defend and maintain it. But the great machine-made dinner is a foolish anomaly to begin with; nobody but the hotelkeepers, who charge enough to pay for a much more tempting dinner than they serve, feels any tenderness for it.

### WOULD MARK ALL CRIMINALS

Noman's Suggestion to Mayor of New York is to Have Them All Appropriately Tattooed.

Among the helpful letters daily received by Mayor Mitchel came one the other day signed "Mme. Mercury," the New York Sun states. She wrote that since all other forms of punishment had failed she would suggest that each give back your money without a criminal be tattooed with a suitable mark across his forehead or on the cheeks.

"A pickpocket," she said, "should have a long fingered red hand grasping a purse tattooed on the cheek. A Black Hander' should have a black help in the secretion of gastric juice, 'Black Hander' should have a black help in the secretion of gastric juice, heart pierced with a red dagger, a check heartburn and distress, progunman should be marked with a mote regular bowel action, and make red hand grasping with a hand graspilong green, thugs marked with a blue hand grasping a blackjack, burglars marked with a doorlock and pick.

'Please give this system

of Health Club Baking Powder will do all that you could expect any baking powder to do-no matter what its price. For Pies, Biscuits, Cakes, Waffles or Muffins-for any kind of home baking in fact - you'll find Health Club to be the strongest, purest and most economical Baking Powder obtainable at any price. Order a trial can today for tomorrow's baking-then judge. Sold in 10c, 15c & 25: Cans By all Good Grocers STOMACH HEALTH-OR NO COST TO YOU PROFESSIONAL Very likely others have advised you to use Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets, because scores of people in this community believe them to be the best **YONGE & YONGE** remedy ever made for Dyspepsa and LAW, LANDS AND LOANS Indigestioin. That is what we think, because we know what they have Snyder, Texas. done for others and what they are made of We have so much faith in them that we urge you to try them DRS. HARRIS & HARKRIDER at our risk. If they don't help you, Dentists they won't cost you a cent. If they Office up stairs in the Thomas builddon't do all that you want them to ing. do---if they don't restore your stom-Snyder, Texas ach to health and make your digestion easy-just tell us and we will \* word or question. Registered

Containing Pepsin and Bismuth, two of the greatest digestive aids known to medical science, they soothe the inflamed stomach lining, in, grafters it possible for you to eat whatever you like whenever you like, with the comforting assurance that there will be no bad after effects. We believe

them to be the best remedy made

Dunn, came over Monday in Bro.

Mesquite Posts for Sale.

Wind mill anchor posts, Stock pen

J. C. Hayter, Hobbs, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Fuller are

Wright's car.

issue



Anything you need in Lumber, Sash, Builders' Material, Posts, Wire, Etc.

If you are going to build; figure with us.



R RENT-A farm, 256 acres in cu tivation. Will rent for \$256.00 a in Scurry County. J. A. EUBANK & nuts, kaffir corn, maize, sorghum, year. See Perkins & Perkins, Sny- COMPANY. der, Texas. 35tf

Emmett Johnson and wife were at-Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Scoggin of Kent tending to business in our town last to say that you are a bad manager County, was shopping with our mer- week. We always welcome them. chants last week.

Oliver Rhoades left Tuesday for folden Rod is 100 per cent pure. Plainview ne third cheaper. Why? Because it

green in color, sweet in flavor. For le by all dealers. 38tf

> How much do you earn? How much do you save?

> > Put some of your earnings in the Bank. It will come in HANDY some day

Let our Bank Be your Bank.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF SNYDER, TEXAS

SEE THE POINT?

"What do you grow cotton for?" "Oh, I've got to grow it to pay my

"What is this debt for?"

"Why, its for bacon, dried fruits, hanging." tabacco and sometimes milk and butter.'

"Why don't you grow, these at home?'

Why, the grass would take my cotton, and Mr. Merchant or Mr. Banker has got a mortgage on it and I promised to cultivate it good." Now listen, my dear farmer, take our tablet and pencil and sit down wife and take an inventory of what your table is supplied with. Then select a plot of ground that you think is sufficient to grow this amount. If you grow a surplus so much the better. Then figure how much cotton it will take to clothe \$25,000 to lend on improved land your family. Plaint plenty of peaand raise hogs to eat them. Try this five years and if at the end of five years you are still in debt I will have

and need a guardian. I claim the only reason a farmer isn't successful is because he does farmer studied his busines like the merchant, the banker, the doctor, the The Signal and Dal.as News \$1.75. lawyer and the speculator, he would so independent in a few years

hat the merchants, bankers and such men would want to borrow money from him to do business on .--Ballew, of Wingate, Texas.

Let us fit you with spectacles.

Rev. J. B. Kerr left Monday afernon for Dallas to attend the state Sunday School Convention.

Read the ads this week-it pays.



Your Way for Blacksmithing and all kinds of repair work, located back of Grayum Drug Company. W. HEDGES

Snyder, Texas

she asked. "It is humane and will not require any extra expense. See how many gunmen, pickpockets, murderers and thieves the police can tattoo in the next 12 months, and you will realize the old axiom of 'catching before

"This system would lower the cost of living, reduce the cost of maintaining prisons and make all the poor and criminals self-supporting, taxpaying citizens.

"The revolution that I suggest in the system of handling crime and criminals will rotate the wheels of crime backward into oblivion in time.' The mayor received Mme. Mercury's suggestions to late to incorporate

posts, corrall and fence posts. 41-3 them in the Goethals police bills.

#### Big Price Paid for a Cup.

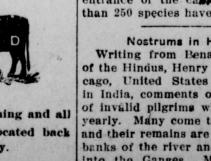
Fine English silver plate of the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries, the spending some time in Fort Worth property of H. C. S. Ward, Indian new, with Mr. Fuller's father, who army, to whom it descended from his we understand is improving in ancestors, was sold at Christie's says health. a London cable to the Philadelphia Public Ledger. It is known as the "Plomer-Ward heirlooms."

A James I. silver gilt cup and cover, 201/2 inches high, London hallmark 1611, maker's mark T. Y. L. monogram, weight 39 ounces 14 pennyweight, was bought by Crickton for \$22,500.

Vincent paid \$8,250 for a James I. silver gilt rosewater ewer and dish, the ewer 111/2 inches high, the dish 191/4 not study his business. Suppose the inches in diameter, on copper gilt stand, London hallmark 1618, maker's mark a trefoil, weight 119 ounces 11 pennyweight. The total for the sale was \$54,065.

Birds of Panama.

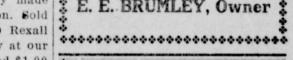
On one little island in Gatun lake, known as Lion Hill before the impounded water of the Chagres river isolated it from the rest of the canal zone, are more species of birds than in any one locality in the western WARREN BROTHERS hemisphere. E. A. Goldman of the biological survey, department of agriculture, in two short collecting trips to Panama has procured about 300 different species of birds, and it is estimated that a larger variety is to be found within the limits of the canal zone than in any one state in the United States-about 900. In the



neighborhood of Gatun, at the Atlantic entrance of the cappl, alone no less than 250 species have been found. Nostrums in Holy City.

Writing from Benares, sacred city of the Hindus, Henry D. Baker of Chicago, United States consular agent in India, comments on the thousands of invalid pilgrims who visit the city yearly. Many come to Benares to die and their remains are cremated on the banks of the river and the ashes cast into the Ganges. Mr. Baker found the sacred city rich in drug stores, all doirg a thriving trade in American patent medicines.

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Attended Bible School.

Rev. M. T. Tucker and wife, Rev. Rev. Cal. C. Wright, pastor of the O. J. Hull and Miss Foster attended Methodist Church at Dunn, and Bro. the Bible school at Simmons College Wright's father, W. R. Wright, of at Abilene, this week. Cross Plains, and C. B. Palmer of

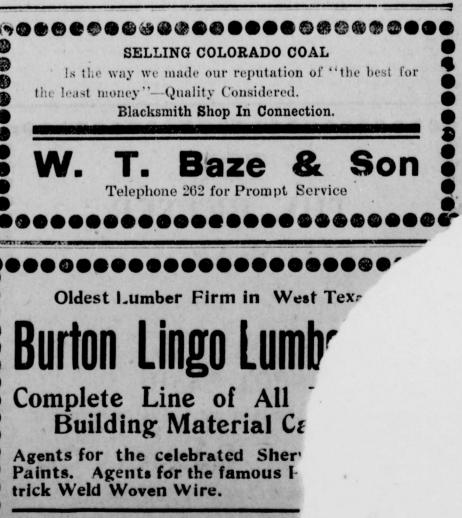
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> Rev. L. S. Knight returned Tuesday from South and East. Texas.

> See Hardy M. Boyd, for Abstracts, ver State Bank. 41-tf.

S H. Kelsey was here the first of the week from Sweetwater, visiting the home folks.

Mr. W. B. Brown, of near Polar, Judge Thomas, Mr. Hankerson, Kent County, was visiting fer daughter, Mrs. G. W. Smith, since our last Jas. P. Stinson, P. Brady, all spent Sunday at Ira.



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