# ITY COUNCIL MET MARCH 1; MUCH **WORK WAS DONE**

The City Council of the City of lyder, Texas, met in regular session the City Hall on the evening of arch 1st, 1920, with Mayor W. W. chols presiding, other officials presit were, Marshal O. P. Wolfe, Sectary Harvey Shuler, Water Supt. M. Bolin and Aldermen H. J. rice, J. J. Taylor, T. J. Blackburn . Stacy, I. W. Boren .

The minutes of previous meetings ere read and approved.

Report of City Tax Collector Wolfe or January and February were filed ad same were duly approved by the nance committee.

Permits were granted Higginbothm Bros. and Blackard Hwde. Co. erect a warehouse each at the ear of their buildings, said buildings come under the Building Code of

Whereas, it is made to appear to ie City Council of the City of Snyer in the State of Texas, county of surry that J. B. Boles as Sheriff of aid county acting under order of (Continued on Page 5)

# N. M. CURRY BUYS INTEREST IN SIGNAL

Changes at the Signal Office.

Mr. J. P. Chambless of Waxahachie came in Tuesday and has been busy all the week closing up a deal in which he has sold his interest in the Snyder Signal Corporation to Mr. W. M. Curry. The deal was closed Thersday and Mr. Curry has already assumed connection with the Signal in all its departments. Mr. Chambless has newspaper interests in Waxahachie that require all his attention.

Mr. Curry has served as Tax Collector and is now County Clerk and has had several years of newspaper

He is well known to the people of Scurry county. He comes in as business manager while J. S. Hardy continues as editor. Mr. W. R. Bell who has been with the Signal for many years will remain in touch with business and mechanical end of the works at the same time looking after his market and other private in-

Methodist Church.

W. M. S. Monday 2:30 p. m

Choir rehearsal Monday 7 p. m. It is our desire that every Christian be interested in the work of the church and be personally engaged in here Tuesday that the well drillers me work of the church.

orehip together.

#### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

have all our regular services. Teachers' meeting at 9:00.

Sunday school at 9:45.

this hour the second message from for machinery that unique subject, "Why Call Me Lord?" will be delivered. All who THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY heard the other will not want to miss this one.

We will announce at the morning hour whether we can have the evening services or not. However we man's Missionary Auxiliary of the will say in advance that the weather M. E. church met Monday afternoon is good and that the flu epidemic is with splendid attendance. better. Be sure to be at the morning service, and help us make it a devotional and Mission study. great service.

W. H. SIMS, Pastor.

Jeff Hallman sends the Signal to his Bible study at the next meeting. daughter at Sunset.

Mrs. W. B McCormick is now book keeper for the Sayder Utilities Company

# POULTRY AND PET STOCK SHOW HERE MARCH 27

Committees Have Been Appointed and Are Now Getting Busy At Their Respective Duties --- Big Event is Anticipated.

While the poultry meeting was not largely attended, it was evident that all present were enthusiastic for the enterprise.

The poultry industry is an opportunity for great profit. There is a greater per cent of profit in poultry than in almost any other line, and it is a business that may be fostered by all members of the family. For several years the poultry interests have suffered for the reason that the drouth forced people to sell off their stock and there has been a noticeable scarcity of chickens and eggs, but now the supply is getting back to nor mal conditions and the barn yard is coming into prominence and the frugal family is again realizing an investment of the feed, the time and the labor in rebuilding their flocks and marketing the products.

The committees named last Saturday are at work and the Poultry and Pet Stock Show is going to be ar event that will interest every man, woman and child who has any inclination to fancy or enjoy financial profits.

The association invites members bership in all parts of the county and urges the people to stir up community interest, and insist upon the people to bring their fowls, pigs, calves and colts to enter in the exhibit. The membership fee is one dollar, but there will be no charge this time for entries.

It has been suggested that exhibitors provide suitable coops for their poultry, but no ironclad regulations are to be put into effect now. The association wants the people of the hibit their stuff and help put the ascounty to attend the show and exsociation on a permanent basis.

Read the premium lists and see if you have anything to be shown.

It is hoped that poultry and pet stock clubs will be maintained thruout the county and in a short time the improvement will be a source of gratification to verybody.

That Calf and Pig Exhibit There will be judges selected to judge the pigs and prizes will be given on pigs under six months old

There will be prizes on the following Pigs. Poland China, Berkshire, Duroc Jersey and Chester White and if you have any other breed bring them along and they will receive the same consideration.

Where the prizes are awarded to the different breeds, then those that get the prize will be judged separately and the best one will be considered the grand champion of all the breeds

The following cattle (under one year old) will be on exhibit: Short Horn, Hereford, Red Pole, Jersey and Holstein and if you have any other breed bring them and they will be considered same as the above, and judged in like manner as the pigs.

Committee.

As previously announced a few Scurry county citizens met at the court house on February 28th 1920 and proceeded to organize a poultry and Pet Stock Association with the following officers and committee elected.

D. E. Banks, President.

O. L. Morrow, vice president. J. A. Merrit, Secretary and Treas.

A resolution was adopted saying: This association shall be known as

the Scurry county Poultry and Pet Stock Association. The following names were enrolled as members: D. E. Banks, J. S

Hardy, E. C. Dodson, J. J. Koonsman, O. L. Morrow, S. S. Daugherty, W. W. Merritt, J. A. Merritt, Mrs. S. S. Daugherty. Motion and second prevailed to

hold the first exhibit on Saturday March 27th, 1920 at Snyder, Texas. Mr. D. E. Banks was unanimously elected Supt. of the show.

Committee on Poultry and Stock: J. J. Koonsman, on Stock; O. L. Morrow on Poultry.

Committee on premiums: S. S. Daugherty, J. D. Autry, E. C. Dod-

Committee on Eligible list: J. J. Koonsman on stock; D. E. Banks

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or poultry. They were instructed to prepare list and announce at once. Committee on Publicity: J. S. Hardy, J. D. Autry, E. C. Dodson

J. A. Merritt. Committee to select Judges for the show: J. J. Koonsman, E. C. Dodson, J. A. Merritt.

All entries must be in by ten o'clock on morning of show March 27th 1920.

The meeting adjourned to meet again on Saturday March the 13th, in the county court room, Snyder,

J. A. Merritt, Sec .- Treas-

Prizes will be given as follows on Poultry:

Barred Plymouth Rocks, Best,

Trio, cock or hen. White Plymouth Rock Best Trio,

Cock or Hen. Buff Plymouth Rocks, best trio, cock orhen.

Partridge Plymouth Rocks, best trio, cock or hen.

Wyandotts. Buff Wyandotts, best Trio, cock or hen.

White Wyandotts, best trio, cock or hen.

Golden Wyandotts. Best trio cock or hen. Silver Laced Wyandotts: Best Trio

cock or hen.

Partridge Wyandotts, Best Trio, cock or hen.

Rhode Island Reds, best Trio, Cock or hen.

Black Langshangs, best Trio, cock

or hen. Black Minorcas, best Trio, cock or

Anconas, best trio, cock or hen. Brown Leghorns, best trio, cock or

White Leghorns, best trio, cock or

Buff Leghorns, Best trio cock or

Silver Spangled Hamburgs, best trio, cock or hen.

Pit Games, best Trio, cock or hen. Cornish Indian Games, best trio cock or hen.

Bantams, best trio, cock or hen.

# TREATY TO BE DECIDED AT THE **BALLOT BOXES**

Washington, March 2 .-- The peace treaty will be thrust into the political campaign under he plans of senate leaders who agreed to drop the compromise negotiations which they believe have reached a hopeless stage.

The treaty will be taken out of the senate and saved for a fight at the pells by a call for final ratification vote and its resultant failure of pass age if plans of the leaders material-

Washington, March 2 .- The Repub lican peace treaty reservation declaring the right of the United States to decide all domestic questions under the League of Nations was adopted by the Senate today 56 to 25 after re peated efforts of the Democrats had failed.

Fourteen Democrats voted with the solid Republican membership for the reservation. On its original pass age in November the vote was 59 to 36 eleven Democrata voting in the affirmative.

# MONTHLY SCHOOL REPORT IS GOOD

At the end of the 6th month 180 pupils have been enrolled in High School and 593 in lower departments making a total of 779 pupils in all. With a scholastic census of 498 it can be seen why the board is unable to furnish a full quota of teachers. Our teachers are somewhat handicapped to manage classes under such conditions, but they are striving loyally to accomplish the task, and so far as I know the patrons are working in co-operation with us in thus lessening the weight of the burden. Our school will run the full 9 months and we are expecting to raise the affiliation this year also. Our numbers of tardies thismonth dropped to 14, 2 in High school, 7 in central grades, 3 in Colonial Hill, and 2 in North Ward.

On account of so much sickness the honor roll was cut short again

Honor Roll (Central) Miss Palmer's Room .- Fay Morgan, Jesse Mae, Murphree, Claud

Murphree. Miss Card's Room-Fannie Glen, Charlie Ben Shell. Thora Cotten, Maxine Whitmore, Alithe Epps,, Ray

Miss Watts' Room-Earl Jack Isaacs, Geneva Curry, Violet Bradbury, Ethel May Sturdivant.

Miss Isaacs' Room-Paschal Watts. Honor Roll (Colonial Hill)

Miss Hull's Room- Hubert Curry Tommie Jenkins, Wancele Paxton. Miss Clark's Room-Thelma Leslie Audra Jenkins.

Mrs. Howell's Room- Ruth Rosser, Pauline Jenkins, Ernestine North Ward Honor Roll

Mrs. Hargroves' Room-Mac Vera Belle Burrough, Marie McNeil, Certain service assures popular Agnes Hanson, Anna Mae Fondy,

Miss Hailey's Room is not my

Respectfully, S. L. Rive

Blackard Hardware Co. b sion to their northside W. Hancock and B.

Mrs. Fritz Smith and

### Preaching at 11 a. m4 and 6:45 THE OIL SITUATION AROUND SNYDER IS LOOKING BETTER

A well backed up report came in at Justiceburg had passed through Sunday Morning Theme: "The fifteen feet of oil sand during Mon-We are hopefl that the wueather resumed The Mt. Pleasant people at 10 per cent of the voters, will be better and the epidemic bet- Fluvanna are laying a two mile pipe well has had some trouble with cav- diately take the matter up and order ing to be without hem. ing at about 150 feet. The Trevey the election. Preaching services at 11:00. At has the derricks ready and waiting

AUXILARY MEETING

An enthusiastic meeting of the wo-

Mrs. Lee T. Stinson conducted the

Subject, "America's Genius for Assimilation."

Mrs. W. A. Doak will conduct the Subject "John's Gospel the great est book in the world."

moved his date up a notch.

# COMMISSION FORM OF GOVERNMENT EXPECTED TO BE VOTED ON SHORTLY

Master's Sincerity." Come let us day night and that they had a fine an election to be he'd in the City of and means can be brought about to inspiration and things will soon be showing for oil. The Riley well which Snyder on the proposition of adopt- put Snyder to the front. John H. Hicks, Pastor. has been fishing at 2200 feet for a ing the commission form of City gov- Snyder needs improved streets and lost drill have recovered the drill and ernment. It had been figured that the sidewalks, extension of water and in order so the people may discuss it is understood drilling has been petition must have 60 signers, to be sewer system, a high school building new enterprises. ter by next Sunday, so that we may line to get water for drilling pur- get 80 signers to the petition and it of course cost money, but after they poses. It is reported that the Long is understood the council will imme- come there will not be a person will-

stantial, progressive city.

American Legion.

and application for charter.

Mrs. J. T. Roper paid the Signal pleasant visit Thursday and has the mentary reference to the Signal.

A petition was circulated here this, Snyder needs lots of things and

a public square that the people will It required but a short time to be proud of. All these things will,

A town must ge forward orback The Signal believes this step if ward and our self esteem prompts abadopted will be the starting of a new i horrence of going back wards. It will era of progress in Snyder and will re- soon be put up to us to say wheth- sure of the juice. sult in getting new enterprises and er Snyder is to hit the mainhighway in the building of a beautiful sub- of progress or stay as she has been for more than 20 years.

Death of Mrs. Popnoe

Earl Leslie authorized this an- The many friends of Mrs. Fannie Popnoe were shocked and grieved to March 14th, at District Court learn of her death which occurred room, 3:30 u. m. American Legion at her home in East Snyder Wed-Post will be ogranized. Temporary nesday night. It is learned that death organization and outlines for work come to her suddenly. She has resided in Snyder for many years and had many personal friends among our people. It is understood the paper sent to her sor, H. Royer. We funeral will be held at 11 o'clock

#### SNYDER PLUNGING TO THE FRONT; SHOWS HIGH SPIRIT

Snyder is now showing a spirit of business activity that has lain dormant for three years. The Chamweek to ask the city Council to order under this form of government, ways ber of Commerce movement is an

A business men's banquet is now

Among other things it would be Rosser, Mary Frances Hamlett appropriate to jubilate over the fact that the Snyder Utilities Company have turned darkness into light and Jones Raymond Chappell Harim now when you go into a room you Boswick, Leroy Fesmire, Virgle can turn the switch with confidence Pitts, Forrest Wade, Burnlee Parker, that the light is there and when you Dan Fondy, Howard Robison, Eldred want your machinery to go you feel Swint, Barnie Temple, Lucile Brown,

approval of any sort of public insti- Fay Williams, Lena Gords, May tutions. Publication of a news paper Williams. and delivery in mail may come in the same class. A commercial house presented, she is ill and therefor is also in line. The people expect a unable to report. erchant to tell what he has to sell and to render reliable service, When people see that a store is never mentioned they naturally forget about it. The same thing may be said of ed leveling up for a 10 f church services.

The reason that some republicans spade and wheel barr hate Wilson and some democrats crit the dirt fly. icise him is because the brightness of C. L. Rea was here Thursday and thank Mrs. Roper for her compil- today from the home conducted by his character blinds their sordid eyes. They cant look at him and feel good. here from Austin for

# ANNOUNCEMENT

On account of not being able to procure dependable and capable drug men we have deemed it wise to close our branch store on the East Side of the Square

The stock will be removed to the West side store where we will soon have the largest and most complete drug stock in the West, and where we will endeavor to render service worthy of the patronage which we are happy to claim.

We fully appreciate the fact that your patronage will be obtained and held by our ability to serve you, and by the class of merchandise we have to offer you, therefore a trial on your part will furnish you information as to our progress in our undertaking.

### Grayum Drug Company The Rexall Store

#### SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF SCURRY.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain execution and order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Bexar Co., 9th day of December, 1919, by Geo. A. a man the other day who lives down Hughes, Jr., Clerk of said District in the sticks and says he does not Court for the sum of seven hundred subscribe for or read a single news, sixty-eight and 33-100 (768.33) dollars and costs of suit, under a elect Joe Bailey for governor." Judgment in favor of Mary Barnes vs. Y. D. Taylor, placed in my hands for service, I, J. H. Byrd, as sheriff of Scurry county, Texas, did on the sixth day of January, 1920, levy on Theodore Sanard of Fenmore. certain real estate, situated in Scurry Count, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Being the undivided three-fourths interest in the Northwest quarter of section 95, Block No. 97, H. & T. C. Ry. survey, situated in Scurry County. State of Texas, and levied upon as the property of Y. D. Taylor and that on the first Tuesday in March 1920, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the Court House door of Scurry county, in the town of Snyder, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. by virtue of said levy and said execution and order of sale, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder as the property of said Y. D. Taylor.

ed in Scurry county.

January, 1920-

J. H. BYRD. Sheriff of Scurry County, Texas, and t ought to be modified.

I have lots of Spanish peanuts for sale at Wilhelm's store. J. Monroe's and Harpole & Taylor. If you want any, call at one of these places-at ten cents a poun.d-I. H. Walton. b5

The Mullin Enterprise says it met paper and he said "We are going to

#### Has Had Stomach Trouble for Sev-

Mich, has had stomach trouble for seven years and could not eat vegetables or fruit without pain in the stomach and restless nights. By taking Chamberlain's Tablets he is now able to eat vegetables or fruit without causing pain or sleeplessness. If troubled) with indigestion or constipation give these tablets a trial. They are certain to prove beneficial.

The Fort Worth Star-Telegram very pointedly asks and answers the question: If you were a Texas farm- have moved this week to Ranger to to the owners, with a kind of superer and gone through two years of reside. crop failures, but stuck because you believed the country would "come back" and if the third year you And in compliance with law, I give made a good crop, about good enough this notice by publication, in the to wipe out your two; years' losses, English language, once a week for would you like to if the government four consecutive weeks immediately stepped in and made you pay income preceeding said day of sale, in the tax on what it took you three years Snyder Signal a newspaper publish- to make, but insisted that only one year's expenses could be deducted in Witness my hand this 7th day of figuring your net income? You bet you wouldn't like it. But that's the law, according to Federal authorities,

# OPERA HOUSE We are showing up-to-theminute, high class pictures.

Pay us a visit. We appreciate your patronage. J. B. Curry, Prop.

#### HIGHWAY WORK STARTING

As heretofore noted, the Commissioners' Court made a contract last week with W. T. Thompson to do the excavation work and grubbing for the construction of Highway No. 7, from Snyder southeast to the county line at 25 cents per cubic yard for excavating and \$25 an acre for

Mr. Thompson is getting his forces lined up and in a little while will have the work underway, then the graders and top dressers will get to business and our long-talked of highway will begin to take form.

#### A Timely Suggestion.

The next time you have a cough or col! try Chamberla'n's Cough Remely It is pleasant to take and you are sure to be pleased with the relief which it affords. This remedy has a wide reputation for its cures of coughs and colds.

Coy Watkins was in town Monday and purchased a span of mares and is going bravely into farming operations this year at Dermott.

R. M. Stokes started the work Monday of putting his East side store building in readiness for his undertaking business. It is his purpose to have his parlors there properly fitted up to be second to none in West Texas.

#### Why Colds are Dangerous.

You often are told to "beware of a cold," but why? We will te'l you: Every cold weakens the lungs, owers the vitality and paves the way for the more serious diseases People who contract pneumonia first take cold. The longer a cold hangs on, the greater the danger, especialy form the germ diseases, as a cold prepares the system for thereception and development of the scarlet fever and whooping cough. The quicker you get rid of your cold, the less the danger of contracting one of these diseases. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a great reputation as a cure for colds and can be depended upon. It is pleasant to take

Under their new charter the Higginbotham-Harris Lumber Company becomes the Higginbotham-Bartlett

E. H. Higginbotham and family

#### The Best Laxative

"My sedentary habits have necessitated the use of an occasional laxative I have tried many but found nied. nothing better than Chamberlain's Tablets," writes George F. Daniels, Hardwick, Vt. Mr. Daniels is proprietor of the Hardwick Inn, one of the model hotels of New England.

J. J. Hadnett is loading out his household effects and farming equip-

sharply drawn in Texas. He probably means that it is a warm question whether or not the people of Texas are democrats or republicans, whether the democratic party and administration shall or shall not be endorsed and whether the men elected to office shall or shall not support the constitution, one clause of which provides for prohibition of the liquor

The proposed prosecution of the former German Kaiser and his aids has just about frazzled out and all the venom and wrath heretofore exhibited against that coterie of brutal murderers' must go for nothing.

steel corporation is not a trust, Lum- does not know they are all right. ber men meat packers. Clothing mak ers and probably every other organized industry say they are not trusts, then maybe there is on such animal as a trust.

#### LIFT CORNS OR CALLUSES OFF

Doesn't hurt! Lift any corn or callus off with fingers



Don' suffer! A tiny bottle of Free zone costs but a few cents ot any drug store. Apply a few drps on the corns, calluses and "hard skin" on bettom of feet, then lift them off.

he toes or calluses from the bottom of feet, the skin beneath is left pink and healty and never sore, tender or

The railroads have been returned vising control by the federal government, and the Brotherhood of Maintainance of Way and shop men are planning to present demands to the railroad heads and to strike if de-

R. L. Terry has bought two lots from the Smith heirs at the big bridge and is establishing the Snyder Produce Company there in a new building being erected now.

J. B. Holcomb and family are getting ready to move to Cisco.

#### R. L. Henry says the issues are MARKETING OF EGGS AND POULTRY FINE ART

The marketing of eggs and poultry is the fine art of poultry raising because that is what brings the money in.

Cockrels should be marketed as soon as they weigh one pound or more. Get rid of the ones you do not care to keep because they are simply a drain on your flock.

White-shelled and brown-shelled eggs should not be marketed together. Put them in separate pack-

Off-sized eggs-small ones, espe cially a dirty one should not be sold. They are all right. You know that So use them in the Sunday pound cake. The Supreme Court holds that the The city man who buys the eggs

Eggs being taken to market should be protected from the sun's rays. And always remember that infertile eggs will withstand marketing conditions much better than fertile

Miss Myrtle Hancock, who is teaching at Ira, spent Saturday and Sunday at home in Snyder, and in company with her mother, visited the Signal office.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Morrow have purchased the red cement residence near the R S & Pr depot and have moved to town to reside.

#### HAD CHRONIC BRONCHIT FOR TWENTY-SIX YEAR

The experience of Mr. E. J. Too palik, 1438 Rose street, LaCross Wisconsin, is chiefly remarkabl on account of the length of tim he was afflicted.

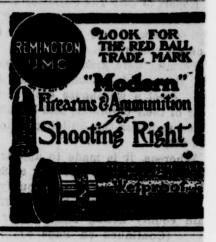
He writes: "I have been su fering with chronic bronchitis fo I would catch cold and become a hoarse I could not speak for six a eight weeks. I could get only ten porary relief.

"This winter I was taken with conditions and was in a world shape."

Grip and was in awful shape. fellow workman advised me to tai PE-RU-NA. By the time I haused three-fourths of a bottle, the hoarseness was gone, also the tired feeling. I am on my secon bottle. Hereafter PE-RU-NA w be constantly in my house. It the best medicine ever put up f the purpose.

For any disease due to catar. or catarrhal conditions, PE-RU-N is equally dependable. Cougl colds, catarrh of the head, stomatically colds. trouble, constipation, rheumatiss pains in the back, side and lost bloating, belching gas, indigestic catarrh of the large and small i testines, are some of the troubl for which PE-RU-NA is especial

recommended.
PE-RU-NA can be purchas anywhere in either tablet or liqu



Mrs. B. P. Duke of Cuyhago, C is here on a visit to his mot Mrs. I. W. Wasson.

In the protection that we afford our customers, and in the service that we render, we strive to make this a "100 per cent bank."

The SNYDER NATIONAL BANK

# Your Bank Account

- --- Provides an explanation of all your expenses
- --- Gives you the buying power of ready cash
- ---Furnishes a valuable business reference and credit builder
- --- A means of realizing your personal ambition, with a safe depository until then

WE CAN SERVE YOU ACCEPTABLY

--- WILL YOU GIVE US THE CHANCE?

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

#### H. M. DAY & CO. We have Rent batteries to rent and can give most any man service

A WOMANS BACK

is of Certain Value.

lany a woman's back has many friends. es and pains.

ftimes 'tis the kidneys' fault. so effective.

any Snyder women know this.

rs. S. V. Gideon, Snyder, says: ward. nad bad pains across the small ly back and when I stooped over as hard for me to straighten up n. My Back was also sore and and I was troubled by the ir-

ice 60c at all dealers. Don't sim-'s Kidney Pills-the same that Mrs. Gideon had. Foster-Mil-Co., Mfgrs., Buffalo, N. Y.



"Aunt Christian," passed to her final home and reward. This good woman had lived to the ripe age of 75 years. The funeral services lwere conducted at the Presbyterian church Tuesday at noon. Then we laid the mortal remains in the quiet village cemetery near those of an aged brother and two aged sisters who preceded Aunt Christian to that home where the Saviour said he would prepare a place for them. Mrs. James was originally a Presbyterian, but since her marriage to Mr. T. W. James (who passed away some years ago) she has been a consistant member of the Methodist church.

Aunt Christian has had her home with the D. A. Jones family for some seven years. During the last several months she has suffered from three strokes of paralysis, the last two coming during the present winject of constant care and attention day and night for more than two Advice of This Snyder Woman months. This service has been faithfully and kindly rendered by the Jones family aided by relatives and

It should be said that this is the fourth old person (all relatives) who hat's why Doan's Kidney Pills have spent the evening of life in the Jones home, where they have been faithfully and kindly attended in all ead what one has to say about particulars and to the last minute. Verily they shall receive their re-

> Sympathetically submitted, Jas. H. Tate.

#### ASPIRIN FOR COLDS

Name "Bayer" is on Genuine Aspirin-say Bayer



Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin' in a "Bayer package," containing proper directions for Colds, Pain, Headache, Neuralgia, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for nineteen years. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Aspirin is trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoacetic-acidester of Salicylicacid.

Senator Bankhead of Alabama died at his home last Sunday.

See Mrs. Hutcheson's Recital at the Cozy March 11th and 12th. 39 in 1919 Must Determine Own Liability.

MARCH 15 LAST FILING DATE.

Surest Way is to Follow Form 1040A. Free Advice in Doubtful Cases. Severe Penalties in

Law.

Nobody is exempt from Income Tax. An obligation is laid directly on the shoulders of each citizen and resident to consider his own case and to get his return in on time if one is due.

With each return showing a tax due a payment must accompany the return in the full amount of the tax or at least one-quarter of the tax.

All returns for 1919 must be filed on or before March 15.

Must Show True Figures.

In figuring up his earnings for income tax purposes a person must take into consideration all items of taxable income, and each item itself must be accurate in amount. Guesses and estimates must be avoided, for the return is made under oath.

Everybody who had an income during 1919 must now determine whether his or her net income was sufficient in amount to require an Income Tax return. The best way to find out is to of income; and if a return is due, it tells how to prepare and file it.

is found by a computation prescribed on German war methods. in the law, and that each item of income from every source must be considered, unless specifically exempted.

Another thing to remember is that the personal exemption allowed taxpayers by law has no relation whatever to the requirement to file return. This exemption is not to be considered until a person has figured out his net income and determined whether it was sufficient to require him to file a return. Then, if a return must be filed, he should read carefully the instructions for claiming exemption, and complete his return.

If in doubt on any point as to income or deductions, a person may secure free advice and aid from the nearest Internal Revenue office. Many banks and trust companies are also furnishing similar service during banking

Heavy Penaltres in Law.

For failing to make a return on time the penalty is a fine of not more than \$1,000 and an addition of 25 per cent to the tax, if any. For making a false or fraudulent return the penalty is a fine of not more than \$10,000 or imprisonment not exceeding one year, or both; and, in addition, 50 per cent of the tax. There are other penalties for failing to pay tax when due and for understatement of the tax through

Many Sources of Income.

Aside from what one may earn by his services, there are many other buildings, land, apartments or rooms such rents must be considered taxaable, and he may claim deductions for Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Bank interest is a common source of income and is taxable whether withdrawn or not. Any amount of interest credited to a depositor is income to the depositor.

Interest on mortgages and notes is 11thand 12th. taxable; also bond interest received from corporations.

A taxpayer who cashed his insurance during 1919 must report as intal of premiums paid.

Members of partnerships or personal service corporations or beneficiaries of an estate or trust must report their shares of income distributable to them whether or not actually withdrawn.

ally exempted.

### INCOME TAX IS DUE MARCH 15

to Make Returns-Early Compliance Urged.

All income tax returns covering the year 1919 must be filed by Monday, ing considered and while he didn't March 15. Each taxable return must say it, there are grounds for hope be accompanied by check or money or- that the line from Rotan to Snyder der for the full amount or at least one-

quarter of the amount of tax due. vey was mad about ten years ago Cash payments are accepted only at the collector's main office; if sent by but for different causes has been mail, they are at the sender's risk.

Residents of Texas should file their Income Tax to, Alexander S. Walker, Collector of Internal Revenue, Austin,

revenue law imposes heavy penalties entire distance. for failure to get returns in on time or

to make payments on time. . \* an overload on the anal day, March 15 of the first moves in extension.

route to West Texas to make a thor-Every Person Who Had Income ough study of postal conditions look ing to relief, according to a telegram from the Washington office of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

> Congressman Tarrish has a bill which has passed the house, but will probably not pass the Senate this session, allowing the post office department to jump a postoffice from fourth to third, or from third to second class on a' three months showing of business.



GRAYUM DRUG COMPANY

Sophomores and Freshmen at the State University at Austin engaged get a Form 1040A and follow the in- in a fight a few nights ago and eight structions printed on it. That form of them had to be carted to the will serve as a reminder of every item hospital fo rtreatment. They used brickbats, clubs and bottles, but the One of the important points to keep most damage was done with fire exin mind is that a person's net income tinguishers. The boys are well up

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"Anne of Green Gables" motion picture, and Mrs. Hutcheson's Recital at the Cozy Theatre, March

"Anne of Green Gables" motion picture, and Mrs. Hutcheson's Recome any excess received over the to-11thand 12th.

Richard McFarland and family were here Tuesday from Dunn and Richard called on the Signal and Dividends of domestic corporations divided coin with the circulation edmust be reported. Many other forms itor. He and nearly all of his neighof income are taxable, unless specific bors have been having a serious time with the flu.

> M. K. & T. RAILROAD EXTENSIONS EXPECTED

Col. Schaff, receiver of the M. K. & T. railroad properties says that Penalties for Delay and Failure now since the roads have gone back to the owners, it is expected that there will be more railroad building than for several years He intimaaes that a number of extensions are bemay come in for activity. That sur-

This survey comes through a rich returns with, and make payments of section of country, remote from rail roads and where a road is much needed. Then the line passes on to Those who must file returns but Gail and over the southplains to Ros have not done so are warned that the well, traversing virgin territory the

The Signal hopes to see interest Early filing and early payments are aroused here and a move started to urged, in order to relieve the internal get in touch with authorities and see revenue offices as much as possible of the Rotan Snyder line can be made

Amarillo's new afternoon Newspaper, published in the interest of West Texas and the Plains country generally will be issued Feb. 22.

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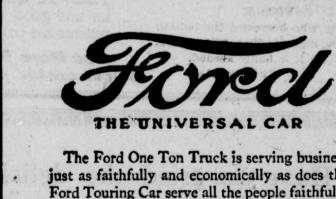
#### OWN YOUR OWN HOM

See Mrs. Hutcheson's Recital and

Gables," at the Cozy Theatre, March 11th and 12th.

All people who have spoke to me 39. for Bennett Big Boll cotton seed will please come and get them at once. I Elmo Curry and family left this also have some good Mebane seed week for Miles, Texas, where they for sale for immediate delivery. have recently bought a good farm G. M. Garner,

Snyder, Texas.



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Joe Strayhorn Agent



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Snyder, Texas, March 5, 1920.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### For District Attorney 32nd Judicial District:

I. E. HILL of Nolan County. For County Treasurer:

MISS IDA KELLY. For County Judge:

HORACE HOLLEY. For Tax Collector:

JOHN G. DAVIS. J. A. (JOE) MERRITT METH L. T. CONDRA C. T. (Charlie) WILLIAMS.

For Tax Assessor: G. H. LEATH-Re-election. For County Clerk:

MRS. H. H. COTTEN. B. A. (Bennie) HULL. For County Superintendent: O. L. HOWELL (Re-Election.)

For Sheriff: J. H. BYRD (Re-Election.) For Public Weigher:

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It will save every automobilist a lot of trouble to have us give his car an expert examination from time to time. You should have us inspect your car as regularly as you have a dentist look at your teeth to forestall the trouble. Take this tip and save time and money.

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Snyder, Texas

When you know a news item tell it to the Signal and thus pass it along ... , so others may know about it. If you have kinfolks and friends visiting you, show them the courtesy to have the fact mentioned in the Signal. They may feel slighted if you do not tell they are here.

The party who borrowed the bellows from the Signal office will please return it as it is badly needed. · The Signal

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Pink ..... 9c Navies, Large, ..... 9c Navies, Small, ..... 9c

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# PROBLEMS FACING STRICKEN WORL

Shall Chaos or Reconstruction in Europe Follow the Gre: World War?

IMPERATIVE NEED FOR ACTION

Twelve Months Since the Signing of the Armistice Practically Wasted -Call for Aid From America Must Be Heeded.

#### Article V.

By FRANK COMERFORD.

The signing of the armistice ended the fighting. The signing of the peace treaty brought peace, but neither of these acts restored devastated Europe. The great job ahead is the work of reconstruction, and when I write the word "reconstruction" I have not in mind the mere rebuilding of the warstricken areas of grance, Belgium, Italy, Poland and Russia. Gigantic and important as this task is, necessary as it is, it is only a small part of the work of real reconstruction. Hundreds of thousands of square miles make up the actual war zone, the ground marched over, the territory under shell fire. Millions of acres of land that once yielded food in response to the touch of the plow have for the past four years been tilled by high explosives.

Belgium was literally looted, pillaged and ravished. Almost the entire state was violated. Nearly oneeighth of France, her industrial section, was crushed. Buildings were destroyed, factories dismantled. Sixty thousand square miles in Poland were laid waste. Italy suffered terribly. The ground is filled with high explosives, undischarged mines and shells. Every day since the work of recovery and restoration began men working in this zone have been blown to pieces. Billions of feet of barbed wire and millions of tons of metal make a dangerous wilderness out of what was

once a highly productive area. Cities and villages are jungles of twisted, broken, torn wood, iron, brick and stone. I have walked through these villages and have stood stunned by the completeness of the destruction. The streets are uneven and lumpy with brick and stone and plaster and glass, aisles of wreckage. Roofless houses with walls gutted and torn, heaps and piles of broken building material; jagged, ragged pinnacles, masses of debris meet the eye. Had I not known of the war and come upon one of these unsightly, shapeless masses of material, I should have thought nature had entered into a mad conspiracy, combining and concentrating all of the powers of a cyclone, a tornado and an earthquake, and spilled their fury on these mangled, dead villages.

Sights to Wring the Heart.

Picture the refugees returning to these villages-coming back home. What the sight must have meant to them. I have seen them, their faces gray as the gray rulps, standing in the inidst of their destroyed homes. 1 have seen them picking their way over piles of stone and brick through great openings made in the broken walls. I saw in their eyes homesickness, a hurt of heart I never shall forget. Old men and old women and little bare-legged children; now and again a boy with a worn, soiled uniform, some limping on crutches, others wearing an empty sleeve. One thought surged through my mind until it almost sickened me -War. The land of the war zone must be reclaimed. These acres are needed now more than they were before the war. The world's food supply is low. Hundreds of miles of trenches must be filled up. Trees must be planted, the ground must be cleaned of shells, cleared of barbed wire; villages, cities. must be rebuilt; sewer systems must be installed. The

mess must be moved. It is a big job. One great misfortune is that although 12 menths have come and gone since the signing of the armistice, no general comprehensive plan of reconstruction has been started. Here and there small sections of the devastated regions are being partly reconstructed. Temporary provision is being made for the homeless. This is all well and good, but intelligent, economical, efficient and speedy reconstruction demands a general plan and an organization big enough to put it over. The doing of this work requires vision and capacity for doing big things well. If the physical reconstruction is left to Europe it will not be finished in 50 years. Here is a chance for America. We have a faculty of doing things on a Big scale and in a short period of time. Europe needs our help. If we are to give it eventually, why not now?

But the clearing up of the wreckage and the rebuilding is a minor problem compared with the other greater and more important question of reconstruction, the reconstruction of industry, the establishment of normal life.

The reclamation of the devastated area is, after all, only a matter of plan, time and money, and notwithstanding the fact that Europe is bunkrupt today, the money must and will come. The barbed wire will be rolled up, the mines and shells will be dug from the fields, the villages will be rebuilt: everything that has been destroyed will be replaced. Physical reconstruction is the teast of Europe's problems.

The great problem is the reconstruc-

tion of life. The war-devastated and disordered the life of the world. It threw everything into confusion; it left the scheme out of balance.

Only Road to Prosperity. We live by work. Prosperity means production. Poverty is underproduction. Stripping economics of all its high-sounding jargon, the simple truth that everyone knows is that the world has only the things it works to pro-

It may not be amiss to state a few facts known by everyone which explain the meaning of production: We live on the earth. It is land and water. In the ground are minerals. The land grows crops. We need the minerals that are in the ground. We need the crops, but minerals in the ground, as well as the fertile soil, mean nothing until man by his work brings the mineral from the ground and makes the soil yield. We must have food, we must have clothing, we must have shelter, and the only way we can get these things is by working. If little work is done we have a shortage. There isn't enough food to go around, there aren't enough clothes, enough coal, and as a result the prices of all these necessaries go 'way up. But this is not so important as the fact that when there is not enough to feed the world some go hungry, others must starve. When there isn't enough coal, some are cold, others freeze. When there aren't enough clothes for everyone, some must be ragged and half-naked. Everything by which we live is the result of work. Stop work, and poverty follows. Work, and plenty results. Work is responsible for everything that goes to make life worth living.

To understand Europe's condition today, one must stop and realize that the war stopped production. The result is a shortage of everything. There isn't enough food, there isn't enough raw material, there isn't enough coal. The whole story is told in the word Poverty.

Only Cure is in Work.

There is a cure; the prescription can be written in a single word. Everyone knows that word, but knowing the word and adopting the word are different matters. Before we can get back to normal life this word must find root in the consciousness of the people. We must realize that the world will continue sick and grow sicker unless this prescription is taken. Further, we must know that if we delay taking this remedy it will be a longer time before we get well. The prescription is work. Every effort should be made to make every man will to work. Every employer must not contribute to unrest and provoke idleness by refusing to negotiate with his men, and into this negotiation he should go with a friendly spirit and a willingness to compromise. The em-ployer who meets labor with the thought in his mind that he is better equipped to fight than labor, because he has a surplus and can eat and be warm, while labor has been living from hand to mouth and will starve, is shortsighted. He had better get the idea out of his head that you can starve men into submissio was a day when that was true, but that day has passed, never to come. The man who depends upon his ability to turn a key in the factory door and go off on a vacation, imposing his will on his workmen, will discover that these men stopped a certain "gent," late of Pottsdam now of Holland, from doing this very thing to the world. He may wake up some morning to learn a new definition of the word "Aght."

One thing that people do not realize is that the men who fought the world's fight for freedom are the men who are now complaining that they are not getting a square deal. Who made up the fighting men of the war, the rank and file of the armies that stopped the Prussian Push? Who were the great majority of the volunteers and the conscripted men numbering millions who went to the front for the allies? The teamsters, the shophands, the millworkers, the factory hands, the coal miners. These are the same men who are the center of the labor prob-

Mr. Employer, you are dealing with ex-soldiers. Please don't forget it. They fought for you. You wouldn't have any business today if it hadn't been for them, and when you think of the bond you bought, remember the blood they gave.

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Applied Christianity.

The late Archdescon Madden of Liverpool used to relate how on one occasion he separated two women, one a Roman Catholic and one a Pretestant, who were fighting in the street. Afterward he asked the latter, whom he knew, how she, as a professing Christian, could justify her behavior, to which she replied;

"Well, sir, I was only obeying you. I have often heard you say 'Fight the good fight!' That other woman came into my house and she saw a picture of you on the mantleplece. "That's no priest,' said she. 'Nor no parson, neither! He's only an old quack.' Do you think I could stand that, sir? No! Touch not the Lord's anomied! ! says, and I ups with my fists and I hits you?" "Why, yes." I toctlessly blurther!"-London Post.

Smart Kld.

An Irish school inspector was examining a class to geography. He had propounded a question regarding longitude and received a correct answer. "And now," he said to the same boy, "what is latitude?"

The youngster hesitated a moment and then with a merry twinkle in his eye he replied. "Please, sir, we have so latitude. The British government won't allow us any."

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European Tarantula.

An eminent authority in such matters, in remarking that the tarantula is a spider, says of that terrifying creature that it is the Lycosa Tarantula, a species of spider found in some of the warmer parts of Italy and Spain. When full grown it is about the size of a chestout and of a brown color. Its bite was at one time supposed to be dangerous and to induce a kind of "dancing disease," but now it is known not to be worse than the

sting of a common wasp. It is an old fable, extending to remotest times, that the bite of this spider would produce epilepsy or a strange dancing mania th its victims and that this epilepsy or madness could be relieved only by a particular kind of music. The tarantula of Italy and Spain-and it is found in those countries today-has hairy legs with black markings on them.

America's Debt to Jews. Jews figured very prominently in the discovery of America by Columbus according to Rabbi David Philipson of Cincinnati. The first man who stepped on the shore of the new world was the interpreter of the expedition. Luis de Torres, a Jew. Bernal, the ship surgeon, was also a Jew, as were several members of the crew.

It is also new said to be established that the long-credited belief that Queen Isabella pawned her jewels to furnish Columbus with the funds for the trip is a legend. These funds, it is said, were furnished by two Jews, Luis de Santangel and Gabriel Sanchez. A letter by Columbus to Sanches is still extant, in which he gives some account of his exploits.

Who Knews?

A friend of mine called upon a newly wedded pair and I happened to Snyder, a boy. drop in. The bride had been a widow. My friend remarked to me, 'You introduced them to each other, didn't ed, "I introduced her to her first and second husbands and who knows but what I'll be the one to introduce her to her third one?"-Exchange.

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Replant Your Lest When one's front teeth out there is no need to les the floor, for they can b by a good dentist.

Dr. H. M. Savery tells cet (Leadon), of two cas of which several teeth cated from their seckets. the teeth were placed in while the dentist careft out the sockets. Then reinserted, a stitch or to the goms and the jaw daged shut so that the a pad of that. In the ot! teeth still hung to the s sockets were cleaned out taching the teeth. In bo teeth became solidly fis patients could see them biting in a few months at dent.

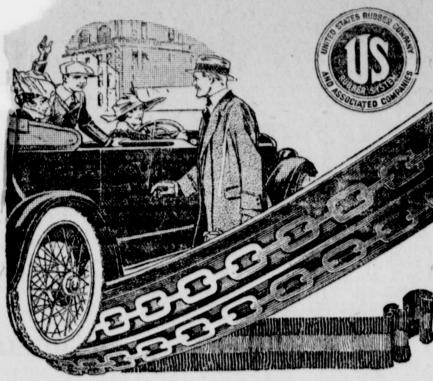
Dr. De Witt C. Henry replaced not long ago th truck driver that had h out in a collision. Ti picked his teeth from th ran up to the dentist's . them to his hand.

Our arts are happy like the musician on if melody is sweeter than like the traveler, surpr tain echo, whose trivis to him in romantle the

Have you had the 'Irogen' to regain stre Grayum Dri

Born, Feb. 28, to h R. M. Mallett, 13 mf

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# The Economy of **Buying Good Tires**

It's mighty poor economy to put cheap tires on your car.

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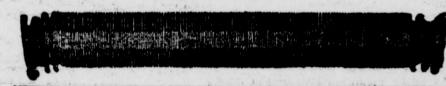
There are five different passenger car treads—the only complete line built by any tire manufacturer.

Each has the built-in strength that means your money back in extra miles.

Among them are exactly the tires you want for your car, and your driving conditions.

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your wife has This is certain to relieve her a Everwell

SAY "Ka Choo" to the drug store man and he will hand you a ready relief for your hay fever. The remedy this drug store will sell you is not to be sneezed at. It's aelped a lot of folks in the neighborhood. Why not try it?

### Echols Drug Co.

Snyder, Texas

CITY COUNCIL MET MARCH 18T

(Continued from Page One) of said county as is recited in the Sale issued out of the district court of said county, at is recited in the hereinafter described deed did on the 5th day of November, 1912, by deed of that date recorded in the Deed page 446 convey to the City of Snyder all of Lot 3 in block 49 in the Blankenship Addition to the town of Snyder in Scurry county, Texas, said conveyance having been made in satis faction of unpaid and delinquent | taxes alleged to have accrued on said lot for the year 1910; and

Whereas a gross error has in some way occurred in said proceedings, as the Tax Records of the City of Snyder show that for said year 1910 all City taxes were fully paid by W. B. ation and repair of plant and keep Hardin, the owner of said lot at said the electrical equipment in repair

Therefore, it is ordered by the City Council of said City of Snyder, in regular meeting assembled, a quorum ing present, that Hon. W. W. Echols for which amount 1,500,000 gallons the Mayor of said City of Snyder, be of water will be pumped if necessary of said City of Snyder to execute in to pump that much. Should more and he is hereby authorized, empowered, and directed for and on behalf it will be pumped for Nine (9) cents assigns, a quit claim deed, relinquish per Thousand gallons. ing any claim what ever to said above Sixty (60) days said above Sheriff's Deed.

The resignation of Alderman J. J. in any way. regular meeting in April.

1920, said day being the 6th day of caused by circumstances beyond their Griffith's latest photodrama, which April, 1920, for the purpose of elect- control. The City shall not be liable will be seen at the Cosy Theatre ing a Mayor, four Aldermen, City for accident or damage to any em- commencing Monday, March 7th. Marshall and Secretary-Treasurer of ploye or property belonging to the the City of Snyder, Texas.

presiding officer of the election in of March 2nd, if possible. said Ward, the qualified voters in alderman (o succeed Gay McGlaun ing.

reiring,) City Marshal and Secretary-

The election in Ward No. 2, will be held in the County Court room, and J. Z. Noble was appointed as presiding officer of the election in said Ward, the qualified voters in said Ward will vote for Mayor, two aldermen, (one-to succeed I. W. Boren, retiring and one to succeed J. J. Taylor, resigned), City Marshal and Secretary Treasurer.

The election in Ward No. 3, will be held in the County Court Room. and H. C. Hayter was appointed as presiding officer of the election in said ward, the qualifier voters in said Ward will vote for Mayor, one Alderman, (to succeed M. Stacy retiring) City Marshal, and Secretary-Treasur-

The presiding officer shall appoint one clerk to assist in holding the elec tion presided over by him, and shall conduct the election as prescribed by the statute governing City elections.

All male persons who shall have resided within the corporate limits of the City of Snyder, Teas, six months next preceeding said election and are qualified voters for representatives in this state are eligible to vote in said

The following committee was appointed to prepare the tickets for the coming City election and have same printed: T. J. Blackburn, M. Stacy, and J. J. Taylor.

All persons desiring their names on said tickets are requested to file his name with said committee on or before 6 o'clock on the evening of March 31st, A. D., 1920.

J. C. Maxwell was recommended by the Council as Fire Marshal and and the Mayor was instructed to write the State Fire Marshal and ask him to appoint J. C. Maxwell as Fire Records of said county in Book 33 Marshal for the City of Snyder, Tex-

> The Snyder Utilities Company made the following proposition to the City for the pumping of the City water: The Snyder Utilties Company will furnish motors, meters and neces sary equipment to put the city pumping plant in shape to be operated by electric power without charge for la-

They will also supervise the operwithout charge.

This service will be furnished for a minimum charge of One Hundred Fifty (\$150.00) Dollars per month water than this amount be needed

favor of W. B. Hardin his heirs and This proposal is for trial period of described tract of land by reason of ated at the end of that time by either party if found to be unsatisfactory

Taylor was read and same was ac- The Snyder Utilities Company shall cepted to become affective after the be held not liable for accidents to any one other than their own employ-The Mayor called for an election es in connection with this work nor faith in the Hereafter ever picturto be held at the County Court room shall they be held liable for damage | ized is the central object of interest on the First Tuesday in April, A. D. to property where damage was in "The Greatest Qu estion," D. W.

Snyder Utilities Company. The election in Ward No. 1 will be | Motion and carried that the above held in the county court roof, and stated proposition be acceped and P. M. Bolin has been appointed) as commence operations on the morning great question that overshadows ev

# What's On At The Cozy

**Today** 

"SOLDIERS OF FORTUNE," with Norman Kerry Pauline Stark, Anna Q. Nilsson, Wilfred Lucus and others. The story is from the pen of Richard Harding Davis, and is directed by Allan Dwan. Gripping, Romantic, Spectacular. The most expensive picture yet brought to Snyder. See it by all means. Admission 25 and 50 cents.

Saturday

Charles Ray in "HAY FOOT STRAW FOOT." "The Great Rube," "GHOST OF SLUMBER MOUNTAIN" A picture of pre-historic animals. "The Big Fellows, They move about on the Screen like alive." "PET and PESTS" by Mutt and Jeff.

Monday and Tuesday

"THE GREATEST QUESTION" A David Work Griffith production. A Drama of the way of destiny with "JUST FOLKS." A play for the Thinker-Poignand Drama-hilarious comedy-stern tragedy. You will laugh at Uncle Zeke, the children and the ghost. Monday and Tuesday, admis\_ sion 25 and 50 cents. Childrens Matinee Monday Three p. m. 25c to all.

Wednesday

Sixth Episode "INVISIBLE HAND" Deliars and Cents, a two reel comedy Larry Semon, in "The Star Boarder."

#### Thursday and Friday

A special program rendered under the auspices of the Ladies Home Mission Society for the purpose of paying off the debt en the Methodist Parsonage. The program will censist of a first class picture in every respect, being Mary Miles Minter, in "ANN OF GABLES" from the four books of that name. Also a reading by Mrs. Hutchinson, and other numbers from some of her pupils. One half the proceeds go to pay off the debt.

Saturday

Charlie Chaplin in "A DAYS PLEASURE"
"Custer's Last Fight," an historical picture.
Mutt and Jeff in "PRIZE FIGHT."

AFTER LIFE COMES-7GRIFFITH take the question in hand, butter HAS TAKEN IT FOR THEME

The most startling revelation of

Writers on the subject of Occultism and students of mysticism have timidly refrained from going on record with a definite answer to the en'the greatest faith.

A Difficult Subject. said Ward will vote for Mayor, one Let the Signal do your job print- It remained for Griffith, the world's News a foremost motion picture producer, to father at B

lically explain the a characters and take a certain on the most awa

Just as many a me

# Announcement

It will be a pleasure and privilege to welcome every one in Snyder and Scurry county to the of our dry goods store on Monday March 10th from 2 to 5 o'clock. Our store is located on the next door to the Manhattan hotel and we will carry in stock everything to be had in a first establishment and our policy will be to give our customers the very lowest prices possible courteous service at all times. Our rest room is equipped with easy chairs and late read at the service of the ladies at all times. We cordially invite you to come get acquainte assure you of our sincere appreciation of your patronage.

T.C. Watkins

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They had to be strong because the Maxwell is built to carry just as heavy a passenger load over the same roads and at the same speed as any car, despite its price or size.

Any engineer will tell you that in getting that rare combination of strength with lightness high prices must be paid for the metals.

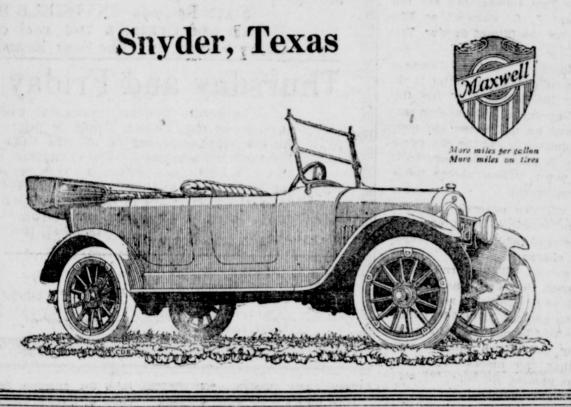
Their use, however, repays the makers of the Maxwell in many ways because each car each day is winning friends.

Today these friendships, expressed in terms of cars, are well on the road to 400,000.

You cannot go back of these numbers any more than you can go back of the fact that the sun rises in the morning.

They tell the story; and it's largely a story of what the Maxwell is made of-fine metals.

# C. C. WYATT



# The Studebaker

The Car that climbs the hill on high.

### Gay McGlaun Dealer

Make an appointment with us and let us Demonstrate its many advantages to you.

# Seed Oats

We have plenty of Red Rust Proof seed oats. Prices Right.

Henderson Bros.

Texas Lands and Duty of Surveyors

The public domain of Texas have long since been surveyed with the exception of a few small strips of what is known as scrap land, and lying between the block lines of old surveys, the lines and corners of which are well defined and established on the ground, by which there should be no controversies in the courts over boundaries, nine times out of ten, surveyors are the cause of land owners going into the courts to settle their disputes.

There is practically nothing left for surveyors to do only to trace the lines and recognize all the original corners, as established by the locating surveyor. It matters not how incorrect the work proves to be on the

A state surveyor cannot change the lines and corners from their original position any more than a deputy the advancement of this section of county surveyor could. A county, district or independent surveyor, can do work anywhere in Texas, if the fer on the Abilene Morning Reporter owners of the land wants him a county or district surveyor can make surveys on scrap or unsurveyed lands existing in bodies up to 2560 acres and return field notes to the General land officer, which would be accepted by the Land Commissioner, when they would not be if returned by a state surveyor.

Wherever a corner is called for in the field notes is found to be obliterated the surveyor should relocate thinks of him. it if possible where it originally stood, or if there is no evidence on the ground it should be placed equidistant from and in line with the adjacent corners.

> Respectfolly, H. A. GOODWIN.

Born, in Snyder March 2, to Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wilsford, a boy.

disagreeable taste in my mouth. If I are anything with butter, oil or grease, I would spit it up. I began to have regular sick headache. I had used pills and tablets, but after a course of these, I would be constipated. It just seemed to tear my stomach all up. I found they were no good at all for my trouble. I heard

THEDFORD'S

recommended very highly, so began to use it. It cured me. I keep it in the house all the time. It is the best liver medicine made. I do not have sick headache or stomach trouble any more." Black-Draught acts on the jaded liver and helps it to do its important work of throwing out waste materials and poisons from the system. This medicine should be in every household for tem. This medicine should be in every household for use in time of need. Get a package today. If you feel sluggish, take a dose tonight. You will feel fresh tomorrow. Price 25c a package. All druggists.

ONE CENT A DOSE

El Feliz Club

The El Feliz Club met with Mrs. Anderson Friday afternoon, Feb. 27. After a short business session, the advancing we are apt to get the usual games of "42" were enjoyed oil fever ourselves .- Abilene Report by the members present and Mrs. er. McCormick, guest. Dainty refreshments were served and the Club ad- local oil dealers said oil now was journeyed to meet March 6th with worth 20 1/2 cents a gallon. Mrs. Hugh Boren.

Reporter.

#### THOSE WOMEN WHO DREAD MIDDLE-LIFE

Houston, Texas:—"To a woman who looks with dread upon the approach of middle life, I would say there is nothing



whatever to fear if she will only take the right medicine just as soon as she has any of the distressing symptoms. I became so weak that I could scarcely get around to do my own housework, and I was just as miserable as one could be when I started to take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. The first bottle made a wonderful difference and before I had finished the second bottle I was safely through the critical time in absolutely perfect health—no more hemorrhages, no heat flashes, dizzy spells or nervousness. I felt more than repaid for the cost of those two bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' and would have been glad to purchase more, had it been necessary."—Mrs. M. M. Brooks, 4304 Center St.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a remedy that any ailing woman can safely take because it is prepared from roots, does not contain alcohol or narcotics. Its ingredients printed on wrapper.

Send 10c. for trial package of Favorite Prescription tablets to Dr. Pierce's In-valids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

The Tulia Herald comes to us with a nice writeup of our old time Snyder produce dealer, S. A. Duckett, saying that he is doing an immense business and bringing money and consequent happiness to the farmers of Swisher county. The Herald says the volume of Duckett's trade in hides, poultry, eggs, cream and other stuff amounts to \$2,000.00 a

#### A Daily Newspaper.

Place your subscription at this oflice for the Ahilens Morning Reportr, a daily newspaper devoted to

We have an attracive Clubbing ofand the Snyder Signal one year \$6.50.

New Jersey proposes to legalize the manufacture and sale of three and a half per cent beer. That percentage of alcohol will probably furn ish kick enough to stop the kick against prohibition.

Senator Shepperd says he is not bothered about what Joe Bailey

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years WITH OUR EXCHANGES

If the price of crude oil keeps on

We got our shock today when the

The Lockney Beacon admits that it doesn't know where it is at politically. Readers of the Beacon are not surprised. Usually it is easier to see where the Beacon stands in a current campaign than where it will be in the next.

"It is estimated that more than 1,000 Republicans were in the audience that heard former Senator Bailley speak at Gainesville last week," says Editor Arnold in his Texas Republican Counselor. "Bailey seems determined to run in the July primaries. Only a severe drubbing in the May convention can keep him out. It has been predicted that if the Hobby-Love-Wolfe faction control the convention and indorse the Wilson administration Bailey will make the race in the general election. In this event it is believed that every faction in the state oppose to the combination of the Socialist-Democrats would unite in putting Bailey over." Is this the program of the Ferguson Americans, the Littleton lily whites, the Green black and tans, the Kirby united Americans and all the philanthropic reformers who are bitter in their denunciation of war tax laws? J. A. Arnold is the Editor of the Texas Republican Counselor. He is the secretary of the Texas Re publican Council. He should know. -Fort Worth Record.

That seems to be the program.

The Rotan Advance is about to install a new linotype machine.

Safe farming this year will be diversified farming, with cotton acreage that part of the farm not needed for foodstuff .- Rotan Advance.

Every year as to that matter.

The Abilene Reporter recognizes the Texas law fixing the duck season, the quail season, and other ides but it thinks Mexico keeps open season the year round for killing Americans. It will be so just as long as this country continues to temporize with the arrogance of Carranza.

A town never stands still, it either advances by a united citizenship to a metropolis or slips back to an age. of horse shoe pitching .- Post City

No fact is moer easily demonstrated. Towns that have grown and towns that have died are all the proof needed. It requires concert to do the right things. I akes execuiv abiliy to get the funds and then use the money to the best advantage.

## Dyed Her Faded Skirt, Also a Coat

"Diamond Dyes" Make Shabby Apparel Just Like New-So Easy!

Don't worry about perfect results. Use "Diamond Dyes," guaranteed to give a new, rich, fadeless color to any fabric. a new, rich, fadeless color to any labele, whether wool, silk, linen, cotton or mixed goods,—dresses, blouses, stockings, skirts, children's coats, draperies,—everything!

A Direction Book is in package,
To match any material, have dealer show you "Diamond Dye" Color Card.

Grandpa Bowen is n der. Pyron hates to lose

Bro. Hawkins filled his at ment here Sunday. He preache good sermons but on account weather Sunday school and ing were not well attended.

Bro. Hawking announced th would be here regularly on the Sunday at three o'clock. I hope all the people will come out to

Come to Sunday school next day promptly at 10:30 o'clock

I would like to see correspond from the other communities.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGIS TIME EVERYWHERE WOI

#### Presbyterian Church.

It will be well for the membe the Presbyterian cherch to rem ber that our preselt church closes with this month. In view this fact we should be very dili in rounding up all the affairs taining to the year's work, so we will be able to make our and reports, covering all department: work, in a creditable manner.

Sickness and bad weather have riously hindered all church during the winter. We hope that ditions will be much more favora this month. We hope, too, that ev member will do his or her very to catch up and regain what temporarily been lost. Less than days remain, what shall we do ab it? Shall we improve this time?

Everybody is cordially invited attend our services next Sunday eleven o'clock and at 6:30 p. m you are well don't stay at home. tend church somewhere. Most cordially,

Jas. H. Tate, Pastor



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ing their triends to keep the purified and their organ working order as a pro-Calotan at bodtime with a water that's all. your lived is an fied and refreshed and

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scaled packs jes, price to Every drug ist is a theris arcless Mail Messengers.

J. E. Ford of Polar was in Wednesday to try to find why that he can't get the Signal Monday and we all know that per is mailed out here Friday, upposed to go on the SantaFe night to Dermott, where it be picked up by the mail carturday morning and delivered ar early Saturday. It is said ten the messenger on the train o put off the night mail at tt and carries it up the line, is brought back next day. ess the department can get nat will attend to their busisomebody ought to call for radical shaking up.

Judge Fritz R. Smith is here this week from Austin looking after private business affairs.



Grayum Drug Company

The high winds and sand clouds this week have reminded us of last winter and Spring.

### To Do Tin Work **Exclusively**

I have sold my stock of hardware and intend to devote my time wholly to the Tin work.

When you have anything in this line, I am now in position to serve you better.

I wish to thank all parties for past business and will appreciate a continuance of same in my tin work.

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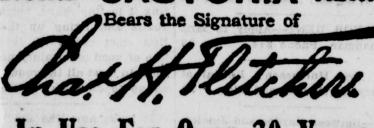
Children Cry for Fletcher's

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he Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over thirty years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children-Experience against Experiment.

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## FARMER'S INCOME INCOME TAX SUBJECT TO TAX

Gains for 1919 Must Be Figured Under U. S. Law-Returns Due March 15.

LAND SALE PROFITS TAXABLE.

Necessary Farm Expenses May Be Deducted-Special Form for Farm Income-Cash or Accrual Basis for Computing.

A farmer, shopkeeper, or tradesman must figure up his net income for 1919; and if the farm or business income plus his other income was sufficient to require an income tax return a complete return must be filed with the collector of internal revenue by March 15.

A farmer should ascertain the gross income of his farm by computing all gains derived from the sale or exchange of his products, whether produced on the farm or purchased and resold.

Farm Expenses.

From his gross income a farmer is allowed to charge off all of his necessary expenses in the conduct of the farm during the year. These include costs of planting, cultivating, harvesting and marketing. In addition to these costs he may deduct money spent for ordinary farm tools of short life bought during the year, such as shovels, rakes, etc. Also, the cost of feed purchased for his live stock may be treated as an expense in so far as this cost represents actual outlay, but the value of his own products fed to animals is not a deductible item.

Other farm expenses allowable are the cost of minor repairs on buildings (but not the dwelling house), on fences, wagons and farm machinery; also bills paid for horseshoeing, stock powders rock salt, services of veterinary, insurance (except on dwelling house), gasoline for operating power and sundry other expenses which were paid for in

As to hired help, all the productive Tex. labor is a deductible expense; but the wages of household servants, or help hired to improve the farm, as in tree planting, ditching, etc., cannot be claimed against earnings. A farmer is not allowed to claim a salary for himself or members of his family who work on the farm.

Wear and Tear.

Purchase of farm machinery, wagons, work animals, etc., also the cost of construction or extension of buildings, siles, fencing, etc., should be confarm and are not proper deductions against income

A reasonable allowance may be claimed for wear and tear on farm buildings (except the farmhouse). fences, machinery, work animals, wagons, tanks, windmills and other farm equipment which is used in the conduct of the farm.

As to autos and tractors, the cost of these is not an expense, although the cost of their upkeep is an allowable deduction, if the machines are used exclusively for farm purposes and not for pleasure. Alse, in such cases, a deduction for wear and tear is allowed.

Farm Losses

The loss of a growing crop is not a proper deduction from income, inasmuch as the value of the crop had not been taken into gross income. The loss of a building or of muchinery through storm, lightning, flood, etc., is an allowable deduction, but care should be used to ascertain the correct lass sustained, as restricted by income tax regulations.

No deduction is allowed in the case of loss of animals raised on the farm, but a less is deductible from gross income if the animals had been purchased for draft or breeding purposes.

Shrinkage in weight or value of farm products held for favorable market prices cannot be deducted as a loss, for the reason that when such products are sold the shrinkage will be reflected

in the selling price. Sale of Farms and Land.

The value of agricultural lands has been jumping during the past few years, and during 1919 many owners sold out part or all of their lands at big profits. All such gains constitute income and must be taken into the net ncome for the year.

Any person who sold part of a farm or ranch, or part of a parcel of land, must also show any gains realized by

the sale. The method of figuring gales and losses on such transactions is prescribed in the Income Tax regulations, copies of which may be secured from Internal Revenue Collectors.

Forms for Returns.

The Internal Revenue Bureau hus issued an improved Form 1040F for the use of farmers. This form, to-gether with Form 1040A or 1040, will give the farmer explicit information as to how to properly Agure his net income for 1919.

There are two methods of figuring a farmer's income tax return this year. He may make his return on the basis of the difference between the money and goods received for his products and the cash paid out for actual allowable farm expenses within the year. Or he may make his return on the accrual basis, which means computing the receipts and expenses that pertain to the taxable year, excluding income earned and expenses incurred in pre-vious or succeeding years.

# RETURNS DUE

Business Men, Farmers and Wage Workers Must File Schedules of Income for 1919.

MARCH 15 LAST FILING DATE.

Net Incomes of \$1,000 or Over, if Single; or \$2,000 or Over if Married, Must Be Reported.

The Income Tax imposed by Act of Congress on earnings of the year 1919 is now being collected.

Returns under oath must be made on or before March 15 by every citizen and resident who had a net income for 1919 amounting to:

\$1,000 or over, if single; or if married and living apart from wife (or husband); or if widowed or divorced. \$2,000 or over, if married and living with wife (or husband).

The status of the person on the last day of the year fixes the status for the year with respect to the above requirements.

Under any of these circumstances a return must be made, even though no tax is due.

Husband and wife must consider the income of both, plus that of dependent minor children, in meeting this requirement; and, if sufficient to require a return, all items must be shown in a joint return or in separate returns of husband and wife.

A single person with minor dependents must include the income of such dependents.

A minor who has a net income of \$1,000 or more is not considered a dependent, and must file a separate

Personal returns should be made on Form 1040A, unless the net income exceeded \$5,000, in which case Form

1040 should be used. Residents of Texas should file their returns with, and make payments of Income Tax to, Alexander S. Walker, Collector of Internal Revenue, Austin,

How to Figure Income.

The best way to find out whether one must file a return is to get a Form 1040A and follow the instructions printed on it. That form will serve as a reminder of every item of income, and if a return is due it tells how to prepare and file it.

If in doubt on any point as to income or deductions, a person may secure free advice and aid from the nearest Internal Revenue office.

Gnesswork, estimates and other hitson is making out his Income Tax return. Accuracy and completeness must be insisted upon. The return is a sworn statement. As such it must be thorough and accurate.

Salaried persons and wage earners must ascertain the actual compensation received. Overtime, bonuses, shares in the profits of a business, value of quarters and board furnished by the empleyer and other items which are compensations for services must be in-

It must be borne in mind that compensation may be paid in other forms than in cash. A bonus paid in Liberty Bonds is taxable at the market value of the bonds. A note received in payment for services is taxable income at its face value, and the interest upon It is also taxable.

Other Returns Due. Every partnership doing business in the United States must file a return on Form 1065; and every personal service corporation must file a similar

retura. Corporations must file annual re-

turns on Form 1120. Trustees, executors, administrators and others acting in a aductary capacity are required to file returns. In some cases, Form 1041 is used; in others, Form 1040; and still others, returns on both forms are required.

Information returns, on Forms 1099 and 1096, must be filed by every organization, firm or person who paid, during 1919, an amount of \$1,000 in salary, wages, interest, rent, or other fixed or determinable income to another person, partnerable, personal service corporation or fiduciary. These information returns should be forwarded directly to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue (sorting division), Washington, D. C.

#### INCOME TAX IN NUTSHELL

WHO-Single persons who had net income of \$1,000 or more for the year 1919.

Married couples who had net income of \$2,000 or more.

WHEN-March 15, 1926, is final date for filing returns and mak-ing first payments. WHERE-Collector of Internal Revenue for District in which

the person resides. HOW-Full directions on Form 1040A and Form 1040; also the

law and regulations. WHAT-Four per cent tax on taxable income up to \$4,000 in excess of exemption. Eight per cent normal tax on balance of taxuble income. Surtax, from one per cent to sixtyfive per cent on net incomes over



# They couldn't be built now for twice 71,000

When the talk turns from politics to railroads, and the traveler with the cocksure air breaks in with, "There's an awful lot of 'water' in the railroads," here are some hard-pan facts to give him:

American railroads have cost \$80,900 a mile -roadbed, structures, stations, yards, terminals, freight and passenger trains—everything from the great city terminals to the last spike.

A good concrete-and-asphalt highway costs \$36,000 a mile—just a bare road, not counting the cost of culverts, bridges, etc.

Our railroads couldn't be duplicated today for \$150,000 a mile.

They are capitalized for only \$71,000 a milemuch less than their actual value. Seventy-one thousand dollars today will buy one locomotive.

English railways are capitalized at \$274,000 a mile; the French at \$155,000; German \$132,000; even in Canada (still in pioneer development) they are capitalized at \$67,000 a mile. The average for all foreign countries is \$100,000.

Low capitalization and high operating efficiency have enabled American Railroads to pay the highest wages while charging the lowest

This advertisement is published by the Association of Railway Executives

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The Bank people and the post office force had a holiday Tuesday because the fathers of Texas signed the declaration of Texas Independence on March 2nd.

See Mrs. Hutcheson's Recital and the photo play "Appe of Green Gables." at the Coay Theatre, March 11th and 12th.

# Eggs

buy Chickens and Eggs, Hides, Furs and all kinds of Country Produce.

Snyder Produce Company R. L. TERRY, Prop.

E. L. DARBY'S Ford Garage and Blacksmith Shop

> is prepared to do you frst class work at reasonable prices

All work guaranteed

On Bridge Sreet west of First State Bank and Trust Co, Snyder, Texas

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We now carry a complete line of anything a man wears

Hats, Shoes, Clothing of all kinds

The best work shoes, gloves and pants to be had. When you want to dress cool get a pair of extra pants and shirt, its a good

## Cleaning and Pressing

Mary Miles Minter "ANNE OF GREEN GABLES" AT COZY

Next Thursday and Friday

Together with a selection of reading by Mrs. Hutchinson and her pupils

Two Nights

Proceeds to go toward paying off debt of Parsonage

Admission 25 and 50 cents, No reserved seats.

Be sure to read the opening announcement of the new C. T. Watkins Dry Goods Store. Mr. and Mrs. Watkins come to us from Kilgore, Texas. They are experienced merchants and have opened up a magnificent stock of everything in the Dry

Pete Bridgeman who has been sick

That sand storm that did business with us all day Wednesday was some

Ware and Ware are moving their grocery store from the Thompson building to the Manhattan hotel corner building

Mrs. Alex Murphy of Durham was with flu is reported improving nicely. shopping here Thursday.

Mrs. J. W. Joyce will take sewing her home, West Snyder.

Dr. W. R. Johnson was at Lubbock this weak. It is learned that Mrs Johnson will be able to come home

Kill Blue Bugs.

And all bloodsucking insects by feeding Martin's Wonderful Blue Bug Killer to your chickens. Your money back if not absolutely satisfied. Guaranteed by Grayum Drug Co. 12

Mrs. F. L. Hucheson's pupils will give a recital at the Cozy theatre on March 11th and 12th for the benefit of the Auxiliary. In addition to this delightful program the Cozy will present an unusually interesting motion picture, entitled "Anne of Green Gables". Another feature of the program will be readings, given by Mrs. Hutcheson in her most charming

Get More Eggs.

By feeding Martin's Egg Producer Double your money back in eggs, or your money back in cash.

Martin's White Diarrhoea Remedy cures. Guaranteed by Grayum Drug

If Bailey should become governor of Teras, he will not be the first im ported occupant of the executive chair at Austin. It was in the days of carpet bag rule that Jack Hamilton hat the distinction of being govern-

The towns that have adopted cammission government have begun to grow and take on new life as soon as the machinery could start and they all like it and wouldn't think about going back to the aldermanic

Attorney E. A. Watson, of Roby was here Tuesday.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Medicine was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Medicine is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.:
All Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Van Zandt-Morton.

Mr. Delter Van Zandt and Miss Oma Morton, two prominent young people of the Mt. Zion community, were happily married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Morton, Sunday, Feb. 29. Rev. R. W. Roe officiating. The community joins in congratulations and good wishes.

J. B. Curry has assumed charge of

NEW CHAPLIN FILM

AT THE COZY. Charlie Chaplin in "A Day's Pleas re," his latest million dollar production under his contract with First National Exhibitors' Circuit, will be shown at the Cozy Theatre, next Saturday. The opening scene of this attraction is declared to be one of the most comical incidents ever pictured and the scenes that follow are said to be a steady succession of

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PHONE 88 RATES ONE CENT PER WORD TAKEN FOR LESS THAN 25 CENTS.

FOR SALE-S. C. Rhode Island Red FOR SALE-White Wyandotte eggs.

eggs \$1.00 per setting. W. R. Bell.

\$2.50 for 15. Mrs. Emmett Johnson2

FOR SALE Full blood Holstein PURE BRED BARRED ROCK EGGS male calf. A. N. Epps at Blackard \$1.50 for 15 eggs. Phone 30, Mrs. 36tf A. C. Elkins.

see T. J. Broxson.

FOR SALE-Second hand up-right piano at a bargain and other household goods. Call Signal office. 38tf.

Hemstitching and plain sewing at my home. See or write me.

COTTON SEED-Plenty of Good Mebane Cotton Seed \$2.00 per bushel. Will appreciate your telling your friends when you write them about these seed: O. L. Jones.

teen .- Mrs. Cora Burrough, Dermott, town, near Crowder school, no house

FOR SALE-4 good mules, 1 brood mare, 1 horse, 1 mule colt, 2 milk cows, 2 wagons, 2 cultivators, 1 planter, 1 stalk cutter, 1, 60 tooth harrow, 1 sulky plow, other tools, 1 rap buggy and harness, several pair chain harness, collars, bridles, lines 3 hogs several tons maize heads, bundle feed, cotton seed for planting good farm for rent. Reason sickness

FOR SALE-Up-to-date second hand FOR SALE-Purebred Buff Orping- FOR RENT-40 acres of good land. PURE BRED PARTRIDGI Wheeler & Wilson, Sewing Machine, ton eggs for hatching. \$1 per fif- in good fix, six miles southwest of Chickens, Eggs \$1.50 for 1 39p in the deal. See Mrs. J. T. Ramsey, Route 1, Snyder, Texas, 31-5R 38pd

> ROOM FOR RENT-Apply to Mrs. Lit Chapman. Phone 214.

See Mrs. Hutcheson's Recital at the Cozy March 11th and 12th. 39

LOST-Between Snyder and Justiceburg, two Kely-Springfield tires and rims, size 33x4. Finder please comand death. R. F. and R. S. Atkin- municate to R. Walter, P. O. Box 75 | ican business interests are son, 5 miles east Snyder, Rt. A 38p Amarillo, Texas.

monds, Snyder, Texas.

the Snyder Opera House at ting it in fine shape, putti chairs and fixing up the first class order. He is t line of good entertainment poses to meet all the requir an up to date play house

It looks now like the senators have fully defeat cation of the peace treaty a 38pd. in a state of uncertainty.

Howell Replice

#### Ar zona Man Defends Wilson.

Hardware Co.

The Dallas News prints the following letter from a reader:

"Prescott, Ark. Feb. 20 .- I notice ing this charge and the other and making heavy drafts on their imis paving about as much attention to Home. then as the eagle would if the tom tits should attack it.

Long after these tom tits are for- Mrs. I. D. Hull chairman of per-They will find in the end he has made needs. is the wise man who changes his the Orphans' Home soon. mind, the fool never.

W. T. ATKINS.

Texas has fallen down. Hè estimates easy circle. from his idea of the Palley-Ferguson Meeting adjourned with prayer anti-comocratic attitude. He may by Mrs. Sims. book himsel for a change of view when he hears from the people.

Baptist Ladies. The regular monthly meeting of

the Baptist Ladies Aid Society was held Monday afternoon with thirteen quite a number are beginning to presents. Mrs. M. E. Rosser presiding "peck" on President Wilson, bring- Mrs Echols led the devotional ex-

The report by the treasurer, Mrs. agination all of which reminds me Gross, howed that the society had of a right between an eagle and a conducted quite liberally to various flock of tom tits, and the President contributed quite liberally to various

Mrs. H. E. Rosser read a fine report for the finance committee.

getten the memory of Woodrow Wil- sonal service committee, read a reson will be fresh among the Demo- port showing that the ladies of the cratic people of the earth. The peo- different circles had not forgotten ple know who is their friend and the sick, but had made many visits they are not going to forget him. to them, and administered to their

To mietake in the Lansing matter. It It was decided to send a box to

Mrs. Sims distributed booklets con taining programs for the year. Mrs. H. E. Rosser was elected lead-

Senator Harding of Ohio who is er of West Circle and resigned as new in Texas as a republican candi- secretary. Mrs. W. G. Ralston was date for President is trying to think elected to fill the place. Mrs. J. that the big democratic majority in R. Huckabee was elected leader of

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DORIS LEE BAY'S

LEADING WOMAN

Dorris Lee who will be seen as Betty Marvin supporting Charles, Ray in his latest Thomas H. Ince-Para- announcement in the Signal this mount picture "Hay Foot, Straw- week as a candidate for the office Foot," which will be shown at the of Public Weigher. He is serving his Cozy theatre Tomorrow, is a charm- first term in that position and has ing little miss just sixteen years old. made good on every part of the She was born in Seattle, Wash., Oct. ground. 15, 1902. She developed a dramatic talent early and at twelvel had the and courteous and if re-elected will distinction of leading thousands of continue to balance his scales corchildren in a folk dance at the San meet all requirements of the law in Diego exposition.

made her debut as a public player Give him due consideration. when but four and when but nine years old she was called to San Fran sisro to accompany on the piano the election April 6, to elect a Mayor, famous violinist Kubelik.

attracted the eye of Thomas H. short time for a campaign. If no-Ince and he gave her the chance to body volunteers, we may have to replay her first part in support of Chas. sort to selective draft. Ray in "His Mother's Boy." Since that time she has played supporting the Game" "The Law of the North" "Green Eyes."

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