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MOST HORRIBLE FATE

LITTLE GIRL'S TERRIBLE FATE IN BOSTON, MASS.

One of the Most Revolting Crimes Recorded in That City for Years—Money Won is Not Exempt from the Operation of the Income Tax.

BOSTON, Mass., April 15.—The most revolting crime known in Boston for many years was unearthed by the police of Dorchester district late Saturday afternoon when the body of Alice Sterling, the 8-year-old daughter of George W. Sterling of Savinhill avenue, was found buried in a manure heap at an old stable on the Deny estate. The girl's skull had been crushed in by a heavy blow from an ax and there were unquestionable indications that she had been assaulted. Augus Gill, a railroad employe, is charged with the crime. The girl disappeared Wednesday, and Friday the police were informed by Miss Edith Reid that she had seen a man with a red mustache leading the girl toward the beach. From the description the officers decided the man was Augus Gill, the night station agent at the depot, and he was at once arrested. The old stable on the Deny place, in the direction of which Gill was seen to go, was searched. Two old towels and bloody rags were found in Gill's room. When the manure pile was searched Officer Perkins struck a human foot. A body was pulled out and was soon identified as Alice Sterling. Her skull was crushed and the cause of death was apparent. Her clothing was torn. A bloody ax was seen near by. Gill would not admit the crime, but when brought handcuffed to view the body he trembled violently. Gill is 28 years old, and came from Nova Scotia over a year ago. He was considered a good business man by the railroad people.

To Make a Campaign.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—It is now certain that several members of the administration will take a prominent part in the political campaigns over the money question that will be carried on in different states. The invitation of Chicago business men to President Cleveland asking him to make an address in that city on the currency question has been followed by invitations from other places asking members of the cabinet to make similar addresses to vindicate the administration before the country. The president has not yet answered the Chicago invitation, but if he finds it impossible to go it is expected he will express by letter his views on money.

Money Won Not Exempt.

ST. LOUIS, April 15.—A special from Lexington, Ky., says: Desha Breckinridge, deputy collector of internal revenue of this district, who has charge of collecting the income tax, has decided that money won at gambling, including money won on horse races, comes within the income tax, and persons whose winnings have been during the past year over $4000 will have to make returns or suffer the penalty prescribed by law. He also decides that losses incurred in gambling cannot be deducted; that the law does not recognize such losses as proper reductions from income received.

Contention of Newfoundland.

OTTAWA, Ont., April 10.—One of the stipulations which Newfoundland delegates will insist on should union take place, will be streamers between the nearest Canadian point and the west shore of the shore of the island, there to connect with a railway now under construction across the island. In this connection Sanford Flemming, the well known engineer, says the intercean railway will be utilized as a link in the great passenger and mail route between America and Europe. By this means the Atlantic from land to land could be crossed in five days.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 11.—The big steamer St. Paul, which disappointed so many persons on March 25 by sticking on the ways was successfully launched at 1:05 yesterday afternoon at Cramp's ship yard in the presence of nearly 20,000 people. There was no hitch in the arrangements. The steamer was christened by Miss Frances E. Griscom, daughter of the president of the International Navigation company. The launching was witnessed by the governor, the members of both branches of the legislature and city officials.

A Deficit Discovered.

HAZELTON, Pa., April 13.—City Comptroller Jacobs announced to the counsel yesterday that the books of Joseph Saltmon, his predecessor, showed a deficit of $20,000. While he thought that it was a clerical error he would not assume charge until the matter was adjusted.

His Last Jump.

NEW YORK, April 15.—A Brooklyn bridge policeman saw a man, apparently 19 years old, climb to the center cable and jump into the river Saturday. He disappeared beneath the surface of the water and never came up.

The Terms of Peace.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—An authoritative statement of the terms of peace being negotiated between Japan and China has been secured from official sources. The statement is made in order to clear up much misapprehension arising from speculation as to the terms. They are five in number as follows:

1. The independence of Corea.
2. Permanent cession of the island of Formosa to Japan.
3. An indemnity of 300,000,000 taels (Chinese coin worth $1.33).
4. Permanent occupation of Port Arthur and immediate contiguous territory.
5. New Japan-China treaty opening the interior of China to commerce.

The money indemnity is expressed in Chinese taels instead of Japanese yen. A tael in reality is a weight instead of coin. It is considered silver money. While the face value at $1.33 would be equivalent to $399,000,000 in silver, it is said, the actual value will be between $210,000,000 and $220,000,000 in gold. The fifth term as to a new treaty includes various trade features, such as free access of Chinese rivers. There is no demand for territory on main land outside of Port Arthur and its contiguous surroundings.

The Old Issue Again.

WASHINGTON, April 11.—Jere M. Wilson, counsel for John G. Moore of New York in his income tax suit, when asked yesterday regarding his intention to again test the law, said: "It will be essentially the old issue over again, except that it will be presented to a full bench, and the decision will be decisive one way or the other. The purpose of the new suit will not be so much to raise old questions as to present new questions for final settlement. There is no doubt that the law will be passed on finally and decisively sooner or later." Judge Wilson's purpose is to advance the new case through its preliminary stages in the lower courts while the supreme court is short of a full bench. By the time the case is ready for argument in the supreme court it is expected that Justice Jackson will be sufficiently recovered to permit him to return to the bench or that his successor will have qualified.

Election Indictments.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 13.—A special grand jury yesterday returned four additional indictments for election frauds. Two of the indictments are against Charles A. Millman, ex-state representative, and who was a candidate for justice of the peace in the fall elections, and charge him with voting in a precint in which he did not live, and for drugging a judge of elections, F. D. Fenton. Another true bill returned is an omnibus indictment against John May, Alderman John Moran, ex-Recorder of Votes C. S. Owsley, Justice O. W. Kreuger, H. G. Bristow, George J. Pearce and R. L. Krueger. It charges them with having entered into a conspiracy to commit the various frauds and acts committed in the twenty-second ward. All of them have been indicted for separate offenses previous to this report.

Practice in Damage Suits.

TOLEDO, O., April 12.—Judge Ricks has delivered an opinion in the United States court here which will change the practice relating to damage suits brought against the receiver of a railroad company by intervening petion. Judge Ricks says: "The act of congress having given a party the right to sue the receiver in a state court, where the right to a trial by jury is accorded him, unless waived, if the receiver brings that controversy by removal into the federal court, I think the intent and purpose of the act of congress should be carried out, and that if he demands it he should have a trial jury in the court to which his case has been removed without his consent."

The Threat of Russia.

WASHINGTON, April 12.—The threat against Japan by Russia in its semi-official organ, the Oova Vremya, has caused much surprise in diplomatic circles here. It was supposed that Russia had an understanding with Japan as to the terms of peace to be held out to China, including the acquisition by Japan of Formosa and Port Arthur and the exaction of an indemnity. As to Great Britian, which now appears to be reproached with failing to maintain a stiff front against Japan, it says she was the one power to resist aggressions.

Damaged by Floods.

LIBERTY, N. Y., April 13.—Reports of floods are just beginning to come in from the backwoods of Sullivan county. Woodsmen lost a vast quantity of wood and much lumber was swept away. The valleys of the Beaverkill, Delaware and Naverink rivers are said to have suffered most, the damage amounting to thousands of dollars. The villages of Rockland, De Bruce and Livingston Manor, Craigville and Oakland were partially flooded, the losses on highways and bridges being heavy. The waters were unusually high.

A TAX CONFERENCE.

THE COMMITTEE HAS NOT BEEN APPOINTED.

There is a Difference of 2 1-4 Cents on the Hundred Dollars Between the Two Houses—The Governor's Objections to the Land Bill.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 15.—The president of the senate has not appointed a conference committee on the school tax bill, and probably will not until to-morrow. There is plenty of time, as the two houses will doubtless promptly adopt a unanimous conference report when submitted. The difference between the two houses is not important. The house raises the tax to the 20 cents maximum and the senate adopts 17¾. These figures were adopted by the deciding vote of President Jester, there being a tie. The only danger would be in appointing senators on the conference committee who opposed the tax raise to 20 cents, as two reports might result. However, Col. Jester has been investigating the school finances since the vote was taken, and is understood to have concluded it is necessary to go the limit. If that is his conclusion he will appoint 20-cent committeemen and the house bill will be adopted.

Land Bill.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 15.—For several days past the friends of the land bill have been calling on Governor Culberson to urge him to give the measure a favorable consideration, but as he has persistently urged objections to it they met Saturday night for the purpose of meeting such objections with amendmenes to be introduced, and if possible adopted to-day to save the bill. The governor objects to allowing the lease holders under the present 4 per cent law to take advantage of the reduction in losses made by the bill. He also objects to section 9 of the bill as far as it applies to future forfeitures. He further insists on a straight 3 cents per acre lease rate instead of a 2-cent rate for grazing and 3-cent rate for agricultural lands. Aside from all this he insists that the venue of all suits touching lease interest and forfeitures shall be fixed at Austin.

A Speaker Pro Tem.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 9.—The house was called to order by Chief Clerk Haile yesterday morning owing to the absence of Speaker Smith, who went home Saturday to attend to law business which will keep him away for a week or more. The first business before the house being the election of a speaker pro tem, Col. McKinney of Walker placed in nomination the Hon. J. R. Gough of Collin and the nomination was seconded by Mr. Evans of Hunt. There being no further nominations balloting was proceeded with and resulted as follows: Gough 70, McKinney 2, Cocke 11, Tarver 1, Speckles 2, Bumpass 1. Mr. Gough having received a majority of the ballots cast was escorted to the chair by Messrs. McKinney, Ward and Mills and after the oath was administered, thanked the house for the honor conferred upon him, and proceeded to business.

To Investigate Blandishments.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 15.—Representative Tarver has prepared for introduction in the house to-day a resolution calling for the appointment of a committee of nine senators and five representatives to investigate the brand of the "blandishments" referred to by Gov. Culberson in his message vetoing the Texas and New Orleans consolidation bill and to determine how many, if any, of the legislators who voted for the bill succumbed to its influence. The investigation may possibly cause some developments of an unpleasant nature.

Local Option Bill Killed.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 10.—Yesterday afternoon the house put in two hours discussing the Bounds bill to amend the local option law so as to examine all applicants for whisky prescriptions and tack on to such prescriptions when granted an affidavit that such examination was made, and to require druggists to keep a record of all such prescriptions. The bill was finally killed by striking out the enacting clause, on motion of Mr. Rogers.

Then the fee bill was once more taken up, and an exciting wraugle followed.

May Be Defeated.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 13.—The Wayland insurance bill instead of passing the house with that umanimity predicted by some of its friends, is encountering an opposition that may yet defeat it. Members who have examined the constitution with reference to this second bill containing the same substance as the Mills measure, which was defeated on the 13th of March in the senate, are being forced to the conclusion that not only is the Wayland bill unconstitutional, but that if it should pass a precedent would be established fraught with great danger.

The Libel Bill Dead.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 12—The Bowser libel bill was laid before the house on second reading with faverable majority and unfavorable minority committee reports.

Mr. Ward moved the adoption of the majority report and spoke in support of his motion.

Messrs. Ward, Patterson and Peck also spoke in support of the majority report.

A motion having been made to substitute the minority report and the previous question having been ordered, Mr. Feagin, one of the signers of the said minority report, closed the discussion and urged its substitution.

The minority report was adopted by a vote of 43 to 42.

After the result had been announced Mr. Blair obtained the floor and stated that he had voted "yea" for the purpose of moving a reconsideration of the vote by which the minority report had been adopted, and asked that said motion be spread upon the journal.

The motion to reconsider was immediately called up an tabled, which kills the bill.

Little Somervell.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 11.—The senate finance committee has decided to report favorably the house bill authorizing the secretary of state to furnish Somervell county with copies of the laws and court reports. A minority talk of sending up an adverse report. Somervell county suffered a serious misfortune in the loss of its county records in part, and books belonging to the courts, and another, as some think, in a complete change in its political ascendency. The minority, it appears, would perpetuate the punishment due to an act of God in the destruction of the books because the Populists encumber Somervell county offices. The idea is that Somervell county affairs must be administered without knowledge of the laws and authorities. To carry out this policy the Populist counties ought to be deprived of their school fund allotments and their share of appropriations for enforcing the laws.

Democratic Caucus.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 12.—Thirty-two Democratic members of the house met in caucus last night for the purpose of disposing of the recommendations of the steering committee. After discussing the matter for two hours in a more or less acrimonious manner, and after it had been stated that several bills which had been introduced and passed, among them the arbitration bill, were simply campaign thunder and not worth a hill of beans, it was finally decided to take up and dispose of all pending senate bills on the third reading and engrossed house bills, after which the redistricting bill, the codifying bill and the bill reducing the per diem of sheriffs in conveying attached witnesses from $2.50 to $1, are to be taken up. Adjourned subject to the call of the chairman.

University and Electricity.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 11.—Mr. Wester yesterday morning made the suggestion that Austin ought to make the appropriation of $6000 for the proposed electrical plant at the university instead of the state, because she derives so many benefits from that institution. Mr. Ward promptly retorted that Austin had already raised $30,000 with which to purchase encampment grounds after a junketing committee had been sent all over the state to see which city would offer the greatest inducements for the encampment, and that the state through this legislature had shamelessly repudiated this contract by withdrawing the encampment appropriation and leaving Austin with the bag to hold.

Some More New Laws.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 13.—Gov. Culberson yesterday approved the bill authorizing the transfer ofthe confederate home from private to state management and to establish said home as a state institution and provide for its support.

The following acts became laws without executive approval:

To authorize the purchase of Harbor island by the Aransas Pass Harbor company.

To diminish the civil and criminal jurisdiction of the county court of Angelina county.

To validate the incorporation of towns and cities of 1000 inhabitants or over which have heretofore been attempted under certain conditions.

Appropriation Bill Passed.

AUSTIN, Tex., April 13.—The house took another flutter at the the appropriation bill yesterday morning and after suspending, for the present action upon the items for the medical branch of the university of Texas it adopted the finance committee's recommendations for the Sam Houston normal school without change. Many other amendments were considered, and among them was an amendment providing for the purchase of a portrait of Gov. Hogg to be hung in the supreme court library at an expense of $500 was defeated by a vote of 60 to 42. The bill was finally passed by a vote of 84 to 15.

STATE CONDENSATIONS.

A Breviary of Daily Happenings from Various Sources.

At Madisonville the other day A. J. Morgan was sitting talking to another man, when he was approached by Peter and Lit Farris. Peter asked Morgan if he had accused him of stealing a horse, to which Morgan replied in the affirmative, at the same time rising to his feet. Both men reached for a pistol, when Lit Farris threw his arms about Morgan, holding him securely. Pater Farris stepped up, placed his pistol against Morgan's head and fired. Lit stepped away and let the dead body fall. Lit was arrested and put under bonds. Peter made his escape, though the officers are searching for him.

At Daville, Milam county, recently, in a difficulty between John Morgan, aged 16, and another boy, Morgan received a stab in the side of his head with a pocket knife. The blade entered the skull about half an inch and broke off about an inch above the skull. The doctor tried three times with a pair of dental forceps before he could remove the blade. Young Morgan is not seriously hurt. No arrests were made, owing to the friendship of the fathers.

At Bartlett, Williamson county, recently, a little after dark, a heavy rain cloud with vivid lightning moved up from the northwest. A copious rain fell and then followed a deposit of red dust or sand which extends for at least four or five miles around there. The deposit is probably one-sixteenth inch thick. No such thing ever occurred here before. Whether it is an extension of a western sand storm or a shower of "star dust" is the question.

A boy plowing in the field of Mr. Malone's, three miles from Celeste, Hunt county, one morning recently, found the body of a man lying on the ground with his throat cut on both sides. A physician's knife was found twenty-one feet away with blood on the smaller blade, both blades being closed. He was a stranger, no clew to his identity, neither is it known whether he committed suicide or was murdered.

At Collinsville, Grayson county, the effects of 5-cent cotton is already being felt. A car of hogs was shipped to Fort Worth from that place recently. Several farmers are putting in Irish potatoes, melons, etc., so they can be shipped by carloads. The acreage of cotton has been cut at least 50 per cent on the prairie, while in the timber it has been reduced more than 20 per cent.

The late grand jury of Van Zandt county, in its report, says among other things: "In conformity with a suggestion of the court, we have made an exhaustive investigation into the alleged fraud in letting the contract to build the court house and find no semblance of fraud on the part of the judge, T. R. Yantis, or any member of the commissioners' court."

Dick Edwards who has been convicted of murder and given a life sentence, on being offered a pardon recently, if he would tell all he knows about the murder of Mrs. Dr. Haynes at Denison, on May 17, 1892, burst into tears, and said he knew nothing to tell. He declares that he does not know a single fact that would throw any light on the case.

At Reagan, Falls county, recently while Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] were out driving, their horse became frightened. After running a short distance the buggy was capsized and Mr. Ward thrown against a barbed wire fence, and was badly cut about the face and hands. Mrs. Ward escaped with slight bruises.

Citizens anticipate a great time at the picnic to be held at Kirbyville on the 1st of May. By that time the Gulf, Beaumont and Kansas City road will have completed its track and established a depot at Kirbyville, twenty-four miles from Jasper. It will not be long before Jasper will be the terminus of the road.

In the case of Higgins and wife vs. Bordage, on an appeal from Jefferson county, the supreme court holds that neither municipal corporations nor the state legislature has the power to impose a lien on homesteads to pay for street and sidewalk improvements, and all such liens are declared to be void.

Corn is up nicely in most places in Smith county and is in a fair condition to get a good start. Cotton acreage is perceptibly decreased, causing an increase in that of corn. Vegetables were considerably injured by the recent cold, but are recovering.

James Darst and another boy were out hunting recently near Spofford, Kinney county, when Darst was bitten by a rattlesnake. He was carried to Spofford and treated for the bite.

An unknown negro man fell from a freight train at Chriesman, Burleson county, the other evening and sustained a severe cut on the head and had a leg broken. He was taken in charge by a negro family and a doctor sent for, who bound up his wounds.

THE HUNTER'S STORY

TELLS HOW HE WAS STRICKEN WITH PARALYSIS.

Ezra Peet Was One of the Pioneers in Texas, Lived There 62 Years.

(From the Post, Houston, Texas.)

One day last autumn a reporter of this paper and a popular drummer started from Orange, Texas, for a drive across country; the reporter on business for his paper and the drummer to sell goods. On the return trip they heard the report of a shotgun, and soon Ezra Peet emerged from the wood with his dogs. The drummer knew him. "You are looking wonderfully spry," said the drummer, "how came the change?"

"That's all right and I am right glad to tell you and that newspaper friend of yours what wrought all this change in me," said Mr. Peet, as he took a seat on a fallen log alongside our buggy.

"Sixty-two years ago I came to Texas, seven of which I have spent on yonder farm. One day while sitting in my chair I grew dizzy, fell backward out of it, partly lost my power of speech for a time, and, to be brief, I was taken with a stroke of paralysis in my left side. For months and years my wife purchased medicines of all kinds for me, I took them regularly, but to no avail an I had given up all hope of ever being relieved, of my suffering when I was requested to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. When I sent for them I was suffering intense pains in my left side, feeling absolutely worthless physically and suffered a loss in my weight of about twenty pounds. To tell you the truth I had no faith in them when they came, for had I not spent money after money without receiving a particle of benefit. But I changed my mind ere I had taken the contents of the first box for I felt a constant and decided improvement all around and every member of my family noticed it also. I kept on improving every day, by and by I could walk as well as ever, just as you see me here, and all this was accomplished by taking the contents of about half a dozen boxes of the Pills according to directions. Now I keep them in our medicine chest all the time and would not be without them under any circumstances. My wife has been taking the pills lately owing to the weak condition of her system and she, too, claims that they are benefiting her right along. Yes, sir, to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I certainly attribute the change for the better you see in me today and am ready to recommend them as a great remedy in cases for which they are intended. For the benefit of the sick I am glad to say something on every occasion about these wonderful pills."

Dr. Willams' Pink Pills contain all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are for sale by all druggists, or may be had by mail from Dr. Willams' Med. Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for 50c. per box, or six boxes for $2.50.

If Not, Why Not.

A physician points out that several fallacies are common with regard to the weight of the human body. The man who congratulates himself on his gain of several pounds in weight over a given period may have no cause for rejoicing, for he may be under a delusion. Very few persons, says this investigator, have any correct idea of their own weight. As a matter of fact the weight of the body is continually changing, owing to innumerable influences. On a warm day after breakfast a man will lose a third of a pound per hour. Seventy per cent of the body consists of water, and its weight varies constantly. The inference to be drawn from the loss or gain of a pound or two may be mistrusted. Fluctuations of a few onces are a sign that the body is in a healthy state.

A Big Time.

On June 1 the city of New York will celebrate the opening of the Harlem ship canal, an enterprise with which it has been struggling since 1829. The canal is eight miles long, 350 feet wide and 15 feet deep, and has cost $3,000,000. It connects the East and Hudson rivers at the upper end of the city, and saves thirty miles to vessels descending one river and ascending the other.

How She Learned.

In 1572 somebody sent Catherine de Medici a box of powdered tobacco leaves. She acquired a taste for the herb, both chewing and snuffing, or rather smelling it, and for many years the plant was called in France "herbe de la reine."

Moonlight.

The moon's light has been found to be about 300,000 less than that of the sun, and, according to Prof. Young, a sky completely covered with full moons would give only one-eighth of the light we get from the sun. It thus seems improbable that the moon has any appreciable meteorological influence.

Singular.

Six near relatives of George H. McCamon of Biddeford, Me., met violent deaths—the father, grandfather, two brothers and two cousins.

Very Powerful.

Photography is now more powerful than the eye in telescopic work, and the phenomena of eclipses are increasing in importance. The possible discovery of a satellite to our moon has been agitated of late, and it would be no more surprising than to find that the familiar atmosphere has an important element that escaped observation until a few months ago. The coming era of larger lenses, improved photography will render the moon an object of artistic interest.

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EDITORIAL.

We believe the railroad to be a very good thing. But when we carry an "ad" for a R. R. we want no free pass shut mouth in it. We shall be glad to have their "ads" but not in that way.

Below we give a few clippings from the Dallas News which indicate the coming cyclone; and it will be simply awful. If you are out, stay out; if in, get ye out of partisan politics.

The hearts and stomachs of blind partisans are all alike, albeit they may belong to different and opposing parties.
—News.

Why not rearrange the income tax law so as to exempt every man who will vote the democratic ticket.
— Dallas News.

The only trouble in Texas is chargeable to the politicians and very largely, to so-called democratic politicians at that.
—News.

The unconditional free and unlimited coinage of silver a, an arbitrary ratio of 16 to 1, regardless of creditors and consequnces, is populist doctrine, and politicians who preach it belong under the fiat money banner,
—News.

The primary election law recently signed by Gov. Culberson is merely a step in the general movement to help the "party" along by legislation. After all there is no more dangerous class legislation than such party legislation.
—News.

Cuba's last hope is gone. Campos has arrived, The great Spanish General is once more on Cuban soil to quell an insurrection. The insurgents have met a great defeat. They have lost one of their leaders and Maceo himself barely escaped. They also had a hot skirmish near Gibara.

Near all the great cities are trying to run their elections upon nonpartisan principles. Who will say that is not a move in the right direction however far extended.

President Cleveland and Secretary were invited to an ovation given the president in Chicago to express their appreciation of his sound currency policy. He could not be present, but declined in a gold ring letter. Does Cleveland believe "its streets are of gold?" Then why does he not put his gold policy under foot, for when the day comes to pave the streets the stuff will be out of shape; besides, those who hold it are loathe to give it up.

The proceedings of the present Texas legislature is proof that some men elected to office the lobbyist is more binding than promises made to the people during the campaign.
—Mail-Telegram.

Look on first page of this paper for the latest news that you will be likely to get form any scorse until next Tuesday, in regard to the Goss land bill.

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Scurry County

So many questions are asked of so many different persons here, by those residing in other parts that we have thoght it would be a great saving of time and labor to those not accustomed to writing, if we would publish in our columns a fair and correct statement of facts regarding our county, its soil climate, grasses, timber, water and its lands; by what tenure holden and how obtained

Scurry County was organized in July of 1884. its latitude is about 32 deg. North, and its nearest point to the Texas & Pacific R. R. is about 10 miles North from that road. Colorado, a beautiful little city on said R. R. is situated about 25 miles south of Snyder, our county site. There are various soils, mostly of a loamy appearance and usually plows well; so that a correct topography of the country would represent it easily tillable and productive everywhere all things being equal.

Our water is good with sufficient amount on the surface in some parts of the county, and easily gotten, by artificial means almost anywhere. We have enough timber for ordinary purposes; there being little or no coal used and most fencing posts are made from timber found upon the land enced. the grasses are Mesquite and Buffalo or Gamma, but chiefly the former which is considered by judges as the very best of the wild varieties.

The lands are alternate sections of school and R. R., either of which may be bought at low price on long time. The school land at from $2.00 to 3.00 per acre on forty years. The R. R., is about the same price we suppose on ten yrs. But there is a feature about the ownership of our lands that enhances their value above that of other counties near us. Those who posess these lands are settlers on them.

There are few if any, great capitalists or syndicates, interested as in neighboring counties. We have good school and church facilities. The schools in SNYDER are under the supervision of an able educator, assisted by two excellent teachers, which schools altogether enrolled this year about 150 pupils.

SNYDER sits upon the banks of Deep Creek a beautiful flowing stream of clear soft water.

Some have blundered in supposing that because the land produces better a little farther east, where rainfall is greater, that it is a better country than ours. But in comparing this country with the "brag" farming districts of the East, we must not forget the fact, that while one acre there may produce more than two here, it is easier and cheaper to put in and cultivate five here than one there.

An explanation is found in the character of our soil, the sparseness of timber in parts, and the abundance of grass and cheap stock.

Our county has a good corps of clever officers, number of educated physicians, lawyers and teachers.

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TAX SALE NOTICE.

By virtue of authority vested in me as Tax Collector of Scurry County, Texas; I have this day levied upon, and will proceed to sell to the highest bidder for cash, at public outcry, in front of the court house door, in the town of Snyder, county of Scurry, State of Texas between the legal hours of sale after advertising, as the law directs, on the first Tuesday in May A. D. 1895, so much of the following described aswill be sufficient to satisfy the taxes thereon for the year 1894, together with all costs that have, or may accrue thereon by virtue of said levy and sale, said sale to continue from day to day thereafter, until the whole list is completed. The said property is described as follows, to wit:

By whom rendered or Assessed.	Abstract No.	Original Grantee.	No. of Acres.	City or town Lots.	No. of Lot.	No. of Block.	Total.	Cost
Resident Roll.								
R R Lively				Snyder	1	2	$7. 69	$2. 50
Non-resident Roll.								
Benton G. B.				Snyder L. P. A.	3	15	$0. 25	$2. 50
Everett Lelia				Snyder	1.4	35	51	$2. 50
Myers Jacob				"	1	44	$1. 56	$2. 50
Tullis W. B.				"		33	$2. 62	$2, 50
Williams J. M.				"	1	55	$0. 25	$2. 50
Unrendered Roll.								
Boyd A. M.				Snyder B. A.	2	45	$1. 05	$2. 50
Brown G. W.				"	3	21	$0. 20	$2. 50
Singletary F F				"	1-3	29	$0 20	2. 50
Turner W S				"		43	1.56	2 50
Mc Guir J H				Snyder S A		63	.51	2 50
Watson Dan				Snyder	1-4	24	$2. 11	2. 50

By whom rendered or Assessed.	Abstract No.	Certificate No.	Survey No.	Original Grantee	No. of Acres.	Total.	Cost
Elkins R. H.	38	9-1713	75	H & G N R. R. Co.	240	$4. 10	2. 50
Priddy J. B.	907		1	J B Priddy	160	$5. 12	2, 50

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continued from last issue.

A father presents his son with a glass of alcoholic drink, the son accepts, the father has set the example. The son dreams not of the danger into which he is running, until he has acquired the alcoholic appetite, then like the rushing waters of the Niagara he is ushered down lifes tempestuous stream to a drunkards grave and makes his home in an inebriates hell.

Reason, both deep and wide challenge any mind to say that father is not responsible to some extent for the sins of that son.

A mother encourages her daughter to attend the ball, yea tolerates them 'neath her own roof and all know the base and dishonest as well as the innocent and the pure are allowed to attend. Politness and good breeding forces the daugher to treat all with courtesy She is subjected to the wicked conspiracy of the vulgar minded. In some instances the daughter sins, dies a disgraced out cast, enters the vaults of the pandemonium regions to writhe forever.

Dare you say "that mother is not responsible for the sins of that child?"

Some might offer ignorance as an excuse, but in this age when so many books are written upon the duty of parents to their children. The Bible is suffient.

"Rear your children up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord". If a parent does his duty in following this command he need not fear appearing before the bar of God burdened with the sins of his children.

If a child is overtaken in a fault he should be corrected. The parent should reason with him, plead with him, pray with him not to do so any more. I doubt not that thousands who have lived a life of infamy, died a life of infamy, and gone to a world of infamy, had they been properly taught, would have lived a christian life died a christian death and have carried hundreds with them to a christians home.

I know that it is a sad fact, that many parents do not know right and wrong and the ethical reason of it. The grandest mind is incapable of knowing what present act will bring upon their child a future evil. Therfore we can not tell just to what extent parents are responsible for the sins of their children. It surely depends to a great degree upon the knowledge of the parent. But all parents in enlightened countries are informed and generally teach their children against such sins as profaning, gambling, defrauding and drinking. But these are not a beginning of the list against which parents should teach their children. But sad to say they fail to teach them the reason of the wrong, They sometimes teach against such overt acts, to make them appear better in the eyes of the world, and not in the sight of God. "They make clean the out side of the cup and platter; but the inward part is full of ravening and wickedness.

It is parental nature to desire perfection in their childrens attire and some spend more money and time in preparing them to appear in company, than preparing them to appear before God.

Parents teach their children to avoid poisonous reptiles because the bite is likely to result in physical death. They tell them the evil effects of eating to an excess. They instruct them in many things in regard to the hygenical care of the body; that it is hazardous to do this or to neglect that, and neglect to say anything about the care of the inner nature or the cultivation of the immortal principle against which the battlements of Satan are hurled with such wondrous force.

It is very well to teach them to care for the body, but to neglect to teach to avoid anything that will make base the inner man or fail to induce to "hunger and thirst after righteousness" is a sin of omission as black and heinous as many sins of commission, and the neglect of such a duty will deceive the child of the nature of many sins which would be shunned with as much dread as he would shun the "cobra that lifts its crested head to strike its victim low."

Parents who neglect such duties are to some extent responsible for the sins their children commit through ignorance and perhaps to some extent for the good he might do if he had been properly taught. But if parents have reasoned with their children about right and wrong and the child sins against the will of the parent, the parent is not responsible for the sins of that child.

Now Catholicism says "give us the children till they are eight years of age and we will take the world." Parents you have them from infancy until they reach the years of maturity, unless death takes them away. May God help you to take the world for Christ

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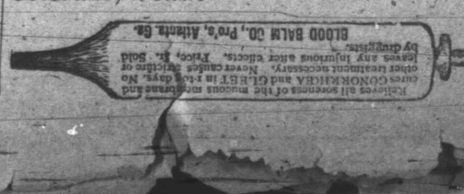

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THE NEWS.

LOCAL NOTES.

A new hydrant on south side. between Grayum's and Manry's.

M. L. Wickline of Durham, Co of Borden, was in town Wednesday.

Good rains fell in different parts of the county last week. It will do good though some say no one was suffering for it.

There will be work for the examining board next Saturday.
R. J. Strayhorn Exofficio Supt.

Our Borden County subscription list increases with every issue.

A. T. Locklear, of Borden, was in town last week, left his name on our list of subscribers.

Another Fire

is not needed in Snyder but corn, oats, hay, bran and milo maize, may be needed at any time. All these different feed stuffs can be easily found by calling at the livery and feed stable of
Mr. W. A. Jones.

If you spend your cash with Dodson Bros., when it gives out you can still get goods.

Look in next issue for an "ad" from mongomery, ward & Co., of Chicago.

Mrs. Irene Cummings has opened the Wasson photograph gallery and will take pictures, at the following prices, for the next thirty days.

1 dozen	Cabinet size,	$2.00
½ "	" "	$1.25
1 "	Card size,	$1.25
½ "	" "	.75

We recieved a communication from Bookout this week, which was crowded out by the big fire. It will appear next week.

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The gale of 5th inst. did some damage everywhere heard from. Snyder and Scurry county as far as heard from, came through unhurt. Either the wind was lighter, or our mechanics better.

Strike Him

for everything in the grocery line and recieve the whole worth of your money. We mean F. Crist the grocery man, who keeps on west side square. Snyder Tex.

J. S. York, of Borden, was in our town last Saturday. His fine plow had gone to pieces, and he brought it to Girard & Bibbee, who York says, does better work for less money than any one else out here.

Grandpa Miles has been sick for several days but is now improving. Glad to hear it.

J. R. Manry sels 20 lbs. choice Y. C. Sugar to the dollar.

Quit complaining and go to F. J. Grayums and get a bottle of paines celery compound.

A good-as-new 38 cal. Winchester and scalbird for sale at our office.

Spring Fights

have opened up. For furthur perticulars see L. H. Nichols at his soda pop stand.

When any merchant has a cheap day in Snyder go to Dodson Bros., they will sell cheaper than any competitor on that day. In fact these men mean the superlative degree cheapest.

The NEWS is anxious that its subscribers should have the advantage of every good thing going. With this end in view we have arranged with The Hosterman Publishing Co., Springfield, Ohio. for a supply of yearly subscriptions to their two great monthlies, "FARM NEWS," and "WOMANKIND," which will be presented FREE TO EVERY PAID IN ADVANCE subscriber to the NEWS.

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CHURCH DIRECTORY.

PREACHING

Snyder, 1st. Sunday		11 A. M.
" 3rd.	"	Night
Prayer meeting Wed.		"
Bookout 2nd. Sun.		11 A. M.
Jumbo "	"	3.30. P. M.
Camp Springs 3rd. Sun.		11 A. M.
Browning, 4th Sun.		3.30. P. M.

W. H. Harris P. C.

Snyder	2nd. Sun.	11 A. M.
Jumbo	3rd. "	11 A. M.
Bookout	" "	4 P. M.

W. W. Werner, Pastor.

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Hoping you sueces, I remain
Yours very Respt.
R. B. Pyron.

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Hon. I. P. Skinner has returned from his tour east, and called at our office, accompaied by his brother, John Skinner of Fisher Co. Mr. S. says we are as a class better off here than those at any point east of us.

If you have a clock, watch, sewing maching, jewelry, or any thing of the kind take it to R. W. Cumings' repair shop at Wtsson's photograph gallery.

Fierce Flames.

Snyder Loses a Blaze for the First Time.

Too Many "Extiguishers" On Hand.

The entire property, consisting of stalls grain rooms, and dwelling, occupied by J. A. Bean, was consumed by fire on last Monday, about 2 p. m., northwester raging. It was owned by Messers. Lundy, Wilmeth and Skinner (I P) and worth about $1,500. No insurance. In the stalls was a lot of dry fodder and a horse ignited a match that some careless person had dropped, is one supposed cause. It is thougt by some that, as the fire originated in Rev. J. M. Wood's feed house, where his little son was accustomed to play, that he with his little play mates innocently fired the building. Now, we think, the evidence of his parents sufficiently exonerates Obie Wood and a rat, or mouse, in our judgment, would beat most horses striking matches. Mr. Bean has been absent some days. With his presence and the absence of the so-called fire extinguisher the property would probably have been saved.

If, when the "extinguisher" agent came, we had proposed to fire a house, without kerosene, and let him been bonded in an amount equal to the value of the property, then our test would have saved us. It has been suggested that we place W. A. Jones, Sam Barfoot and H. P. Welborn on the honor roll for their heroic rescue of houshold good for the Bean family, though many others rendered true service, to all whom Mrs. Bean expresses her heart felt thanks

J. H. Nelson has some nice striped Cassimere pants, for this week only, at one dollar per pair. See them by all means.

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NOTICE SHERIFF'S SALE.

THE STAE OF TEXAS, } By virture of
County of Scurry. } an Alias Execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Mitchell county, on 5th day March, A. D., 1895, by the clerk thereof, in the case of Alfred J. Harris vs. T. M. Caldwell and M. L. Williams No. 748, and to me as sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell for cash, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriffs Sales, on the first Tuesday in May A. D. 1895, it being the 7th day of said month, before the Court House door of said Scurry County in the Town of Snyder, the following described property, to wit:

Lots one and two in Block one of the Scarborough addition to the Town of Snyder, together with all improvements thereon.

Levied on as the property of M. L. Williams, to satisfy a judgement amounting to $65.60 in favor of Alfred J. Harris, and costs of suit.

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Baltimore seems to have solved the street car fender problem. Some time ago a car fender commission was appointed and an ordinance passed requiring all cars to be equipped with a fender satisfactory to the commission, under a penalty of $5 a day for each car operated without a fender. Several different styles have been in use for two months, and in the opinion of the city authorities they have more than paid for themselves in the reduction of expenses from accidents. Mayor Latrobe says that the cars used to kill one or more persons a week, but that they have not seriously injured anyone during two months' use of the fenders.

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A thin coat of pure glycerine applied to both sides of glass will prevent any moisture forming theron, and will stay until it collects so much dust that it cannot be seen through. Surveyors can use it to advantage on their instruments in foggy weather. In fact, it can be used anywhere to prevent moisture from forming on anything, and locomotive engineers will find it particularly useful in preventing the accumulation of steam as well as frost on their windows during the cold weather.

Atlanta Hotel Fever.

The hotel fever is beginning to strike Atlanta, Ga. A number of practical people are figuring on structures of all sorts and sizes, from an eight-story granite hotel to the cheapest temporary structures. All this boom is due to the exposition, which is getting well under way. There are now about 500 men employed on the grounds.

Not a Novelty.

The use of a third cylinder on a locomotive, where the latter is a compound engine and the steam has two chances to expand, is no novelty. Such a plan is quite common in Europe. But a three-cylinder locomotive of the single expansion type is much more unusual, and, indeed, was unknown until quite recently. It is an American invention, too.

More Than Seven Thousand.

The light houses of the world number more than 7000. The United States has over 1300 houses and as many posts. The latter are simpler in construction and not very expensive, since they are maintained on shore. The annual appropriation for their keeping is now nearly $4,000,000.

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The inventiveness of Connecticut yankees is unparalleled. Every year they grow more inventive. A good proportion of the population of the state are inventors and patentees. Their business in life is to invent things and take out patents for them. Lots of the women of the state are patent holders, and the patents are for their own inventions, too. Connecticut stands the first among the inventive states of the union. The patents taken out last year by the inventors of the nutmeg state number one for every 1,903 of the state's inhabitants. This was for a single year.

Good Stayers.

A western episcopal missionary bishop who recently tried in vain to induce some young eastern clergymen to go west, wrote as follows to a friend in Chicago: "We sometimes say that young men in the east have no stamina, but from personal experience I can testify that they have staying power—staying at

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Some Old Records.

Northampton county, Virginia, has the unbroken record of its court from 1632 to the present time. This is believed to be the oldest complete court record in the United States. These are kept in the attic of the old courthouse on court papers bearing date before the settlement of Jamestown, and relating to the plans of the London company looking to the settlement of Jamestown, and relating to the plans of the London company looking to that settlement.

French Constitution.

The French constitution seems to be a great menace to the republic. During the last hundred years she has had no fewer than seventeen constitutions. Not content with this exhibition of political versatility, French history reveals that seven provisional governments at different times managed to worry along without the annoyance of a constitution.

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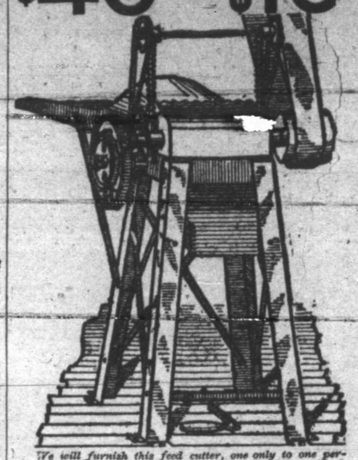

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