

THE BORDEN CITIZEN.

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Drs. Adams And Wray.

Drs. Adams & Wray, the noted eye specialists, will be in Clairemont and Dickens for the next 30 days. They restore vision and straighten cross eyes. They limit their practice to curable cases. Local and foreign testimonials and hundreds of "eye" witnesses. It will pay you to investigate. Come and see, or write,

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WHOA, MANDY!

Mr. Post, of Battle Creek fame, manufacturer of brain food, nerve invigorator, etc., etc., and chief exhibitor of Yankee gail, has favored us with the full particulars of a boycott which his business is enjoying. His little epistle was fraught with caution rather than love. He unburdens his heart thusly: "All publishers are hereby notified that any attempt at boycotting the writer, the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., or their products, through the columns of their publications will be met with prompt legal procedure for damages etc., etc., ect., ect."

Mr. Post might, with profit to himself, consume a greater quantity of his Renowed Brain and Nerve Food." He should not harrass the editor who has trouble of his own. As for the CITIZEN it is under boycott also, and has no time to spend with labor unions even it was disposed to do so.

SHERIFF'S SALE-- REAL ESTATE.

By virtue an Execution with bill of cost issued out of the District Court of Eastland County, Texas, in Cause No 1060, J. D. Bond vs. T. J. McCarty et al I did on the 8th day of June 1904, levy upon the following described Real Estate as the property of T. T. McCarty & Julia McCarty Defendants to wit: all of one Section of Land in Block 97 H & T c Ry co containing 640 acres and more fully Described as follows: abst. No. 1213 cert. No. 43-5360 Survey No. 315 original Grantee Julia McCarty, Located about 7 1/2 Miles East of Gail in Borden co. Texas.

I will on the 5th day July 1904 the same being the first Tuesday in July 1904 between the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sale, offer the same for sale for cash in front of the court House door of Borden county, Texas
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In the way of music the Johnson Hotell enjoyed a very rare treat Monday evening. Frank Denton and family were down from the plains, and by request he and his two little girls, aged 5 and 7 respectively and his little son aged about 4 years visited the hotel and rendered several beautiful songs. Frank led the songs and played an accompaniment on the guitar and while he is a man of musical talent he was not the attraction on that occasion. All attention was turned upon the trio of tots—the three dear little gems with faces aglow and with voices that thrill the soul.

No musician has ever commanded more attention in Gail than did they. The little fellows were applauded in a very substantial way and will long be remembered in Gail.

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J. L. Shepherd - - - - - Judge
Ben Randall - - - - - Attorney
Court convenes seventh Monday after first Monday in Feb. and Sept.

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W. K. Clark - - - - - Sheriff
J. D. Brown - - - - - Co. and Dist. Clerk
H. W. Hale - - - - - Treasurer
H. A. Kincaid - - - - - Tax Assessor
E. R. Yellott - - - - - Attorney
Court convenes first Monday in February, May, August and November.

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W. P. Coates - - - - - " " 2
J. L. Waskom - - - - - " " 3
J. S. York - - - - - " " 4

CHURCHES.

CHRISTIAN:—H. D. Fruett, pastor.
Preaching every 2nd Sunday at 11 a. m.
Bible class every Sunday afternoon : : :

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Preaching every 4th Sunday at 11 a. m.

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Every Sunday at 10 a. m.

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45 Bars Laundry Soap.	1.00
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35 lbs. BEST MEAL	.65
5 Gallons Guaranteed Oil	1.00
1 lb. Razor Tobacco	.40
1 " Rainbow "	.55

LEE BROS.,

Snyder, Texas.

Report of land assessed on the Tax Rolls of Borden county Tex. delinquent for taxes for the year 1903 only returned by W. K. Clark Collector

Name of Owner.	Abst	Crt	Sur	Orig Grantee	A	T A X E S.		
						State	County	Total
Andrews, W. H.	1052	1816	20	W. H. Andrews	640			
Do.	1053	1809	6	Do.	640			
"	1054	1815	18	"	640	\$10.45	\$19.59	\$30.04
Applegate, J.T.	407	714	33	EL & RR Ry Co	640	2.44	5.35	7.79
Bell, W. A.	841	43-5615	226	W. J. French	640	2.44	4.29	6.73
Unknown,	50	470	39	H & TC Ry Co	640	2.44	4.29	6.73
Do.	248	2-242	31	T & P Ry Co	640	2.44	5.35	7.79
"	364	2004	37	Do.	640	2.44	5.35	7.79
"	366	2006	41	"	640	2.44	5.35	7.79
"	367	2008	45	"	640	2.44	5.35	7.79
"	368	2009	47	"	640	2.44	5.35	7.79
"	389	434	21	EL & RR	640	2.44	5.35	7.79
"	434	2001	31	T & P Ry Co	640	2.44	5.36	7.80
"	440	2007	43	Do.	640	2.40	5.36	7.79
"	451	2189	15	"	640	2.40	5.36	7.79
"	452	2188	13	"	640	2.40	5.36	7.79
"	550	643	93	H & TC Ry Co	640	2.45	4.29	6.74
"	557	45-6052	579	Do.	320	1.22	2.15	3.37
"	559	45-6097	669	"	640	2.44	4.29	6.73
"	614	476	52	"	640	2.44	4.29	6.73
"	766	473	46	"	640	2.44	4.29	6.73
"	771		112	"	640	2.44	4.29	6.73
"	802	2-178	36	T & P Ry Co	320	1.22	2.15	3.37
"	823	2-242	32	Do.	640	2.44	4.29	6.73
"	927	475	50	H & TC Ry Co	640	2.44	4.29	6.73
"	928	469	38	Do.	640	2.44	4.29	6.73
"	1008	43-5734	463	"	640	2.44	4.29	6.73
"	1041	45-6096	668	"	640	2.44	4.29	6.73
"	1055	43-5443	282	"	640	2.44	4.29	6.73
"	1152	45-6102	680	"	640	2.44	4.29	6.73
"	1153	30-246	4	T & NO Ry Co	77	.30	.52	.82
"	1154	12-2434	64	H & GN Ry	640	2.44	4.29	6.73
"	1222	2-147	14	T & P Ry Co	240	.91	1.62	2.53
"	1278	458	318	H & TC Ry Co	640	2.44	4.29	6.73

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Mork E. Ragedale is locating lines in this part of the moral vineyard.

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Mrs. M. E. Abney, of Denton is spending the summer with her three sons in this county.

The Abney ranch Co. started a herd of 2's to Hereford yesterday

O. S. Johnson has just returned from a prospecting tour through West Texas and N. Mex. He reports that county to be in bad condition; no grass on the range and no feed for sale.

John Howe will read the citizen a while.

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GAIL BORDEN.

A man from Texas was talking with a New Yorker when a wagon with the name Gail Borden painted on it passed by. The name is retained by Gail Borden's successors, though Gail Borden himself is dead.

"I do not know when Borden came to New York," said the Texan, "but the sight of his name recalls a bit of interesting history which, I venture to say, few New Yorkers ever heard.

"Gail and his brother used to be editors in Texas. They were the founders of the Texas Telegraph, which had a hot history. It was the first newspaper published in Texas. It was printed in San Felipe in 1835.

"On the approach of the Mexican army, President Burnet and his cabinet fled to Harrisburg and were followed by the Bordens with their press and type, and they were there working off a form of the paper when the advance of Santa Anna's army appeared at that place.

"They were forced to abandon the work and flee for their lives. The type and press were thrown into the bayou and the printing office destroyed.

"After the victory at San Jacinto the publication of the paper was renewed at Columbia, but was, with the government transferred to the new town of Houston, and soon afterward was sold. Thomas was older than his brother Gail, and, besides being a partner in the paper, was engaged in surveying and selling lots in Galveston.

"Gail invented the steam gauge and also a vehicle called a prairie schooner. This was much the same as an ordinary covered wagon but was made to run by sails, and it would run but to much so.

"It was not easily controlled and was dangerous. It would run into the gulf or up against things, and the model was finally wrecked in a drift on Galveston Island and the project abandoned. Borden intended these vehicles to be used on the great, level, dry plains; hence the name he gave them.

"This idea of his afterward caused the great trains of covered wagons in the west to be called prairie schooners.

"Gail Borden filled a number of civil offices and was a member of the convention at San Felipe in 1833. He was also the agent for the Galveston City Gas company and the first collector of the Port of Galveston.

"After annexation he distinguished himself as an inventor, first securing a valuable patent for preserving meat in a form which he called meat biscuit.

He also invented and secured a patent for a process of condensing milk which is a staple article of commerce.

He made the first condensed milk where the town of Glidden is now, in Colorado county but then called Borden. As late as 1887 his sign was still to be seen there.

"At that time a postoffice and Borden's place were about all there was there in the way of business. The county of Borden, at the foot of the plains, was named for him, as was also the county seat, which is Gail."

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Lesson III.

HYPNOTISM is the inducement of artificial
sleep in which some of the faculties are sus-
pended, while others become more active. It
involves the suspension of will power and reason
and thus heightens susceptibility to suggestion.

HYPNOSIS is the state of artificial sleep.

SUGGESTION is any act or word designed to
impress and direct the mind of another.

A SUBJECT is one who subjects himself to
the hypnotic influence; one who is hypnotized.

SUSCEPTIBILITY implies a state or condition
of the mind to accept a suggestion readily; cal-
culated to accept a proposition in good faith and
act upon it without reflection.

AUTO-SUGGESTION is the result of the con-
centration of ones own thoughts, either volun-
tarily or involuntarily. Though termed auto-
or self-suggestion, it is largely dictated by ones
environments and modified by his mental and
physical condition. The basis of a purely auto-
suggestion may be imaginary, yet, conceding
the correctness of the broader definition, it may
be founded upon fact.

VERBAL SUGGESTIONS are expressed in words.

MENTAL SUGGESTIONS are expressed in
thought by the telepathic relation of the mind.

A SIMPLE SUGGESTION is one given to a per-
son who is in a waking state—not hypnotized.

A HYPNOTIC SUGGESTION is one given and act-
ed upon during hypnosis.

A POST-HYPNOTIC SUGGESTION is one given
during hypnosis to be put into execution after
the subject has been restored to the waking
state. He then acts upon the suggestion un-
conscious of having been requested to do so.

CATALEPSY is a state of rigidity of the mus-
cles. It is produced by suggestion of the op-
erator, and sometimes results in passing into
the higher stages of hypnosis.

TELEPATHY is but another term for mind
reading; thought transference.

CLAIRVOYANCE is a state of acute percepti-
bility; a state in which knowledge is gained be-
yond the discernment of normal faculties.

CAUSE AND EFFECT.

Every occurrence is the result of having com-
plied with certain laws, which, as often as com-
plied with, show the same result. These are
facts which all claim to understand, yet, they
are not fully recognized, as may be seen from
the indifferent yet sometime too grave manner
in which we refer to occurrences as mere "hap-
pen so's." This tends to superstition. It cre-
ates the idea that life is a game of chance, and
the unfortunate victim of these weird delusions
remains in the backgrounds, and like Micawber
waits for something to turn up. He loses origi-
nal action and becomes a passive machine, sub-
ject to the discretion of a more inventive mind.

It is not a "happen so" that those occupying
prominent positions in the political, financial
and social world have attained to these places of
power, but looking well into the cause they re-
alized their ability to produce the effect, and
with this fact stereotyped on their minds they
have easily earned the title of leaders.

If you become a successful hypnotist it will
not be by chance but because you followed these
instructions and complied with the laws of sug-
gestion.

To be continued.

John Howe reports good rains
in Martin county.

Miss Fannie Jones left to-day
for Hampshire Tenn., to visit her
mother.

Mrs. Morrison of Greenville is
visiting her son, C. B. Morrison,
of this place.

Mr. J. F. Strain and wife of
Odessa are visiting the family of
T. J. McCarty this week.

Miss Grace Hopkins and Miss
Ella Russell spent the first of the
week at the home of Mrs. Bedell.

Mr. Ellis Treadway and wife
of the Plains country returned
home Sunday after an extended
visit here.

Col. M. J. Thornton returned
Saturday from Fort Worth whith-
er he had gone the preceding
week on legal business.

Ed M. Whitaker of Midland is
out for Dist Atty. See his an-
nouncement in this issue. He
comes before us highly recom-
mended.

Miss Annie McCorkle one of
Gail's queenly young daughters
left here yesterday for an exten-
ded visit in Mitchell and Sterling
counties.

A. J. Long, Frank Long, J. C.
Dorward and H. C. Dillhunty
have just returned from Stanton
where they sold 1400 head of
2-year old steers at prices rang-
ing from \$14 to \$19.50 per head.

J. B. Slaughter has sold his
Ft. Worth residence and moved
to his ranch 35 miles north-west
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delegate to the state convention
with instructions to vote for a
Parker delegation.

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