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LIST of LANDS AND LOTS DELINQUENT for TAXES in ROBERTS COUNTY, TEXAS, for the years of 1901 and 1902.

Main table listing delinquent lands and lots with columns for owner name, land description, town or city lots, and state and county taxes for 1901 and 1902.

ALUMANTEDOTE FOR SNAKE BITE

In 1873, just thirty years ago, I was told by a reliable gentleman in Louisiana that he was the summer before visiting his uncle, Judge Franks, in Georgia, and while sitting on the veranda in company with his uncle and cousin, a young man from out west, in the rocky mountain region, a rattlesnake crawled out from under the house.

The Dalhart Texan came out last week with a very creditable special edition.

From Fort Worth a second system of wireless telegraphy will be put in at Dallas.

A. S. Busby, the defrauding penitentiary official has returned to Rusak and given himself over to the sheriff.

His uncle wanted to kill it at once, but his cousin said: "Wait, I will teach you something." So he stepped out, pulled off his boot and sock and kicked the snake in the mouth with his naked foot until the snake grew angry and bit him on the foot. He went behind the house, swallowed something, returned, pulled off the other boot and sock and made the snake bite the other foot. He went again behind the house, took something, came back, killed the snake, put on his socks and boots, came into the house and took his seat by us again.

It will be noticed by press dispatches that Pres. Roosevelt on his present trip is kissing babies rather prominently. Attention is called to the fact that while he was in the "black belt" this he didn't do.

When his uncle told him he would give \$1,000 to know what he took when he went around behind the house, my cousin said, "No, I will not do that, uncle, but I will show you for nothing," and he took a piece of alum from his pocket the size of a hen egg, saying to all of us when out in the Rockies, where there are a great many very large rattlesnakes, we carry a piece of Alum in our pockets and as soon as bitten we bite off and swallow quickly a piece of alum the size of the end of the finger or a hazel nut and it will antedote the poison of the biggest Rocky mountain rattler or any other snake.

Dr. Lorenz, the eminent Russian bloodless surgeon and philanthropist after successfully operating on several persons at Dallas for clubfoot and dislocation of the hip has returned north and will immediately return to his native land.

Since that day I have told this to thousands of people all over the south. Many have reported a successful trial in snake bites. I have never heard of a failure.

A nerver man, that Omaha judge, who granted an injunction restraining a woman from talking. The woman was in the habit of berating her landlord and his flats and the landlord tiring of this asked for an injunction restraining such utterances.

About ten years ago I noticed a piece published and a statement from one of our missionaries, an M. D. and D. D., in India, noticing some snake jugglers or snake charmers making their poisonous cobra dance, and in anger one of the snakes bit the man and he expected to see the man die, but he drank something from a vial and went on with the performance. He succeeded in getting the snake charmer to tell him what it was he drank from the vial to antidote the poison of the deadly cobra, and he told him it was the bile of the cobra snake. He then procured some of the bile of the cobra and every opportunity he had he would try it, and it proved to be a true antidote to the cobra poison.

About sixty representatives of the Kansas City Commercial Club visited Amarillo last Saturday where they were royally entertained and banqueted. A Texas badger fight, the finishing touch, the vicious animal being pulled by a representative of one of the leading insurance companies of Kansas.

So many were bitten that he could not get enough cobra bile, so he tried the bile of the black snake and found it as efficacious as the antidote in case of cobra poison as the bile of the cobra snake. He then tried the bile of the ox and found it as effective an antidote in case of snake bite as the bile of the cobra or the bile of the black snake.

The report comes that at the C. federate Reunion at New Orleans last week there was such a crooked deal and the prices were in demand and the prices were in all large gatherings and Col. was wise when her legislature refused to make an appropriation an exhibit at the St. Louis Fair unless the management would guarantee that the price of lodging boarding would be nominal.

Then I saw a few years ago where some man who hunted a good deal in the mountains of north Georgia, always carried a pocketful of alum, and if one of his dogs was bitten by a rattlesnake he poured some alum down the dog's throat and he would go on in the hunt. So we may think it not so much the alum that antidotes the poison as it is the bile; that very soon after the alum reaches the stomach the bile gushes out of the bile tubes into the intestines, and no doubt regurgitates into the stomach, which is so quickly irritated by the presence of alum in the stomach. As every old lady knows, alum and honey, if given freely to a child with the cramps, it will soon vomit, to the great relief of the child.

MRS. ADAIR'S RANCH. Clarendon, Tex., May 21. C. Adair, owner of the great ranch, is having stone placed on ground for the erection of a handsome ranch home at the intersection of Paloduro, twenty-five west of Clarendon.

At any rate, a piece of alum the size of the end of the finger chewed and swallowed seems to be a perfect cure for the most poisonous snake bite, and every person who reads this paper should know it.—C. R. King, M. D., in Atlanta News.

Mrs. Adair, with a party is expected to arrive this week in England to spend the winter ranch, which embraces 1,500 acres of land.

Lulu Hadley, the chambermaid at Indianapolis, Ind., who recently refused to make up the bed in which Booker T. Washington had slept has, besides the local contribution of \$2,500, received money contributions from people throughout the south, making a total of something like ten thousand dollars.

TEXAS CATTLE FOR AF GALVESTON, Tex., May 21. A steamship Anglo-Saxon cleared today with 1,100 Texas cattle for South Africa. cargo makes the third shipment. Texas stock for the farms of the British colonies and others are to follow. The steamer Oakwood, which was first reported to be destined for Galveston cattle, had been diverted to Port, where she will load, but the steamer Beekman has been ordered to Galveston and is due about June 15.

Major Maud of the British army, who has charge of these shipments, is authority for the statement that the Atlantic, the big ship which carried out the first shipment of 2,500 head of cattle, will return to this port for another cargo; also for the statement that many other shipments would be made from Galveston.

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SUPPLEMENT—THE MIAMI CHIEF.

May, 30, 1903.

WHO WAS TO BLAME.

"No, wife, it is like this," said Mr. Anderson, laying down his paper and looking at his better half, "if we don't have saloons the town will go to rack, absolutely to rack; why the saloon license is what keeps up the prosperity."

"Yes," replied Mrs. Anderson, but don't you think that the town could prosper without saloons? Why the money that is spent for drink would build a city."

Mr. Anderson turned uneasily in his chair and said hastily, "Yes, yes, that's all you women know about business."

His wife was silent for a moment and then she said sadly, "But think of the many temptations that are placed in the way of the young, by these vile places at the last great day think of the multitude that will stand before God's eternal throne and point to the saloon as the cause of their ruin, and their blood will be required at the hands of you Christian voters."

Now Mr. Anderson was a member of good standing in the leading church of the town where he lived, but nevertheless he believed these saloons a necessity and always voted for them. The last remark of his wife gave his conscience a sharp twinge, but he did not reply.

Just at this moment the door opened and a bright faced youth entered, with his arms full of books.

"Hello, Allyn," said his father, "how's school?"

"Oh fine," replied the boy, "I passed the last examination this morning and the president of the college says that I will graduate in about two months."

"Bravo, my boy," said Mr. Anderson, "I'm proud of you."

Allyn's face clouded and he said, "Father, Will Amsby was expelled this morning."

"Expelled," exclaimed his father, why Will is one of the best boys in town."

"Yes," replied Allyn sadly, "but he was drunk the other night."

Mr. Anderson's face flushed as he lied, "Well, he ought to be expelled, if that is true, for I haven't patience with a young man who wishes to sell his life for a whiskey."

"Yes," said Mrs. Anderson, "but if there is no saloons they would not be tempted so often."

"Nonsense," exclaimed her husband, "they ought to know better."

Mrs. Anderson sighed, but she did not reply, for she knew it was useless to argue the question.

About a month and a half later Mr. Anderson was coming home one night from an important meeting of of the city council.

As he ascended the steps of his home he saw the form of a man lying in front of the door. The electric light fell full upon the white, upturned face.

"Oh! merciful God," cried Mr. Anderson, "it is my boy."

He opened the door and called his wife.

"Come Alice," he said, "Allyn is sick and is lying out here."

She came hurrying out and as she saw Allyn she cried out, "Oh, is he dead?"

"No," replied her husband, "but I think he must have a fainting spell."

They lifted him up and half carried him into the house, where they laid him on the couch. There was a doctor who lived next door, and leaving his wife to watch Allyn, Mr. Anderson ran across the street to secure the physician.

While he was gone Mrs. Anderson bent over the form of her boy for a moment, then covering her face with her hands she sobbed, "Oh! it is just what I thought." The truth was this, Allyn was drunk.

When the doctor arrived he felt of the the boy's pulse and said, "He has lain out there in the cold so long, that I fear the exposure will bring on pneumonia."

Two days later Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and a nurse were watching by the bedside of Allyn when he turned to his father and said:

"Father, you have always called yourself a Christian, but I don't admire your religion if it allows you to vote for these places, which ruins body and soul, the saloons."

"You have always voted for them, saying that their license kept up the town, and then you were angry if any young man went in and took a drink, you always said they should

(Continued on second supplement.)

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From The Clarendon Banner-Stockman.

James Cushney is here to receive the F. Collinson herd—about 2000 head of 2's with a few 3's, bought recently at \$22 around. Shipment was to begin today.

The cattle business seems to have opened up somewhat in this locality. There will be 15,000 head of cattle shipped out of Clarendon and Southard in the next few days.

H. B. Cunningham, of Cheyenne, Wyo., shipped from Esteline the past week 800 one and two-year-old steers bought from J. T. George, of King county, at \$16 to \$21.

W. W. Watts, of Crosby county, is here with 3,500 two-year-old steers, which he sold to Ike Humphry. The price was in the neighborhood of \$21, and shipment is due to begin today, going to Montana.

A. J. Nesbit, of Denver, is here to receive the J A and Lazy J twos. There will be about 6,000 head, and the price, as stated at the time of sale, was \$28 for the J A stuff with the Lazy J's a shade lower.

New Through Sleeping Car Line to Colorado.

Announcement is made that, effective June 1st, The International & Great Northern and Ft. Worth & Denver-City Railway Lines will establish new through sleeping car service between Galveston and Houston, Texas, and Denver, Colorado.

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Mr. S. Brazill and T. L. Coffee, prominent citizens of Hutchinson county, have become members of the Panhandle Stockman's Association of Texas the past week.—Stockman.

SUPPLEMENT—THE MIAMI CHIEF.

May, 30, 1903.

Citation by Publication.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, } No. 49
COUNTY OF HUTCHINSON, }

To unknown owners and to all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Hutchinson, for taxes, to wit:

Abstract No. 192; Original Grantee Tyler Tap Ry. Co., Certificate No. 312; Survey No. 7, Hutchinson County, Texas; number of acres delinquent 640, for the year 1901, which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts: \$2.44 for State taxes and \$4.57 for County taxes; and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the October term of the District Court of Hutchinson County, and State of Texas, being the next regular term thereof to be held at the Court House thereof, at Plemons, on the Thirteenth Monday after the first Monday in July, the same being the 1st Monday in October and the 5th day of October A. D. 1903, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and cost of suit.

Herein fail not, and have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return endorsed thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, this 10th day of April 1903.

S. B. TARKINGTON,

Clerk District Court, Hutchinson County, Texas. my-30-jn-6-13

Citation by Publication.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, } No. 46
COUNTY OF HUTCHINSON, }

To unknown owner and to all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Hutchinson, for taxes, to wit:

All of Abstract No. 258, Original Grantee D. B. & C. N. Ry. Co., Certificate No. 71, Survey No. 73, Hutchinson County, Texas; number of acres delinquent 640 for the year 1901 which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts: \$2.44 for State Taxes and \$4.57 for County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the October term of the District Court of Hutchinson County, and State of Texas, being the next regular term thereof to be held at the Court House thereof, at Plemons, on the Thirteenth Monday after the first Monday in July, the same being the 1st Monday in October and the 5th day of October A. D. 1903, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lots), and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and cost of suit.

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S. B. TARKINGTON,

Clerk District Court, Hutchinson County, Texas. my-16-23-30

Citation by Publication.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, } No. 51
COUNTY OF HUTCHINSON, }

To unknown owner and to all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Hutchinson, for taxes, to wit:

All of undivided one-half interest in Abstract No. 176; Original Grantee Morris & Cummings; Cert. No. 1-23, Survey No. 19, Hutchinson County, Texas; number of acres delinquent 320 for the year 1901 which said is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts: 1.22 for State taxes and \$2.29 for County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the October term of the District Court of Hutchinson County, and State of Texas, being the next regular term thereof to be held at the Court House thereof, at Plemons, on the Thirteenth Monday after the first Monday in July, the same being the 1st Monday in October and the 5th day of October A. D. 1903, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land (or lots), and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and cost of suit.

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S. B. TARKINGTON,

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THE STATE OF TEXAS, } No. 41
COUNTY OF HUTCHINSON, }

To unknown owner and to all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Hutchinson, for taxes, to wit:

All of Abstract No. 343, Original Grantee D. & P. Ry. Co., Certificate No. 199, Survey No. 7, Hutchinson County, Texas; number of acres delinquent 640 for the year of 1901 which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts: \$2.44 for State taxes and \$4.57 for County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the state for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the October term of District Court of Hutchinson County, and State of Texas, being the next regular term thereof to be held at the Court House thereof, at Plemons, on the Thirteenth Monday after the First Monday in July, the same being the 1st Monday in October and the 5th day of October A. D., 1903 and show the cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said

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THE STATE OF TEXAS, } No. 48.
COUNTY OF HUTCHINSON, }

To unknown owner and to all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the following described land delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Hutchinson, for taxes, to wit: All of Abstract No. 30, Original Grantee Tyler Pap. Ry. Co., Certificate No. 313, Survey No. 9, Hutchinson County, Texas; number of acres delinquent 640 for year 1901 which said land is delinquent for taxes for the following amounts: \$2.44 for State taxes and \$4.57 for County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the October term of the District Court of Hutchinson County, and State of Texas, being the next regular term thereof to be held at the Court House thereof, at Plemons, on the Thirteenth Monday after the First Monday in July, the same being the 1st Monday in October and the 5th day of October A. D. 1903, and show cause why judgement shall not be rendered condemning said land, and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and cost of suit.

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know better. Now, father, when it is too late, learn the bitter lesson, I, your only child have fallen a victim.

"I have always been regarded as an ideal young man, but the evil which you voted for and sanctioned has ruined me.

"Most probably I shall die, and only think, I was to have graduated in a few weeks, but now, even if I live, my bright future is blotted forever. Not long ago you said you were proud of me father, are you proud of me now?"

The stricken father buried his face in his hands, "My son, my son, he cried, "forgive me, I was blind and could not see."

"Yes, father," replied Allyn wearily, "I forgive you, for you'll have need of mercy in the last great day, when our Lord and Savior shall say, 'Woe unto you, who put a stumbling-block in the way of your brother,

and, father, I am not the only one, there are many others who have been wrecked by the liquor traffic, it seems to me as if the very hands of the voter were dyed with the life-blood of those they have helped to ruin."

Mr. Anderson staggered to his feet. Oh! Allyn," he cried, spare me, don't say any more."

Allyn closed his eyes and seemed about to fall asleep when he opened his eyes with a glad smile and said faintly a verse his mother had taught him when he was a little boy: "Jesus came to seek and to save that which was lost."

Mr. Anderson bent over him, "Allyn," he said gently, "will you promise me never to drink again?"

A moan escaped from Allyn's lips, "I can't, oh! I can't, I am lost, this is not the first time and I am afraid it won't be the last."

His father turned away and said

bitterly "My punishment is greater than I can bear."

There was a silence for a few moments, then Mr. Anderson said, "Let's repeat the Lord's prayer."

They did so, and when it was finished, Allyn said softly, "And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil."

In a few weeks Allyn recovered and the first sunshiny day he went down town and in a few hours was brought home, after being mangled under the wheels of a street car.

He had been drinking and in crossing a track had fallen.

Life was almost extinct, but just before he passed away he turned his head with a feeble effort and murmured, "And lead us not into temptation."

God took him from a world where Christian voters still pray, "Lead us not into temptation."—Ogla Grant, in Oregon Search Light.

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COUNTY OF HUTCHINSON.)

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All of Abstract No. 334, Original Grantee B. S. & F., Certificate No. 1715, Hutchinson County, Texas; number of acres delinquent 319 for the year 1901 which said land is delinquent for taxes

for the following amounts: \$1.22 for State taxes and \$2.28 for County taxes, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for collection of said taxes, and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the October term of the District Court of Hutchinson County, and State of Texas, being the next regular term thereof to be held at the Court House thereof, at Plemons, on the Thirteenth Monday after the first Monday in July, the same being the 1st Monday in October and the 5th day of October, A. D. 1903, and show cause why

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