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### Early Training Fixes Character.

A youth of 17 years was arrested in Missouri for holding up a bank officer and robbing the bank, gave as the means prompting him to his guilty and daring act the reading of dime novels, in which such deeds were discussed and best methods for such work were presented. In a late meeting of educators for the purpose of discussing the best means of developing and safeguarding the youth, the opinion of every speaker was that the early home training is the most powerful and efficient means in directing and establishing young life and fixing their feet in the ways of honor and virtue. The early part of life is of vast importance even in vegetable and animal life, and none the less important in mental and spiritual life. The home is the proper school for childhood, and the child ought to enter no other school till it has reached the proper age, unless the parents are too busy or too indifferent to care for their little ones. The scholastic age as regulated by our civil laws is as low as it ought to be if parents are capable of and willing to discharge their duty to the young life committed to their care. they are not both willing and capable they have no right to marry and bring up a family of children ty. Rights and duty here as elsewhere are corrolated. It is the child's duty to bonor the father and mother, and their duty to present to the child a life worthy of honor. If the parents fail in their duty the child is almost sure to fail in his duty and is hardly to be blamed. There are exceptions to all rules, but a rast amount of what we blame in the young is the direct and almost necessary result of the home life. We do not say that the home life is always or even generally vicious, but its ideal low and both teaching and training have been neglected. Life has its laws just like water has its laws, and these laws must be respected or the child suffers. The family is the school in which he imbibes those principles and ideals which either make or ruin his future life. Of all schools and institutions, this is the most important, and the one on which all others depend for success. The schools of the country do their best work with those properly gold that is purer than in a twentrained at home, and find their difficulties and troubles with those the Lewis and Clark Exposition who lack this home influence. Good citizens are made at the fireside and the best church members dence that Nome is still a great are educated at the home altar. When we examine into those little mean and vulgar deeds that disturb society, violate property and public building and assemblies, in the general we will discover the authors of the evils were unfortunate in their home training. When a child is early taught to magnify right doing and to despise all vulgar, unjust and mean acts, he generally-profits by his teachhis own worth and honor, as well as the reputation and sacred honor of his family, forbid his stooping Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy to low and vulgar deeds. A good for bowel complaints. We sell

when parents feel that they and their families are dishonored and counted worthy of a little less consideration, on account of the base and vulgar course of their offspring, there will be an effort to correct their crooked ways and start the child in the way of honorable living. Then the household is happy, society is blessed, and the state is richer. As long as we believe there is any work higher the Texas National Guard was and nobler than rearing a well or- called off at the instance of State dered family the institutions of Health Officer Tabor. The docthe country must suffer. As long as we look lightly upon disorderly follows: conduct we are poisoning our family life and preparing our children for the bad. The first thing on earth and most like heaven is a well ordered home.--Rusk County News.

### The Glory of a Finished Life.

There is nothing to surpass the fidelity and piety without a stain them. or a tarnish. The materials that have entered into its mental and careful thought for many days. moral make-up are sound and I have studied the situation and well selected. They have stood have tried to keep in touch with the stress and the burden of the conditions all over the country, years, and there stands the life and I am more strongly of the complete in its character and opinion now than ever before that service. It is the noblest work the encampment should not of God. Behind it there is an held for the present. Yellow fevinfluence that will never die. er exists now in all the Gulf The most perfect life of this sort States, i. e., Louisiana, Mississppi, is the life of the Master. It is the Alabama and Florida, and also in pattren for all ages and all gen- the Republic of Mexico, leaving erations. It looms up and pro- Texas sandwiched between these jects itself before all men, born infected countries with very little and unborn. At ils tragic close. hope of escaping invasion by the though he died at manhood's middle day he could say to the before us. We are guarding as listening ages: "It is finished!" closely as we can all the railway There was nothing to take from it, and there was nothing to add to it. It is the life of all lives, without a flaw or imperfection. our inspiration and our hope. We can never approximate its sinlessness and purity, though we may ever strive to approach it in our constant endeavor to be good and noble and true. It is supreme ideal.—Christian

The biggest gold brick ever cast nearly as large as two building bricks placed end to end, which contains \$25,000 worth of ty-dollar coin, has just arrived at and is being exhibited by the Nome district of Alaska as evigold producing region. The gold brick is a foot long, four inches The fact that it has reached bedeep and five inches wide, and

### Nothing on the Market Equal to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

This fact is well known to druggists everywhere, and nine out of but it may occur. ten will give their customers this preparation when the best is asked for. Mr. Obe Witmer, a promiing. He ought to be convinced at nent druggist of Joplin, Mo., in a the earliest possible moment that circular to his customers, says: "There is nothing on the market ble to keep yellow fever out of in the way of patent medicine the State and, as an additional and which equals Chamberlain's Colic. stout family pride resting on a and recommend this preparation." proper basis is a good thing, and For sale by S. L. Murchison.

### MAY NOT ESCAPE,

### The Yellow Fever Scourge May get Into Texas, says Dr. Tabor.

(From Galveston News.) Austin, Tex., Aug. 9.-As stated in Gen. Hulen's telegram of yesterday, the encampment of tor's letter to the Governor is as

Houston, Tex., Aug. 7.—Governor S. W. T. Lanham, Austin, Tex.: Dear Sir-A few days ago in conversation with Adjutant General Hulen over the telephone, I suggested to him that I did not think it advisable to hold the State military encampment on account of the danger to the militia beauty of a finished life. You and the public from yellow fever. see it at the close lighted up with I was pleased to meet the Adjuan unclouded sunset, while back tant General and your private secthrough its long years of useful- retary, Judge Cravens, yesterday ness there stretches a record of and talk the matter over with

I have given this matter most scourge, with the long summer entrances on the Louisiana border, and it is almost impossible for any human being to pass our guards, but it is a very hard mat-And it stands before us today as ter to make a land quarantine absolute. It has now been a little over two weeks since the fever was first reported in New Orleans. Notwithstanding the assurance given to the Governor of Louisiana, at a conference of State and city health officials in New Orleans, at which I was present and the Governor presided, that the health authorities of New Orleans had the situation in hand and would within a few days exterminate the disease, it has gotten beyond them, and is now epidemic in New Orleans and has spread to other places in Louisiana and other States, and the Governor has been compelled to call upon the Federal Government for aid. yond the control of the Louisiana approximately ninety health authorities makes the sitution more dangerous for the State of Texas on account of our close communication with that State. If it exists at any place in Texas at present I am not aware of it.

> I beg Your Excellency to understand that it is in the interest of the public health I write this. have taken every precaution possivery neccessary precaution, should month, I think the State military Drug Co.

encampment should not be held. and I so advise.

I think also that great public meetings, encampments and excursions, which draw large numbers of people, should not be burg. held in the State just at this time. Very truly yours,

GEORGE R. TABOR, State Health Officer.

### Give Them Employment.

The destiny of the country is in the hands of the boys. Give them employment, both of hand and mind that they may be able to take up these duties at an early

Every boy has in him the ele ments to do something and be something. What it is he does and what it is he becomes depends to a great extent upon his environments. If those environments tend to train the hand, to develop the intellect and keep pure the heart, the boy after he has reached his majority will be ready to ably meet the responsibilities of life.

As a rule boys would rather have emplyment than to be idle, provided they can be made to feel that they are gaining something by their employment. Sometimes parents work boys like they do their mules-merely for the time being. In that case, like the mule, as soon as he gets big enough to slip the bridle, he runs away and takes up with the worse company-if possible.

We believe the boy ought some way be made to feel that he is a stockholder in the home and business and everything that pertains thereto, declaring frequent dividends. Then he won't despise work, but on the other hand his efforts will be profitable, and also a school that in the long run will turn out a good citizen and an economic business man.-

Continent. World," is the most beautiful in in grandeur of scenery or wealth of novel interest. Then Salt Lake City itself is a most quaint and picturesque place and well worth the journey. Its Mormon temple, tabernacle, tithing office and church institutions; its hot sulphur springs within the city limits; its delightful temperature, sunny climate and its great Salt Lake—deader and denser than the Dead Sea in Palestine—are but a few features of Salt Lake City's countless attractions. There are parks, drives, canons and beautisorts. Imagine, if you can, a human body cannot sink. In. Smith & French Drug Co. quire of your nearest ticket agent for low tourist rates to Salt Lake City, or write for information and

Foley's Kidney Cure is a medi-

### Witte and the Jews.

That greeting to Peace Commissioner Witte by the Russian Jews in Boston ought to attract attention in St. Peters-In no other civilized country are the Jews so hadly treated as they are in Russia. Nearly all the reform schemes which have been outlined as possible concessions by the czar make some discrimination against the Jews. Very nearly half of the world's 11,000,000 Jews reside in Russia, or did reside there before the recent exodus began.

M. Witte is one of the few Russian statesmen in high station who favors liberal treatment for the Jews in his country. Nicholas II. has been considered to be friendly to that proscribed race, but Nicholas is so weak and so vaciliating that his attitude on anything today is no guide to what it will be tomorrow. He has given an indorsement, real or quasi, to several reform schemes, but nobody knows whether any of them will ever be adopted. The chances are that personally he is a well-meaning man, but that the reactionaries are swaying him for their own purposes. Of course, if that is the correct assumption, then neither the Jews nor any other element of the Russian populace will have any cause to do any shouting over the reform prospects in the empire in the immediate future unless the war should continue, in which case Japan might be able to put in a few more blows for liberal government in the czar's domain.

Freedom for the Russian populace was no part of Japan's plans at the beginning of the war. Nevertheless, every Japanese victory has been hailed with delight by the Jews, in and out of Rus-Probobly if those who greeted Witte in Boston had their A Summer Trip Unsurpassed on the own way, they would prolong the war, with the hope of bulldozing The trip to Salt Lake City or to the Russian autocracy in the end the Pacific Coast via that point into granting a measure of freeover the Denver & Rio Grande dom for the Russian masses. The System, "The Scenic Line of the Jews in the United States are no less hostile to Russia than are America. No European trip of those of the rest of the world. equal length can compare with it They discriminate however, in their antagonism. Knowing a friend when they see him, they applaud the head of the Russian peace commission. greeting given to M. Witte by the Jews of Boston ought to carry some sort of a lesson for Nicholas II.—Ex.

### Consumption Threatened.

C. Unger, 211 Maple St., Champaign, Ill., writes: troubled with a hacking cough for a year and I thought I had consumption. I tried a great many remedies and was under the care ful outlying mountain and lake re- of physicians for several months. I used one bottle of Foley's Honey bath in salt water a mile above sea and Tar. It cured me, and I have level, and in water in which the not been troubled since." Sold by

### They Appeal to Our Sympathies.

The bilious and dyspeptic are copy of "Salt Lake City, the City constant sufferers and appeal to of the Saints," to S. K. Hooper, our sympathies. There is not one general passenger agent, Denver, of them, however, who may not be brought back to health and happiness by the use of Chamber-lain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. cine free from poisons and will These tablets invigorate the stomcure any case of kidney disease ach and liver and strengthen the the fever be in the State or get that is not beyond the reach of digestion. They also regulate the into the State during the present medicine. Sold by Smith & French bowels. For sale by S. L. Mur"Home, Sweet Home."

The following story has often been told, and I give it as it ap- ity which is now contemplated by peared in print:

letter from Frederickburg, by an a night as well as day attraction. officer in General Lee's army, relates a pleasant incident in camp life, which no doubt helped come will be awaited with materially to relieve its monoto- much interest. - Pueblo Star Jour-

" I must tell you of an agreeable episode in our camp life, which occurred a few days since. It is acknowledged that the federals, with all their faults, have some capital bands in their ranks.

It is acknowledged that the federals, with all their faults, have some capital bands in their ranks. creditable manner. At its con-clusion, our soldiers sent up such alleged as follows: That plaintiff is the owner in fee sim-This was followed by "Yankee Doodle," when a burst of applause from the federals followed. Finally, the band played follows: "Home, Sweet Home," in melody ate; and when it was hushed, northeast corner of said McNeil survey; thence south 75 degrees west with said McNeil's N. B. line at 541 vrs. corner armies as I doubt has ever been heard on earth. I looked around me and saw tears coursing down many a furrowed and battle worn cheek, and if the frantic cheers that went up from the other side of the river were any criterion. Corner on bank of Caney creek; thence in a northwardly direction and with the meanders of said Caney creek to the N. B. line of said McNeil's survey corner where said line crosses said creek; thence south 75 degrees west with said N. B. line of said survey at 330 vrs. to me and saw tears coursing down

form," writes Marion Lee of Dun- follows: reath, Ind. "I tried eight physi- Grant by the State of Texas to John Smith & French Drug Co.

### Greatest of Rocky Mountain Won-

The convention of Electrical the Statute of Limitation of five and ten in Denver has been attended by the profession and this convention will go down in history as productive of splendid results. After the labors of the convention were and for general and special relief. over the delegates put away business cares and responsibilities and hied themselves to the mountains, most of the people going to Colorado Springs where it is conceded there are more scenic attractions to the square yard than can be found anywhere else in Colorado.

There is usually some one at- district court of Houston county. traction which, more than any other, makes the best impression this the 7th day of August, A. D. 1905.

J. B. STANTON, on visitors to this region and in conversing with the various delegations at different times during their stay in Colorado Springs your correspondent listened to the as evidence of the still untold usual round of praise in favor of Seven Falls and South Cheyenne. canon as being far ahead of any other scenic attraction near this

heard is that it is "Greatest Drug Co. Among the Wonders of the Rocky Mountain Region" which distinction no person has risen to dispute. This falls is 300 feet high and the canon is over one mile in length and from one quarter to one mile in width and contains a combination of peaks, crags, precses, rocks, falls, rapids, lakes lookouts from whose pinnacles can see almost one hundred out across the prairies. One

gineers was whether or not this falls could be lighted by electric- The State of Texas.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston the new owners of this magnifi-"The following extract from a cent property, thereby making it The opinion is freely advanced that this can be done and the out-

### Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas. To the sheriff or any constable of Hous-

Recently one of these organiza-tions came down to the riverside opposite Frodericksburg, and fa-vored our boys (who had gatherwored our boys (who had gathered in large numbers to listen) with a variety of popular pieces, in the best style. Applause from the audience on each side followed. The band then struck up "Dixie;" and executed it in a heirs of J. C. Oliver, deceased, and John G. Pettitt and J. C. Oliver are

Beginning at the southeast corner of said McNeil 320 acre survey; thence which all could feel and appreci- north 15 degrees west at 950 vrs. to the on said line; thence south 12 degrees-west 225 vrs. south 200 vrs. corner; thence south 75 degrees west 970 vrs. corner on bank of Caney creek; thence of the river were any criterion our neighboring enemies were as much affected.—By a Georgia Colonel in Sunny South—

"I had diabetes in its worst form," writes Marion Lee of Dun-

cians without relief. Only three G. Pettitt, assignee of F. W. McNeil, of bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure John Smith to Mathias Wicker, dated made me a well man." Sold by February 1st, 1862; deed from Mathias February 1st, 1862; deed from Mathias Wicker to John Smith, dated July 29th, 1863; deed from John Smith to I. S. Amos, dated November 13th, 1863; deed from I. S. Amos by administrator to J. B. Smith, dated June 25th, 1887. Plaintiff also claims said land under

Engineers which has just closed years, and specially pleads same.
Plaintiff alleges that there is no deed in Denver has been attended by on record from said John G. Pettitt, a larger number of delegates and on record from said J. C. Oliver, deceastheir friends than any previous ed, conveying said land, or any part convention. The work accomplished has been of lasting benefit to the profession and this convention the profession and the professio fendants in term of the law, and that he

> You are further commanded to serve this citation by publishing the same ence in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in a newspaper published in your county; but if no newspaper is published in your county, then in the nearest

> county where a newspaper is published.
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> Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Witness J. B. Stanton, clerk of the

Given under my hand and seal of said court, in the town of Crockett, CI'k of Dist. Court of Houston Co., Tex.

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'Here lies mine babe, as dead as

Whom Gott has kilt mit ager fits. He would not let him live mit me So took him up to live mit He."

The child would have lived had ne been given Dr. Mendenhall's Chill and Fever Cure. Sold by

### Citation by Publication.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston county, greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon the neirs of Collin Aldrich, deceased; the heirs of Geo. Hallmark, deceased; the heirs of A. T. Monroe, deceased, all of whose names are unknown and Collin Aldrich, George Hallmark and A. T. Monroe, whose residences are unknown, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Houston county, Texas, to be held at the court house of said county, in the town of Crockett on the second Monday in October, 1905, being the 9th day of October, 1905, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 70 May of August, A. D. 1905, in a cause numbered 4977 wherein J. B. Smith for himself and as guardian for his minor daughter, Betty Smith, Grace S. King, joined by her husband, Walker King, J. L. Smith, W. L. Smith, Emily Smith and A. H. Smith are plaintiffs and the unknown heirs of Collin Aldrich, deceased; the unknown heirs of George Hallmark, deceased, and Collin Aldrich, George Hallmark and A. T. Monroe are defendants, the cause of action being alleged as follows:

That plaintiffs are the owners in fee simple of the following described tract of land: Situated in Houston county, Texas, about 10 miles s. w.

action being alleged as follows:

That plaintiffs are the owners in fee simple of the following described tract of land: Situated in Houston county, Texas, about 10 miles s. w. from the town of Crockett, and being four hundred and twenty acres of land out of the Collin Aldrich league, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of the Murray or T. J. Shivers survey on said league, on the San Antonio road; thence north 35 degrees west with the west boundary line of said Murray or Shivers survey at 1160 vrs. corner on northwest boundary line of said league; thence south 55 degreess west with said league; thence south 55 degreess west with said league; thence south 55 degrees swest with said league; thence south 55 degrees seast 2610 vrs. corner on Caney Creek; thence up and with the meanders of said creek to the mouth of Hallmark branch, at the corner of Hugh Goodwin's survey; thence up said branch with its meanders to where same is crossed by the San Antonio road, corner in said road with southeast corner of said Burray or Shivers survey; thence with said road in a southwestwardly direction to the place of beginning, by instruments duly executed as follows:

Grant by the state of Texas to Collin Aldrich; deed from G. W. Hallmark, administrator of the

Grant by the state of Texas to Collin Aldrich; deed from G. W. Hallmark, administrator of the estate of George Hallmark, to A. T. Monroe; deed from J. C. Wootters, administrator of the estate of John Long, Jr., deceased, to Mrs. Betty L. Smith.

L. Smith.

Plaintiffs being all the heirs at law of the said Mrs. Betty L. Smith. And Plaintiffs also claim title to said land under the five and ten years Statute of Limitation, and specially plead

years statute of Limitation, and specially plead the same.

Plaintiffs allege that there is no deed on record from Collin Aldrich, deceased, the original grantee of said land conveying said land to any one, and that there is no deed on record from A. T. Monroe to any one conveying any part of said land—and any further claims of detendants are unknown to plaintiffs—which casts a cloud on plaintiffs' title.

Plaintiffs pray that citation issue to defendants in term of the law, and that they have judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom, substituting all missing deeds, quieting their title to same and for general and special relief.

You are further commanded to serve this citation.

special relief.

You are further commanded to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each work for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in a newspaper published in your county; but if no newspaper is published in your county, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness J. B. Stanton, clerk of the district court of Houston county. Given under my hand and seal of said court, in the town of Crockett, this, the 7th day of August, A. D. 1905.

J. B. Stanton,

Ci'k of Dist, Court, Houston Co., Tex.

### A COONSKIN FARE.

Let the Change Go.

Many years ago, as the story runs, when coonskins were worth six bits aplece in Arkausas and a regular fee of two bits was assessed for ferrying a horseman across the St. Francis river, there came along a traveler whose entire capital consisted of but a single pelt, and the ferryman hadn't a cent of change in his pocket.

The traveler was bound to cross, but refused to pay three times as much as the man who passed before him or the one who wer to some next. The form man would not wet an oar unless payment for his services was assured. Here was ample foundation for an argument, and presumably the opportunity was not neglected. But a satisfachave judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom, substituting all the traveler getting value received for missing deeds, quieting his title to same his coonskin by being wafted thrice his coonskin by being wafted thrice across the stream. This of course would leave him on the right side, and neither party to the trade would have cause for complaint. Such was the generous spirit of accommodation which obtained in these earlier days, suchbut hold on a bit.

On the second trip the ferryman chanced to inspect the coonskin closely and found that it was by no means up to the recognized standard. Maybe it had been killed too early in the season or was not properly stretched. Anyway, he decided that four bits was all it was worth, and the traveler frankly admitted the soundness of his judgment, acknowledged that he had received its value in the double ferriage and forthwith started on his fifty mile ride up the river to the nearest point where it was fordable.-Field

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After a service of nearly thirty years as recorder of Dublin, Sir Frederick Falkiner is about to retire at the age of 74.

Sir Frederick is noted throughout Ireland as one of the most irritable judges upon the bench, and he is not slow to uncork the vials of his wrath when anything in the handling of a case evokes his displeasure.

In his earlier days he was constantly in hot water, but it was found that his bark was worse than his bite, and after a while the counsel practising in his court learned to receive with stolidity his tirades of abuse

It was astonishing to a chance visitor to behold a recorder dressing down a lawyer who stood silent before the torrent of words, but the lawyer well knew that before the court closed the recorder would make amends for his outbreak by singling the unfortunate attorney to be the recipient of some marked compliment.

The retirement of Sir Frederick will remove from the Irish bench one of its most picturesque figures, but his memory will live in the legal fraternity through the good stories told of his outbreaks and apologies.

Seeking the Woodchuck Story.

One day, while passing through the girls' department of the New Hampshire Orphans' Home, located on the old Daniel and Ezekiel Webster homestead in Franklin, N. H., I observed a little girl intently turning the leaves of the Bible, at the book of Daniel, says a writer in the Boston Herald.

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"I am trying to find the story about Daniel and the woodchuck," she replied.

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### EVENTS OF EVERYWHERE.

New York City is in the midst of a typhoid fever alarm.

Captain Jerome B. Osler, believed to be the oldest resident of Illinois, dled recently, aged 105.

A contract has just been let for a new passenger station at Mobile, Ala., to cost half a million dollars.

Fire at Sweetwater destroyed the Sweetwater Review plant, valued at \$2000, covered by \$1000 insurance, and on adjoining bakery.

Jack Wooledge, a negro, was killed while riding on a log train on the tram line of the Kelly Lumber' Company near Heman, twelves miles east of Texarkana.

Rear Admiral Charles E. Clark, one of the naval heroes of the Spanish War, became 62 years old and for that reason was transferred to the retired list of the navy a few days since.

Hon. Malcoln R. Patterson, representative in Congress from the Tenth Tennessee District, has issued a card announcing his candidacy for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination.

It is reported that William Kenefik Construction Company of Kansas City has secured the contract for building the Western Pacific Rallway from Salt Lake City to San Francisco at a cost of \$11,000,000.

Twelve years in the penitentiary for burglary is the sentence at Salt Lake. Utah, on Sam Grice, who almost thirty years ago saved the life of General, new Lord Roberts, the head of the British army.

James Edward Britt and Battling Nelson have signed articles to fight twenty-five rounds before the Colma Athletic club at Union Coursing Park on September 9 for a purse of \$20,000 or a sharing equivalent.

and unconscious from boiling sosp, Jefferson parish. Another case has five of them badly parboiled, from W. H. Daggett & Son's soap factory on West Twelfth street, New York. The tanks containing 70,000 gallons of soap fats exploded after a fire in the 'hreestory building had been brought under

The signing up of the lands for the Elepant Butte dam is progressing rapidly in the valley of El Paso. About 4,500 acres have been signel to date, with 25,000 more in progress. In district No. 8 there are fully 15,000 | that there were twelve cases there, seres but one-third to hold by at

In sight of hundreds of clevated and surface car passengers on the Brooklyn bridge, a well-dressed man, whose identity is unknown, leaped from a surface car bound for Brooklyn, and, running to the center of the bridge, leaped to death through the railing to the river below.

Mrs. Chester Winstanley of New Albany, Ind., while temporarily insane, drowned her 8-year-old daughter, Ruth, by forcing ner into and holding her under the water in a bathtub. Grabbing a pistol she shot and dangerously wounded her husband and then swallowed a quantity of carbolic acid.

By the capsizing of a boat in a whirlpool at Christina Lake, near Grand Fork, B. C., Miss Agnes Ruckle and Miss Ida Anderson were drowned. Three others in the party managed to reach shore.

A few days since Allen White, 18 years old, was caught in the tide while walking along the beach and attempted to climb the cliffs at Palus, France. He reched the summit of the cliff and lost his balance and fell. Death was instantaneous.

The court of inquiry in the Beenington disaster has completed its investigs tion and the members will now prepa'e their report. This will be present ed to Admiral Broderick, when presemably it will be made public.

General Manager Sweeney of the Trinity and Brazos Valley Road, says that he has just closed the contract for steel for the 180 miles of new road south of Mexia to Houston, and that the construction work on the new line would begin right away.

The Chief of Police at Homel, Rusto, has issued a manifesto that as his te has been twice attempted by Jews the lowest classes, hereafter any a approaching within fifty

### COURIER FEVER SITUATION

MANY CASES REPORTED FROM THE COUNTRY.

### REQUIRES STRICT QUARANTINE

Yellow Fever Manifested Itself in a Number of Points Outlying New Orleans.

New Orleans, La., Aug. 15 .- The figures for the day are considered surprisingly small, considering that nineteen of the cases reported yesterday really belonged to the previous day's list, having come in after the closing of Sunday's report. Monday has usually been a heavy day for new cases on account of holdovers from Sunday; and if the number of new cases for the next few days continue small, then it can be said that the situation is really improving. Of the new foci, four are uptown and four below Canal

Surgeon White's forces went to work yesterday on the reorganization plan, all the fumigating and screening being done from the district headquarters instead of the central headquarters, as heretofre.

Assistant Surgeons Mullans and Green reported for duty yesterday. Surgeon Sporting, of the navy, arrived yesterday to look after the interests of the navy men who are at the naval

This is a field day for court cases. Assistant Surgeon Corput went yesterday to St. James parish and found a case at Lutcher, a large lumber town. This case is traced to Reserve Plan-

The parish health officer of St. Charles reports that Diamond and Goodhope plantations have each one suspicious and three positive cases. He says that on the Goodhope place the Italians are very much opposed to inspection, but he will call on the sheriff to enforce his authority.

Two more cases were discovered Twenty firemen were carried burned | yesterday on the Woods plantation in developed at La Fourche Crossing which is isolated on a flatboat in the bayou. Patterson reports three new cases and no deaths. Plaquemine parish reports two new cases at Port Celeste, four miles above Pointe a la Hache, one of which is dead. All other cases in that parish have recovered and the Port Celeste cases are the only stationary infected which has developed. An early report received by the board of health said

it this was a mistane in transmission, Surgeon Guiteras returned last night from Patterson, where he has been in charge of the fumigation and screening and organizing the community to fight the infection. He reports the situation there as encouraging and the people thoroughly alive to the necessity of the work mapped out by him. The situation in regard to the business shows some signs of a solution. It is believed that the surgeon general will withdraw his prohibition against shipment of the fruit north, if an arrangement now under way can be completed to have the fruit vessels unload at Chalmette, a point below the

The Norwegian steamship Sapphire from Colon is now held up in quarantine and two cases of sickness were taken off and placed in the detention camp at the quarantine station near the mouth of the river. It is reported that a case of sickness was taken off another ship recently, which is still detained in quarantine.

Assistant Surgeon Berry is on the road to recovery.

Anti-American Feeling. Hong Kong: A meeting of Chinese called for yesterday to discuss the boycott of American goods was not permitted by the government, and the Chinese then formally presented a petition praying for permission to meet. A strong anti-American feeling is apparent among the Chinese.

No Yellow Fever in Mississ ppi.

Jackson, Miss.: No yellow fever cases are reported in any part of the state and no suspicious cases are under observation.

Governor Vardaman and Secretary Hunter spent the day yesterday at Vicksburg looking after state quarantine against Louisiana. Surgeon Young of the marine hospital service has arranged for the satisfactory inspection system with the Tengessee board of

FIRST HUMBLE FIRE. Deputy Sheriff Believes 40 or 50 People Lost Their Lives.

Houston, Texas: It has been whispered around for several days that some rather ugly facts in connection with the big oil fire, the first one, that destroyed the twelve big tanks of the Texas Company, holding a quarter million barrels each, have never yet been printed. The one that attracting most attention relates to the number of lives lost and what might have had something to do with the large mortality, Mr. J. G. Blackburn, who has been a deputy sheriff there for some time, was asked if the exact number of people who were cremated there had ever been determined. He replied that it had not exactly been fixed upon, but that a great many letters of inquiry had been received from persons in this city and other parts of Texas, asking about men who were out there and had not been seen since the fire. These facts in connection with the facts known about the fight against the fire, made him believe that between forty and fifty persons were burned to death. The fact that only eight or ten heaps of ashes were accepted as those of human beings did not cover or make complete the case, because there were many completely consumed, not even a bone being left. When asked how it happened that so many were unable to escape he said: "You know there were only two gates in the wire fence through which men and teams could escape, and that guards had been placed at the gates with Winchesters, and instructed not to allow the men to come out until the situation was hopeless." He stated his understanding was that these instructions were followed, which largely accounts for the heavy

### WORK HAS STOPPED.

loss of life at the fire.

One Hundred Canal Laborers Discharged and Sent Home.

Panama: One hundred men in the transportation and excavation departments at Culebra were discharged and will be sent home to New York by the next boats. Supervisors and superintendents comprise most of the Nearly all of the steam shovels have shut down. There will be no excavation work at Culebra until the dry season.

A meeting of merchants at Panama has been called to frame a protest against the establishment of commissary stores at points in the zone. The Panama government acquiesces in

Cattleman Discovered Volcano.

Reno, Nev.: A volcano throwing off molten lava and in active eruption nas been discovered in Nevada by Messrs. McClure, Wheeler and Somers, cattlemen of Lovelock. The volcano is located in Rye Patch, Humboldt county. Although that section has been traversed for years the crater has just been found. The men were in search of cattle when they came upon a stream of lava, and, tracing it to its source, located the volcano. The rocks for some distance around were so hot that they could not touch them with their bare hands. Distinct rumblings accompanied the flow of lava.

Rice Cutting This Week.

El Campo, Texas: The weather for cotton has been very favorable and prospects are for a good crop. Cotton is fruiting nicely and if weather coatinues dry and hot the boll weevils will do no damage whatever. Rice farmers are wanting rain but are not suffering any as yet. Some rice will be cut by the end of the week and ready for the market in a short while,

Chicago Packers Mum.

Chicago, Ill.: Local packers and their counsel refuse to discuss President Roosevelt's public utterance Friday concerning the case of the indicted men. The statement which aroused the pickers is: "It has become our conviction that in some cases, such as that of at least certain of the beel packers recently indicted in Chicago, it is impossible longer to show leniency."

Crushed by a Log.

Nacogdoches, Texas: Yesterday morning at a saw mill near Sacul, Tom Grissom, a logger, was caught between two large logs and was instantly killed. He was thrown to the ground by one log and the other rolled over his body, crushing the life out of him.

Taylor, Texas: Eighty-six bales of new cotton were marketed in Taylor Saturday, making a total of 202 bales of the new crop received to date, and trade in all lines was brisk.

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In Harper's Magazine Philip Verrill Mighels gives a vivid picture of a western mining camp as he saw it on the night of his arrival: "It was twilight when we came in sight of the brand-new mining camp, built in a natural amphitheater formed by the square-cut table mountains. It was a thickly studded constellation of tents. with straggling domiciles and dugouts scattered about over a space of ten square miles. In their whiteness and squareness the tents resembled countless dice at rest where the toss of fate and chance had left them to grasp at a footbold.

"The darkness closed in as we drove into town. Our teamster swung his animals at once into a large corral, where hundreds of mules, a dozen cows, scores of men, great dusty wagons, and piles and heaps of baggage, lumber, cases, rolls of bedding, gaunt iron boilers and domestic necessities were mixed in hopeless confusion.

"I paid him my fare and told him ! would willingly pay him more could he manage to provide me with a 6x1 accommodation in his blankets for the night. He knew men were walking the streets for lack of beds in the town and, being a large-hearted team ster, he agreed to take me in, provided there was space sufficient under

" 'I sleep 'most anywheres in this corral,' he said. 'There's a tent over here that we may get in if there ain't too many beds there now.

"In the semi-darkness we stumbled over to the tent, which he entered A second later he let out a horrible whoop. He had bumped into some thing alive. It was merely a cow. She had gone inside in search either for news from home or hay in the mattresses. She care out hurriedly, bowling the writer aside in her haste Then a match was lighted, its waver ing light revealing nine rough beds in the tent, all on the ground, in a space so limited that many were, perforce. rolled up in order to squeeze into the space. But I could come here and titles and the telephone in a solution more inviting could be found. He seemed to believe there was room

"A final storm of the day now broke before I could make my way from the strewn corral. In Nevada the rarest disturbance known is a storm of thunder and rain. But to night above the brow of the somber mountains raged a mighty war of elements, terrific and ominous. Out of clouds asblack as felt stabbed three-pronged lightning strokes, vicious and awful. A sudden wind hurled dust and rain and hail together in a tempest on the town. The street was ablaze with lights from a -score of saloons and gambling halls. Music arose from these thronged abodes of carelessness. It swept in interrupted gushes on the storm, laughing out its frivolity against the stern, deep roar of thunder from the hill. To me it was threat and portent, fearful and majestic, that the gods were sounding."

Prominent English Musician.

Great Britain's present most widely known musician is Sir Edward Elgar, who recently arrived in this country to receive a degree from Yale university. Sir Edward's success and fame were achieved within the past tracting comfort from his quid. two years. During that brief period musical compositions by him of a high order have been presented in England, America, Germany and France and have won wide appreciation. There have been nine performances of his large choral works in New York alone. and most of his orchestral works also have been played there. Sir Edward, who is 48 years old, was practically self-educated. He is an "all-around" musician as well as composer.

One Consolation. A trust controls the iron and steel, likewise the lead and tin,
And copper, paper, wool and zinc the
trusts have gathered in; Whate'er we buy some bad combine takes tribute from our hoard.

But still the trusts do not as yet control the price of board.

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Somebody has at last discovered hat Byron was a plagiarist. Six lines scattered through some of his unknown poems are very similar to lines that were written by Burns, Scott and Tickell. This discovery may plobably be listed as another triumph of the twentieth century.

The professional faster of Hamburg has hanged herself because she was afraid of starving to death through her inability to get fasting engagements. There's a joke in this somewhere if one could only find it.

The purchase of 150,000 pounds of chewing tobacco for the U.S. navy every year indicates that Jack has not given up his old-time habit of ex

That woman who put to flight with a hat pin a man who had attacked her husband has evidently read the papers, and to very good advantage.

When a ship turns turtle, the men on board would be glad to turn turtle also, sufficiently to do the turtle swimming act towards the shore.

In Trouble. "He's sorry now that he garreled with his wife."

"She has gone home to her mother, I suppose." "No, she's had her mother come home to her."

To Swim English Channel. Montagu Holbein will make another effort to swim the English channel this year. Burgess, the French champion. who did so well last year, is also to make another attempt.

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### THE DEATH LIST IS GROWING

### Heavy Increase in Yellow Fever Cases Beginning to Manifest Itself.

report to 6 p. m. yesterday:

New cases, 50. Total cases, 963. Deaths, 12.

Total, 154. New subfoci, 14,

ure in today's report:

Total, 202. Cases under treatment, 343.

New Orleans: The heavy increase in the number of cases which began four or five days ago is beginning to manifest itself in the death list, which can be expected to grow steadily for the next few days. The number of new cases yesterday seems small in comparison with the previous day's record, but it is really nineteen short, as that number of cases were turned in by an inspector just after the hour for closing the report. These will fig-

Among the cases yesterday was Louis Cuculla, Jr., cashier of the People's bank, who resides far out on North Johnson street. Another case is Maurice Kenny, ex-councilman and ex-member of the legislature. Two the previous day. Only five of the new foci are above Canal street.

Surgeon White yesterday made a he hopes to accomplish results much partment under Dr. Gessner, who sent person."

New Orleans, La., Aug. 14.-Official squads out on notification of cases by physicians. Yesterday afternoon Dr. White assembled all of his subordinates in conference and decided to place the screening and fumigation work under the several district headquarters. The present force will be divided among the district surgeons and Dr. Gessner will be given charge of the districts.

### Mosquitoes With Rabies.

Muskogee, I. T.: George H. Bloom, an undertaker of this city, who has lived in the South and passed through one or more epidemics of yellow fever, advances a new theory as to the origin of this disease. Mr. Bloom attributes yellow fever to mosquitoes, and has studied the disease along this line for many years, he says, even before Dr. Reed advanced and subsequently established the fact that the stegomyia was the instrument of transmission of the germ.

"If you will notice," said Mr. Bloom, "yellow fever does not make its appearance till about the dog days and not then unless we have a season of extremely wet weather, followed by an of Kenny's daughters were stricken unusually high temperature. The weather gives the mosquitoes the rabies the same as it does dogs. Dogs, you will note, only go mad after a season of rain, followed by howeatifchange in his organization by which er, and the same applies to yellow fever. I believe it is conveyed to peoquicker. The fumigating and screen- ple by mosquitoes that have gone 'mad,' the same as a dog conveys raing work was all done by a central de- bies when he goes mad and bites a

### HIDDEN PUZZLE PICTURE



Find the Wood Sprite.

### ST. PETERSBURG HOPEFUL.

Fact That Negotiations Are Still Being Considered the Cause for It.

St. Petersburg: The Russian capita! is in the dark regarding the meaning of the prolonged conference at Portsmouth on Saturday. The purport of M. Witte's messages received here has been imparted only to a few officials. Nevertheless in high quarters there is a certain feeling of hopefulness noticeable which is not altogether accounted for on the ground that thus far there has been no rupture and that the terms are still under discussion, with a chance of an understanding being reached. The only a together unacceptable to the Japanese, else the conference would have ended then and there. Count Lamswith the emperor, went again to Peno important developments here af- and there was no disorder. fecting the negotiations.

The emperor has seen the ministers also during the last two days, but has found no occasion to summon a council of ministers, and M. Witte's course seems to be meeting with his full approval.

All official dispatches received from Portsmouth, after being deciphered, are forwarded to the emperor, whose comment and suggestions thereon are sometimes expressed in marginal an. to the officers and was lodged in jail. notations.

There is reason to believe that no manifesto on the subject of a national news is received from Portsmouth, so that if peace negotiations fail the stir up the patriotism of the country. ly serious.

### Landslide Killed Indians.

Winnipeg, Manitoba: At 3:30 p. m. yesterday a tremendous landslide came cer Bridge near Ashcroft, B. C., sweeping the waters of the Thompson river over the entire village, leaving nothing but wreck in its path. The landslide caused a wave from ten to fifit. Fifteen Indians are reported missing and twelve injured. Doctors have been sent from Kamloops and Ash-

### Bakers' Negotiations Off.

New York: Although a tentative comment vouchsafed officially was agreement was reached Saturday bethat Mr. Witte's answer seemed not tween the striking Hebrew bakers and the employers, which promised speedily to end the str.kt, the boss bakers met yesterday and decided to break dorff, who is keeping in close touch off all negotiations and to resist the demands of the strikers to the utterhof yesterday, carrying the latest most. All the Hebrew bake shops on messages, but apparently there were the east side were closed yesterday

### Bob Armstrong Killed.

Paris, Texas: In a difficulty beween Lee Masters and Bob Armstrong yesterday afternoon at the handle factory plant in the northwest part of the city, Armstrong was shot and killed. A revolver was the weapon used and only one shot was fired, the bullet taking effect in the forehead. After the killing Masters surrendered

### Woman Accidentally Shot.

Lake Charles, La.: Mrs. Godfrey assembly will be issued until definite | Solomon was accidentally shot in the jaw by a boy named Emile Relson, promise of an assembly and the pub- Yesterday afternoon, at Cypress Knee. lication of the rejected Japanese terms | a point near this city, on the river. made simultaneously will combine to The wound is painful, but not especial-

While pursuing a mouse, Mme. Delatour of Paris broke through the floor of her room and found in the hole a brass box containing gold coins of the value of \$1,000.

### It Knocks Malaria Out.

"The old reliable Cheatham's Chill Tonic cures quicker and more permanently than any other remedy. One bottle is guaranteed to cure any one case. You can't lose. Try it.

The crosses that we make for ourselves are not the ones that win us

### Try One Package.

If "Defiance Starch" does not please you, return it to your dealer. If it does you get one-third more for the same money. It will give you satisfaction, and will not stick to the iron.

Cabbages were introduced into England in the sixteenth century.

Gibson Well Water is shipped everywhere. It cures Constipation, Rheumatism, Kidney, Liver and Stomach Troubles.

Cromwell is said to have originated the board of trade idea.

Carl Beers of Bangor, Me., runs a worm farm. He raises them for bait.

When You Buy Starch buy Defiance and get the best, 16 oz. for 10 cents. Once used, always used.

Cadets at West Point and Annapolis are to be taught jiu-jitsu.

### MANY PHYSICIANS PRESCRIBE

Lydia E. Pinkham's

Vegetable Compound

The wonderful power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound over the diseases of womankind is not because it is a stimulant, not because it is a palliative, but simply because it is the most wonderful tonic and reconstructor ever discovered to act directly upon the generative organs, positively curing disease and restoring health and

vigor.
Marvelous cures are reported from all parts of the country by women who have been cured, trained nurses who have witnessed-cures and physicians who have recognized the virtue of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and are fair enough to give

credit where it is due. If physicians dared to be frank and open, hundreds of them would acknowledge that they constantly prescribe Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-pound in severe cases of female ills, as they know by experience it can be relied upon to effect a cure. The follow-

Dr. S. C. Brigham, of 4 Brigham Park, Fitchburg, Mass., writes:

"It gives me great pleasure to say that I have found Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound very efficacious, and often pre-scribe it in my practice for female difficulties. "My oldest daughter found it very benefi-cial for uterine trouble some time ago, and my youngest daughter is now taking it for a fe-male weakness, and is surely gaining in health

"I freely advocate it as a most reliable spe

ject, and give it honest endorsement." Women who are troubled with painful or irregular menstruation, bloating (or flatulence), leucorrhœa, falling, inflammation or ulceration of the uterus. down about half a mile west of Spen. ovarian troubles, that bearing-down feeling, dizziness, faintness, indigestion, nervous prostration or the blues. should take immediate action to ward off the serious consequences, and be restored to perfect health and strength by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and then write to Mrs. teen feet high up the river, carrying Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., for further the ferry and all small boats before free advice. No living person has had the benefit of a wider experience in treating female ills. She has guided thousands to health. Every suffering woman should ask for and follow her advice if she wants to be strong and well.





### CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

The Sheriff or any Constable of House County, Greeting:

are hereby company. n County, Greeting:
on are hereby commanded to summon unknown heirs of A. W. Beckham, sased; the enknown heirs of G. B. dwick, deceased, and G. B. Hardk, and all other persons claiming interest in said land sued on, by cing publication of this citation once ach week for eight successive weeks rious to the return day hereof, in a newspaper published in your counif there be a newspaper published rein, but if not, then in any newser published in the Third Judicial trict; but if there be no newspaper itshed in said Judicial District, then a newspaper published in the nearest trict to said Third Judicial District, uppear at the next regular term of the a newspaper published in the nearest trict to said Third Judicial District, uppear at the next regular term of the trict Court of Houson County, to be ien at the Court House thereof, in ckett, on the 2nd Monday in October, the same being the 9th day of ober, 1905, then and there to answer etition filed in said court on the 31st of July, 1906, in a suit numbered the docket of said court No. 4976, erein A. H. Wootters and R. H. Wootte, deceased, are plaintiffs, and the uniwn heirs of A. W. Beckham, deceased; unknown heirs of G. B. Hardwick, deseed, and G. B. Hardwick, and all of persons claiming to have any inset in the land herein sued on, are dedants, and said petition alleging that intiffs are the owners in fee simple the following described tract of land ated in Houston County, same beau part of the A. W. Beckham league, a being 104 acres out of the N. W. ner of the W. H. White 400-acre tract of said league, and described as following at the N. W. corner of said

X for witness trees X for witness trees:
ence south with 400 acre survey line
the W. B. line of said Beckham
se at 781 vrs. to corner, a P. O. 16
nkd. X brs. N. 8, E. 5 vrs., and a
6 in rakd. X brs. N. 62, W. 2 5-10

B. 5 vrs;
made north at 781 vrs. set stake in for corner on the N. B. line of sold ore survey, a P. O. 16 in. mkd. X. S. 40. E. 8 vrs.; a R. O. 29 in. mkd. X. S. 40. E. 8 vrs.; a R. O. 29 in. mkd. X. N. 70. E. 7 vrs.; by instruments executed as follows:
tent by the State of Texas to A. Beckham; deed from W. M. Simpson. B. Hardwick; deed from Burnett Wall to Cook and McGlinnis; deed Cook and McGlinnis to Burnett Wall; deed from Burnett and Wall. H. White; deed from W. H. White wife, M. J. White, to J. C. Wootand Smith and Frymier; 2 at defendants, the unknown heirs of Y. Beckham, deceased, claim an intin said land by reason of no connece being of record from A. W. ham to said land; and the defendant, unknown heirs of G. B. Hardwick, an interest in said land by deed W. M. Simpson, and any farther is to said land by anyone are unit oplaintiffs;

the five and ten years Statutes tation, and allege that the claims itation, and allege that the claims fendants casts a cloud on their and pray for judgment for said wicting their title to same and regall clouds therefrom, and for and special relief. In fail not, but have you before ourt, at its aforesaid next regular this writ, with your return thereowing how you have executed the

Witness, J. B. Stanton, Clerk of the istrict Court of Houston County.
Given under my hand and the seal of id court, at office in Crockett, this the st day of July, 1906.

J. B. STANTON.
Clerk District Court, Houston County.
Adams & Adams, Attorneys for Plain-

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. Sheriff or any Constable of Hous-nunty, Greeting: unknown heirs of Joseph Hodges, sed; unknown heirs of Joseph Hodges, sed; unknown heirs of J. F. Beavers, he Beavers, Lucinda Beavers, Kitty ers, Jeff Beavers, Frank Beavers, rt Beavers, Ella English and her and, J. B. English, and all other as claiming to have any interest land herein sued on, by makpublication of this citation once weak for eight successive weeks.

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| acres, the same being a part of the Heavers 1429-acre survey out of the ph Hodges league situated about 3 is southeast of the Town of Crockett, described as follows:
| mining at the N. W. or west cor-

threfrom, substituting all missing deeds,

and for general relief.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereshowing how you have executed the

Witness, J. B. Stanton, Clerk of the District Court of Houston County. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this the 31st day of July, 1905. J. B. STANTON.

Clerk District Court, Houston County. Adams & Adams, Attorneys for Plain

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

The STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of John Box, deceased, by making publication of this citation once in each week for 8 successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Third Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in said Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Crockett, on the 2nd Monday in October, 1905, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 21st day of July, 1905, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 4374, wherein A. H. Wootters and R. H. Wootters, deceased, are plaintiffs, and the unknown heirs of John Box, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiffs are the owners in fee simple of the following described three You are hereby commanded to summon that plaintiffs are the owners in fee simple of the following described three tracts of land, the same being a part of

simple of the following described three tracts of land, the same being a part of the Frank Johnson league situated in Houston County about one mile west of Crockett, and described as follows:

First tract: 92 6-10 acres of land more or less, beginning at the S. W. corner of Wootters' 89-acre tract:

Thence N. 35, W. with said tract, west line 715 vrs., N. W. corner of same:

Thence S. 55, W. 370 vrs. to corner;

Thence N. 35, W. 492 vrs., S. E. corner of Wootters 11-acre tract, elm 6 in. mkd. X brs. N. 61, W. 2 1-2 vrs.;

Thence with road S. 73 1-2. W. 190 vrs., west 200 vrs., N. 70, W. 100 vrs., west corner of 11-acre tract, P. O. 20 in. mkd. X brs. S. 54 1-2, W. 2 vrs.;

Thence S. 55, W. 132 vrs., N. W. corner of Dawson 200-acre homestead tract; Thence S. 55, W. 132 vrs., N. W. corner of a 4 1-2-acre tract sold to J. B. Ellis by J. C. Wootters, elm 12 in. mkd. X brs. N. 82, E. 3 vrs.; lynn 12 in. mkd. X brs. N. 67, W. 3 vrs.;

Thence S. 73, E. 6 vrs., corner on branch

hackberry, 6 in. brs. S. 85, W. 6 vrs. sweet gum 16 in. brs. S. 25, E. 8 vrs.; Thence up branch S. 15. E. 70 vrs., S. 80, E. 100 vrs., N. 70, E. 75 vrs., S. 55, W. 30 vrs. to corner; Thence N. 87 1-2, E. 620 vrs., corner near wire fence;

Thence S. 28 I-2, E. with fence 281 2-10 vrs., stake in Peyton Tunstalls pasture on the north line of his homestead tract: Thence N. 55, E. with Tunstall's and Wootters' line, 239 vrs. to the place of

north edge of road;
Thence with the meanders of said road S. 87 1-2, W. 140 vrs., N. 82 1-2, W. 200 vrs., N. 78 1-2, W. 235 1-2 vrs., to Wootters and Ellis corner in said road;
Thence N. 35, W. with Wootters' and Ellis' line 140 vrs., their corner;
Thence N. 72 1-2, W. 94 vrs., corner of Ellis' field;
Thence N. 17 1-2, E. 50 vrs., corner in branch bottom;
Thence N. 87 1-2 E. 540 vrs. corner.

Thence N. 87 1-2, E. 640 vrs., corner ear field fence; nce S. 26 1-2, E. 281 2-10 vrs., corner yton Tunstail filed in Wootters' and

Tunstall's line; Then S. 55, W. with said line, 52 1-2 vrs. to the beginning.

Third tract: Containing 15 49-100 acres of land, same being out of the southeast corner of an 89-acre tract on said league, and beginning at stake in branch the S.

E. corner of said 89-acre tract, sweet gum

Thence 8. 55. W. with south line of said 89-acre tract 425 2-10 vrs., corner in said 89-acre south line, pine 18 in. brs. 8. 86, W. 1 1-i0 vrs., mkd. X:

Thence N. 25, W. with Wootters' and Phillips' or Aldrich line, 287 8-10 vrs. to stake on branch for corner: a pine 14

Phillips or Aldrich line, 287 8-10 vrs. to stake on branch for corner; a pine 14 in. brs. N. 59, E. 7 vrs., mkd. X;

Thence down said branch with its meanders as follows: N. 87, E. 160 vrs.; N. 68, E. 200 vrs.; N. 12 1-2, E. 50 vrs.; N. 58, E. 54 varas, to insection of this branch with big branch;

Thence up big branch with its meanders as follows: S. 48, E. 130 vrs.; S. 13 1-2, E. 66 7-10 vrs. to the beginning

That plaintiffs also claim title to said land by the five and ten years Statutes of Limitation, and allege that the claims of the defendants cast a cloud on their title, and pray judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom and quieting their title to same.

removing all clouds the quieting their title to same. Herein fall not, but have you before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the

Witness, J. B. Stanton, Clerk of the District Court of Houston County. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this the

21st day of July, 1965.
21st day of July, 1965.
Clerk District Court, Houston County.
Adams & Adams, Attorneys for Plain

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summor the unknown heirs of Elijah Wheeler, deceased, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight consecutive weeks previous to eight consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your coun-ty, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any news-paper published in the Third Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then District to said Third Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Crockett, on the 2nd Monday in October, 1865, the same being the 9th day of October, 1865, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 21st day of July, 1865, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 4972, wherein Mary A. Leaverton is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of Elljah Wheeler, deceased, are defendants, and said cetition alleging the plaintiff is the own-

northern boundary of said league 2910 varas to corner, whence a B. J. marked EW bears south 47 east 8 varas and a P. O. marked EW bears north 57 east 6 varas; thence south with the line of said league 1580 varas to corner, whence a B. J. bears south 57 east 16-16 varas, and a R. O., bears north 64 east 3 varas; thence west to the northwest corner of a survey of Ochiltree and Jennings for 553 1-10 acres of said league; thence south with the west boundary of the last named survey, and with the west line of a survey made for James English lying south of sald Ochiltree and Jennings survey, intersect a survey of said league of 881-2 acres made for James English; thence west with the northern boundary of said 88 1-2 acre tract to said league line; thence with the said league line north 35 west to corner, whence a B. J. marked EW bears south 25 east 75-10 varas and another bears south 49 east 8 varas; thence north 1430 varas to the place of beginning; by instruments Outy executed as follows:
Patent by the State of Texas to Elijah
Wheeler, dated June 17th, 1849; deed from
Dan't Dailey and James English to Wm.

F. Wall, dated Sept. 5th, 1853; deed from Wm. F. Wall to F. D. Bodenhamer, dat-ed Sept. 26th, 1854; deed from F. D. Bod-enhamer to Wm. R. Matlock, dated Feb. 11th, 1857; and will of said Wm. R. Matlock, bequeathing said property to Mary A. Matlock, now plaintiff Mary A. Leaverton, said will dated April 5th, 1863. That plaintiff claims title to said land by the five and ten years statutes of limitation, and alleges that the claims of de-fendants cast a cloud on her title and prays judgment for said land quieting her title to same removing all clouds there-from, and substituting said missing link. Herein fail not, but have you before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return til reon, showing how you have executed the

witness, J. B. Stanton, Clerk of the District Court of Houston County. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this the

21st day of July, 1905.

J. B. STANTON,

Clerk District Court, Houston County.

Adams & Adams, Attorneys for Plain-

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hous ton County, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to the unknown heirs of Elljah Wheeler deceased, the unknown heirs of J. M. Hall ceased, the unknown heirs of M. McKeever, deceased, and all other per-sons claiming to have any interest in the land herein sued on, by making publica-tion of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any news-paper published in the Third Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said Third Judicial District,

District to said Third Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Crockett, on the 2nd Monday in October 1905, the same being the 9th day of October, 1905, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 21st day of July, 1905, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 4872, wherein A. H. Wootters and R. H. Wootters, executors of the estate of J. C. Woots. beginning.

Second tract: 27 87-100 acres of land, beginning at the west corner of tract owned by Peyton Tunstall, pine stump brs. N. 31 1-2, W. 3 7-10 vrs., corner in north edge of road;

wherein A. H. Wootters and R. H. Wootbers, executors of the estate of J. C. Wootters, deceased, are plaintiffs, and the unknown heirs of Elijah Wheeler, deceased; the unknown heirs of J. M. Hall, deceased; M. B. McKeever, deceased; and the unknown heirs of J. M. Hall, deceased; M. B. McKeever, deceased; and the unknown heirs of J. M. Hall, deceased; by the unknown heirs of J. M. Hal all other persons claiming to have any interest in the land berein sued on, are defendants, and said petition alleging plaintiffs are the owners in fee simple of the following described tract of land,

to-wit: 309 acres out of the Elijah Wheeler 399 acres out of the Elljah Wheeler league, situated in Houston county, about 9 miles east from Crockett, and described as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of said league set stake, from which a pine marked SW bears south 38 west 58-10 varas; thence west 436 varas, intersects G. W. Hallmarks league; thence north 25 west with said Hallmark's line at 220 varas to corner; thence south 65 west with the N. B. line of said Hallmarks survey to corner; thence west Hallmarks survey to corner; thence west with the S. B. line of said Wheeler league 598 varas, set stake, from which a pine bears north 45 east 15 varas; thence north 1006 varas intersects Wm. Goodwin's sur J. H. bears south 72 east 2 varas; thence J. H. bears south 72 east 2 varas; thence east 550 varas, set stake, from which a P. O. marked W. bears north 54 west 7 varas, a pine marked J. H., bears south 40 west 7 varas; thence north 230 varas W. E. Hayes southwest corner; thence east with Hayes S. B. line 957 varas to Hayes southeast corner; thence south with E. B. line of said Wheeler league 1225 varas to place of beginning, and the

1236 varus to place of beginning, and the tract sued on being all of said 300 acres except the following described tract owned by John Frizzell: 69 1-2 acres out of said tract herein excepted and described as follows: Beginning at the south side of Crockett and Centralia road, a P. C. marked X, thence north at 230 varas to southwest

corner of the Hicks survey, a small pine for corner; thence east with Hicks S. B. line at 952 varas, corner on said Whee E. B. line, a pine and P. O marked X; thence S. with said E. Wheeler league line at 780 varas, set stake, in said Crockett and Centralia road for corner; thence north 35 west with said road 280 varis north 60 west 290 varas north 67 west 210 varas north 75 west 360 varas to the place of beginning

That plaintiffs claim title to said land by the five and ten year statutes of limitation and allege that the claim of the defendants are unknown to plaintiffs, and that such claims cast a cloud on their title, and pray judgment for said land, quieting their title to same, removing ali louds therefrom, substituting all missing deeds, and for general and special relief. Herein fall not, but have you before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the

Witness, J. B. Stanton, Clerk of the District Court of Houston County. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this the 31st day of July, 1905.

J. B. STANTON,

Clerk District Court, Houston County.

Adams & Adams, Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Henry Masters, deceased and all other persons claiming to have any interest in the land herein sued on, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to ahe return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Third Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said Third Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the

on the docket of said court No. wherein A. H. Wootters and R. H. Wootters, executors of the estate of J. C. Woot ters, deceased, are plaintiffs, and the unknown heirs of Henry Masters, deceased and all other persons claiming to have any interest in the land herein sued on. are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiffs are the owners in fee simple of the following described tract

of land, to wit: 285 acres of land out of the Henry Masters' league, situated about 21-2 miles southeast from Crockett, in Houston county, Texas, and described as follows: Beginning on the west bank of White Rock creek at red oak marked X, thence down the right bank of said creek to line of T. P. Collins; thence south 541-2 west 250 varas said Collins corner; thence south 35 1-2 east 820 varas with said Collins line to corner on S. boundary of said league; thence south 54 1-2 west with said league; thence south 54 1-2 west with said league line 763 varas to stake J. C. Millars southeast corner, whence a P. ash south 61 west 3 varas; and a sweet gum north 91-2 west 3 varas; thence north 35 1-2 west with said Millars east line 1425 varas Millars northeast corner, a B. J. marked X. whence a P. O. marked X bears north 54 1-2 east 23 varas; thence north 54 1-2 east 1555 varas to the place of beginning. beginning.

2. 38 acres out of said Henry Masters league and adjoining the above described tract, same being a part of a 138 acre survey out of said league and described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of W. V. Berry or Dutch Smith 100 acre survey; thence south 541-2 west with the Masters league line at 690 varas, the southwest corner of said 138 acre survey, also the southeast corner of the above 285 acre survey; thence north 351-2 west with said 285 acre survey varas, corner; thence north 541-2 east at 250 varas, corner, on White Rock creek; thence down and with the meanders of said creek to an ell corner of said 138 acre survey; thence north 541-2 east at 111 varas to Berry or Smith's north-west corner; thence south 64 east with Berry line at 605 varas to the place of beginning

3. 25 acres of land out of said Henry Masters league and adjoining said above described 285 acres on the west, and described as follows: Beginning at Wootters line at southwest corner of a 35 acre tract sold to the I, and G, N. R. R. oC., stake, from which a P. O., 14 in. marked X, bears north 14 west 3 varas; another 16 in marked X bears north 51 1-2 east 5, varas; thence north 54% east with the line of said railroad survey 306 8-10 varas, set stake, from which a water oak 10 in marked X bears south 25 west 1 vara, and a P. O. 16 in marked X bears south 71 west 2 varas; thence south 35 1-2-east at 499 varas to J. C. Wootters north-east corner of his 30 acre tract out of said 100 acre survey, a P. O. north 42 west 4 varas, a hickory north 20 west 7 varas; thence south 54 1-2 west, with said Wootters line at 309 8-10 varas to his northwest corner, a post in southwest boundary line of said Wootters tract, R. O., bears north 27 west 3 varas, and another R. O., bears south 7 east 10 varas; thence north 35 1-2 west with the original line of said 100 acre survey 459 varas to the place of beginning.

. 30 acres of land out of said Henry Masters league and adjoining said above described 255 acre tract on the west and said 35 acre tract on the south and de-scribed as follows: Beginning at south-west corner of said Masters league; thence north 441-2 east 396 varas, stake. whence a sweet gum north 91-2 west 3 varas; thence horth 351-2 west 427 varas, a stake, from which a P. O. bears north 42 west 4 waras, a hickory, bears north 20 west 7 varas; thence south 541-2 east 256 8-10 varas, a post in southwest body of said Masters league, from which a R. O. bears north 27 west 2 varas; another R. east 10 varas; thence south 25 1-2 with Masters southwest boundary line to the place of beginning.

And plaintiffs allege that they also claim said land under the five and ten years' statutes of limitation, and specially plead the same; and further show that the claims of defendants, which are unknown to plaintiffs, east a cloud on their title, and pray for judgment for said land removing all clouds therefrom, substituting all missing deeds and quieting their title to same.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the Witness, J. B. Stanton, Clerk of the District Court of Houston County. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this the 31st day of July, 1905.

Clerk District Court, Houston County. Adams & Adams, Attorneys for Plain-

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hous-ton County, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summer the unknown heirs of Jesse G. Thomp-sin, deceased; the unknown heirs of L. E. DoDwnes, deceased, and all other persos claiming to have any interest in the land herein sued on, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Third Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said Third Judiciai District, to appear at the next reg-ular term of the distric court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Crockett, on the second Monday in October, 1905, the same being the 9th day of October, 1905, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 31st day of July, 1905, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 4964, wherein A. H. Wootters and R. H. Wootters, executors of the estate of J. C. Wootters, deceased, are plaintiffs, and the unknown heirs of Jesse Thompson, the unknown heirs of L. E. Downes, deceased, and all other persons claiming to have any interest in the land herein sued on are defendants, and said petition alleging that the plain-

following described land, to wit:

557 acres of land situated in Houston county, Texas, out of and a part of the Jesse G. Thompson league, and being out of the southwest end of the south quarter of said league, and described as follows. ter of said league, and described as fol-

Beginning at the southwest corner of said league on the east bank of Trinity said league on the east bank of Trinity river; a post and mound for corrier; thence north 55 east with the 8. B. 'line of said league at 2852 varas to E. Burns' southwest corner, a P. O. in marked X. bears north 17 west 2 varas; ditto 8 in marked X. bears south 34 east 2 varas; thence sorth 25 west with said Burns' west boundary line at 1500 varas to the northwest corner, a P. O. 36 in marked X. bears south 80 east 4 varas; thence south northwest corner, a P. O. 39 in marked X bears south 89 east 4 varas; thence south 55 west with the north boundary line of said quarter league at 1860 varas, corner on east bank of Trinity river; thence down and with the meanders of said river to the piace of beginning.

That plaintiffs claim title to said land under duly recorded deeds and also under the five and ten years statutes of limitation, and specially plead the same.

Plaintiffs further allege that there is no deed on record from said Jesse G. Thompson conveying said land and that L. E. Downes once claimed an interest in said land, and that the claim of any other person is unknown to plaintiffs said

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereshowing how you have executed the

Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the District Court of Houston County. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this the 31st day of July, 1905, J. B. STANTON, Clerk District Court, Houston County. Adams & Adams, Attorneys for Plain-

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tiffs.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown beirs of Roman De La Garza, deceased; the unknown heirs of Sam'! Williams, deceased; the unknown neirs of J. J. Hall, deceased; the unknown beirs of J. M. Hall, deceased; the unknown heirs of Jno. R. Kain, deceased, the unknown heirs of Michael Donovan, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mahala L. Hall, deceased; the unknown heirs of John L. Hall, deceased; the unknown heirs of W. V. Hall, deceased; the unknown heirs of Virginia A. ceased; the unknown heirs of Joseph N. Craddock, deceased, and the unknown heirs of A. W. Beckham, deceased, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the re-turn day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a news-paper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Third Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said Third Judicial District, to appear at the next reg-ular term of the district court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Crockett, on the second Monday in October, 1905, the same being the 9th day of October, 1905, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 31st day of July, 1905, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court, No. 4966, wherein A. H. Wootters and R. H. Wootters, executors of the estate of J. C. Wootters, deceased, are plaintiffs, and the unknown heirs of Ro-man De La Garza, deceased; the un-known heirs of Sam'l Williams, de-ceased; the unknown heirs of J. J. Hall. deceased; the unknown heirs of J. M. Hall, deceased; the unknown heirs of J. R. Kain, deceased; the unknown heirs of Micheal Donovan, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mahala L. Hall, deceased; the unknown heirs of John L. Hall, ceased; the unknown heirs of W. Hall, deceased: the unknown heirs of Virginia A. Hall, deceased; the unknown helrs of Joseph N. Craddock, de-ceased, and the unknown heirs of A. W. Beckham, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiffs are the owners in fee simple of the following

described tracts of land, to wit:
All, of said tracts of land being out of and a part of the Roman De La Garza il league grant, lying east of the Trinity river, in Houston county, Texas, all of sections 24, 28, 35, 37, 38 and 49, according to the plot of the said Roman De La Garza ii league grant now on record in book ii page 183, of the Houston County Deed Records, said sections containing 640 acres of land each, and reference is here made to said plot for complete description of each of said sec

2. 100 acres out of the southeast corner of section 7 of said grant: Beginning at the southeast corner of section 7, a R. O. marked X, bears souh 24 west 3 varas: thence north 35 west 428 varas, cross Elkhart creek, at 260 varas, set stake from which a R. O. marked X bear south 24 west 3 varas; thence north 35 west 428 varas, cross Elkhart creek at 960 varas, set stake, from which a R. O. s in marked X bears south 85 west 4 varas; thence north 65 west at 594 varas, set stake, from which a P. O. 14 in marked X bears north 79 east 19 varas, and a R. O. 6 in marked X bears south 54 west 3 yaras; thence south 35 east 430 varas, said creek at 250 yaras, set stake, on section line, between 7 and 14, a sand jack 10 in marked X bears north 52 east 3 varas; thence north 55 east with said line at 594 varus to the beginning.

3. 345 acres out of section 14, the same being the east half of 490 acre survey out of the northern part of section 14, described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of section 14; thence south 55 west with the N. B. line of said section at 950 varas, the division corner, an elm 8 in marked X bears south 25 west 4 varas, 2 elm trees 6 and 8 in marked X bear south 78 east 6 varas; thence south 35 east with division line at 1456 varas, corner on Albert Lewis N. line, a B. J. 4 in marked X bears north 68 east 4 varas, a forked hickory 4 in marked X bears south 70 west 35-10 varas; thence north 55 east with said Lewis line at 950 varas, his northeast corner on sections 14 and 15; thence north

35 west at 1455 varas, the place of beginning.
4. 310 acres out of section 8 of said grant and described as follows: Begin-ning at the northeast corner of section on the N. B. line of said grant, a R. O. and elm marked X, substituted for the original witness trees; thence south 35 east with sections 7 and 8 at 1806 varas to the southeast corner of section 7 and 8, a pin oak and elm marked X: thence south 55 west with sections 8 and 13, 1258 varas, cross Little Elkhart creek at 1909 varas to the southwest corner of sections 8 and 18, an overcup oak; thence north 35 west with the line of sections and 10 at 430 veras, corner on Big Eikhart creek, a pecan 14 in marked X bears 38 west 35-10 varas, an overcup oak 14 in. marked X bears south 10 east 10 varas; thence with the meanders of said creek to where the grant crosses said Big Elkhart creek, pecan 15 in. marked X bears south east 6 varas, a pin oak 40 in marked X bears north 30 east 11 varas; thence north 56 east with said grant line at 230 varas to the place of beginning.

5. 110 acres out of section 23 of said grant, described as follows: Beginning at Joe Houston's southeast corner on said Hurricane bayou, a pin oak and post oak marked X: thence north 8 east with Joe Houston E. B. line at 1180 varas, his northeast corner, a B. J. and R. O. marked X: thence north 55 east with the line of sections 33 and 28 at 500 varas, corner a B. J. marked X bears south 41 west 3 varas, a P. O. marked X bears south 42 east 2 varas, a P. O. marked X bears south 42 east 3 varas; thence — 8 west at 1550 varas, corner on Hurricane bayou, a pin oak 8 in marked X bears south 58 east 2 varas, an ash 8 in marked X bears north 10 west 3 varas; thence down and with the meanders of said bayou to the place of beginning.

6. 590 acres out of section 25 of said grant and described as follows: Beginning at a corner between sections 35 and

ming at a corner between sections 35 and 36, and 25 and 25, thence north 25 west at 1900 varas, corner between sections 15 and 16, and 25 and 25; thence north 55 15 and 16, and 25 and 25; thence north 55 east at 1900 varas, corner between sections 15 and 17, and 24 and 25; thence south 35 cast at 1900 varas, corner between sections 36 and 37, and 24 and 25; thence north 35 west at 1900 varas to place of beginning. Being all of said section except 50 acres sold Bob Demby.

7. 32 acres out of section 16 of said grant, and described as follows: Beginning on division line of sectons 16 and 17, on the south side of Elkhart creek, about 100 varas south 35 east from said creek, from whence a wainut bears north 521-2 east 20 varas; thence south 40 west 50 varas; thence south 311-2 west 60 varas; thence 12 west 110 varas; thence south 25 west 25 varas; thence south 47 west 70 varas; thence south 321-2 east 60 varas; thence south 422-2 east 25 varas; thence south 47 west 70 varas; thence south 321-2 east 60 varas; thence south 42 east 50 varas; thence south 47 west 70 varas; thence south 321-2 east 60 varas;

8. 213 1-2 acres out of section 17 of said grant, and described as follows: Beginring at the northwest corner of section 17 a B. J. bears north 7 east 45 links; section 3 a R. O. bears north 71 west 53 links; section 4, a R. O. bears south 83 east 30 links; section 18, a hickory bears south 5 west 20 links; thence south 35 east between sections 16 and 17, 1900 varas to the southwest corner of said section 17. a sand jack bears north 50 west 233 links; section 16 a sand jack bears north 40 east 180 links; section 17, a sand jack bears south 65 east 130 links section 24; a sand jack bears south 7 west 10 links section 25; thence north 55 east at (33 3-10 varas to M. I. Crow's southwest corner on line of sections 17 and 24; thence north 35 west to Crow's northwest corner on the northwest boundary line of section 13 and section line of said section 4; thence south 55 west 633 3-10 varas to the place of beginning.

9. 229 3-5 acres out of sections 6 and 15 of said grant, and described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of section 15, 4 sand jacks marked X thence north 35 west with sections 15 and 6 at 3410 varas to Polk Taylor's southwest corner of his 100 acre survey, a O. marked X; thence north 55 east with said Taylor's south boundary, line at 380 varas, northwest corner of lot No. 4, in the partition of the Sharp estate, a pine bears south 4 west 4 varis; a O. 4 in marked X bears south 80 east varas; thence south 35 east with the line of lot No. 4 and continuing at 3410 varas to corner on south boundary of section 15; a P. O. 12 in marked X bears north 78 east 5 varas, a P. O. in marked X bears north 42 east 8 varas thence south 55 west with section 15 at

389 varas to the place of beginning.

16. 154 3-5 acres of land out of sections and 15 of said grant and described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of the J. H. Sharp partition of lot No. 1 on south boundary line of section 15, a hickory 16 in marked X bears south 40 east 8 varas; ditto 8 in marked X bears east 10 varas; thence north 35 west with the line of said lot 1, crossing Eikhart creek at 3410 varus to the north-west corner of No. 1 on the south boundary line of Polk Taylor 100 acre survey, pine 7 in marked X bears south 7 west 45-19 varas; ditto 7 in marked X bears south 64 east 6 varas; thence south 55 west with said Taylor's S. B. line at 380 varas, corner, a hickork morked X bears north 67 east 25-10 varas; a pine 15 in marked X bears south 30 west 8 varas; thence south 35 east cross Eikkart crock and cross sections 6 and 15 at 3410 varas. corner on S. B. line section 15, a hickory in marked X bears north 85 east varas, a B. J. 3 in marked X bears south 29 west 3 5-19 varas; thence north 55 east with the S. B. line of section 15 at 380 varas to place of beginning, containing

229 2-5 acres, less 75 acres. 11. 200 acres out of section 5 of said described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of 121-2 acre survey heretofore sold out of the extreme north end of section 5, a R. O. 10 in marked X bears south 17 east 31-2 varas, a P. O. 12 in marked X bears south 54 west 6 varas; thence north 55 east with Beazley S. B. line at 1900 varas to his woutheast corner, a R. O. 18 in marked X bears south 77 west 11 1-4 varas, ditto 12 in marked X bears south 62 east B. line of section 5 at 584 2-10 varas, corner, a bickory & in marked X bears north 37 west 4 varas; ditto 10 in marked 475 varas, corner on Joe Houston line, a X bears north 16 west 12 varas; thence B. J. 12 in marked X bears north 4 south 55 west at 1900 varas, corner, on the W. B. line of said section 5, a P. O. 8 in marked X bears north 10 east 1 west at 131 varas pass southeast corner vars; a B. J. 9 in marked X bears north of A. W. Braker's 50 acre tract at 725 44 east 6 varas; thence north 35 west varas to place of beginning. with the W. B. line of section 5 at 22. A part of section 30 of said grant 594 2-10 varas to the place of beginning. 12. 163 acres out of the northeast part of section 7 of said grunt and described as follows: Beginning at Wm. Richardson's northwest corner on section 8, pin oak and small gum; thence north 35 west between sections 7 and 8 at 746 varas to the corner of sections 7 and 8, and north-west boundary line of said grant near Elkhart creek; thence north 55 east with said grant line at 1231 varas, corner, east 10 varas; thence south 35 east at 746 varas, corner on Wm. Richardson's north 30 east 170 varas east 250 varas northwest boundary line, a P. O. 16 in marked X bears south 85 east 10 varus; thence south 55 with said Richardson's thence south 55 with said Richardson's oak 20 in marked X bears north 10 east line at 1231 varas to the place of be- 3 varas; ditto 8 in marked X bears south

ginning 13. 190 acres out of section 29 of said grant and described as follows: Begin-ning at the southwest corner of section 29 on the east bank of Trinity river; thence north 55 east with said section line at 270 varas from which an elm 10 in bears south 70 east 2 varas; thence north 18 west at 984 varas, corner on the east and west line of the Hall's Bluff tract, a P. O. 24 in marked X bears at 200 varas to the place of beginning.

And plaintiffs allege that they also claim title to said land by the five and said Hall's Bluff east and west line to the Trinity river; thence down and with the meanders of said river to the place

14. 115 acres out of secton 12 of said and described as follows: . Beginning at northwest corner of section 29, on east bank of Trinity river: thence north 55 east with section 29 at 784 waras. the northeast corner of section 29, P. O. bears north 79 west 80 links, section 12; a P. O., bears north 8 east 55 links, section 13; a P. O., south 61 east 53 links section 28; a P. O., bears south 12 west 100 links; thence north 35 west with line of section 13 at 250 varus, the northeast corner of section 12, a R. O. bears north 57 east 50 links, section 11; P. O., bears south 103 links, section 12; thence south 55 west with sections 12 and 11 at 30 chains, corner on river bank, an elm and pin oak marked X; thence down the river with its meanders to the place of

104 acres of land out of section 13 said grant and described as follows: Beginning at corner of section 13 and corner of 8, 11, 12 and 13, a white oak. bears north 17 west 181-2 varas; section 8, a R. O. bears south 18 west 24 varas, ction 10, a P. O. bears south 11 west 201-2 varas; section 11, a R. O. bears north 66 east 91-2 varas, section 13; thence south 35 east with sections 11 and 13 at 838 varas, Starling Haden's southwest corner, a pin oak 12 in marked X bears south 41 west 3 varas; ditto marked X bears south 80 west 5 varas; thence south 56 east with S. Haden's line at 838 varas to his northeast corner and southwest corner of the Worley 200 acre survey, a B. J. 12 in marked X bears south 55 west 4 varas, and a P. O. 14 in marked X bears south 15 east 6 varas; thence north 35 west with Nelson Murphy line at 560 varas to his corner on Elkhart creek; a sweet gum marked X bears south 15 east 16 varas; ditto 10 in marked X bears north 77 east 12 varas; thence down said creek with its meanders to the

place of beginning. 16. 540 acres out of section 27 of said grant, and described as follows: Heginning at the southeast corner of section 27 and southwest corner of section 26, a 27 and southwest corner of section 26, a pline, bears south 27 east 75 links on section 34; a P. O. bears north 85 east 16 2-3 varas section 35; a B. J. bears north 73 links, section 26; a B. J. bears north 75 west 78 links, section 27; thence south 35 wast between sections 27 and 24 at 1900 varas, the corner of sections 27, 28, 23 and 34, a hickory, bears north 27 east 53 links, section 27; a B. J. north 59 west 44 links on section 28; a hickory south 3 east 43 links on section 33; a B. J. south 78 east 71 links or section 34; thence north 35 west with section line of 27 and 28 at 1900 varas, the corner of sections

north 401-2 east 5 varas; thence north 78 54 links, section 27; a B. J., south 80 links, section 28; a B. J., north 82 west 68 links, section 13; thence north 55 east between sections 14 and 27 at 1900 varas, the corner of sections 14, 15, 26, 27; a B. J., bears north 50 west 50 links, section 14; a B. J. north 5 east 50 links, section 15; a B. J. south 68 east 34 links, section 26; a B. J. south 18 west 37 links, section 27; thence south 35 east between sections 26 and 27 at 1900 varas, to the place of beginning, containing 640 acres less 100 acres owned by John Bozeman.

> 17. 147 1-2 acres out of sections 7 and 14 of said grant, 25 acres of same being out of section 7, and 1221-2 acres being out of section 14, and described as follows: Beginning at corner of sections and 14, being the southeast corner of No and northeast corner of No. 14; thence south 35 east with section line of 14 and 15 at 1455 varas to Albert Lewis north east corner, 2 B. J.s. marked X; thence south 55 with said Lewis' north boundary line at 475 varas, corner, a B. J. 6 in marked X bears north 55 west 5 varas; n P. O. 12 in marked X bears north 8 varas; thence north 35 west at 1455 varas corner on section line of 7 and 14, a B. J. 4 in marked X bears north 59 east 2 varas; ditto 4 in marked X bears 11 east 2 varas; thence north 55 east with said sections 7 and 14 at 178 varas, stake in field for corner; thence north 35 west at 500 waras, corner on south bank of Elkhart creek, a horn bean 4 in marked X bears north 65 west 2 varas; a sassafras 12 in marked X bears south 15 west 5 varas; thence up and with the meanders of said creek to where the section line crosses said creek; thence south 35 east with said section 7 at 438 varas, the place of beginning.

114 acres more or less out of sec-18. tion 13 of said grant and described as follows: Beginning at F. M. Worley's northeast corner on sections 18 and 14, two hickorys marked X; thence north 35 west with sections 13 and 14 at 650 varas, corner on Elkhart creek, a pin oak 10 in marked X bears south 58 east 5 varas; ditto 20 in marked X bears south 78 west a varas: thence down and with the meanlers of said creek on a right angle line at 1962 varas, corner, on creek, a sweet gum 12 in marked X bears south 5 east 15 varas; ditto 10 in marked X bears north 77 east 12 varas; thence south 55 east at 569 varas, said Worley's north-west corner, a P. O. and B. J. marked thence north 55 east with said Worley's line at 1062 varas to the beginning. 19. 150 acres out of the eastern half of

20. 20 acres out of section 2 of said

section 2 of said grant.

grant and described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of E. Toliver's 120 acre survey, 2 B. J.s, marked X thence north 35 west with the line of No. 2 and 3 at 240 varas, corner, a B. J. 3 in marked X bears north 82 west 1 vara: ditto 3 in marked X bears north 44 cast vara; thence north 55 east at 290 varas, the Crockett and Palestine road, a P. O. in marked X bears north 73 east varas; ditto 15 in marked X bears south west 12 varas; thence with said road south 10 west 130 yaras south 5 east varas to stake in said road on north boundary line of said Toliver survey, a B. J. 12 in marked X bears south 84 west varus; thence south % west with said Toliver's line 412 varas to the beginning. 21. 61 acres out of section 28 of said grant and described as follows: Beginning at the corner of sections 29 and 30; thence north 35 west with line of section 28 at 475 varas southwest corner of Sanders Smith's, a P. O. 12 in marked X bears north 9 west 8 varas; thence north 55 east with said Smith's at 504 varas, pass corner of first 50 acres at tto 12 in marked X bears south 62 east varas; thence south 35 east with the in marked X bears south 15 west 2 varas; and a B. J. 4 in marked X bears north 66 east 3 varas; thence south 35 east at and a P O 12 south 50 west 7 varas; thence south 55

> and described as follows: Beginning at Bozeman's northwest corner on the line of sections 29 and 30, a sweet gum 8 in marked X bears south 69 east 5 varas; thence south 55 west with section line of 29 and 30, at 1300 varas, to the corner of said section on east bank of Trinity river, ah overcup oak and a mulberry marked X; thence down and with the meanders of said river as follows: East 460 varas north 75 east 250 varas to the north 55 east 160 varas north 80 east 200 varas, corner on said bayou, an overcup 50 west 7 varas; thence north 35 west at 400 varas, corner on the S. B. line of Bozeman II acre survey, an elm 6 in marked X bears south 64 west 3 varas; a hickory 6 in marked X bears north 60 east 31-2 varas; thence south 55 west with Bozeman's S. B. line at 100 varas. his southwest corner, a forked ash marked X bears south 50 west 1 vara; thence north 55 west with Bozeman's line ten years statutes of limitation and specially plead the same, and further allege that the claims of the defendants are unknown and that the same casts a cloud on their title to said hand, and pray judgment for said land, quieting their

title to same, removing all clouds therefrom, substituting all missing deeds from Roman De La Garza down to plaintiffs. and for general and special relief. Herein fail not, but have you before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the

Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the District Court of Houston County. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in the 21st day of July, 1905. office in Crockett, this J. B. STANTON

Clerk District Court, Houston County. Adams & Adams, Attorneys for Plain-

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hous-ton County, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Wm. White, de-ceased; the unknown heirs of Andrew P. unknown heirs of Phillip Walker, deceased; the unknown heirs of W. H. beginning, I Adams, deceased; the unknown heirs of as follows: ceased: the unknown heirs of W. H. Adams, deceased; the unknown heirs of John Gentry, deceased; the unknown heirs of Eb Bryan, deceased; the unknown heirs of Eb Bryan, deceased; the unknown heirs of Wm. Tanghan, deceased; the unknown heirs of John Ringgold, deceased, and E. Currie, Dan'l Murchison, Willis S. Wallace, Phillip Walker, W. H. Adams, John Gentry, Eb Bryan, Wm. M. Tanghan, John Ringgold and all other persons claiming to have any interest in the land sued on, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the Third Judicial District: but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the Third Judicial District to seid Third Judicial District to seid

there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 31st day of July, 1905, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court, No. 4963, wherein A. H. Wootters and R. H. Wootters, executors of the estate of J. C. Wootters, deceased, are plaintiffs, and the unknown heirs of Wm White, deceased; the unknown helrs of Andrew P. Cunningham, deceased; the unknown heirs of E. Currie, deceased the unknown heirs of Dan'l Murchison, deceased; the unknown heirs of Marshall B. McKeever, deceased; the unknown helrs of Willis S. Wallace, deceased; the unknown heirs of Philip Walker, deceased; the unknown heirs of W. H. Adams, deceased; the unknown heirs of John Gentry, deceased; the unknown heirs of Eb Bryan, deceased; the unknown heirs of Wm. Tanghan, deceased; the unknown heirs of John Ringgold, deceased; the unknown heirs of Phabla Ringgold, deceased, and E. Currie, Dan'l Murchison, Willis 'S. Wallace, Phillip Murchison, Willis S. Wallace, Flank, Murchison, Willis S. Wallace, Flank, Walker, W. H. Adams, John Gentry, Eb. Bryan, Wm. M. Tanghan, John Ring-Bryan, Wm. M. Tanghan, M. Tanghan, Wm. M. Tanghan, M. gold, and all other persons claiming to have any interest in the land herein sued defendants, and said petition alleging that the plaintiffs are the ownfee simple of the following described tract of land, to wit:

1479 1-2 acres out of and a part of the Wm. White league situated in Houston county, Texas, about 21-2 miles northwest from Crockett, and described as

follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of said Wm. White league, a rock and mound for corner; thence north with White E. B. line at 1840 varas pass Wm. M. Taylor's N. E. corner on Hurricane at 3510 varas the northeast corner of Wm. Wortham: thence west with Wortham north boundary line at 1220 4-10 varas Wortham northwest corner; thence north with P. Ringgold E. B. line at 1806 varas Ringgold northeast corner, on the N. B. line of said White league; thence west with said league line at 625 varas, Ringgold's N. W. corner; thence with Ringgold's W. B. line at 1806 varas pass her southwest corner, at 3194 varas corner on Hurricane bayou; thence down and with the meanders of said bayou to Mrs. Margaret Wilson's northeast corthence south with her E. B. line at 1650 varas, her southeast corner on the S. B. line of said league; thence east with said league line at 625 varas to David Goodman's southwest corner of his 100 acre survey; thence north with his line at 903 varas to his northwest corner; thence east with his N. B. line at 625 varas his northeast corner on Wm. M. Taylor's W. B. line; thence south with his W. B. line at 663 varas corner on the Crockett and Navarro road; thence south 58 cost with said road to where said road crosses the S. B. line of said White league; thence east with said league line 550 varas to the place of beginning. Plaintiffs allege that they claim title to said land under deeds duly executed to them. That plaintiffs also claim title to said land under the five and ten years

the same And plaintiffs further allege that the full extent and character of the claims asserted by the defendants to said land is and cast a cloud on their title. Plaintiffs pray judgment for said land. emoving all clouds therefrom, substituting all missing deeds, quieting their title same, and for general and special re-

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return there-on, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the District Court of Houston County.
Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this the 31st day of July, 1966.

J. B. STANTON.

Tark District Court Hy Adams & Adams, Attorneys for Plain-

### tiffs. CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Elijah Wheeler, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Mat J. Edmiston, deceased, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published
in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then
in any newspaper published in the Third Judicial District; but if there be newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in cial District, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Hous-ten county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Crockett, on the second Munday in October, 1905, the same being the 9th day of October, 1906, then and here to answer a petition filed in said court on the 31st day of July, 1906, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said No. 4970, wheren J. G. Matlock is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of Elijah Wheeler, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Mat J. Edmiston, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging the plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the following described tracts of land, to wt 50 acres more or less out of the Elijah Wheeler league, situated in Houston county, Texas, and described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of Brent's survey, a red oak and a post oak marked X for corner; thence south 640 varas to corner in Coltharp road, a red oak 16 in. marked X bears north 2 east 3% varas to a pine 10 in. marked X, bears north 98 west 63-10 varas; thence with said road north 88 east 200 varas south 78 west 225 varas to corner, a pine 16 in. marked X, bears north 31 west varas; ditto 14 in. marked X. bears north 76 west 8 varas; thence north 682 varas to said Wheeler league line, a pine 14 in marked X bears south 36 west 4 varis ditto 12 in. marked X, north 13 west 42-19 varas; thence east with said Wheeler league line 433 varas to place of ning; 59 acres of land situated in Houston county. Texas, and being a part of the Elijah Wheeler league, and described as Beginning at the northwest corner of J. G. Matlock's 50 acre survey, pines marked X; thence with Craddock' N. B. line at 452 varas to Jno. Monk's N. E. corner, a red oak and post oak marked X; thence south with said Monk's E. B. line at 765 varas, set stake, for Cunningham, deceased; the unknown heirs of E. Currie, deceased; the un-known heirs of Dan'l Murchison, de-known heirs of Dan'l Murchison, de-26 east 11 varas; thence north 85 with known heirs of Dan'l Murchison, de- 26 east 11 varas; thence north 85 with ceased; the unknown heirs of Marshall said road, being Matlock's southwest cor-B. McKeever, deceased; the unknown ner, a pine 18 in. marked X, bears north heirs of Willis S. Wallace, deceased; the 17 - 10 varas; thence north with Matlock's W. B. line at 690 varas to the place beginning, by instruments duly executed.

said court, at office in Crockett, this the 31st day of July, 1906.

J. B. STANTON, Clerk District Court, Houston County. Adams & Adams, Attorneys for Plain-

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon

he unknown heirs of Geo. W. Hallmark,

leceased; the unknown heirs of Richard

M. Hallmark, deceased; the unknown heirs of Ephram L. B. Hallmark, de ceased; the unknown heirs of Alex. C. Hallmark, deceased; the unknown heirs of Polly Box, deceased; the unknown heirs of Wm. C. Hallmark, deceased; the unknown heirs of Geo. W. Hallmark deceased; the unknown heirs of Susana Rosa, deceased; the unknown heirs of John B. Hallmark, deceased: the known heirs of James M. Hallmark, ceased; the unknown heirs of Alfred Hallmark, deceased: the unknown heirs of Aveline Hallmark, deceased; the unknown heirs of Matthews D. F. Hall-mark, deceased; the unknown heirs of Stillwell Box, deceased, and Richard M. Hallmark, Ephram L. B. Hallmark, Alex. C. Hallmark, Polly Box, Wm. C. Hallmark, Geo. W. Hallmark, Susana Rosa, John B. Hallmark, James M. Hallmark, Alfred Hallmark, Aveline Hallmark, Matthews D. F. Hallmark, by by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight sucweeks previous to turn day hereof, in some newspaper pubished in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then newspaper published in the Third Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in any newspaper published in the nearest district to said Third Judicial District, to appear at the next reg-ular term of the district court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Crockett, on the second Monday in October, 1905, the same being the 9th day of October, 1905, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 31st day of July, 1905, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 4969, wherein A. H. Wootters and R. H. Wootters, executors of the estate of J. C. Wootters, deceased, are plaintiffs, the unknown heirs of Geo. W. Hallmark, deceased; the unknown heirs Rirchard M. Hallmark, deceased; the unknown heirs of Ephram L. B. Hallmark, leceased; the unknown heirs of Alex. Hallmark, deceased; the unknown heirs of Polly Box, deceased; the unknown heirs of Wm. C. Hallmark, depeased; the unknown heirs of Geo. W. Hallmark. deceased; the unknown heirs of Susana Rosa, deceased; the unknown heirs of John B. Hallmark, deceased; the known heirs of James M. Hallmark, ceased; the unknown heirs of Alfred Halldeceased; the unknown heirs of statutes of limitation, and specially plead Aveline Hallmark, deceased; the unknown heirs of Matthews D. F. Hallmark, de-ceased; the unknown heirs of Stillwell Box, deceased: and Richard M. Hallmark Ephram L. B. Hallmark, Alex. C. Hall-mark, Polly Box, Wm. C. Hallmark, Geo. W. Hallmark, Susana Rosa, John B. Hallmark, James M. Hallmark, Alfred Hallmark, Aveline Hallmark, and Matthews D. F. Hallmark are defendants, said petition alleging that plaintiffs are the owners in fee simple of the following described tract of land, to wit: 276 5-7 acres out of the Geo. W. Hallmark league, stuated in Houston county,

Texas, and described as follows: Beginning on Moses Foster's S. B. line at a stake on bank of creek and known as one prog of White Rock creek, from which a horn bean, marked X, bears north 25 east 2 7-10 varas, an iron wood, marked X, 4 in., bears south 14 east 4 yaras; thence north 65 east 810 waras to C. Brent's corner stake, from which a R. O. marked X bears north 55 west 27-10 varas; another R. O. marked X, 8 in., bears north 67 east 4 7-10 varas; thence south 25 east with Prewitt's line 1461 varas to stake from which a P. O., marked X bears south 60 west 3 varas; thence north east 288 varus to corner stake, from which a sweet gum marked X, 32 in., bears south 70 west 5 varas; thence south 25 east 165 varas to corner stake, from which a pine, marked X, bears north 79 east 1 vara; an ash marked X bears — 75 west 3 1-10 varas; thence south 34 west 780 varas to corner, from which a R. O., marked X, bears south 69 west 1 5-19 varas; thence south 65 west 410 varas to corner on bank of White Rock cre+k; thence with meanders of said creek to

place of beginning. And plaintiffs further allege that they claim said land under the five and ten plead the same, and that the claims of the defendants, which are unknown to plaintiffs, cast a cloud on their title. Plaintiffs pray judgment for said land,

removing all clouds therefrom, substituting all missing deeds, and quieting their title to same. Herein fail not, but have you before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return there-

on, showing how you have executed the Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the District Court of Houston County. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this the 31st day of July, 1905.

J. B. STANTON. Clerk District Court, Houston County. Adams & Adams, Attorneys for Plain-

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Luke Bust, de-ceased; the unknown heirs of Elijah Wheeler, deceased, and all other persons laiming to have any interest in the land herein sued on, by making publication of this citation onee in each week for 8 successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper pub-lished in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then newspaper published in the Third Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said Third Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Houspersons claiming to have any interest in the land herein sued on, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiffs are owners in fee simple of the following ribed tract of land, to wit: 120 acres of land situated in Houston county, Texas, about 91-2 miles east from Crockett, 60 acres of which is on the Luke Bust survey, and 60 acres of which is on the Elijah Wheeler league, and de-

scribed as follows:

scribed as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the John Webb 30 acre tract, a stake, from which a pine, 4 in., marked X, bears north 45 west 2 varas; thence west 500 varas to stake for corner, 2 post baks, marked X, for bearing trees; thence south 1356 varas with the original line of the 320 acre survey, a rock for corner; thence east 500 varas to rock for corner; thence east 500 varas to rock for corner; thence north 1356 varas to the place of beginning.

der the five and ten years statutes of

limitation and specially plead the same; and plaintiffs allege that the claims of defendants cast a cloud on their title, and pray that they have judgment for said land, removing all clouds and quiet-

ing their title to same. Herein fail not, but have you before raid court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the

witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the District Court of Houston County.
Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this the 21st day of July, 1905.

J. B. STANTON,
Clerk District Court, Houston County.
Adams & Adams, Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

ton County, Greeting:

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hous-

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of T. L. Phillio. the unknown heirs of T. L. Phillio, de-ceased; the unknown heirs of Geo. W. Leak, deceased; the unknown heirs of W. P. Brittian, deceased; the unknown heirs of S. G. Oliver, deceased; the un-known heirs of W. R. Hardy, deceased, and T. L. Phillio, Geo. W. Leak, W. P. Brittian, S. G. Oliver, W. R. Hardy and A. R. Watson, and the unknown heirs of A. R. Watson, deceased, by making of A. R. Watson, deceased, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published in your county. paper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Third Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said Third Judicial District, to appear at the next reg-ular term of the district court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Crockett, on the second Monday in October, 1905, the same being shonday in October, inc. the same being the 9th day of October, 1905, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 31st day of July, 1905, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 4967, wherein Amons Oliver and Frank Oliver, minors, by their guardian and next friend, Sarah Ann Hughlin, are plaintiffs and the unknown being of T. and next friend, Sarah Ann Hughlin, are plaintiffs, and the unknown heirs of T. L. Phillio, deceased; the unknown heirs of Geo. W. Leak, deceased; the unknown heirs of W. P. Brittian, deceased; the unknown heirs of S. G. Oliver, deceased; the unknown heirs of W. R. Hardy, deceased; the unknown heirs of A. R. Watson, deceased; and T. L. Phillio, Geo. W. Leak, W. P. Brittian, S. G. Oliver, W. R. Hardy and A. R. Watson, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiffs are the owners in fee simple of the tiffs are the owners in fee simple of the following described tract of land, to wit: 320 acres situated in Houston county, Texas, on the Neches river and the same being the west half of the Geo. W. Leak 640 acre survey and described as follows: Beginning at Hick's creek on the north boundary line of said G. W. Leak survey; thence south 50 west to corner, a hickory and pine marked DH; thence south 40 east to Hick's creek; thence down said creek with its meanders to the place of beginning, containing 320 acres.
And plaintiffs further allege that they claim said land under the five and ten years statutes of limitation and specially plead the same, and that the claims of defendants, which are unknown to plaintiffs cast a cloud on their title. tiffs, cast a cloud on their title. Plaintiffs pray judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom, substitut-

ing all missiong deeds and quieting their title to same. Herein fall not, but have you before cald court, at its aforesald next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you

Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the District Court of Houston County. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this the 31st day of July, 1905.

J. B. STANTON, Clerk District Court, Houston County.
Adams & Adams, Attorneys for Piaintiffs.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hous-

ton County, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to the unknown heirs of Elijah Wheeler, deceased, and Elijah Wheeler, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive

hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the Third Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district; then in a newspaper published in the publis trict, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said Third Judi-cial District, to appear at the next reg-ular term of the district court of Hous-ton county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Crockett, on the second Monday in October, 1905, the same being Monday in October, 1905, the same being the 9th day of October, 1905, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 31st day of July, 1905, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 4905, wherein Mrs. Fannie E. Denny and Geo. H. Denny, are plaintiffs, and the unknown heirs of Elijah Wheeler, deceased, and Elijah Wheeler, are defendants, and said petition alleging that fendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiffs are the owners in fee simple of the following described tracts of land, same being a part of the Elijah Wheeler league, situated in Houston county, about 5 miles east of Crockett, and described as follows:

First tract: Containing 200 acres and First tract: Containing 200 acres and beginning at stake and mound, northwest corner of James Platt old survey, on the northeast boundary of Frank Hill one-fourth league; thence east with Platt's line 960 varas to stake, B. J., 8 in., bears north 45 west 4 varas; thence north 918 varas to stake, B. J., 8 in., bears north 68 west 3 varas, a pine, 5 in., bears north 7 east 6 varas; thence west 1563 north 7 east 6 varas; thence west 1563 varas to stake on Frank Hill's northeast boundary, whence a R. O. bears east varas; thence south \$5 east Frank Hill's northeast boundary 1121 varas, the place

of beginning. Second tract: Containing 88 1-2 acres out of said league and beginning at the southwest corner of said Elijah Wheeler ular term of the district court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house thereof, in Crockett, on the second Monday in October, 1905, the same being the 9th day of October, 1905, then and, there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 31st day of July, 1905, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 4968, wherein A. H. Wootters and R. H. Wootters, executors of the estate of J. C. Wootters, deceased, are estate of J. C. Wootters, deceased, are plaintiffs, and the unknown heirs of Luke plaintiffs, and the unknown heirs of Luke Bust, deceased; the unknown heirs of boundary of sald Wheeler league, whence which Wheeler deceased and all other a hickory bears south 50 east 2 varas: a hickory bears south 50 east 2 varas thence south 35 east 1014 varas to the

beginning.

That plaintiffs also claim title to said land by the five and ten years statutes of limitation, and allege that the claims of the defendants cast a cloud on their title and pray judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom, quieting their title to same, and for general and special relief.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this wril, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the

witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the District Court of Houston County. Given under my hand and the scat of said court, at office in Crockett, thir the Mst day of July, 1965.

J. B. STANTON



MMODORE Somerville Nicholson

beintances as a sure cure for ca-the that I am convinced of its cura-qualities and I unhesitatingly rec-mend it to all persons suffering that complaint."

Our army and our navy are the natural rotection of our country.

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c army and navy in the vicissitudes climate and exposure. We have on file thousands of testi-ouisis from prominent people in the

and navy.

ite at once to Dr. S. B. Hartman, sident of The Hartman Sanitarium,

That is Love.

lumbus, Ohio.

For the most part, lovers, in these egenerate days, are a half hearted race; but there is, at least, one adorer of the old school left in the country. hole, being firmly held by means of His name is John Wilkirs, and a little while ago he happened to be passing the scene of some building operations, and half a brick fell upon John Wilkins, and by the time it had finished falling the nose of John resembled a tomato which had seen better days.

He was taken to a surgeon, and naturally the surgeon wished to get to work at once, but-

'One moment," said John Wilkins; "this operation must be delayed for at least an hour. Give me a telegraph

The form was brought, and ading. And the message which was inscribed upon it ran:

"Nose broken, dear. How do you prefer it set? Greek or Roman?"ondon Answers.

The boy had to describe our Lord's first miracle. The turning of water into wine, he wrote, was the first niracle, and it happened at Cana. Then he added: "After that everybody went to Cana for water."

London has fewer suicides than any ther great capital. While Paris has don has only ninety.

Gratitude Well Expressed.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Aug. 14th .-Mr. C. L. Smith, painter and decorator, whose home is at 309 Anne street, this city, makes the following state-

"I was laid up with some kind of pains. Some said it was Lumbago, other Sciatica and others again Rheumatism. A few of my friends suggested that it was lead polson, but whatever it was it gave me a great deal of pain; in fact, almost completely crippled me. I had to use two canes to walk about, and even then it was a very painful task.

"A friend advised me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills and I began the treatnt. After I had used the first box I was able to throw away one of the mes and was considerably improved. The second box straightened me up so that I could go about free from pain at any assistance, and very soon or I was completely cured, well and py, without a pain or an ache. s Kidney Pills seemed to go it to the spot in my case and they Il always have my greatest praise."

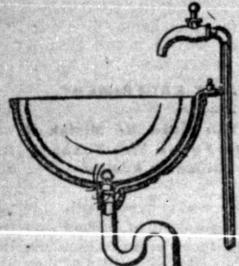
he parents of many a man who ms to be self-made went hungry rder to save money to belp him get

Another scientist offers another exexplanation of chemical decomposition. All chemical compounds decompose pressure, says Mr. Geoffrey Martin, B. of atoms in the molecule decide the degree of temperature. He tells us what would be the composition and properties of a substance whose critical temperature and pressure coinside with those now prevailing on the earth's surface, and comes to the conclusion that living protoplasm possessuch a compound. Some parts of the protoplasm decompose more rapidly than other parts, and, corresponding more sensitively to certain influences, thus develop into different organs. He bravely suggests that since the temperature of the world's surface was in former times extremely different from what it is now, the modern protoplasm is simply the product of evoluof the United States Navy, in a letter from 1837 R. Street, North-Washington, D. C., says:

our Peruna has been and is now by so many of my friends and cipally compose it. cipally compose it.

Strainer for Waste Pipe.

At stated intervals in every family something happens to the waste pipe in the bath tub or sink and a plumber has to be called in to open it up. Tiny particles will find their way down the drain pipe and it would be very hard to find a way to prevent this. As this seems almost impossible, an ingenious inventor has designed the device We can give our readers only a slight impact of the vast array of unsoliced endersements Dr. Hartman is constituted endersements Dr. Hartman is constituted it does get stopped up, being very simple in construction and of general utility. In an ordinary basin having a waste hole leading into a waste pipe waste at once to Dr. S. R. Hartman a groove is inserted in the back wal! and bottom, in which is seated a flushing pipe leading direct from the supply pipe into the waste pipe, the groove being for the purpose of sinking the flush pipe out of the way. When the drain pipe becomes clogged. a stopper is inserted into the waste



Designed to Clean Out Waste Pipe. a plate, and the water turned on in the flush pipe. In this way a direct pressure is forced into the waste pipe. sufficient to remove any small parti-

The patentee is John H. Doyle of New Orleans, La.

Projecting Automatic Stoker.

In a recently invented projecting automatic stoker a pusher in the form of a small inverted open box rests at the mouth of a hopper placed in front of and above the firebox. As this pusher is withdrawn by the action of a cam on its outer end the pusher slide is filled with coal. When the cam passes far enough to release the pusher this is shot forward by a spring, thus projecting the coal into the furnace. By the action of another cam the tension on the spring is increased throughout the cam's revolution, thus varying the distance to which the coal is thrown. A line of these pushers extends across the firebox and an additional one, arranged on a ball joint, may be turned in any direction for filling up holes and evening up the fire. An adjustable bridge wall by which the length of the grate may be adjusted to varying demands completes the arrangement.

Rock Drilled by Lightning. "Lightning, when in the mood, has an ugly habit of drilling," writes an English observer. "It will drill the hardest rock-rock which would turn cold steel; and not only drill, but vitrify it. They have found in Cumberland channels thirty feet deep and from two to four Taches in circumference. The interior was hard and glazed where the solid substance had seen melted by the stabbing flashes. Artificial experiment has shown that a powerful shock from a battery will sitrify finely powdered glass, but not feldspar or quartz. The lightning. however, does it in the manner de-scribed—not in one place, but in many showing that before striking the ound it divided into several branches, each strong enough to penetrate and

STOLIDITY OF ANGLO-SAXON.

Oliver Wendell Holmes' Meeting with Son After Long Search.

"Few of those who witnessed the opening session of the United States Supreme Court at the National capital last fall," said a judge, "recalled the fact that Justice Holmes once served his country on the field, even as he does now in her highest tribunal. So, planation of life. It begins with an in all probability, none of them realized that the dignified judge seated furtnest at the right of the chief jusat a certain critical temperature and tice was the 'my Captain' of Oliver Wendell Holmes the First, the hero of Sc. Lond., and the number and kind that delightful sketch by the essayistpoet, which he called 'In Search of the Captain.' Yet it was a true storyof the paternal quest for the son reported seriously wounded at Antietam. Numerous distressing circumstances united to throw the anxious father off the track again and again, but at length the search culminated es in every respect the properties of happily in a railroad train. This is what Dr. Holmes wrote of it.

"In the first car, on the fourth seat to the right, I saw my Captain. There saw I him, even my first born, whom I had sought through many cities.

'How are you, boy.' "'How are you, dad?'

"Such were the proprieties of life as observed among us Anglo-Saxons of the nineteenth century, decently tion of older kinds of protoplasm liv- disguising those natural impulses that made Joseph, the prime minister of Egypt, weep aloud so that the Egyptians and the house of Pharaoh heard -nay, which had once overcome his shaggy old uncle, Esau, so entirely that he fell on his brother's neck and cried like a baby in the presence of all the women."-New Orleans Times-

> Unfortunate Selection. "You say the prisoner was singing.

Did you notice the song?" "Yes, your honor. He repeated it so many times that it impressed itself upon my memory. It was something about a daffydil."

"I had never heard it before, your honor. It was a sentimental songsomething in the popular line. No doubt your honor knows the sort."

"A new song?"

"Perhaps I do. Can you sing it, of-"I can make the attempt, your honor. The air is simple, but the

words are a trifle hard. Do you want me to sing it, sir?" "Yes. Silence in the court." "One moment, your honor. Will

your honor kindly recollect that the prisoner was intoxicated at the time, and that it was not altogether easy to catch the exact words?" "Proceed with the song."

"Yes, your honor. It was like this: By shaty noog an' gug-gling rill I sawed for thee, my Daffydil. I bat my heart bees till, bees till, an' cried alloud for Daffydil. Oh, Daffydil, my Daffydil, I love thee still an-never will. The days zat go are all zo slow, I miz see zo, my Daffydil!"

"You say the prisoner sang that?" "Yes, your honor."

"Six months at hard labor. Next case."-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The word Boer, applied to the Dutch inhabitants of the country districts of the Cape of Good Hope, is the German for farmer and agriculturist. The English word "boor" had the same origin.

The man who wants to profit by wrong doing is never at a loss for an

HEART RIGHT

When He Quit Coffee. Life Insurance Companies will not insure a man suffering from heart

trouble. The reason is obvious. This is a serious matter to the husband or father who is solicitous for the future of his dear ones. Often the heart trouble is caused by an unexpected thing and can be corrected if taken in time and properly treated.

A man in Colorado writes: "I was a great coffee drinker for many years, and was not aware of the injurious effects of the habit till I became a practical invalid, suffering from heart trouble, indigestion and nervousness to an extent that made me wretchedly miserable myself and a nuisance to those who witnessed my

"I continued to drink Coffee, however, not suspecting that it was the cause of my ill-health, till, on applying for life insurance I was rejected on account of the trouble with my heart. Then I became alarmed. I found that leaving off coffee helped me quickly, so I quit it altogether and having been attracted by the advertisements of Postum Food Coffee I began its use.

"The change in my condition was remarkable, and it was not long till I was completely cured. All my ailments vanished. My digestion was completely restored, my nervousness disappeared, and, most important of all, my heart steadied down and became normal, and on a second examination I was accepted by the life insurance Co. Quitting Coffee and using Postum worked the cure." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek,

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Cases under treatment, 343.

New Orleans: The heavy increase in the number of cases which began four or five days ago is beginning to manifest itself in the death list, which can be expected to grow steadily for the next few days. The number of new cases yesterday seems small in comparison with the previous day's record, but it is really nineteen short, as that number of cases were turned in by an inspector just after the hour for closing the report. These will figure in today's report:

Among the cases yesterday was Louis Cuculla, Jr., cashier of the People's bank, who resides far out on North Johnson street. Another case is Maurice Kenny, ex-councilman and ex-member of the legislature. Two of Kenny's daughters were stricken the previous day. Only five of the new foci are above Canal street.

Surgeon White yesterday made a change in his organization by which he hopes to accomplish results much quicker. The fumigating and screening work was all done by a central department under Dr. Gessner, who sent | person."

New Orleans, La., Aug. 14.-Official squads out on notification of cases by physicians. Yesterday afternoon Dr. White assembled all of his subordinates in conference and decided to place the screening and fumigation work under the several district headquarters.' The present force will be divided among the district surgeons and Dr. Gessner will be given charge of the districts.

### Mosquitoes With Rabies.

Muskogee, I. T.: George H. Bloom, an undertaker of this city, who has lived in the South and passed through one or more epidemics of yellow fever, advances a new theory as to the origin of this disease. Mr. Bloom attributes yellow fever to mosquitoes, and has studied the disease along this line for many years, he says, even before Dr. Reed advanced and subsequently established the fact that the stegomyia was the instrument of transmission of the germ.

"If you will notice," said Mr. Bloom, "ye'low fever does not make its appearance till about the dog days and not then unless we have a season or extremely wet weather, followed by an unusually high temperature. The weather gives the mosquitoes the rabies the same as it does dogs. Dogs, you will note, only go mad after a season of rain, followed by howeatifer, and the same applies to yellow fever. I believe it is conveyed to people by mosquitoes that have gone 'mad,' the same as a dog conveys rables when he goes mad and bites a

While pursuing a mouse, Mme. Delatour of Paris broke through the floor of her room and found in the hole a brass box containing gold coins of the value of \$1,000.

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If physicians dared to be open, hundreds of them would acknowledge that they constantly prescribe Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in severe cases of female ills, as they know by experience it can be re-lied upon to effect a cure. The following letter proves it. Dr. S. C. Brigham, of 4 Brigham Park, Fitchburg, Mass., writes :

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Women who are troubled with painful or irregular menstruation, bloating (or flatulence), leucorrhœa, falling, inflammation or ulceration of the uterus, ovarian troubles, that bearing-down feeling, dizziness, faintness, indigestion, nervous prostration or the blues. should take immediate action to ward off the serious consequences, and be restored to perfect health and strength by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and then write to Mrs. teen feet high up the river, carrying Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., for further free advice. No living person has had the benefit of a wider experience in treating female ills. She has guided thousands to health. Every suffering woman should ask for and follow her advice if she wants to be strong and

### HIDDEN PUZZLE PICTURE.



Find the Wood Sprite.

### ST. PETERSBURG HOPEFUL.

ing Considered the Cause for It.

Fact That Negotiations Are Still Be-

St. Petersburg: The Russian capita! is in the dark regarding the meaning of the prolonged conference at Portsmouth on Saturday. The purport of M. Witte's messages received here has been imparted only to a few offi-Nevertheless in high quarters there is a certain feeling of hopefulness noticeable which is not altogether accounted for on the ground that thus far there has been no rupture and that the terms are still under discussion, with a chance of an understanding being reached. The only no important developments here af- and there was no disorder. fecting the negotiations.

The emperor has seen the ministers also during the last two days, but has found no occasion to summon a council of ministers, and M. Witte's course. seems to be meeting with his full ap-

All official dispatches received from Portsmouth, after being deciphered, are forwarded to the emperor, whose comment and suggestions thereon are sometimes expressed in marginal annotations.

There is reason to believe that no manifesto on the subject of a national assembly will be issued until definite news is received from Portsmouth, so that if peace negotiations fail the stir up the patriotism of the country. It serious.

### Landslide Killed Indians.

Winnipeg, Manitoba: At 3:30 p. m. yesterday a tremendous landslide came down about half a mile west of Spencer Bridge near Ashcroft, B. C., sweeping the waters of the Thompson river over the entire village, leaving nothing but wreck in its path. The landslide caused a wave from ten to fifthe ferry and all small boats before it. Fifteen Indians are reported missing and twelve injured. Doctors have been sent from Kamloops and Ash-

### Bakers' Negotiations Off.

New York: Although a tentative comment vouchsafed officially was agreement was reached Saturday bethat Mr. Witte's answer seemed not tween the striking Hebrew bakers and a together unacceptable to the Japan- the employers, which promised speedese, else the conference would have ity to end the str.kt, the boss bakers ended then and there. Count Lams met yesterday and decided to break dorff, who is keeping in close touca off all negotiatio s and to resist the with the emperor, went again to Pe- demands of the strikers to the atterhof yesterday, carrying the latest most. All the Hebrew bake shops on messages, but apparently there were the east side were closed yesterday

### Bob Armstrong Killed.

Paris, Texas: In a difficulty between Lee Masters and Bob Armstrong yesterday afternoon at the handle factory plant in the northwest part of the city, Armstrong was shot and killed. A revolver was the weapon used and only one shot was fired, the bullet taking effect in the forehead. After the killing Masters surrendered to the officers and was lodged in jail.

### Woman Accidentally Shot.

Lake Charles, La.: Mrs. Godfrey Solomon was accidentally shot in the jaw by a boy named Emile Relson, promise of an assembly and the pub. Yesterday afternoon, at Cypress Knee. lication of the rejected Japanese terms | a point near this city, on the river. made simultaneously will combine to The wound is painful, but not especial







OMMODORE Somerville Nicholson of the United States Navy, in a letter from 1837 R. Street, North-Washington, D. C., says: our Peruna has been and is now

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That is Love.

For the most part, lovers, in these degenerate days, are a half-hearted race; but there is, at least, one adorer of the old school left in the country. His name is John Wilkirs, and a little e ago ne nappened to be passing the scene of some building operations, and half a brick fell upon John Wilhins, and by the time it had finished falling the nose of John resembled a tomato which had seen better days.

He was taken to a surgeon, and naturally the surgeon wished to get to work at once, but-

"One moment," said John Wilkins; "this operation must be delayed for at least an hour. Give me a telegraph

The form was brought, and addressed to a certain Miss Nina Darling. And the message which was inscribed upon it ran:

"Nose broken, dear. How do you efer it set? Greek or Roman?"-London Answers.

The boy had to describe our Lord's first miracle. The turning of water into wine, he wrote, was the first miracle, and it happened at Cana, Then he added: "After that everybody went to Cana for water."

London has fewer suicides than any other great capital. While Paris has 400 suicides per million per year, London has only ninety.

### Gratitude Well Expressed.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Aug. 14th .-Mr. C. L. Smith, painter and decorator, whose home is at 309 Anne street, this city, makes the following state-

"I was laid up with some kind of pains. Some said it was Lumbago, other Sciatica and others again Rheumatism. A few of my friends suggested that it was lead poison, but whatever it was it gave me a great deal of pain; in fact, almost completely crippled me. I had to use two canes to walk about, and even then it was a very painful task.

'A friend advised me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills and I began the treatment. After I had used the first box I was able to throw away one of the canes and was considerably improved. The second box straightened me up so that I could go about free from pain out any assistance, and very soon fter I was completely cured, well and ppy, without a pain or an ache. Dodd's Kidney Pills seemed to go right to the spot in my case and they will always have my greatest praise."

The parents of many a man who aims to be self-made went hungry der to save money to help him get

woman can take a veil, a couple bons and a smile and best all ork that nature ever performed

# INVENTION

New Theory of Life Advanced. Another scientist offers another exexplanation of chemical decomposition. All chemical compounds decompose at a certain critical temperature and pressure, says Mr. Geoffrey Martin, B. Sc. Lond., and the number and kind of atoms in the molecule decide the degree of temperature. He tells us properties of a substance whose critical temperature and pressure coinside with those now prevailing on the earth's surface, and comes to the conclusion that living protoplasm posseses in every respect the properties of such a compound. Some parts of the protoplasm decompose more rapidly than other parts, and, corresponding more sensitively to certain influences, thus develop into different organs. He bravely suggests that since the temperature of the world's surface was in former times extremely different from what it is now, the modern protoplasm is simply the product of evolution of older kinds of protoplasm living at high temperatures in which the heavier elements, such as silicon, phosphorous, sulphur, etc., replaced the lighter elements which now principally compose it.

Strainer for Waste Pipe.

something happens to the waste pipe in the bath tub or sink and a plumber has to be called in to open it up. Tiny particles will find their way down the drain pipe and it would be very hard to find a way to prevent this. As this seems almost impossible, an ingenious inventor has designed the device shown in the illustration, which will serve to clean out the waste pipe when it does get stopped up, being very simple in construction and of general utility. In an ordinary basin having a waste hole leading into a waste pipe a groove is inserted in the back wall and bottom, in which is seated a flushing pipe leading direct from the supply pipe into the waste pipe, the groove being for the purpose of sinking the flush pipe out of the way. When the drain pipe becomes clogged, a stopper is inserted into the waste hole, being firmly held by means of



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The patentee is John H. Doyle of New Orleans, La.

Projecting Automatic Stoker.

In a recently invented projecting automatic stoker a pusher in the form of a small inverted open box rests at the mouth of a hopper placed in front of and above the firebox. As this pusher is withdrawn by the action of a cam on its outer end the pusher slide is filled with coal. When the cam passes far enough to release the pusher this is shot forward by a if taken in time and properly treated. spring, thus projecting the coal into the furnace. By the action of another cam the tension on the spring is increased throughout the cam's revolution, thus varying the distance to which the coal is thrown. A line of these pushers extends across the firebox and an additional one, arranged on a ball joint, may be turned in any a nuisance to those who witnessed my direction for filling up holes and evening up the fire. An adjustable bridge wall by which the length of the grate may be adjusted to varying demands completes the arrangement.

Rock Drilled by Lightning. "Lightning, when in the mood, has an ugly habit of drilling," writes an English observer. "It will drill the hardest rock-rock which would turn cold steel; and not only drill, but vitrify it. They have found in Cumberland channels thirty feet deep and from two to four Tuches in circumference. The interior was hard and glazed where the solid substance had been melted by the stabbing flashes. Artificial experiment has shown that a powerful shock from a battery will vitrify finely powdered glass, but not feldspar or quartz. The lightning, however, does it in the manner described-not in one place, but in many mowing that before striking the ground it divided into several branches. each strong enough to penetrate and liquefy the solid rock "

STOLIDITY OF ANGLO-SAXON.

Oliver Wendell Holmes' Meeting with Son After Long Search.

"Few of those who witnessed the opening session of the United States Supreme Court at the National capital last fall," said a judge, "recalled the fact that Justice Holmes once served his country on the field, even as he does now in her highest tribunal. So, planation of life. It begins with an in all probability, none of them realized that the dignified judge seated furinest at the right of the chief justice was the 'my Captain' of Oliver Wendell Holmes the First, the hero of that delightful sketch by the essayistpoet, which he called 'In Search of the Captain.' Yet it was a true storywhat would be the composition and of the paternal quest for the son reported seriously wounded at Antie-Numerous distressing circumstances united to throw the anxious father off the track again and again, but at length the search culminated happily in a railroad train. This is what Dr. Holmes wrote of it.

"In the first car, on the fourth seat to the right, I saw my Captain. There saw I him, even my first born, whom I had sought through many cities.

"'How are you, boy."

"'How are you, dad?' "Such were the proprieties of life as observed among us Anglo-Saxons of the nineteenth century, decently disguising those natural impulses that made Joseph, the prime minister of Egypt, weep aloud so that the Egyptians and the house of Pharaoh heard -nay, which had once overcome his shaggy old uncle, Esau, so entirely that he fell on his brother's neck and cried like a baby in the presence of At stated intervals in every family all the women."-New Orleans Times-Democrat.

> Unfortunate Selection. "You say the prisoner was singing.

Did you notice the song?" "Yes, your honor. He repeated it so many times that it impressed itself upon my memory. It was something about a daffydil."

"A new song?"

"I had never heard it before, your honor. It was a sentimental songsomething in the popular line. No doubt your honor knows the sort."

"Perhaps I do. Can you sing it, officer?" "I can make the attempt, your

honor. The air is simple, but the words are a trifle hard. Do you want me to sing it, sir?" "Yes. Silence in the court."

"One moment, your honor. Will your honor kindly recollect that the prisoner was intoxicated at the time, and that it was not altogether easy to catch the exact words?"

"Proceed with the song." "Yes, your honor. It was like this: By shaty noog an' gug-gling rill I sawed for thee, my Daffydil. I bat my heart bees till, bees till, an' cried alloud for Daffydil. Oh, Daffydil, my Daffydil, I love thee still an-never will. The days zat go are all so slow, I miz see zo, my Daffydil!"

"You say the prisoner sang that?" "Yes, your honor." "Six months at hard labor. Next

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### HEART RIGHT

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H. Asher is in St. Louis purchasing his fall and winter stock |-cheaper than the cheapest. of goods.

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You can get the red end Mephisto coyping pencil at the Novelty Store for 5c.

Go to the Big Store and get some of those bargains before they sell 'em out.

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If we can't please you it costs you nothing.

MARTIN'S LAUNDRY.

We fill your prescriptions at all hours-day or night. MURCHISON'S DRUG STORE.

You can get tablets, pencil boxes, pencils and examination paper cheaper at the Novelty Store.

Denman Sims and Wessie Shivers who are attending Tyler college spent this week at home.

Everet Clark has gone to Jerome, Ariz., to accept a position as assistant postmaster at that place.

T. D. Craddock will have a car of barb wire, hog wire and nails to arrive this week at cheap prices.

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Robert Reed Nunn, grand son of Colonel and Mrs. D. A. Nunn, is quite sick with fever at their home in Crockett.

Mrs. J. A. McConnell has returned from Mineral Wells very much improved in health, having gained twelve pounds in four weeks.

Leave your collars and cuffs at Murchison's and be pleased.

MARTIN LAUNDRY.

Why are groceries cheaper at F. P. Parker's New Grocery

at Huntsville.

Miss Evie Hail after a several weeks' visit to friends in Galveston has returned home.

Buy your bulk garden seed from Arledge & DeuPree and you will always get fresh seed.

position at the post-office formerly held by Everet Clark.

his nice new groceries.

Broad axes, double bit axes, find at T. D. Craddock's.

Dave Nunn returned Friday night from a business trip to Kansas City and St. Louis.

G. A. Whitmore returned Monday from Oklahoma where he had been looking for a location.

Soft, gloss or any finish to your laundry. Work guaranteed. MURCHISON'S DRUG STORE.

Dudley Woodson who has been traveling for an eastern wholesale firm; has accepted a position with

We fill more prescriptions than Earle Adams, Jr., is quite sick any drug store in Crockett. Let us fill yours.

MURCHISON'S DRUG STORE.

visiting home folks for several days, returned to his home in Nacogdoches Sunday.

Ask for Gold Coin flour-our best-beats all the rest and never

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tury fountain at

SMITH & FRENCH DRUG Co's.

Wait! Wait! A few days and see the Big Store's mammoth line of fall goods and get their prices

Arch Burton and family left Monborn coffee and teas sold by T. D. day for Corpus Christi. They will be gone for several weeks.

All summer goods are being sold at greatly reduced prices at the Big Store. Come early and secure some of the many bargains.

We pay special attention to prescriptions and give you exactly what your physician orders.

MURCHISON'S DRUG STORE.

In order to make room for their immense line of fall goods to arrive in a very few days, the Big Store has reduced the price on all summer goods.

Miss Hattie May Romain's friends will be glad to know that she is rapidly recovering from her recent prolonged attack of typhoid fever.

The Courier has a scholarship in the Wheeler Business College at Houston which it will sell at a reduction. Call or write this office for particulars.

The Big Store invites every lady in Houston county to call and see their line of Maloney Lady Shoes -they fit and will wear longer than any others. You will sufely be pleased with them.

for a mile of grading on the B. & G. N. Ry., being built from Trinity to Beaumont, and left Monday with twenty-two teams, scrapers, etc., for Trinity to begin work on same.

Foley's Kidney Cure will cure all diseases arising from disordered kidneys or bladder. Sold by Smith & French Drug Co.

### At the Methodist Church.

Sunday services-Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8:30 P. M. by the pas-Mrs. A. H. Wootters is visiting tor, C. E. W. Smith; Sunday her mother, Mrs. Della Eastham school 9:30 A. M.; Junior League 3:30 P. M.; Senior League 7:30

In a letter from one of the crowd from here that is camped on Devil's river fishing and hunting, says that fishing and hunting is simply fine. Deer are plentiful and fish without number. Henry Lewis has accepted the That quite a large number of trout had been caught that weighed from four to six pounds and F. P. Parker's hack can be seen that Joe Adams had succeeded in in all parts of Crockett delivering landing one that tipped the scales at nine pounds, ten ounces.

The Courier is deeply pained crosscut saws, tie wedges, you can to hear of the serious illness of Squire John Kennedy of Augusta. He has been ill with "black jaundice" for a week and at this writing but little hope of his recovery is entertained by those in attend-grade, Miss Bromberg. ance. His death would be a serious loss to his section and this county. There never was a more faithful official, a more loyal friend or a truer and better citi-

### **Nelson and Crowson Cases.**

Some thirty or forty witnesses were bundled off to Groveton early this week under attachment. They were wanted in the trial of the Nelson and Crowson cases These cases were again continued and retransferred to Houston County. It was suggested to Wootters Smith who has been Judge Boone that they be transferred to some other county in his district. But he declined to grant the request, saying that he didn't want them in his district.

### A Quiet Wedding.

Sunday evening Mr. Dan McConnell and Miss Nora Nich-O. C. Payne officiating. The Grapeland, Texas. groom is a young man of rare business ability, steady, and industrious, and is one of the firm of the McConnell Hardware Co. The bride has been reared in Bob McConneil and family and Crockett and 18 loved by her many friends for her sweet and lovable disposition. The Cour-TER joins their many friends in extending congratulations.

### To Study Music in Germany.

Miss Agnes Bruner, born and reared in Crockett, but now of Corsicana, is now enroute to Germany where she will spend a year in the Royal Conservatory of Music at Leipsic. The following is clipped from the Corsicana Sun:

Miss Agnes Bruner, who has been visiting her mother for several months will leave tomorow self? for Galveston, from which place she will sail for Germany, where she expects to spend a year or more in the Royal Conservatory of Music in Leipsic, the conservatory founded by Mendelssohn, and famous since his time.

### Letter to D. J. Kennedy. Crockett, Texas.

Dear Sir: Would you rather have your customers speak of your shoes as wearing well, as not running down at the heel, as turning water, and taking a shine; or wag their heads and say nothing?

We'd rather have ours, at long intervals, say: "We want some more paint, and we want Devoe." We know it isn't in human nature em to. All we want is to paint agents for the United States. what they have to paint, when-Smith Bros. have contracted ever they paint it; the longer the time, the surer they are to comeback. There's business enough in the world; there are houses enough to paint; let 'em take their

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### The Assignment of Teachers,

The following assignment of teachers has been made for the coming year in the Crockett schools, subject to change, should circumstances make any changes advisable:

First grade, Mrs. Collins; Second and Third grades, Miss Sturgis; Fourth grade, Mrs. Pence; Fifth grade, Miss Aldrich; Sixth grade, Miss Dougherty; Seventh preparing to leave with his fam-

HIGH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Mathematics and History, Miss Duckworth; English and Science, D. J. Cater; Latin C. E. Godbey COLORED SCHOOL.

Primary dep't., Jennie Holly Intermediate, Jamie Howard.

HIGH SCHOOL DEP'T.

Mrs. Bryant and A. R. Jenkins. Eech teacher has been consulted before this assignment was in most cases, although one or two compromises had to be made.

### C. E. GODBEY. Strayed.

Dark bay mare, star in face and stocking feet; 15 years old and weighs about 800 pounds. When He was a member of the Palestine last heard of was going toward bar and an authority on corpora-Delicious! Refreshing! The soda ols were very quietly married at Crockett. Will pay \$5.00 reward tion and commercial law, having Parker's Grocery and Hardware water drawn from the 20th Cen- the home of the bride's parents, for information leading to her re-Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Nichols, Rev. covery. Address Josiah Caskey,

### DON'T EXPERIMENT.

### You Will Make No Mistak You Follow This Texas Citizen's Advice.

you are always tired, or have pain igan with his parents in 1836. in the back, urinary disorders, Educated in the common schools dizzy, or nervous spells, it's time of the country and at the academy to act. These are all symptoms at Jonesville, Mich., he spent his of dangerous kidney troubles and boyhood days on a farm. He you should use a remedy which is graduated at Union seminary, known to cure these troubles safely and surely. Doan's Kidney Pills is that remedy, and if you wish to be cured of kidney trouble without experimenting, do not to Texas in 1857, he taught school fail to use it. Others have been cured and cured permanently. Why not follow the advice of a Texas citizen and be cured your-

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### JUDGE GOULD DEAD.

### Well Known Citizen of Texas Died Suddenly at Palestine.

Palestine, Tex., Aug. 14.-The citizens of Palestine suffered another irreparable loss in the sudden and unexpected death at 8 o'clock this morning of Judge George Henry Gould.

Judge Gould this morning was ily for a much deserved vacation to Denver and other Colorado points.

A short time before the time planned to leave his residence he excused himself, stating to Mrs. Gould that he would be absent but a few moments. Undoubtedly he had an inkling that he might have a serious attack of an old trouble, and, desiring to spare his family he went to the residence of Dr. Jameson, his neighmade, and an effort made to give bor, and advised him that he was each one the work desired. This having trouble with his heart. has been successfully accomplished Dr. Jameson had him to rest on a sofa, when he went into a gentle sleep. Before his condition was realized he had passed away.

Judge Gould was one of God's noblemen; an elder of the Presbyterian church, he was known for his clean-cut Christian life. been in the employ of the International and Great Northern railroad for years. Deceased was a warm personal friend and a great admirer of the late John H. Reagan, whom he considered the best friend and statesman that the South ever had.

Born in Rochester, N. Y., Oc-Never neglect your health. If tober 30, 1833, he moved to Mich-Ypsilanti, Mich., and completed his education in 1856-67 at the University of Michigan. Moving for one year near Henderson and studied law in 1859. Was licensed to practice law in 1859. In 1862 he joined the Confederete army, J. G. Browning of Dallas, book- and at his death was a member of John H. Reagan camp, United Confederate Veterans.

### A Warning to Mothers.

Too much care cannot be used with small children during the hot weather of the summer months to guard against bowel troubles. As a rule it is only necessary to give the child a dose of castor oil to correct any disorder of the bowels. Do not use any substitute. but give the old-fashioned castor oil, and see that it is fresh, as rancid oil nauseates and has a ten-Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn dency to gripe. If this does not to paint very often; we don't want Co., Buffalo, New York, sole check the bowels give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and then a dose of castor oil, and the disease may be checked in its incipiency and all Lang Bros., Druggists, Pa- danger avoided. The castor oil write: "We sell and this remedy should be promore of Dr. Mendenhall's Chill cured at once and kept ready for dication of bowel trouble appears. tailed over 700 bottles in one sea- This is the most successful treat

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### AN OPEN DOOR FOR TEXAS.

The policy of the "Open Door" has become a familiar term in our discussions of trade relations with China and other countries. With apt fitness and eminent propriety the same expression might be applied right at home. If a country ever needed such a policy as the "Open Door," Texas does today. If a country ever demanded that all barriers be put down and capital and enterprise offered every inducement to come in and feel at home, Texas is that country. There has been such strenuous opposition to the investment of foreign capital in Texas for twenty years past, there has been so much legislation hostile to all capital invested here, especially in railroad and other corporate enterprises, that the wonder is that a man, or association of men can be found anywhere willing to jeopard their resources in Texas ventures. And still the persistence in hostility to the investment of outside capital in Texas development goes on. We see some half a dozen or fewer candidates for governor, a year before any primaries are held, adroitly endeavoring to preoccupy the field and to grasp all opportunities for success and every one of them appealing, not to the intelligence and patriotism of the voter, but to his prejudice. We see them seeking with a craft, so maladroit as to be pitiable in its thinly disguised purpose, to stir the antagonism of the people to all forms of corporate wealth and enterprise-and all not for the good of Texas, for the development of Texas, but solely for the advancement of their own personal ambitions. Twenty years or more ago the people were assured that the adoption of the commission the enactment of a commission law thereunder would be a cure-all for all the evils of railroad aggression and rapacity. It seems that such measures failed of their purpose in the eyes of those who wish to fill the executive chair of the state. The magic in the cry of "down development of the state for a with railroads" and other forms of corporate investment is just as potent to stir the prejudices of the masses and to further the self- lamity. ish aims of personal ambition as it was a quarter of a century ago. Are we never to have an era of Crockett needs a more systematic business administration of state organization. There should be enaffairs? Are we never going to gaged to handle and pack such probe able to say to the men who own ducts those who are experts in the millions of idle capital in the north business. There should be, to seand who are anxious to float it on cure results, just as much system business enterprises in Texas, to in the classification and packing of come in, invest your money in fruit and other stuff as there is in railroads or other projects-it is any other kind of marketable prosafe from the plundering rapacity ducts. This fact explains the sucof the demagogue and the social- cess of towns north of us. It can ist? Is Texas to be eternally un- be done here successfully and der the overshadowing ban of the should be. political freebooter who is willing to see the state's industries paralyzed and its boundless resources forest, if we judge by the lumber has been to them and have every railroad building. And all this kidney and bladder disorders, usuuntouched for ages-just so this wagons and their contents as we same exploiting demagogue may meet them every day on the flourish and roll in a riot of official streets, we are forced to conclude splendor? Will the great mass of that the products of the forest this Texas voters never see what the year will exceed those of the field. of the Panama canal draws the atpurpose of these crafty office- Every sawmill in the county is tention of the world and especially seekers is? Will they never un- running on full time and to its of the United States to the great derstand that what Texas needs fullest capacity and not since the advantages of the Texas coast for now more than at any period in "seventies" have the prices of export purposes; and just at a her history, urgently and impera- lumber been so satisfactory as time too when several trunk line tively needs, is not an administra- they are now. A man who con- railroads are nosing along the tion of state affairs that shall be templates building a residence northern border of the state with

to all capital to stay away, but an administration conducted on the plane of high business ideals, protective alike to the man who ies of the state are resisting the comes to Texas to invest and prosham. Let us hope so at least.

and say nothing.

If the people of Texas were asman, a broad-gauged statesman, in the executive office at Austin for be doubled or trebled.

We are in receipt of the first issue of the Trinty County Star (published at Groveton) since its office, along with several other business houses, was destroyed by fire several weeks ago. The Star has on a "new dress" out and out and is neat and clean and is liberally patronized by its home mer-

The self-seeking demagogues, the self-promoting, political jacksnappers who are willing for Texas to sink, just so they can float, have done more to set back the quarter of a century than all the dire consequences of flood and storm, pest of insect or other ca-

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construed from its reckless war on will ponder the matter of brick an eye on building trunk lines W. H. Skinner, Druggist." orporate industries as a warning and mortar as substitute material. through the state to the Texas! Sold by J. G. Haring.

### TAX-EXTREMES.

The Oil-Development compancollection of the several taxes imtection to the people, That is posed by the last legislature. In what the state needs. Would the aggregate these several taxes that the state could have four aggregate seven per cent. We years more of such administration cannot but endorse their action from the executive office as we for such a levy seems unequal and had when level-headed old Sul without uniformity. It would Ross or Oran M. Roberts occupied seem that the authors of these the same! Then the people had various tax measures passed by business administrations and the the last legislature had in their state prospered. Money flowed mind the confiscation of all propinto the state for investment and erty or capital employed in the felt safe. It doesn't feel safe now development of the state's resourand will not come. Especially is ces. These Oil Company taxes, this true in view of the views put the tax on the gross receipts of forth by some if not all of the corporations, the intangible asset candidates for governor. All of tax, the franchise tax, and others them are more or less engaged at make such an array of taxation as the same lick-log and tarred with will result in strangling all enterthe same stick. One of them, prise for the next quarter of a however, is so rabid in his denun-century. It is to be regretted ciation of railroads that nothing that test cases of all of the most less than a railroad at each one of objectionable rates are not to be his three meals a day satisfies his tried in the courts. The COURIER appetite for gobbling up great en- stands for the "Open Door" in Texterprises. It will be a calamitous as and believes that one man's day for Texas when men of such dollar is no better than another's. views pick up the reins of gov- With all the statutes on our ernment in this state. Let us books to protect the people against hope for the best. Perhaps the corporate rapacity, the people masses of people are beginning to are in no danger of being crushsee through all this pretense and ed out by combinations of capital. What we need in Texas is capital and capital and more capital; cap-Fewer knockers and more men ital in factories, capital in railwho will speak a good word for roads, capital in packeries, capital the county and town are about as in every form and phase of comurgently needed as overflowing mercial, manufacturing, horticulcrops. If you can't speak well of tural and agricultural developyour county and town, shut up ment. And the man or official, who would block, hamper or impede by unfriendly treatment or otherwise the free influx of money sured of a level-headed business for the accomplishment of the ends named is no friend of the state, its people or its interthe next ten years or longer, the ests. Think of sixty-odd counties taxable values of the state would in the state without a single foot of railroad; of one hundred and fifty more that need three times as many miles of railroad as they have; and yet we see candidates for governor in their eagerness to arouse and rally to their support the prejudices of the people on this subject, exhibiting such hostility to railroads and railroad construction that nothing less than a trunk line of railroad will appease their appetite for each meal of the day.

> What Texas needs above all else is a man who will aspire to the governor's office on a lofty plane; who will get out and address the intelligence of the citizen and not his passions; who will appeal to that calm judgment and judicial poise of mind to be found in every man and not to his baser prejudices. That is the type of man to sit in high places and administer the affairs of a great state like

President Jordan acted in a most arbitrary manner in calling on Vice-President Peters of the Cotton Association for his resignation. And it was all because Colonel Peters assured Secretary of Agriculture Wilson that the people of the Southwest stood by him and hoped he would hold on to his position. The great mass coast, the country is again threatof farmers of the South know ened with a crusade against rail-Speaking of crops, field and what a friend Secretary Wilson roads, railroad management and confidence in his integrity and

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