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## W. N. LANE ON TRIAL

Much Interest Manifested and the Outcome Watched With Considerable Eagerness By All.

### ALL PROMINENT FARMERS

Lane is One of the Two Principals Charged With the Killing of Henry Dudley Last Spring.

Many people were brought to town Monday as special veniremen and witnesses in a case wherein all concerned are prominent, and the court house square has presented a busier appearance this week than it has at any time since last spring. It seemed that almost every one in the eastern part of the county were here as witnesses, and a large number were here from all over the county as special veniremen and regular jurymen for the week.

The case of the state against W. N. Lane was called for trial Monday morning. W. N. Lane and his son, Clint Lane, are accused of the murder of Henry Dudley, their neighbor. The killing occurred near Whiterock creek

in the eastern part of the county last spring, and the parties concerned were all prominent farmers.

The Lanes and Dudley had had trouble of long standing, which resulted in Dudley being shot to death one Saturday morning while on his way to repair a fence which had washed down the night before. The elder Lane came immediately to Crockett and surrendered to the sheriff, saying that he had killed Henry Dudley in self-defense. The sheriff placed Mr. Lane in jail and went to the scene to investigate the killing. The investigation resulted in Clint Lane and a man named Christian being arrested also. After the examining trial Christian was released, but the Lanes were held in \$5,000 bonds each. The younger Lane has yet to be tried.

A great many witnesses were examined on both sides, the testimony not being completed until Thursday. It is probable that the case will not go to the jury before Thursday night or Friday morning.

The jury is made up of the following men: T. A. Fuller, Louis Corder, J. A. Wedemeyer, W. H. Cook, W. B. Hearon, J. M. Ford, B. R. Eaves, J. E. Harmon, S. J. Goodson, L. H. Morrow, Willard Wills, C. E. Jones.

District Attorney Tom J. Harris

is assisted in the prosecution by County Attorney Earl Adams.

The defense is represented by Adams & Adams, Moore & Sallas and J. A. Ragland.

### BUSBY CASE CONTINUED.

Will Go Over Until the Next Term of the District Court.

The Busby case has been continued by consent until the next term of the district court.

The continuance was by agreement between counsel for defendant and counsel for the state.

### Lost Mules in Swollen Stream.

Lovelady, Texas, Oct. 28.—Last Saturday, while the local streams were swollen by a recent heavy rain, Bob Barbee of Creek lost a span of good mules in Sand branch, two and a half miles west of that place. He almost lost his own life, and did lose his hat. During the past week all local streams have been overflowed three times. Business is very much impeded by such heavy rains.

### Presbyterian Meeting Continues.

The protracted meeting at the Presbyterian church is expected to continue through this week and next Sunday. Rev. J. D. Fleming is preaching sermons that are attracting the attention of the people. The attendance has been very good and was very large on Sunday.



## CLOTHES FOR MEN

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Let us suppose yours to be a disposition that takes nothing for granted, and still we can demonstrate why our Suits at \$20 justify a materially greater charge.

No man is really well dressed unless the clothes he wears seem peculiar to him, just as his motions and manners are, unless to those who are familiar with him they seem a part of his identity just as his voice and the sound of his footsteps do, and are almost as recognizable, and unless they seem to have been specially made for him only, just as his features were. We make clothes to order only.



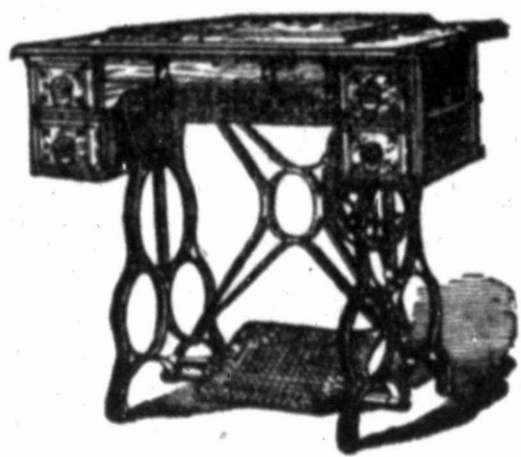
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Read the Ads. in this Issue of The Courier.

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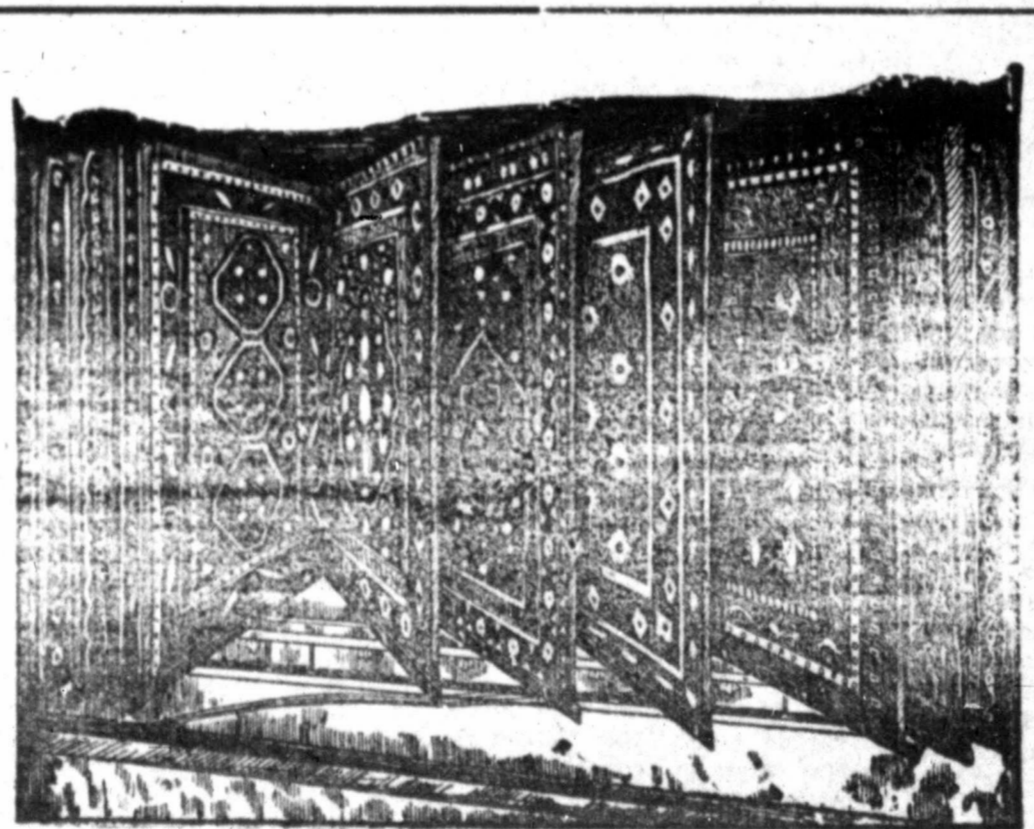
# The Furniture Store



**Sewing Machines** — Well, if you are in the market for a machine you will find us headquarters. As long as they last from ..... **\$25 to \$18**



**Tables.** Well, I haven't space to describe and price each. We have from the cheapest kitchen table to the best quarter-sawed, at from **\$35.00 to \$1.00**



### Art Squares and Rugs

The best selection ever displayed in Crockett at prices that can't be duplicated. **Rugs from \$4 to 50c. Art Squares \$45 to \$5.**



**WILLOW CHAIRS and ROCKERS**  
Rockers in Quartered Oak and Mahogany and Plain Oak, at from \$25 to 65c.

We offer services as Undertaker and Embalmer.  
Calls Answered Day or Night.

For your wants in House Furnishing for Lace and Bobinet Curtains can save you from 25 to 50 per cent. A nice line of Madras Curtains, Portier Curtains, Rope and Tapestry. It will pay you to buy your Matting, it's advancing and going higher. Nice selection on hand to select from. Just received a nice selection of all the popular Songs and instrumental Sheet music. Come and see us. No trouble to show goods—glad to have you call.

Crockett, Tex.

**J. D. SIMS**

The Furniture Man.



## Top Notch Overcoats

Overcoats which are at once "classy" in appearance and which SHOW THEIR WORTH. Tailored for you, of course—all the shrink forced out of the goods—ALL of it COMPLETELY removed by our new secret process—and that means that the garment will always hold its style.

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The Man Who Wants to Spend Forty Dollars

—both are invited to call and see our splendid line of Overcoat Cloths.

If you are going to buy a new overcoat this fall you will really be doing your judgment an injustice if you pass this opportunity. Our models are correct and have all the snap of today about them. Stylish and tailored with supreme care. It's the quality of our OVERCOAT service that we want to interest you in; price doesn't cut much figure—quality is what we all remember.

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Our Tailoring Department is in charge of First-Class American Tailors, and your Cleaning and Pressing when done by US, is done in a clean, well-lighted and well ventilated Shop, which is worth something.

**JNO. C. MILLAR, TAILOR AND FURNISHER**  
Crockett, Texas. Next to Postoffice.

### Local Items.

Buy it from French, the Druggist.

See Crysup for Westenhalm knives.

Big reduction in price, at Daniel & Burton's.

J. D. Freeman of Lovelady was here last week.

If you are after quality, order it from Hyman.

Ten pounds best Rio coffee \$1, at Daniel & Burton's.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Craddock have a very sick child.

The weather would indicate that fall had set in for good.

J. W. Young was a visitor to the Dallas fair this week.

Make our store your home when in town. Daniel & Burton.

You get the best if you buy it from French, the Druggist.

Judge Porter Newman returned Monday from the Dallas fair.

Nut Cracker tobacco 33¢ per pound, at Daniel & Burton's.

You get the best for the least money, at Daniel & Burton's.

Crysup is headquarters for school books and school supplies.

Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Thomas were visitors to the Dallas fair last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Crysup were visitors to the Dallas fair last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cook returned Sunday from the Dallas fair.

Miss Nannie D. Smith is at home from Oklahoma City for a month's visit.

The grand jury is again in session this week and will finish up its work.

Ten quarter blankets—good ones—50¢ per pair, at Daniel & Burton's.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Murchison reached home Saturday from St. Louis.

Have your prescriptions filled at Crysup's and it will be done right.

"Houston County Club" whiskey, put up in round bales, 4 qts. to the bale, \$4 per bale, charges prepaid, at Hyman's Saloon, Palestine.

All the old standard brands, the kind your forefathers used. You can get it at Hyman's Saloon, Palestine.

We have the largest line of hats we have ever carried, ranging in price from 50c. to \$3. Daniel & Burton.

Daniel & Burton are selling goods cheaper than any house in East Texas. Try them and be convinced.

You get it when you want it and you know what you are getting when you get it at Hyman's Saloon, Palestine.

Mr. Davis of the firm of Leffler & Davis, Lovelady, was transacting business in Crockett the latter part of last week.

Need a prescription filled? Bear in mind that you get the very best when we fill them. Prices are right, too. Murchison & Beasley.

We are headquarters for gloves, overshoes, rubber boots and rubber coats. Don't fail to see our line. Daniel & Burton.

Just received the largest line of guns, ammunition and hunting shirts ever brought to Crockett. Daniel & Burton.

W. M. Clark, living on the San Antonio road, southwest of town, made the Courier office a pleasant visit Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Bayne and Miss Mildred McGill are at Galveston, where Mrs. Bayne went to have an operation performed.

Two hundred dozen ladies' and men's seamless hose at 7¢ per pair—the kind you pay 10c. for elsewhere. Daniel & Burton.

"Don't forget" that National Packing Co.'s Mistletoe brands of hams, lard and breakfast bacon are the best. Try them and be convinced.

Our business is to run a drug store and run it right. We want your business and give you the best for your money. Murchison & Beasley.

My line of \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50 goods cannot be beat. Write me for price list, order blanks, etc. Address Hyman Harrison, Palestine.

I am headquarters for double stamp whiskies, in all ages and at all prices. A fine double stamp whiskey at \$3 per gallon, at Hyman's Saloon, Palestine.

O. E. Hairston of Lovelady was in Crockett Saturday and paid the Courier office a pleasant visit. Mr. Hairston is one of our best and most appreciated friends.

#### Take Notice!

After Nov. 2 I will gin Thursday and Friday through November and close down on the first of December. E. D. LOCKEY. 40-3t.

Insist on your groceryman giving you National Packing Co.'s Mistletoe brands of breakfast bacon, hams, and pure kettle rendered leaf lard. You will be pleased.

W. O. Lockey of Belott was in to see us Monday afternoon. Mr. Lockey is a strong believer in Houston county and thinks that those who are selling out are making a mistake.

Members of the Baptist church are earnestly requested to attend the regular conference Sunday, as action will probably be taken with reference to securing a pastor. Preaching at morning service.

#### Save the Birds.

Keep out the dogs! Positively no hunting or trespassing on my plantation of 1461 acres.

JAMES C. STOCKTON,  
Owner and Proprietor.

Allen Newton has returned from a visit to Garrison, where he was called by the serious illness of his mother, who is now in her seventy-seventh year. He found his mother's health sufficiently improved to permit his return to Crockett.

A. P. Hester of Creek was a pleasant visitor at the Courier office Monday. This was Mr. Hester's first visit to Crockett in over a year. He is one of the Courier's first and oldest subscribers and the interest he still manifests in this paper is very much appreciated.

## Money to Loan.

We make a specialty of loans on land and to farmers. We buy vendors lien notes and any other good paper. If you want to borrow money you will DO WELL to call and get our terms before placing your loan. We buy and sell real estate.

**WARFIELD BROTHERS,**  
Office North Side Public Square,  
Crockett, Texas

G. W. Ferguson of Weches was in to see us Tuesday. Mr. Ferguson was in the best of health and spirits and had nothing to grumble about. He comes of sturdy stock and during the course of conversation informed the writer that his grandfather lived to be over a hundred years of age.

#### Men and Teams Wanted.

Smith & Wootters want men and teams at their grading camp near Centralia, Trinity county, to work on the North and South Texas railroad. Will pay \$3.50 to \$4 per day for teams and \$2 for grubbers, teamsters, slip loaders, etc. Apply at the camp or to Jim Smith at Crockett.

Mrs. S. D. Ratcliff, the wife of the founder of the town of that name, died Sunday morning at an early hour, at her home at Ratcliff, in the eastern part of the county. Mrs. Ratcliff had been in ill health for some time, and last year sought relief in the climate of Southwest Texas, but found little. She is survived by a devoted husband and family, and there are many friends over the county who will be pained to learn of her death.

A Chicago gentleman in town Monday bought ten gallon-cans of Houston county sugar cane syrup which he shipped to his family in Chicago. He first found the syrup on a hotel table and inquired about its manufacture. On being told that it was a Houston county product and that it could be bought here, he made the purchase as above stated. The gentleman stated in the presence of the writer that it was the finest syrup he had ever seen or tasted.

#### Lovelady Depot Burned.

The railroad station at Lovelady was burned on Thursday night of last week. The cause of the fire is unknown. Much valuable freight was destroyed with the depot and there were some individual losses. Mr. W. T. Burton had received and paid for a valuable water pump which he intended using at his large river plantation, but which he had left on the depot platform. The pump was destroyed with the other property, the most of which the railroad company will be liable for.

#### The Black Hand.

Nothing in the last century has so stirred and aroused the indignation of the American people as the late outrageous New Orleans kidnapers. You can see it all reproduced in "The Hand of Death" at the Crockett opera house Friday night. This play is the only bonafide realistic production of actual occurrences. It is a play taken from life, founded on facts dealing with the fearful and murderous workings of the cruel and heartless society known as the "Black Hand." Opera house, Friday night, Nov. 1.

#### Fifty Years a Blacksmith.

Samuel R. Worley of Hixburg, Va., has been shoeing horses for more than fifty years. He says: "Chamberlain's Pain Balm has given me great relief from lame back and rheumatism. It is the best liniment I ever used." For sale by Murchison & Beasley.

Dr. L. Meriwether of Latexo is working up considerable interest in the peanut industry. The Doctor was in Crockett Monday and said that a number of farmers had agreed to grow peanuts for the market next year and that he had already found a market for them in North Texas, where a factory for the proper handling of peanuts had recently been located. The Doctor has promised to keep the Courier informed as to his progress in getting this new industry started, and he has unlimited confidence in it. He has conducted some experiments this year which have proved beyond a doubt that the crop can be made a paying one.

Miss Ery Murray and Mr. Clem Valentine were married Saturday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock, at the Methodist parsonage, by the pastor, Rev. J. W. Downs. The ceremony was performed in the presence of only a few, some of the friends of each being present, and also the family of the pastor. The groom is a brother of Mr. J. B. Valentine, the efficient railroad agent, and a son of Mr. James Valentine. He himself is connected with the railroad business, having been agent and operator here, but more recently at Groveton. His bride was reared at Porter Springs, but has been night operator for the long distance telephone company for the past two years. Both are popular and have been the recipients of many congratulations.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Downs attended the funeral of Mrs. Downs' sister at Wills Point last week. Mrs. Downs and her sister were on their way to Crockett at the time of the latter's death, which occurred at Palestine soon after the arrival of the train on which they were traveling. The deceased was in very delicate health and it was hoped that a change from Wills Point would improve her condition. Rev. Mr. Downs of this city was informed by telephone of the death of his wife's sister soon after its occurrence and went the next day to join his wife and assist in conveying the remains to Wills Point. The return journey to Wills Point was a sad one for them, and the agony of the grief-stricken husband and family was a severe trial. After the funeral Rev. and Mrs. Downs returned to their home in this city.

#### Schools Will Use Precaution.

We wish to assure patrons that every precaution will be taken in the schools to prevent disease and promote the health of the children. Patrons may feel assured that all the teachers will co-operate in this matter. We want every child to press on in the work he has taken up; interruption in our work would mean a serious loss.

We are glad to be able to state that Dr. Stokes agrees to examine any suspicious case that may arise in school at any time without charge and thus relieve the teachers from the possibility of mistakes in retaining a child too long in school.

Children afflicted with any contagious disease must bring a physicians' certificate before they can be re-entered. R. R. SEBRING, Superintendent.

#### Julius Caesar

was a man of nerve, but sickness left its mark and he became aged before his time. Sickness is often caused by a torpid liver. Herbine will regulate your liver and give you health. Mrs. Carrie Austin, Hollon, Kansas, writes: "I consider Herbine the best medicine I ever heard of. I am never without it."

**Wanted!** Local representative for Crockett and vicinity to look after renewals and increase subscription list of a prominent monthly magazine, on a salary and commission basis. Experience desirable, but not necessary. Good opportunity for right person. Address, Publisher, Box 58, Station O, New York.

## Drugs, Stationery Toilet Articles

THE MOST UP-TO-DATE AND COMPLETE STOCK IN CROCKETT

**G. L. MOORE,**  
THE DRUGGIST.

Call on  
**IKE LANSFORD**  
For  
**Edison Phonographs and Gold Moulded Records. In the Downes old Building**  
Crockett, Texas.

## RANGERS REINFORCED.

THREE MORE ARE SENT TO SAN AUGUSTINE.

## MORE TROUBLE MAY FOLLOW.

Killing of Jack Davis and Two Negroes Appears to Be the Beginning of Incipient Race War.

Austin, Tex.: Adjutant General Newton received a telegram Monday morning from Captain J. H. Rogers of the ranger force, who, with two privates, was dispatched to San Augustine last Saturday by request of the county attorney. The captain requested in his telegram that the other three members of ranger company C be sent to San Augustine immediately. Sergeant Dibrill and Privates Hudson and White left directly for San Augustine. Nothing in the telegram explained the situation in San Augustine, and the adjutant general telegraphed for particulars, but up to a late hour Monday no word had been received. The request for immediate reinforcements is taken to mean that the situation in San Augustine is serious. Three men had been killed up to last Saturday, when the first call for rangers was made.

Saturday night, the 19th, about 9 o'clock, Lewis Head and Jack Davis were shot by some negroes near the section house on the track of the Santa Fe. Jack Davis died from the wound received Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

The statement made by Head is that a negro who owed him a small sum of money came to him Saturday evening and told him to come to the section house that night, that being payday, he would have the money to pay him. Head makes the statement that he started down there and met Davis, who accompanied him, and just before they reached the section house two negroes stepped in front of them, and who knocked him down. They took his (Head's) pistol away from him, with which they shot both men. There were about fifteen or twenty shots fired from the section house, and in the flight one negro was shot in the leg and one hurt over the eye. The officers, with a number of men, began a search, but so far they have made their escape.

Thursday morning two negro men, Oscar Garrett and Jack Greer, were found dead about two miles from town, where they had been killed near where they were at work the previous evening. No one seems to know anything about who killed the negroes and rangers have been ordered here.

Captain J. H. Rogers and Privates J. F. Laughlin and F. A. Hamer arrived Sunday evening.

## SIX MONTHS FOR GILLETTE.

Former Vice President of Mutual Gets Term for Perjury.

New York: A sentence of six months in the penitentiary was imposed by Justice Dowling Monday upon Dr. Walter Gillette, former vice president of the Mutual Life Insurance company, who was convicted of perjury. Dr. Gillette first denied and then admitted to a grand jury that he had deposited \$5000 in a bank to be used in defeating legislation against insurance companies.

Justice Dowling said Monday that Dr. Gillette was suffering with heart trouble and that longer imprisonment might result in his death.

## PRICES OF MEAT REDUCED.

Omaha Packers Make a Ten Per Cent Reduction.

Omaha, Neb. Omaha packing houses on Monday reduced the prices of all kinds of meats 10 per cent and expect a still further reduction.

Edward A. Cudaby expressed the belief that the prices of all commodities would be materially reduced and that the present financial flurry would result in general reduction in value, although he does not consider conditions serious.

## FARMERS URGED TO HOLD.

President of Union Calls on Them to Stand Firm Now.

Atlanta, Ga.: President Charles S. Barrett of the National Farmers' Union Monday issued a call for meetings of all county and parish unions on November 9 to arrange for holding for a minimum of 15 cents.

In this call President Barrett urges the farmers to hold together now for that price, as a firm stand at this time will bring them the result they desire.

Timpson, Tex.: The temperature at this place is considerably lower than it was. A brisk wind began blowing Sunday night, and Monday fires and wraps were necessary.

## BACK GAVE OUT.

A Typical Case of Kidney Trouble and a Typical Cure.

Mrs. Chloe Page of 510 S. Pitt Street, Alexandria, Va., says: "My back hurt me terribly, I had sharp, shooting pains, changing to a dull, dragging ache. I could not stand for any length of time and my back hurt me when I sat down. My feet and ankles were badly swollen every evening, and my stomach was out of order. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me of these troubles in 1902, and for five years I have had no return."

All dealers, 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

## A Wonderful Thing.

Mr. Brown had just had a telephone connection between his office and house and was very much pleased with it, says the Home Magazine.

"I tell you, Smith," he was saying, "this telephone business is a wonderful thing. I want you to dine with me this evening, and I will notify Mrs. Brown to expect you."

Brown (speaking through the telephone)—My friend Smith will dine with us this evening.

"Now listen and hear how plain her reply comes back."

Mrs. Brown's reply came back with startling distinctness:

"Ask your friend Smith if he thinks we keep a hotel."

## BABY IN TERRIBLE STATE.

Awful Humor Eating Away Face—Body a Mass of Sores—Cuticura Cures in Two Weeks.

"My little daughter broke out all over her body with a humor, and we used everything recommended, but without results. I called in three doctors, but she continued to grow worse. Her body was a mass of sores, and her little face was being eaten away. Her ears looked as if they would drop off. Neighbors advised me to get Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and before I had used half of the cake of Soap and box of Ointment the sores had all healed, and my little one's face and body were as clear as a new-born babe's. I would not be without it again if it cost five dollars, instead of seventy-five cents. Mrs. George J. Steese, 701 Coburn St., Akron, O., Aug. 30, 1905."

## Undisturbed.

"Does the strike you have on hand seriously inconvenience your company?"

"No," answered Mr. Dustin Stax; "on the contrary, it affords us a better excuse than usual for the bad service that is constantly complained of."

—Washington Star.

## Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of *Wm. C. Little*

In Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Many a man would rather lie when asked for information than say: "I don't know."

## "We Have Many Similar."

The following is an extract from a letter received from Mr. H. H. Meyers of Stuttgart, Ark.: "You would greatly oblige me if you would introduce Hunt's Lightning Oil at Millidgeville, Ill., as I have many friends and relatives there, in whom I am much concerned, and I understand the Oil is not kept there. I can recommend it as the best medicine I ever had in my house. It cured me of a bad case of the Bloody Flux in less than one-half hour, and it cured my grand-daughter of a bad case of Cholera-Morbus in a very short time."

## Had Tried It.

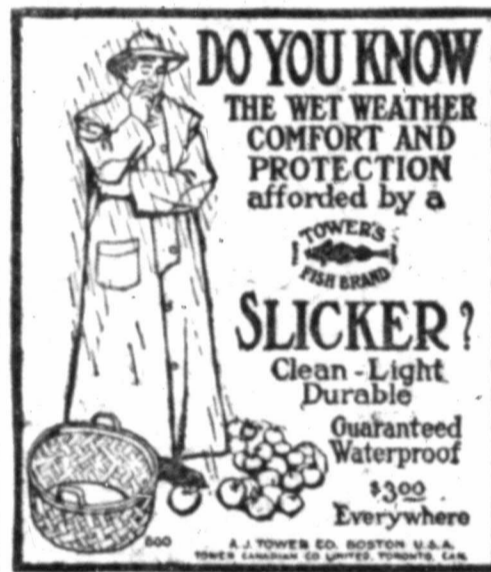
"You ought to wear glasses. They'll save your eyes," said his friend.

"Nuttin' in it," contemptuously answered Bill de Bruiser. "I t'ought dey would meself wunst, an' I put on a pair when I heerd a big chap wuz layin' fur me. It's agin de law, ye know, to hit a man wid glasses on 'im. Well, sir, de big chap happened along. He reached over, lifted dem glasses off me face, an' den he bunged me eyes up, good an' proper."

## A Simple Method.

"How do you make the distinction between popular and classical music?" asked the very young man.

"Oh, that's easy," answered the dispenser of home-grown philosophy. "It's popular if I enjoy it and it's classical if I don't."



W. N. U., HOUSTON, NO. 44, 1907.

## PUTNAM FADELESS DYES

Color more goods brighter and faster colors than any other dye. One 10c package colors all fibers. They dye in cold water better than any other dye. You can dye any garment without ripping apart. Write for free booklet—How to Dye, Bleach and Mix Colors. MONROE DRUG CO., Quincy, Illinois.

# For a Fever

Blood-letting was the old-fashioned method of treating fevers. To a certain extent, this helped, because fever is caused by poison in the blood, and taking away the infected blood probably weakened the effects of the poison.

Today, we prescribe a gentle cathartic, bowel and liver cleanser—

## THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT

—and obtain the purifying results, without the weakening effect of blood-letting. Mrs. G. Nussbaum, of 708 Felicity St., New Orleans, La., writes: "When I had the yellow fever, I did not call a doctor, but just took Theford's Black-Draught and recovered."

Their Natural Place. "Don't you believe balloon inventors are visionary people?" "Well, I must say, that as a rule, they are usually up in the air."

Its Dangerous. To neglect a cold the results are too often very serious. Bronchitis, Pleurisy, Pneumonia and Consumption are frequently the consequences. Upon the appearance of a cold, sore throat or chest, use Simmons' Cough Syrup. It soothes the irritation, loosens the phlegm and promptly cures you.

A shut mouth keeps one out of strife.—Portuguese.

Mail by Skyrockets. The most remarkable method of delivering letters doubtless is that employed by the steamers passing islands of the Tonga group in the Pacific. On account of many reefs landing is extremely dangerous and the few letters to be delivered are attached to large skyrockets, which are fired and reach the shore in safety.

FITS, St. Vitus Dance and all Nervous Diseases permanently cured by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. Send for Free \$2.00 trial bottle and treatise. Dr. R. H. Kline, L.D., 931 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa.

What ripens fast does not last.—Shakespeare.

## Only One Crop of Land

Don't Forget This and Don't Forget to Buy Your Share Now Before it is All Gone.

You Can Get Rich in South Texas in a Few Years on an Investment of \$210, Payable \$10 a Month Without Interest. Read the Following:

St. Jo, Texas, April 20, 1907.

Dr. C. F. Simmons, San Antonio, Texas. Dear Sir:—I have just returned from a visit to your 95,000-acre ranch, where I have been for the purpose of investigating the conditions of soil, climate, rainfall, etc., and its adaptability to general farming, truck-growing and fruit.

I found conditions really better than I expected, and fully up to representations in your literature. The soil seems to be of fine quality and of such variety as to make diversified farming easy and profitable.

While on the ranch I had the pleasure of visiting Hall, Frenchman, Turkey Creek, Windmill, Muley Cow and Headquarters pastures. I did not see the Votaw pastures but was assured by disinterested parties that it was even better than that which I examined, and believing this I came home perfectly satisfied that you have the best proposition, for the poor man in Southwest Texas.

On farms adjoining your ranch I saw fine crops growing without irrigation, and this I consider remarkable in view of the severe drought, which obtains at this time over the entire state.

I am sure this will prove to be a fine fruit-growing section, especially for grapes, figs and berries, and that the water supply is sufficient to be certainly to be proved by the flowing artesian wells in various parts of pasture, and this also settles the truck growing proposition.

You have my hearty endorsement on both your lands and plan of sale. Very truly yours, DR. T. E. FOSTER.

Remember—You get a truck or fruit farm of from 10 to 640 acres in the finest country in the world, and two town lots for \$210.

Write for literature and name of nearest agent.

DR. CHAS. F. SIMMONS,

215 Alamo Plaza, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS.

## BAD BLOOD THE SOURCE OF ALL DISEASE

Every part of the body is dependent on the blood for nourishment and strength. When this life stream is flowing through the system in a state of purity and richness we are assured of perfect and uninterrupted health; because pure blood is nature's safe-guard against disease. When, however, the body is fed on weak, impure or polluted blood, the system is deprived of its strength, disease germs collect, and the trouble is manifested in various ways. Pustular eruptions, pimples, rashes and the different skin affections show that the blood is in a feverish and diseased condition as a result of too much acid or the presence of some irritating humor. Sores and Ulcers are the result of morbid, unhealthy matter in the blood, and Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula, Contagious Blood Poison, etc., are all deep-seated blood disorders that will continue to grow worse as long as the poison remains. These impurities and poisons find their way into the blood in various ways. Often a sluggish, inactive condition of the system, and torpid state of the avenues of bodily waste, leaves the refuse and waste matters to sour and form uric and other acids, which are taken up by the blood and distributed throughout the circulation. Coming in contact with contagious diseases is another cause for the poisoning of the blood; we also breathe the germs and microbes of Malaria into our lungs, and when these get into the blood in sufficient quantity it becomes a carrier of disease instead of health. Some are so unfortunate as to inherit bad blood, perhaps the dregs of some old constitutional disease of ancestors is handed down to them and they are constantly annoyed and troubled with it. Bad blood is the source of all disease, and until this vital fluid is cleansed and purified the body is sure to suffer in some way. For blood troubles of any character S. S. S. is the best remedy ever discovered. It goes down into the circulation and removes any and all poisons, supplies the healthful properties it needs, and completely and permanently cures blood diseases of every kind. The action of S. S. S. is so thorough that hereditary taints are removed and weak, diseased blood made strong and healthy so that disease cannot remain. It cures Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula, Sores and Ulcers, Skin Diseases, Contagious Blood Poison, etc., and does not leave the slightest trace of the trouble for future outbreaks. The whole volume of blood is renewed and cleansed after a course of S. S. S. It is also nature's greatest tonic, made entirely of roots, herbs and barks, and is absolutely harmless to any part of the system. S. S. S. is for sale at all first class drug stores. Book on the blood and any medical advice free to all who write.

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CROCKETT, TEXAS.

## FROM ALL OVER TEXAS

Cement beds at Atlas, on the Midland Railway, are to be developed by F. B. McKay and others.

George Clinton, President of the Lone Star Orchard Company at Crockett, died Friday at Willamette, Ill.

The Governor significantly remarked a few days since: "Well, I guess we have the trusts on the run in Texas."

The Postmasters' Association of Texas is to meet in Fort Worth November 12 and 13.

The colored State Medical, Dental and Pharmaceutical Association closed its twenty-second annual session at Fort Worth Friday.

The Governor has issued a proclamation revoking the quarantine against ports south of the twenty-third degree of latitude.

Hense Williams, the negro to have been hanged at Temple Friday, was saved by commutation, by the Governor, to a life sentence.

T. A. Robertson, President of the Seminole Telephone Company, is extending the line to Plains, the county seat of Yoakum County.

George F. Parker, of Stephenville, County Treasurer of Erath County, is a candidate for the office of State Controller in the next general election.

More than 1000 delegates attended the meeting of the General Missionary Baptist Convention of Texas, Colored, which met last week in San Antonio.

R. H. McNair of Beaumont, who last spring shot and killed his wife in a frenzy of passion, was sentenced to life imprisonment in the penitentiary a few days since.

Col. Horace Welch of Jefferson, who was in Dallas attending the G. A. R. meeting, was struck by a street car and sustained painful but not serious injuries Friday morning.

In the election held Tuesday to vote on the issuance of \$150,000 in bonds for the purchase and improvement of the waterworks plant at Temple, the vote was 333 for and thirty against.

Bryon Russell, about seventeen years of age, was arrested by United States Deputy Marshal North at Granbury Thursday on a charge of rifling United States Mail, and was taken to Fort Worth, where he pleaded guilty before Commissioner Dodge.

C. H. Burrell, the Frisco freight conductor who was picked up unconscious last Tuesday near the corner of Main and Second Streets, Fort Worth, is at the Medical Hospital, and on Saturday was still in an unconscious condition. Physicians say his skull was injured in a fall due to apoplexy.

The Frisco's Irving-Carrollton cut-off track-laying is finished, as is half the ballasting. The steam shovel for the cuts near Elm Fork of the Trinity has arrived, and it is expected that a day and night force will operate it, so as to get the track ready for train service as soon as possible.

The Sheriff of Smith County asserts that there are no blind tigers in the county.

Banks of Wichita Falls are advertising that they will make loans of \$40 a bale on cotton stored in the Farmers' Union warehouse.

Fred Johnson, a negro from Bullard, was fatally stabbed by another negro, the trouble being caused by knocking off a hat. Bud Mayberry, another negro, has been arrested and placed in jail.

In Judge Sam R. Scott's court at Waco, in the case of a negro charged with robbing a farmer at the point of a revolver, the jury returned a verdict of guilty, assessing the punishment at thirty years in the penitentiary.

The peanut crop in Grayson County is selling at eighty cents to \$1 a bushel.

At Greenville, the Grand Jury indicted J. F. Craig for false swearing in having a marriage license issued.



The Consumer Finds That Bread Has Now Gone Up to Join Milk and Butter Among the Heavenly Bodies.

### OUTBREAK OF UTES.

INDIANS ON CHEYENNE RIVER RESERVATION UGLY.

The Untutored Savage Tires of the Gauds of Civilization and Desires a Change.

Washington: The tribe of Ute Indians, which more than a year ago wandered away from their reservation in Utah and created trouble in Colorado and Wyoming by threatening to take the warpath and raid ranches, is reported to have broken out from the Cheyenne River Reservation, in South Dakota, where the tribe was given temporary quarters. At the recommendation of the Secretary of the Interior the War Department today ordered troops from Fort Meade, S. D., to the scene of the trouble. The character of the outbreak is not known here. Col. Downs, a special agent of the Indian office, is at the Cheyenne River Reservation, and a telegram was received from him, saying that the Utes had become unruly and troops are needed. Fort Meade is about 100 miles from the reservation and it will be necessary for the cavalry to make a cross-country "hike," as there is no railroad between the two points.

It was dissatisfaction with advancing civilization that caused the trouble in Utah. The Secretary of the Interior finally arranged that the Indians should not be compelled to return to Utah, but they could just settle down on some reservation. The Cheyenne River Reservation was selected and two townships were leased for a period of five years in order to supply them with homes.

### CIRCUS MAGNATES.

Ringling Brothers Buy Barnum & Bailey's "Greatest Show."

New York: The announcement was made at the Barnum & Bailey offices that it was the Ringling Brothers, the Western circus men, who had secured possession of the "greatest show on earth," and that henceforth it would be run in connection with their other arena enterprises. The sale was made in London Tuesday.

The transfer of the Barnum & Bailey show to the new owners places the five Ringling Brothers at the head of the circus business of America, and leaves them practically without a rival in the world, they now having under contract the original Ringling Bros. show and the Barnum & Bailey greatest show on earth.

### HAPPY HUNTING GROUNDS.

Law-Ridden Texas Sportsmen Turn to Mexico for Game.

Monterey, Mexico: Ever since the beginning of the cool weather sportsmen from the United States have been coming to Mexico by trainloads. Owing to the changes in the hunting laws in Texas, it is thought that the large number of lovers of the sport who have formerly hunted in Texas will come to this country instead, as game is plentiful and the laws of Mexico allow them to hunt whenever they wish.

Stockdale, Tex.: The Farmers' Union Warehouse has its limit of cotton, 1,100 bales. The farmers will take the remainder of their crop home and wait for a better price.

### GEORGIA SAVAGES.

ROASTED NEGRO CRIMINAL AFTER RIDDLING WITH BULLETS.

Locked in Barracks—Mob Used a Pre-Arranged Log Fire—Charred Remains.

Macon, Ga.: News reached here Sunday from Byron, Ga., of the lynching of a negro named John Wilkes at that place Saturday night. The negro it is said, had robbed two small boys of 75 cents, and had attempted to rob a man of another small amount of cash when Marshal Tom Johnson was notified and made an effort to arrest him. The negro drew a revolver and attempted to shoot the officer. Quick work prevented this, however, and a general mixup followed. Several persons became involved, but within a short time the negro was arrested and locked up in the barracks.

At a late hour unknown persons forced an entrance, dragged the negro from his cell, and, after carrying him a short distance, the body was riddled with bullets. It was then burned up on a log fire which had been prepared for the occasion. The charred remains were removed Sunday morning and were viewed by a large crowd.

### BRYAN'S REMEDY.

Would Have National Banks Pay Tax Guarantee Depositors.

Chicago, Ill.: William J. Bryan in a statement says: "There can be no financial panic while the conditions of the country remains as prosperous as it is. I do not consider the financial situation here as serious. The conditions existing here are due to the unwarranted timidity of the depositors. The volume of money is 50 per cent better than it was ten years ago. In the West business is fine, crops fair and prices high. 'I believe the real remedy for the alarm and anxiety among depositors lies in a plan I proposed when I was in congress. That was a law requiring national banks to pay a tax into the national treasury. If that had become a law the people would now realize that they had a substantial guarantee for their deposits.'

### ODOM KNIFED UNTO DEATH.

Will Monk, Aged 18, Lodged in Lake Charles Jail.

Lake Charles, La.: Will Monk, an 18-year-old youth, was lodged in jail Monday night in consequence of an encounter at Oakdale, in which Robert Odom received three knife wounds that proved fatal Monday. It is understood that there was a previous quarrel and when the young men met Saturday night it was renewed with fatal results. Monk went to the Deputy Sheriff and surrendered.

### Destructive Fire in Kentucky Town.

Madisonville, Ky.: This city was visited by a destructive fire early Friday, a wagon factory, two livery stables, a tobacco factory, a repair shop and six residences being burned to the ground. The loss is estimated at \$7,000, partly covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is not known.

### Eagle Pass School Bonds.

Austin, Tex.: The attorney general's department Thursday approved a \$30,000 issue of Eagle Pass independent school district school house bonds, they being ten-forties at 5 per cent.

"Nails are a mighty good thing—particularly finger nails—but I don't believe they were intended solely for scratching, though I used mine largely for that purpose for several years. I was sorely afflicted and had to do it. One application of Hunt's Cure, however, relieved my itch and less than one box cured me entirely."

J. M. WARD,  
Index, Texas.

### An Ambition.

"So you want to become an ambassador," exclaimed the man of power. "Yes," replied the opulent person. "I thought you were devoted to your automobile. When did you become interested in diplomacy?" "I'm not especially interested in diplomacy. What I want is to get some position where I'll have government protection against arrest for violating the speed regulation."

### Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

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Pearl—They say blessings never come singly.  
Ruby—Yes, but blessings come single sometimes.  
Pearl—Single? What do you mean?  
Ruby—Why, Belle captured an old bachelor worth a cool million. He was a single blessing, wasn't he?

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One box of Hunt's Cure is unfailingly, unqualifiedly and absolutely guaranteed to cure any form of SKIN DISEASE. It is particularly active in promptly relieving and permanently curing all forms of ITCHING known. ECZEMA, TETTER, RINGWORM and all similar troubles are relieved by one application; cured by one box.

### Reciprocity.

"Every father thinks he has the finest baby in the world."  
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ELLEN M. OLSON

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When a girl's thoughts become sluggish, with headache, dizziness or a disposition to sleep, pains in back or lower limbs, eyes dim, desire for solitude; when she is a mystery to herself and friends, her mother should come to her aid, and remember that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, will at this time prepare the system for the coming change, and start this trying period in a young girl's life without pain or irregularities. It has been thus depended upon for two generations.

Hundreds of letters from young girls and their mothers, expressing gratitude for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for them, are constantly being received.

Miss Ellen M. Olson, of 417 N. East St., Kewanee, Ill. writes:—

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:— "I have had the best doctors in our town for my sickness and they all thought that an operation was necessary. I had headache,

sideache, and my feet were so sore I could hardly stand. I took two bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound when my periods were established and now I am perfectly well. Mama says she won't be without your medicine in the house. I have told one girl what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me and she is taking it now."

Miss Clara E. Darmstadter, of 453 Breckenridge St., Buffalo, N.Y., writes: Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"For about a year, except during the past few months, I suffered with severe pains every month, with backaches and headaches. I had the blues so bad that I was in despair. It is a pleasure to tell you that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has cured me. The change in my appearance is wonderful and I desire that this good may come to every sufferer. Any one desiring to know further details may write to me and I shall be glad to give them."

If you know of any young girl who is sick and needs motherly advice, ask her to address Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., and tell her every detail of her symptoms, and to keep nothing back. She will receive advice absolutely free, from a source that has no rival in the experience of woman's ills, and it will, if followed, put her on the right road to a strong, healthy and happy womanhood.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made from native roots and herbs cures where others fail.

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Dr. Arnold will revisit this County every month, thus saving his patients the trouble and expense of visiting the city. And he is the only physician in this County who carries his own Diagrams to illustrate and make plain to all afflicted the cause and nature of their diseases. He promptly visits this town every four weeks and will so continue as long as God spares him to the afflicted.

### CHRONIC CASES

The Doctor treats no acute diseases, but makes a specialty of chronic and long-standing diseases. Cases given up by other doctors and pronounced incurable, he most desires to see. Dr. Arnold has treated over 12,000 cases in Texas in the last few years, many of which had been given up as incurable, some to be Blind, others Deaf, and a Large Number to be Invalids for Life. Now many are on the high road to Health.

The Doctor is surrounded with a fine collection of instruments for examining and treating all chronic diseases of the Head, Face, Eye, Ear, Throat, Heart, Lungs, Stomach, Liver, Kidneys, Bladder, Skin, Brain and Nervous System, Cancer, Tumors, Piles, Swellings, Old Sores, Fits, Paralysis, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Dropsy, Gout, Sick Headache, Debility, Depression of Spirits, Diseases of Children, Hereditary Diseases, etc., and in fact, all long-standing and chronic diseases. All surgical operations performed.

He adopted the following plan, which is peculiar to the large hospitals, and is not and never has been the practice of country doctors, viz: he carefully notes the symptoms of the patient, and ascertains the condition of the internal organs, all of which he carefully records in his register for future reference. In this way he ascertains the true nature of the disease and its cause. When sick people consult him he readily tells them whether he can cure or help them, or whether they are beyond hope.

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Are mild and pleasant; agree perfectly with the most delicate Lady or Child; do not reduce strength, can be used while at work, and give the greatest possible benefit in the shortest possible time. Patients can consult him or communicate with him as often as they choose, during the whole time required for the cure, without regard to where they may be, and without extra charge, thus rendering the treatment as successful and satisfactory as though they were living next door to each other.

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**LATEST DISCOVERIES AND IMPROVEMENTS**  
Dr. Arnold has received the most approved instruction in Analytical and Microscopic Examination of the Urine, etc., which are now considered indispensable to a correct diagnosis in many diseases. There are many diseases which physicians in common practice do not usually treat, and are, therefore, seldom prepared with necessary and costly outfit to examine correctly, or treat with success; such cases, therefore, would do well to call at once and learn their true condition, and whether the doors of Hope are yet open, or forever closed against them.

**FACTS FOR MEN OF ALL AGES**  
By reason of false modesty the youth of our land are kept in ignorance of the ruinous results which certain solitary indiscreet practices produce. These vices when persisted in eventually undermine the constitution inducing nervous debility and premature decay. Dr. Arnold has for many years enjoyed the distinction of being the most successful and celebrated specialist for the treatment and cure of these affections. You may consult him with complete confidence. Of all the maladies that afflict mankind there is probably none about which physicians in general practice know so little.

**DELAYS DANGEROUS**  
Many diseases are so deceptive that hundreds of persons have them before they even suspect it. They know they are not well, but are perfectly ignorant of the deadly fangs which are fastening upon them, and must, sooner or later, certainly destroy them, unless freed by a skillful hand. Are you afflicted? Your case may now be perfectly curable, but remember, every moment of neglect brings you nearer its incurable stages, when, perhaps, the most skillful physician can render you no assistance. The present is ours, the future may be too late.

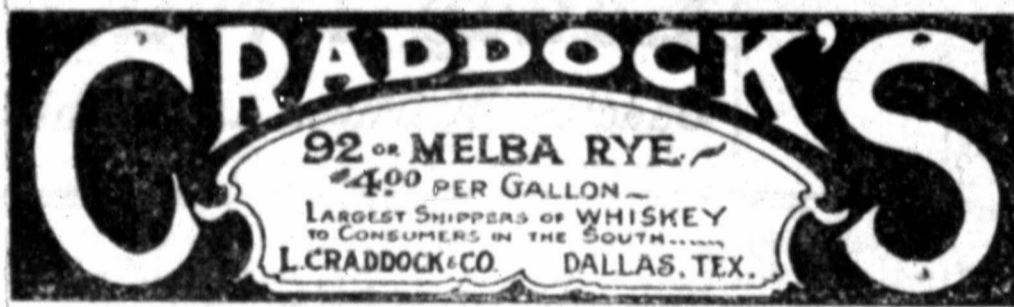
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## EVENTS OF EVERYWHERE

The census report shows 4,089,336 bales of cotton ginned up to October 16, against 4,931,621 up to the same date last year.

Kansas will send a solid delegation to the next Republican convention to vote for the nomination for the Presidency of Secretary Taft.

Samuel Johnston, a Magistrate of Elmore County, Ala., was shot and killed late Friday afternoon as he alighted from a train by a man named Oates, who escaped.

The Olney State Bank is to be converted into the First National Bank, capital stock \$25,000. The application has been approved, and the stockholders have elected officers.

J. A. Thomas, representative from Fannin County, has resigned as a member of the Legislature. Mr. Thomas has removed to Mineola, where he is editor of the Mineola Monitor.

Tracklaying is being rapidly done north from Benjamin, and will be completed through the State and connection with Kansas City by the first of the year, it is declared.

The work of drilling for oil has been begun in the Medina oil fields, which are located eleven miles south of San Antonio. Those who have examined the site say that the indications of oil are very plentiful.

A few days since a gang of Italian section men working on the Louisville and Nashville railway in Kentucky killed and ate a buzzard, an hour later the man who cooked it died and three others who ate of it may not recover.

A final effort will be made to end the telegrapher's strike by sending a committee of nine men to New York in an effort to get a hearing with the officials of the two telegraph companies and the Associated Press.

A freakish trick of electricity is reported by W. F. Means, whose home north of Marlin was struck by lightning, the house and much of the furniture badly damaged. A dog on the front gallery and one under the house were killed, but the family escaped unhurt.

Thursday afternoon a robber entered the bunk house of Dick Purdy, construction foreman on the Milliken tank farm, four and one-half miles north of Muskogee, I. T., secured Purdy's gun, held him up, secured \$200 in currency and then ran, but was afterward captured.

The new Cunarder Mauretania, now the finest and longest ship afloat (five feet longer than her sister ship, the Lusitania), has arrived at Liverpool, having cruised around the coast of Scotland. Her builders and officers expect she will surpass the Lusitania in speed.

The Montgomery shops of the Atlantic Coast Line at Montgomery, Ala., employing 300 men, and with a monthly payroll of \$16,000, were closed last week. Master Mechanic Pearsall announced that a few men would be retained after November 1, and the company would operate small repair shops.

Many rural districts of Spain suffered severely from earthquake shocks on the 23d instant.

One man was fatally hurt and eight others more or less seriously injured by a gas purifier explosion at Chattanooga, Tennessee, Thursday.

While out squirrel hunting Asa Thomas, of Bowie, was shot and seriously hurt by the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of Rev. R. C. Pender, a well-known Baptist minister, who was one of the party.

Postmaster General Meyer is urging the extension of the parcels post system, particularly as to rural routes. Mrs. Charles Mayes, whose home was at Burrow, Hunt County, last week committed suicide by shooting herself.

George Parchall, fullback on the Denton High School football team, had his collar bone broken in a practice game. He was tackled low and thrown head over heels, the fracture resulting.

The officers of the grand lodge of Elks spent some days in Dallas last week looking into the plans for the meeting next year, and expressed themselves as highly pleased at the outlook. It is estimated that 50,000 members will be present.

## ADVICE TO VICTIMS

TELLS READERS HOW TO CURE RHEUMATISM AT HOME.

Directions to Mix a Simple Preparation and the Dose to Take—Overcomes Kidney and Bladder Trouble Promptly.

There is so much Rheumatism everywhere that the following advice by an eminent authority, who writes for readers of a large Eastern daily paper, will be highly appreciated by those who suffer:

Get from any good pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces of Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Shake these well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime; also drink plenty of good water.

It is claimed that there are few victims of this dread and torturous disease who will fail to find ready relief in this simple home-made mixture, and in most cases a permanent cure is the result.

This simple recipe is said to strengthen and cleanse the eliminative tissues of the Kidneys so that they can filter and strain from the blood and system the poisons, acids and waste matter, which cause not only Rheumatism, but numerous other diseases. Every man or woman here who feels that their kidneys are not healthy and active, or who suffers from any urinary trouble whatever, should not hesitate to make up this mixture, as it is certain to do much good, and may save you from much misery and suffering after while.

### Everything Bad.

A prominent planter recently had occasion to visit some of his holdings in southern Arkansas. The land was situated several miles from a railroad, and it was necessary to finish the journey in a buggy. So he took a friend with him and started out.

After traversing several miles of sparsely settled country, they came upon a farmer plowing corn on the side of a hill. The planter, wishing to appear civil to his neighbors, stopped his horse and yelled at the man, who came to the fence, mopping his face with a red bandana.

"Good morning."  
"Mornin', mister!"  
"You live here, I suppose?"  
"Yep."  
"How's crops?"  
"Fair to middlin'."  
"That's a bad hill you're plowing."  
"I know it. Bad boss, pullin' th' plow, bad plow, bad everything."  
"Why, you talk like you were the poorest man in Arkansas," laughed the planter.  
"I ain't, though," was the response, as the young fellow smiled good-naturedly. "Another feller owns half o' this crop."

### Omissions of History.

Henry VIII. had taken another wife. "How many does that make?" he asked his private secretary. "Six, your majesty," answered that functionary. "Are you sure?" "I have kept the count correctly, your majesty."  
"Well, I'll stop at that," he said. It was with some reluctance, however, that he kept his promise by dying before he had a chance to marry No. 7.—Chicago Daily News.

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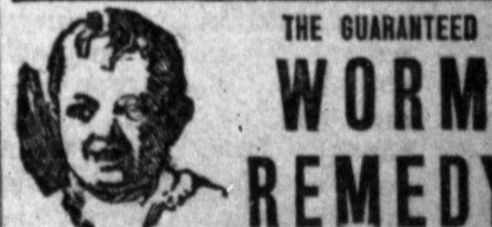
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The Retail Grocers' and Butchers' Association of Fort Worth has issued in reply to State Health Officer Brumby's recent statement concerning the alleged sale of packing house cullings, an invitation, to investigate the matter and make good.

# THE GAME LAW GOES.

DEPUTY GAME WARDENS ARE STRICTLY ENFORCING IT.

## 25 BIRDS IN ALL THE LIMIT.

The Market Hunter Can's Ship Game Unless He Is on the Same Train.

Austin, Tex.: The Game Warden's office here continues to hear good news from some of the deputies who are engaged in a strict enforcement of the law, though meeting with violators who conceal their game in some instances. In Jones county four complaints were recently made, one fine of \$10 imposed for shooting game birds and another of \$10, which was paid. The other two are yet to be tried. The first case has been appealed. The deputy there reports that he is after the violators all the time and that friends of the game law are assisting.

A Tarrant county man paid \$10 fine for violating the law, and the deputy for that county has reported same.

The shooting season opens on Friday and the deputy game wardens over the state expect to keep a close watch on hunters who are supposed to be game hogs. Any bags over the limit will get their owners into serious trouble. The law says the limit is twenty-five birds of all kinds, ducks included, for one day's sport for one man. A person killing over twenty-five is liable to prosecution. The law is construed to mean that a person is prohibited from killing twenty-five all told; that is, fifteen ducks and ten quail, would be the limit. Game birds can be hunted from

Nov. 1 to Feb. 1. Deer during the months of November and December, and only the bucks can be killed with a limit of three for any one hunter for the entire season. Does and fawns can not be shot. Wild turkey may be hunted during December, January and February, and a hunter is limited to killing three turkeys during the season.

In order to forestall the market hunter the law prohibits the transportation of game by railroads and express companies, except where the hunter who killed them makes affidavit to the effect and is taking not more than twenty-five birds home on the same train he travels on. The one exception is that seventy-five ducks may be shipped, but they must be on the same train with the man who killed them, and he must make affidavit that he killed them in three consecutive days and not more than twenty-five on each of the three days.

Another jolt at the border market or professional hunter is the provision which reads: "Whenever in this act the possession of any bird is prohibited, said prohibition shall apply equally to a bird coming from outside the State as to one within the state." This prevents killing game in Texas and claiming it was shipped from Mexico or other outside point. A recent case occurred at El Paso, where fifteen dozen ducks were seized on the Texas side near Ysleta destined to the overland market at El Paso. It was claimed that the ducks were from Mexico, etc., but prosecution will follow.

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## A SAD SCENE IN COURT.

"The Glory of Young Men is Their Strength"—A Pathetic Case.

Editor Courier:

Not long ago I sat within the bar of a criminal court. Armed by the sheriff, a young man was conducted to the prisoner's chair. For six months this young man, unable to give bond, had been behind prison walls. I was struck by his appearance. His sun had just dispelled the gray dawn of the morning, and was arching its way toward high noon. He was twenty-five. He would have attracted attention among a multitude of men. His collar was of the latest cut and his cravat was of the latest fashion. His brow was broad and high, and the light of intelligence flashed from a fine gray eye. Every feature was clearly cut. He appeared to stand forth in the full majesty of manhood, and the fashion of his form would have held spell-bound the chisel of a master. I wondered who he was, and how terrible was the accusation about to be brought against him. My curiosity was soon satisfied. He pleaded guilty to swindling. Pretending to be a detective, he had imposed on the credulity of a good woman, and falsely claimed to have located her missing husband. In this way he received from her a goodly sum of money. He was a confidence man and a thief. He said he was; he pleaded guilty to the charge. Two years was the lowest term; the jury gave him five. Some wanted to give him ten, the highest. The judge passed sentence on him, and he was conducted back to jail, from which he will soon be taken to serve five years in the penitentiary of Texas. He said he was an expert accountant and a bookkeeper and I was satisfied of his ability in this direction. He said he had a father in another state, but had never made known to him his condition, and never expected to. How dreadful is this picture! Yet such scenes are by no means rare throughout the country. The sentence of this young man was undoubtedly just,

for the inexorable demands of the law must be satisfied. All prophecy and all truth with unpalsied finger unerringly point the way of the transgressor and tell the story of violated law. Amid it all a feeling of extreme sadness came upon me. I thought of the rich young man whom Jesus loved. I thought of the possibilities within the young man who stood before me. I thought of him as the righteous barrister, who, rather than be found in dishonor, would trample his license in the dust. I thought of him as the conscientious physician, who would not falter to point toward the Great Physician beyond the radiant way of the stars. I thought of him as the honest merchant, who, rather than permit the use of a yard-stick in length less than thirty-six inches, would immolate his life. I thought of him as an evangel of the Lord, transfigured before me, a flaming fire among the nations of men. Truly "the glory of young men is their strength." He had the mental and physical strength, but the moral strength was not there. I shall never forget this young man. I had seen the beginning of his life, the opening flower; what was it to be when full blown and fruited! What of it when the book of life is closed and clasped forever! What then shall we say? The young men of America should be plainly told that character is worth more than cuffs and cravats. They should be told that fine principles beat fine pants. They must be made to understand that the glow of an honest countenance is a more priceless possession than the gloss of a patent leather shoe. They should be told that it is far better for a young man to go through the world poor and obscure, and preserve well his integrity and character, and finally find his grave under a vine for a monument in the potter's field, than to stand today in the shoes of Thaw and be buried in the tomb of the Caesars.

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Arrived too late to be offered in same. These goods, with those left over from our EMORY SALE, because of so much rain during its progress will be offered at prices that will cause you to forget about the decline in cotton. The greatest array of bargains which we will offer will put sunshine in your hearts, and make your steps elastic and your life happy and existence joyful.

### Our Grocery Department

Was overlooked by a great many during the progress of our Great Emory Mill Remnant Sale. The prices named therein are the greatest of Money savers. Get any one's prices on Groceries in Crockett, Texas, or anywhere in the great State of Texas and you will find by comparison with ours that you will save enough to buy a bedstead or some nice ornament for your home. Mentioning the bedstead makes us think of the beautiful line of FURNITURE that we have. Iron Bedsteads from \$1.98 up. Bureaus Dressers, Tables, Mattress Springs, Rocking Chairs. A piece added to the collection in your home would surely please those dear to you. Another thing we cannot refrain from talking to you about is our great line of "Darling" Cook Stoves, Heaters and Ranges. Don't you want to add another "Darling" to your home that will do your cooking nicely on the only condition that you feed it wood, you know.

Let the "Big Store" add to the comforts of your home  
and let the boys who come compare the prices of

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### The Crockett Courier

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#### PUBLISHER'S NOTICE.

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Belott.

Editor Courier:

We have just had a fine rain and everything is very wet.

I have just been reading C. S. Jones' letter, or Brother Jones I should have said. We are always glad to hear from our old friends who have lived in old Houston county, but we cannot keep from thinking that C. S. has become excitable since he reached this great farming country.

Now don't get excited over your new country, brother, for we would not be surprised at seeing you drive up our old lanes again at any time. I understand that you are thinking of going further west. We would be glad if you would stay where you are longer and tell us more about Jones county. How is that country for geese? Are you still raising Plymouth Rocks? Those you sold me are just fine.

I stated in my last letter from Belott signed W. O. W. "That Houston county was just as good as any other county," and "that a rolling stone gathered no moss." This I will repeat.

We feel sure that our friend Jones has made a fine crop and I feel glad and rejoice with him. If I had to rent I would want good land.

Now, Charley, you said if I would come out there you would show me the difference between a farm and a potato patch. Now we know who you are and will take your word for it, though we think you had better come to where the limbs on the trees are not so far apart or you can't get

to the first rest. Just let those fellows praise their own. Another thing Brother Jones said was "join the W. O. W. if it suits you, but if you have not got the principle in you to help your fellow-man the W. O. W. will not put it in you."

Now, Brother Charley, you had better put in your application and let us initiate you into Woodcraft and let us walk in the light of God. The writer will take a "later" and wait.

Success to the editor and Houston county. W. O. L.

#### IN DISTRICT COURT.

#### Two Convictions to Be Added to the List Published Last Week.

There have been four convictions in this term of the district court so far. Two of these were reported by the Courier last week. This week there are two to be added to the list already published. Proceedings in the district court for the past week are as follows:

State vs. Nolan Cornwall, charging burglary; Cornwall entered a plea of guilty and was assessed by the jury two years in the penitentiary.

State vs. Jim Cornwall, charging the same offense. Cornwall did not plead guilty and was assessed five years.

These two Cornwalls are brothers and they burglarized a house near the Trinity river, stealing a fish net and other things.

Sentence has been passed by Judge Gardner on four convicts as follows: Sam Fite and Nolan and Jim Cornwall, all white, and Isaiah Chandler, colored. They have accepted sentence and are ready for the transfer agent.

State vs. Fisher Clinton (colored)—theft from the person; acquitted.

State vs. Wm. Scott (colored)—same offense; dismissed.

State vs. Albert Hamby (white) same offense; dismissed.

State vs. W. N. Lane, charging murder; case taken up Monday morning and still on trial Wednesday evening.

#### Letter to Jno. McConnell, Crockett, Texas.

Dear Sir: Here is a tale with a point to it. Florida is the hardest state in the Union for paint.

Gilmore & Davis Co, Tallahassee, Florida, think they know what paint can do in their climate; they have been painting for 35 years, Devoe ten years—their words are: "Buildings we painted Devoe 10 years ago are in good condition of paint today."

They also say that lead-and-oil wears only one year there; Devoe 10 years!

Ten years is a long lifetime for for paint in Florida; longer than 20 in Maine. We don't dare say that either is true as a general fact in those States; but there are such instances.

If we should call the cost of Devoe in Florida half of the usual cost of paint, it would be too much; we suppose its about one third; there is so much trash there—the costliest paint is the worst, and the worst is the costliest everywhere.

Yours truly

F W DEVOE & CO  
P. S.—Murchison & Beasley sell our paint.

#### Obituary.

On the morning of Oct. 12, 1907, when it seemed the very breath of the flowers wafted prayers to our heavenly Father for His many blessings and love to us, came the sad message that Claude Hyde was dead.

We could scarcely realize at first it was true that our friend had left us. He was the youngest beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hyde, Sr., was born June 19, 1886, died Oct. 11, 1907; was converted and joined the Christian church at Midway, Texas, just one year ago.

Claude was just stepping within the portals of young manhood,



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bouyant with the hopes and prospects of a bright promising future. He was an honorable and upright young man, ambitious, industrious and untrifling in his efforts to improve his opportunities, and had his health permitted would have become a useful and desirable citizen of our community.

It is sad to think that one so young with such promising prospects in life should be called home, but we know God knows best although the affliction He sends upon us sometimes seems greater than we can bear. Seemingly his life work had just opened out before him, but God doeth all things best. If he has missed the joy of living and the many duties and pleasures of life he has also missed many pains and heartaches, trials and temptations which come into all lives. That should be a comforting thought. Look upward and forward, dear loved ones, and soon the parting will be o'er. Let his life be a beacon-light to guide you on your way from earth to heaven, bringing heaven nearer and turning all your thoughts to that bright home above where

parting is no more.

May God bless and comfort the bereaved ones.

He leaves a large circle of relatives and many friends to mourn his early death. A FRIEND.

#### Lest We

forget—Baby is restless, can't sleep at night, won't eat, cries spasmodically. A bottle of White Cream Vermifuge never fails to cure. Every mother should give her baby White's Cream Vermifuge. So many times when the baby is pale and fretful, the mother does not know what to do. A bottle of this medicine would bring color to his cheeks and laughter to his eyes. Give it a trial. For sale by Murchison & Beasley.

#### They Make You Feel Good.

The pleasant purgative effect experienced by all who use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and the healthy condition of the body and mind which they create makes one feel joyful. Price, 25 cents. Sample free at Murchison & Beasley.