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## Bran New Stock Of Furniture

Just received at the New Furniture Store. The prettiest stock ever seen in Crockett. Contains everything needed to furnish or decorate the home.

### You Must See This Stock To Appreciate It

We spent much time in selecting it, got our money's worth and are going to give you your money's worth. Let us prove it.

### We Are Undertakers

We have received two of the finest rubber tired hearses to be seen anywhere in the state and a full line of undertakers' goods, including everything. We hope you will not need our services, but if you do, they are at your command.

### We Are Here for Business

and if we can't get it all, we at least want a portion of it—that portion which we expect to merit by courteous and considerate treatment of our customers.

## New Furniture Store

DEUPREE & WALLER

#### Progress at Lobo.

Crockett, Texas, Sept. 13, 1910.  
To our Friends:

The following extract is taken from the El Paso Herald of September 10:

"Lobo, Texas, Sept. 9.—H. W. Vauchet went to El Paso Wednesday to get 12 brick layers to lay brick in the big hotel which is under construction.

The two story building will be finished this week and then the carpenters will begin on the De-Villeneuve residence, as the lumber is already on the ground.

The Stockholm residence will be the next building to be erected. Lumber is expected daily. The school building will be put up in time for school to begin in October.

The teamsters who are hauling the sand for the big hotel, will finish hauling the last of next week, as they have only about 150 wagon loads more to haul, which will make in all about 350 loads of sand and gravel."

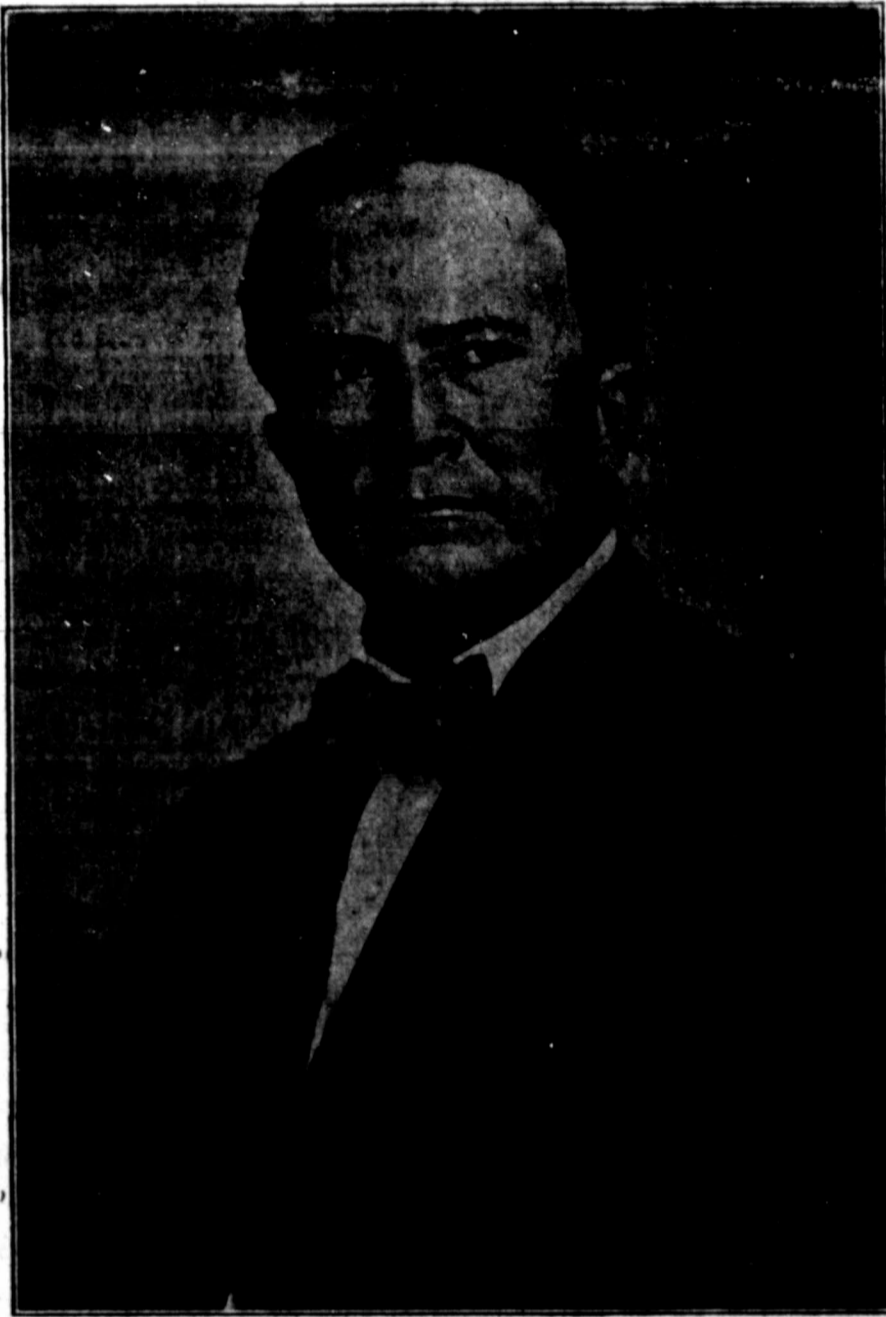
Thus it will be seen that Lobo is coming to the front and that we are carrying out our part of the contract just as fast as human agency can put together our plans.

Yours truly,  
Lobo Land & Irrigation Co.

#### For the State Senate.

The Courier this week announces the name of Hon. J. J. Blount of Anderson county as a candidate for the state senate, subject to the action of the coming special primary. Mr. Blount is well known in Houston county, having made the race against A. W. Gregg for congress four years ago. He served in the 29th legislature as the representative from Anderson county, defeating Judge S. A. McMeans for that office. He won considerable notoriety while a member of the legislature by setting an alarm clock so that it would "go off" when a representative's time for making a speech had expired, thus safe-guarding the interests of the people from those who would pilfer their pockets and fatten their own by prolonging unnecessarily the sessions of the legislature. He also won considerable notoriety by his introduction of what was termed "Blount's fish and squirrel law." He made a good representative for Anderson county. Mr. Blount asks his opponents for a division of time and is willing to enter into joint discussions with them.

I will pay 6 to 7 cents a pound for green cow hides and 10 to 12 cents a pound for dry hides.  
tf. B. L. Satterwhite.



#### TOWNSEND AT JACKSONVILLE.

#### Lufkin Candidate for the State Senate Outlined Policies Before a Large Audience Saturday.

Jacksonville, Texas, Sept. 10.—For more than an hour to-day Judge W. J. Townsend Jr. of Lufkin, candidate for state senator to succeed C. C. Stokes, deceased, spoke to a large and enthusiastic audience in the opera house on the political issues of the campaign. He was introduced in a highly complimentary manner by Judge J. C. Box, who told the people they would make no mistake in electing Little Jim Townsend, as he is familiarly known throughout the district. Judge Townsend favored taking the penitentiary and other state institutions out of politics and placing them on a business basis. He advocated the operation of the iron industry at Rusk, stating that the state had invested too much money in the property there to now abandon it, and cited an instance where a Pennsylvania party had made application to the railway commission for a rate on iron ore from Jefferson, Texas, to Galveston, where the ore would be re-shipped to Pennsylvania and there manufactured into the finished product. Certainly, he said, that if this could be done the state should be able to operate the plant at a profit with convict labor and furnace and ore land already paid for.

He stated that if elected he would vote for and urge the submission of a constitutional amendment to the voters for the prohibition of the sale of intoxicating liquors within the state, and promised that if elected he would not jump the platform, as did some of the members elected two years ago on a submission platform. He stated that he had always been a democrat and believed in abiding

by the platform, and when he could not obey the principles declared for in the platform he would resign his office.

If elected another point on which he laid considerable stress was that he would favor simplifying the criminal and civil procedure of the laws in this state, stating that there was now too much red tape in our laws and too many loopholes justifying the reversal of cases. He believed that a verdict of a jury should be respected, and not reversed for a mere technicality, as is now often the case.

He furthermore advocated the elimination of the pauper's oath from the present law, which requires that every time a confederate soldier draws his pay he should swear that he is a pauper. His remedy was to give the commissioners court the authority to determine the merit of such matters and not embarrass the old soldier, as is now the case.

In conclusion he contended that Angelina County had never since its organization been honored with a representative in the upper branch of the legislature, that Anderson, Cherokee and Houston had furnished all the senators, and asked the voters to pass the pie around to Angelina County this time. Judge Townsend made a good impression and he was throughout his address enthusiastically applauded. He left here for Forrest, where he spoke to-night.—Adv.

#### Last of the Season.

Popular excursion to Houston and Galveston via I. & G. N., Saturday, September 17th, 1910.

Excursion tickets will be sold for trains arriving Galveston and Houston Saturday afternoon, Sept. 17th and Sunday morning, Sept. 18th. Limit returning leave Galveston or Houston Monday, September 19th.

For further information see ticket agent.

#### PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE OF UNCLE HIRAM

As Related to One of Our Subscribers.

On my way to the county seat to buy our fall supplies, and night overtaking me, found it convenient to drop in, kerplunk, on my old and prosperous friend, Uncle Hiram, who is well quartered in an elegant home on easy street. After partaking of a sumptuous repast, and noting, particularly, how this man's condition had changed in the last two years, we repaired to his east porch, where I got him to tell me about these miraculous changes and how he had come from poverty to independence, and this was his story: He said, "I used to be in very hard circumstances, had to put my feet on top of my head to make ends meet, but you know I am no quitter and I just kept hitting the ball and did not wait for the cows to back up and be milked, because I knew if I did and stopped and waited for Gabriel to toot his trombone that nothing would ever be done, but," says he, "the thing to which I attribute most of my success is buying at the right place.

"I used to buy any and everywhere, but now I do all my trading with Moore & Shivers, for they certainly are the people to get your goods from, as they are always looking out for the best interest of their customers. Just for your information, will tell you that their buyer has just returned from Memphis, Tenn., and bought a whopper stock from Lowenstein & Bro., who are closing out their business, and they bought of this firm at from 20 to 30 per cent cheaper than they could buy elsewhere, and I have just been to town and laid in our fall supplies and I must say that I never bought stuff as cheap in my life. I was surprised.

"I used to be as bald as an egg, but I am now wearing one of their \$2.00 'Best' hats that I get for \$1.50, and my hair is coming back in great profusion. All of my folks have ceased to be dressed in Adamic fashion, because we buy good old calico at 5c per yard; good yard-wide brown domestic at 6½c; yard-wide bleaching, free from starch, at 7c; good outings at 8½c; a good French style suspender at 15c per pair; 3 pairs ladies' black hose for 25c; 75c shirts for 50c; \$1.00 shirts for 75c; 65c knee pants for 40c; and shoes, why we used to all go barefooted half the time and paid more for shoes than we do now, and spent more for footgear than we do now and go shod all the time. We buy a ladies' \$2.00 shoe for \$1.45, a \$2.50 shoe for \$2.00 and shoes for children and men that will tickle your feet and scarcely molest the pocket book. To tell you all about everything would astound you, but I suppose you know enough now to do your trading at the right place.

"So, young man," says Uncle Hiram, "if you want to get on easy street, do like I have done. Don't let old age catch you in poverty, but buy your dry goods, notions, shoes, hats, hardware, groceries and farm supplies from that OLD RELIABLE FIRM, Moore & Shivers, and you can't miss the right end of the horn."

(To be continued.)

THE BIG STORE

# BARGAINS GALORE

# AT THE BIG STORE

Our buyer has just returned from the great eastern markets where he purchased enormous lots of the world's greatest and newest bargains of every kind. The goods are arriving now on every train and are, we think, the prettiest by far of any ever shown in Crockett, and the prices, compared with the times, are lower than we expected. Therefore you need not stand back on account of high prices at the Big Store. We expect to eliminate them altogether.

We have the latest in combs and brushes of every kind, also sweet soaps and toilet articles.

Also the newest in dress goods, in wool voile and panamas, in black and in colors; in grenadines in all the latest colors and figures.

**SPECIAL TO CLOSE OUR LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR SUMMER SUITS**

Our \$15.00 suits now	- - -	\$9.50
Our 12.50 suits now	- - -	7.00
Our 10.00 suits now	- - -	6.00
Our 7.50 suits now	- - -	5.00
Our 5.00 suits now	- - -	3.25
Our 4.00 suits now	- - -	2.50

We have the latest in the new Oriental silks in all colors and stripes at very low prices. Don't fail to see them.

We also have the newest creations in plaited Oriental Dutch collars. These are very pretty indeed, and will not be in stock long, so come early if you want to see them.

VERY TRULY

# Jas. S. Shivers & Company

THE BIG STORE

**ANNOUNCEMENTS.**

The Courier is authorized to make the following announcements subject to the action of a democratic primary:

- For State Senator, 13th District  
W. J. Townsend, Jr.,  
of Angelina county
- G. R. Fowler  
of Anderson county
- J. J. Blount  
of Anderson county

**DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.**

- For Congress, 7th District  
A. W. Gregg
- For Representative  
Dr. J. B. Smith
- For County Attorney  
B. F. Dent
- For County Judge  
E. Winfree
- For County Clerk  
O. C. Goodwin
- For District Clerk  
Joe Brown Stanton
- For Tax Assessor  
John H. Ellis
- For Tax Collector  
A. L. (Gus) Goolsby
- For County Treasurer  
W. H. Bayne
- For Sheriff  
A. W. Phillips
- County Superintendent of Schools  
J. F. Mangum
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1  
S. H. Lively
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2  
G. R. (Ross) Murchison
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3  
J. A. Harrelson
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4  
J. M. Creasy
- For Justice of the Peace, Prec't 1  
E. M. Callier
- For Justice of the Peace, Prec't 6  
J. G. Webb
- For Constable, Precinct No. 1  
E. J. (Bob) Spence
- For Constable, Precinct No. 4  
R. J. (Bob) Wills

**IN DEMOCRATIC COLUMN**

**State of Blaine and Reed Turns a Political Somersault.**

Portland, Maine, Sept. 12.—There was no uncertainty in the voice with which Maine today recorded her preference for governor and her attitude on the issues of the campaign generally, the plurality given to Frank Plaisted of Augusta, democrat, being decidedly large, while three out of four congressional districts, which are ordinarily strongly republican, returned democratic candidates.

Early returns also indicated that the legislature might be democratic and elect a democrat as successor to United States Senator Hale.

In the face of the sweeping democratic victory, the republican leaders were overwhelmed with surprise, and the magnitude of their success astonished even the most sanguine of democrats. It was the first beating the republicans of Maine, the state of Blaine and Reed, had had in thirty years, and by a coincidence Harris M. Plaisted, father of the late successful candidate, was Maine's last democratic governor in the year 1881.

Asher C. Hinds of Portland, parliamentary clerk of the house of representatives, was defeated for congress in the First Congressional District, while Congressman Burleigh, in the Third District and Congressman Swazey in the Second, also went down to defeat.

Colonel Plaisted, the governor-elect, goes up to the capital with a plurality larger than that given two years ago to his defeated republican opponent, Governor Bert M. Fernald of Poland. Colonel Plaisted was born in

Bangor in 1864. He ran for mayor of Augusta five times and won four elections.

**Speaking Dates.**

Editor Courier:  
Judge Townsend and I will speak together in Houston County at the following places and on the following dates:  
Kennard City, Thursday, Sept. 15, at 3 P. M.  
Ratcliff, Thursday, Sept. 15, at 8:30 P. M.  
Augusta, Friday, Sept. 16, at 8:30 p. m.  
Crockett, Saturday, Sept. 17, at 8:30 p. m.  
Antioch, Monday, Sept. 19, at 8 p. m.  
Lovelady, Monday, Sept. 19, at 8:30 p. m.  
Weldon, Tuesday, Sept. 20, at 8:30 p. m.  
Creek, Wednesday, Sept. 21, at 8:30 p. m.  
Porter Springs, Thursday, Sept. 22, at 8:30 p. m.  
Percilla, Friday, Sept. 23, at 8:30 p. m.  
Grapeland, Saturday, Sept. 24, at 8:30 p. m.  
Yours very truly,  
G. R. Fowler.

**Waters Pierce Pays Fine.**

Guthrie, Okla., Sept. 11.—The first one-third payment of its \$75,000 fine on confessed judgment before the Garfield County district court, for violations of the Oklahoma anti-trust law, has been made by the Waters Pierce Oil Company. The state receives of the total \$50,000, County Attorney McKeever and ex-County Attorney Huett of Garfield County receive \$7,500 each, and Garfield County receives \$10,000. The second payment is to be made at the end of six months, and the final payment three months later. The

state's part of the initial payment was \$16,666.66, which was delivered to State Treasurer Menefee Tuesday last. Under the law the attorney general receives no portion of such fines, his allowance being only the salary fixed by the constitution.

Your complexion as well as your temper is rendered miserable by a disordered liver. By taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets you can improve both. Sold by Murchison-Beasley Drug Co.

**Victory Over Special Interests.**

Milwaukee, Sept. 7.—In a statement today Senator LaFollette in explanation of the overwhelming defeat of the standpat element in Wisconsin said: "It shows the people are awake to their interests and determined to restore representative government.

"This splendid victory is nothing personal. It is a declaration by the people that they choose to rule themselves and no longer suffer themselves to be dominated by the special interests."

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**Shupak Tailoring**  
**Company**

and are now prepared to do all kinds of cleaning, pressing, dyeing and repairing.

We also have four hundred new fall and winter samples from which you will have no trouble in selecting your suit. Prices are right, fit guaranteed. Call and see our display of woollens.

**Arledge Tailoring Company**

Telephone 159



## Circumstantial Evidence Is the Weakest Kind

By ROGER A. PRYOR, Supreme Court Justice of New York.

CIRCUMSTANTIAL, INFERENTIAL EVIDENCE IS THE WEAKEST KIND OF EVIDENCE ON WHICH TO DEPRIVE A HUMAN BEING OF LIFE OR LIBERTY.

An instance or two will illustrate the danger inherent in circumstantial evidence.

On a recent date in New York a young man committed suicide in a theater, and his father-in-law, overcome with horror, ran from the box, to ALL APPEARANCES HIMSELF THE SLAYER.

Had it not been for a note found in the dead man's vest pocket stating that business troubles led him to commit suicide his gray haired companion would have had a HARD TASK IN PROVING HIS INNOCENCE IN FACE OF HIS HURRIED DEPARTURE and the revolver on the floor some distance from the wounded man.

Another case was at Tours, France. An aged ragpicker confessed to killing five children whose father years before had DIED IN CONFINEMENT UPON CONVICTION OF THE CRIME.

A strong presumption of guilt was held to exist against the father of the dead children because he had ASPIRED TO THE HAND OF A YOUNG WIDOW WHO FROWNED ON HIS SUIT in view of the incumbrance of so large a family.

IT IS A COMMON SAYING THAT CIRCUMSTANCES CAN'T LIE, BUT THE MAN WHO TESTIFIES CAN LIE.

Moreover, people can DRAW WRONG INFERENCES.

So my conclusion is that circumstantial evidence is, in fact, the WEAKEST KIND.

## People Should Know What They Want Before They Want It.

They Can't Take Place of Their Own Representatives.

By JACOB GOULD SCHURMAN, President of Cornell University.

IN the ancient world government by the people directly, by popular assembly, led in Greece to destruction and in Rome to despotism. The salvation of both might have been found in a system of representative government.

IN A DEMOCRACY LIKE OURS THE PEOPLE WILL IN THE END HAVE WHAT THEY WANT. BUT LET THE PEOPLE FIRST CAREFULLY DETERMINE WHAT THEY DO WANT. REASON AND DELIBERATION ARE ESSENTIAL.

THE REASON WHY THE PEOPLE CAN'T TAKE THE PLACE OF THEIR OWN REPRESENTATIVES IN LEGISLATION AND ADMINISTRATION IS THAT THERE ARE FAR TOO MANY PEOPLE TO ACT AND FAR TOO MANY AND TOO COMPLICATED AFFAIRS FOR THIS MULTITUDINOUS POPULATION TO ATTEND TO.

In America as in Rome the end would be a paralysis of public business, from which the demagogue would emerge a dictator or despot.

Deviations from the system of representative government in favor of direct government by the people are new in the United States.

Direct government by the people is POSSIBLE ONLY FOR LOCALITIES IN WHICH THE PEOPLE ARE NOT TOO NUMEROUS TO COME TOGETHER. The town meeting is the natural organ of such direct popular government. When the state as a whole is involved direct government is impossible. Government by selected delegates or representatives then becomes absolutely indispensable.

What is true of the people of the state as a whole is true of that large portion of them which forms a political party. The party business of a town or village or district of modern size may be TRANSACTED DIRECTLY BY THE LOCAL MEMBERS OF THE PARTY, and they may also make direct nominations for local offices. But when the party business or the party nominations concern the state as a whole the matter must be REFERRED TO A GENERAL ASSEMBLY or convention composed of delegates elected by the members of the party in their several localities.

## Time Has Come When We Must Economize.

By RICHARD A. BALLINGER, Secretary of the Interior.

EVERY ACRE OF AGRICULTURAL LAND IN THE UNITED STATES IS BOUND TO BE NEEDED TO RAISE FOOD PRODUCTS FOR OUR OWN PEOPLE.

The time is past in this country when we can SKIM THE CREAM and ignore a system for making the BEST USE OF everything we have.

While in the past we may have seemed wasteful, we have also been progressive. The time has now come when we have GOT TO BE ECONOMICAL, and we must USE COMMON SENSE in the handling of the resources we have. That is all there is in conservation.

### STATE FAIR HORSE SHOW.

Splendid Program Arranged—\$5,000 in Premiums Offered.

Dallas, Texas.—One of the great features of the twenty-fifth annual meeting of the State Fair of Texas at Dallas, which opens October 15 and continues sixteen days, will be the four night horse shows. These shows will be given on the four last week-nights of the Fair. Prices totalling \$4,200 in value will be distributed. The prizes aggregate \$1,350 for roadsters, \$1,500 for heavy harness horses, and \$1,350 for saddle horses. In addition liberal prizes are offered for horses of all ages in the breeding classes.

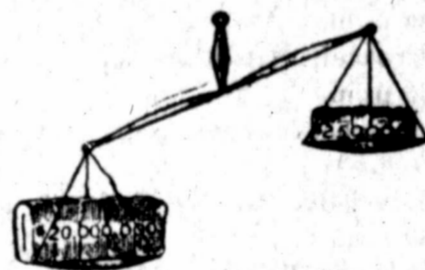
Automobiles will never usurp the place of the saddle horse. The splendid animal need fear no rival in the popularity enjoyed with all classes. Those participating in the show race at the Fair this year must show five distinct gaits, viz: First walk; second, trot; third, rack; fourth, canter; fifth, running walk, fox-trot or slow pace, if they desire to show for some of the richest premiums offered.

The Fair management is especially gratified at the number of applications made for entering heavy harness horses. Some of the great fanciers of the North and East are coming. A telegram was received from W. E. Brown of New York, asking that a list of prizes be sent him. He notified the management that some of the horses participating in the Madison Square show in New York will be sent to Dallas.

Brilliant, indeed, promises to be the horse shows. They will be given in the new coliseum arena, which is 90x150 feet in dimensions. A splendid program will be rendered between each ring by Thavus' band; and, in addition, Cimmiott's troop of Arabian horses will give a variety to the exhibition.

### Markets

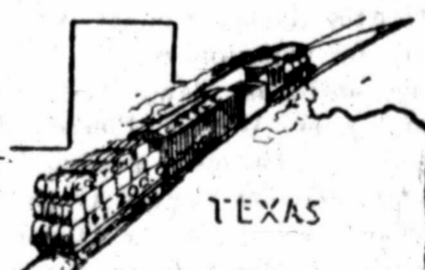
It is as important to properly market as it is to properly raise farm products. We are a producing country and therefore interested in markets and market facilities for our products. The world's average is two acres of cultivated land per capita while in Texas we have seven acres of cultivated land per capita leaving a surplus production of five acres of cultivated land for each individual which must be sold. The world's average in consumption of cotton is thirteen bales per 1,000 population; in Texas we raise one thousand bales of cotton per one thousand population or one bale per capita. We have a surplus production of 987 bales of cotton per one thousand population for sale. Texas produces 20 per cent of the cotton of the world and on a per capita basis uses one fourth of one per cent. We not only produce a large surplus but, through lack of diversification, concentrate our production—making a deficit in certain lines of production, equally as abnormal as our surplus production in other lines. We are a people of producers and interested in receiving a high price for our products. An increase of one cent per pound in the market price of cotton on 1908 basis of production will place in the hands of the Texas producers of cotton \$20,000,000 and take out of the pockets of the Texas consumers of cotton goods \$200,000 leaving a trade balance of \$19,800,000 in our favor, says the Texas Commercial Secretaries' Association.



"Balance in Favor of Texas Producer."

Our prosperity depends upon the producer getting a high price for his products. The Farmers Associations, Fruit and Truck Growers Associations and all organizations and influences that tend to raise the price of products should be encouraged by all the people.

Texas is more seriously in need of factories than perhaps any other state in the union. Our principle products are cotton and cattle and the entire output of the cotton field and the ranch must pass through the factory before it is consumed. The Texas farmers ship \$1,200,000 of raw material daily to the factories out side the state and buy a portion of this back as a consumer.



"Raw Material Leaving Texas Daily."

The farmer must pay the freight to the factory and although his products my cross the ocean he must foot the bill every mile of the way. By moving the factory to Texas we move the market to Texas, and eliminate the expense of transportation.

## TEXAS STATE FAIR BEGINS OCTOBER 15

Great Preparations Being Made For Twenty-Fifth Meeting.

### SUPERB IMPROVEMENTS.

Coliseum, Industrial Arts Building, Kennel and Dairy Structures Among Those Erected This Year.

Dallas, Texas.—In making its twenty-fifth annual bow to the citizenry of the Southwest the management of the State Fair of Texas takes pride in the announcement that for the exposition of 1910, which begins October 15 and continues sixteen days, greater preparations are being made than for any previous meeting.

It is a herculean task—that of preparing for each annual event of the State Fair of Texas. Not only do President E. J. Kleist and his directors contribute their time and effort gratis for the benefit of the institution, but they do not hesitate to spend money out of their own pockets for its success. Why? Because they realize that the State Fair of Texas now ranks at the head of institutions of its kind in the country. But, in order to keep up with the marvelous development of Texas and the entire Southwest, it is necessary to expend a vast sum of money each year for permanent improvements, the installation of new departments and to keep the already superb State Fair plant in good repair.

### Task a Vast One.

Few people realize the vast amount of labor there is to this task of getting in readiness for each annual meeting. President Kleist has divided this into three parts under the head of improvements, entertainments and exhibitions. Assisted by his directors he adopts a general plan, covering each department and prepares a budget for expenses from that of erecting a hundred thousand dollar building to that of the prize to be awarded in the exhibition of women's handiwork.

Secretary Sydney Smith and Assistant Secretary Ben E. Cabell are in direct charge of the details of all improvement work. Both are well known to State Fair patrons. The former has been with the Fair almost continuously since its initial meet. He is deemed the best authority on State Fair topics in America, and it is no unusual thing for him to receive a letter from Virginia, New York or Washington asking for the details of the organization of the present State Fair of Texas. Many Fairs have been modeled after the Dallas plan, and among them may be mentioned the Louisiana State Fair.

### Nature of Monument.

One can easily understand the position of President E. J. Kleist and his directors. The Fair is in the nature of a monument to them. It will live long after they are gone, hence their desire that it prosper and improve each year. The personnel of the board of directors is: Alex Sanger, F. F. Silney, J. C. Duke, J. J. Eckford, W. I. Yopp, W. H. Gaston, A. P. Tenison, Sam P. Cochran, Royal A. Ferris, James Moroney, R. E. L. Knight and Sam T. Morgan.

Despite the fact that last year the net receipts showed a considerable decrease over that of the Fair of 1908, the management this year is expending a larger sum for permanent improvements than ever before. The management is convinced that at the coming Fair the attendance will be record-breaking. All indications point to such; and, to this end, the best attractions obtainable will be provided for the entertainment of the crowds.

### A Great Coliseum.

In listing the improvements this year the coliseum, as a matter of course, comes first in importance. Built of steel, face brick and ornamental cement stone, it is one of the handsomest buildings on the grounds. Visitors to the Fair of 1909 will remember that the Fine Arts and Textile building occupies an admirable site between the Main Entrance and the Exposition building. Upon entering the grounds this year they will find that a structure costing \$110,000 has been erected between the Fine Arts building and the Main Entrance. It is 150x250 feet in dimension. It has an arena 90x150 feet in size. It can be used for conventions, music hall attractions, horse shows, and, in fact, assemblages of various kinds.

In the coliseum during the Fair will be given band and operatic programs three times daily—morning, afternoon and evening. A long list of the Music Hall attractions have been secured; and, in fact, the very best obtainable in America.

### Industrial Arts.

The Industrial Arts building at the Fair grounds is now completed. It will fill a long needed want. It is 30x200 feet in dimension, and is constructed of cement stone and brick. Every foot of space in this new structure has already been secured by various manufacturing concerns of the state. With the aim of impressing Texans with the advancement of the manufacturing industry of the state, manufacture factories in operation will be exhibited and the State Fair visitor will have an opportunity of inspecting the making of shoes, brooms, harness, etc.

As a great dairy state Texas is rapidly forging to the front. The management last year realized the neces-

sity of erecting a special building for this department. This need is met this year with a handsome structure located near the dairy cattle division. The latest in dairy machinery will be installed and will be seen in operation each week day during the Fair. The newest and best ideas in the industry will be demonstrated here. There will be many new features, including a demonstration and contest in butter making, short essays on timely topics, dairy photographs and dairy building plans.

There is to be a dog show at the Fair this fall. It promises to be the Mecca of many visitors. A new building is now in the course of erection to house this show. It will be fitted with every convenience known to the dog show world. Benches, sufficient to take care of three to five hundred representatives of the bluest-blooded canine families in America. Some of the most famous kennels in America will be represented.

### Rich Premium List.

Premiums that will be awarded in the various departments this year will total in the neighborhood of \$95,000. Purses and stakes in the racing department, with the tournament prizes added, will be between \$45,000 and \$50,000. In the livestock department, in addition to the rich gold and silver trophies that will be awarded, the awards will exceed \$25,000 in value. For the four night horse shows alone \$5000 has been appropriated. The cash prizes for Herefords amount to \$2180; for Shorthorns, \$2070; for Red Polled, \$1115; for Polled Durhams, \$1265; for Aberdeen Angus, \$760.

Every pen in the swine division of the livestock department has been applied for. The exhibitions promise to eclipse that of any previous Fair. Eight breeds will be well represented. In addition to the special prizes and trophies, they will receive \$416, respectively.

The Essex and Berkshire breeds promise to be the best represented, judging by the applications already in. In fact, the livestock exhibition promises to be of far-reaching benefit to the industry in the Southwest.

### Pain and Sudden Death.

In angina pectoris, agony spasm of the heart, there are two chief features—pain and sudden death. The pain is coming and going, intense, peculiar, strange, awful, usually in the chest around the heart and spreading into the shoulders and abdomen. Death, which comes in a higher percentage than in any other known disease, for few ever get over it, is usually sudden, often, as the poet says, "life struck sharp on death." There are indeed in this disease many mysteries remaining to be cleared up. A father and his four children have died of angina pectoris.—New York Press.

### At Sea.

A man was discovered one evening by a friend leaning disconsolately over the rail of a transatlantic steamer. "Are you waiting for the moon to rise?" asked the friend facetiously. "No," was the savage reply. "I have not swallowed the moon."—Los Angeles Times.

### A Fine Distinction.

A small boy in the village school when writing a composition on "Quakers" wound up by saying, "Quakers never quarrel, never get into a fight, never claw and never scratch." Then he added, "Paw is a Quaker, but I really don't think maw is."—Delineator.

## HILDA THE HELPER

### V.—She Is Progressive

Hilda the Helper always stood for EVERYTHING PROGRESSIVE. Whenever any plan was good her zeal was quite excessive.



She urged the cleaning of the streets, improvements in the paving. "Such things," she said, "there's nothing beats, for SPENDING HERE IS SAVING."

She made old Skimps repaint his fence and Scrooge repair his stable. Her zeal for progress was immense, and this is not a fable.

# The Crockett Courier

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## PUBLISHER'S NOTICE.

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## La Follette Reviews Recent Primary.

By Robert La Follette.  
Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 9.—The primary of 1910 writes a new page in political history. It strengthens confidence in the wisdom and stability of a people's government. It places service to the public above "party solidarity." It repudiates federal dictation. It rebukes bribery and corruption. It gives fair warning to jackpot statesmen to call in their agents, lock up and go home.

When it is possible to make the issue plain and direct between democracy and moneyocracy, public interest and special interest, progressive and tory, when candidates and issues are known through and through, and there is no element or factor tending to obscure or confuse, Wisconsin is overwhelmingly independent and progressive.

The long struggle in this state has cleared the vision and pointed the way for the citizen; money, position, power, patronage, false party ideals are no longer to be feared. The voter of Wisconsin can take care of himself.

Lacking the means to meet legitimate expenses, the progressive campaign was a direct appeal to patriotism.

The effect of the whole campaign as conducted by the progressive press, the progressive speakers and managers, and the remarkable result achieved, will aid powerfully in the centest now on throughout the country.

The voters of the first progressive state in the union have planted the flag far afield. They are ready, they are waiting, they will not be denied complete self-government. They demand that progressive statutes be strengthened and laws enacted clothing the citizen with such power as shall make more secure for all time "government by the people and for the people."

## The Capitol of Texas.

Austin, Texas, Sept. 12.—Those who are accustomed to think of Texas only as a country of magnificent distances and to regard the people as primitive in their pursuits should visit the state Capitol at Austin and view this splendid triumph in architecture, says the Texas Commercial Secretaries Association. It is the largest state Capitol in the United States and approaches the national capitol in area and excels it in grandeur. It is the seventh largest building in the world. It was built exclusively from Texas materials and stands as a magnificent monument to the matchless and varied resources of our great state. To erect this building the state gave the contractors a block of counties equal in area to the grant which King James gave to the Earl of Warwick in 1630 to establish a colony in America and which is now the state of Connecticut. A description of the building follows:

The Capital Building measures 600 feet from East to West; from North to South it measures 287 feet; from the ground to the top of the dome 313 feet; the Texas Capitol is 6 feet higher than the National Capitol, the latter being only 307 feet; the outside of the

Texas Capitol is built of finest red granite secured from the quarries in Burnett county, Texas; the quality and beauty of the material are equal to any in the world; wainscoting in the Capital is of Oak, Cherry, Walnut, Pine, Ash, Cedar and Mahogany; the total length of the wainscoting is eight miles; the building alone covers three acres, the floor space in the building covering 20 acres; the Capitol was built by a Chicago firm of contractors who received 3,000,000 acres of Panhandle land for compensation; construction was begun on the building in 1882 and was completed in 1886; in the grounds of the Capitol there are 22 acres, 4 acres of walks and 4 acres of drives; among the attractions of the grounds at our state capitol are artificial lakes, plants and flowers of all kinds, monuments to Confederate soldiers, the Alamo, Firemen and the Texas Rangers.

## State Ranger Forces May Be Given Shake-Up.

Austin, Texas, Sept. 5.—It is more than likely that an effort will be made by the next legislature for a reorganization of the state ranger force, and just what attitude Governor-elect Colquitt will assume toward the state rangers can not be foretold at this time. However, Mr. Colquitt during his late campaign for governor strenuously opposed the policy of Governor Campbell in sending out rangers to various communities in the state to enforce the liquor, gambling and other laws, and if Governor Colquitt maintains this same attitude when he enters upon his duties as governor, there may be a reduction in the forces or a change all around. It is said that the governor has a right to abolish this service altogether, but it is not generally believed that this will be done, but the rangers may be given other instructions regarding their future course. There is plenty for the rangers to do without being dispatched to certain parts of the state to enforce the laws, which function properly belongs to the local police force and constabulary. Again the ranger in Texas is an established institution, and the ordinary mortal has come to look upon this state police with respect, and in some instances with fear. The very presence of two rangers in a community where a riot is threatened or a mob is about to accomplish its purpose, has a salutary effect and often prevents serious disaster and bloodshed, consequently the attitude of the new governor toward the maintenance of the rangers will be watched with considerable interest.

## A Good Position

Can be had by ambitious young men and ladies in the field of "Wireless" or Railway telegraphy. Since the 8-hour law became effective, and since the Wireless companies are establishing stations throughout the country there is a great shortage of telegraphers. Positions pay beginners from \$70 to \$90 per month, with good chance of advancement. The National Telegraph Institute operates six official institutes in America, under supervision of R. R. and Wireless officials and places all graduates into positions. It will pay you to write them for full details at Memphis, Tenn., or Columbia, S. C. 5t

Don't waste your money buying plasters when you can get a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment for twenty-five cents. A piece of flannel dampened with this liniment is superior to any plaster for lame back, pains in the side and chest, and much cheaper. Sold by Murchison-Beasley Drug Co.

## Candidates For Senator.

Jacksonville, Tex., Sept. 7.—Judge W. J. Townsend Jr., candidate for the state senate, is making a series of speeches in this county. He stated that he had hoped to meet Captain Fowler, his opponent, as he had furnished him with a list of his appointments for this week, but understood that Captain Fowler was campaigning in Trinity County. Information reached here today to the effect that no candidate was indorsed by the prohibition mass meeting held at Palestine yesterday. A resolution was adopted reciting that inasmuch as there were only two candidates, one a prohibitionist and the other an anti-prohibitionist, there was no necessity for making an indorsement, and the meeting adjourned without formally taking any action.

A resolution, however, was offered indorsing Judge J. W. Madden of Crockett, but after considerable discussion the friends of Judge Madden withdrew his name from the meeting. The mass meeting was called at a time when it was thought there would be several candidates favoring prohibition with a view of eliminating all save one prohibition candidate, but since it is understood that Judge Townsend's views on the whiskey issue are satisfactory to the prohibitionists no further effort will be made by the prohibitionists to bring out another candidate.

## Pros Held a Meeting.

A number of prohibition democrats of this senatorial district met in the court house here yesterday afternoon in answer to a call issued several days ago, to discuss the nomination or indorsement of a candidate to fill the unexpired term of the late Senator C. C. Stokes. However, after the meeting had been called, and Judge A. A. Aldrich had been made chairman and Judge J. F. Weeks secretary, and after a general discussion it was decided to adjourn without taking any action. This decision was reached in face of the fact that some announcements for the office had already been made, and for the further reason that the meeting was not considered well enough attended to be representative. The fight will be left open to the individuals who may see proper to announce for the office.—Anderson County Herald.

## Trade in Cobwebs.

In Europe, especially in France and Germany, there exists quite a trade in cobwebs to be applied to bottles of wine thought to call for that additional evidence of age.

The dealer who furnishes cobwebs to the wine sellers has likewise a liquor that softens and colors the cork to make it assume the stains of time.

These cobwebs are not spread upon bottles without due preparation. They are previously steeped in gum in order that they may the more readily adhere to the bottle.

When they have been laid upon the bottle a little soot is sprinkled upon them, which final touch completes the desired appearance of great age.—New York Press.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is today the best known medicine in use for the relief and cure of bowel complaints. It cures griping, diarrhoea, dysentery, and should be taken at the first unnatural looseness of the bowels. It is equally valuable for children and adults. It always cures. Sold by Murchison-Beasley Drug Co.

# The Health of the Home



depends very much on the perfection—or otherwise—of the plumbing in the house. If properly done in an up-to-date and scientific fashion, the chances are the atmosphere of the home will be pure, but if otherwise, no one can tell how soon sickness will break out as a result. To insure perfect and thorough plumbing let us do it for you at reasonable cost.

## C. A. CLINTON, Plumbing and Supplies.

Just Received Two Car Loads of Men,  
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# SHOES

Including the Budweiser line for men and a nice assortment for the ladies. These shoes were personally selected by me, were bought cheap and will be sold cheap. See me before buying your winter shoes.

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is made to supply the demand for a ready roofing that will fulfill all the exacting requirements of this article. Its qualities of absolute waterproofing and fire-resisting commend it to all who want a first-class article. For sale by all dealers

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Watch the kidney secretions. See that they have the amber hue of health;

The discharges not excessive or infrequent; Contain no "brick dust like" sediment.

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Rev. R. H. Crozier, 515 Church St., Palestine, Texas, says: "I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills as a splendid remedy for kidney disorders. For several years I was annoyed by a weakness of my kidneys, particularly noticeable during cold weather. Doan's Kidney Pills quickly rid me of this annoyance, and I believe they will do as much for other persons."

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"Can be depended upon" is an expression we all like to hear, and when it is used in connection with Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy it means that it never fails to cure diarrhoea, dysentery or bowel complaints. It is pleasant to take and equally valuable for children and adults. Sold by Murchison-Beasley Drug Co.

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## GRADUATED WITH HONORS.

### Son of Former Crockett Citizen Completes Eight Months Business Course in Six.

Mr. W. A. Champion today received a message from his son, Norborn Champion, who has been attending the Poughkeepsie Business college, saying that he had passed the final examination at the head of his class and would leave for home tomorrow by water and would arrive in New Orleans on the 12th instant. Norborn has finished an eight months' course in six months and the fact that he has accomplished this demonstrates that he is a young man of excellent mind and that he has been studious during the six months that he has been attending this old and widely famed institution of learning. Norborn has always been popular with the business men of Corsicana, and prior to going to Poughkeepsie held a prominent position in the Corsicana National bank. Those who know him are not surprised at his present achievement, for he is moral, attentive to duty and is imbued with those qualities out of which first-class men are made. He has a bright future before him in the business world.—Corsicana Sun-Light.

### House Discussed Tariff Question.

Austin, Texas, Sept. 6.—More oratory flowed in the house to-day over the Maxwell resolution condemning the Payne-Aldrich tariff act, and when it was all over and Bailey and anti-Bailey members were laughing over some repartee from Mr. Hill, including a statement that Senator J. W. Bailey would make a first-class "emperor of the world," a compromise resolution by Mr. Caves was adopted. The Caves substitute, published when introduced last week, condemns the tariff act as a "prolific breeder and protector of trusts and monopolies" and endorses the entire Texas delegation in the national congress "for voting against it." The Maxwell resolution mentioned that the Galveston convention failed to condemn the tariff and handled that omission without gloves.

Mr. Maxwell accepted the temporary substitute for his resolution. He remarked, in doing so, that he did not know when he attacked a republican platform that he was at the same time attacking a democratic United States senator. But, he said, his original resolution was not meant as a reflection on any one despite the fact that some newspaper criticisms have imputed such a motive. He said he was not dealing in the cheap sophistries and subtleties of a ward politician and not seeking newspaper notoriety.

"The substitute," he said, "accomplishes what I want to accomplish." He reiterated that he differs with Senator Bailey politically.

### Jack for Sale.

A black jack, four years old July 25, 1910, between 13½ and 14 hands high, big bone, quick server and good foaler. For price and terms apply to S. H. Higginbotham, Lovelady, Texas. 4m\*

## You'll Never Be Sorry

For living a pure life;  
For doing your level best;  
For being kind to the poor;  
For looking before leaping;  
For hearing before judging;  
For thinking before speaking;  
For harboring clean thoughts;  
For standing by your principles;  
For stopping your ears to gossip;

For being as courteous as a duke;  
For asking pardon when in error;  
For bridling a gurgulous tongue;  
For being generous to an enemy;  
For being square in business dealings;

For giving an unfortunate fellow a lift;  
For promptness in keeping your promises;  
For putting the best construction on the acts of others;

You will never, never be sorry for giving light to the blind, knowledge to the ignorant, strength to the weak, help to the struggling and a savior to the heathen.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

## Galveston Next to New York.

The Galveston News of Sept. 1 shows a large shipping business done at that port.

Galveston maintains its rank as second only to New York in the total value of exports.

Business conditions during the past year were satisfactory and the outlook for the new business year is good. The bank clearings for the past year were \$676,876,000.

Receipts from all sources at the Galveston custom house for the past year were \$463,055, compared with \$455,883 for the preceding year.

Galveston is reached by thirty-three foreign steamship lines. Galveston enjoys a larger coastwise business than any port on the gulf or South Atlantic.

During the past year 4,748 immigrants entered through the port of Galveston, compared with 3,338 for the previous year.

Your complexion as well as your temper is rendered miserable by a disordered liver. By taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets you can improve both. Sold by Murchison-Beasley Drug Co.

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## Died.

At Shady Grove, near Crockett, Wednesday morning, August 30, at 4 o'clock, the death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Sabterwhite and took from them their little daughter, Lizzie B., after a brief illness. Little Lizzie B. was 3 years old at her death. She was a bright and happy sunshine to the home. Funeral services were held at the family residence Thursday morning at 10 o'clock and the remains were laid to rest in the family graveyard.

## Cans Are Too Full.

A painter complained that Devoe cans are too full; unhandy; spill.

It's a way we have; 'tis handier not to be full; but Devoe has a weakness for full-measure. So have we. Our gallon contains eight pints; the usual "gallon" is seven.

We'll think it over again; but we like a full can. How much short would you like a barrel? Seven gallons would be the proportion.

Short-measure suggests that the shortage is probably not in the cheapest ingredient.

Guess we'll stick to four quarts to a gallon, and fifty gallons a barrel.

The name to go by is Devoe lead-and-zinc. The Murchison-Beasley Drug Co. 19

## The Texas Newspapers

The dissemination of information has largely to do with the prosperity and development of a country. In no country on the globe does Nature possess such astounding possibilities and reveal them in such rapid and cumulative order as in Texas, making an imperative necessity for newspapers in the home of every farmer who desires to profit by the gifts of Nature and the experience of his neighbors.

There are 950 publications in Texas, of which 89 are dailies, 768 weeklies, and the remainder are issued at regular intervals. The total listed circulation of all papers in Texas is 3,170,515 copies, an average of four papers for each family in the State. In the number of papers published within the State we rank sixth in the Union; Illinois, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Iowa and Missouri leading in the order named. The Federal Government census for 1905 reports capital invested in printing and publishing in Texas of \$6,074,319, a pay roll of \$2,063,935 per annum, and the annual output is valued at \$7,782,247. Among the industries of the State it ranks sixth in capital invested, fifth in pay rolls and sixth in the value of products. One issue of all the papers in Texas approximates one copy per capita, and making the comparison from a population basis we lead all States in the Union in the number of periodicals issued and the number of copies printed.



Circulation 3,170,515.

Texas stands first in intelligence, first in progress and first in industrial opportunities of all the States in the Union, says the Texas Commercial Secretaries' Association.

The newspaper is the channel of communication between the producer and consumer; brings the city to the farm and the farm to the city; gives information of the markets and of the development of the country; carries warnings of impending danger and gives the farmer the advantage of the experience of all his neighbors and informs him of the general condition of affairs so essential to his success. The improvement of our public highways and the establishment of rural free delivery routes have extended the zone of circulation of the press to the remotest sections of the State, and reading the papers is as much a part of the work of the Texas farmer as feeding his stock.



Four Papers Per Family.

The ability of a farmer can be as easily judged by the literature he reads as by the crops he harvests. The printing press is the industrial educator of the age.

## Citation for Unknown Heirs.

The State of Texas. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the heirs of J. R. Burleson, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Jas. E. Night, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of John E. Nite, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Lucy Nite, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of John C. Oliver, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Griffin A. Bynum, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Wm. A. Bynum, deceased, whose names are unknown, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be held at the courthouse thereof, in the city of Crockett, on the 2nd Monday in October, 1910, being the 10th day of October, 1910, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court, on the 8th day of August, 1910, in a cause numbered 5307, wherein S. L. Murchison is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of Fernando del Valle, deceased, the unknown heirs of Lorenza de Zavalla, deceased, the unknown heirs of Emily de Zavalla, deceased, the unknown heirs of Mirabeau B. Lamar, deceased, the unknown heirs of Peter W. Alexander, deceased, the unknown heirs of Henrietta Lamar, deceased, the unknown heirs of Arthur B. Davis, deceased, the unknown heirs of Grigsby E. Thomas, Jr., deceased, Jas. M. Smith, the unknown heirs of James M. Smith, deceased, Loretta Calder, the unknown heirs of Loretta Calder, deceased, George H. Fontaine, the unknown heirs of Geo. H. Fontaine, deceased, T. E. Blanchard, the unknown heirs of T. E. Blanchard, deceased, J. M. Williams, the unknown heirs of J. M. Williams, deceased, J. P. Kyle, the unknown heirs of J. P. Kyle, deceased, James G. Allen, the unknown heirs of James G. Allen, deceased, Jefferson Lamar, the unknown heirs of Jefferson Lamar, deceased, John Warren, the unknown heirs of John Warren, deceased, Ann M. Davis, the unknown heirs of Ann M. Davis, deceased, John W. Davis, the unknown heirs of John W. Davis, deceased, George Davis, the unknown heirs of George Davis, deceased, John Smith, the unknown heirs of John Smith, deceased, A. B. Rogan, the unknown heirs of A. B. Rogan, deceased, Theresa L. Alexander, the unknown heirs of Theresa L. Alexander, deceased, Edward E. Powers, the unknown heirs of Edward E. Powers, deceased, Wingate N. Turner, the unknown heirs of Wingate N. Turner, deceased, the cause of action being alleged as follows:

Suit to remove cloud from plaintiff's title to the following described tract or parcel of land, to-wit: Situated in Houston County, Texas, about 12 miles west from the city of Crockett, being a part of the Fernando del Valle 11 league grant, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the north corner of the original survey of said Fernando del Valle eleven league grant, being south 35 degrees east 3350 varas to a corner, it being the north corner of W. G. Brazzell's 200 acre tract, thence south 55 degrees west with said Brazzell's north-west line 400 varas to a corner, being W. P. Turner's east corner. Thence down Nite's creek with its meanderings in a northwest direction 225 varas, more or less to said Turner's north corner. Thence north 35 degrees east 225 varas to a corner. Thence south 55 degrees west, crossing Nite's creek, 490 varas to a corner. Thence north 55 degrees west 550 varas to a corner. Thence south 55 degrees west 510 varas to a corner. Thence north 35 degrees west 495 varas to the river. Thence up the river with its meanderings to the original eleven league line when it crosses the river the third time. Thence north 55 degrees east to the original eleven league line 1500 varas to corner on the bank of the river where the eleven league line crosses the river the second time. Thence up the river with its meanderings to where the original eleven league line crosses the river the first time. Thence north 55 degrees east 270 varas with original eleven league line to the north corner of the said del Valle eleven league grant, and being the place of beginning, containing 1029 acres in all.

That plaintiff claims title to said land under a chain of title as set out in said original petition. Plaintiff also alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have had peaceable and adverse possession of the same, cultivating, using and enjoying the same under title and color of title from the sovereignty of the soil for a period of more than three years, next, before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiff also alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have had peaceable and adverse possession of the same, cultivating, using and enjoying the same under title and color of title from the sovereignty of the soil, for a period of more than three years, next, before the commencement of this suit.

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That the loss of deeds and records and the pretended claim set up by defendants, the nature of which is unknown to plaintiff, creates a cloud upon the title of plaintiff to said land which he seeks to have removed by this suit.

You are further commanded to serve this citation by publishing the same once 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 said county, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published.

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 District Court of Houston County.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, in the city of Crockett this 8th day of August, A. D. 1910.

J. B. Stanton, Clerk Dist. Court, Houston County, Tex. By J. H. Sharp, Deputy.

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You are hereby commanded to summon the heirs of Fernando del Valle, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Lorenza de Zavalla, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Emily de Zavalla, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Mirabeau B. Lamar, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Peter W. Alexander, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Henrietta Lamar, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Arthur B. Davis, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Grigsby E. Thomas, Jr., deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of James M. Smith, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Loretta Calder, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of George H. Fontaine, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of T. E. Blanchard, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of J. M. Williams, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of J. P. Kyle, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of James G. Allen, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Jefferson Lamar, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of John Warren, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Ann M. Davis, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of John W. Davis, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of George Davis, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of John Smith, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of A. B. Rogan, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Theresa L. Alexander, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Edward E. Powers, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Wingate N. Turner, deceased, whose names are unknown, James M. Smith,

Loretta Calder, George H. Fontaine, T. E. Blanchard, J. M. Williams, J. P. Kyle, James G. Allen, Jefferson Lamar, John Warren, Ann M. Davis, John W. Davis, George Davis, John Smith, A. B. Rogan, Theresa L. Alexander, Edward E. Powers, and Wingate N. Turner, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be held at the courthouse thereof, in the City of Crockett, on the 2nd Monday in October, 1910, being the 10th day of October, 1910, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court, on the 8th day of August, 1910, in a cause numbered 5306, wherein S. L. Murchison is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of Fernando del Valle, deceased, the unknown heirs of Lorenza de Zavalla, deceased, the unknown heirs of Emily de Zavalla, deceased, the unknown heirs of Mirabeau B. Lamar, deceased, the unknown heirs of Peter W. Alexander, deceased, the unknown heirs of Henrietta Lamar, deceased, the unknown heirs of Arthur B. Davis, deceased, the unknown heirs of Grigsby E. Thomas, Jr., deceased, Jas. M. Smith, the unknown heirs of James M. Smith, deceased, Loretta Calder, the unknown heirs of Loretta Calder, deceased, George H. Fontaine, the unknown heirs of Geo. H. Fontaine, deceased, T. E. Blanchard, the unknown heirs of T. E. Blanchard, deceased, J. M. Williams, the unknown heirs of J. M. Williams, deceased, J. P. Kyle, the unknown heirs of J. P. Kyle, deceased, James G. Allen, the unknown heirs of James G. Allen, deceased, Jefferson Lamar, the unknown heirs of Jefferson Lamar, deceased, John Warren, the unknown heirs of John Warren, deceased, Ann M. Davis, the unknown heirs of Ann M. Davis, deceased, John W. Davis, the unknown heirs of John W. Davis, deceased, George Davis, the unknown heirs of George Davis, deceased, John Smith, the unknown heirs of John Smith, deceased, A. B. Rogan, the unknown heirs of A. B. Rogan, deceased, Theresa L. Alexander, the unknown heirs of Theresa L. Alexander, deceased, Edward E. Powers, the unknown heirs of Edward E. Powers, deceased, Wingate N. Turner, the unknown heirs of Wingate N. Turner, deceased, the cause of action being alleged as follows:

Suit to remove cloud from plaintiff's title to the following described tract or parcel of land, to-wit: Situated in Houston County, Texas, about 12 miles west from the city of Crockett, being a part of the Fernando del Valle 11 league grant, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the north corner of the original survey of said Fernando del Valle eleven league grant, being south 35 degrees east 3350 varas to a corner, it being the north corner of W. G. Brazzell's 200 acre tract, thence south 55 degrees west with said Brazzell's north-west line 400 varas to a corner, being W. P. Turner's east corner. Thence down Nite's creek with its meanderings in a northwest direction 225 varas, more or less to said Turner's north corner. Thence north 35 degrees east 225 varas to a corner. Thence south 55 degrees west, crossing Nite's creek, 490 varas to a corner. Thence north 55 degrees west 550 varas to a corner. Thence south 55 degrees west 510 varas to a corner. Thence north 35 degrees west 495 varas to the river. Thence up the river with its meanderings to the original eleven league line when it crosses the river the third time. Thence north 55 degrees east to the original eleven league line 1500 varas to corner on the bank of the river where the eleven league line crosses the river the second time. Thence up the river with its meanderings to where the original eleven league line crosses the river the first time. Thence north 55 degrees east 270 varas with original eleven league line to the north corner of the said del Valle eleven league grant, and being the place of beginning, containing 1029 acres in all.

That plaintiff claims title to said land under a chain of title as set out in said original petition. Plaintiff also alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have had peaceable and adverse possession of the same, cultivating, using and enjoying the same under title and color of title from the sovereignty of the soil for a period of more than three years, next, before the commencement of this suit.

Plaintiff also alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have had peaceable and adverse possession of the same, cultivating, using and enjoying the same under title and color of title from the sovereignty of the soil, for a period of more than three years, next, before the commencement of this suit.

That the loss of deeds and records and the pretended claim set up by defendants, the nature of which is unknown to plaintiff, creates a cloud upon the title of plaintiff to said land which he seeks to have removed by this suit.

You are further commanded to serve this citation by publishing the same once 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 said county, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published.

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 District Court, of Houston County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, in the city of Crockett, this 8th day of August, A. D. 1910.

J. B. Stanton, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Tex. By J. H. Sharp, Deputy.

Issued this 8th day of Aug. A. D. 1910.

J. B. Stanton, Clerk of District Court of Houston County, Tex. By J. H. Sharp, Deputy.

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## Workingmen Are Massing to Save Themselves.

By EMIL SEIDEL, Socialist Mayor of Milwaukee.



**M**ANY LAWYERS NO LONGER ESTABLISH THEIR OWN OFFICES, BUT HAVE BECOME A PART OF BIG CORPORATIONS. THE SAME CHANGE IS MANIFESTING ITSELF WITHIN THE RANKS OF THE WORKING CLASS. MANY HAVE NO HOPES OF "SAVING" THEMSELVES INDEPENDENTLY, AND THEY ARE MASSING TOGETHER.

One of these collective organizations is the union. With all its faults the union is today the best medium of organization at the workers' command.

From these organizations new ideals are sprouting and a new moral force is developing. The WORKINGMEN WANT A MINIMUM WAGE SO AS TO SAVE THE WEAKER ONE. A new conception of moral responsibility is shown in the sympathetic strike. This is not found among capitalists. We do not hear of one factory shutting down to aid another.

I DENY THE PERTINENCE OF THE DEMAND FOR EQUAL RIGHTS FOR CAPITAL AND LABOR. IT IS ECONOMICALLY UNSOUND, MORALLY WRONG AND IN PRACTICE ON THE SPUR OF THE MOMENT NEVER USED. IT IS A PLEA FOR EQUALITY OF THE CREATOR AND THE CREATURE. CAPITAL CREATES NOTHING; IT IS CREATED. CAPITAL IS THE RESULT OF LABOR APPLIED TO NATURAL RESOURCES.

When confronted with the emergency men will destroy property to save life. If a building is in jeopardy we will SACRIFICE ONE PART TO SAVE ANOTHER. Therefore I hold that when a dispute is on between an owner of property and his employees NO ONE IS JUSTIFIED TO SACRIFICE ANY LIFE, even if the workingmen in their fury destroy property.

The thought of shooting a man because he throws a brick in a car is monstrous. Destruction of property is wrong, but the destruction of labor is tenfold wrong. If a laborer viciously destroys a box car he can be compelled to PRODUCE ANOTHER BOX CAR and perhaps two box cars as a matter of punishment. If, on the other hand, the box car runs over a workingman that box car CANNOT PRODUCE ANOTHER WORKINGMAN.

## Men of Character Are Needed More Today Than Ever.

By Lord ROSEBERY of England.

**W**HAT the world wants—what I think we shall increasingly want—is MEN OF CHARACTER.

There is no word that the great Gladstone had so often on his lips as MANHOOD. It seems indeed to be the quality which he held in highest esteem. If he wanted to praise a man he would say, "He has had the manhood to do this" or "He had the manhood to do that," and what he meant by that was the man had the COURAGE TO FOLLOW HIS OWN CONSCIENCE AND HIS OWN CONVICTIONS and to act up to them and act up to them independently of the convictions and persuasions of others.

NOW, I DO NOT KNOW WHETHER YOU AGREE WITH ME, BUT I AM UNDER THE DEEP PERSUASION THAT REAL MEN OF MANHOOD—REAL MANHOOD—WERE NEVER SO MUCH WANTED AS NOW.

There is a tendency in the world to impair the liberty of the individual—a tendency which I think vicious, which I think likely to sap the life of our nation. It can be effectually resisted and stopped by rearing up men—MEN WHO ARE MEN, not merely in appearance and talk, but in CHARACTER AND CONDUCT.

It is the easiest thing in the world to go with the stream, to float on the stream, to let the stream carry you where it will. It probably will end in the bulrushes. But that is not the way to do good and try to influence your generation.

## Women Are Much Wiser Than They Used to Be.

By Mrs. FRANCES HODGSON BURNETT, Author.

**T**HERE has never been a time when so many women married their ideal mates. There has never been a time when so many unions were so happy. Women today are FREER THAN EVER BEFORE FROM THE AWFUL NECESSITY OF ACQUIRING THE FIRST MAN IN SIGHT.

Women no longer want to marry men just for the sake of having somebody to take care of them or of being able to call themselves married.

Oh, but women are so MUCH WISER THAN THEY USED TO BE! That is one of the most beautiful things that come to me as I look back across fifty years of my life. Even in that little time there has been such a change. And go a bit farther back. You can do it in the novels that reflect so well the domestic life of their time.

First, there was the WOMAN WHO SWOONED. Always when anything happened to her, whether it was her canary or her

sweetheart who died, she swooned. That was considered the only proper expression of the proper desolation of a proper young female.

Then some year farther along, when emotional agitation stirred her placid breast, she INVARIABLY BURST INTO TEARS. She also wept long and bitterly.

WHEN THE MODERN HEROINE IS IN TROUBLE SHE DOESN'T WASTE ANY TIME WAILING. SHE PROMPTLY DOES SOME PRACTICAL, COMMON SENSE THING—OR EVEN SOMETHING GRANDLY IMPRACTICAL, BUT EQUALLY ENERGETIC—AND SAVES THE DAY FOR HER LOVER AND HERSELF.

## America Finest Race Producing Human Known



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By LUTHER BURBANK, Plant Wizard, Who Has Produced Many New Species of Plant Life.

**W**E IN AMERICA FORM A NATION WITH THE BLOOD OF HALF THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD WITHIN OUR VEINS. ALL THE NECESSARY CROSSING HAS BEEN DONE, AND NOW COMES THE WORK OF ELIMINATION, THE WORK OF REFINING, UNTIL WE GET AN ULTIMATE PRODUCT THAT WILL BE THE FINEST HUMAN RACE KNOWN. IT IS NO DOUBT THIS COUNTRY WHICH WILL PRODUCE THIS SPECIMEN.

Many years will be consumed before the finished work is attained, but it is SURE TO COME. The characteristics of the many peoples that make up this nation will show in the composite with many of the evil characteristics removed, and the FINISHED PRODUCT WILL BE THE RACE OF THE FUTURE.

MAN HAS BY NO MEANS REACHED THE ULTIMATE. THE FITTEST HAS NOT YET SURVIVED. IN THE PROCESS OF ELIMINATION THE WEAKER WILL FALL. THE FITTEST OF THE FUTURE IS NOT THE FITTEST OF THE PAST.

With proper rearing and education of the child a race will evolve which will be the MORALLY BEAUTIFUL AND THE INTELLECTUALLY FIT. I do not think that man today has attained the greatest that is in him.

The color, the perfume, the size, the shape that were manumitted in plants will have their analogies in the composite, the AMERICAN OF THE FUTURE.

We have what are popularly known as five senses, but there are men of strong minds, whose reasoning has rarely been at fault and who are coldly scientific in their methods, who attest to the possibility of developing a sixth SENSE IN THE MAN OF THE FUTURE.

Who is he that can say man will not develop new senses as evolution advances? Psychology is studied in the public schools throughout the country, and that study will lead to new knowledge in psychic thought. The man of the future ages MAY PROVE A SOMEWHAT DIFFERENT ORDER OF BEING from that of the present. He may look upon us as we today look upon our forbears.

## Simple Housework Offers Most For Women.

By the Rev. Dr. MARK A. MATTHEWS of Seattle, Wash., Pastor of the Largest Presbyterian Church in the United States.

**T**HERE IS NO VOCATION OPEN TO WOMEN WHICH OFFERS SO MANY OPPORTUNITIES AT THE PRESENT DAY AS PLAIN, SIMPLE HOUSEWORK. EVERYWHERE YOU HEAR THE SAME STORY. THE HOUSEWIVES, THE AGENCIES SIMPLY CANNOT SECURE INTELLIGENT HELP, NO MATTER WHAT INDUCEMENTS THEY OFFER.

Girls who might earn \$40 or \$50 a month—that is, counting the board and room with which they are supplied—in the kitchen of a respectable private family go into a store or shop at \$6 a week or go to one of the big hotels at \$12 or \$14 a month.

Since the earliest times—until these days of apartment hotels—it has been considered woman's highest duty and privilege to LOOK WELL TO THE WAYS OF THE HOUSEHOLD.

The work is peculiarly suited to the constitution of woman, since it is not necessary for her to remain on her feet for long periods at a time and none of the various tasks involves undue physical strain. I am speaking, of course, of the properly conducted household, where the women are not forced to carry heavy loads of water or wood.

But, after all, it is hardly the fault of the uneducated working girl if she LOOKS DOWN ON DOMESTIC SERVICE. It is we who have imbued her with that attitude.

We have done it partly by our TREATMENT OF OUR SERVANTS and partly by OUR OWN SENSITIVE SHRINKING FROM DOMESTIC DUTIES. How many middle class girls there are who, instead of staying at home and helping their mothers cook and sew, as their mothers helped their grandmothers, insist on going downtown to an office and PLAYING WITH A TYPEWRITER FOR A FEW DOLLARS A WEEK IN ORDER TO BE CALLED "BUSINESS WOMEN!"

IT IS A FINE THING FOR A WOMAN TO KNOW HOW TO DO WORK OUTSIDE THE HOME IF SHE IS COMPELLED TO SUPPORT HERSELF THAT WAY, BUT EVERY GIRL WHO HAS A CHANCE TO WORK IN A GOOD KITCHEN IS FOOLISH IF SHE GOES ELSEWHERE. SHE MAY GAIN IN "INDEPENDENCE," BUT SHE LOSES INCALCULABLY IN PROTECTION.

## FEATURES AT FAIR.

New and Interesting Attractions and Features Have Been Received.

Dallas, Texas.—In addition to the fact that there will be an extraordinary display of livestock and agricultural products at the twenty-fifth annual meeting of the State Fair of Texas, which opens at Dallas, October 15, and continues sixteen days, the management this year has arranged for many features which not only add to the importance of the Fair from an educational standpoint but will make every department interesting to every man, woman and child that visits the grounds.

Those features are all of an educational value. Principal among them are: A United States naval exhibit; a display of the geological and mineral resources of the state; a fishery exhibit; a model cotton farm; a good roads park; manufacturing machinery in operation, and an old-fashioned tournament, the kind so popular in the South before the war.

### United States Naval Exhibit.

Lieutenant Adolphus Andrews, an officer in the United States navy, is in charge of that exhibit. Every patriotic citizen takes pride in the war fleet of Uncle Sam. Individual members of the "White Squadron," from the haughty battleship to the mysterious little submarine, have their own special interest to the civilian. That is why an interest in this new department is assured. There will be models of every instrument of warfare, from the big sixteen-inch gun to the deadly torpedo. In glass cases, miniature replicas of some of the finest vessels in the navy, will be exhibited. The mechanism of the submarine, that latest development in warfare, will be explained. Linked with this, moving pictures of the maneuvers of the North Atlantic squadron off Hampton Roads will be produced. This production will be realistic in the extreme, and of interest to all.

### Richness of Resources.

Few Texans realize the richness of their state from a geological and mineral standpoint. To forcibly impress this upon the minds of visitors and to direct their attention to the opportunities offered in the development of these resources, Dr. William B. Phillips, director of the Department of Economic Geology of the University of Texas has arranged to exhibit at the Fair the collection of Texas ores and woods belonging to that institution. The management, delighted with this offer on the part of Dr. Phillips, has set aside a space of sufficient size, admirably located, for the exhibit.

Under the management of the Bureau of Fisheries of the United States Department of the Interior, a splendid aquarium has been installed in the Exposition building. This is directly in the center of what was known last year as Music Hall. It is octagon in shape, built of glass and stone, filled with running water, and in it will be exhibited all the fish native to the creeks, lakes and rivers of Texas. The exhibit will be sent to Dallas from San Marcos and will be under the superintendence of John L. Leary of the Bureau of Fisheries.

### Features Are Numerous.

Indeed, so numerous are the new features at the Fair this year that it is a hard matter to list them at all. Good Roads Park should, however, not be overlooked. This park, as its name implies, is to demonstrate the great benefit derived from good roads, and, at the same time, exhibit in a practical manner for educational purposes the various kinds of road material and road building machinery. Professor Robert J. Potts, engineer of highways of the Agricultural and Mechanical College at Austin, will be in charge. Professor Potts pronounced this move on the part of the State Fair management to be the most beneficial ever inaugurated under the auspices of the association. Macadam, bitulthic, asphalt, brick, wooden blocks and all other classes of road materials will be exhibited here.

Special days will feature the twenty-fifth annual meeting of the State Fair of Texas, which opens at Dallas October 15 and continues sixteen days. The three Sundays of the Fair will be Sacred Concert days, for which Bandmaster Thavie is arranging superb programs to be given morning, afternoon and evening.

### An Odd Turkish Superstition.

An odd Turkish superstition is as follows: If one finds a piece of bread lying upon the ground he must pick it up, kiss it and carry it until he finds a hole into which the bread can be inserted. To step upon a piece of bread or to leave it lying upon the ground is one of the unpardonable sins and dooms the offender to the third hell, where he is perpetually gored by an ox that has but a single horn that is in the center of his forehead.

### Advanced Ancestral Pride.

"So Woodby is very rich now. When I knew him he was poor. His only treasure in those days was the musket his great-grandfather carried in the Revolution."

"Oh, his great-grandfather has been promoted since. Woodby exhibits his sword now."—Philadelphia Press.

### The Lighthouse.

"Pa, what is meant by the lighthouse?"

"The lighthouse, my boy, is something that everybody wants to be in without paying advertising rates for the privilege."—Detroit Free Press.



Have us do you prescriptioning? "Can't fail" are the two words that aptly sum up the facts regarding our drugs and medical supplies.

The reason of their efficacy lies in their purity. If we put up a prescription for you, reliability goes with our stamp. If we sell you a bottle of medicine, it will be good and up to the standard.

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### Local News.

Phone 29 for your groceries.

Fresh fat mackerel at Billy Lewis'.

Some fine evaporated peaches at Billy Lewis'.

Remember that phone 29 will still get the goods.

Star Mineral Wells water at Sweet's Drug Store.

Billy Lewis has a pretty line of Wostenholm knives.

Bring me your chickens and eggs. Johnson Arledge.

Outings galore—solid colors and figures—at Shivers & Leathers'.

Rock lime, best on earth, \$1.20 a barrel. B. L. Satterwhite.

Ladies, watch for the announcement of Mrs. Bricker's fall opening.

Mrs. Allen Newton of Galveston sends in her subscription renewal.

See the ladies new tailored suits at the Big Store. They are "dandies".

Karl Goolsby will be a student of the State University during the coming term.

New lot of ties just received at Shivers & Leathers'. Call and inspect the line.

Everything at the right price—wagons, buggies, harness, saddles, etc., at T. J. Waller's.

WANTED—Two white girls to do house work. Apply to Mrs. W. V. Berry at Pickwick Hotel.

Will Lipscomb will return to Galveston to resume his studies in the State Medical University.

WANTED—A white woman, without children, to do housework for a small family. Apply at this office. 3t.

The Thornhill wagon is the best wagon on earth; buy one and save from five to ten dollars. T. D. Craddock sells it. 2t

FOR SALE—Good sawed heart pine shingles, \$3.25; mixed shingles, \$2.25. Phone 216. B. L. Satterwhite.

Call and see our stock of buggies, harness, saddles, wagons, etc., before you buy. T. J. Waller.

Mr. Chas. H. Beasley of the Daily section was in Crockett last week and remembered the Courier.

Fresh fat mackerel at Billy Lewis'.

Some fine evaporated peaches at Billy Lewis'.

A carload of Darling stoves just in at the Big Store.

Billy Lewis has a pretty line of Wostenholm knives.

Base ball gloves and mitts at cost at Sweet's Drug Store.

I am now located in my new quarters. Johnson Arledge.

Fire brick, best in Texas, \$3.50 a hundred. B. L. Satterwhite.

Qckwork Polish for silver, nickle, copper and brass at Sweet's Drug Store.

Jim Lipscomb will re-enter the law department of the State University at Austin.

G. W. Broxson has the contract to build the Antioch school building near Lovelady.

For bath or shave go to Friend. Best equipped shop in Houston county. Cleanliness our hobby.

We carry the best assortment of toilet articles found in the city. Call and see us. Sweet's Drug Store.

Mr. N. B. Barbee has returned from a sanitarium at Houston and is able to greet his friends on the street.

Our fall line of Davis hats has arrived. New and nobby styles, correct colors and staple shapes. Shivers & Leathers.

The Big Store is prepared now to take care of you on your whole bill, in anything you want, from a paper of pins to a Brown wagon.

Houston Betts buys, sells and repairs second hand furniture. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Now in the Billy Lewis old stand.

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Fresh fat mackerel at Billy Lewis'.

Some fine evaporated peaches at Billy Lewis'.

Mrs. Sol Bromberg of Galveston is visiting in the city.

Billy Lewis has a pretty line of Wostenholm knives.

Marlin pressed brick \$11.00 a thousand. B. L. Satterwhite.

A complete, up to date abstract of Aldrich & Crook.

Best Portland cement \$2.40 a barrel. B. L. Satterwhite.

All 8 ounce Standard duck going at 14c at Shivers & Leathers'.

Mr. W. A. Champion of Corsicana sends his renewal for the Courier.

Armistead Aldrich will enter Austin college at Sherman for the coming term.

T. D. Craddock sells the best wagon in town for the least money—the Thornhill. 2t

Cotton is being marketed slowly. It was bringing from 12 $\frac{1}{2}$  to 13 cents Tuesday afternoon.

WANTED—to buy a good pony horse. T. B. Satterwhite, Crockett, Texas.

Remember we are headquarters for tablets and pencils and all school supplies at Sweet's Drug Store.

R. M. Atkinson of Bentonville, Ark., and Chas. Madden of Ballinger send their renewals for the Courier.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Dent have moved from Lovelady to Crockett. Mr. Dent has the nomination for county attorney.

One car load each cement, lime, salt, flour, meal, bran, chops, oats, corn, oils, bagging and ties, at W. M. Patton's.

Don't think we are out of the matting business. Our stock is better, patterns prettier and prices lower. The Big Store.

I have just received a car of the celebrated John Deere buggies, surries, etc. Nothing better. Call and see them. T. J. Waller.

Save your sales by buying your whole bill at our place. The Big Store can fit you up in everything, and will save you money on every article.

Leroy Moore has accepted the position of quiz master in the law department of the State University and will leave soon to enter upon his duties.

Mrs. Bricker will have a new selection of hats on display Saturday, Sept. 17. The ladies are cordially invited to call and see the new styles.

Both our lines of dry goods and groceries were never more complete than now. Come in and let us show you. Shivers & Leathers.

Wm. M. Patton sells three pound bagging for the same price you pay for the cheap light weight, 21 lb. bagging. My bagging weighs 28 lbs. and brings \$1.00 more.

Strayed.

1 sorrel horse mule, about 3 years old, and 14 $\frac{1}{2}$  hands high, no brands; had on bell when last seen. Reward of \$5.00 will be paid for the delivery of said animal at Crockett, Texas, to us. Moore & Shivers.

The Crockett Ginning Co. announces that they are better prepared to handle the farmers' cotton this season than ever before, having added four new, improved gins to their already large plant. They will also buy seed cotton and will pay the top of the market for same. If you have cotton to be ginned or seed cotton to sell it will pay you to see them. Prompt service and courteous treatment guaranteed at all times. J. F. Standley, Manager.

## 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

Mr. J. F. Murray of Porter Springs was in Crockett Monday and called at the Courier office to renew his subscription. Mr. Murray subscribed for the first number of the Courier twenty-one years ago and we are glad to number him among our best friends.

### For Sale.

A good bermuda grass pasture, well watered, in Crockett, along the town branch, and along the railroad, containing about eight acres—a good location for a mill or factory, or dairy or brick yard, with red clay, water and sand for brick making. S. F. Tenney.

Albert Smith had on display Saturday a stalk of cotton that contained 110 bolls. The stalk was taken from a field on his White Rock creek farm. He said the field contained about twenty acres like this stalk and that it would make something like a bale to the acre. The cotton was grown by A. J. Smith.

### Go My Friends and the Public Generally.

I am now located in the old bakery building, just opposite the post office and am better prepared to serve you than ever before. Come to see me when you come to town, and be at home with Billy Lewis.

### Insure Your Property.

We are prepared to insure your residence or business of any kind, horses and cattle against fire, lightning and tornadoes, in the country or any town in Houston county, in as good companies as there are in the United States, at as low rate as the lowest. Call and see us or write. Yours truly, J. W. Hail & Son.

Mrs. L. L. Cannon expects to receive her new fall stock of millinery this week. A general invitation is extended to the ladies of Houston county to call and inspect her goods. She will have all the latest and prettiest creations in fall and winter hats. Her trimmer is fresh from the markets of the North and East and her stock has been selected with an eye to please the trade.

### Chance for Houston County Boy.

Hon. J. W. Madden telephoned the Courier office Tuesday afternoon that an appointment could be secured for a Houston county boy to the naval academy at Annapolis if desired. He said he had been trying for ten days to find some young man who desired the place and was qualified to fill it, but had not yet succeeded. Here is a fine opportunity for some intelligent Houston county boy to get into the navy, and if any of them want the place let them communicate with Mr. Madden immediately.

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## McLean's Drug Store.

### Card of Thanks.

To our neighbors and friends who so generously assisted us during the recent illness and death of our husband, son and brother we extend our heartfelt thanks and appreciation, and assure you that we shall ever hold in grateful remembrance the many acts of kindness bestowed upon us. Sincerely,

Mrs. W. E. Bynum.  
J. E. Bynum and family.  
Asa Bynum and family.

### Worth Trying.

Flour made from cotton seed meal is recommended for sufferers from diabetes. It is the starch in the wheat flour that the diabetic cannot digest. There is no starch in cotton seed meal flour. The bread made from this flour is so much richer than wheat bread that it takes the place of meat to a large extent. The flour can be secured from the oil mill at 5 cents a pound and sufferers from diabetes should give it a trial.

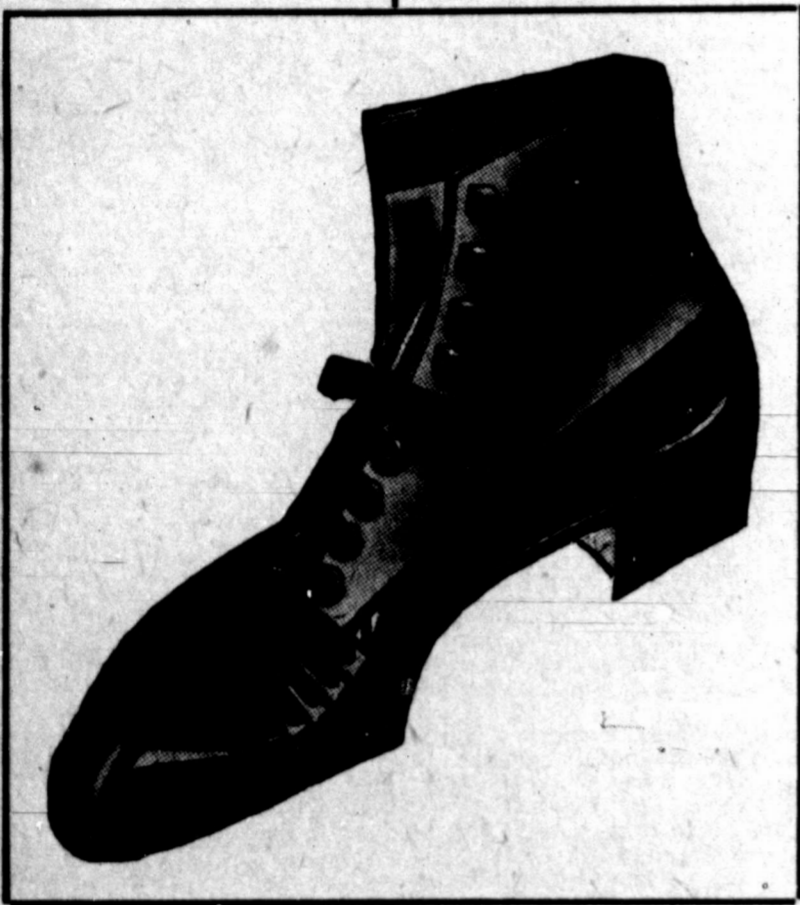
### Speaking Saturday Night.

W. J. Townsend Jr. of Lufkin and G. R. Fowler of Palestine will address the people of Crockett and Houston county at the court house Saturday night at 8:30 o'clock. These gentlemen are candidates for the state senate and each is waging a vigorous campaign for the nomination. They are both forceful speakers and debaters, are coming out squarley and unmistakably on every issue and waging the campaign on a high plane. Democrats are especially invited to hear them Saturday night and they ask that the ladies be present.

### W. E. Bynum Dead.

After an illness of several weeks' duration, Mr. W. E. Bynum died Monday morning from a complication of typhoid fever and heart trouble. The remains were laid to rest Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in Greenwood cemetery. Mr. Bynum was 30 years old and leaves a wife and two small children. His wife before marriage was Miss Hattie Rhone. He was the oldest son of Mr. J. E. Bynum and a brother of Asa Bynum, composing the firm of Bynum & Son. He was a man of exemplary habits and gave promise of a successful life. He had selected the wide and honorable field of farming as his vocation and resided a mile from town.

# Announcement



We have received our new goods for the fall and winter trade and are better prepared than ever to supply your wants. Our stock of dry goods, shoes, hats, notions, hardware, groceries and general merchandise is complete in every detail, and we cordially invite you to call and inspect the same. We guarantee you the lowest possible prices consistent with good goods. Watch this space for further announcements.

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#### PUBLISHER'S NOTICE.

Obituaries, resolutions, cards of thanks and other matter not "news" will be charged for at the rate of 5c per line. Parties ordering advertising or printing for societies, churches, committees or organizations of any kind will, in all cases, be held personally responsible for the payment of the bill.

#### CROCKETT IS PROGRESSIVE.

That Crockett has the best streets of any town of its class in the state will not be disputed by any one familiar with the streets of Texas towns. Visitors passing over the streets of Crockett express no small surprise that a town of its class should have made the progress that has been made here in the past six years. Time was when our streets were made up principally of gullies, ruts and sand. That was a day before the spirit of civic pride and progress, as evidenced by the many improvements during the past six years, took hold of our citizenship—a day when the people were content to drag along in the old ruts, in and out the old gulleys and bog up in the mud or sand, according to wet or dry weather. But there came a change. Our people awoke to the advantages of good streets, better sidewalks and better sanitary conditions. They organized a good roads association. The result was five miles of graded, clayed and gravelled thoroughfares. This improvement led many of our citizens to set back their fences and build side walks where none had existed and improve them where mere trails had been. Following better streets and sidewalks came a de-

mand for a water system and the issuance of bonds therefor. As soon as the bonds were issued the town took on additional life and growth, the construction of new and costly houses were begun and real estate values shot upward. With these improvements must not be overlooked the new and commodious passenger station. The Courier mentions these things to show that one improvement or enterprise follows another. The present prosperity of the town began with the improvement of the streets and sidewalks. Contractors cannot keep up with the demand for new houses. Now if our present prosperity can be traced to five miles of graded and gravelled streets, what might be expected if the good roads movement should be inaugurated over Houston county? While Crockett is progressive, let the whole of Houston county share her progressiveness.

The 1910 census will show a 50 per cent increase in Crockett's population during the past ten years and town improvements have increased correspondingly. The increase in population and improvements can be traced back to the inauguration of the good streets movement. Now, if five miles of improved roadway can accomplish so much good for the town, what would a hundred miles of improved roadway accomplish for the county? Take your pencil and figure it out. Let's get busy and build good roads all over Houston county.

"I warn my countrymen that the great recent progress made in city life is not a full measure of our civilization; for our civilization rests at bottom on the wholesomeness, the attractiveness, and the completeness, as well as the prosperity of life in the country."—Theodore Roosevelt.

#### OPPORTUNITY FOR COUNTRY TALENT.

Perhaps seventy-five per cent of the leaders of all departments of life are country-bred; and upon the moral and intellectual training of these leaders largely depends the success of popular government. The genius and talent of its children is the most highly prized treasure of a progressive government, and wise statesmanship encourages, trains and utilizes such superior ability to the highest possible degree. The extension of high school privileges to all the children of the state will accomplish, to a large extent, this desired result, and will give talented children a chance. The public high school is the "people's college;" its pupils come from the homes of farmers, mechanics, merchants, and other classes of society; it is the school that will powerfully influence the lives of many future leaders. To maintain high schools for all the children of the state is simple justice to many children who are asking for a chance to increase their power for the rendition of service; and

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yet from the standpoint of the State, the discovery and development of superior talent wherever found, return to its benefactor many times its cost in educated power.—Educational Bulletin.

In a speech at Osawatimie, Kan., Roosevelt said: "One of the fundamental necessities in a representative government such as ours is to make certain that the men to whom the people delegate their power shall serve the people by whom they are elected, and not the special interests. I believe that every National officer, elected or appointed, should be forbidden to perform any service or receive any compensation directly or in-

directly from interstate corporations, and a similar provision could not fail to be useful within the States." W-h-o-o-p-e-e! If Mr. Roosevelt had been at Galveston during the convention and made such a statement, all hands would have gone up in holy horror, saying: "That is against Senator Bailey, cast him out."—Mt. Enterprise Herald.

Don't waste your money buying plasters when you can get a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment for twenty-five cents. A piece of flannel dampened with this liniment is superior to any plaster for lame back, pains in the side and chest, and much cheaper. Sold by Murchison-Beasley Drug Co.

### Buggy Talk

What we save you on a buggy (or any other vehicle) will go a long way toward getting a new harness. Come in and get our figures. Prices speak louder than promises. If we cannot please you, go where you please, but for your pocket-book's sake give us first whack.

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