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## By the Wayside

SKETCHES AND NOTES

OF

MOUNTAIN, PLAIN  
AND BATTLEFIELD

BY W. B. PAGE

(Continued from last week.)

Fredericksburg.

From several visits extending through a number of years the writer came to be familiar with the chief points of interest in and around that quaint old city. It lies on the Rappahannock and was the storm-center of some of the most stubborn fighting of the war. We are not going to enter into a general history of the campaign which culminated in Burnside's receiving a most disastrous and inglorious defeat, but we shall concern ourselves with a few of the most prominent incidents of that fight. Those points near and around the old town from which General Lee operated, and displayed that marvelous genius for strategy, are very much as they were in December, 1862, the date of the battle. North of the river are Stafford Heights, on which Burnside had massed 125,000 men and 150 of the finest long range guns available. On the south side the main points were Marye's Hill and Lee's Hill. They are to-day very much as they were left after that bloody repulse of Burnside's men. At the base of Marye's Hill is the road bordered by a stone wall, behind which lay Cobb's Brigade of Georgians, 2,000 strong. Burnside was resolved to capture it. He was in the belfry of the Court House on the north side of the river, and watched charge after charge against that stone fence fail. He sent in seven brigades in seven distinct attempts to take Marye's Hill and saw them all mowed down by the Georgians behind the stone fence, and the grape and canister from sixteen batteries all located to converge on the plain between Marye's Hill and the river. The field was literally covered with dead and wounded, and still the tragic effort went on. The charge of Pickett at Gettysburg is historic, but cannot be said to surpass that of Meagher's Irish Brigade on Marye's Hill at Fredericksburg.

There was nothing finer, more desperate and heroic at Balaclava or elsewhere. Six of the brigades had been slaughtered in efforts to get to that stone wall at the foot of Marye's Hill. In tragic sequence each had done its best and failed. Between the town and the fence was a level stretch of 200 yards. Meagher's Brigade of Irishmen was the last to try. They swung out in splendid style, each one wearing on his lapel a sprig of arborvitae to represent the shamrock. They halt for a minute to redress their lines and then there was a shout of "Erin go bragh," and the fierce onset begins. Six other brigades had swept across this death trap and failed. Meagher's brigade remembering the failures are stimulated to heroic effort. The wounded on the ground from the other charges yell to the Irishmen to go back, that they cannot take the hill and actually catch Meagher's men by the trouser legs and try to save them from certain death. But nothing can stop this dauntless whirlwind of blue as it shouts and sweeps across this level field. The impetuous onrush comes then to within fifty steps of the Hill. Burnside from the belfry is thrilled by the spectacle and feels that at last the Hill was his; Lee from his point of observation witnesses the same gallant deed and is depressed at the prospect of its success. All who looked on

at these valiant fellows stood transfixed on their feet by the gallantry of these men from "Ould Ireland," and felt that they deserved to succeed and win those heights. But when that blue line in their impetuous onset got within fifty steps of that same wall before which six other brigades had gone down, then there came one grand, blinding, deafening flash and roar from 2,000 muskets, and with it that wild, weird, blood-curdling rebel yell and it was all over with the 2,000 Irishmen of Meagher's Brigade. This was the last effort to take those Heights, and there lay on that level stretch of ground 5,000 dead and nearly as many wounded, and all because one man occupied a piece of ground which another wanted.

Some very amusing things happen on a battlefield, and the serious character of the work does not seem to restrain men bent on fun. In front of Jackson there had been some very hard fighting, Hood's division had been ordered to drive the enemy back to the river, and in his division there were two regiments of fresh recruits, just in from North Carolina. They had been entered on the roll as the 54th and 57th N. C. In the movement Hood was ordered to make, these two regiments from North Carolina were ordered to charge the enemy, and they went at those Yankees with all the vim of veterans, and they did not want to stop and did not stop till Hood himself rode up and halted them. Then they became very indignant because they had been halted and grumbled for quite a while. As they returned from the pursuit some of them said: "Durn ole Hood, anyhow! he jes' didn't have no business ter stop us when we uns was ah-whipping the durn blue-bellies ter hell and back, and if we uns hadder bin you Texicans, he'd never a done it." It was at Fredericksburg that two Texans captured twenty prisoners down in this same stretch where there had been such slaughter. The prisoners were German and were easily picked up. When they were delivered to the officer in command, the question was asked as to how it had been managed. The Confederate said "that he and his partner had surrounded them, but his partner had been killed and he had to deliver them alone."

One of the grandest pictures presented during the war must have been on the plain between Fredericksburg and the several hills in the rear occupied by Lee, Jackson, and Longstreet, when Burnside led his entire command of 125,000 out from the city after crossing. From Lee's Hill, Lee and his staff could see all the points of attack. Occasionally Longstreet would attempt to entertain those around by bantering Jackson. And when that splendid array came in sight on the river level, Longstreet called out: "Jackson, what are you going to do with all those people over there." "Sir," said Jackson, "we will give them the bayonet; that is what I propose to do." After the day's fight was over, Jackson had an idea that Burnside would make an attempt to take his army across the river and thus escape. The time and the opportunity for destroying the army of the Potomac he thought had come, and he wanted to do it that night and thus end the war. He had made all his arrangements for a night assault, even to tying around the arm of each one of his men a yard of white cloth so as to be able to identify them. But Lee thought Burnside would be in the same place on the morrow and countermanded Jackson's plan. Burnside did just what Jackson had anticipated and crossed over at night, and it was all done so quietly that not a sound was heard. After Fredericksburg, Hood's

and Pickett's divisions went to Suffolk, and on their way South they stopped at Richmond for two or three days. This was a great recreation to the men of these two divisions. As they marched along the streets it was a matter of utter impossibility to keep the men in line; saloons, ice cream parlors, confectionery stores commanded the keenest attention of nearly every man. When the guards made an effort to arrest anyone they were greeted with the jeers and jibes of a regiment. It so happened one night that a regiment of Hood's brigade was sauntering at a leisurely step up Broad Street, quite a number of whom had been qualifying themselves to pass on the comparative attractions of mint-julep and apple-toddy. In passing a theatre on Broad Street, a company of these men noticed citizens passing into a brilliantly illuminated building. Not possessing the necessary means for purchasing tickets, they decided to enter and take seats. They were not so "many seas over" as not to be able to distinguish the pit, dress circle, boxes, etc.; they filed in and seated themselves in the pit. This part of the theatre was packed in a few minutes. The lights shone with a dazzling radiance from polished gun barrels and also lighted up the bronzed features of the battle scarred veterans. The play for the evening was a melodrama, and called "The Virginia Cavalier." It was of a military character, and the staging for displaying the scenes was elaborate and gorgeous in its fullest details, showing the lines of fortifications, the moat, port-holes, frowning guns in battery, flag flying, bristling bayonets, pacing sentinels, a lake of water, and other accessories of a fortified place to be assaulted and fought over. As a full moon shed its mellow radiance on the lake, the trysting hour arrives, the enrapturing notes of a bugle are heard, and just then a beautiful girl in a boat glides over the lake. She sits in the boat and drinks in the sweet sound as keenly as Ellen Douglas does when she hears for the sound of Fitz James' trumpet to break the sweet hour's stillness. The lover appears and is the cavalier of the drama, and comes to say farewell before going to the war. The parting words, the affectionate embraces, the last lingering looks were thrilling, and all very real to these hard-visited veterans. As the play unfolded itself and they followed the changing fortunes of the hero, these Texans sat there like statues. In the last scene the groupings on the stage were vividly real and the effect striking. There is the fort with all the parts, parapets, town, rifle-pits, glistening bayonets, Yankee soldiers, and "Old Glory" floating over all, hanging from its staff and breathing defiance from every fold. In front of it all a Dutch soldier strode back and forth. He was a veritable German recruit, so fresh and raw as to suggest that he was one of Blenker's Division. Over in Mosby's principality, composed of the counties of Fauquier and Loudon, this division of Blenker's in their zeal for plunder permitted nothing to escape their eyes or hands in attic or basement. They were so raw and fresh and stupid that, as the writer was told by those who had suffered from their depredations, they rummaged the basements of their homes and gathered in everything. They even carried off the soft soap stored in barrels in the cellars of their homes. They would run their hands into it and holding them up with the semi-fluid soap dripping from them would eat it ravenously, and cry out "it is hooney, hooney—goot hooney." This same division, by the way, Blenker's, was cooking and cavorting generally in a field when

Jackson in his flank movement struck Howard's corps in the Wilderness and stampeded them. And it was one of the same crowd of raw, uncouth Germans who said: "You ask me why I skeddaddle when Schackson struck us. We skeddaddle because all hell broke loose all round us." This diversion is thrown in to give a dash of spice to the narrative. The staging showed this raw German parading in front of the place to be attacked. All around the breastworks the guard's companions were in all stages of rest and refreshment. Some were cooking, some making coffee, some smoking and yawning, some at card-playing—their guns and other accoutrements hanging or stacked up. The impression produced on these Texas soldiers, unsophisticated and matter-of-fact in their views of things was electric. Everything on the stage representing a battle pending was set up with marvelous exactness and fidelity to details. Everything was so life-like and real, the entire presentation was so typical of other scenes through which they had gone, that they began to sniff battle at once. They fancied they could hear shells screaming, "Where-are-you," "Where-are-you," and the minnies singing, "Zip-I have-got-you," etc., and their eyes began to gleam with excitement, their nostrils to swell, and their hands to unconsciously grasp the stock of their guns more firmly.

The play goes on; guards change and those relieved began to cook their meal; the audience begins to smell the aroma of boiling coffee; the crackers are being toasted on the coals, and slices of bacon are spitted by a ramrod and sizzled over the fire, and thus the soldiers around the fort pass their time and the drama rolls on, the rendition becoming more and more life-like to a grand culmination. All at once there is an explosion like the crack of a whip, and then another and another in rapid succession. The guards around the fort seize their guns, the officers order the men to come inside of the works and in they rush. The acting is so thrilling that the Texas boys rise to their feet mechanically. They are on the battlefield once more: Gaines' Mill, Fredericksburg or other. They forgot that all this was dramatic—that it was all mimic

warfare, and they were standing, as a score of times before, waiting for the word "to charge." In the distance on the huge stage a rebel scout is reconnoitering the fort; he retires and returns with several sharpshooters. Hood's men began to get restless, murmurs are heard and their eyes begin to blaze. Then the rebel storming column comes up; they dress their lines and fix bayonets. The Stars and Bars flaunt proudly in the air, and the supreme moment has come. Suddenly a report is heard and something like a shell bursts over the fort. There follows a scream from feminine lips. The faces of the Texans become fixed. The rebel stormers are ordered to charge and they spring to their task. A rattling volley meets them; some fall, the others reach the fort. The cannons explode, the line staggers and they reel and fall back. Through the smoke the Union flag can be seen flying. The rebels rally and climb the parapet. A hand to hand fight ensues; cold steel meets cold steel.

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## By the Wayside.

(Continued from 1st page.)

The Blue and the Gray mingle in a wild combat. The whole scene becomes lurid from burning chemicals and the smoke rolls away to the roof. The combat goes on and the rebels are driven back for the second time; they are driven back and many fall in the contest. The crisis has come and the Texans can stand it no longer. The old battle fever seizes them. All the Yankees are exulting over what seems to be a victory; there is the old flag which they had captured on many a hard field; there they go, the boys in Gray falling back. One of the Texans jumps on the stage and cries, "Up and at them boys." The old rebel yell bursts from the throats of a hundred of Hood's men. And now all of them go at them; over chairs, benches, and everything in their way, they surge like a raging torrent, sweeping all before them. The orchestra dived through the doors to the cellar like so many rats. Women shrieked and fainted, men became speechless as the Texans with guns in their hands began to charge, yelling like demons. After getting the Texans back to their seats and quiet, and the light turned on again, the manager then came to the front of the stage and in a short speech said that in the whole course of his theatrical career he had never received so high a compliment, and that he considered it a tribute to the splendid staging or mounting of the piece.

A short part at the conclusion of this sketch was written by another party—by one who was present or near when the episode came off.

(To be continued next week.)

### Warning to Railroad Men.

Look out for severe and even dangerous kidney and bladder trouble resulting from years of railroading. Geo. E. Bell, 639 Third St., Fort Wayne, Ind., was many years a conductor on the Nickle Plate. He says: "Twenty years of railroading left my kidneys in terrible condition. There was a continual pain across my back and hips and my kidneys gave me much distress, and the action of my bladder was frequent and most painful. I got a supply of Foley Kidney Pills and the first bottle made a wonderful improvement and four bottles cured me completely. Since being cured I have recommended Foley Kidney Pills to many of my railroad friends." Will McLean.

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### Mr. Spinks and Road Bonds.

In the last issue will be found a communication from our esteemed citizen, R. C. Spinks, in opposition to the proposed issue of bonds for road improvement. After careful consideration of the arguments of Mr. Spinks against the bond issue, we are convinced that they are without merit, and that it is the duty of our people to vote for the bonds at the approaching election to be held on the 21st inst. Let us notice some of the reasons assigned by Mr. Spinks for opposing the bond issue. His first reason is "because I do not wish to put a mortgage on my homestead." So he calls taxation a mortgage on his homestead. Well, Mr. Spinks, if this is true, you are too late. The State has already put a mortgage on your homestead. Your homestead not being exempt from taxation, it will continue to pay its share of taxes for the support of the government, and its share of taxes to retire outstanding bonds now owing by the county. This should illustrate the fallacy of calling a bond issue a mortgage.

The second reason assigned for opposing the bonds is because "I do not wish to put \$150,000 on the road and \$300,000 in the bondholder's pockets." This we regard as an appeal to ignorance and prejudice. The fact that these bonds will run for twenty years or forty years, and that a large amount of interest will be paid during that time, does not make them differ from any other kind of bonds. In other words, if Mr. Spinks' argument is good in this case, then it is equally efficacious as an argument against bond issues for any purpose. What does such reasoning lead to? It would mean the end of all progress. If this argument is tenable, then it would mean that we shall have no more Court Houses, no more jails, no more City Halls, no more paved streets, for all of these indispensable improvements are the result of bond issues. To follow Mr. Spinks would lead us back to the dark ages and settle us down permanently into a condition of semi-barbarism. The plan of erecting great improvements, with money raised by the sale of bonds, is the approved method of this age of progress. Every argument that he advances against this bond issue would apply with equal force against any bond issue that has been or will be proposed. His argument that there will be a large amount of interest to pay would be ludicrous if it were not meant so seriously. Of course there will be five per cent. per annum interest to pay on the bonds, but it is not money wasted. We get value received. In fact we pay five per cent. interest on the money and we get many fold in substantial returns. For illustration, say that a permanent, first-class road will cost two thousand dollars per mile. The interest on this will be one hundred dollars per year. That is a good investment.

No other investment will yield such large returns. Every wagon load of produce that passes over that road gets a return from that payment of interest. At the least calculation the capacity of the team is doubled. One half of the labor and time for man and beast are saved by good roads. What does this represent in money value? It makes the hundred dollars per mile paid in interest seem insignificant. The effect upon the whole country would be almost magical. Our Road District would almost immediately be transformed into a solid farm. People would flock into our midst. Land values would enhance five-fold, perhaps ten-fold. Our dream of a fully-developed country would rapidly be realized.

Now what does Mr. Spinks offer as a substitute for this? Listen: "Place a head tax on every man from 21 to 50; place a graded vehicle tax and raise the road and bridge tax to supply the needed funds." But we thought that Mr. Spinks was opposed to a mortgage on his homestead. He not only proposes to mortgage his homestead, but his vehicle and his head. It does require taxation to have good roads and the best way to get them now is to issue bonds, and thus distribute the burden among all who will be benefitted by the construction of the roads as far as possible. We get the good roads now. We will pay our part of the cost and leave the new-comer and the late-comer to share in the expense. Another generation will take its part of the burden, and we will not grieve over the fact that the bondholder gets the interest, for the bondholder will probably be the Permanent School Fund, and our children will draw the dividends in better schools and better education.

Mr. Spinks also suggests a mass meeting and the formulation of good, business-like, Special Road Law. We are advised that our representative has already proposed such a law, and it will soon be the law if it has not already been enacted.

We believe that when calmly viewed, the objections of Mr. Spinks will vanish like mist before the rising sun. The need for good roads is so important and so urgent that it becomes a matter of patriotism to secure them. The people of this Road District are confronted with a responsibility and an opportunity that it would be criminal to neglect. Let us vote the road bonds and give our country an uplift that will prove a lasting blessing to ourselves and our posterity.

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San Antonio, Tex.—Now that the real reasons for the mobilization of troops in Texas and along the Mexican border seem to have been made known through the medium of dispatches from Washington the army connections at Fort Sam Houston, where the largest concentration camps will be located, are watching with interest the result of the war department's effort to effectively concentrate the troops at a given point in a short space of time. So far the results are gratifying to the army officers located at San Antonio, and it is believed that the movement will be complimentary to the army as a whole.

The troops which have arrived were the Seventeenth Infantry, Colonel Van Orsdale commanding, from Fort McPherson, Georgia; the Eleventh Cavalry, Colonel James Parke commanding, from Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia, and Company D of the signal corps from Fort Leavenworth, Lieutenant Sebring C. McGill, commanding.

Within seventy-two hours after the orders to mobilize at Fort Sam Houston were given the Seventeenth Infantry, stationed at Fort McPherson, Ga., was in camp at Fort Sam Houston, Tex.

To accomplish this movement an entire regiment of infantry, with commissary wagons and mules, and ten days' rations, band and all field equipment belonging to that body of troops was moved 1,400 miles across half dozen states and over several different lines of railways.

The actual movement consumed only forty-three hours. The orders to mobilize at Fort Sam Houston were received at Fort McPherson on Monday afternoon.

It was not until Tuesday afternoon that the railroad company had supplied sufficient baggage cars. The regiment arrived at San Antonio on Thursday evening, consuming forty-three hours including all stops. Colonel Van Orsdale, commanding the regiment, states that he could have arrived eleven hours sooner with his men by running ahead of his transportation and camp equipment, but he desired to arrive at his destination in proper condition to go into camp.

One of the significant developments is the orders by Colonel Clem, chief quartermaster, to secure supplies for 10,000 men for four months. This is regarded as conclusive evidence that the troops will be in Texas or that San Antonio will remain as the base of supplies for that number of men at least four months.

Contracts were awarded for a large amount of commissary supplies.

Galveston, Tex.—Developments in the great war game which is being carried on partly through Forts Crockett, San Jacinto and Travis, located at Galveston Island, were the arrival and anchoring of the scout cruiser Salem, the arrival of a number of additional companies of coast artillery, the arrival of Brigadier General A. L. Mills, and the establishment of the regimental staff.

The companies that arrived Saturday were the Fifth, the Ninety-ninth and the One Hundred and Seventieth of Fort Morgan. The officers are Captain H. K. Taylor of the Seventy-fifth, Captain Charles L. Lanham of the Ninety-ninth and Captain M. M. Mills of the One Hundred and Seventieth. The three lieutenants are Nathan Howitz, Lieutenant Warren Bell and Lieutenant H. S. Hemingway. Three other lieutenants who were absent from the company and will join their commands later are First Lieutenant A. J. Cooper, First Lieutenant Gardner and Second Lieutenant R. H. Smith. Two more companies from Fort Baranacas, Pensacola, the Fifteenth and the Twenty-fifth arrived in camp, making a total of six of the twelve companies necessary to complete the first regiment. A special train of two sections, consisting of seventeen cars, one sleeper, six day coaches, four box cars, two stock and two flat cars, brought the troops and their equipment to the city. Later three more companies arrived at Fort Crockett being companies Seventy-second, Seventy-fourth and One Fort Shumen, Captains C. C. Burt, C. B. Smith and W. C. Murray in command.

### Prospects for Bumper Crop.

Bandera, Tex.—There is a splendid season in the ground and corn planting is the order of the day. Bandera County has the best prospects for a bumper crop it has ever had. Wheat and oats stood the freeze without any damage and the corn and cotton land is all ready for planting.

## THE ONE DEFECT.



"An heirloom," explained the farmer's wife to her 13-year-old boy, "is something that has been handed down from father to son, and in some instances is greatly prized."

"I'd prize these heirlooms I'm wearing," remarked the youngster, "a good deal more if they wasn't so long in the legs."—Everybody's Magazine.

## WOULD LIE AWAKE ALL NIGHT WITH ITCHING ECZEMA

"Ever since I can remember I was a terrible sufferer of eczema and other irritating skin diseases. I would lie awake all night, and my suffering was intolerable. A scaly humor settled on my back, and being but a child, I naturally scratched it. It was a burning, itching sensation, and utterly intolerable, in fact, it was so that I could not possibly forget about it. It did not take long before it spread to my shoulders and arms, and I was almost covered with a mass of raw flesh on account of my scratching it. I was in such a condition that my hands were tied."

"A number of physicians were called, but it seemed beyond their medical power and knowledge to cure me. Having tried numerous treatments without deriving any benefit from them, I had given myself up to the mercy of my dreadful malady, but I thought I would take the Cuticura treatment as a last resort. Words cannot express my gratitude to the one who created 'The Cuticura Miracles,' as I have named them, for now I feel as if I never suffered from even a pimple. My disease was routed by Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and I shall never cease praising the wonderful merits they contain. I will never be without them, in fact, I can almost dare any skin diseases to attack me so long as I have Cuticura Remedies in the house. I hope that this letter will give other sufferers an idea of how I suffered, and also hope that they will not pass the 'Cuticura Life Saving Station.'" (Signed) C. Louis Green, 929 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 29, 1910.

### No Apparent Reason.

Reporter—Colonel, you and I know there was money used in electing Littlebrayne. How much did it cost him? You may as well tell me, for I'm going to find out.

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Reporter—Why, blame it, man, he was elected!

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## ITEMS OF INTEREST

NEWS THAT IS NEWS, WHEN IT IS NEWS, FOR ALL.

## DOINGS OF DAY AND WEEK

Happenings the Wide World Over of Important Events Condensed to Good Reading.

### WASHINGTON.

The old guard of the senate is in great embarrassment over the persistence of the head of the powder trust, Senator du Pont, that he be made chairman of the committee on military affairs. The question, aside from any fine point of propriety, appeals to the senate leaders as one of grave political expediency in that the public might send up a cry of indignation at the head of the powder trust fixing appropriations for the purchase of powder for the army. This view has not yet appealed to Senator du Pont, who still insists that he should succeed Senator Warren, who goes to appropriations.

By affixing his signature to the contract for the manufacture and printing of stamped envelopes and stamped newspaper wrappers, Postmaster General Hitchcock put an end, for at least four years, from July 1 next, to a contest that has waged intermittently for more than a quarter of a century.

Speaker-elect Champ Clark is authority for the statement that one of the first acts of the sixty-second congress, as far as the house is concerned, will be to pass a joint resolution approving the Arizona constitution, the vote which led Senator Bailey to tender the resignation which he subsequently withdrew. Mr. Clark believes that the resolution sent to the senate with the overwhelming approval of the house democrats will not fail to receive the same strong democratic support that it received on the closing day of the senate's exciting session.

The sixty-first congress, heedless of one of the most important legislative tasks before it, came to an end shortly after noon Saturday. Within the hour following President Taft had issued a proclamation calling congress to an extraordinary session at noon Tuesday, April 4. At that time he will submit for ratification to a house overwhelmingly democratic, and to a senate barely republican, the reciprocity agreement with Canada. The McCall bill, carrying that agreement into effect and passed by the house, met at the hands of the old senate the death that had been freely predicted for it. The president, well warned, if not entirely reconciled to the fate in store for the measure, was at the capitol to witness the obsequies. The bill was not allowed at any time to come up in the senate for a moment's consideration.

### DOMESTIC.

The threatened breach between Geo. J. Gould and the Kuhn, Loeb & Co. Rockefeller interests over the election of a new board of directors was obviated at conferences Saturday, at which assurances were given the banking interests that the agreement reached some time ago would be carried out to the letter. This outcome came after a day of uncertainty, during which the renewal of an open contest for control of the Missouri Pacific was in the balance.

Five powder magazines of the Dupont Nemours Powder Company, containing 180 tons of finished black powder and dynamite, exploded at the plant of the company one mile northwest of Pleasant Prairie, Wis. Friday. One man, E. S. Thompson, a foreman, is known to be dead; Miss Alice Finch of Elgin, Ill., dropped dead of heart disease, caused by fright; 350 people were injured.

State Game Warden Emmett Smith says that he has appointed about ninety-five wardens in various parts of the state. About 50 per cent of these are hold-overs. In all cases where no appointments have been made, he says the old wardens will continue to serve until the new wardens are appointed and qualified, which in many cases will be the reappointment of the former wardens.

The Caro hotel at Onro, Texas, owned by the Sauer-Whiteman Lumber Company, and occupied by A. G. Autrey, was burned Saturday. Two dwelling houses and the Baptist Church were also burned. Loss \$6,000.

Ernest H. Wands, American financial advisor to the Nicaraguan government, left Corinto, Nicaragua, Thursday for the United States. Mr. Wands is coming to America on a mission, it is understood, to place Nicaragua on a firm financial basis. With this end in view he will consult with officials of the state department and American bankers for a loan to the Nicaraguan government ranging from \$12,000,000 to \$15,000,000.

The report of the subcommittee of the committee on liquor traffic, which was appointed to make a full report on the daylight bill Tuesday filed their report. This subcommittee consists of Representatives Nichols of Hunt, Brownlee, Brown, Gaither, Lawson, McDowra and Johnston. The report is an answer to the governor's veto message. It adopts the opinion of Assistant Attorney General Mead, who held, contrary to the governor, that the bill was valid.

A. E. Pilsom, who has been arrested in Oklahoma City on the charge of forging cashiers' checks upon Texas and Oklahoma banks, is apparently the man who attempted to pass a \$12,000 draft, drawn by the American National Bank of McAlester, Ok., upon the National Bank of Commerce of St. Louis. The \$12,000 draft was deposited in the City National Bank, and the depositor at once attempted to draw against the uncollected deposit.

The senate Thursday adopted the house concurrent resolution providing for sine die adjournment of the legislature at noon on March 11.

In his biennial report to the Board of Directors of the A. and M. College, Col. Milner submits figures showing the professions of the fathers of the boys who have entered the college since his last report. The showing for the session of 1909-10 there were seventy-six farm homes represented and for the session 1910-11 one hundred and six farm homes. This statement applies to the Freshman students of each of the sessions and does not take into account the students who were in the Sophomore class, Junior class and Senior class of each session.

If forecasts made at Atlanta, Ga., Thursday, come true, the next great movement of settlers will not be toward the West or Northwest, which heretofore have been the Mecca of persons seeking new homes, but to the old South. This sentiment was expressed at the first session of the South Commercial Congress meeting.

The most extensive movement of troops and war vessels ever executed in this country in times of peace is now under way, by order of the president as commander in chief of the army and navy, the objective being the country north of the Mexican boundary and the waters of the two oceans at either end of it. Twenty thousand soldiers—more than one-fourth of the army of the United States—of all arms of the service, are moving toward the Mexican border; four armored cruisers, comprising the Fifth Division of the Atlantic fleet, have been ordered from Northern waters to the naval station at Guantanamo, Cuba, and most of the Pacific fleet is, or shortly will be, on its way to assemble at San Pedro and San Diego, Cal., and 2,000 marines are preparing to make the Guantanamo station their temporary headquarters.

John Ryan, a passenger in the steerage of the Mallory Line steamship Nueces, which docked at Galveston Wednesday was lost at sea Sunday while the liner was off the Florida coast at a point near Fowey's Rock light, about 150 miles from Key West. It is supposed that he jumped overboard.

### FOREIGN.

In reply to current reports that Germany had asked for American intervention in Mexico, or that it proposed to take independent measures to protect German interests and German subjects in that country Baron von Kiderlen Waechter, secretary of state for foreign affairs Saturday says that Germany had made no representations to Washington on the subject, and does not contemplate taking any steps in the matter.

Mutiny has broken out in the ranks of the Mexican rebels holding Mexicali, as a result of the inactivity of the leaders.

A moving picture machine in a small theater at Bologna, in the southern part of Novgorod Province, Russia, exploded Monday and instantly flames shot up, sweeping rapidly to all parts of the building. There was a terrible panic among the spectators and according to the reports received nearly a hundred persons, many of them children, were crushed or burned to death. Half a dozen others were injured. Baron Taube, chief of the gendarmie troops at St. Petersburg, and two of his children, are reported to be among the dead.

Lord Amphil raised a discussion of American and Canadian reciprocity in the house of lords in London Monday by strongly condemning what he termed the inaction of the government, which, he declared, had forced Canada to abandon her national policy and offer to the United States some of the advantages which she had so freely given to Great Britain.

Cape Haitien, Haiti, is experiencing a reign of terror approaching that of 1908, when citizens suspected of disloyalty to President Nord Alexis were taken from their homes at night and summarily shot. The prisons are filled. A famine is threatened. Hospitals are filled with sick and starving soldiers.

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### To Incline Toward Mercy.

Jim had been far from a good boy during the day and toward nightfall he realized the fact fully. Being well acquainted with the workings of family discipline, he assayed a little diplomacy.

"Shall you tell father about me?" he inquired of his mother.

"Certainly I shall tell him," responded his mother, with sorrowful firmness.

"Shall you tell him before dinner or after dinner?" asked the culprit.

"After dinner," was the announcement.

"Mother," and Jim gave a wiggle of anticipation, "couldn't you have a blueberry pudding for his dessert? Couldn't you do that much for me, mother?"—Youth's Companion.

### EDITOR BROWNE

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## CORPSE FOUND IN THE RIVER IS LOST AGAIN

FISHERMAN LANDS CASKET BUT LOSES THE BODY IN HIS EFFORT AT RESCUE.

West Point, Ga.—A fisherman discovered in the Chattahoochee river a casket containing the body of a young woman. In removing the casket from the stream, the lid became unfastened, allowing the body to fall back into the stream. The officers at once began a searching investigation into the mystery. The body had been in the water probably a week. The casket is a costly one, being trimmed with exquisite material. So far as could be learned no woman is missing from the community who would fit the description of the body given by the man who made the discovery.

In draining a fish basket from the stream, the casket became enmeshed



Corpse Found in the River.

with a lot of driftwood hanging to the line, and was dragged to view. Intent on pulling the uncanny find ashore, the fisherman, with difficulty, got hold of one end of the casket. In drawing it up a steep bank, the weight of the body forced the lid off, allowing a form, handsomely clad in white, to drop back into the river. The fisherman says he got a good view of the body.

### THE MARRIED MAN'S HANDICAP

Washington Benedicts Fear Bachelors Will Be Given Preference for Jobs Involving Risk.

Spokane, Wash.—An employer's liability law is under consideration by the Washington legislature that, if adopted, may make it difficult for a married man to get employment where single men can be obtained.

This is because of a marked excess in the damages to be paid to a married man or his widow over a single man in case of disablement or fatal injury.

Under the proposed act every line of industry employing men around machinery or on risks deemed at all hazardous will be assessed a percentage based on pay rolls for three months preceding October 1 of each year.

The revenue thus derived will be handled by a commission, which will have sweeping powers in executing the provisions of the act.

### Large French Families.

Paris.—While the population of France is stationary there are some large families to make up for the childless. There are over 35,000 families which rejoice in ten or more children and over 1,025,000 families having at least five children each.

### Pupils Kick on One-Dollar Gowns.

Pittsburg, Pa.—Graduation gowns to cost not more than one dollar are to be popular among teachers and parents of Pittsburg. Hundreds of young women are in tears, however, over the stand taken by the parents and principals, and many warmly declare that they will not try to pass the examinations for graduation if they cannot wear something better than a "cheap old dollar dress." The principal reason for the move is that a great percentage of those who are graduated cannot afford to spend \$25 or \$50 on a graduation dress, as do the richer girls.

### Imitation Leather.

London.—The discovery of a process whereby a passable imitation of leather may be manufactured from a vegetable product is announced. The novelty owes its introduction to the enterprise of certain London vegetarians who shuddered at the thought of the number of animals killed annually to keep humanity in boots. The imitation leather is being used for the manufacture of boots, shoes, book covers and many other articles.



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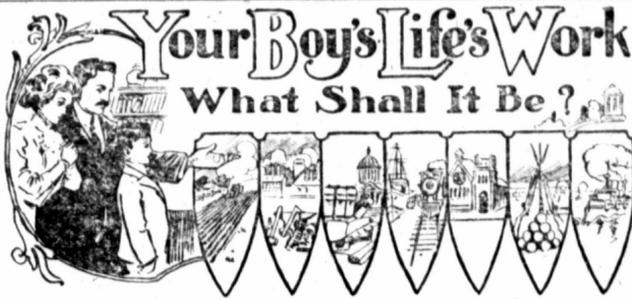
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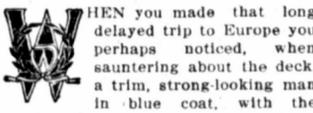
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It is a fine occupation, that of marine engineer, and one that offers almost unlimited opportunities for advancement to the young man possessing ambition and energy. As in all other occupations, there are many who do not appear to get ahead very far; but the rewards are adequate for the one who works and studies to increase his efficiency.

Yes, your boy can be a marine engineer. It is simply up to him to get at it, no matter what his age or education, so long as he is at least fourteen or fifteen and is in good health.

Strangely enough, the best way to make the start, if one has high ambitions, is not in a vessel at all, but in a machine shop. To be sure, the logical way would seem to be to get a job as fireman on a tug or ferry boat or other small craft and so work up, and many have begun in that very way; but a full knowledge of machinery must be attained somehow before the worker can get very high, and it is difficult to do so in any other place than where the machinery is made and put together. Your boy is looking at the end rather than the means, and prefers getting as much experience as he can before, at 21, he takes his examination for engineer. (Under government regulations he must be of age before he can do this.)

So, at the age of 14 or 15, he goes to the foreman of a shipbuilding or repair plant and applies for a job. When he gets it he will be nothing, for a time, but a machinist's helper, and will do only the most ordinary kinds of manual labor, such as wiping off pieces of steel for the machinists, running errands, carrying things, etc., and will be paid only \$3.50 or \$4 a week.

use at the shop, learns what they are used for and how they are operated, and in course of a few months will be doing some of the less important work of the regular engineer. And so he goes on advancing in capability and pay until, at the end of the fourth year, he will be earning \$9 or \$10 weekly.

This completes his period of apprenticeship, and he is a full-fledged journeyman machinist, entitled to \$3 or \$4 a day. Now, he should not go at once to a vessel expecting to make an engineer, but instead should remain in the machinist's trade, for two or three years more to gain experience. Furthermore, it will be better for him to go to other shipyards and work, so as to become acquainted with the different methods of constructing engines, boilers, etc. In this way he will broaden his knowledge until he can meet any mechanical emergency that is likely to occur.

By the time he is 21 or thereabouts he should go to the chief engineer of some steam vessel and ask for a job as fireman, water tender, or oiler, to gain the practical experience aboard ship. Under Uncle Sam's regulations he must have a year of this work before he is qualified to take the examination for third assistant engineer. Of course, he passes the test given him by the local government inspector of boilers, and is then ready for his first regular job at engineering. His pay at once expands from the \$45 a month and board he received as oiler to \$70 or \$85, also with board, and he stands one of the regular watches of four hours. Engineers work four hours and have eight off in regular service. He also helps at making repairs to the machinery and watches the pumps, dynamos, etc.

A year of this, and he may take the examination for second assistant engineer, at \$80 to \$115 a month, and this work will be a little more important, particularly as he has had the great advantage of a thorough mechanical training. Perhaps he will have charge of the boiler room and most of the ordinary repairing on his own initiative.

At the end of that year he is qualified to be examined for first assistant, who draws \$90 to \$125 a month. This, of course, is the most important job in the engineering department, next to the chief himself; for the first assistant is really the acting chief when the latter is away, and has the handling of the men and the overhauling of machinery.

After a year as first assistant, your boy will be qualified to take the final examination for chief engineer, and, as far as regulations are concerned, will be eligible to take entire charge of the engine department of any American steam vessel in the merchant marine. The pay of chief is generally from \$135 to \$175 a month and board.

However, it would be almost unheard of for so young a chief to be given one of the large Atlantic liners, even though he might be competent; for there must first be a vacancy, and the seniority rule obtains pretty generally. There are chiefs on liners in their early 30s, and one of the large companies has as superintending engineer on shore a man of only 35.

The next step is to this position of superintending engineer, who is chief of the engine departments of all vessels on the line. He is consulted by

the vessel chiefs as to all important repairs and alterations in machinery, the installation of new equipment, and is the company's highest authority on all matters in this branch of the business. His pay when first appointed is usually about 50 per cent more than he received as chief; but he has to pay his own living expenses ashore, which lessens the difference to that extent.

Advancement beyond that point rests entirely upon your boy's capability. In many instances, almost innumerable ones, these marine engineers have gone into special work as consulting engineers and have received high positions in shipbuilding plants, some of them earning very large salaries. The writer knows one who was taken from a liner on the Pacific ocean and made head of the engineering department of the largest iron works and shipbuilding plant on the Pacific coast.

This particular young man (he was under 35 when he received this advancement) was not exceptionally brilliant naturally; but he was a hard worker and didn't neglect a single opportunity during all the 15 or 20 years of his work to learn anything and everything he could about all phases of engineering. He studied at odd hours and evenings, took up several special courses of study that he could work at nights and when off duty, and, in short, made his work his pleasure and had a real joy in accomplishment.

Generally about the time one takes his first examination before the government he becomes a member of the Marine Engineers' Beneficial Association, composed entirely of marine engineers, which gives him a test and certifies as to his capability when he applies to Uncle Sam. The advantage of this is that he is thus endorsed by men of experience and standing, who know what he has done and how capable he is, and this indorsement counts for a great deal.

**Auld Brig of Ayr.**  
Is the Auld Brig of Ayr a fraud or a genuine relic of the past?  
Some time ago there was an outcry against its proposed demolition and Scotsmen all the world over sent money for its restoration. A few weeks ago Lord Rosebery reopened the Auld Brig and rhapsodized over it.

But Mr. Hall-Blythe of Edinburgh boldly announced himself at the town planning conference as "one of the most active persons in condemning the Auld Brig of Ayr."

"It is neither useful nor ornamental," he said, "but people desired to retain it because Burns wrote a poem about it. Yet the Brig of Ayr Burns wrote about was not this bridge at all. "It is a mad and wild desire to retain such an ugly bridge," Mr. Hall-Blythe declared.

**Splendid Work of Women.**  
During the past twenty-five years, American women have piled up a record of achievement in the public service with which the nation must reckon. They have done big things and they have done little things; and they have done both big things and little things well.

They have been the instruments of the preservation of some of the world's greatest natural beauties. They have snatched from the ruining hands of time and uncertain memory some of the country's most precious historical treasures. They have made presidents and congress, legislatures, aldermen, councils and politicians, pause and give heed to them.—Munsey's Magazine.

**A Serbian Love Tragedy.**  
Marko Radjovitch and Lazar Simitch, both enamored of Milena Spasitch, the prettiest girl in the village of Dragovits (Serbia), agreed to finish their rivalry by mortal combat. Milena, much distressed, entreated them to wait and she would find a way out of the difficulty making her choice. Next day her body was washed up on the banks of the Sava.

**No Longer Needs Name.**  
Albert—A dog that runs under a carriage is called a carriage-dog, is it not?  
Egbert—Certainly.  
Albert—Well, what would you call a dog that runs under a motor car?  
Egbert—Why, a dead one.

**To Break a Bottle Evenly.**  
Soak a piece of string in turpentine and tie it around the glass just where you wish the break to come. Then fill the glass or bottle up to the point with cold water, and set fire to the string. The glass will snap all along the heated line.

**PHYSICAL WRECK RESTORED TO HEALTH BY GREAT KIDNEY REMEDY**

Some time ago I began the use of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root with the most remarkable results. For years I was almost a wreck and was a great sufferer. The doctors who treated me made me believe that my great sufferings were due to female trouble. I was so bad at times I would faint away and had sinking spells. Finally a new doctor was called in and he said that I had kidney trouble and gave me medicine, of which I took several bottles. I obtained some relief from this but I was getting weaker all the time; I could not sleep and suffered so much pain that my husband and children had to lift me in and out of bed. After this time two friends sent me word to try Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, which I did, and I am glad to state that the first dose gave me great relief. After taking the third dose I was helped into bed and slept half of the night.

I took several bottles of Swamp-Root and I feel that I owe my life to this wonderful remedy. The two family doctors said that I could not live three months; my urine was in a terrible condition—thick and slimy—and I would have to be helped in and out of bed ten to twenty times every night. After taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root for two days I was entirely free from getting up and could sleep soundly.

**MRS. D. E. HILEMAN,**  
Tunnelton, West Va.  
Personally appeared before me this 11th of September, 1909, Mrs. D. E. Hileman, who subscribed the above statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.  
**JOSEPH A. MILLER,**  
Notary Public.

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Mr. Honeybird—That is all the better, dear. When poverty comes in love can't fly through the window.

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**REAL JUDAS FEAST AT TOKYO**

Enmity in Division of Spoils and Tip Between Guides Leads to Tragedy.

Kosaku was the head guide at a big Tokyo hotel. He and another guide called Tomora, who also acted as policeman and incidentally as a spy on foreigners, were constantly quarreling about the tips and spoils they extracted from globe-trotters, says the Wide World.

Kosaku finally proposed reporting Tomora to the police authorities and so destroying his topos of a pension. At the end of the year Tomora one day dressed himself carefully in foreign clothes, loaded a revolver, put it in his pocket, and invited the unfortunate Kosaku to a feast at a tea house. It was indeed a Judas repast. The two men ate together and drank. One after another, as little stone bottles of sake were emptied, the former enemies swore in bibulous phrases that all was forgiven. Together they started to return to the hotel, both apparently full of happiness and peace of mind and resolved that in future they

would fleece the stranger within their gates hand in hand, as beloved brethren should. Then, just by the bridge near the hotel—the untidy bridge where the trams meet—Tomora turned like a wolf and suddenly shot Kasaku in the neck and body—shot with unerring aim, for Kosaku fell dead with out a moan. Tomora then killed himself on the spot. He had not forgiven, but was there not a supreme and cruel treachery in spending his last hours making merry with his victim?

**Way of Servants.**  
Subbubs—I see Blinkins has come out as a candidate for governor.  
Townley—Yea; he has declared his great ambition to be the servant of the people.  
Subbubs—Servant? What! Doesn't he mean to keep the place if he gets it?—Catholic Standard and Times.

**Pardon.**  
The highest of characters is his who is as ready to pardon the moral errors of mankind as if he were every day guilty of the same himself, and at the same time as cautious of committing a

fault as if he never forgave one.—Pliny the Younger.

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**The Straw Vote.**  
Another good thing about politics is that a man can always find a straw vote to indicate exactly what he wants indicated.

Army officers in Germany get reductions on railway and theatre tickets, and take precedence of all civilians at any social function.

# THE GOVERNOR VETOES THREE MEASURES

Austin, Tex.—Governor Colquitt Saturday wrote his veto messages Nos. 7, 8 and 9.

No. 7 disapproves the bill to appropriate \$150,000 to establish a cotton-bagging factory at Rusk.

No. 8 disapproves the bill to extend the scholastic term three years, making the range from 7 to 20 instead of from 7 to 17, as at present.

No. 9, the "Lightfoot" bill appropriating \$25,000 to the attorney general's department for the enforcement of laws, and authorizing the employment of special counsel. This bill sought to make these funds subject to use upon the approval of the attorney general alone, whereas a similar bill passed by the thirty-first legislature made the use of the funds depend upon the approval of the governor and attorney general. Governor Colquitt and Attorney General Lightfoot have had words, through letters, about the matter.

## Texas Senate Proceedings.

Austin, Tex.—Fred T. Wilson, chief clerk of the house representatives of the state of Tennessee, was invited to address the senate Saturday, and responded happily and briefly. He is visiting Texas during the recess of the Tennessee legislature.

Senator Cofer and others offered a resolution to amend the rules so as to require only a majority vote to take up house bill No. 146, which locates a normal at Abilene, Tex.

Senator Hudspeth offered an amendment including senate bill No. 280, which is the amendment to the International & Great Northern bill.

The senate had refused to take up both bills by the necessary two-thirds vote.

Senator Adams, representing Brownwood, opposed the Abilene Normal proposition in some vigorous remarks, in which he said it was an attempt to play politics and waste time in the closing hours of the session.

## Bryan Denies Politics.

Senator Bryan was emphatic in replying. He denied playing politics or town boosting, but was representing the West and an immediate section which needs a normal. He said the International & Great Northern bill may be needed, but it is a senate bill and the motion to take it up comes to late.

Senator Vaughan said he was in favor of the normal bill and the resolution, but why waste time when the governor had vetoed the Waco Normal bill and was sure to veto this bill.

Senator Bryan moved to table the Hudspeth amendment, which motion was lost, 14 to 17. The amendment adding the International & Great Northern bill was adopted viva voce.

Senator Vaughan moved to table the resolution as amended.

Senator Bryan, as a signer of the resolution, spoke in support of the amended resolution.

Senator Cofer demanded a division of the question, the same as was done on the Bailey-Culbertson resolution several days since.

Senator Vaughan withdrew his motion to table and moved the previous question, which was duly seconded.

On direct vote the resolution as amended was lost, 9 to 22. Those who voted aye were Messrs. Bryan, Cofer, Collins, Johnson, Lattimore, Sturgeon, Terrell of Wise, Ward and Warren.

All other members of the senate voted no.

The resolution providing joint rules to govern the two bodies was adopted.

Finally passed senate bill prohibiting pollution of streams.

Finally passed house bills exempting Hunt County from the auditor's act; validating the extension of the city limits of Kosse; incorporating Winnboro Independent School District; Denison city charter, amended so as to conform to election held in Denison Friday; amendment to Austin city charter.

Finally passed house bills providing road laws for counties of Bee and Rusk.

Adopted conference committee report on house bill exempting fire, marine and tornado insurance from gross receipts occupation tax on reinsured business.

Concurred in house amendments to senate bill providing a chaplain at the State Training School for Juveniles.

Finally passed house bill giving a permanent certificate of exemption from payment of poll taxes to males over 60 years of age.

Some one jocularly offered to take up the Dallas charter amendment bill, but it was not funny to Senator McNealus, who said:

"I want to say in all seriousness that there is a disposition by some men in this senate to put through a measure of which I am the author—the Dallas charter amendment bill. It has been mutilated in the house, and I do not want it called up. If it is called up I want to be recognized."

## The Legislature

The Solons at Work at the State Capital on New and Old Laws

### Governor Approves Bills.

Austin, Tex.—Governor Colquitt Friday approved bills as follows:

Authorizing the Texas Traction Company to purchase the Denison & Sherman Railroad. Both lines are interurban electric railways, extending from Dallas to Sherman and Sherman to Denison, respectively.

Requiring cotton ginners to write or stamp weight of bagging and ties on every bale of cotton.

Reorganizing the twenty-eighth judicial district, composed of Starr, Hidalgo, Cameron, Willacy and other counties.

Authorizing the superintendent of public buildings and grounds to lease certain state property in Austin.

### Governor Vetoes Normal Bill.

Austin, Tex.—Governor Colquitt's sixth veto message, sent to the senate Friday, disapproved the bill providing for the establishment of a state normal college at Waco. He expressed the belief that another normal is not needed at this time, and also said the revenue condition was not such as to stand the appropriation of \$100,000 made by the bill.

Later in the day the governor sent this additional message:

To the Senate: In vetoing senate bill No. 199, providing for the establishment of the Central Texas Normal School, under the conditions named in the bill, I committed an error in saying that the bill carried a \$100,000 appropriation, which error I regret making very much.

I desire to say, however, that my principal objection to the bill is the increase in the expense which a continual multiplication of these schools entails to the state. I see no reason why, if this policy is to continue, general provision should be made to accept any sort of bonus and establish a normal school in any town making such a proposition. I think it had policy for the state to encumber itself with unnecessary contracts of this kind, when, as far as I know, there is no public demand or necessity for same. Very respectfully,

O. B. COLQUITT,

Governor.

### Governor's Fourth Veto.

The text of the message follows: Governor's Office, March 7, 1911.—To the Senate:

It appears from the statements contained in the caption that one of the purposes of the act is to authorize an increase in the bonded indebtedness of the city of Tyler through proper action by its city council in the sum of \$50,000 for the erection of a schoolhouse. On this account I regret very much that I can not give the bill my approval.

"The city council shall have the right to enact all necessary ordinances to restrain, punish regulate and control license and locate all houses of prostitution or assignation, and the keepers and inmates thereof."

The foregoing provision of the proposed amendment to the charter of the city of Tyler is in direct conflict with the provisions of chapter 4 of title 10 of the penal code, which defines offenses against public morals and provides penalties for violation of same. I do not think the legislature ought to confer authority on the city of Tyler to set aside and by an ordinance annul the statutes herein referred to.

For this reason senate bill No. 332 is vetoed. Respectfully,

O. B. COLQUITT,

Governor of Texas.

### Governor's Fifth Veto.

Governor's Office, March 8.—To the senate: Senate concurrent resolution No. 5, "providing for the creation of a commission to investigate and report to the legislature of this state during its present session a bill to fairly compensate employes for injuries received in the course of employment, and defining the duties of said commission, making an appropriation to carry into effect, and declaring an emergency."

is herewith returned without approval, for the reason that a resolution, practically identical, embraced in house concurrent resolution No. 8, has already been passed by the legislature, and I see no necessity for the approval of two resolutions on identically the same subject—one originating in the house and the other originating in the senate. Respectfully,

O. B. COLQUITT,

Governor of Texas.

### Texas House Proceedings.

Austin, Tex.—In the house Saturday Mr. Watson's senate joint resolution submitting a constitutional amendment authorizing towns and cities to levy a school tax upon themselves by a majority instead of a two-thirds vote failed to pass finally, not receiving a two-thirds vote.

Senate joint resolution by Mr. Townsend, providing for a confederate woman's home was passed finally.

Mr. Singleton's bill increasing the amount of property confederate veterans may have, and be eligible to pensions, to \$2500, was killed by indefinite postponement.

The Ratliff senate bill providing for monthly meetings of county commissioners was engrossed.

The house refused to concur in the senate amendment to the Williams by Dallas insurance bill, designed to avoid the double payment of gross receipt taxes upon reinsurance business.

### Jury Wheel Bill.

The Lattimore bill providing for the filling of the jury wheel each twelve months was passed finally.

Mr. Mayfield's bill adding religious services to the day's program at the state institution for the training of juveniles and providing for a chaplain was passed finally, amended by Mr. Gilmore to provide a chaplain's salary of \$720 instead of \$1,000 per year.

The Terrell of McLennan senate bill school districts containing territory in two or more counties was finally passed.

A resolution by Messrs. Haxthausen and Standifer inviting the International Typographical Union to hold its 1912 convention in Houston was adopted.

The Mayfield senate bill permitting commissioners courts to appropriate not more than \$1,000 per annum for farmers' cooperative demonstration congresses was passed finally.

The Watson senate bill, increasing court stenographers' salaries, was passed finally.

The Weinert-Real bill, authorizing the governor to transfer to the German Evangelical Society about three acres of state land near San Antonio, was passed finally.

### Pass Wharf Company Bill.

The Terrell of McLennan senate bill, placing wharf companies under the regulation of the railroad commission, was passed finally.

Concurred in senate amendments to Denison charter bill.

The house refused to concur in senate amendments to the Spradley assignment of wages bill.

The Meachum senate bill to regulate professional nursing was passed finally.

By a vote of 46 to 44 the house requested the senate to return the stenographers' bill. Mr. Tarver made the motion, saying he did so for the purpose of offering an amendment reducing the payment for transcripts from 15c to 10c.

The Townsend senate bill, permitting the heirs of W. E. Collins to sue the state, was passed finally.

The Vaughan senate bill, authorizing cities and towns to issue viaduct bonds was passed finally.

The Adams senate bill, giving the right of eminent domain to gas and electric companies through the surrounding territory around towns where located, was passed finally.

The Lattimore senate bill, moving the pure food inspectors' headquarters to Austin, was passed finally.

The Hudspeth bill to validate titles of school lands was passed finally.

The house refused to take up the Turney land bill, reconsidered that action after an impassioned address by Mr. Turney, and then once more refused to take it up.

Senate joint resolution by Astin submitting a constitutional amendment, separating the A. and M. and State Universities was taken up.

Mr. Robertson of Travis said that as there were only about eighty-nine members present, and as some had told him they would vote against it, although a platform demand, he moved to postpone until tomorrow morning.

Mr. Kennedy opposed postponement saying "Let's settle it now."

Finally passed senate bill regulating sale of commercial fertilizer.

Passed finally senate bill authorizing chairman of board of regents of university to authorize some other officer to sign vouchers.

Austin, Tex.—The house Friday adopted the free conference report on the tuberculosis bill; appropriating of \$140,000 for two colonies. Also free conference report on the booster bill.

Passed finally Kenedy joint resolution submitting a constitutional amendment providing that cities of more than 5,000 inhabitants may adopt city charters independent of legislative action.

The Brown of Tarrant bill providing for the appointment of a commission by the higher courts to reform court procedure.

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### Her Wedding March.

A young girl who had never heard of Mendelssohn's "Wedding March," but was familiar with the more popular parody on it, was a witness to a wedding ceremony in an uptown church recently. As the betrothed pair walked with dignified tread toward the altar to be wed and the organ pealed forth Mendelssohn's inspiring march, the young girl was plainly shocked. When she arrived at her home she told her mother of the ceremony and innocently exclaimed: "What do you think, mother, they played 'Gee Whiz! I'm glad I'm Free.'"

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Besides, Cardui has a record of more than fifty years' success, in the treatment of womanly ailments and weaknesses. During this time, more than a million women have been benefited. Try what it will do for you!

For Sale at All Drug Stores.



**Quality of Drugs, Quality of Work, Quality of Reliability in Prescriptions.**

No substitute or change of prescriptions in this store. We send for and deliver prescriptions free and do it promptly. No long waits.

**The Murchison - Beasley Drug Company**

**Local News.**

Buy feed from Billy Lewis. Billy Lewis wants your feed business. 2t.

Iron beds cheaper than elsewhere at the Big Store.

Flour, meal, chops, bran and hay cheap at Billy Lewis'. 2t.

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

You can always get Rayo lamp fixtures from Billy Lewis. 2t.

Lawn worth 20c a yard going at 12c a yard at Daniel & Burton's. 2t.

Rayo lamps, Rayo lamp wicks, Rayo lamp chimneys and shades at Billy Lewis'. 2t.

Just received at the Big Store a beautiful line of ties, in both men and women's.

Judge Porter Newman of Durant, Okla., was here the first of the week.

The latest, best and most stylish in dress goods is to be found at Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

When your clothes need cleaning and pressing phone 159. Arledge Tailoring Co.

Better get in line and do your trading with Daniel & Burton. You'll miss it if you don't. 2t.

We have just received a swell line of window curtains. Call and see them. Deupree & Waller.

Phone 159 and let us call for your next suit to be cleaned and pressed. Arledge Tailoring Co.

Brown wagons, the best wagon on wheels. Sold only in Houston county by Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

For the very latest in velvet, satin and cravanette pumps, visit Jas. S. Shivers & Co., Crockett, Texas.

Nat Allbright has a complete stock of everything in the grocery line. Prompt delivery to any part of the city.

Take your watch, clock, and jewelry repair work to W. W. Meeks & Son, next door to McLean's Drug Store. 1t

For Sale—Thoroughbred white Wyandotte cockerels for breeders. 2 Rings on 14. Mrs. Frank Lee. 2t

**For Rent or Sale.**  
A Pasture Lot of 8 acres, well watered, in Crockett. 1t S. F. Tenney.

Watson's Fly-Proof Healer. For barb wire cuts, saddle and collar sores. Heals quickly and leaves no scar. Does not irritate. 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed. Sold by Haring Drug Co.

250 bushels of the famous M-bane cotton seed at Moore & Shivers; get them while they are cheap.

Ladies, if you want something nice and snappy in style and quality that is second to none you can find it at Daniel & Burton's. 2t.

Art squares and rugs, window shades "that last longer," and in fact everything that goes in the home. Deupree & Waller.

21 Case Cultivators sold in one day by Moore & Shivers; they would not sell unless they were good, get one and try it for yourself.

Take the Chronicle. Delivered every night. Same news fifteen hours earlier and costs less. A. W. Hamlin, at Crockett Courier office.

**Wanted.**  
Ten teams to haul lumber. Pay every two weeks. Apply at Daniel & Brinson's Saw Mill, 3 miles south of Crockett. 4t

Let Daniel & Burton have your dry goods business. Our stock of new spring goods is large and the patterns the prettiest you ever saw. Come and see us. 2t.

Go look at those fine buggies, carriages, etc. Three car loads to select from. I can please you. Harness also. Jno. R. Foster, The Buggy Man. 4t

Don't take our word for it, get our prices and be convinced that we give better values for less money. Deupree & Waller, House Furniture and Undertakers.

If you want a cultivator to do the best work and do it with more ease on both the team and operator, buy the John Deere Royal Balance. For sale by Daniel & Burton. 2t.

District court met Monday and in the absence of Judge Gardner the bar elected Hon. W. C. Campbell of Palestine as special judge for the week. The empanelling of the grand jury was deferred until next Monday.

The John Deere Royal Balance frame, Ratchet beam cultivator can be set at any desired angle to fit any kind of a row and is the only cultivator that will successfully handle the barrow attachment. Daniel & Burton sell them. 2t.

W. W. Meeks, a Graduate Optician from two leading schools, will soon open up an optical parlor in connection with his watch and jewelry repair shop. He will then be prepared to test and fit eyes with the latest and best glasses now manufactured. 1t

Watson's Purge Mix (in capsule). The best purge for horses, mules and cattle. Results guaranteed. Sold by Haring Drug Co.

Buy feed from Billy Lewis. Billy Lewis wants your feed business. 2t.

E. Vickers of Kennard was a visitor at this office Friday.

Flour, meal, chops, bran and hay cheap at Billy Lewis'. 2t.

See Nat Allbright for anything in staple and fancy groceries.

You can always get Rayo lamp fixtures from Billy Lewis. 2t.

Phone Nat Allbright for groceries. A fresh stock always on hand.

Rayo lamps, Rayo lamp wicks, Rayo lamp chimneys and shades at Billy Lewis'. 2t.

If you have trading trouble tell it to Daniel & Burton. They'll fix it for you. 2t.

C. B. Isbell of Route 5 was among those calling at the Courier office Monday.

One car of cypress shingles unloaded by Moore & Shivers, at prices that defy competition.

Chicken wire, hog wire, screen wire and barb wire at lowest prices at Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

We will call and deliver your clothes if you will phone 159. Arledge Tailoring Co.

Those shoes sold by Daniel & Burton will make your feet easy and the price will please you. 2t.

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

If your clothes need pressing just phone 159. We will call and deliver. Arledge Tailoring Co.

J. E. Lundy of Lovelady and J. W. Allen of Route 1 were callers at the Courier office last week.

Oliver cultivators are the best. Lightest on your teams and are labor savers. Jas. S. Shivers & Co. sell them.

**A Bargain for You.**  
One new High Grade Piano at DeDaines Music Store. Next door to Telephone Office.

Don't order a buggy. Give me same money and take one from me. Jno. R. Foster, The Buggy Man. 4t

**Wanted—Fireman at the Monk sawmill, four miles east of Crockett. Wages paid weekly. A. D. Oliphint.**

Buy an Oliver cultivator of Jas. S. Shivers & Co., and make 2 bales of cotton where you would make but one with the same labor.

With the barrow attachment on a John Deere Royal Balance cultivator (Ratch beam) anybody can farm easy. For sale by Daniel & Burton. 2t.

Horace Moore of Route 1, Geo. Vaughn of Kennard, and D. H. Jones are three of the Courier's colored subscribers remembering us since last issue.

Uncle Sam moved his army to the border in a hurry, and if you want to push your crop fast, and with ease, use a Case Cultivator from Moore & Shivers.

Three cars of buggies, hacks and carriages to select from and at prices to suit. Also harness. Jno. R. Foster, The Buggy Man. 4t

Matting, matting, matting! We have it in all the latest designs and our prices, quality considered, are cheaper than any house in Houston county. Let us lay it for you and guarantee our work. Deupree & Waller.

If you contemplate buying a cultivator it will pay you to examine the John Deere Royal Balance frame. Look carefully into every point of improvement, then make up your mind. If you will do this we are sure the Deere make will win. Daniel & Burton. 2t.

**Notice.**  
Dr. W. R. Rucker, Veterinary Surgeon of Palestine, has located in Crockett with office at Smith Bros' Stables, and is prepared to treat diseases of all domestic animals. Hog cholera, black leg, and all other infectious diseases promptly eradicated. Milk cows tested for tuberculosis.

**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

**Strayed.**

One sorrel mare mule, about 4 years old; one black mare mule, and one small sorrel mare, blaze in face and white hind feet, roached mane. Will pay \$10 for their recovery. Richard King, Crockett, Texas.

**House-Keepers Attention.**

Commencing March 20th, all "WHITE CREST" Flour will be packed with valuable coupons, which will be redeemed with cash premiums amounting to \$120.00. You can secure full information from your grocer, or from us. Use "WHITE CREST" Flour, the BEST ON EARTH, and save your coupons. Edmiston Bros.

**A Coming Treat.**

Too much praise cannot be given the Shakespeare Club for engaging the Schubert Symphony Club and Lady Quartette of Chicago to appear here on March 21 at the Court House. This company is in its 20th year of success, and is acknowledged everywhere to be the most "up to date" Musical Company travelling. Everybody likes music and everybody enjoys a hearty laugh. A delightful blending of pure fun and fine music is one reason why the above company has won its way to the top notch of public esteem.

**Notice!**

Mrs. Corry will tender Mrs. Katherine Buford Peeples a Reception Musicale, Friday afternoon of this week, March 17. The entertainment will be both a Musicale and Free-will Offering, the proceeds to be divided between Mrs. Peeples and the Confederate Monument Fund. As Mrs. Corry cannot possibly get a message to all friends, she has requested the papers to give invitations for her. Any amount from thirty-five cents to one dollar, or as much more as they may feel inclined to give, will be most acceptable to Mrs. Corry.

**Election Notice.**

Be it ordained by the City Council of the city of Crockett that an election be and the same is hereby ordered held on the second Tuesday in April, A. D. 1911, in the city of Crockett, Houston county, Texas, for the purpose of electing three aldermen, a city marshal and city attorney for the city of Crockett, that due and legal notice thereof be given in terms of the law, and that James Langston be and he is hereby appointed manager of such election. C. L. Edmiston, Mayor. Attest: M. Satterwhite, Secretary.

We are glad to announce to our friends and customers that we have secured the agency for the famous SANIDOWN mattress. As a matter of fact this mattress needs no introduction in Crockett. For the reason that there has been more Sanidown mattresses sold in Crockett the past two years than all other tuftless mattresses combined is sufficient proof that it has no equal. This mattress is guaranteed for 90 years against becoming uneven or lumpy, is made of the very best grade of cotton by a process that places it in a "class" to itself. Let us place one in your house on trial, and if you do not say that it is the best mattress made you will be under no obligation to buy. Deupree & Waller, House Furniture and Undertakers.

Medicines that aid nature are always most successful. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts on this plan. It loosens the cough, relieves the lungs, opens the secretions and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Sold by Murchison-Beasley Drug Co.



**Be Careful**

in buying drugs. It is more important than in buying anything else. When we hand out a bottle of medicine, prepared according to a physician's prescription, we know that it contains nothing but the purest and best of drugs, accurately compounded and is sure to accomplish the results the physician who prescribed it intended it to accomplish. Those who are careful in their drug buying and who want to feel secure buy here.

**McLean's Drug Store**

**REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE First National Bank AT LOVELADY**

In the State of Texas, at the close of business, March 7th, 1911.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 84,960 67
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	312 77
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	6,250 00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	1,858 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	1,045 07
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks	2,695 38
Due from approved Reserve Agents	9,836 58
Checks and other Cash Items	65 00
Notes of other National Banks	155 00
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels and Cents	302 16
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	\$7,129 65
Legal-tender notes	185 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	312 50
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$115,193 38</b>
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 25,000 00
Surplus fund	2,750 00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid	1,964 61
National Bank Notes outstanding	6,250 00
Individual Deposits subject to check	71,479 81
Time certificates of deposit	7,669 45
Cashier's checks outstanding	79 41
Reserved for Taxes	40 00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$115,193 38</b>

State of Texas, County of Houston, ss:  
I, W. C. Page, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
W. C. PAGE, Cashier.  
Correct—Attest: J. O. MONDAY, H. H. LARUE, W. B. COLLINS, Directors.

**A Plea for the Monument Fund.**

As we have always responded cheerfully and liberally to all requests for church, charitable, and social organizations, I am now, through the courtesy of the papers, going to extend invitations to all friends and lovers of good music to our home on the afternoon of Friday, March 17, at 3:30 o'clock p.m., to a Reception Musicale and Free-will Offering. Those who have heard Mrs. Katherine Buford Peeples' exquisite, superb piano playing have expressed a desire to hear her again. This prompted me to give them and those who have not heard her the opportunity to do so. The proceeds of this entertainment are to be divided equally between Mrs. Peeples and the Confederate Monument Fund. While I have attended many Free-will Offerings, this is my first and probably the last; so I shall appreciate it if all friends will respond with a liberal contribution. Mrs. C. N. Corry.

Watson's Liniment relieves aches and pains in man or beast. 25c and \$1.00. Guaranteed. Sold by Haring Drug Co.

# Smith Hardware Company

↔ A New Store ↔

## Exclusive Hardware

The new hardware store is now open for business. We are daily receiving new goods and expect to have one of the most complete and best lines of shelf and builders' hardware to be found in East Texas.

We have only the best standard lines and nothing of a shoddy nature will be allowed space in our store. It is our aim and determination to make this establishment the logical trading point for all buyers of hardware that visit Crockett. We invite you to extend us the favor of coming in and carefully inspecting our goods and we have no fear whatever of being able to please you.

Watch this space for our advertisement showing cuts and illustrations of our high grade lines and then come in and let us show you the goods.

YOURS FOR THE BEST TO BE HAD

# Smith Hardware Company

One Door East of Dan J. Kennedy

Crockett, Texas

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W. W. AIKEN, Editor and Proprietor.

#### 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.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Courier is authorized to make the following announcements for city office, election to be held March 21, 1911:

For City Marshal  
C. W. LeGory  
S. B. Box  
G. H. Bayne

#### Methodists of Crockett.

As all Methodists are aware, Southern Methodism is taking a forward movement in the matter of both foreign and home missions, and the church authorities have set apart the month of March for pushing the claims of the church along these lines.

This movement has been designated as the "March Campaign for Missions," and every organized church in the south is now at work arranging for it, and the church at Crockett is expected to do its share of this work as it always does. We are sure we can rely upon our church membership to rally to this movement and do all in their power to make it the success it ought to be and such a success as is worthy of the church at Crockett.

The movement, while not antagonistic to or interfering with foreign missions, is largely for the advancement of the "Home" Mission efforts of Southern Methodism. As evidence of this, it is proposed that each church, after the regular assessment for the

general "Conference Fund" are met, may direct how any excess over and above these amounts may be used, and may apply it to the work of evangelizing the unoccupied places in the home country, or to parts of it, as it may choose to do.

This is a movement worthy of the very best efforts of the church, and in order to comply with the instructions of the church authorities in this matter, a "Church Conference" will be held at some suitable time during this month to take action upon it. Among other things to be done at this conference, it will be necessary to appoint a committee whose duty it will be to look after the collection of the amount proposed to be collected, and to make what is known as the "Every Member Canvas" for mission contributions.

The Laymen's Missionary Movement is aiding the church in this great enterprise and the laymen will be expected to do the work under the direction and approval of the pastor. We beg of every member of our church to be considering the matter, so that when the church conference meets we may be able to act intelligently and wisely upon it. This conference will be held some time during this month and it is important that we lay the object in view very much on our hearts in order that our church may not fail to be in position to share in the great benefits that are sure to follow the energetic prosecution of the work the church has in hand in the way of pushing the spread of the gospel and the salvation of souls.

Geo. W. Davis, Pastor,  
J. W. Madden, Church Leader.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are safe, sure and reliable, and have been praised by thousands of women who have been restored to health through their gentle aid and curative properties. Sold by Murchison-Beasley Drug Co.

Watson's Stagger Remedy cures Blind Staggers in Horses and Mules. \$1.00 guarantee. Sold by Haring Drug Co.

### No. 4584 REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE First National Bank

AT CROCKETT.  
In the State of Texas, at the close of business,  
March 7, 1911.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$454,464 05
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	7,484 61
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	100,000 00
Bonds, Securities, etc.	51,000 00
Banking house, Furniture and Fixtures	13,500 00
Other Real Estate owned	10,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	2,145 62
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies and Savings Banks	1,619 37
Due from approved Reserve Agents	80,014 03
Checks and other Cash Items	400 05
Notes of other National Banks	400 00
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels, and Cent	502 55
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie	\$19,667 50
Legal-tender notes	7,000 00— 26,667 50
Due from U. S. Treasurer	3,400 00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$751,597 78</b>

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$100,000 00
Surplus fund	70,000 00
Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid	7,510 64
National Bank Notes outstanding	98,400 00
Due to other National Banks	381 84
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers	5,898 88
Individual Deposits subject to check	374,070 22
Demand Certificates of Deposit	3,768 00
Time Certificates of Deposit	89,727 47
Certified checks	518 09
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,322 64
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$751,597 78</b>

State of Texas, County of Houston, ss:  
I, M. P. Jensen, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. P. JENSEN, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March, 1911.  
H. J. ARLEDGE, Notary Public.  
Correct—Attest: H. F. MOORE,  
ARCH BAKER,  
JOHN LeGORY,  
Directors.

Fully nine out of every ten cases of rheumatism is simply rheumatism of the muscles due to cold or damp, or chronic rheumatism, neither of which require any internal treatment. All that is needed to afford relief is the free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. Give it a trial. You are certain to be pleased with the quick relief which it affords. Sold by Murchison-Beasley Drug Co.

## Crockett Market Co.

(SUCCESSORS TO JOHN ESTES)

DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF Fresh Meats

AND Country Produce

WE BUY HIDES, WOOL AND WAX

GIVE US A TRIAL

#### Foley Kidney Pills

Neutralize and remove the poisons that cause backache, rheumatism, nervousness and all kidney and bladder irregularities. They build up and restore the natural action of these vital organs.

Will McLean.

Watson's Liquir Blister cures spavin, fistula and bone lameness in horses and mules. Guaranteed. Sold by Haring Drug Co.

Itch relieved in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Never fails. Sold by Murchison & Beasley, Druggists.

## Economical Vehicle Luxury

Carriage hire counts up. Why not own your own vehicle? It will soon pay for itself and give you pleasure and satisfaction all the time. We have a line of new ones that leaves little to be desired. Every one stylish and worthy. If you knew how little we asked for a really good buggy, road-wagon or surrey, you would become a vehicle owner.

Let's get together and talk it over.

T. J. Waller

