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Ten Thousand Dollar Company Or ganized and Very Little of the Stock Left.

Another enthusiastic fair meeting was held Friday night, at which it was reported by the committee that most of the stock had been taken. It was proposed that the fair association go into permanent organization with a capi- the way around to the southeast talization of \$10,000 and that officers be elected for one year. The officers were nominated and elected as follows: Thos. Self, president; John Millar, vice president; C. L. Edmiston, secretary, and T. R. Deupree, treasurer. Mana- stock. The race course will be gers were nominated and elected as follows: C. C. Warfield, manager of race track; W. A. Norris, manager of fair grounds; H. J. race course in the state and the Arledge, manager of agricultural exhibits; Jim Smith, manager of state. The Houston county fair live stock exhibits, and T. R. Deupree, manager of horse races.

A report showed that all the stock. \$10,000, had been subscrib- some of the stock of the associaed and that all but about \$2000 tion has been subscribed by parhad been paid in. Application ties who have pledged themselves will be immediately made to the to distribute it among as many state for a permanent charter and people over the county as possible, the Houston county fair will be- so that as many people as possible come a permanent enterprise. may become stockholders in the Honey and Tar Compound. Con-The purpose of the organization fair and interested workers. The tains no opiates. I. W. Sweet.

point; to encourage agriculture, county. livestock raising, gardening, orcharding and dairying. Premums will be offered for the best of everything produced in Houston county.

Improvements at the fair grounds will be immediately hegun. The high board fence on the north side will be extended all corner and the high wire fence at the northeast corner will be extended to intersect the board fence. Additional stalls for exhibition purposes will be built as well as additional stalls for liveworked over and put in tiptop shape for fast racing. The association expects to have the fastest next to the biggest fair in the will be second only to the state Simpson. fair at Dallas.

The Courier is informed that

FAIR ASSOCIATION INCORPORATED is to promote the material welfare shares have been placed at \$25 of Houston county, from an edu- each so as to place them within cational as well as financial stand- the reach of every citizen in the

Sacred Concert.

At Methodist church, Sunday night, November 19, at 7 o'clock. Organ voluntary, violin and cornet accompaniment. Anthem, "The King's Brigade."

Prayer, Rev. Geo. W. Davis. Duet, "Come Holy Spirit," Mrs. P. Hail and Mrs. Julia Barbee. Hymn, "Litton," Choir. Solo, sejected, Mrs. J. D. Wood-

Trio, "God Reigneth," Mrs. J. P. Hail, Mrs. A. M. Decuir, Mr. L. L. Moore.

Reading, "The Church Choir," Mrs. J. A. McConnell.

Offertory (a) "In Heavenly (b) Solo, se Love Abiding." lected, Mrs. J. P. Hail. Antnem, "Praise the Lord. choir. Incidental solo, Miss Grace

Solo, "O God, Be Merciful," Miss Willie Park Blair. Hymn, "Coronation," Congregation and Choir. Benediction.

Postlude.

For coughing, dryness and tickling in the throat, horseness and all coughs and colds, take Foley's

District Court Proceedings. Will Bradford, criminal assault; bail forfeited and alias capias ssued.

Milton Ivans, criminal assault; November 16. jury, failing to agree on verdict. was dismissed.

Will Tucker, criminal assault; set for November 15 and special venire of 75 men ordered.

Tom Franklin, burglary with fire arms; verdict of not guilty. Tom Franklin, Walter Wright and Jim Rosser, burglary with fire arms; dismissed by the state. Russ Moore, theft of hogs; continued by consent.

Albert Stewart, forgery and passing a forged instrument; continued by consent.

Berry Simons, theft from the person; continued by consent. George Mason, John Mason and Marshall Oliver, theft of hogs; continued by consent and reset for April 1, 1912.

Cloyd High, burglary in the night time; continued by consent. Clabe Lewis, perjury; continued by consent.

Ben Larue, assault with intent to murder, guilty of aggravated assault and battery, and fined \$500 and six months in the county jail. Tom Large, assault with intent ordered its discharge. to murder; guilty of assault and battery and fined \$100. Alfred Pouncey, criminal a

sault; set for November 22 and special venire of 40 men ordered. J. W. Manning, et al., assault with intent to murder; set for

Jim Turner, assault with intent to murder; continued by consent.

Woman Jury Discharged.

Los Angeles, Cal., November 10.-Unable to agree upon anything, the first woman's jury to sit in Los Angeles was discharged late to-day. The case was that of I. H. Nagor, accused of having violated the speed ordinance and arraigned in a justice court.

After listening patiently for three hours to testimony 'and arguments, the jury at 12:30 o'clock was notified to get ready for luncheon. Twelve different eating places were selected by twelve jurors. Then two said they did not want to go at all. In vain did Justice Forbes urgethem to reach an agreement as to a place for luncheon. Finally at 1:30 he ordered them to check up again. The justice, too, lost his lunch.

At 5 o'clock, after four and a half hours' deliberation, the jury reported that it was unable to agree on a verdict and the court





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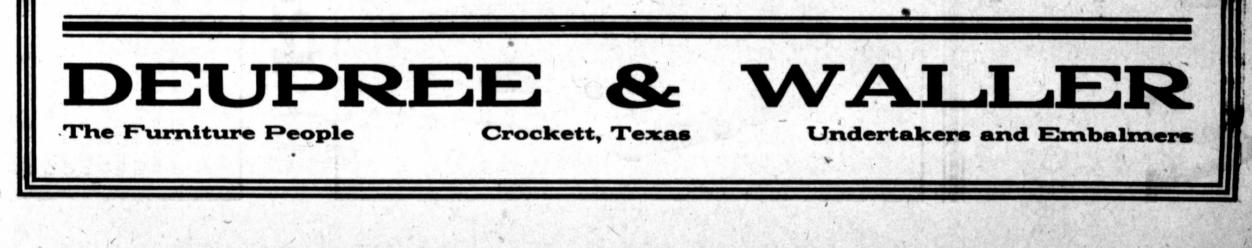
We have moved our entire stock of furniture to our new quarters in the building formerly occupied by T. J. Waller's saddle shop, where we are much better prepared than ever before to fill your every want in up-to-date household furnishings. Come in to see us and you will see for yourself that we are now carrying one of the most complete stocks of dependable furniture that has ever before been carried in Houston county.

In our well selected stock we are showing the handsomest bedroom, parlor, library and dining room suites in all the popular woods, most fashionable designs and artistic finishes at prices that come within the reach of every one.

Our line of chairs, couches, settees and davenports is one of the strongest and best that is being shown anywhere in Texas. This line contains all the newest patterns from the double-seat canes to the best leather upholstered mahogany and the price knows no competition

Our rug, matting and linoleum department is teeming with beautiful and artistic bargains for every lover of the home beautiful. The quality of these is the best, the designs are artistic, the colorings the most beautiful and the price is unquestionably the lowest.

Come to see us and let us have the pleasure of showing you through our entire line. You will be pleased and profited by doing so. We guarantee perfect satisfaction in each and every article bought from us. We lay your mattings, linoleum, carpets and rugs, hang your shades and curtains and frame your pictures in the way it should be done. Do your trading with us and we assure you you will have no cause to regret having done so.



The New San Antonio.

The announcement has been made that the Zoo, which has so than his county competitors, a tong been a conspicuous and pep- farmer's boy can now help to ular feature of San Antonio's satisfy his ambition to secure a amusement resorts, has been sold college education. The Board of and will be removed to Kansas Regents of the University have City.

as the Zoo is characteristic in its contests in corn growing and in collections of this part of the hog growing throughout the State of suffering and ill health, but Southwest, and it has been instructive, as well as an exhibit for carry with them free tuition and the benefit of, not only Eastern visitors, but for the young people tion fees. All winners in these of this section, who gained there a valuable knowledge of natural history, such as cannot be found President Mezes of the University. anywhere else in the world. In that zoo are found the animals and the University come from the and when I heard that an acquaintthe birds which are peculiar to farm and ranch. Texas is 76 per ance had been cured of a similar Southwest Texas, including the javalin, the coyote, the armadillo, the "white wing," and many other interesting studies, the pos- sity training-not necessarily to session of which will be a great take them from the country, but Drug Store and I take pleasure in loss to San Antonio as a show town.

of interest in San Antonio have desirable. been disappearing of late years. The famous old restaurant .conducted by "Ernest," known almost the world over for its splendid steaks which could be found nowhere elec, ended with the death of its proprietor; the old Palm Garden, s) long a pleasure place for citizens and visitors in the city, went out of business, and when the Zoo goes there will be but little left of the old San Antonio. Then its charm will be gone and the wisitor there will find only the cold, sordid commercialism of other cities, and the Old San Antonio will be no more.

This is an keeping with the progress of the age, it is true. but to the old timers who stil cling to a fragment of the sentiment which once made the old town a charm and a dream, the change will be far from pleasing. Skyscrapers can never supplant in the old heart the quaintness of the city in its former glory.

KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL. From the Farm to the University.

By raising more corn or hogs

offered free scholarships in the This will be regretted by many, institution to the winners of the of Texas. These scholarships an exemption from all matriculacontests may have scholarships Doan's Kidney Pills. Here is a issued to them by addressing Crockett citizen's recommendation. About one half of the students of cent rural. The University hopes to encourage the boys and girls of the back country to seek Univerto so equip them that they may return to the farm and make life

But, one by one the old places in the country more attractive and

Man Runs for Office as Joke.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., November 7. The queerest banquet ever given here was that John J. McDavitt of this city tendered to himself in recognition of his political prowess. Running as a joke, the obtained the democratic nomination for county treasurer and was then induced to withdraw from the ticket. During the campaign he did not spend a cent, but with loose, powdery sand and holes candidates.

To day, in the leading hotel here, the banquet took place. Mr. McDavitt was entertainment

committee, host, toastmaster and guest. At the table he acknowledged the applause of imaginary into their holes. admirers by gravely bowing, ate his dinner in state, then, as toastmaster, called upon himself with main perfectly motionless they will in a glowing tribute to make a speech. greeted himself with applause as he arose, made a speech and applauded himself as he sat down.

Health is Worth Saving, and Some Crockett People Know How to Save It.

Many Crockett people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help. Sick kidneys are responsible for a vast amount there is no need to suffer nor to remain in danger when all diseases and aches and pains due to weak kidneys can be quickly and permanently cured by the use of J. F. Leathers, of Crockett, Texas, says: "A soreness across my kidneys made me miserable, trouble by Doan's Kidney Pills, I began using the remedy. The contents of one box fixed me up in good shape. Doan's Kidney Pills were procured at Sweet's giving them my endorsement."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster - Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name-Doan'sand take no other.

PILLMAKING CRABS.

Queer Way These Tiny Creatures Get

Their Food From the Sand. Curious little crabs, mostly about the size of a pea, are found in abundance on the shores of the Malay peninsula. They are usually first perceived on the beaches after the going down of the tide, when they give the beach the appearance of being covered of various sizes. Upon looking more made money speaking for other closely it is perceived that little radiating paths converge among the litter

of sand to each hole and that the sand itself is in minute balls. At the approach of an observer there immediately becomes apparent a peculiar "twinkle," which is nothing else than the simultaneous and rapid retreat of a multitude of the tiny crabs

Should one who is watching these curious little creatures take up his position by one of their holes and retime come out, when he will be enabled to see them at work.

Coming cautiously to the mouth of the hole, the crab will reconnoiter a bit, and when satisfied that no enemy is near it will venture about its own length from its lurking place. Then, mies rapidly taking up particles of sand in its claws, it will deposit them in a groove beneath the thorax.

Marlin, Texas

WHERE DEEPEST AND HOTTEST ARTESIAN WELLS

In the world are flowing 300,000 gallons of hot mineral water every day that is curing more people of RHEUMATISM, STOM-ACH and SKIN DISEASES than ever before. Thousands are cured and they in turn send their friends to MARLIN, where the health-giving waters flow. Round trip rates on all railroads. For further information write to

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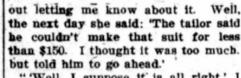
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are monuments to the energy and enterprise of the cititizens of a community.

If you have a farm for sale, list it with

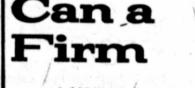
FREEMAN, Lovelady, Texas.

M^R. ADVERTISER : If you make or sell anything that your customers want, or ought to want, tell them about it in the Courier. Everything used in the home or by the family can be sold with profit through this medium. The paper with the circulation that goes directly into the homes. Rates and other information on application.



"'Well, I suppose it is all right,' I said, 'but why didn't you consult me first?

"Why, dearle, I didn't want to spend car fare for two visits.' "I tell you, it's these little econo-



spend \$2000 for an ad. in the Saturday Evening Post unless they have the goods? Kahn D

Even the picturesque San Anpathy with its old friends. And it looks lonely without them.-Laredo Times.

An Ordinance Requiring Building Permits Within the City Limits of the City of Crockett, Texas.

Be it ordained by the City of Crockett that hereafter it shall be unlawful for any person to -construct or cause to be constructed, place or cause to be repaired, any building or structure of any kind within the city limits of the City of Crockett, without first making written application to the City Council for permit, and accompanying such application with full information as to location of proposed building or structure, estimated cost and description of material to be used in construction, and obtaining the written permit of the City Council to erect said building or structure. Any person violating this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be fined in sum not less than \$25.00 or more than \$100.00, and each day that said building or structure remains, without permit, shall constitute a separate offence.

Attest: C. L. Edmiston, M. Satterwhite, Mayor. Secretary.

Coughing at night

Means loss of sleep which is bad for everyone. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound stops the cough at once, relieves the tickling and dryness in the throat and heals the inflamed membranes. Prevents a cold developing into bronchitis or pheumonia. Keep it al-ways in the house. Refuse sub-stitutes. I. W. Sweet.

J. E. Parker, 2021 No. 10th St., tonio river is drying up in sym- Ft. Smith, Ark., says that he had taken many kinds of kidney medicine, but did not get better until he took Foley Kidney Pills. No matter how long you have had kidney trouble, you will find quick and permanent benefit by the use of Foley Kidney Pills. Start tak-ing them now. I. W. Sweet.

> In damp, chilly weather there 18 always a large demand for Ballard's Snow Liniment because many people who know by experience its great relieving power in rheumatic aches and pains, prepare to apply it at the first twinge. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Murchison-Beasley Drug

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As it does so a little ball of sand is rapidly projected as through its mouth. This it seizes with one claw and deposits on one side, proceeding in this manner until the smooth beach is covered with little pellets or pills corresponding in size to its own dimensions. This is evidently its method of extracting particles of food from the sand.-Harper's Weekly.



The Foxes Mourn When a Head of the Gormanston Family Dies.

"Among the oldest families in Ireland are the Gormanstons. It is said that when the head of the house dies and for some days before the fores leave all the neighboring coverts and collect at the door of the castle. This strange phenomenon," writes E. T. Humphries in the National Review, "occurred when the twelfth Viscount Gormanston died in 1860 and again in 1876, when the thirteenth viscount shook off this mortal coil. The fourteenth holder of the title died in 1907. Inquiry was then made to test the truth or otherwise of the weird legend.

"The son, in a letter published in the New Irish Review, stated that when in the chapel watching his father's remains/prior to burial he heard noises outside as of a dog sniffing at the door. Upon opening it there was a full grown fox close to the steps and several more around the church. The coachman confirms the presence of the foxes; so does another family retainer.

"The daughter of the thirteenth sucsessor wrote saying that upon the illness of her father the foxes sat in pairs under the bedroom windows. howling and barking all night, and if driven away returned.

"The family crest is a running for, and a for is one of the supporters of the family arms."

His Thoughtful Wife.

"I hate to boast," said a Cleveland lawyer, "but my wife is one of the most economical women in the world. The other day she told me she needed a new suit. I said she ought to have it, by all means, but asked her not to spend a big bunch of money with-

that count. eh?"-Cleveland Press.

Pay of French Ministers. Ministers in France are not so well

paid as in England. All members of the French cabinet receive the same salary, £2,400 a year, and as they have to forfeit the allowance of £600 which they receive as senators or deputies their net annual gain through taking office is only £1,800. It is true they are provided with official residences, furnished, heated and lighted at the public expense. Their tenure of office is, however, so precarious that they can never venture to let their private residences, so they save nothing under the head of rent.-London Chronicle.

The Oxidization of Brass. Brass when immersed in a hot solution consisting of one-half ounce of golden sulphuret of antimony and four ounces of caustic soda in each gallon of water becomes oxidized with a pleasing brown shade. The shade becomes darker if the metal is immersed in a dilute solution of sulphate of copper, used cold, about four to eight ounces to the gallon. Several immersions in the same manner give deeper brown tones.

Felt So Small.

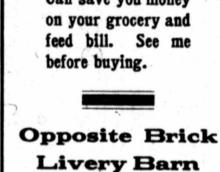
Boggs-Did you get in all right last night? Woggs-Oh, yes. Boggs-Then the doors wern't locked, as you feared? Woggs-Indeed they were; but my wife yelled at me as I was coming up the steps, so I crawled in through the letter slot .- Puck.

He who has truth in his heart need never fear the want of persuasion on his tongue.-Ruskin.

A Fine Distinction. Sometimes a small boy can draw a fine distinction. Two fishermen of the sportsman type, equipped with all the latest appliances for angling, were walking a mountain road when they met a barefooted boy with a tin can in his hand and a carelessly trimmed branch of a tree slung over his shoulder.

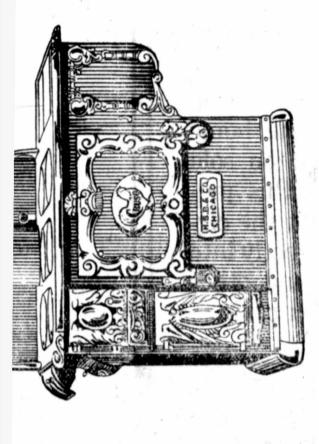
"Hello, sonny!" exclaimed one of the men. "Going fishing?" "No," drawled the youngster, with only a glance at the splendid outfits, "I ain't goin' fishin'. I'm just goin' down to the crick to ketch some fish."

Tailoring Company always have one in the Post, therefore they always have the quality in their clothes. Call to-day and let me tape you for one of those Kahn tailored suits. S. R. ELLIS -Over Bricker's J. C. Rains GROCERIES AND FEED **Stock Complete Prices Lowest** Supply Fresh Can save you money

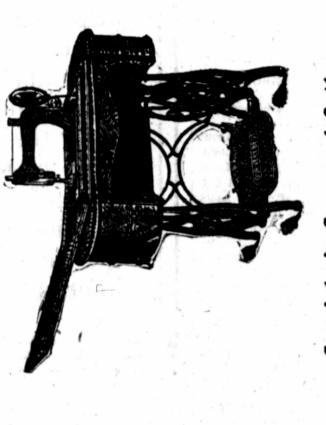


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They are the Ravenoc kind-the kind that cook better, heat and last longer for less money than any others. Also a big stock of high class, reliable sewing machines. Think of a \$65.00 machine for In this stock you can find the best cook stoves, ranges and heaters to be Special prices during this great sale. \$35.00. found. better



Specials in Guns and Cutlery.

\$25.00 \$19.50 17.50 16.25 13.50 10.00 8.50 00.7

And

barrelled, pump and automatic shot guns and rifles and cutlery of all kinds at most attractive prices. NOW IS THE TIME TO GET THAT NEW GUN YOU HAVE BEEN THINKING ABOUT. During this sale we are going to offer our big stock of double and single

Groceries.

6.00 4.75 4.00 4.25 3.25 3.00 2.50

Rice worth 6 cents a pound will go at20 pounds for \$1.00 Our stock is always large and during this sale we will make you special prices on these.

Saturday, Remember the dates, Saturday, Novemand including December 2, 1911. 5 ber 18th,

And the old reliable 10c grade, per pair, for

Ladies' gauze lisle, 50c kind for

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Belts for Men and Boys.

59c390 190 We have a large stock of these and will sell during this : great sale the 75c kind for. And the 25c ones for The 50c ones for .

Shirts. Worth While in Something

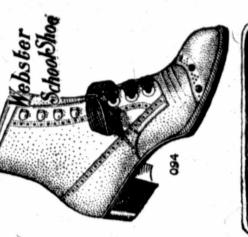
from 50c to \$2.50 each, all of which we are going to put in at slaughter prices. Look for bargain lots and price cards Our stock is very large, consisting of negligees, soft colors, plain and plaited white and over shirts, ranging in price everywhere.

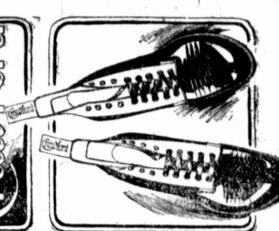
Underwear Bargains.

We have not overlooked this important item, and in our large stock you will find everything you want in this line, including the Celebrated Wright's Spring Needle kind for men, and ranging in price from 25c a garment up to \$1.00. And during this great slaughter sale the Wright's will go at \$1.75 per suit; others in proportion.

Everybody Shoes For

Ц In our shoe department we have prepared to fit everyone and with a shoe We have them for the smallest tot and equal. is made of solid plain lace, button and blucher; in patent leather, vici kid, kangaroo, gun metal, box calf, tan but-And the newest in ladies' button ster and Pickler school All will go at slaughter Crawford shoes for men are persale prices during this Our Webthe grown ups. shoes have no ton and lace. Our fection itself. great sale. leather. boots. that p





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30c and 35c grades will go for, per yard21c The23c12½c Beautiful solesettes in the new and leading colors. The 25c, The old reliable Red Seal ginghams, 15c grade, best on earth, A splendid assortment of voiles will also be put in. : regular 35c kind, all colors, for The 50c quality for going at, per yard

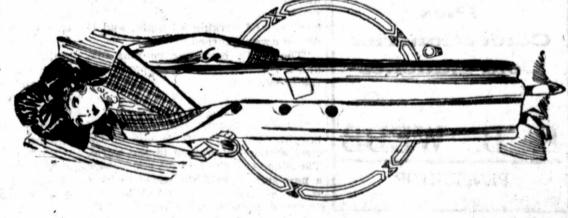
Something Doing in Sweaters.

and we must reduce it. We have them for men, women and children, in red, blue, white, tan and gray, ranging in price regular from 50c to \$7.50 each, and in order to reduce this stock we will give a reduction of 15 per cent on all grades up to \$1.00 each and a 25 per cent reduction on all Our stock of sweaters and sweater coats is entirely too large grades over \$1.00.

Notions Specials.

Our notion stock, consisting of combs, brushes, buttons, bags, barretts, ladies' and gent's handkerchiefs, hooks and eyes, supporters, ladies' collars, etc. will all go in this sale at slaughter prices. Look for bargain lots and price cards all over the store.

Specials in Ladies and Children's Cloaks, Coats and Skirts.

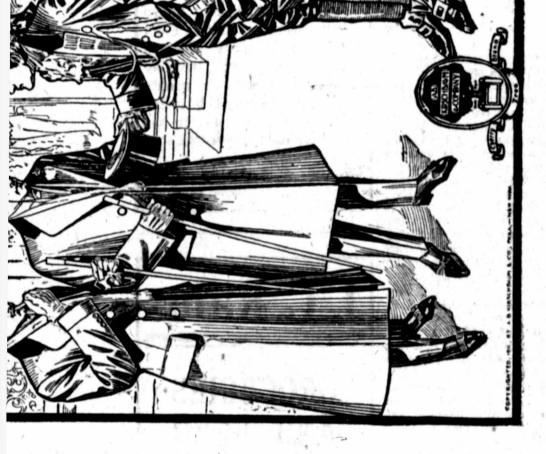


well line which is far superior to other line on the we are them for ladies up to \$20.00, for misses/up to \$12.50, for children up correct in this. We have these market. A look will conto \$5.00, and on each ter sale we are going to give you 25 per cent off of the regular price. Ask during this great slaughfor slaugter sale price. "Duchess" We handle the one of vince you that and every known any

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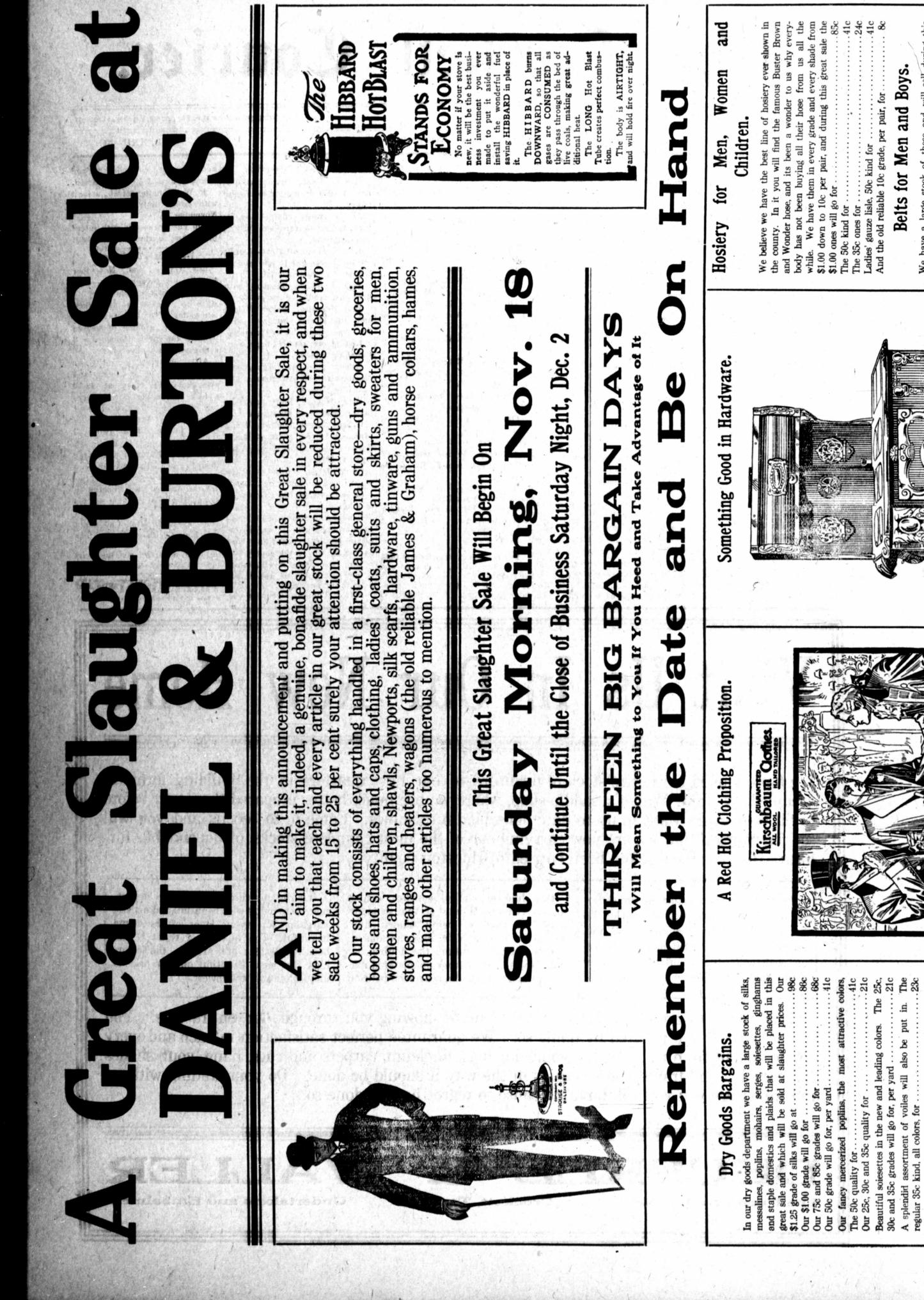
STORE.



other ever shown in the city, and are of the Kirschbaum and Strauss Bros. make, which gives you 50 years of knowing how to make clothes. They are all wool and are strictly hand-tailored garments out of the best In this department you will find suits, overcoats and pants for men, and suits and pants for boys. And here is where we give you the best value you ever saw in your life. Our line is unlike and far superior to any men, and fabrics obtainable. The dyes, too, are acid tests which insure them against fading, and we believe we can fit you better and give you a All other grades of suits, pants and overcoats at proportionate prices. oty. this great slaughter sale we are going to sell our regular better suit for less money than any house in Houston cour 18.50 suits for 5.00 men's pants for 3.00 men's pants for 3.50 men's pants for Our regular \$22.50 suits for 4.00 men's pants for 2.50 men's pants for 5.00 boys' suits for 8.50 boys' suits for 12.50 suits for ... 20.00 suits for 10.00 suits for Our regular Our regular **Our regular Our regular** suits for ... during

We also have a big stock of duck coats, hunting coats and rubber coats that will go in this great sale at slaughter prices. Look for price cards and bargain lots everywhere.







41c 24c while. We have them in every grade and every shade from \$1.00 down to 10c per pair, and during this great sale the and Wonder hose, and its been a wonder to us why everyus all the

We have a large stock of these and will self during this 590 390 great sale the 75c kind for. The 50c ones for .

going at, per yard

The old reliable Red Seal ginghams, 15c grade, best on earth,



200,000 Bales. Washington, Nov. 8.-With a

total of 9,968,172 bales of cotton was taking place John Miller, a of the growth of 1911 ginned third admirer of Miss Lena Ams-

bare fists in a secluded spot several miles north of this city, Will Ludwig was severely injured by Fred James. While the duel

den, eloped with the young woman to Des Moines, Iowa. Ludwig and James had been close friends for years until both became admirers of Miss Amsden. The young woman showed no preference. The two men beintelligence, within her own ranks, came enemies. Friends interso to say, when Frau Kanter ceded and prevailed on them to (Agnes Bruner) of Leipsic, gave in Herbine. There are thousands fight a duel, the loser to give up the contest for the girl's love. Ludwig, being the man chalproud of this gentle, lovable lenged, chose the weapons of woman as a little girl with a new bare knuckles. Several rounds doll. were fought before Ludwig was

thankful for the return of the relied upon with implicit confiticker, and while he needs the dence. For sale by all dealers. vest he will not be selfish and ask for too much.-Galveston Tribune.

tensive sale by its remarkable At any rate Mr. Finck is truly cures of colds and grip and can be

Backache, Headache, Nervousness CROCKETT, TE

H. PAINTER, LAND LAWYER,

prior to November 1, as announced to-day by the census bureau, the promised record breaking cotton crop of this season is fast being made ready for the manufacturer. At no time in the history of the American cotton industry has so great a crop been ginned to this time of year.

The amount ginned to November 1 exceeds by 1,777,000 bales that ginned in 1908, the previous record. IIt also is greater than the ginning to November 1 of any year, being about 200,000 bales more than ginned to that date in 1904, the record year. This would indicate that the crop was at least two weeks earlier in maturing and reaching the gins than in previous years.

Calculations of the world's total crop, based on the ginning reports, would, therefore, probably be more accurate if figured on the taken many kinds of kidney med-November 14 reports of other years. In previous record years about 70 per cent of the total crop had been ginned to that date and a rough estimate of this year's of Foley Kidney Pills. Start tak- nor Leibling nor even Mickwitch crop might be placed at a minimum of 14,000,000 bales. Commercial experts' estimates, however, ranges up to more than 15,000,000 bales.

A Mail Carrier's Load Seems heavier when he has a weak back and kidney trouble. intended victim was a plumber .-Fred Duchren, mail carrier at Cleveland Plain Dealer. "I have Atchison, Kas., says: been bothered with kidney and bladder trouble and had a severe is always a large demand for kidney trouble increased. Some perience its great relieving power mann, always charming, was pretime ago I started taking Foley in rheumatic aches and pains, pre- sented in two exquisite studies Kidney Pills and since taking them pare to apply it at the first twinge. both full of soft, mellow tints, I have gotten entirely rid of all Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. and all of which were delightfully my kidney trouble and am as Sold by Murchison-Beasley Drug portrayed to the mental e sound now as ever." I. W. Sweet. | Co.

knocked out. Meantime Miller pressed his

suit with the young woman, who was frightened at the notoriety which she feared the duel for her love would bring her. Her elopement with Miller was the result.

J. E. Parker, 2021 No. 10th St. Ft. Smith, Ark., says that he had music that we can recall. Her icine, but did not get better until he took Foley Kidney Pills. No matter how long you have had kidney trouble, you will find quick to the versatility of this young and permanent benefit by the use woman. Neither Baxter Perry ing them now. I. W. Sweet.

A Case of Ignorance.

A New York man, who tried to shoot a plumber, was threatened guished Winnie Pyle than any with lynching by a crowd of bystanders.

In defense of the crowd it is urged that it did not know the

In damp, chilly weather there the dark. Her two Grieg numpain across my back. Whenever Ballard's Snow Liniment because effect, and there was little if any carried a heavy load of mail, my many people who know by ex- of their brilliance lost. Schu-

rau Kanter, Planiste in Recital. and rheumatism, both in men and

and personal pleasure the writer

was wont to give such in times

past, is surely due Frau Kanter,

because no one in local history

has made such rapid strides toward

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have any pianistic secrets hid

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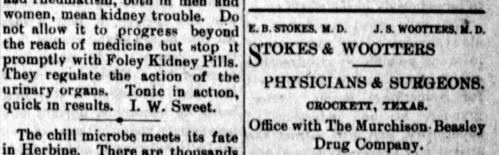
be played alone and oftentimes in

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Here she exhibited an admirable

The writer-and every one else women, mean kidney trouble. Do in Parish Hall Saturday evening the reach of medicine but stop it - felt quite satisfied that the promptly with Foley Kidney Pills. divine art of music had an inter- They regulate the action of the pretor of considerable ability and urinary organs. Tonic in action, quick in results. I. W. Sweet.

The chill microbe meets its fate a plano recital before returning to of these germs in the air you Germany. And we were all as breathe and any derangement of the liver, stomach or bowels gives them the opportunity they seek. A dose of Herbine destroys them, clears them out completely and A review of this artist's piano promotes a fine feeling of strength playing in the detail it deserves and buoyancy. Price 50c. Sold colds and croup. For sale by all by Murchison-Beasley Drug Co. and with the time and attention



"I do not believe there is any other medicine so good for whooping cough as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes Mrs. Francis Turpin, Junction City, Ore. This remedy is also unsurpassed for dealers.

Pains All Over!

"You are welcome," says Mrs. Nora Guffey, of Broken Arrow, Okla., "to use my letter in any way you want to, if it will induce some suffering woman to try Cardui. I had pains all over, and suffered with an abscess. Three physicians failed to relieve me. Since taking Cardui, I am in better health than ever before, and that means much to me, because I suffered many years with womanly troubles, of different kinds. What other treatments I tried, helped me for a few days only."

TAKE The Woman's Tonic

Don't wait, until you are taken down sick, before taking care of yourself. The small aches and pains, and other symptoms of womanly weakness and disease, always mean worse to follow, unless given quick treatment.

You would always keep Cardui handy, if you knew what guick and permanent relief it gives, where weakness and disease of the womanly system makes life seem hard to bear. Cardui has helped over a million women. Try it.

Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free. J 54

BENEFITS OF FAIR

Familiarizes Farmers With Good Work of Neighbors and Communicates New Ideas.

Marlin, Tex., Nov. 4.-There can be no question that most beneficial results will come from the Falls county fair at Marlin. The exhibits of live stock have emphatically demonstrated that the farmers of this county are not all asleep as to this important industry. It is shown that great interest has been taken by many during the past few years in improving grades among all classes of stock. That interest has received an impetus and farmers who have been somewhat indifferent along the lines mentioned have received valuable object lessons from the exhibits of their neighbors. This feature of the fair can not but prove a substantial benefit to the people of the county generally.

Many farmers indicated unfamiliarity with the good work of their neighbors in stock development, and numerous surprises were expressed. The people of one community thought they were outstripping those of another locality, and were shown otherwise at the fair, hence mutual benefit was the result. Farmers of the different sections have communicated new ideas to each other with mutual benefit. One farmer stated to the correspondent that he had been aroused from a long slumber as to the adaptability of his laud to the culture of many important crops, particularly that of peanuts, and that by giving those crops attention in the future he will be enabled to raise more The berries are especially enjoyed and better stock.

A marked increase of interest in the poultry interest has been awakened. On this subject the correspondent became interested in a discussion by a party of ladies from the country who were examining the exhibits and learning something of the most profitable ntion nece mary for best results, special attention being given to the turkeys. Results of this kind are generally regarded worth all the pains and expense incidental to bolding a county fair and thus bringing the people together. Magnificent specimens were shown among the horses, jacks these and mules. A number of animals, raised and owned by Falls county farmers, were equal in all respects to those to be found in any section of the country, where the highest grades are raised. Such animals could not be found in Falls county a few years. ago. Many of the most popular breeds and the best quality were exhibited among the cattle, including the Polled Angus, Hereford, Jersey and Durham. In the exhibition of hogs were shown some of the best specimens that have perhaps ever been seen in this section at a county fair. The following breeds were included: Duroc-Jersey, Chester White, Berkshire, Poland China. Possibly the swine department attracted the greatest attention given the live slock exhibits. In the sheep and goat departments general surprise was expressed. Little had been thought of what the farmers of the county were doing along this line, but it was demonstrated that the raising of these animals were not being overlooked. Some fine Merinos and Angoras were exhibited.

two pounds. The agricultural exhibits were

showed was as good as was ever raised in the county, notwithstanding the unusually poor crop of this year. The exhibits included rye, oats, barley, wheat, kaffir corn, ribbon cane, sorghum, alfalfa, Johnson grass, peanuts, etc.

There is a good showing in the vegetable line, including potatoes, cushaws, watermelons, cantaloupes and almost every kind of garden truck.

Fruits for the Family Table.

More fruit is needed in the daily diet. We have allowed ourselves to exclude fruits, the most wholesome and healthful articles of food, and as a result dyspepsia, constipation and a languid appetite are common.

Apples are choice fruits and much can be said of them as healthful food. The fine flavor of the apple stimulates the stubborn appetite, gives variety to the food and enables the digestive system better to do its work. Apples should form a portion of our daily food and it is our privilege as farmers to have plenty in season

Grapes have long been appreciated as food Europeans. It is claimed that grapes have a decided toning effect upon the system and they are recommended highly for the table.

Strawberries are always enjoy-They come early in the ed. spring when the appetite craves fruits. The rich aroma of good ripe strawberries is enough to tempt the most stubborn appetite. by children and the aged, whose systems crave wholesome fruits. Luscious peaches, ripe plums,

nice cherries, juicy oranges, sweet figs-all are too well known to need further argument, yet how many homes we find without any of these choice, healthful fruits. Surely many farmers do not fully

FOR THANKSGIVING DAY.

also good. Much of the corn Governor Colquitt Issued Annual Proclamation for Its Observance.

> Austia, Texas, November 8.-Governor Colquitt to-day issued the following Thanksgiving proclamation:

> The days of the year 1911 will soon be ended. The records of our progress in mental, moral and material development will soon be completed, and as we turn and look back and sum up the share each has contributed to the happiness and development of all, and note that the sum of all our labors has been for good, naturally we feel thankful and, according to our beautiful custom, we designate the last Thursday in November as a day of praise and thanksgiving to our Father in heaven for His manifold blessings to us individually and as a people.

Make a joyful noise unto the Lord all ye lands,

Serve the Lord with gladness : Come before His presence with singing. Know ye that the Lord He is God ; It is He that hath made us and we are

His : We are His people and the sheep of His pasture.

Enter into His gates with thanksgiving, And into His courts with praise. Give thanks unto Him and bless His name.

For the Lord is good, His mercy endureth forever.

And His faithfulness to all generations." -One Hundreth Psalm.

As we pray for peace and rest throughout the State in the days that are yet to come, let us also give thanks for the blessings and general prosperity we have enjoyed, and gather around the firesides of our fathers and mothers and kindred and friends in a spirit of love and make our acknowledgments to the Father of all the faithful for His goodness.

Now, therefore, in harmony with the proclamation of the paesident of the United States of America and in accordance with the ancient custom of our forefathers, I, O. B. Colquitt, governor of the State of Texas, do hereby designate and proclaim Thursday, That stops coughs quickly and November 30, 1911, as a day of thanksgiving, singing and prayer to the God of all nations for His goodness and loving kindness to people of our great common wealth, and due observation of same 18 requested in all places of public worship.



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In the poultry department turkeys, chickens, ducks, geese, etc., were shown in about all the stand-ard varieties. Many of the tur-Sold by Murchison-Beasley Drug keys weighed as much as twenty- Co.

appreciate the value of fruits for the table.-Farm and Ranch.

A Household Medicine

cures colds is Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. Mrs. Anna Pelzer, 2526 Jefferson St. So. Omaha, Neb., says: "I can recommend Foley's Honey and Tar Compound as a sure cure for coughs and colds. It cured my daughter of a bad cold and my neighbor, Mrs. Benson, cured herself and her whole family with Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. Everyone in

our neighborhood speaks highly of it." I. W. Sweet.

For the first time in its history the attendance at the University of Texas at Austin has reached 1,700 students. The total attendance this year will probably reach 1,750 students, exclusive of the Medical Department. At present there are 876 students in the Academic Department, 327 students in Education, 276 in Law and 228 in Engineering. | The University of Texas has grown so fast during the last ten years that it now ranks among the big institutions of the country. Including the correspondence students, the students of the summer school and the Medical Department, the grand total for the current session will doubtless be more than 3,000.

Children who have worms are pale, cross, fretful and sickly most of the time. To rid the little body of these parasites White's Cream Vermifuge is an approved remedy. When the worms have been driven out, the

In testimony whereof 1 have, bereunto set my hand and caused the great seal of the State of Texas to be affixed thereto. Done at the city of Austin this the 8th

day of November, A. D. 1911. O. B. Colquitt, Governor. By the Governor: C. C. McDonald, Secretary of State.

Sore Lungs and a Dry Hacking Cough can be relieved by using

Ballard's

Horehound

Syrup

Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00.

JamesF.Ballard, Prop. St.Louis, Mo.

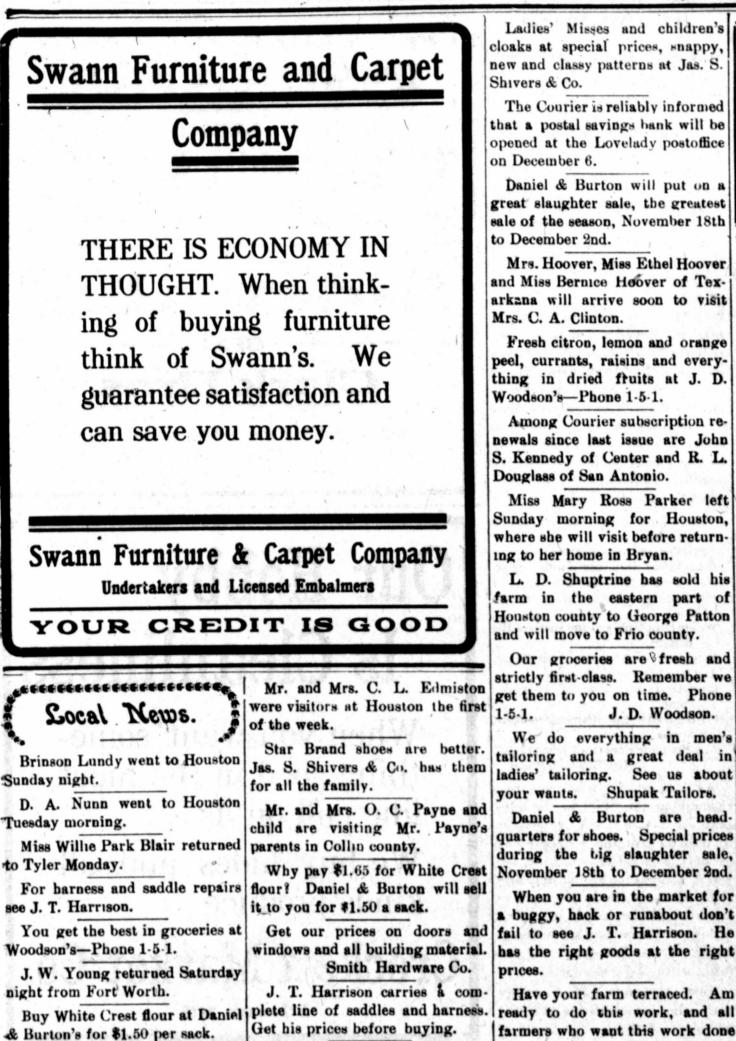
Stephens Eye Salve is a healing ointment for Sore Eyes.

The Murchison-Beasley Drug Co.

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For pains in the side and chest After exposure, and when you dampen a piece of flannel with feel a cold coming on, take Foley's Chamberlain's Liniment and bind Honey and Tar Compound. It it on over the seat of pain. There checks and relieves. Use no subis nothing better. For sale by all stitute. The genuine in a yellow package always. I. W. Sweet. dealers.



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We do reliable tailoring.

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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.

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CROCKETT, TEXAS

Noted Painter Here.

Mr. Boris Gordon, the noted painter, is in the city to paint a pany in this city. His position as life picture of Mrs. D. A. Nunn. Mr. Gordon has been engaged for Company will be taken by Guy this work by the Crockett chapter (the D. A. Nunn chapter) of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. Mr. Gordon is an artist of world-wide reputation and, besides doing work in Europe, has painted life pictures of many

people of our own country. He is staying at the Pickwick hotel.

On Tuesday night the local camp, Woodmen of the World, and a number of invited friends were participants in a social meeting held at the court house in this city. An address on Woodcraft was delivered by Hon. J. J. Strickland of Palestine, after which those present repaired to the City restaurant where an oyster supper was served. The Woodman band rendered several numbers before and after the speaking, which added much to the evening's entertainment.

Five thousand dollar stock first-Thirteen pounds granulated sugar \$1.00. Levi Garrett snuff 20c. Four 10c boxes lye 25c. Four 10c cans baking powder 25c. Four 10c boxes axle grease 25c. Seven 5c bars soap 25c. Five pounds starch 25c. Six-inch stove pipe, put together, 10c per pipe. Rubber roofing, per square, \$1.50. Shot gun shells, per box, 371c. Wire staples \$2.75 per keg. Nails \$2.50 per keg. Every-day flour,

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strictly first-class. Remember we get them to you on time. Phone J. D. Woodson.

We do everything in men's tailoring and a great deal in ladies' tailoring. See us about Shupak Tailors. Daniel & Burton are head-

during the big slaughter sale, November 18th to December 2nd.

buggy, hack or runabout don't fail to see J. T. Harrison. He

Have your farm terraced. Am ready to do this work, and all farmers who want this work done cery Company, Mr. Pearlstone call on or write H. W. Beeson, Loveiady, Texas. tf

On the first of December George L. Richards will become manager for the Pearlstone Grocery Commanager for the National Packing Gilder, now with Smith Bros.

Removal Notice.

I have moved my lumber yard to the old Willis yard near Oil Mill where you will find me with a full stock of lumber, moldings, shingles, brick, cement, etc. S. C. Leediker.

Advertisers and Other Patrons.

All copy for advertisements and other matter for publication in the Courier must be in the hands of the printers by Tuesday at noon of each week to insure publication that week. Advertisers and others will please take notice.

This winter's first ice was seen Sunday morning. A cold norther struck Crockett Saturday night at 10 o'clock and by morning the temperature had dropped to freezing. A fine frost was on the ground Monday morning. The weather on Saturday was like class general merchandise for sale summer. Sunday night's train at cost. Twelve 5c boxes matches was two hours late on account of 30c. Twelve 5c spools thread 30c. the had weather in the north.

The Pearlstone-Edmiston Grocery Company has been dissolved, Mr. Pearlstone buying out Mr. has the right goods at the right Edmiston's interest in the business. The wholesale grocery business will continue in Crockett under the name of the Pearlstone Grocontinuing here and at Palestine. Edmiston Bros. will devote their

S. W. Satterwhite paid the Courier office a visit Saturday. G. G. Alexander of Lovelady was a Crockett visitor Saturday. A complete, up to date abstract. If Aldrich & Crook. Daniel & Burton's for White Crest flour, only \$1.50 per sack. See those Clark-Jewell gasoline cooking stoves at C. A. Clinton's. G. W. Ferguson of Weches was a caller at the Courier office Mon- day. Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Edmiston were visitors in Houston this week. A full line of 4 and 6 inch sewer pipe just received by C. A. Clin- ton. Mr. and Mrs. Hungate announce the arrival of a baby girl at their home. Mother's Crushed Oats, always sweet and fresh, at N. E. All- bright's. W. W. Aiken was transacting business in Houston the first of the week. Be sure to read every word of the big ad of Daniel & Burton's this week. K. D. Lawrence of Lovelady was transacting business in Crock- ett Monday. S. O. Foster .is among those remembering the Courier since last issue. New pecans, English walnuts and Brazil nuts at Woodson's- Phone 1.5-1. Place your order now for that Thanksgiving suit.	Best equipped shop in Houston county. Cleanliness our hobby. Watches, clocks and jewelry sold and repaired at the old stand. Zellerbach, Jeweler. Get our prices on hog fencing and barb wire. Smith Hardware Co. Giant Mammoth Bronze turkeys for sale. W. H. Dean, 7t R. D. No. 2, Crockett, Texas. The most complete line of cook stoves and heaters ever shown in Crockett at Smith Hardware Co'a. Be sure and visit the big slaughter sale at Daniel & Bur- ton's, November 18th to Decem- ber 2nd. Go to Jas. S. Shivers & Co. if you want the best of everything in the dry goods line at the least money. ⁶ At J. T. Harrison's you will find a complete stock of saddles, har- ness, buggies, etc. Repair work a specialty. Why buy others when you can wear the celebrated Superb suits for less. Jas. S. Shivers & Co. has them. The greatest bargains ever offered in the city at Daniel & Burton's, November 18th to December 2nd. A fresh shipment of Mother's Crushed Oats just received at N. E. Allbright's. They're always fresh and sweet. Special bargains in clothing during the big slaughter sale at	pied by Mrs. Allbright and find bargains that will surprise you. Bring your old hats and get them retrimmed. 2t The good cooking done in the Fine Arts demonstration depart- ment at the Houston county fair was ion a Clark-Jewel gasoline stove, which are sold in Crockett by C. A. Clinton. Mrs. A. M. Decuir, director of the Methodist choir, will give a sacred concert at the Methodist church next Sunday night, this being the last service of the present conference year. Excursion Notice. No-Tsu-Oh Carnival, Houston, Nov. 13-19, 1911. Excursion fares daily via I. & G. N. Ry. For information as to popular rates, schedules, etc., see Ticket Agent. Notice. To my friends and customers— I have been working at the Crystal Barber Shop, but I am now at the Hotel Barber Shop and will appre- ciate a continuance and share of your patronage. Respectfully, tf U. F. Tipton. "I am pleased to recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as the best thing I know of and safest remedy for coughs, colds and bronchial trouble," writes Mrs. L. B. Arnold of Denver,	installed a thousand dollar set of fixtures. You will have to visit the larger cities to see its equal, and we are glad to say that years of experience have made artists of the barbers employed. With strict attention and the very best work- men that can be obtained we have made it the leading shop of the city. Call and see us and we will do all in our power to please you. V. B. Tunstall. Attention. The G. A. Berry Piano Co. will go entirely out of the machine business and offers the following machines at wholesale cost, strictly cash, on special sale until Decem- ber 25. Howe, No. 1	store and rear half of Wells-Fargo Express Co.'s Office. Wm. M. Patton. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets do not sicken or gripe, and may be taken with perfect safety by the most deli- cate woman or the youngest child. The old and feeble will also find them a most suitable remedy for aiding and strengthening their weakened digestion and for regu- lating the bowels. For sale by all
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W. W. AIKEN, Editor and Proprietor.

PUBLISHER'S NOTICE.

Obituaries, resolutions, cards of thanks d other matter not "news" will be arged for at the rate of 5c per line.

Parties ordering advertising or printing or societies, churches, committees or or-anizations of any kind will, in all cases, held personally ment of the bill. responsible for the

Self Improvement Nabit as an Asset.

pity so few young people realize and from one-half to two and onethis fact.

The very reputation of having thing. The moment your assoworld, or rob you of your time tell how it can be done. or persuade you to waste it in frivolous things; you will not only be an inspiring example to them, but the very people who are throwing away their time will also admire your stand, respect it and profit by it, and you will thus be able to protect yourself from a thousand annoyances and time wasters and experiences which would only hinder you.

In other words, there is everything in declaring yourself, in taking a stand and thereby announcing to the world that you do not purpose to be a failure or an ignoramus, that you are going to take no chances on your future; that you are going to prepare yourself for something large and grand.

The moment you do this you stand out in strong contrast from the great mass of people who are throwing away their opportunities

who have cultivated two acres of corn and two acres of cotton. It is possible that some of the prizes may be awarded to women and girls, as they, too, have contested for the honor of the biggest yields.

The average yield of corn in Texas in 1910 was but twenty bushels, while the average yield of cotton per acre in favorable years is about one-third of a bale, but the reports, verified by proof, that these contestants will make, are going to be a big surprise in

this unfavorable year of drouth, The self improvement habit, as as many of them have yields of the Success Magazine says, is a corn ranging from thirty to more valuable asset, and it is a great than one hundred bushels per acre

half bales of cotton.

And these yields can be secured an ambition to amount to some- by every farmer who is willing thing in the world, of having a to pay proper attention to the grand life aim, is worth every- preparation of his soil, the conservation of its fertility, the cistes find that you are dead in selection of his seed and the inearnest; that you mean business; telligent cultivation of his crops. that they cannot shake you from At the Dallas convention of the determination to get on in the Congress the prize winners will

Jones-Goodwin.

Our young friend, Ed Jones, left here a few days ago, as we expected, to go to the San Antonio Fair, and returned home yesterday with his bride, which came as a surprise to his many friends in our city. He and Miss Pearl Goodwin of Lovelady met at Fort Worth and were married last

Wednesday at 2:10, and at once went to Madisonville, Texas, and after a day or two spent with the bride's sister, Mrs. Parten, returned to Balinger where they will make their future home. Ed Jones is one of Runnels County's most highly esteemed and popular young men, known and admired by a host of friends for his many

manly traits of noble young manhood, and while we have not met his bride we feel safe in saying she is one of East Texas' fairest and have not grit or stamina flowers and will make Mr. Jones enough to do anything worth a helpmate in the true sense of e word. Many friends in this section join the Ledger in best wishes for this happy young couple in a long, happy and prosperous married life. Ed is deserving of the best blessings of this life. being an honorable, upright and prosperous young citizen, and we cordially welcome he and his bride to our social and business circles. -Ballinger Daily Ledger.

Murchison-Beasley Drug Co's. Paint Offer

To all property owners in Crockett and vicinity:

Fewer Gallons or No Pay

To prove that Devoe lead and zinc requires least gallons for a job, we make the following offer:

Paint half of your house with any other paint; paint half with Devoe.

The other paint half will take the most gallons; if not, we will make no charge for our paint.

Experiences

M. A. Thomas, painter, Lynchburg, Va., writes: "The first job I did with your paint I estimated 37 gallons; had 12 gallons left. Since then I have used Devoe altogether."

C. P. Hanger, Staunton, painted two new houses, the houses exactly alike; one another pure paint, the other Devoe. Devoe cost a quarter less for paint and labor.

C. B. Edwards (of Edwards & Broughton), Raleigh, N. C., had used 30 gallons Paste Paint for his house. Repainted last time with Devoe; bought 30 gallons and had more than half left.

The mistake was made by the painter who painted it last time with the 30 gallons Paste Paint. He said it would take at least 30 gallons of Devoe. When he saw the paint he said there wasn't enough. Had over half left.

> **PASTE PAINT, 30 Gallons. DEVOE Less than 15 Gallons.**

D. W. Creech, Pine Level, N. C., bought \$40 Devoe of Smithfield Hdw. Co. for his house; returned half and feels good.

That's What "Fewer Gallons" Mean

of the City of Crockett. Texas. Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Crockett, Texas, that hereafter it shall be unlawful for any person to construct or cause to be constructed, move or cause to be moved, place or caused to be placed, repair or caused to be repaired, (except minor repairs in a sum not to exceed \$20.00 in cost) any building or structure of any kind, out of any other material than brick, stone or concrete, without first making written application to the City Council, and obtaining its consent in writing, within the following described limits, which are hereafter to be known as the Fire Limits of the City of Crockett, to-wit:-**BEGINNING** at S. W. corner of Lot No. 124, in Block 23, intersection of Arch street and Public avenue; thence East with Public avenue to the S. E. corner of Lot No. 148, Block No. 23, intersection of Tchoupitoulas street and Public avenue; thence N. with Tchoupitoulas street to

An Ordinance Fixing the Fire Limits nance, shall, upon conviction, be! East Texas is coming to the fined in any sum not less than front. In a year or two there \$25.00, or more than \$100.00, and farm land. The wise man will and each day that said building or seize his opportunity. - Dallas structure is allowed to remain, Times-Herald. without permit, shall constitute a Correct you are, brother, and separate offence. we have been trying for months Recognizing that an emergency past to impress the wise men of exists, it is ordained by the City this country without a home to Council that this ordinance shall seize the opportunity before lands reach the point where they will become, and is effective immedibe unable to buy.-Rusk County ately upon its passage. News.

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while, or to make any great effort to be somebody in the world.

The very great reputation of always trying to improve yourself in every possible way; of seizing every opportunity to fit yourself for something larger, better, grander, is an indication of superiority, and will attract the attention of everybody who knows you. It, will win you recommendations for promotion, which are never won by those who make no special effort to get on.

Lincoln was so hungry for an education, so anxious to improve himself, that everybody who knew him felt a real interest in him. People are more than willing to help ambitious young people who are trying to do something and to be somebody in the world. They throw opportunity and advancement in their way whenever they can. The very reputation, an earnest worker, is a splendid capital to start with. It gives confidence and credit. It not only makes them admire you, but it also makes them believe in you. - Winfield Record.

Better Corn and Cotton.

Dallas, Texas, November. - Five hundred bright, new \$20 gold pieces, in twenty-nine stacks, the biggest containing one hundred and twenty-five of the yellow disks, will attract the attention of delegates and visitors at the third annual convention of the Texas Industrial Congress, to be held in Dallas on December 20.

Fifteen of these glittering piles of gold will be presented to men who have this year produced the held at the University of Missouri, largest and best crops of corn and and in time to come excursion cotton, ten acres of each, and the trains of boys and girls will be Arch street to the place of begin-remaining fourteen will be given coming to Austin on the same ning. to boys under twenty years of age mission.

Encouraging the Old-Style Debating Society.

Oratory and debating will flourish in Texas if the probability of meeting in a great State contest at the University in Austin can stimulate interest in public speaking. Every school in Texas

below the rank of college is entitled to a representative. There is a chance even for the country boy from the back country to make for himself a name in the State. Professor E. D. Shurter, who teaches Oratory in the University of Texas, has charge of the general arrangements.

There will be held a contest in each county sometime between November 1st and February 1st. both in Declamation and in Dedistrict contests, and the winners in the district contests will meet for the final contest in the Auditorium of the University in Austin next May.

High school and preparatory school meets in field athletics will

be held at the same time. Last year five thousand high school students attended a State contest

the N. E. corner of Lot No. 117, Block 23, intersection of Tchoupitoulas and Pearl streets; thence E. with Pearl street to the interbating. The winners in the county section of Pearl street and Church contests will meet in 16 different street, being the termination of Pearl street. Thence South with Church street to a point 150 feet South of the S. W. corner of Church street and Main street. Thence West parallel with Main street, along an imaginary line

which will run 150 feet South of the South side of Main street to a point 150 feet West of the West Boundary line of Arch street. Thence East Main on street to Arch street. Thence North with

Any person violating this ordi-

Attest: C. L. Edmiston, M. Satterwhite, Mayor Secretary.



year is the "classiest" ever shown in Crockett.

McLean Drug Company THE REXALL STORE