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STUDENT DIED OF MENINGITIS.

Miss Frankie Bettis of Beaumont Was Victim at Austin.

Austin, Texas, February 1.—Miss Frankie Bettis of Beaumont died tonight at 8 o'clock of meningitis at the Chi Omega sorority house at the State university.

Miss Bettis had been up Wednesday, though not feeling especially well, and was with a gathering of friends in the afternoon. It was declared by Dr. Margaret Holliday, one of the young woman's physicians, that she was not so sick this morning, but that she was able to be up, and even so late as 3 o'clock in the afternoon she was in her bath room. Alarming symptoms came on during the afternoon and after a thorough diagnosis the case was pronounced meningitis. In spite of all that could be done for her, the young woman expired within a very few hours.

The society house was placed under strict quarantine, as was the place where the gathering of the afternoon before was held.

This case, like most of the others that have appeared in Austin, is believed to have been contracted elsewhere. Miss Bettis was called to her home some two weeks ago when the announcement was made that Miss Flume was suffering with the disease. She returned last Monday morning after having spent Sunday in Houston.

Miss Bettis was a member of the freshman class in the college of arts. She was 18 years of age, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Bettis of Beaumont. Her father is the head of the Bettis Manufacturing company of that city. She graduated with honors last year from the Beaumont high school.

An uncle is expected to arrive this morning from Houston, who will arrange to ship the body to Beaumont.

Dr. Ralph Steiner advises that students and others will be safer in Austin than elsewhere.

To our desk there comes from seventy-five to a hundred exchanges each week. From these we can judge very accurately the life and prosperity of a town. If the paper is full of good live advertising, then that town is alive, people are spending their money at home, and the farmers drive in from miles around to do trading. If the advertising is rather meager and the merchants are afraid to let the people know through the columns of the paper what they

charge for their goods, then is that town dead, the farmers and town citizens as well are sending away their cash money, every time to the mail order houses, while the merchants sit down and kick because the people are not loyal to them. People do read advertisements and no one knows it better than the mail order houses. There is no way to meet them but on their own ground if the cash expenditures are to be made at home.—Bonham News.

Ten Demandments Not Commandments.

For across wordly wisdom it would be difficult to surpass the "Ten Demandments" hanging in one of the many salmon canneries at Steverton, in Western Canada.

1. Don't lie. It wastes my time and yours. I am sure to catch you in the end, and that is the wrong end.

2. Watch your work, not the clock. A long day's work makes a long day short; and a short day's work makes my face long.

3. Give me more than I expect, and I will give you more than you expect. I can afford to increase your pay if you increase my profits.

4. You owe so much to yourself you cannot afford to owe anybody else. Keep out of debt, or keep out of my shops.

5. Dishonesty is never an accident. Good men, like good women, never see temptation when they meet it.

6. Mind your own business and in time you'll have a business of your own to mind.

7. Don't do anything here which hurts your self-respect. An employe who is willing to steal for me is willing to steal from me.

8. It is none of my business what you do at night. But if dissipation affects what you do the next day, and you do half as much as I demand, you'll last half as long as you hoped.

9. Don't tell me what I'd like to hear, but what I ought to hear. I don't want a valet for my vanity, but one for my dollar.

10. Don't kick if I kick. If you're worth while correcting you're worth while keeping. I don't waste time cutting specks out of rotten apples.—Toronto Globe.

When her child is in danger a mother will risk her life to protect it. No great act of heroism or risk of life is necessary to protect a child from croup. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and all danger is avoided. For sale by all dealers.

See Everybody's Samples

See Everybody's Clothing

Then Come and See Our Regular

\$20.00 Made-to-Measure Suits now for	\$14.00
\$22.50 Made-to-Measure Suits now for	\$15.00
\$24.00 and \$26.00 Made-to-Measure Suits now for	\$16.00
\$26.00 and \$28.00 Made-to-Measure Suits now for	\$20.00
\$30.00 Made-to-Measure Suits now for	\$24.00
\$36.00 and \$40.00 Made-to-Measure Suits now for	\$30.00

These bargain fabrics are not made specially for this sale—they are the identical ones that sold earlier in the season at much higher prices. Note that we make up in the latest style. Indeed you can be more up-to-date by selecting the advanced models now being shown for next spring and summer. Every garment guaranteed or you need not take it. This reduction is something new in the tailoring world and cannot be duplicated in Crockett. We guarantee every garment to be tailored in the same way as though you'd paid the regular price. Better come early before they're snapped up. Cleaning, pressing, repairing and alterations properly done at reasonable prices.

Shupak Tailors

Crockett and Groveton
Texas

TURKEYS HAVE MENINGITIS.

Examination of Necks and Brains of Fowls Discloses Presence of Germs.

Marlin, Texas.—Some interest is felt in this section in newspaper reports that meningitis-producing germs have been discovered by bacteriological examination in the neck and brains of turkeys that have died from disease in some parts of the state. The correspondent is informed that a great number of fowls, especially turkeys, died during November and December in certain communities and that they exhibited about the same symptoms as are ascribed in the newspaper reports to meningitis-affected fowls.

The disease was pronounced "limber-neck" and other disorders peculiar to domestic fowls. It is said those affected would droop, appear sleepy, become weak in their legs and would indicate physical exhaustion generally. They would invariably die within a few days. Many farmers lost heavily of their flocks. As is the custom in country communities and in most towns, the carcasses were removed only a sufficient distance from the homes of the owners that the nuisance thereby created would not be perceptible at the immediate time, and were seldom if ever disposed of in a manner calculated to destroy the germs responsible for the disease. It is noteworthy that in one or two of the communities above re-

ferred to meningitis among people has been more prevalent than it has been in other localities during the past few weeks.

In commenting on the prevailing and dangerous manner of dealing with the bodies of animals and fowls that die from disease, an intelligent farmer remarked to the correspondent that he believes a great deal of sickness among the people has for its source the character of negligence mentioned, and he suggested that it would be a wise and economical provision to have a crematory established in several sections of each county, and that owners be required by law to have all animals and fowls dying of disease at once incinerated, under penalty of fine or imprisonment for failure to comply with the statute which should be enacted on the subject. The gentlemen thinks this question should be given consideration by the next legislature.

Sedentary habits, lack of outdoor exercise, insufficient mastication of food, constipation, a torpid liver, worry and anxiety, are the most common causes of stomach troubles. Correct your habits and take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and you will soon be well again. For sale by all dealers.

When Ballard's Snow Liniment is rubbed in for rheumatic aches and pains, it reaches the spot quickly and the relief is very gratifying. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by DeCuir-Bishop Drug Co.

Killed on the Tram.

W. S. Hougland, a young man working as a brakeman on the tram road of the Louisiana & Texas Lumber company, whose mill is at Rateliff, was killed by accident Saturday. He was run over by a string of logging cars. The remains were brought to Crockett by W. M. Spurlin, and, after being embalmed by Mr. Calloway, shipped to Arkadelphia, Ark. The deceased had been working for the company only a few days.

Lumber for Sale

I have my mill, 4½ miles south of Crockett, running and am prepared to furnish anything in rough lumber up to 40-foot lengths.

Call at the mill or address me at Crockett, Texas. Mill located on Crockett and Pine Grove road, at the J. W. Woolley farm.

Lumber uniform and can fill any bill for rough lumber and guarantee good grades. Can also supply post oak posts and can cut anything from a toothpick to a timber. Let us fill your order and save you some money.

Standard Land and Lumber Co.

Tolliver & Enos

The City RESTAURANT

bases its claims for your patronage upon good service, prompt attention, courteous treatment at all times and the best eatables to be obtained. Pay us a visit and be convinced that we can satisfy the cravings of the inner man.

MEALS AT ALL HOURS
LADIES' DINING ROOM

Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, to the sheriff or any constable of Houston county, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon W. H. Dunston, Jr., by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county to your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in February, A. D. 1912, the same being the eleventh day of March, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 26th day of January, A. D. 1912, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 5370, wherein Royall National Bank, a banking corporation, duly organized under the National Banking laws of the United States of America, is plaintiff, and Allie Daniels and husband, S. W. Daniels, Joseph Magee and wife, Etta Magee, A. L. Smith and wife, Mattie Smith, C. H. Dunston, W. H. Dunston, Jr., Bert Watson, Louis Smith, Eunice Smith, and Mrs. W. H. Dunston are defendants, and said petition alleging that about September 13, 1909, it executed a deed conveying to R. R. Scarborough that certain tract of land in Houston county, Texas, part of the John Sheridan league and bounded on the north by a survey for Fred Ramey, on the east by the Penick survey, on the south by the Reuben Lively survey, and on the west by the Mrs. Scarborough survey, and being the south half of a tract of land described in deed from J. L. Scarborough and wife to S. U. Johnson, dated November 22, 1900, containing 45 acres, more or less, and that said R. R. Scarborough for part of the purchase price thereof executed to plaintiff a vendor's lien note, dated September 13, 1909, due November 1, 1911, payable to plaintiff, or order, for \$137.50, with 10 per cent. interest from date, the interest payable annually, and providing for 10 per cent. collection fees, and to secure the payment thereof the vendor's lien was reserved in said deed, and that plaintiff has demanded payment of said note from defendants, who have failed to pay same, except the interest thereon to September 13, 1911, and plaintiff has placed same in the hands of its attorneys for suit and agreed to pay said attorneys the collection fees provided for therein; that about September 13, 1909, plaintiff executed a deed conveying to W. L. Spruill that certain tract of land situated in said Houston county, part of the John Durst league, and beginning at the S. W. corner of T. N. Jones survey, stake from which B. J. 7 in. dia. brs. N. 48 1/2 E. 5 1-10 vrs, P. O. 5 in. dia. brs S. 19 1/2 E. 2 7-10 vrs. Thence S. 87 1/2 with the S. B. line of said Jones survey 808 vrs, stake from which an elm 8 in. dia. brs N. 40 W. 9 vrs, P. O. 8 in. dia. brs S. 85 1/2 W. 10 vrs. Thence N. 2 1/2 W. 644 1/2 vrs to N W corner of 92 1-10 acre survey made for M. D. Hendricks. Thence S. 87 1/2 W. 808 vrs, stake in W. B. line of said T. N. Jones survey, elm 20 in. dia. brs S. 12 vrs, S. G. 40 in. dia. brs N. 87 1/2 E. 10 vrs. Thence S. 2 1/2 E. 644 1/2 varas to place of beginning, containing 92 1-10 acres, and said W. L. Spruill at said time executed to plaintiff, for part of the purchase price of said land, his vendor's lien note dated September 13, 1909, due November 1, 1911, payable to plaintiff, or order, for \$180.25, and bearing 10 per cent. per annum interest from date, the interest payable annually, and providing for 10 per cent. collection fees, and in which deed the vendor's lien was retained to secure the payment thereof, and that plaintiff has demanded payment of said note from defendants who have failed to pay same, except the interest thereon to September 13, 1911, and plaintiff has placed said note in the hands of its attorneys for suit and agreed to pay them the collection fees provided for therein; that W. H. Dunston, deceased, thereafter purchased said two tracts of land,

and as part of the purchase price thereof, agreed to pay said two notes, and thereafter departed this life intestate, leaving the defendant, Mrs. W. H. Dunston, as his surviving widow, and the other defendants herein as his heirs, and defendants, though claiming said land, have failed to pay the amount so due plaintiff, to its damage \$750.00, and plaintiff prays that defendants be cited in terms of the law to answer herein, and for judgment against each of the defendants for the amount due on said two notes, principal, interest and collection fees, and for foreclosure of the vendor's lien on said two tracts of land, and that same be sold as under execution, and the purchasers at such sale be placed in possession of same, for costs of suit, and such other and further relief as plaintiff may be entitled to either in law or in equity.

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

Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the district court of Houston county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this the 26th day of January, A. D. 1912.

J. B. Stanton, Clerk, District Court, Houston County.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, Washington, January 8th, 1912.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that The First National Bank of Crockett, in the City of Crockett, in the County of Houston and State of Texas, has complied with all the provisions of the Act of Congress "To enable National Banking Associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes," approved July 12th, 1882:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Willis J. Fowler, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that The First National Bank of Crockett, in the City of Crockett, in the County of Houston and State of Texas, is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association, namely, until close of business on January 7th, 1932.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, witness my hand and seal of office this 6th day of January, 1912.

(Seal) Willis J. Fowler, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency. Charter No. 4684. Extension No. 3106.

The Sound Sleep of Good Health

Is not for those suffering from kidney ailments and irregularities. The prompt use of Foley Kidney Pills will dispel backache and rheumatism, heal and strengthen sore, weak and ailing kidneys, restore normal action, and with it health and strength. Mrs. M. F. Spalsbury, Sterling, Ill., says: "I suffered great pain in my back and kidneys, could not sleep at night, and could not raise my hands over my head. But two bottles of Foley Kidney Pills cured me." I. W. Sweet.

If you have dizzy spells, attacks of momentary blindness, with ringing noises in the ears it is an unfailing sign of a torpid liver; a condition which brings on some serious sickness if neglected—if neglected. Herbine is a powerful liver tonic. It puts strength and activity into the liver, purifies the bowels and restores a feeling of health, vigor and cheerfulness. Price 50c. Sold by Decuir-Bishop Drug Co.

Foley Kidney Pills will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. I. W. Sweet.

Mistrot-Munn Company

Respectfully invites the people of Crockett and vicinity to visit their stores while in Houston. They not only handle the very best merchandise, in large and complete assortments, but they have the most perfect organization of salespeople in the South.

Mistrot-Munn Company
Houston, - - Texas

Davy Crockett Brands

High Grade Fertilizers

Especially Adapted to the Various Texas Soils

South Carolina raises more cotton per acre than any other state, also uses more fertilizer per acre.

When buying fertilizer look at the analysis and compare the values on tags. They are put there for your protection by the state.

Lovelady, Texas, Sept. 25, 1911.

Davy Crockett brands of fertilizers are good enough for me. I find they do the work. I expect to use them another year. J. G. Lundy.

H. W. Beeson.

Prepare the ground well and use the highest degree of intelligence, Davy Crockett fertilizers and reap a rich reward.

Texas used 13,500 tons of fertilizer in 1906 and 53,000 tons in 1911.

Do not buy cheap fertilizers. It is not necessary, you will be dissatisfied and good goods will suffer.

Sometimes a big price is paid for cheap goods, but by exercising due carefulness this can be avoided. Buy Davy Crockett brands.

New Baden, Texas, Sept. 30, 1911.

This is to advise that I have used the Davy Crockett brands of fertilizers for the past two years. Have sold other brands also, and can recommend Davy Crockett brands as being well up with, if not ahead, of all others I have tried.

Yours truly,

A. J. Peters.

Study your soils. Do they grow large cotton stalks? If not, the soil needs nitrogen. Do your stalks fruit well? If not, they need phosphoric acid and perhaps potash.

Oakwoods, Texas, September 27, 1911.

We have been selling Davy Crockett brands of fertilizers together with other brands for a year or so, and the Davy Crockett brands stand well up to the front.

Yours truly,

Mc. O. Johnson Mercantile Co.

As a rule corn should be fertilized two or three times after it has come up by working the fertilizer in lightly around the roots.

Did you ever hear a farmer say fertilizer killed his land? Well, if you will investigate you will find that the farmer made such a good crop with fertilizer that when he left it off he made such a poor showing and said his land was killed, but he forgets that he is in a habit of seeing a good crop with fertilizers.

Davy Crockett Brands of fertilizers are made in East Texas. We know the needs of Texas soils, and have the interest of the farmer at heart.

Lovelady, Texas, Oct. 2, 1911.

This is to advise that I have used Davy Crockett Brands of fertilizers also Cotton Seed Meal. The meal gave me six pounds more seed cotton to the row and the Crockett Royal Compound gave me ten pounds more than without fertilizers. The rows were short. I am well pleased with your brands.

Yours truly,

J. J. Porter.

A good way to put out fertilizers for cotton is to distribute the fertilizer and bed on it and, before planting, the bed should be dragged down. It is a good plan to break the land as thoroughly and early as possible to preserve the moisture.

Strange, isn't it, a few merchants will throw a double connotation fit about a farmer ordering a 25 cent article from some of the big mail order houses, and then himself order from another state car load after car load of goods, which he can buy right at home for less money from a manufacturer who spends thousands of dollars per annum, right in the same community, for making up these and other goods, for labor, etc., and which money, the merchant perhaps, will get back in time while the money he sends away never returns?

Crockett, Texas, Sept. 30, 1911.

I beg to advise that on old lands which in previous years not fertilized had been yielding about 1 bale of cotton to every 4 acres, I find by using 300 pounds of Davy Crockett Brands of fertilizer it makes a good full bale per acre. I can honestly recommend this fertilizer.

Yours truly,

D. R. Baker.

Farmers, select a fertilizer suitable to your soils. If your appetite calls for meat, you would not eat bread alone. If your soils need Phosphate and do not need Ammonia, why spend your money for Ammonia. If your soils need a balanced ration, then buy a balanced fertilizer.

Remember you can select anything your soil needs from the different Davy Crockett grades.

MANUFACTURED BY

Houston County Oil Mill and Manufacturing Co.
Crockett, Texas

Crockett, Texas, September 30, 1911.

I have in previous years used straight cotton seed meal for fertilizer. My experience the past year convinced me that the "Crockett Grower" is a fine fertilizer, and suits my purpose better than anything I have used. I have had fine success with this grade for melons and cotton. Have also used "Crockett Cereal Standard" under cotton and find it entirely satisfactory. Yours very truly,

J. C. Kleckly.

Mr. Kleckly's father originated the celebrated Kleckly melon.

The man who distributes fertilizer without preparing his soil in the proper manner, never works his crop, then hangs on the corner and says fertilizer is no good, does his country and himself a great injury.

Donie, Texas, September 30, 1911.

This is to advise that I have used the Davy Crockett brands of fertilizer for the past two years. I have sold other brands also. I can recommend Davy Crockett brands as being well up with, if not ahead of, all others I have ever tried.

Yours very truly,

D. M. Worthey.

If you are in doubt as to what kind of fertilizer your soil needs, communicate with the Oil Mill at Crockett, Texas, and we will assist you in making selection.

Crockett, Texas, October 18, 1911.

Messrs. Houston County Oil Mill & Mfg. Co., Crockett, Texas.

Gentlemen:—In accordance with conversation today, beg to advise that I made a little test with cotton seed meal, Crockett Cereal Standard fertilizer and no fertilizer at all, on my farm 10 miles east of Crockett, which is deep sandy land.

I used cotton seed meal at the rate of 160 lbs. per acre on eight rows, and on eight rows by the side of it I used Crockett Cereal Standard fertilizer at the rate of 200 lbs. per acre. On the other side of the meal I used Crockett Cereal Standard at the rate of 400 lbs. per acre. Then I left eight rows without any fertilizer at all, and kept a close record of my first picking of the cotton, which ran as follows:

Without fertilizer, 12 1/2 lbs seed cotton per row. The meal yielded 22 1/2 lbs seed cotton per row. 200 lbs Crockett C. S., 27 1/2 to 30 lbs. per row. 400 lbs. Crockett C. S., 45 lbs. per row.

I am well pleased with the results of the "Crockett Cereal Standard Fertilizer."

Yours very truly,

Dr. M. A. Thomas.

See that the fertilizer is thoroughly mixed with the soil before planting.

Oakwoods, Texas, September 30, 1911.

I have been selling Davy Crockett brands of fertilizer together with other brands for a year or so, and I assure you the Davy Crockett brands stand well up to the front with all other brands.

Yours very truly,

W. C. Gorman.

LIST OF FERTILIZERS—GUARANTEED ANALYSIS.

	Available Phos. Acid	Ammonia	Potash
Crockett Vegetable Producer	7.25%	3.51%	5.50%
Crockett Grower	5.00%	4.73%	2.50%
Crockett Compound	8.00%	3.89%	1.25%
Crockett Cotton Standard	10.00%	2.68%	1.75%
Crockett Cereal Standard	8.00%	2.78%	2.00%
Crockett Special Mixture	10.60%	2.25%	1.10%
Crockett Planters' Triumph	8.60%	2.47%	2.10%
Crockett Phosphate Special	10.50%	1.65%	1.00%
Crockett Imperial Fruiter	10.00%	1.52%	2.00%
Crockett Bi-Mixture	9.00%	.....	4.00%
Crockett Rice Special	12.00%	.....	2.00%
Crockett 16% Acid Phosphate	16.00%	.....	.....
Crockett 14% Acid Phosphate	14.00%	.....	.....
Crockett Muriate Potash	.....	.....	50.00%
Crockett Kainit	.....	.....	12.00%
Crockett Cotton Seed Meal	8.00%	.....	.....

CROCKETT FEEDS

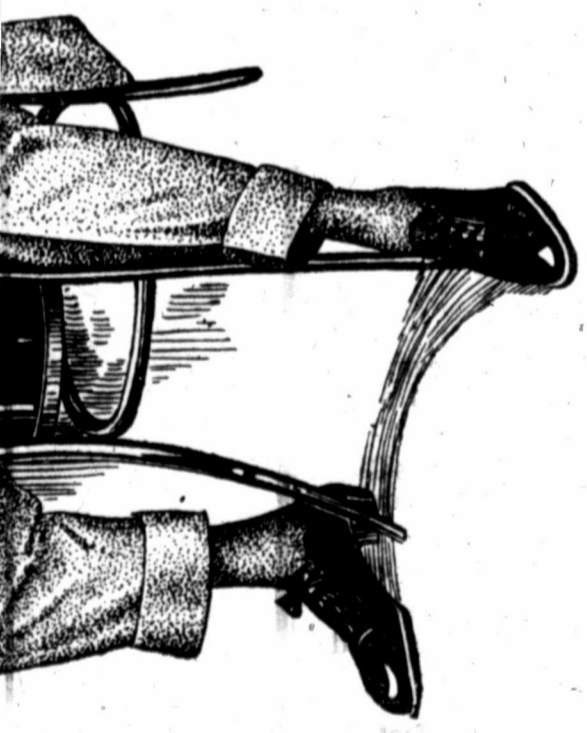
Crockett Horse Feed, composed of 83 per cent select whole corn chop, 17 per cent cotton seed meal, thoroughly mixed.

Crockett Ox Feed, composed of 17 per cent select whole corn chop, 17 per cent cotton seed meal, 66 per cent cotton seed hulls.

Crockett Mixed Feed, composed of 17 per cent cotton seed meal, 83 per cent cotton seed hulls.

Straight Bulk and Sacked Hulls, Cotton Seed Meal.

Our mixed feeds are thoroughly satisfactory, tried by some of the largest users of feeds before offered for sale, and we do not hesitate to recommend them.



Dry Goods

In this department you will find all the newest patterns in Lawns, Voils, Poplins, Silks, Satins, Messalins, Flaxons, Gingham, Outings, Bed tick, Staple Checks, Sheeting Domestic, etc. All of which we will sell during this great Sale at Clearance Prices.

Ladies' Ready to Wear Goods

In this department we will offer you the most unheard of prices on Ladies' Cloaks and Skirts. Our Cloaks are of the celebrated Duchesse Lines, and are all well made, nicely cut and are best fitting of any make on the market.

Our \$12.50 Cloaks for	\$8.25
Our 8.00 Cloaks for	4.25
Our 6.00 kind for	3.75
Our 5.00 kind for	2.75

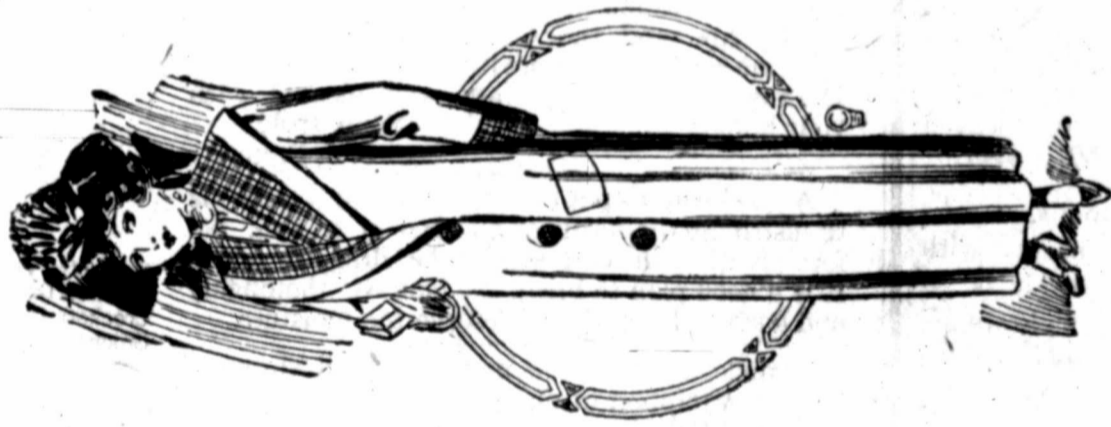
All others including top and petticoats go at and below cost.

Ladies' Muslin Underwear

Here we offer you a splendid assortment of Ladies' White Petticoats, Gowns, Corset Covers, Drawers, etc. All good, nice new stock, pretty patterns and best material, at Clearance Prices during this Great Sale.

Groceries

Our stock in these are staple, being the kind used in every day life, and in every home in Houston county. They are always fresh, nice and clean and of best quality. We can save you money during this Great Sale.



Clothing, Overcoats and Extra Pants

In this line we offer you the most Radical Reductions. We have a few styles in Men's Suits and Overcoats of the Celebrated Kirschbaum make. All strictly hand tailored. Every thread wool, acid test dyed goods, which will go during this Great Clearance Sale at the following prices:

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| All \$27.50 and 25.00 Suits for | \$16.50 |
| All 22.50 Suits for | 14.85 |
| All 20.00 Suits for | 13.50 |
| All 18.50 Suits for | 11.50 |
- All other Suits, Overcoats and Pants will go at actual cost. These suits, many of them, are of such weight as will do nicely for a Spring Suit, by discarding the vest. Be sure and purchase your Suit during this Sale.

Farm Implements

Last, but not by any means least, comes our Implement Stock, which is by far the largest and best ever shown in Crockett. Four solid car loads of these goods now on hand. John Deere Riding and Walking Cultivators, Riding Planters, Sulkey Plows, Riding Disc Breaking Plows, Disc Harrows, John Deere and Empress Stalk Cutters, John Deere, Empress, 20th Century and Dowlaw Planters, John Deere Steel Turning Plows and Middle Breakers, Kelly Turning Plows, (cast and steel), Double and Single Stocks of every kind, and the best wagon on wheels, "The James & Graham." All will go at the most unheard of prices during this Great Clearance Sale.

on the farm—or in fact anywhere. We have dry goods of almost every kind, groceries of all staple kind, shoes, hats, clothing, trunks, hardware, cutlery, guns, sewing machines, cooking stoves, heaters, James & Graham wagons, John Deere plows and cultivators, stalk cutters, Georgia plow stocks, John Deere planters, Empress and 20th Century planters, Dowlaw planters, Southern Pride fertilizer distributors, Kelly plows (cast and steel), sulky plows, disc breakers, diverse cultivators, double stocks, middle breakers, middle breaker stocks, barbed wire, hog wire, chicken wire, screen wire, etc., all of which, and many others, we have not time or space to mention, will go in this great sale at clearance prices.

Therefore, if you want to buy goods cheaper than you ever did in your life, or if you have never tried us before now is the time to get in line and get your share of these wonderful offerings. **REMEMBER THE DATE AND BE ON HAND.**

Sweaters, Sweater Coats and Shirts

In this department we have a few numbers of very choice styles in Sweaters and Sweater Coats for men, ladies and children. Also a fine bunch of Shirts for men, which we are going to clean out at Clearance Prices During this Sale.

Hats for Men and Boys

Our stock of these is perhaps the largest in the city and are of the well known John B. Stetson and Worth makes, which means enough said. We have them in all the late styles and new shades of color. Buy your hat during this Sale at Clearance Prices.

Hardware

In this department is where we shine, as we have everything carried by a first-class hardware store, from a large Cooking Range to a small Pen Knife. We have Axes, double and single bit, with and without handles, Hoes, Rakes, Shovels, Spades, Plow Gear, Hammers, Traces, Back Bands, Horse Collars, Grubbing Hoes, Mattocks, Corn Mills, Coffee Mills, Nails, Tacks, Screws, Bolts, Wire Staples, Barbed Wire, Hog Wire, etc., including ammunition of all kinds, which will be sold at the lowest prices to be found during this Great Clearance Sale.

Don't Forget the Date.

YOURS FOR BUSINESS

Daniel & Burton

February 1st to 17th

February 1st to 17th

A Great Clearance Sale

AT

DANIEL & BURTON'S

Beginning Thursday, February 1st, and Continuing Until the
Close of Business Saturday, February 17th, 1912

15 Big Business Days of Solid Bargains - 15

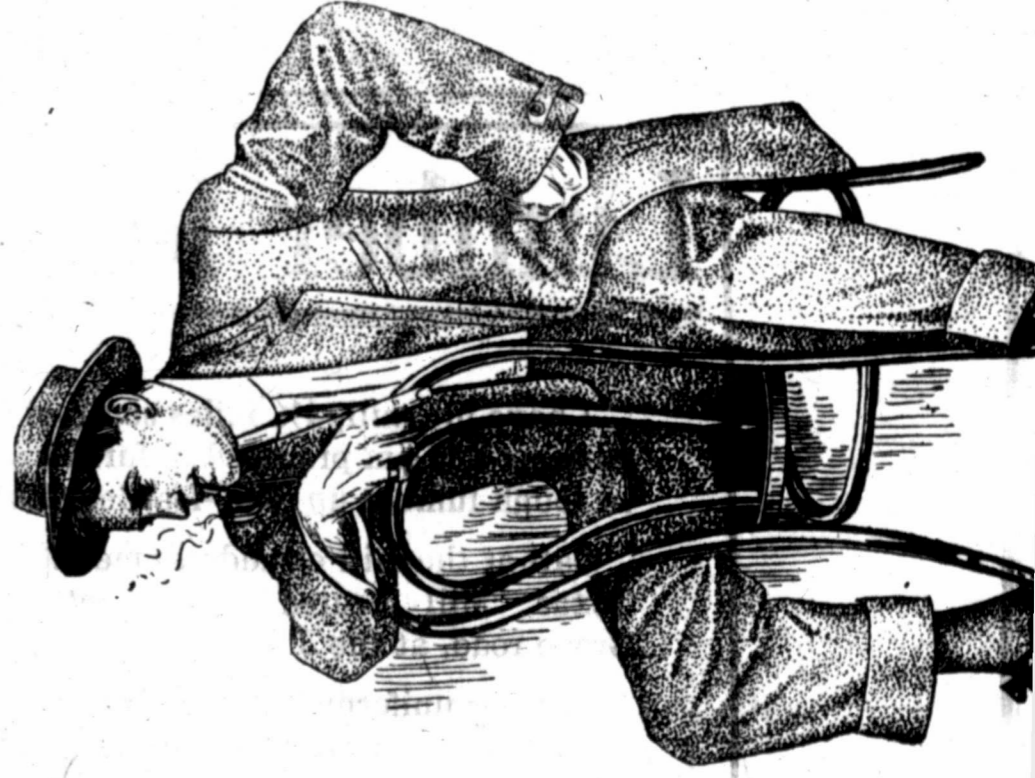
In grouping this sale it is our aim to put each and every article in this great stock of dependable merchandise out at a bargain price in order to reduce our stock and clean up entirely on all winter goods.

We realize fully that in order to clean up and make the goods move we must in a large measure sacrifice our profits, and during these fifteen days of bargain giving many articles will be sold for **EVEN LESS THAN WHOLESALE COST**.

Beginning at the front door of our store and continuing on through to the back door of the last warehouse—here, there, on every side and everywhere you will find us loaded with bargains for you.

It has always been our policy to sell goods cheap, but during this **GREAT CLEARANCE SALE** we are going to make you the most remarkable and unheard of prices ever made on dependable merchandise in Crockett.

Our stock, as you all know, is general and consists of everything needed in the home or on the farm—or in fact anywhere. We have dry goods of almost every kind, groceries of all staple kind, shoes, hats, clothing, trunks, hardware, cutlery, guns, sewing machines, cooking stoves, heaters, James & Graham wagons, John Deere plows and cultivators, stalk cutters, Georgia plow stocks, John Deere planters, Empress and 20th Century planters, Dowlaw planters, Southern Pride fertilizer distributors, Kelly plows (cast and steel), sulky plows, disc breakers, double stocks, middle breakers, middle breaker stocks, barbed wire,



Meningitis—Treatment and Preventive Measures.

V. P. ARMSTRONG, M. D.

Meningitis is one of the three scourges of civilization for which medical science has not yet found a positive preventive or cure. We count ourselves as not yet having attained, but with enthusiasm we pursue. Smallpox, yellow fever, malaria, diphtheria, sleeping sickness, typhoid fever, rabies and bubonic plague have all been routed; cancer, consumption and spinal and cerebro meningitis will undoubtedly surrender to the laboratory investigator before another decade—even now they possess but few of the terrors that disturbed us ten years ago. The disease now epidemic in some parts of Texas is known by several names, lepto-meningitis, cerebro-spinal meningitis, pus meningitis and inflammation of the brain coverings. The last name is best understood by the non-professional and the second name is the best understood by medical men. It is an infectious disease and is always taken into the system through the air passages, the nose and mouth. It is a germ disease, there being one, known as the menengococcus, which, if it gains access to the brain or cord coverings, always produces meningitis, though the disease may be produced by any of a number of varieties, and when the last condition occurs we speak of it as a "mixed infection." The germ gets into the brain cavity through the absorbents of the nose which are intimately connected with those of the brain. I speak of the avenue of invasion as a rule, but as meningitis frequently accompanies other diseases, especially pneumonia, we can not doubt the possibility of it gaining access to the brain by way of the blood current; of course this is never in epidemic form. Lagrippe and meningitis very frequently go hand in hand and as lagrippe is associated with coriza (bad cold) you will notice a verification of the theory that the nasal cavity is responsible often for the infection.

The length of time the disease takes to incubate, that is, the period from the entrance of the germ until the disease develops, is not definite or concise. In some cases it is four or five days and in other violent or "fulminating" cases the evidence of its presence are immediate and overwhelming, knocking down the patient and dragging him to the grave, *noles volens*, in eight or ten hours from the first symptom, the exposure and the first symptom being almost simultaneous, but in a very vast majority of cases there is a period of from four to six days in which the victim complains of malaise, discomfort, headache and fever. The headache is most severe; it is constant and valuable as a symptom to the physician.

The above symptoms are succeeded by great excitement, then by depression, unconsciousness and death. Convulsions often occur, great rigidity of the muscles, especially of the neck, and the patient lies in a characteristic attitude, any effort made to bring the head forward is very painful and meets with resistance. The patient may have a high temperature or very low temperature. The pulse is slow as often as fast and not infrequently may be as low as forty with fever as high as 104 degrees. Every case is a law unto itself. One patient may die in a day, another linger for weeks. At no time is a patient hopeless and at no time within ten or twelve days can we say, "he will recover."

I will briefly review the symptoms and then proceed to a discussion of other features of the disease.

EARLY SYMPTOMS

The early symptoms are vomiting, delirium, vertigo, fever, rigid

muscles, convulsions, terrible headache. These are followed by apathy (nothing interests the patient), stupor, coma. The patient slowly sinks or goes off in convulsions. A number of concurrent conditions add to the gravity of the disease. If there is found pus or matter in the ear, throat or nose it will always prove fatal. The disease following pneumonia is always fatal. In the days before the Flexner serum, a complete and perfect recovery was practically unheard of; paralysis, blindness, deafness or muteness, or some other impairment of the motor or intellectual faculties usually followed, but fortunately recoveries by the use of the meningeal serum of Dr. Flexner are always complete and perfect, and now the vital question is, what can be done for the unfortunate patient.

In answer I must say that in the absence of Flexner serum practically nothing so far as a curative agent is concerned. Hot baths, long continued, large doses of calomel, ice packs to the head, morphine to relieve pain and to meet indications as they arise—with this treatment, one out of ten will recover. Beyond that we have but one remedy, but it is like the old lady who said the Lord had been very kind to her; true she had but two teeth, but said she "Thank God, they bit." We have only one tooth to attack this enemy of men and children, but thank God, it hits.

No greater monument can be erected to the posthumous fame of John Rockefeller than the fact that he associated his money with Simon Flexner's brain and from the combination was produced this marvel for the relief of human suffering and the prolongation of human life. Cicero said, "Nothing can bring mortals as near the gods as ministering to the suffering." I can not tell what John has done (if anything) that he ought not to have done, but this I know, the founding and endowment of the Rockefeller Institute, for original research, located in New York is enough to entitle him to rest an aeon at least on the eternal Campus of Peace; and this I know, that when Simon Flexner and I get to Heaven I am afraid old Peter will put me on probation for coveting Simon's crown. It has been a long and toilsome journey in order to evolve by patient research and experiments the anti-meningitis serum whereby the mortality from this dreaded disease has been reduced from eighty or ninety down to twenty per hundred and it is confidently anticipated that the mortality will be further reduced as the medical profession becomes more proficient in the technique of its administration. The serum comes to the physician perfectly clean and sterile, an amber rather dark fluid, each bottle containing fifteen cubic-centimeters. It is accompanied by a sterile needle which is inserted between the bones of the spine and carried into the spinal canal and the spinal fluid is drawn off through the same needle and approximately the same quantity (never more) of the serum injected in the place of the spinal fluid. This is repeated every day for a given time.

PREVENTIVE MEASURES

Now, what shall you do, Mr. Layman, to avoid becoming infected? Remember an ounce of prevention in this case is worth a ton of cure.

1st. With an atomizer spray your mouth, throat and nose four or five times daily with any good disinfectant like Dobell's solution, weak solution of vera-septol or peroxide of hydrogen.

2nd. Keep away from where people are sick or have died with the disease.

3rd. Stay at home as much as possible.

4th. Stay away from public meetings.

5th. Meet as few people as possible.

6th. Keep your person and premises clean.

7th. Dress warmly and avoid exposure to rain, cold and sudden changes in weather.

8th. Adults should take from three to five grains of urotropin four times daily.

Citation by Publication.

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

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Edward Tyler, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mary Ann Oliver, deceased; the unknown heirs of J. M. Long, deceased; the unknown heirs of Ida Pennington, deceased; the unknown heirs of F. M. Oliver, deceased, the unknown heirs of D. W. Pennington, deceased, and J. M. Long, Ida Pennington, F. M. Oliver and D. W. Pennington, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county to your county, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in February, A. D., 1912, the same being the eleventh day of March, A. D., 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the sixth day of January, A. D., 1912, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 5363, wherein Miss Reppe Freeman is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of Edward Tyler, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mary Ann Oliver, deceased; the unknown heirs of J. M. Long, deceased; the unknown heirs of Ida Pennington, deceased; the unknown heirs of F. M. Oliver, deceased; the unknown heirs of D. W. Pennington, deceased, and J. M. Long, Ida Pennington, F. M. Oliver and D. W. Pennington, are defendants, and said petition alleging that the plaintiff is owner in fee simple, being lawfully seized and possessed of the following described tract or parcel of land, lying and being situated in Houston county, Texas, about fifteen miles south east from the city of Crockett, same being a portion of the Edward Tyler league survey, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the north east corner of a 340 acre survey, originally made for John Tyler on said league, a stake on the east boundary line of said league, when two pin oaks are mkd. X for witness trees. Thence south with said east boundary line 1110 vrs, a stake for corner whence a post oak brs north 87 west 7 vrs, an 8 in. post oak brs S. 10 E. 9 vrs. Thence west 1200 vrs, a stake on west boundary line of said 340 acre tract, whence a 10 in. post oak brs south 6 east 7 vrs, an 8 in. do. brs N. 9 E. 5 vrs. Thence north with said west boundary line 868 vrs a north west corner of said 340 acre survey, a stake whence a hickory brs S. 71 E. 1 3-10 vrs, a hickory brs S. 63 E. 4 2 10 vrs. Thence east with a north boundary line of said 340 acre survey 744 vrs, a stake whence a black jack brs N. 80 W. 3 vrs, a black jack brs S. 13 E. 4 vrs. Thence north with a west boundary line of said 340 acre survey, a stake whence a pine 12 in. dia. brs S. 85 E. 3 vrs, a 10 in. post oak brs S. 14 W. 13 vrs. Thence east with a north boundary line of said 340 acre tract 456 vrs to the place of beginning, containing two hundred (200) acres of land, off of the north side of said 340 acre tract, known as the Tyler or Oliver tract, by instruments duly executed as follows: Patent by the State of Texas to Edward Tyler, for one league of land, dated August 5th, 1848; deed from John Tyler and others, as heirs of Edward Tyler, deceased, to Daniel Dailey; deed from Daniel Dailey to Mary Ann Oliver and her children; deed from Lizzie Oliver and others, as heirs of Mary Ann Oliver to L. W. Glover and J. M. Long; deed from L. W. Glover to Ida Pennington; deed from E. W. Pennington and wife to Reppe Freeman, the plaintiff herein. Plaintiff specially pleads the five and ten years Statutes of Limitation, alleging actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession of said tract of land, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, under deeds duly registered, paying all taxes due thereon for a period of five years next before the filing of this suit, and cultivating, using and enjoying the same for a period

of ten years immediately preceding the filing of this suit. Plaintiff alleges that there is no deed now of record from Edward Tyler conveying said land, although the deed executed by John Tyler and others to Daniel Dailey purports to have been given by all of the heirs of Edward Tyler, but there is nothing now of record showing that said parties were in fact all of the heirs of Edward Tyler, deceased, which casts a cloud upon plaintiff's title; alleging that the deed from Daniel Dailey was executed to Mary Ann Oliver and her children, and that said Mary Ann Oliver was a daughter of the said John Tyler, and that the deed from Lizzie Oliver and others to L. W. Glover and J. M. Long purports to have been executed by the heirs of said Mary Ann Oliver, although there is now nothing of record to show that the parties who executed said deed were, in fact, all the heirs of the said Mary Ann Oliver, which casts a cloud upon the title of plaintiff, and plaintiff now alleges that said parties executing said deed, viz., Cora S. McAnally, joined by her husband, Lizzie Hunt, joined by her husband, and Lizzie Oliver, were the only heirs of the said Mary Ann Oliver. Plaintiff further alleges that F. M. Oliver in about the year 1881 conveyed said land to D. W. Pennington and retained the vendor's lien in said conveyance to secure the payment of one promissory note for the sum of five hundred dollars; that there is now no record of a conveyance out of the said D. W. Pennington of said land, nor is there now of record any release showing the payment of said note, all of which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title. Plaintiff further alleges that the claims of the other defendants herein, if any, are unknown to plaintiff. Plaintiff prays for judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom, quieting his title to same, substituting any and all missing deeds, and for general and special relief.

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

Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the district court of Houston county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this 6th day of January, A. D. 1912.

J. B. Stanton, Clerk,
District Court, Houston County.

Citation by Publication.

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

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of S. C. Collison, deceased; the unknown heirs of G. W. Givens, deceased; the unknown heirs of John S. Tanner, deceased; the unknown heirs of Isaac Peacock, deceased, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county to your county, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in February, A. D. 1912, the same being the eleventh day of March, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 19th day of December, A. D. 1911, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 5362, wherein J. A. Hughes is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of S. C. Collison, deceased; the unknown heirs of G. W. Givens, deceased; the unknown heirs of John S. Tanner, deceased, and the unknown heirs or Isaac Peacock, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging that the plaintiff is lawfully seized and possessed, being the owner in fee simple, of the following described tract or parcel of land, lying and being situated in Houston County, Texas, the same being a part of the S. C. Collison League, and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the north west corner of the J. A. Poe 320 acre survey. Thence north 30 east 950 4-10 vrs to rock for corner. Thence south 60 east 1810

6 10 vrs to the north west corner of a twenty acre tract. Thence south 80 west 979 vrs with the west line of said twenty acre tract to rock for corner. Thence north 60 west 1310 6-10 vrs to the place of beginning, containing two hundred twenty three and 3-4 (223 3/4) acres, more or less, by instruments duly executed as follows: Patent by the state of Texas, issued to S. C. Collison for one league of land, dated the 15th day of March, 1851, and deed from George W. Peacock to the plaintiff herein, dated the 4th day of October, 1886, appearing of record in Volume 40, page 379 of the Anderson County Deed Records, conveying the land described above. Plaintiff further pleads the five and ten years' statutes of limitation, alleging that he has been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession of said tract of land, using, cultivating and enjoying the same for periods of five and ten years, respectively, and especially pleads the five and ten years' statutes of limitation in bar of any claims asserted by the defendants to plaintiff's title. Plaintiff further alleges that there are now no deeds either on record or in existence, so far as plaintiff knows, from S. C. Collison, the original grantee of said land, from John S. Tanner, from G. W. Givens, and from Isaac Peacock, to any person or persons, which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title. Plaintiff prays for judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom, substituting any and all missing deeds, and for general and special relief.

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

Witness, J. B. Stanton, Clerk of the District Court of Houston County.

Given under my hand, and the Seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, this the 19th day of December, A. D. 1911.

J. B. Stanton, Clerk,
District Court, Houston County.

HEARD IN CROCKETT.

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All over Crockett you hear it. Doan's Kidney Pills are keeping up the good work, curing weak kidneys, driving away backache, correcting urinary ills. Crockett people are telling about it—telling of bad backs made sound again. You can believe the testimony of your own townspeople. They tell it for the benefit of you who are suffering. If your back aches, if you feel lag, sore and miserable, if the kidneys act too frequently, or passages are painful, scanty and off color, use Doan's Kidney Pills, the remedy that has helped so many of your friends and neighbors. Follow this Crockett citizen's advice and give Doan's a chance to do the same for you. Mrs. H. Miller, W. Crockett, Texas, says: "I do not hesitate to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills for the purposes for which their use is intended. I have taken this remedy, procured from Sweet's Drug Store and it had brought good results when I had been suffering from kidney complaint and backache."

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Avoid taking cold if your kidneys are sensitive. Cold congests the kidneys, throws too much work upon them, and weakens their action. Serious kidney trouble and even Bright's Disease may result. Strengthen your kidneys, get rid of the pain and soreness, build them up by the timely use of Foley Kidney Pills. Tonic in action, quick in results.

I. W. Sweet.

A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Liniment and bound on the affected parts is superior to any plaster. When troubled with lame back or pains in the side or chest give it a trial and you are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. Sold by all dealers.

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Girl Who Permits Man to Talk Tamely is the Winner.

To make men love you, you must be attractive.

To be attractive, you need not be conspicuously pretty; in fact, actual beauty has very little to do with the making of an attractive woman.

The girl who wishes to be considered fascinating must cultivate the art of being a good listener, intelligent and sympathetic, for nothing is more soothing and flattering to the average man who is anxious to talk about himself, his pursuits and hobbies, than to find some woman who is willing and even eager to listen.

Always allow a man to talk unceasingly about himself, no matter how much it may bore you, for this is one of the surest ways of earning the reputation of being an interesting and attractive woman.

Remember, that no man likes to be interrupted, and invariably dislikes the woman who knows about things.—Pearson's Weekly.

Resolutions of Respect.

To the officers and members of LaTexo Local 1190, F. E. & C. U. of T.

We, the undersigned committee on resolutions, submit the following report:

Whereas, death has taken from our midst our brother, Walter Jones, a man who was loyal and true to the principles of our union; one who was ready at all times to give labor and financial assistance to help build up the Farmers' Union of Texas. Therefore be it

Resolved, that the members of this local extend to the family of our deceased brother their heartfelt sympathy in this sad hour of bereavement, and bowing to the inevitable devoutly implore divine assistance and comfort to the one who most keenly feels her loss in this dark hour, and pray that her sons may be guided by the spirit of truth, to help their mother bear the burdens of this life for the sake of the love they should have for the father so suddenly taken from their home.

Resolved, that as a devoted husband, a kind father, a good neighbor and a true friend, that our late brother was unexcelled and we hold up these traits of character so strongly manifest in him as an example for all men to follow.

Resolved that these resolutions be spread on the minutes of our local, a copy sent to the family of our deceased brother, and also printed in the Courier, Houston County Times and Grapeland Messenger.

J. N. Snell,
Geo. Brailsford,
Committee.

There are two classes of people that need guardians. One is the fellow who says I am not afraid of this or that disease and to show how brave (how foolhardy) he is rushes into all kinds of places where a cautious man would refrain. And the other is the hysterical person who goes into a panic at the mention of disease. One should be drilled for the simples, and the other should have a nurse.—Palestine Herald.

For a Week Back.

An old gentleman walked up to a pretty girl attendant at the counting room of a daily newspaper office a few days ago, and said: "Miss, I would like to get copies of your paper for a week back."

"You had better try porous plasters," she abstractly replied; "you can get them just across the street."

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The State of Texas, to the sheriff or any constable of Houston county, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of S. S. Towles, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. S. Towles, deceased, the unknown heirs of E. J. Wood, deceased, the unknown heirs of Archie Henrie, deceased, the unknown heirs of Melissa J. Pollard, deceased, the unknown heirs of A. E. Merritt, deceased, the unknown heirs of George J. Butler, deceased, the unknown heirs of S. J. Butler, deceased, the unknown heirs of A. F. James, deceased, the unknown heirs of Maggie Blagge, deceased, the unknown heirs of Hamilton Blagge, deceased, the unknown heirs of B. N. McBride, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. W. Webber, dec'd J. W. Webber, and the unknown heirs of Benjamin F. Wood, deceased, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county to your county, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in February, A. D. 1912, the same being the eleventh day of March, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the ninth day of January, A. D. 1912, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 5364, wherein M. A. Milliff is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of S. S. Towles, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. S. Towles, deceased, the unknown heirs of E. J. Wood, deceased, the unknown heirs of Archie Henrie, deceased, the unknown heirs of Melissa J. Pollard, deceased, the unknown heirs of A. E. Merritt, deceased, the unknown heirs of George J. Butler, deceased, the unknown heirs of S. J. Butler, deceased, the unknown heirs of A. F. James, deceased, the unknown heirs of Maggie Blagge, deceased, the unknown heirs of Hamilton Blagge, deceased, the unknown heirs of B. N. McBride, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. W. Webber, deceased, and J. W. Webber, Mrs. M. E. McBride, for herself and as administratrix of the estate of B. N. McBride, deceased, W. T. Patton and M. M. Medford are defendants, said petition alleging that the plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the hereinafter described tracts or parcels of land, being lawfully seized and possessed of same; that on or about the first day of January, 1912, the defendants unlawfully entered upon said land, dispossessed the plaintiff and now unlawfully withhold from plaintiff the possession of said land to plaintiff's damage in the sum of fifty thousand dollars. That said tracts of land are all situated on the Archie Henrie league and labor, about 23 miles south west from the city of Crockett, and the same which was patented to Benjamin F. Wood, as assignee of the said Archie Henrie, and more particularly described as follows:

FIRST TRACT

Containing three hundred, fifty and 65-1000 (350 65-1000) acres, and designated as lot number three (3), according to the partition of said Archie Henrie league and labor, and described by field notes as follows: Beginning on the east line of said league and labor survey at the south east corner of lot number two (2) in said partition, a stake in field from which a post oak 30 in. dia. brs N. 66 1/2 W. 30 6-10 vrs. Thence south 13 1/2 west with the east line of said league and labor survey 488 vrs to the south east corner of said lot number three (3) and the north east corner of lot number four (4), a stake from which an elm 18 in. dia. brs N. 71 E 1 1/2 vrs, another elm 14 in. dia. brs S. 76 W. 7 8-10 vrs. Thence north 75 1/2 west with the north line of lot number four (4) and the south line of lot number three (3), 3870 vrs to the north west corner of lot number four (4) and the south west corner of lot number three (3), a stake on the east bank of Trinity river from which an ash 12 in. dia. brs S. 65 W. 3 2-10 vrs and a pecan 14 in. dia. brs S. 67 E 9 2-10 vrs. Thence up the Trinity river with meanderings thereof as follows: North 5 west 120 vrs, north 7 1/2 east 280 vrs, north 4 1/2 east 131 vrs to the south west corner of said lot number two (2) and the north west corner of said lot number three (3), a stake from which a willow 18 in. dia. brs S. 4 E. 29 vrs, another willow 14 in. dia. brs S. 27 W. 20 2-10 vrs. Thence south 75 1/2 east with the south line of lot number two (2) and the north line of lot number three (3), 3955 vrs to the place of beginning. All bearing trees marked X.

SECOND TRACT

Containing one hundred, thirty two (182) acres, the same being situated in the north western part of lot number four (4), according to said partition, and described by field notes as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the north west corner of said lot number four (4) and the south west corner of lot number three (3) in said partition, a stake on the east bank of Trinity river, from which an ash 12 in. dia. brs S. 65 W. 3 2-10 vrs, and a pecan 14 in. dia. brs S. 67 E. 9 2-10 vrs. Thence south 75 1/2 east with the north line of said lot number four (4) and the south line of said lot number three (3), 2006 vrs to the north west corner of the R. M. Lively 189 acre tract, a stake from which a pin oak 8 in. dia. brs S. 43 E. 10 vrs, and a sweet gum 6 in. dia. brs east 9 vrs. Thence south 13 1/2 west 562 vrs to the south line of lot number four (4) and the north line of said lot number five (5) a stake from which a haw-bush 5 in. dia. brs S. 40 E. 2 2-10 vrs, and an ash 12 in. dia. brs N. 28 E. 19 1/2 vrs. Thence north 75 1/2 west 730 vrs to the south east corner of a fifty seven (57) acre tract owned by J. W. Hall, a stake from which a pin oak 20 in. dia. brs N. 32 E. 7 2-10 vrs. Thence north 13 1/2 east 292 vrs to the north east corner of said fifty seven acre tract, a stake in field for corner. Thence north 75 1/2 west with the north line of said fifty seven (57) acre tract, 1188 vrs to the north west corner of same, a stake for corner on the east bank of the Trinity river. Thence up said river with meanderings thereof, as follows: North 6

west 84 vrs, north 21 west 103 vrs, north 15 east 109 vrs, to the place of beginning. All bearing trees marked X.

THIRD TRACT

Containing seven hundred, twelve and 4-10 (712 4-10) acres, the same being known and designated as lot number six (6) out of the partition of said league and labor survey, and described by field notes as follows, to-wit: Beginning on the east line of said league and labor survey at the south east corner of lot number five (5) in said partition, a stake in prairie from which a dead locust 12 in. dia. brs west 10 vrs and a three prong elm, 4, 6 and 7 in. dia. brs N. 41 1/4 W. 34 vrs. Thence south 13 1/2 west with said line 2074 vrs to stake in prairie for corner. Thence north 75 west 2425 vrs to the east bank of Trinity river, a cotton wood 36 in. dia. for corner, from which another cotton wood 30 in. dia. brs S. 3 W. 7 2-10 vrs. Thence up the Trinity river with meanderings thereof, as follows: North 30 east 136 vrs, north 42 east 240 vrs, north 57 east 117 vrs, north 73 1/2 east 110 vrs, south 57 east 232 vrs, south 27 east 110 vrs, south 73 east 160 vrs, north 50 east 140 vrs, north 31 1/2 east 240 vrs, north 45 east 389 vrs, north 7 west 180 vrs, north 30 west 160 vrs, north 53 west 135 vrs, north 68 west 190 vrs, north 55 west 460 vrs, north 41 1/2 west 160 vrs, north 37 west 280 vrs, north 41 west 160 vrs, north 47 west 360 vrs, to the north west corner of lot number six (6), and the south west corner of lot number five (5), a cotton wood 36 in. dia. for corner on the east bank of Trinity river from which another cotton wood 48 in. dia. brs S. 60 E. 3 1/2 vrs. Thence south 75 1/2 east with the north line of lot number six (6) and the south line of lot number five (5), 2991 vrs to the place of beginning. All bearing trees marked X.

FOURTH TRACT

Containing three hundred, twenty four and 75-100 (324 75-100) acres, and designated as lot number five (5) in the partition of the said league and labor survey, and described by field notes as follows, to-wit: Beginning on the east line of said league and labor survey at the south east corner of lot number four (4) in said partition, a stake from which a sweet gum 18 in. dia. brs N. 3 W. 3 vrs, another sweet gum 28 in. dia. brs N. 45 W. 5 vrs. Thence south 13 1/2 west 582 vrs to the north east corner of lot number six (6) in said partition, a stake in prairie from which a dead locust 12 in. dia. brs west 10 vrs and a three prong elm 4, 6 and 7 in. dia. brs N. 41 1/4 W. 34 vrs. Thence north 75 1/2 west with the south line of lot number five (5) and the north line of lot number six (6) in said partition, 2991 vrs to the north west corner of lot number six (6) and the south west corner of lot number five (5), a cotton wood 36 in. dia. for corner on the east bank of Trinity river from which another cotton wood 48 in. dia. brs S. 60 E. 3 1/2 vrs. Thence up said river with meanderings thereof as follows: North 43 west 360 vrs, north 28 west 200 vrs, north 25 west 220 vrs, north 9 west 38 vrs to the west corner of lot number five (5) and the south west corner of lot number four (4), a stake on the east bank of Trinity river from which an ash 14 in. dia. brs S. 30 E. 5 1/2 vrs. Thence south 75 1/2 east with the south line of lot number four (4) and the north line of lot number five (5) 3591 vrs to the place of beginning. All bearing trees marked X.

FIFTH TRACT

Containing fifty seven (57) acres, situated in the south west corner of lot number four (4), according to said partition, out of said league and labor survey, and described by field notes as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the south west corner of said lot number four (4) and the north west corner of lot number five (5), in said partition, a stake on the east bank of Trinity river, from which an ash 14 in. dia. brs S. 30 E. 5 1/2 vrs. Thence south 75 1/2 east with the south line of lot number four (4), 997 vrs to a stake from which a pin oak 30 in. dia. brs N. 32 E. 7 2-10 vrs. Thence north 13 1/2 east 292 vrs to stake in field for corner. Thence north 75 1/2 west 1188 vrs to stake for corner on the east bank of Trinity river. Thence down said river with meanderings thereof, south 19 east 355 vrs to the place of beginning. All bearing trees marked X.

Plaintiff further alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to all of said tracts of land above described have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, claiming the same under deeds duly registered, paying all taxes due thereon for periods of three, five and ten years immediately preceding the filing of this suit, and that the plaintiff specially pleads the five and ten year Statute of Limitation in bar of any claim or demand asserted to said land by defendants herein, and plaintiff sets out in his original petition all of the deeds and other muniments of title from and under the sovereignty of the soil, under and by virtue of which he claims title to said land. And plaintiff alleges that the certificate of acknowledgment to the deed from the defendants, S. S. Towles and her husband, J. S. Towles, E. J. Wood and wife, E. A. Wood, is not in conformity with law and casts a cloud on plaintiff's title, that there is now an outstanding title in the defendant, J. W. Webber, to part of the above described land, there being no deed on record out of said J. W. Webber, which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title. And the plaintiff further alleges that the defendant A. F. James, acquired a locative interest of one third in said league and labor for his services in locating said land for the original grantee, but that the record fails to disclose any evidence of title to said A. F. James, which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title. Plaintiff further alleges that although said tract of land was duly patented by the state of Texas to Benjamin F. Wood, as assignee of said Archie Henrie, by virtue of transfer of the certificate from said Archie Henrie to said Benjamin F. Wood, one, James Henrie, purporting to be an heir of said Archie Henrie, conveyed a portion of same to John Crowmeans, and the said John Crowmeans conveyed same to B. N. McBride, and Mrs. M. E. McBride, as the administratrix of the estate of B. N. McBride, conveyed a portion of same to M. M. Medford; that A. B. McBride, as an heir of B. N. McBride, conveyed a portion of same to W. T. Patton, and the plaintiff alleges that none of said deeds carried any title or interest in and to said property, but simply cast a cloud on plaintiff's title. Plaintiff sues, prays judgment for said land, quieting his title to same, removing all clouds therefrom, cancelling said deeds from the said James Henrie to Crowmeans and from Crowmeans to B. N. McBride, for general and special relief.

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

Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the district court of Houston county. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this 9th day of January, A. D. 1912. J. B. Stanton, Clerk. District Court, Houston County. By J. H. Sharp, Deputy

Young Women

Read what Cardui did for Miss Myria Engler, of Faribault, Minn. She says: "Let me tell you how much good Cardui has done me. As a young girl, I always had to suffer so much with all kind of pain. Sometimes, I was so weak that I could hardly stand on my feet. I got a bottle of Cardui, at the drug store, and as soon as I had taken a few doses, I began to feel better. Today, I feel as well as anyone can."

TAKE CARDUI The Woman's Tonic

Are you a woman? Then you are subject to a large number of troubles and irregularities, peculiar to women, which, in time, often lead to more serious trouble.

A tonic is needed to help you over the hard places, to relieve weakness, headache, and other unnecessary pains, the signs of weak nerves and over-work.

For a tonic, take Cardui, the woman's tonic. You will never regret it, for it will certainly help you. Ask your druggist about it. He knows. He sells it.

Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free. J58

Grounds School District No. 23 Stock Law Election.

On this 9th day of January, A. D. 1912, the court takes under consideration the petition of the citizens of Grounds Common School District No. 23 in and for Houston County, Texas, asking the court to grant an order for an election to be held in said district to determine whether or not hogs, sheep, goats and geese shall be permitted to run at large within the following described territory, to-wit: Beginning at the S. W. corner of the B. Stewart survey on the E. line of the John Box league. Thence S. 45 E. to the south line of Jacob Masters, Sr., league. Thence N. 45 E. with said Masters S. line, 3400 varas to corner of blocks No. 7 and 8 of the original subdivision of said Masters league. Thence N. 45 W. with the division line between the two said blocks, 3800 varas to their corner on the north line of said Masters league. Thence N. 45 W. with said league line to the corner of the S. C. Hiram and E. T. Allen surveys. Thence N. 45 W. with the line between said surveys to their corner on the Wm. Adams line. Thence N. 45 E. with the Adams and Hiram lines to their corner on the B. Shorter W. B. line. Thence N. 45 W. with Shorter and Adams lines to the S. corner of the W. D. F. Adams survey. Thence N. through said Adams survey to J. A. Johnsons S. E. corner. Thence N. with the E. line of same to the N. E. corner on Joseph Floyd S. B. line. Thence N. W. through said Floyd survey to the S. W. corner of J. J. Cook survey. Thence N. with said Cook W. B. line to the south boundary of the San Pedro School District. Thence W. with said School District line to the S. E. corner of the Stephen Bennett survey. Thence W. with said Bennett S. B. line to N. W. corner of the R. Webb survey. Thence S. with the Webb line to corner on J. D. Dickey N. line. Thence E. with Dickey N. line to its N. E. corner. Thence S. with Dickey E. line to Webbs corner on same. Thence E. with Webbs S. line to N. W. corner of Geo. Grounds survey. Thence S. with the west line of the Grounds survey and John F. Allen surveys to Allen's corner on the N. line of the John Box league. Thence E. with Box N. line to the N. E. corner of same. Thence S. with the E. line of the Box league to the place of beginning. And it appearing to the court that the said petition is in all things in compliance with the law the same is hereby granted. It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed by the court that the said election be held at the Grounds School House in said District No. 23, in said above described territory in Houston county, Texas, on the 24th day of February, A. D. 1912, which said day being on Saturday of the said month. The said election to be held in accordance with the law governing elections to determine whether or not hogs, sheep, goats and geese shall be

permitted to run at large within the above described territory and due notice of said election shall be given as required by law.

W. M. Robinson and W. F. Hester are hereby appointed managers of the said election.

E. Winfree, County Judge, Houston County, Texas.

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HERBINE

Is the Remedy You Need.

It is an invigorating tonic for a torpid liver. The first dose brings improvement, a few days use puts the liver in fine vigorous condition. Herbine also extends its restorative influence to the stomach and bowels. It helps digestion and food assimilation, purifies the bowels and brings back the habit of regular daily bowel movements. When the stomach, liver and bowels are active, bilious impurities no longer obstruct functional processes, the result of which is renewed energy, mental activity and cheerful spirits.

Price 50c per Bottle.

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Use Stephens Eye Salve for Sore Eyes. It Cures.

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Chest pains and a dry, hacking cough should be treated with Ballard's Horehound Syrup taken internally, and a Herrick's Red Pepper Porous Plaster applied to the chest. Buy the dollar size Horehound Syrup; you get a Porous Plaster free with every bottle. Sold by DeCur-Bishop Drug Co.

Are you giving your stock any tonic?

A spring physic is as essential to the general health of your stock as it is to mankind.

A dollar spent now may mean the saving of some faithful animal.

Suppose you heed to our words of warning.

We handle the best only—such reliable brands as International, Le Gear's, Hess & Clark's and Pratt's are to be found on our shelves. They are the products of the country's most successful veterinaries.

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P. S.—We call for and deliver your prescriptions without extra charge.

Local News.

Mrs. E. T. Ozier is visiting at Rosebud.

Cook stoves at cost. Daniel & Burton.

Mrs. R. E. Parker of Lovelady is visiting Mrs. W. A. Norris.

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

G. L. Murray and W. T. Brunton of Lovelady were here Friday.

Bring your cleaning, pressing, repairing and altering to Shupak Tailors.

See Moore & Shivers for cypress shingles. They have just unloaded a car.

Daniel & Burton for John Deere and Empress stalk cutters. Selling cheap now.

Faust Blend coffee—the best on earth or anywhere else—you get it at Woodson's.

The easiest running implements are the J. I. Case, for sale only by Moore & Shivers.

George McCullar of Lovelady was a visitor at the Courier office Monday afternoon.

We stake our reputation on Blake's famous Faust Blend coffee—at Woodson's.

They're going rapidly—those greatly reduced tailor-made suits at Shupak Tailors'.

No cultivator better, few as good, as the Oliver. Jas. S. Shivers & Co. sell them.

If you want a real cup of coffee, call for Blake's famous Faust Blend—at Woodson's.

Mr. T. H. Phipps of Holly was in Crockett Tuesday morning and a visitor to the Courier office.

Faust coffee—the coffee you drank at the World's Fair. You can get it only at Woodson's.

FOR SALE—Cheap, two A No. 1 horses. Ike Lansford, Crockett, Texas.

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

When you buy your cultivator, get the best—the old reliable John Deere. For sale by Daniel & Burton.

Nothing lost by looking at a nicely tailored suit—a real good \$20.00 value now for \$14 at Shupak Tailors'.

Commencing February 19, we will have a representative direct from Oliver Chilled Plow Works to display, explain and sell the famous Oliver line of cultivators. Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

All kinds of middle busters, riding and walking, of the John Deere make, cheaper now at Daniel & Burton's.

The best planters for cotton and corn are the John Deere, 20th Century and Empress. For sale by Daniel & Burton.

The Oliver line of implements saves by doubling the yield if used properly. Sold only in Crockett by Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

Buy your farm implements, barbed wire, hog wire and lawn fence from Daniel & Burton—cheaper than anywhere.

The Ledbetter one-seed combination cotton and corn planter, sold only by Moore & Shivers, is the best walking planter made.

The greatest line of implements ever shown in Houston county—four solid car loads now on exhibition at Daniel & Burton's.

Portable gasoline wood saw, will cut any kind of wood anywhere in city limits for 75 cents a cord. See or phone Leroy Moore.

D. F. Morgan and L. T. Morgan of Kennard and J. M. Walker of Route 1 are among the number remembering the Courier since last issue.

Salesmen Wanted—to look after our interest in Houston and adjacent counties. Salary or commission. Address The Victor Oil Company, Cleveland, O.

G. C. Areford and W. W. Parshall of Uniontown, Pa., were in Crockett last week. They own land north of town and were here looking after their property.

John Deere plows are the best to buy. They do better work, run lighter and last longer than any other make.

J. P. Smith of Route 5, Chas. Long of Route 3, L. B. Starling of Pennington and J. H. Rhoden of Kennard were among the number remembering the Courier Saturday.

The best money making implements sold are those made by the Oliver Chilled Plow Works. Their representative will be here on February 19th to 25th. Do not fail to see him at Jas. S. Shivers & Co's.

Lufkin has been experiencing a coal famine for some time, and a local dealer here has just received a car from the mine near Crockett, Texas, which is said to be a very high quality of lignite. The results obtained from its use have been highly satisfactory, and the relief is appreciated by many.—Lufkin News.

Cleanse the bowels and strengthen the liver by using Herbine. It is a fine liver stimulant and bowel regulator. Price 50c. Sold by Decuir-Bishop Drug Co.

Daniel & Burton are headquarters for implements of every kind. Four big car loads now on exhibition. Buy where you can get what you want and save big money.

District Judge Gardner of Palestine was a visitor here Friday and the Courier is reliably informed that he made the statement that he would not be a candidate for re-election.

Bible Society Meeting.

The Houston County Bible Society is to meet at the Presbyterian church Sunday night, February, 11 at 7:30 o'clock, to elect officers for the year.

J. E. Luce of Grapeland, T. J. Sanders of Lovelady, C. S. Hearne of Route 6, S. L. Connor of Ratcliff and J. D. Morgan of Kennard are among our friends remembering us since last issue.

Lost or Stolen

A gold watch, engraved with six letters, S. C. to H. H. F., on front of the watch. Reward \$5.00 to return to the Courier office.

Henry Lang.

Lumber for Sale.

Both rough and dressed, complete house bills furnished. Prices right.

B. D. Raines, 9 miles southeast of Crockett.

J. I. Case cultivators, riding planters, drag burrows, steel plows, Kelly plows, fertilizer distributors, Dowlaw planters, Georgia stocks, and anything else in the implement line can be found at Moore & Shivers.

If you are interested in improved farm implements, see our line of Oliver plows, planters, cultivators, etc. A representative of the factory will be in Crockett at Jas. S. Shivers & Co's store Monday, February 19 for one week.

Read the Courier's announcement column. Every voter should know who is running for office and many good men are now offering for positions of public trust. The Courier's announcement column contains the names of many good men.

Eggs from pure bred stock for sale.—Indian Runner Ducks, penciled, fawn and white; white egg strain; 15 eggs for \$1.50. Young ducks for sale after August 1st. White Wyandottes, \$1.50 per setting of 15 eggs. W. A. Eddy, Crockett, Texas.

Three "northers" last week—one Sunday; another Wednesday and the third Saturday. The last one was the severest, the mercury hovering close to the zero mark. It is the second or third time this winter that three cold spells have come in one week, which is an unusual record for winter here.

Rev. George Stuart delivered a lecture at the Methodist church Friday night in the interest of the Methodist Southern University to be established at Dallas. A subscription was taken. Mr. Stuart is a pleasant and forcible speaker and is always popular with a Crockett audience. He conducted a very successful revival here several years ago.

The third man to enter the race for tax collector is Ike Lansford. Ike was born and reared near Porter Springs, but is now a resident of Crockett. He comes from one of the oldest and best known families in the county and his wife is a Houston county woman. It seems that none but good men are running for office this year and Ike is going to have some good men to beat. To beat them he will need every vote he can get and he therefore solicits the support of every democrat in Houston county. His qualifications and democracy have never been questioned.

A Warning Against Wet Feet.

Wet and chilled feet usually affect the mucous membrane of the nose, throat and lungs, and la grippe, bronchitis or pneumonia may result. Watch carefully, particularly the children, and for the racking stubborn coughs give Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. It soothes the inflamed membranes, and heals the cough quickly. Take no substitute.

I. W. Sweet.

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

Number of Poll Taxes.

The number of poll taxes paid in Houston county up to and including the last day of January, 1912, is 3740. Forty one exemptions were secured, making the total polling strength of Houston county in the elections to be held this year 3781. This is an increase of several hundred over last year.

Postoffice Location Unchanged.

Following the agitation of the removal of the postoffice from its present location to one of the new buildings being erected by W. M. Patton, a telegram was received at Crockett Wednesday afternoon announcing that the postoffice would remain where it is. The telegram was from Washington and was signed by Congressman Gregg.

Mr. and Mrs. John LeGory entertained a small dinner party Wednesday evening complimentary to Messrs. Areford and Parshall of Pennsylvania. At the table were Miss Genevieve Eichelberger, Miss Judith Arledge, Mr. Areford, Mr. Parshall, W. W. Aiken and Mr. and Mrs. LeGory. Following the dinner, which was elegantly served in courses and much enjoyed, music was the feature of entertainment. The hostess was assisted by Miss Eichelberger in the musical numbers.

Lumber for Sale.

I have my mill, 4 1/2 miles south of Crockett, running and am prepared to furnish anything in rough lumber up to 40 foot lengths. Call at the mill or address me at Crockett, Texas. Mill located on Crockett and Pine Grove road, at the J. W. Woolley farm. Lumber uniform and can fill any bill for rough lumber and guarantee good grades. Can also supply post oak posts and can cut anything from a tooth pick to a timber. Let us fill your order and save you some money.

Standard Land & Lumber Co. Tolliver & Enos.

An Epidemic of Coughing

Is sweeping over the town. Old and young alike are affected, and the strain is particularly hard on little children and on elderly people. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is a quick, safe and reliable cure for all coughs and colds. Contains no opiates.

I. W. Sweet.

How to cure a cold is a question in which many are interested just now. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has won its great reputation and immense sale by its remarkable cure of colds. It can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers.

If it's anything in the baker's line you can get it at the

Crockett Bakery

Also carry a nice line of confectioneries, including canned and bottled goods of the highest quality. We make a specialty of preparing lunches for picnic and fishing parties. Try us next time.

F. B. WEBB

PROPRIETOR

Hopes Realized.

Our ad in last week's issue of this paper brought us many customers. We are especially pleased with the results because we were able to suit everyone of them and give every customer the best value he has ever been able to get in clothes for the price. Read the ad in this issue, then come and ask us to produce the goods—we have it and will be only too glad to convince you. Shupak Tailors.

Killed Over a Crap Game.

John (Bud) Jackson, a negro who once worked at the electric light plant, but who has been working at Groveton for some time, was shot and killed late Friday evening by another negro, named Jake Lewis. Lewis has a little store across the railroad track from town and in this store the tragedy occurred as the result of a crap game. Jackson was badly wounded, but lived until Saturday morning. Lewis was arrested Friday evening by Constable Bob Spence and locked up.

You are probably aware that pneumonia always results from a cold, but you never heard of a cold resulting in pneumonia when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was used. Why take the risk when this remedy may be had for a trifle? For sale by all dealers.

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When you want something good in the meat line call on us.

We buy hides and all kinds country produce.

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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 following announcements for office are subject to the democratic primary to be held in July:

For District Judge
O. C. Funderburk
For County Clerk
O. C. Goodwin
For County Treasurer
Ney Sheridan
For Sheriff
A. W. Phillips
For Tax Collector
George Denny
James J. Cook
Ike Lansford
For County Judge
E. Winfree
For District Clerk
John D. Morgan

It will take an epidemic of meningitis, yellow fever or something else to make some people clean up their premises.

A bill has been introduced in congress providing for free mail delivery in towns having 1000 or more population. The bill was introduced by a Pennsylvania congressman. The people of the small towns are the only ones without free mail delivery and they contribute their quota toward the general postoffice expense. The bill looks like a good thing and the Courier hopes it will receive the support of the congressman from this district.

The Courier pleads for an ordinance against the habit of dry-sweeping the sidewalks. This habit is the worst and most dangerous nuisance our people have to contend with. In some places it is almost impossible to get along the sidewalks for this nuisance at sweeping time. The habit is dangerous because all the dried spittle of the preceding day and night is stirred up and put to circulating through the air and thus the air becomes impregnated with disease germs. Such an ordinance would not only be in the interest of the public health, but would be a long step toward civic decency.

Horace Dennis, of Henderson county, who raised four and two-thirds bales of cotton last year on two acres, attended the annual meeting of the Texas Swinebreeders' Association last week at Athens, and was introduced as the "foremost citizen of the county." Col. R. E. Yantis, editor of the Athens Review, declared that Dennis was "a better citizen and worth more to the country than a whole corn field of politicians." Besides being the champion cotton grower of the state, he was one of the prize winners in the Texas Industrial Congress contest. The Congress this year will give forty-four cash prizes, amounting to \$1,500 to boys and girls under 20 years of age who secure the biggest cotton yields on one acre, and will also award the same amount in prizes for the best yields obtained from an acre of corn.

EPIDEMIC CEREBRO-SPINAL MENINGITIS.

The appearance of cerebrospinal meningitis in serious epidemic form in Texas and sporadically in numerous places in other states has intensified interest in this dangerous disease. In the last issue of the Public Health Reports is a timely pa-

per by Dr. W. H. Frost which covers the history as well as our present knowledge of this disease. Through the studies of recent years four vital points concerning this disease have been practically settled, namely, the identification of the causative organism, the diagnosis by examination of the spinal fluid, its effective treatment by the antimeningitis serum and the location of the infective agent in the nose and throat of those afflicted as well as on that of many healthy carriers. Fluegge says that healthy carriers are ten times more numerous than recognized cases of meningitis, and are more than ten times as prolific as a source of infection for others. It will thus be seen that a determination of all carriers by examination would be a most difficult matter, while the rigid quarantine of either houses or communities on account of cerebrospinal meningitis seems ordinarily unjustified. Bacteriologic examination for the purpose of discovering all carriers would be impracticable, and if this could be carried out they would be difficult of control. There are, however, some general measures that will undoubtedly aid in preventing the spread of this disease, says The Journal of the American Medical Association. Among them are the early diagnosis and isolation of suspected cases and prompt serum treatment, perhaps in special hospitals during epidemics. The following of proper hygienic regulations by individuals no doubt will aid. The infective agent is found only in human beings and is believed not to survive long after separation from the host. Notwithstanding this fact, however, its somewhat erratic spread during epidemics is still much of a mystery.

Nitch in Road Bond Deal.

Some time ago the Courier announced that the Crockett road district bonds had been sold. The statement was true as far as it went, but the sale was conditional on a reduction in the maturity of the bonds. The road committee found when putting the bonds on the market that 40-year bonds could not be sold except at a discount and this the committee was not willing to accept. The committee found a buyer for the bonds at par value, provided the time of maturity could be reduced. The matter was taken up with the commissioners' court and it was agreed that a reduction in the maturity of the bonds would be to the advantage of

the people and the bonds were considered practically sold. The matter was then taken up with the attorney general, who advised that the maturity time of the bonds could not be changed except by a vote of the taxpayers. That is now the stage and condition of the bond sale. An election will be ordered and the taxpayers will vote on the question whether the maturing time of the bonds shall be reduced. Voters will be asked to change the bonds from forty to twenty-five years, which it is estimated will not increase the tax rate.

Scattering Disease Germs.

The Courier advocates the passing by the city council of an ordinance against dry sweeping of sidewalks. This practice is a most dangerous one and is likely to be the means of distributing many disease germs. It is only with difficulty that a person can get along the sidewalks early of a morning on account of the dust in some places. This dust is filled with the dried spittle of the previous day and night and is really dangerous.—Crockett Courier.

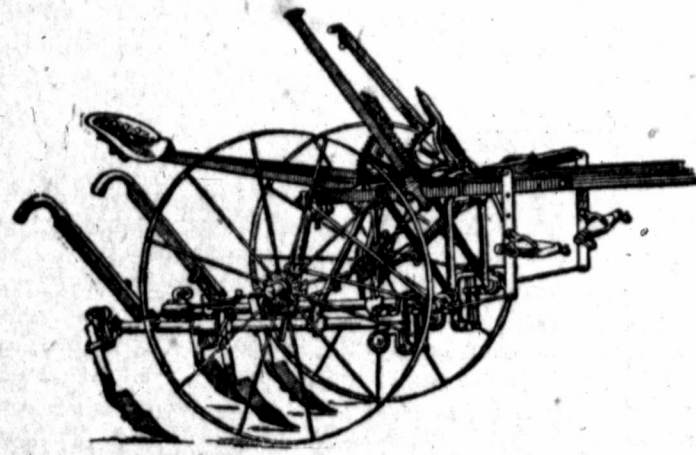
The evils of sweeping sidewalks dry and thus scattering dust and germs broadcast to be breathed by the passing citizen has often been pointed out by boards of health and the press of the several cities of Texas. The lesson has not been learned. It will not be learned in a day. But enforcement of the police regulations in most of the cities and towns will bring a remedy for the condition complained of. Persistent efforts to educate the people to the necessity for conserving health will accomplish a great deal. When the evils that are patent to some of us become equally patent to all of us the movement for better health conditions will be fairly under way.—Galveston News.

La Grippe, then Bronchitis.

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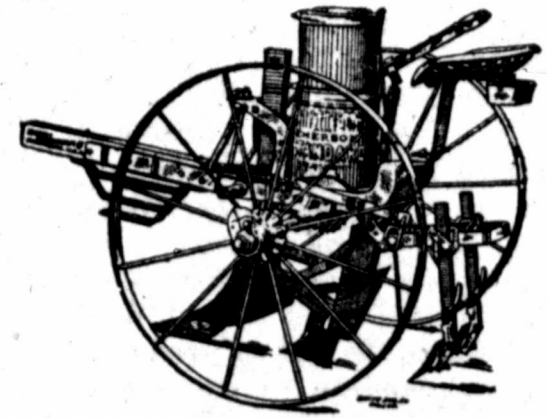
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