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#### POLITICAL ADVANTAGE

Declaration on Liquor Traffic Regulation Goes Through as Governor Demanded.

San Antonio, Texas, Aug. 15.— If that fight in respect to the platform declaration on the liquor traffic regulation and the denouement there had been carefully arranged. planned and staged, things could scarcely have broken more favorably for Governor Colquitt than they did, arising as volunteer movements and coming from different angles. The governor's liquor regulation is in the platform because he emphatically demanded it at a crucial stage, and both Colquitt and anti-Colquitt men are alike of the opinion that the governor has gained a decided political advantage. Obviously he has disappointed and offended some of the insurgent antis, who wished ernor Thomas R. Marshall of Indithe platform to be silent upon the ana, in his formal speech of acceptsubject of liquor regulation. But he ance of the democratic vice presihas satisfied the more conservative dential nomination, delivered to the antis and has probably won some notification committee here today, favor from the more conservative attacked the republican party on prohibitionists.

almost unanimous approval of both making men everywhere socialstic antis and pros in the convention, in theory if not in conduct. it seems certain that it will be enacted into law, and that the thirtythird legislature will not be greatly in America, whether millionaire or perturbed and disturbed by that pauper, to longer play the ostrich. subject or by prohibition.

re-submit the question of statewide sentiment or hope. It is foolish minority report providing briefly cause America is responsive to the as being one of rare sweetness. Mrs. prohibition next winter seems alto- for the vastly rich to keep on in- for the elimination of all the matgether improbable. Judge Ramsey sisting that more and more shall be ter on liquor regulation. This lathad a plank in his proposed plat- added to their riches through a ter report caught the fancy of the form declaring for resubmission, specious system of special legisla- insurgent antis. But up got Mr. but Judge Poindexter, Cone John- tion ostensibly enacted to run the Hardwicke, the Colquitt floor manason and others who had supported government, in reality enacted to his candidacy were opposed to any loot the people. such declaration at this time. The Ramsey caucus decided against it, them to smile at the large body of and that plank was not submitted intelligent Americans who regard by its authority to the platform themselves as fortunate if the committee. But the Ramsey cau- debit and credit accounts of life cus did create a committee which balance at the end of the year, and was to issue an address from San to assume that the mighty many, Antonio making it known that the who are becoming convinced that ultimate goal is statewide prohibi- that social system that we call de-

away without issuing such an ad-slavery being produced: dress. The Ramsey caucus met no "Whether voting the ticket or more after Monday night. From not, men everywhere, looking upon the few pro delegates remaining on the awful injustice of this economic the ground it is learned that it was system, are becoming socialistic in fastly refused. considered unnecessary to say any- theory if not in conduct. thing further along this line.

the adopted platform is about all ests of the people of the country that we could hope for at this that a hundred men shall control time," said one of the pro delegates, its business to the good of every "If the saloons are closed at 9:30 one, that there is anything fallawe confine the liquor traffic to hours ment instead of transferring busiwhen the public eye is upon it. The ness to a favored few for the benefit only practicable step beyond this of all should itself discharge that is absolute prohibition."

Several things about the course ing supported Colquitt, they should says: "I consider that Foley's Honoppose embodying any of his cam- ey and Tar Compound has no equal nate the liquor regulation plank package. I. W. Sweet, from the platform, they should

were willing that he should ap- Sweet.

the John Du

prove an early closing law-if it TUMULT OVER LI-GAINED BY COLQUITT. should ever reach him. But they figured that they might be able, if the platform were silent upon the subject, to keep such a measure from eyer reaching the executive

Second, when they demanded a roll call on the Brachfield minority report they meant to vote for it. They did not count on Governor more pronounced than was that Colquitt taking a hand in the prolaw if enacted by the prohibition- mored than the half hour of demists, they were "put in hole," as Fred onstration for Senator Bailey this Stevens expressed it, and were afternoon, Governor Colquitt fairly forced to accept the lesser of the licked into submission the insurtwo evils, as they regarded the gent anti-prohibitionists who wantpropositions.

#### Marshall Is Officially Notified. .

, Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 20.—Govthe grounds that it had fostered Since the proposition received the special privilege to the point of

In this connection he said:

"It is idle for a thoughtful man Safety does not consist in hiding

"It is worse than ignorance for mocracy is but a glittering generali-Now this committee has gone ty, will long endure the industrial

"And shall any fair-minded man The liquor regulation plank in say that if it redounds to the interduty for the benefit of all.

A. S. Jones, of the Lee Pharmacy of the insurgent antis appear incon- Chico. Cal., who has handled Foley sistent. First of these is that, hav- & Co.'s medicines for many years, paign promises in the platform; can recommend as containing no law he would approve it. second, that having clampred for a narcotics or other harmful properroll call on a proposition to elimities." The genuine in a yellow

Breeders of fine horses prefer with singular and almost complete Ballard's Snow Liniment for all cuts, una nimity vote against that propo- wounds or sores on their stock, be- prohibitionists, except as to Senator sition. Nevertheless there is some cause it acts both mildly and quickly and heals an ordinary wound The insurgents were not asking without a scar. Price 25c, 50c and Colquitt to break his promise. They \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by I. W. report.

QUOR TRAFFIC SECTION

After Hour of Noise Because Insurgents Are Denied Roll Call, Governor in Speech is Victorious.

San Antonio, Texas, Aug. 14.—After an hour of tumultuousness much which characterized the proceed-through without many dents beceedings. But when he did take a ings in the democratic state con- ing made in it, as shown by other hand, securing for them the covet- vention yesterday, when the domi- dispatches. There were two ed roll call, but telling them that if nant faction refused to hear the changes in the liquor regulation they adopted the minority report he speech of Hon. Cullen F. Thomas, plank and his declaration in favor would approve a 7 o'clock closing and also more noisy and ill-hu- of majority nominations went out. ed to eliminate from his platform the declaration in favor of the early closing of the saloons and other regulation of the liquor traffic.

insurgents had been denied a roll night. call upon the proposition. The majority of the platform committee ton today Governor Wilson deliv- finally decided to postpone the enhad reported Governor Colquitt's ered his speech in a grove of trees platform with some slight changes. in the fair grounds and frequently Mrs. Jno. LeGory, returned. Mrs. Jonathan Lane and certain other was interrupted by outbursts of en- Pinckney Hail was appointed to reanti-prohibitionists of the commit- thusiasm. He deprecated the ex- quest Mrs. Huberta Nunn, who is tee had signed that platform with a istence of special privileges in the expected to visit Crockett in the reservation as to liquor planks. country and predicted democratic near future, to give a recital, and Judge Poindexter, Cone Johnson success in November. and other prohibitionists offered a minority report going further than Governor Woodrow Wilson to the who hear her. Mrs. Nunn has spent the governor on regulation. For- Democratic League at Trenton. the past year in Berlin studying mer State Senator Brachfield, one-That any effort will be made to one's head in the sands of either time leader in the senate, offered a cause we wish it to be, but be- since her return speak of her voice ger, and moved to table both the minority reports. Quicker than it can be related, Chairman Hudspeth put the motion viva voce and declared it carried. As quickly he put and declared carried a motion nominee for vice president: to adopt the majority report.

The insurgents set up a howl for a roll call on the Brachfield report. Chairman Hudspeth attempted to proceed with other business, but the cries for the roll call absolutely blocked proceedings. The wildest excitement prevailed. Colonel Wolters begged that the friends of Governor Colquitt be given this roll call, but Chairman Hudspeth stead-

After an hour of riotous carrying on, Governor Colquitt came to the hall, took in the situation and addressed the convention. First, he said, he would ask that a roll call be granted. Having said that much he proceeded to ask that the Brachfield report be voted down, as he did not intend to be put in a hypocritical position, he having promised early closing in his Sherman speech. Next and finally he laid the law down that if the Brachfield report were adopted and the prohibitionists of the legislature should send him a 7 o'clock closing

Following this speech the roll was called. The result was a victory for the governor. Only ten votes were cast for the Brachfield report and 766 against it. The Brachfield's home county (Rusk) voted solidly against the Brachfield

There was great applause when

Judge Ramsey cast the vote of said after the conference that he Johnson county on the Colquitt had discussed details of the speakduring the day that Judge Ramsey charge. Asked as to the itinerary prohibitionists of 'the convention. Mr. Burleson said: The first was during the afternoon, when, upon its invitation, he ad- up his own itinerary and formulate dressed it briefly and graciously, his own plans for the campaign. making a decided hit all around.

Governor Colquitt's platform went

WILSON ATTENDS RALLY AT TRENTON.

Democratic Year, He Tells His Hearers, Because America Is Reponsive to Impulse of World.

Seagirt, N. J., Aug. 20 .- After two days of hard campaining Gov-The riotousness arose because the ernor Wilson returned to Seagirt to-

At the democratic rally at Tren-

"It is not a democratic year be- voice, and those who have heard her impulses of the world. Privilege R. E. McConnell kindly tendered is giving way in all countries to the her home for this entertainment. pressure of public opinion."

was under no obligation for his Mrs. Nunn, not being with us. nomination for the presidency.

Governor Wilson sent the following telegram to Governor Marshall, who was notified today officially of his nomination as the democratic ful vocal number. Miss Nell Beasley

gratulations. It is a matter of deep- dered. An enjoyable reading, folest regret with me that I could not be present to extend my congratulations in person and to express the ia Chamberlain charmed all present warm satisfaction it gives me to be associated with you on the democratic ticket.

"I should have liked to have had confident I feel in the party's pres- gram closed with the U. D. C. Sexent great opportunity to serve the tette singing Dixie. During a most people without fear, favor or timidi- pleasant social hour that followed ty. Pray accept my warm person- delicious refreshments were served Woodrow Wilson."

grounds the governor returned to August, at 4:30 p. m., with Mrs. the state house, where Representa- Meriwether. tive Burleson of Texas talked with him for an hour. Mr. Burleson,

side. This was the second time ers' bureau, of which he is in was pleasantly greeted by the anti- of the more prominent speakers.

" Mr. Bryan, of course, will make He knows best where he wishes to speak and at just what time.

#### U. D. C. Notes.

The D. A. Nunn Chapter held its

last monthly meeting with Mrs. R. E. McConnell as hostess, the first vice president, Mrs. G. Q. King, in the absence of the president, presiding. The Chapter having been called to order, the Lord's Prayer was repeated in unison. The reports of the secretary and treasurer were read and dues paid. Reports of committees having been read and all old businees attended to, an entertainment to be given at the Airdome for the benefit of the Chapter was discussed. It was tertainment until the president, should she grant the request a "This is a democratic year," said great treat will be enjoyed by all Mrs. W. C. Lipscomb led the historical The governor reiterated that he program, our beloved historian, Mrs. Lipscomb read a beautiful selection, "In the Land where We were Dreaming." Miss Sea Willow Johnson of Marlin gave a beautigave much pleasure with "My heartiest and sincerest con- piano solo most beautifully renlowed by an encore, was given by Miss Otis McConnell. Miss Virginwith a well executed piano solo. and little Miss Hazel Parker delighted the guests with a piano solo unusually well played for one so a chance to join you in saying how young. This most interesting proand the chapter adjourned to meet After the speech at the fair on the afternoon of the 31st of

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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 Mary Ann Beavers, and the unknown heirs of R. E. Herndon, 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 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 September, A. D. 1912, the same being the 7th day of October, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 29th day of July, A. D. 1912, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 5397, wherein J. W. Hail is plaintiff and the unknown heirs of J. F. Beavers, deceased, the unknown heirs of Mary Ann Beavers, deceased, the unknown of R. E. Herndon, de-Dailey, Frank Rainey, Jessie Meriwether and Gertrude Meriwether are defendants, and said Houston county, Texas, about 101/2 miles west from scribed as follows, to-wit:

Aprice survey, granted to J. F. Beavers, Ass. of said Aprice, by patent No. 352, dated November 6th, 1861, recorded in Vol. 7, page 211, of the Deed Records of said Houston county, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the S. W. corner of a mkd J A M. Thence with John R. Burton's survey S 55 W 255 vrs a corner of same on F. Del Valle's Eleven League line, a post oak brs N 35 W 2 5-10 vrs. Thence with said Del Valle's Eleven League line north 33 west 2444 7-10 vrs corner, Thence east 1610 vrs, interesects the west line of said Miller's survey. Thence south with said line 1856 vrs to the place of beginning.

SECOND TRACT: Same being 283 acres of land. situated and described as follows: Being the R. D. Aprice survey, granted to J. F. Beavers, Asse. of said Aprice, by patent No. 354, dated November 6th, 1861, recorded in Vol. T, page 765, of the Deed Records of said Houston county and bounded as follows: Beginning at the NW corner of Jas. Miller's survey on the R. de la Garza Eleven League line. Thence south with Miller's line 1531 vrs a corner. Thence west with another survey made for said Aprice 1610 vrs, the northwest corner of said survey. Thence N 35 W with F. del Valle's Eleven League line 332 vrs its north corner on R. de la Garza's Eleven League line. Thence with said line north 55 east 2198 vrs to the place of beginning.

Plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the sc-tual, continuous, peaceable, and adverse possession thereof, under title, color of title and deeds duly registered for periods of three, five and ten years, respectively, and especially pleads the three, five and ten years Statutes of Limitation in bar of any adverse claim to said land. Plaintiff further alleges that the Deed Records and Probate ecords of said Houston county were destroyed by fire about the year 1865, and again in about the year 1882, and that at said dates practically all of the Deed Records, Probate Records and Judgment is nothing now showing the qualification of the administrators of the estate of John F. Beavers, deceased, under his will, and nothing to show that an inventory and appraisement of said estate was ever filed, as required by law, and no evidence to utors of said estate acted, and all of which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title; plaintiff further alleges that at the date of death of said J. F. Beavers the title to said property vested in him, and that afterwards, to-wit, July 2, 1873, F. L. Meriwether, as administrator of estate of R. E. Herndon, deceased, recovered judgment against the executor of said J. F. Beavers, deceased, estate, and said property was sold to F. L. Meriwether. under an execution issued out of said court on said judgment, but that by reason of the destruction of said records, said judgment, execution and officer's return thereon, if same was ever obtained, have been destroyed, which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title; that in a deed from F. L. Meriwether and his children, joined by their husbands, of date March 5, 1880, conveying said property to Willie G. Edens and Fannie I. Rainey, two of the children of said F. L. Meriwether Frank Rainey, husband of said Hulda Rainey, a daughter of said F. L. Meriwether, did acknowledge said deed, as required by law, which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title; that said property was community property between said F. L. Meriwether and his wife, and at death of said wife. the said L. Meriwether, Jessie Meriwether, who married T. H. Dailey, Frank Meriwether, Hulda Meriwether, who married Frank Rainey, Willie Meriwether, who married B. F. Edens, Fannie Meriwether, who married Anson Rainey, were sole and only heirs of said F. L. Meriwether and his wife, Mrs. F. L. Meriwether: that said F. L. Meriwether is now deceased; that the said Frank Meriwether is now deceased and left as his sole and only heirs, Jessie and Gertrude Meriwether and that Willie G. Meriwether, who afterwards became the wife of B. F. Edens, is now deceased. and left as her sole and only heir, Edna Edens and that said Hulda Rainey died intestate and without issue; that Walter E. Burnett at one time owned said property, and at the time of his death, the title to same still remained in him, and that he died intestate and without issue, and left as his sole and only heirs, his father, J. H. Burnett and his mother, Catherine A. Burnett, and that any other or further claims of any of said defendants in and to said property are unknown to this plaintiff. Plaintiff prays for judgment to said land, removing all clouds therefrom, substituting all missing instruments, and for such other and further orders and decrees as he may

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have exe-

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 29th day of July, A. 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 Alfred Cannon, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Elijah Wheeler, 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

in, 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, known heirs of J. F. Beavers, deceased, the un on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1912, the same being the 7th day of October, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of July, A. D. 1912, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 5400, wherein Chas. M. Smith, Sr., county, if there be a newspaper published therein. is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of Alfred Can-Wheeler, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the following described tracts of land, situated in Houston county, Texas, about five miles from the city of Crockett, and more particularly described as follows: First Tract-Being a part of the Elijah Wheeler league, same being a part of the tracts of said league conveyed by Mary A. Leaverton to the Texas Land Company, one of 200 tcres, by deed dated June 15th, 1287, recorded id Vol. Z, page 236 et seq of the Deed Records of said Houston county, and one of 123 acres by deed dated December 29th, 1874, recorded ceased, and L. Meriwether, T. H. Dailey, Jessie in Vol. 6, page 509 et seq of said Deed Records, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the N. E. corner of said 200 acres in the north line of said petition alleging that plaintiff is owner in fee sim- Wheeler league 2 small post caks and a black ple of the following described property, situated in jack mkd X. Thence west with said line at 443 vrs pass northeast corner of said 123 acre tract, the town of Crockett, and more particularly de- 700 vrs to the corner on branch, elm 8 inches mkd X brs S 19 E 5 vrs. pin oak 8 inches mkd X brs S FIRST TRACT: Same being 320 acres, the R. D. 63 E 2 yrs. Thence south 465 yrs to corner on the Crockett and Tadmore road, a post oak 40 in. dia. mkd X brs N 50 E 14 vrs. Thence with the meanders of said road N 66 E (al 281 3-10 vrs cross the east line of said 123 acre tract) 380 vrs, S 85 E 230 vrs and east 124 survey in the name of Jas. A. Miller, a post oak vrs to corner on the east line of said 200 acres, post oak 12 in. dia. mkd X brs N 3 E 10 vrs, Do. 6 in. dia. mkd X brs S 2 E 10 vrs. Thence north with said line 330 vrs to the place of beginning, containing 44 acres of land, more or less Second Lract: Being a part of the Alfred Cannon 106 7-10 acre Pre. Survey, and described by field notes as follows: Beginning at the south corner of J. Masters' labor on Wheeler's north line. Thence with Masters' line north 45 east 1231 vrs to Dawson's corner. Thence south 872 vrs to corner in said Wheeler's north line. Thence west with Wheeler's north line 912 vrs to the place of beginning, containing 70 acres of land, more or less except 20 acres out of said 70 acres, conveyed by us to J. G. Matlock by deed dated December, 4, 1906, and duly recorded in Volume 43. page 63, of the Deed Records of said Houston county, and said 20 acre tract described by field notes as follows: Beginning at the corner of a 70 cre survey sold by J. G. Matlock to Mrs. Lena Robbins, dated February 23rd, 1900, and duly recorded in Vol. 27, page 128, of said Deed Rec said corner being the S E corner of Masters labor and being a corner of Mrs. Tims' tract of land, corner near a branch, two hickories mkd X. Thence S 45 W with said Masters labor at 556 vrs corner on said line a pine 7 in. dia. mkd X brs S 75 E 3 vrs. a hickory 5 in. dia. mkd X brs N 5 E 3 vrs. Thence S 38 E at 200 vrs corner a post oak 16 in. dia. brs east 41/2 vrs. Thence N 49 E at 376 vrs stake a rock for corner on the division line of the Alfred Cannon survey between Rosa and Bill Cannon. Thence north at 280 vrs to the place of beginning; plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, contluuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enJooing the same for periods of five and ten years, respectively, and the plaintiff specially pleads the five and ten years Seatutes of Limitation in bar of any claims asserted by the defendants to said land, and the plaintiff sets out in his original petition all the deeds and other instruto said land; plaintiff alleges that part of said land, on said Wheeler league, was conveyed to William R. Matlock, and at the death of said Matlock, he left a will devising all of his property to his wife, Mary A. Matlock; that said Mary A. Matlock afterwards married a man by the name of Leaverton, and at the time of the conveyance of said property to one of plaintiff's remote vendors, to-wit. The Texas land Company, on the 29th day of December, 1874, said Mary A. Leaverty was a widow, her second husbond having departed this life; plaintiff alleges that there is no deed on Record out of said Elijah Wheeler, or out of the said Alfred Cannon or out of all of the heirs of the said Alfred Cannon, conveying said land to any one; plaintiff alleges that one of the parties under Harkens, wife of Oscar Harkens, was one of the children and heirs at law of said Alfred Cannon. and that said Rosa Harkens joined by her husband conveyed that part of said land claimed herein by plaintiff to Craddock & Company by deed dated July 27, 1896, and that none of the other heirs of said Cannon joined in said deed, and that a part of said above described land was cynveyed to plaintiff's remote vendor, to-wit, J.G. Matlock, by Lundy & Thompson. by deed dated June 21, 1897; that by reason of all of the above allegations a cloud is cast on plaintiff's title; that any other or futher claims of any of said defendants in and to said land are unknown to plaintiff. Wherefore plaintiff prays that Citation issue and for judgment for said land, removing all clouds

> Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have exe-

cuted the same. Witness J. B. Stanton, Clerk of the District Court

therefrom and for special and general relief.

of Houston county Given under my hand and the seal of said Court,

at office in Crockett, this the 29th day of July, A 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 Jose Miguel Muequez, deceased, the unknown heirs of Samuel Hunter, deceased, the unknown heirs of C. S. Fraley, deceased, the unknown heirs of Sarah Fraley, deceased, the unknown heirs of George B. Holmes, deceased, the unknown heirs of T. T. Gammage, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Frank W. Jackson, deceased, each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspoper 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 resular 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 September, A. D. 1912, the same being the 7th day of October, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 31st day of July, A. D, 1912, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 5402, wherein John R, McIver is plaintiff, and the mknown county, if there be a newspaper published there- heirs of Jose Miguel Musquez, deceased the un-

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known heirs of George B. Holmes, deceased, the unknown heirs of T. T. Gammage, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Frank W. Jackson, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the following described tract of land, situatee in Houston county, Texas, on the Trinity river, same being 201 1-28 acres, situated S 55 W about 211/ miles from Crockett, under and by virlue of cer tificate issued to Samuel Hunter, dated February 22, 1854, and described by field notes as follows. to-wit: Beginning at the NW line of a 320 acre survey in the name of John Box, 17 vrs from the N W corner being the corner of another survey in the name of J. H. Moore. Thence with Box's line N 55 E at 1223 vrs the south corner of a surwhom he claims a part of said land, to-wit, Roso vey in the name of Archibald Henrie, red elm 3 feet, brs N. 53 W 41/2 vrs. Thence west with A. Henire's line at 991 vrs, Trinity river, ash brs N 66 E 11 vrs, mkd X. Thence down said Trinity river 100 vrs. Thence S 45 W 280 vrs. Thence S. 70 W 490 vrs. Thence S 45 W 100 vrs. 3 Thence S 14 W 166 vrs. stake on the east bank of Trinity river. Thence east at 1635 vrs to the place of beginning, and plaintiff sets in full in his original petition in this cause the instruments under which he claims title to said land. Plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said have been in the actual, continuous, peaces ble and adverse possession thereof, cultivating using and enjoying the same under deeds duly registered, paying all taxes due thereon, for a period of five years immediately preceding the filing of this suit, and that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for a period of more than ten years immediately preceding the filing of this suit, and he pleads especially the five and ten years Statntes of Limitation in bar of any claim asserted to said land by said defendants; that the certificate issued to Samuel Hunter for said land, by mistake in location was laid over the Jose Miguel Musquez 11 League Grant, woich was at that time and is now a valid grant, and by reason of such conflict, said certificate issued to said Hunter was cancelled; that such cancellation was made by Commissioner of General Land Office of Texas long after plaintiff had acquired title to said land and had taken actual possession thereof under duly executed deeds and that plaintiff's right to said property had set up and inured to his benefit: that there is no title to said land out of Samuel Hunter, said original grantee; that there is no title out of the defendants, C. S. Fraley and Sarah Fraley, who at one time owned said property; by making publication of this Citation once in that undivded interests in said Musquez grant were conveyed at various times to George B. Holmes, T. T. Gammake and Frank W. Jackson, and that no conveyance of said property was made by either of them, all of which casts a cloud on plaintiff title. Wherefore, plaintiff prays for citation in terms of the law, for judgment for said land, quieting his title thereto, removing all clouds therefore, substituting all missing instruments, and for special and general relief.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court at the aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your retrun thereon, showing how you have exewitness J. B. Stauton, clerk of the District Court of Houston county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, this the 31st day of July, A. D. 1912.

Clerk Ditrict Court, Houston County.

J. H. Sharp, Deputy.

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known heirs of Samuel Hunter, deceased, the Cuts and bruises may be healed Bites of poisonous insects that unknown heirs of C. S. Fraley, deceased, the in about one-third the time required cause the flesh to swell up must be by the usual treatment by applying treated with a healing anticeptic Chamberlain's Liniment. It is an that will counteract the poison and antiseptic and causes such injuries heal the wound. Ballard's Snow to heal without maturation. This Liniment answers every requiremuscles and rheumatic pains. For 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by I. W. Sweet.



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#### FURY OF THE MANTA.

Exciting Battle With a Giant Devilfish In Tropical Waters.

One of the largest of fishes-perhaps the largest of true fishes, since the whale is a mammal-is the manta or giant devilfish of tropical waters. A man who catches one of these monsters knows he has been fishing, for he often stands in no small peril of his life before the creature is landed. In the Wide World Magazine a writer gives this lively account of his experience with an unusually large manta:

We were fishing from a gasoline launch some fifteen miles down the coast from Manzanillo, Mexico. I was standing in the bows, ready to harpoon a large fish that had bitten

and was being pulled to the surface. Suddenly fish and line were snapped away, and through the clear water I saw a huge dark purple mass scarcely a fathom below the boat. Shouting to our Mexican engineer to start the launch, I threw the harpoon with all my strength. It struck home, and instantly a great disturbance took place. Some monstrous creature rose to the surface and dashed at the boat, striking out with what looked for all the world like two great wings.

The strokes were terrific, and we had the utmost difficulty in keeping clear. Had one of these "wings" touched the boat it would have been smashed like matchwood, and, as the sharks were watching the disturbance, our fate would soon have been decided.

Although the water all round us was seething from the fury of the monster's onslaught, we kept our heads and did our best to disable the creature. We embedded three harpoons in it. We also fired three revolver bullets into it, each of which produced volumes of dark exudus, and every time the madly flapping wings came near enough the man in the bows gave them a

Gradually the manta's struggles grew less, and it began to yield to the strain on the ropes. It was a long battle, however, for every now and then the great fish, seeming to best?" regain strength, would attack us with renewed ferocity. Eventually, after a final flurry that caused the water to heave as if with an earthquake, it ceased its struggles and we towed it ashore, escorted by shows

Tying the boat up at the wharf, I got permission from the commandant of the port to land our prize. Making it fast, we hoisted it on the crane and ran it along to the railway office, in front of which we photographed it. It measured eighteen feet three and a half inches from tip to tip of the wings and sixteen feet one inch from head to tail. Near the center it was over nine feet thick.

We estimated its weight at five tons. When we had photographed the great fish we cast it off the end of the wharf, and the sharks demolished the carcass in an incredibly short time.

Public Speaking.

It is common to hear it said that we have no orators in these days, but nothing could be farther from the truth. The art of public speaking was never better understood or more widely practiced than now, says the Indianapolis Star. It is an art that has changed somewhat from the days of Webster and Calhoun, of Clay and Phillips and Everett and their class. There are fewer carefully prepared "orations" now with carefully balanced sentences and many flowers of speech. Fewer men are known as great orators - "spellbinders" as political slang has it-but many more men proportionately are able to address their fellow citizens acceptably in public than was formerly the case.

Shaving.

Shaving was practiced among the Egyptians early in the eighteenth century before Christ. The first mention of it in the Scriptures is in Genesis, where Joseph made a hasty toilet when called to go before the king and "shaved himself." Nearly a century after shaving the head is mentioned. Ezekiel alludes to the "barber's razor." Of course everybody knows that Delilah was the first lady barber mentioned .- Chicago News.

The Choice of Two Evils. The Heiress (in tears)-My husband was so ardent in his lovemaking before we were married.

thought he adored me. Her Friend -My dear, a man can put considerable fervor into his wooing when . it's a case of marriage or work .-Boston Transcript.

Let the Worst Come.

Hub (arriving home)-Well, I've had my life insured for \$20,000. Wife-Thank goodness! Now I shan't have to keep cautioning you to be careful whenever you go any

place.-Boston Transcript.

A Freak Base Hit. Writing on freak plays in baseball, Hugh S. Fullerton tells the following story in the American

Magazine: "A freak play robbed Doc Casey's Toronto team of a game in the Eastern league. The game was at Rochester, and Casey's catching staff was so crippled that the plump little veteran was compelled to don the wind pad himself. Casey is short and quite stout. But he was doing fairly well until the tenth inning, when Rochester had a runner on third with two out. A wild pitched ball struck the ground in front of Casey and disappeared. The runner hesitated until he saw Casey making frantic efforts to get the ball from under his protector; then he came home with the winning run just as Casey located the sphere, which had gone under the protector and wedged itself past the elastic belt tightly.

Game to the Last.

A man named Brown used to think that everything was a wise dispensation. One year his crop was washed away. "All for the best," said Brown cheerfully. "I had an overabundance last year."

Later his house was burned down. It didn't feaze Brown. "All for the best," he repeated. "It didn't suit us, anyway, and we were going to

At last Brown was in a railway accident and got his feet crushed so that they had to be amputated.

"Well," said a friend who came to see him, "this is pretty discouraging, isn't it? Both your feet cut off. Do you think that's all for the

Brown smiled sadly. "Oh, yes," he answered. "They were always cold anyway."—St. Louis Republic.

Time For George to Stop and Think. He suddenly put his hand in his waistcoat pocket and drew out three broken cigars. Then he looked at his best girl with a forgiving smile. "Flor de King Alfonsos," he airily said. "Fifty dollars a hundred.

But who cares!" "Let me see them," said the girl. She inspected the fragments

"Yes," she quietly announced, 'that's the kind papa always buys when he's running for office. I know the odor. Five dollars a thousand. Somebody has fooled you,

She was a wise girl, and she did not smile.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Cenvincing.

The late Wilhelm Jordan used to be very much annoyed because of the constant tearing up of the streets in Frankfurt. One day he said to one of the men at work, "Why are you digging up the pave-ment again?" "Because a new water pipe is to be put in." "But the old one was still good." "So was the old Nibelungenlied, yet you wrote a new one, herr doctor," retorted the laborer, with a laugh, in which Jordan joined.

Something Plain For Him. Waiter (at a fashionable London restaurant)-What would the gen-

tleman like to take? Farmer (on his first visit to the

metropolis)—What is there? Waiter-We have potage printaniere a la Julienne, fricandeau de veau avec croquettes de pommes de terre, rissole de boeuf-

Farmer-Gracious! Well, bring me a plate of something that comes nearest to roast pork-London An-

Yes, He Wanted to Farm.

"I s'pose you're perfectly happy now that you are in your country home? If I remember right you always wanted to be a farmer.'

"Yes, but there is such a lot of waiting about it."

"Waiting for what?" "Why, for the handy man of the neighborhood to come around and spade up my garden."-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

#### A WILY RUSSIAN.

Diplomat, and He Outwitted bdul Hamid.

Diplomatists abroad tell how a distinguished member of the Rusdan corps diplomatique cleverly outwitted Abdul Hamid, the late sultan of Turkey. The Russian displayed a curious ingenuity in introducing the business of his country in the guise of personal pleas-

It appears that the sultan had absolutely refused to grant an audience to any member of the diplomatic body at Constantinople and that during the period in question Abdul Hamid spent the greater part of his time in cockfighting, an amusement whereof he was passionately fond.

The Russian heard that his imperial majesty stood in need of fresh birds to supply the place of those killed in fight, whereupon the wily Muscovite procured a fine looking white fowl of the barnyard species, caused it to be trimmed and spurred to resemble a gamecock and sent it in a richly decorated

cage to the sultan. The ruse was successful, but the sultan, at first delighted with the gift, soon sent for the diplomatist to explain, if he could, why his bird had shown no inclination to fight. The Russian went, examined the bird in the presence of Abdul Hamid and with great astonishment and regret acknowledged that it was quite unable to cope with the royal gamecocks, which were undoubtedly of a superior breed.

A conference followed on the subject of gamecocks in general, and when this was finished the Muscovite succeeded in drawing the sultan in a mood for conversation of a different character and in time adroitly introduced the political matter he had so long awaited an opportunity to discuss. After a long interview he returned to his embassy triumphant over his colleagues .- Harper's Weekly.

### COLOSSAL JUPITER.

Largest and Strangest of Our Planets.

Jupiter is the first and the largest of the group of great planets. Its mean distance from the sun is 483,300,000 miles, and it exceeds the earth in size about 1,300 times, writes Garrett P. Serviss in the Outlook Magazine.

But its mean density is less than a quarter that of the earth, so that "weight" it exceeds our planet only 316 times. Its rotation on its axis is extraordinarily rapid, the period being a few minutes less than ten hours. As a consequence the planet is very much flattened at the poles and swelled around the equator. But the significant thing is that this rotation period varies at different parts of its surface, being swifter near the equator than toward the poles.

The same peculiarity is observed on the sun, and it is in itself a demonstration that Jupiter is not a solid body like the earth. There may be a solid nucleus within, but we have no direct proof of its existence. What we see is evidently a vast vaporous globe, shining by re-flected sunlight, because it is not hot enough to shine of itself.

Apparently, as a consequence of the rapid rotation, the cloudy surface is drawn out into parallel bands of various hues, which are known as "belts." There are two principal belts, one on each side of the equator, and a varying number of smaller ones. Close around the poles there are no belts. Continual changes in the form and colors of the belts are suggestive of the play of gigantic forces of transformation. It is often said, with apparent truth, that in Jupiter we behold a huge world issuing out of chaos.

In 1878 an extraordinary red spot made its appearance in the southern hemisphere of Jupiter, near the edge of the great "south belt," and the present writer had the good fortune to be one of the first to catch sight of it. This strange oval spot, more than 30,000 miles long, has undergone various transformations without ever varying much in outline or position. It has led to endless conjectures, but its nature has never been discov ered.

Jupiter's distance from the sun is so- great that it receives only about one-twenty-fifth as much so consolidate into a rocky globe it is Plain Dealer. difficult to see how it could develop

life bearing much resemblance to that of the earth. Jupiter has four large and four very minute moons. During the transformation of the original nebula some influence must have operated to cause an unusually great condensation of matter at the point where Jupiter was formed.

Those Bargains. "My dear," said the thoughtful husband, entering the house with a huge package in his arms, "you remember last week when you secured such a wonderful bargain in shirts at 48 cents and neckties at three for a quarter for me?" "Yes," said the fond wife.

"Well, don't think that I didn't appreciate your thoughtfulness. See what I have bought for you. I noticed some beautiful green and yellow plaid in a show window on my way home, and I bought you eighty yards of it at 4 cents a yard. The clerk said it was a grand bargain, and it will make enough dresses to last you for two years.' -Exchange.

Flattered Him.

Two men were returning home after an evening spent at their club. They were walking in the middle of the road and were assisting each other to walk. It was evident that both were intoxicated. Finally they stumbled and fell. One rolled into a ditch on one side of the road and the other landed in the gutter on the other side. After a few minutes of silence one said: "Shay, John, come over here and

help me out." After a momentary silence the other replied:

"Flatterer!"-Chicago Tribune.

The Other Side.

"Mrs Womba, I understand you have been happily married for twenty-five years. "Yes."

"To one husband?" "Yes."

"Would you consider an offer to appear in vaudeville?" "No. I don't believe in making a sensation out of such matters."

Pittsburgh Post.

They Don't Speak New.

Gladys (just twenty-two)-This is my birthday, Mabelle. Guess how old I am? Mabelle-Oh, I'll guess twenty-six. Gladys-Not very good. Four years out of the way. Mabelle -Well, dearie, I wanted to be sure and be on the safe side. - Judge.

The Unhappy Medium. A French woman of noble family, who had been unfortunate in her marriage, one day said to a party of friends who were dining at her

"I should like to be married in English, in a language in which

vows are so faithfully kept."
"What language, I wonder, was she married in before?" one guest remarked.

"Broken English, I suppose," replied the other. - Kansas City Times.

The Way Out,

"The trouble is," said Wilkins as he talked the matter over with his counsel, "that in the excitement of the moment I admitted that I had been going too fast and wasn't paying any attention to the road just before the collision. I'm afraid that admission is going to prove costly.

"Don't worry about that," said his lawyer. "I'll bring seven with nesses to testify that they wouldn't believe you under oath."-Harper's Weekly.

It Struck Him.

"As a matter of fact," said the defendant's attorney, trying to be facetious, "you were scared half to death and don't know whether it was an automobile or something resembling an automobile that hit

"It resembled one, all right," the complaining witness made answer. "I was forcibly struck by the resemblance."-Chicago Tribune.

Explained.

"The count has a painfully snobbish air. What does he base it on?" "Why, his father, the marquis. was the victim of a duel."

"A French duel?" "Yes."

"Impossible!"

"Not at all. The marquis climbed lar radiation as the earth gets, so a tree to get out of the way and felthat even if it should eventually and broke his neck."-Cleveland

#### FOOLING THE FLY.

An Easy Method of Coaxing the Post Out of the House.

A fly will invariably walk uphill, almost never turning and going back. On the contrary, he will reach the top, fly off, light at the bottom of the hill again and again climb up, somewhat as Hindu philosophy pictures us mortals ceaselessly returning along the path of birth and death. Well, take advantage of his upward tendency, his passion for bright things, such as mirrors, bald pates or windowpanes.

You have noticed that, in obedience to the passion for bright things, every fly in the room periodically flies to the windowpane. You have also noticed that, in obedience to his tendency to walk uphill, he sets forth bravely and plods to the top of the pane, only to fly off again into space and to begin all over again when he gets to the top.

Take him along the line of his weakness. Close the window at the bottom, open it six inches or so at the top; then pull the shade down so that it overlaps by another six inches the upper edge of the window. Presently a fly, impelled by the reaction of his nervous system to the impact of light upon his many lensed eyes, will fly to the window, roost a moment and then begin to crawl up. He holds on with a pair of hooks in each foot, backed by hairy pads which act as suckers, and it is just this combination of hooks and pads which makes him so peculiarly exasperating when he lights on one's nose.

A fly, therefore, flies to the windowpane and begins to walk up. In due time he reaches the upper edge, flies off into space, knocks against the window blind, which is drawn down slightly beyond the top of the window, turns round and flies out of the window to the wide out of doors, a consummation, as Hamlet says, devoutly to be wished. In an hour or two you can clear a room of flies by this simple psychological trick.-Harper's Weekly.

Lampe Used Before Candles.

Lamps were used before candles. They date back almost as far as history goes and were common in ancient Egypt, China, Assyria, Greece and Rome. Lamp, from the Greek lampas, a torch, and candle, from kandeel, the Egyptian word for a common lamp, originally meant the same thing, and the Mosaic candlestick held oil lamps, not candles, as we now use the word. Man early improved on the torches of the Homeric age and caught the idea of obtaining light from porous fiber soaked in animal or vegetable oils. Lamps of brass, bronze and stone have been found in the pyramids and in ancient Indian temples, and common terra cotta ones were in general use for domestic purposes in Greece in the fourth century B. C. The earliest candles we hear of were those of the ancient Romans made of rushes coated with fat or wax.

What Pa Said.

The door of the drawing room opened slowly and Edward appeared. Prudence flew at once to his side. Edward was pale, but otherwise he seemed quite himself. He had been undergoing the ordeal of asking papa's consent. "Tell me, what did father say?"

asked the girl as Edward sank into a chair. Edward stared into vacancy.

"Tell me; oh, tell me! The suspense is killing me. Did he say No? Did he say, 'Take her, my boy?' Oh, do not keep me in this uncertainty. Tell me, what did father say? Edward sighed and muttered:

"He simply looked up from his work, said 'Thank goodness!' and went on writing."

Ducks In China.

There are more ducks in China than in all the world outside it. They are kept on every farm, on the private roads and on all the lakes, rivers and smaller streams. There are many boats in which as many as 2,000 are kept. Their eggs constitute one of the most important articles of food. They are hatched in establishments fitted up for the purpose. Some of these establishments turn out as many as 50,000 young ducks every year. Salted and smoked ducks are sold in all the towns, and many of them are exported to countries where Chinamen reside.

Proposed Amendment to the State Con- grant of three leagues and eighteen of Office of the Board of Prison Commissioners Six Years.

(H. J. R. No. 22.) House Joint Resolution.

A Joint Resolution proposing to vrs to N E corner of Nelson's suramend Article XVI of the State vey. Thence with north line of V. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of Vir-Constitution by adding thereto Sec- Nelson's survey S 551/2 W 1064 ginia A. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of tion 58, creating the office of Prison vrs. Thence N. 72 W 500 vrs to Joseph N. Craddock, deceased; and T. B. Commissioner, and making the stake, locust 6 in. brs S 62 W 434 Tunstall, R. L. Haynes, T. J. Clark, W. D. term of office of the members of term of office of the members of vrs. Thence N 73 W 137 vrs to by making publication of this Citation the Board of Prison Commissioners stake at Calhoun's corner, locust 10 once in each week for eight successive six years, and making an appro- in brs S 87 E 4 2-5 vrs, mkd X. weeks previous to the return day hereof,

of the State of Texas:

Constitution of the State of Texas actual, continuous, peaceable and lar term of the District Court of Houston as Section 58 and shall read as fol-

constitution of the State of Texas Prison Commissioners" and those have executed the same. opposed to the adoption of this printed on their ballots Against ty. a six years term for Prison Commissioners.

Sec. 3. The sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000), or so much 1912. thereof as may be necessary, is Clerk District Court, Houston counhereby appropriated to defray the expenses of publication of the Governor's proclamation submitting this proposed amendment.

#### 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 D. O. heirs of Sim Hopkins, deceased, and a yellow package. I. W. Sweet. John F. Butts, Amanda E. Butts, A. D. McBryde, Mary S. McBryde and Chancey Stone, by making pub- can, as a rule, be cured by a single dence will be offered of the contents and lication of this Citation once in each dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera existence of said deed; plaintiff further week for eight successive weeks and Diarrhoea Remedy. This reme- E. F. Tubb conveying said property, nor to previous to the return day hereof, dy has no superior for bowel com- J. H. Mills, conveying said property, in some newspaper published in plaints. For sale by all dealers, which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title 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 Crockert, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1912, the same being the 7th day of October, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of July, A. D. 1912, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court 5401, wherein W. B. Cochran is plaintiff, and Lee Warren, J. D. McIver, Bruno Durst, and the unknown heirs of D. O. Warren, deceased, unknown heirs of John McIver, deceased, unknown heirs of Sim Hopkins, deceased, John F. Butts, Amanda E. Butts, A. D. McBryde, Mary S. McBryde and Chauncey Stone are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the following described tract of land, situated in Houston county, Texas, same being 112 3-5 acres, more or less the John Durst

stitution Creating the Office of Prison labors, on Trinity river, and bound- The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or any Commissioner and Making the term ed as follows: Beginning at a cornor made for R. A. Calhoun on the north bank of Rackards' creek, stake from which a P O 30 in. brs —41 E 10 2-5 vrs, a burr oak 18 Williams, deceased, unknown heirs of J. in. brs-5 2-5 vrs. Thence down J. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of J. M. Be it resolved by the Legislature beginning. Plaintiff alleges that he ed therein, but if not, then in any news-

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J. B. STANTON,

#### The "Progressive" Party

Contain no harmful drugs. Never Plaintiff alleges that there is no deed now Warren, deceased, Unknown heirs sold in bulk. Put up in two sizes of record out of said R. de la Garza conof John McIver, deceased, unknown in sealed bottles. The genuine in veying said property to any one, but that said property was conveyed by said R. de la Garza to J. J. Hall: that both said deed

An ordinary case of diarrhoea ed by fire and upon trial secondary evi-

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LINIMENT

Is the Right Remedy for All

Abrasions of the Flesh.

If the wound is cleansed and the liniment applied promptly, the healing process begins at once and the wound heals from the inside outwardly, thus performing a perfect cure that leaves no scar. If the wound

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Constable of Houston County, Greet

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Roman de la Garza, the north bank of said creek 547 Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of Mahala Thence N 52 E 1524 vrs to place of in some newspaper published in your and those under whom he claims paper published in the nearest county to Sec. 1. That Article XVI of the title to said land have been in the your county, to appear at the next reguaid Court, at office in Croceett, this the be amended by adding thereto a actual, continuous, peaceable and county, to be holden at the Court House power section, which shall be known adverse possession thereof, under of said Houston county, in the town of new section which shall be known title, color of title and deeds duly Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the registered for periods of three, five first Monday in September, A. D. 1912, and ten years, respectively, and A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a Section 58. (Article XVI.) The specially pleads the three, five and petition filed in said Court on the 29th Board of Prison Commissioners ten years Statutes of Limitation in day of July, A. D. 1912, in a suit, numcharged by law with the control bar of any adverse claim to said bered on the docket of said Court No. and management of the State prisons, shall be composed of three defendant, Bruno Durst, claims an Garza, deceased, unknown heirs of Samuel members appointed by the Gover- interest in said land through a con- Williams, deceased, unknown heirs of J. M. nor, by and with the consent of the veyance alleged to have been exe-Senate, and whose terms of office cuted by D. O. Warren; that J. D. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of J. M. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of John shall be six years, or until their suc- McIver claims an interest in said L. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of W. L. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of John cessors are appointed and qualified; land by virtue of a conveyance V. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of Virprovided that the terms of office of from J. H. Park; that D. O. Warren losenb N. Craddock, deceased; and T. B. the Board of Prison Commissioners claims an interest in said land by first appointed after the adoption virtue of a conveyance from Har Grimes, B. F. Temple and J. H. Leaverton of this amendment shall begin on riet Durst, as administratrix of the are defendants, and said petition alleg-January 20th of the year following estate of John Durst, to Sim Hoping that the plaintiff is the owner in fee the adoption of this amendment, kins and D. O. Warren; that despend shall hold office as follows: and shall hold office as follows: fendants, John F. Butts, Amanda county, Texas, on Elkhart Creek, about One shall serve two years, one four E. Butts, A. D. McBryde, Mary S. 12 miles N W from Crockett, same being years, and one six years. Their McBryde and Chauncey Stone a part of the Roman de la Garza 11 league terms the be decided by lot after claim an interest in said land by two, three, eighteen, nineteen and twenty, they shall have qualified, and one reason of the fact that vendor's according to the subdivision plan of said Prison Commissioner shall be ap- lien was retained on said land in grant, and containing 11021/2 acres, more pointed every two years thereafter. deed from said defendants to J. R. or less, and bounded as follows: Begin-In case of a vacancy in said office McIver and failure of record to which is the N B line of section No. 1, the Governor of this State shall fill the Governor of this State shall fill show the payment of said notes; 594 vrs from the S W corner of section said vacancy by appointment for that any other and further claims No. 1 and the N W corner of section No. the unexpired term thereof.

Sec. 2. The Governor of this said property are unknown to plainState is hereby directed to issue tiff. Plaintiff prays that citation E 531 vrs to corner in Nat Walker's line. and have published the necessary issue and for judgment for said Thence N 35 W 153 vrs Nat Walker's proclamation for the submission of land, removing all clouds therefrom, this proposed amendment to the substituting any and all missing inconstitution of the State of Texas struments and for such other and same course 950 vrs, in all 2318 vrs to to the qualified voters for members of the Legislature of the State of Texas at the next general election to be held in this State. All persons favoring said amendment shall have written or printed on their hallots "For a six years' term for such other and for such other and for such other and for such other and same course 950 vrs, in all 2318 vrs to same course 950 vrs, in all 2318 vrs to same course 950 vrs, in all 2318 vrs to further orders and decrees as plain-corner, 2 black jacks mkd X, Thence S 60 E with said league. Thence S 60 E with said league. Thence S 60 E with said league. Thence S 60 E with said N B line of the league 1687 vrs to said league. Thence S 60 E with said N B line of the league 1687 vrs to up said creek with its meanders S 74 E 280 vrs. N 85 E 140 vrs. N 861/2 E 467 vrs to a Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of stake in the east bounary line of section amendment shall have written or the District Court of Houston coun- 18 where Elkhart creek crosses same Thence N 35 E 448 vrs to corner in the division line between sectionf 18 and 19. Given under my hand and the Thence N 55 E 1100% vrs corner, Thence seal of said Court, at office in Crock- S 35 E 778 vrs to corner in the S B line ett, this the 29th day of July, A. D. of section No. 19. Thence N 55 E with the S B line of sections Nos. 19 and 20 1472 vrs to a corner in the S B line of section 20. Thence N 35 w 1900 vrs to the place of beginning; plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous and adverse possession there-Is the individual, man or woman, of, cultivating, using and enjoying the who uses Foley Kidney Pills for backache, rheumatism, weak back, pleads the five and ten years Statutes of and other kidney and bladder irregu- Liwitation in bar of any claims asserted larities. Foley Kidney Pills are by the defendants, and the plaintiff sets healing, strengthening, tonic and out in his original petition all the deeds quick to produce beneficial results. and other inftruments under and by virtue of which he claims title to said land.

> ment of note which has been fully paid; that the defendant, H. M. Walker, conveyed a part of said property to plaintiff and retained a lien to secure the payment of notes which have been paid; that the defendant, W. D. Grimes, conveyed a part of said property to plaintiff and retained lien to said notes which have been paid; that R. H. Berry executed a deed of trust on a part of said property to secure the payment of one note which has been paid; that the defendant, B. F. Temple, conveyed a part of said property to T. J. Temple and that T. J. Temple conveyed a part of same to D. W. Zimmerman in both of which deeds liens were retained to secure the payment of notes which have been paid, and that the defendant, J. H. Leaverton conveyed a part of said property to James and W. H. O'Connell, and that the lien was retained to securs the pay

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trict Court of Houston county.

heals on the outside too quick-ly, pus forms under the sur-face and breaks out into a run-ning sore that is hard to cure and inevitably leaves a bad Owners of blooded stock pre-fer this liniment to all others for that reason, and they use it not only on fine animals, but on human fiesh, as it does its work quickly and thoroughly. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00.

James F. Ballard, Prop. St. Louis, Mo. Stephens Eye Salve is a healing ointment for Sore Eyes.

SOLO AND RECOMMENDED OF I. W. Sweet You've got to keep 'em going."

One little ad won't do it all-

"One step won't take you very far-

You got to keep on walking:

One word won't tell folks what you are-

You've got to keep on talking:

You've got to keep on growing;

One inch won't make you very tall-

29th day of July, 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, Greet-

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of John Edens deceased, unkown heirs of Alford Edens, deceased, unknown heirs of W. W. Taylor deceased, and unknown heirs of Ellen Taylor, 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 your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper publised 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 or said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1912, the same being the unknown heirs of Elisha Clapp and 7th day of October, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of July, A. D. 1912, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 5398, wherein G. C. Little, is plainriff, and the unknown heirs of John Edens, deceased, unknown heirs of Alfred Edens, deceased, unknown heirs of W. W. Taylor, deceased, and unknown heirs of Ellen L. Taylor, deceased. are defendants, and said petition alleg-ing that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the following describid tract or parcel of land, situated in Houston county, Texas, same being 331 acres, more or less, and known as Lot No. Eleven out of the subdivision of the John Edens league, on Elkhart creek, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the N W corner of said league. Thence S 60 E with hickory 3 in. brs S 63 E 1 vara. Thence N 6 W with the N B line of said lot 1887 vrs to a stake in the west boundary of the league from which a hickory brs N 45 E 14 vrs. Thence N 30 E to place of beginning; plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same under deeds duly registered, paying all taxes thereon for a period of five years immediately preceding filing of this suit, and that plaintiff and those under whom he claims title to said land have held such possession for a period of more than ten years immediately preceding the filing of this suit; and plaintiff pleads specially the five and ten years Statutes Limitation in bar of any adverse claims to said land. Plaintiff further alleges that there is no deed of record out of the said John Edens, original grantee, to any one, conveying said land, but al eges a partition thereof between the heirs of John Edens after his death and that above land was set apart in such partition to said Alford Edens, and that now there is nothing of record to show title into or out of said Alford Edens; plaintiff would further show that said land was conveyed by F. M. Jones to Ellen L. Taylor, wife of said W. W. Taylor, in year 1865, and that in 1879 said Ellen Taylor conveyed same to Dan P. Little, and alleges that if the soid W. W. Taylor was living at the time of the exeention of said deed, then same is defective, and all of which casts a cloud on that the defendant, T. J. Clark, conveyed plaintiff's title; that any other or further a part of said property to plaintiff and reclaims of any of said defendants in and to said property are unknown to plaintiff; plaintiff prays that citation issue, that he have his judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom, and for such other and further orders and decrees in and to which he may be entitled.

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 29th day of July, A. D. 1912.

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

Sallow complexion comes from bilious impurities in the blood and the fault lies with the liver and ment of notes therein specified which have been long paid off and discharged bowels-they are torpid. The of any of said liens have been executed a cloud is cast on plaintiff's title and plainstimulant and bowel regulator. Sold by I. W. Sweet. tiff says any other or further claims of the defendants are unknown; Plaintiff prays Price 50c. Sold by I. W. Sweet.

clouds and for general and spebial relief. Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the Dis-Given under my hand and the seal of dy. For sale by all dealers. Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greet-

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Elisha Clapp, and unknown heirs of J. R. Simpson, by making publication of this Cition once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper pulished in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper pub lished in the nearest county to you county, to appear at the next regula term of the District Court of Ho 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 September, A. D. 1912 the same being the 7th day of October A. D. 1912, then and there to answ petition filed in said court on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1912, in a suit, numb unknown heirs of J. R. Simpson, are defendants, and said petition alleging the plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the following destribed tract of land, lying and being situated in Houston Con Texas, and being a part of the Elish Clapp league, and also a part Clapp the G. on said league, and described by notes as follows: Beginning at a in the S. W. boundary line of said league S 35 E 1386 vrs from the corner of said league 30 vrs south of the Alabama road, a hickory 14 in. brs S 1 E 2 vrs. Thence N 55 E 625 vrs to str on Geo. W. Rhone's N E boundary, a B . 6 in, brs S 48 E 1 vara; Do, 4 in. brs S 7 W 2 vrs. Thence S 35 E with Rhone's liott off the south end of said tract on the 28th of December, 1892, said sixty acres bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the N E corner of Bynum's survey. Thence N 35 W at 542 vrs set stake for corner in prairie. Thence S 55 W 625 vrs set stake for corner. Thence S 35 E at 542 vrs stake for corner. Thence N 55 E at 625 vrs, set stake for

corner, the place of beginning.
Plaintiff alledges that he and those u der whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continue peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, ander deeds duly registered, paying all taxes due thereon, for a period of five years, between the years of 1868 and 1890: that plaintiff and those under whom he claims title to said sand have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating using and enjoying the same for a period of ten years between the said years of 1868 and 1890, and before the filing of this suit, and plaintiff specially pleads the five and ten years Statntes of Limi-tation in bar of any claim asserted by the dejendants to plaintiff's title. Plaintiff would further show that there is no deed on record out of Elisha Clapp, the original grantee, conveying said property, that plaintiff has reason to believe that said property was conveyed by said Clapp; and that J. R. Simpson at one time conveyed said property to one E. L. Dorsett, the wife of Elijah Dorsett, one of plaintiff's remote vendors, but that said deed has been lost or destroyed, which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title. Wherefore plaintiff prays that citation issue in terms of the law, and that he have judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom, substituting all missing instruments and for general and special

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 Dis-

trict Court of Houston county. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this the 5th day of Angust, A. D. 1912. J. B. STANTON,

Clerk District Court, Houston County. You can't dodge the malarial

germ while your liver is torpid. It makes you an easy mark for the disease. Herbine is the best protection. It puts the liver in sound, medicine that gives results in such healthy condition and purifies the cases is Herbine. It is a fine liver stomach and bowels. Price 50c.

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(S. J. R. No. 9.)

Senate Joint Resolution. Senate Joint Resolution to amend Section 51, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to authorize the grant of aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors and their widows, and to soldiers who served in the militia and in organizations for the protection of the frontier and their indigent widows, and to grant aid for the establishment and maintenance of a home for the indigent and dependent wives and widows of Confederate soldiers and sailors, and such women as aided the Confederacy, and authorize a special ad valorem pension tax, and making appropriations for same.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That section 51. Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

Article 3. Section 51. The Legislature shall have no power to make any grant or authorize the making of any grant of public money to any individual, association of individuals, municipal or other corporation whatsoever; provided, however, the Legislature may grant aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors who came to Texas prior to January 1, 1900, and their widows in indigent circumstances, and who have been bona fide residents of the State of Texas since January 1, 1900, and who were married to such soldiers and sailors anterior to January 1 1900; to indigent and disabled soldiers, who under special laws of the State of Texas, during the war between the States served for a period of at least six months in organizations for the protection of the frontier against Indian raids or Mexican marauders, and to indigent and disabled soldiers of the militia of the State of Texas, who were in active service for a period of at least six months during the war between the States, to the widows of such soldiers who are in indigent circumstances, and who were married to such soldiers prior to January 1, 1900, provided that the word "widow" in the preceding lines of this section shall not apply to women born since 1861, and also to grant aid for the establishment and maintenance of a home for said soldiers and sailors, their wives and widows, and women who aided in the Confederacy under such regulations and limitations as may be provided for by law; provided, the Legislature may provide for husband and wife to remain together in the home.

The Legislature shall have the power to levy and collect, in addition to all other taxes heretofore permitted by the Constitution of Texas, a State ad valorem tax on property not exceeding five cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the payment of pensions for services in the Confederate Army and Navy, frontier organizations and the militia of the State of Texas, and for the widows of such soldiers serving in said armies, navies, organizations, or militia.

Sec. 2. The Governor of the State tion for the election. is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for the submission of this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at the general election of State officers, in November, 1913. At which election all voters favoring Wm. M. Merethew, N. Searsport, this amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: For the amendment to Section 51 Article 3 of the Constitution relating to increase of Confederate pen-complete cure." Refuse substitutes. and perfectly good health."

stitution so as to Authorize the Grant ten or printed on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment diers and Sailers and Their Wives. to Section 51, Article 3 of the Constitution, relating to increase of Confederate pensions."

> Sec. 3. The sum of \$5,000.00 or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of carrying out the provisions of this resolution.

Proposed Amendment to the Constitution Authorizing Cities of More Than 5000 Inhabitants to Adopt Their Charters by Vote of the People.

> (H. J. R. No. 10.) House Joint Resolution.

House Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Section 5, of Article 11, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for cities of more than five thousand (5000) inhabitants to adopt their charter by a vote of the people.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That section 5 of Article 11 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 5. Cities having more than five thoushnd (5000) inhabitants may, by a majority vote of the qualified voters of said city, at an election held for that purpose, adopt or amend their charters, subject to such limitations as may be prescribed by the Legislature, and providing that no charter or any ordinance passed under said charter shall contain any provision inconsistent with the Constitution of the State, or of the general laws enacted by the Legislature of this State; said cities may levy, assess and collect such taxes as may be authorized by law or by their charters; but no tax for any purpose shall ever be lawful for any one year, which shall exceed two and one-half per cent of the taxable property of such city, and no debt shall ever be created by any city, unless at the same time provision be made to assess and collect annually a sufficient sum to pay the interest thereon and creating a sinking fund of at least two cent thereon; and provided further, that no city charter shall be altered, amended or repealed oftener than every two years.

Sec. 2. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation, submitting this amendment to the qualified voters of Texas at the next general election held in this State, or in case any previous election shall be held in this State for other purposes, then this proposed amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State. At such election, those favoring the amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words: "For the amendment to Section 5, Article 11, of the constitution, authorizing cities of more than five thousand inhabitants to adopt their charters by a vote of the people;" those opposing said amendment shall have written or printed on their bollots the words: Against amendment to Section 5, Article 11, of the Constitution, authorizing cities of more than five thousand inhabitants to adopt their charters by a vote of the people. The sum of five thousand dollars, or so much as is necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the Treasury of the State of Texas out of moneys not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of the publication of this amendment and the proclama-

Hay fever and asthma make August a month of intense suffering to many people. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound gives prompt ease and relief. and is soothing and healing to the inflamed membranes. Me., says: "A few doses of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound relieved me of a severe attack of asthma sions;" and the voters, opposed to I. W. Sweet.

Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution Providing That Members of the Board of Regents of the State University and Boards of Trustees and Managers of the Educational, Eleemosynary and Penal Institutions Shall be Elected or Appointed for the Term of Six Years.

> (H. J. R. No. 9.) House Joint Resolution.

An Act proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding a new section thereto, to be entitled "Section 30a". providing that the members of the Board of Regents of the State University, and the boards of trustees or managers of educational, eleemosynary and penal institutions of the State and such other boards as have been, or may hereafter be established by law, may be elected or appointed for term of six (6) years, one-third of the members of said boards to be elected or appointed every two (2) years in the manner provided by law, fixing the time for holding the election, and making the appropriation therefor.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution be amended by adding a new section thereto, to be known and designated as "30a," and to read as follows:

Section 30a. The Legislature may provide by the law that the members of the Board of Regents of the State University and Boards of Trustees or Managers of the educational, eleemosynary, and penal institutions of the State, and such boards as have been, or may hereafter be established by law, may hold their respective offices for the term of six (6) years, one-third of the members of such boards to be elected or appointed every two(2) years in such manner as the Legislature may determine; vacancies in such offices to be filled as may be provided by law," and the Legislature shall enact suitable laws to give effect to this section.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitu tional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for the members of the Legislature, at the next general election to be held in this State, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall have printed or written on their ballots: "For the amendment of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, regulating the term of office of the Board of Regents of the State University, and other Boards of Trustees, or Managers, heretofore or hereafter established by law." And all voters opposed to said amendment shall have printed or written on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment of Article 16 of the Constitution of of the State of Texas, regulating the term of office of the Board of Regents of the State University, and other Boards of Trustees, or Managers, heretofore or hereafter estab-

lished by law.' Sec. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and have same published, as required by the law of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasure, not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of said proclamation, publication, and election.

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### Local News.

Plenty fruit jars at Woodson's. 2t Hot and cold baths at the Crys-

Fresh bulk turnip seed, all the different varieties, at Woodson's.

Benton Roberts was at Palestine Friday.

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

Henry Ellis left Saturday night to visit relatives in Dallas.

Mrs. Virginia Collins is visiting in Austin and San Marcos.

Mrs. John LeGory arrived home Wednesday morning from Mineral Wells.

Everybody is doing it. Doing about them. what? Shaving and bathing at Friend's barber shop, of course.

Jesse Bishop of Arbor was among the Courier's good friends in town Tuesday.

Bring your beeswax to the Big Store and get the price for it. Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

Misses Grace and Sue Denny returned Saturday morning from visiting in Huntsville.

Go to Daniel & Burton's for bargains in lawn, low quarter shoes and summer goods of every kind.

Benton Roberts left Tuesday night for St. Louis, where he will remain for a week.

Friend's barber shop, of course. Don't miss the place, it's right next to Asher's, the Crystal Barber

V. B. Tunstall, Proprietor.

Shop; 4 barbers regular.

#### Notice to Ginners.

Get your bagging and ties at the Big Store. Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

The Courier hears that H. C. Eichelberger will put up a brick building where his present wooden house now stands.

Fresh bulk turnip seed, all the different varieties, at Woodson's. 2t

Let me tune and regulate your piano. Can save you money and guarantee good work.

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Slaughter prices made on all low quarter shoes at Daniel & Burton's.

Misses Lucile Mainer and Mildred Collins of Lovelady were guests of Mrs. T. R. Atmar Tuesday afternoon.

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Fresh bulk turnip seed, all the dif-

ferent varieties, at Woodson's.

Misses Edna and Lucile Hill of Grapeland were visitors in the home of James Langston last week.

If you want to save good money on lawns and low quarter shoes be sure to visit the store of Daniel &

C. A. Clinton has just received a line of Clark Jewel gasoline stoves compelled to decline the honor and and ranges. Let him put one in for Mr. Norman of Rusk was selected

Miss Jessie Turner and Mrs. Holand Mrs. R. E. McConnell.

Summer cooking will be a pleasure if you use a Clark Jewel gasoline stove or range. Ask Clinton

Misses Birdie Winner of Palestine and Rachael Franks of Jacksonville are being entertained by Miss Lena Bromberg.

All men's, ladies' and children's low quarter shoes will be closed out at wholesale cost.

Daniel & Burton.

Friday from visiting in Palestine, where she had stopped over returning from Knoxville, Tenn.

A carload of those Brown wagons them before you buy. Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

Arch Baker, Syd Murchison and John Millar left Saturday night for Everybody is doing it. Doing Chicago, where they will combine what? Shaving and bathing at recreation with business for a few

> Let us save you money on your goods of all kinds. They must go as we want the room.

Daniel & Burton.

and steel awning. The material has arrived and the work of remodeling will begin soon.

wagon on earth—the Brown—now on display at the Big Store. Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

in the home of Mrs. D. A. Nunn. ment. Mrs. Nunn has only recently returned from Berlin, where she completed her studies in voice culture.

regardless of price.

Daniel & Burton.

Two cars of buggies and harness just come in. Come, look and price. They are beauties.

Jno. R. Foster, The Buggy Man.

#### Automobiles to Fair Grounds.

Automobiles to and from the fair grounds during the coming fair will leave and arrive at Sweet's drugstore. Don't forget where to take the automobile.

#### Just Arrived.

New car Blees buggies and carriages in rubber and steel tires. Lots of harness also. Jno. R. Foster, The Buggy Man.

#### Painting.

An expert buggy and automobile painter is now in the city and solicits patronage. Work guaranteed. Call at the Parsley-Payne Mfg Co. and ask for C. C. Bailey.

#### Mothers' Club.

All mothers who have children to enter school are requested to had. Teachers are especially in-last year and made good records. vited.

#### Notice.

All misses' and children's white, tan, blue and pink 15 and 25c hose going at 10c a pair at the Big Store. Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

#### Lumber for Sale.

house bills furnished. Prices right. B. D. Raines,

tf 9 miles southeast of Crockett.

During the recent state democratic convention at San Antonio, O. W. Turner of Route 2 and ton county, was selected by the Courier last week. James DeDaines are among our 13th senatorial district to represent friends calling to see us this week. that district on the platform committee. Mr. Page, being ill, was in his place.

For first-class barber work call at mer. lis of Warren, Ark., are visiting Mr. the Magnolia Barber Shop, Byrd & Simpson, proprietors. Prompt and courteous treatment extended to all customers.

#### Notice.

Shirtwaists, muslin underwear lawns, embroideries and all summer goods going at a price at the Big Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

A big stock of men's, ladies' and children's low cut shoes that must be moved. We won't let the price cut any ice. Daniel & Burton.

Gede McLain and Miss Hanna Patton were married on the 11th Miss Lena Bromberg returned of August at Crockett. Gebe is a Houston county boy and a very Patton is a daughter of F. M. Patton of Creath, is a graduate of the just received at the Big Store. See S. H. N. I., Huntsville, and has been teaching school for three years, the past session at Ratcliff.

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#### Graduate Beauty Specialist.

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Robert W. Herter, Lawrenceville Mo., who had been bothered with kidney trouble for two years, says: I tried three different kinds of A few of those nobby two-piece kidney pills but with no relief. Kirschbaum hand tailored suits, in My neighbor told me to use Foley worsteds and mohairs, very pretty Kidney Pills. I took three bottles of patterns and styles, that must go them, and got a permanent cure. I recommend them to everybody." I. W. Sweet.

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Cotton Carnival and Exposition, Galveston, August 8 to 18. Automobile races, 8, 9 and 10. Popular low excursion rates on sale via I. & G. N. Ry. on various dates. Season tickets at one and one fifth fare for round trip on sale Aug. 7 to 17; limit 19. For particulars see Tick-

Mr. and Mrs. Douglass Crow of Jacksonville were here this week.

T. T. Wood of San Marcos arrivmeet Friday, August 30, 5 p. m., at ed Sunday morning with three the first Methodist church, to or- horses to be entered in the Houston ganize a Mothers' Club. Special County Fair races. His horses are program of short talks, etc., and Loom-Up, General Alcyan and Hal other business of interest to be Gears, all three of which were here

#### Notice of Removal.

This is to notify my friends and customers that I have moved my barbershop to the room in the Pickwick hotel building formerly used for a millinery store, where I shall hope to merit a continuance of your most liberal patronage. Cleanliness Both rough and dressed, complete will continue to be my motto. Will have bathrooms in connection with the barbershop.

J. D. Friend.

It was Frank Muller instead Jim Muller who was injured in the W. B. Page, a delegate from Hous- automobile accident reported in the

> Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Self have returned from Hot Springs and Whitewright and were accompanied home by Miss Mildred Benedict of Whitewright, who will visit them during the remainder of the sum-

#### Barber Work Price List.

Beginning September 1 the price of barber work in all the shops in 1t Crockett will be as follows:

Hair cuts......35c Hand massage ......35c Electric massage ......35c Children's hair cuts, under 15 Children's hair cuts on Satur-

#### In the Interest of Sunday Schools.

On next Sunday afternoon at 4 progressive young farmer. Miss o'clock, at the Methodist church, a meeting is to be held in the interest of the District Sunday School Convention which meets in Palestine September 25, 26 and 27.

There will be several prominent and interesting speakers, Mr. E. V If you would be cool and com- Swift of Palestine, Miss Turner of fortable while cooking buy a Clark Arkansas and others. Come out and Jewel gasoline range. Clinton sells hear them. This includes all de-Sunday School work.

Leroy L. Moore.

#### Crockett Firm Lands Big Contract. Correspondence Galveston News.

Palestine, Texas, Aug. 16.—Smith Bros. of Crockett and Dan La Roe of this city were awarded the coning of twenty miles of sand clay roads. The price will be approximately \$50,000. The work will be rushed as fast as possible. A mass meeting of the business men and the commissioners was also held Thursday morning at the court house, at which time the good roads project was discussed at length. Committees were appointthe citizens to give their co-operation in the work of building the good roads, and it is estimated that

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The Renall some

In the Pearlstone Building.

Joe Petrus has moved to the location formerly occupied by Ellis' tailorshop and Ellis to the store formerly occupied by the McLean Drug Company. The storeroom formerly occupied by Joe Petrus and Friend's barbershop will be used for a picture theatre after September 1. -

If the weather is fair, When you come to the fair, If you want to be fair, We'll all 4 be there, Each man to his chair: Let us trim up your hair, One you can wear. We'll sure treat you square; We just want a share. Yours to please,

The Crystal Barber Shop. A dance was given by the young men of the town in their club rooms Tuesday evening, complimenting Miss Lena Bromberg's visitors, Miss Birdie Winner of Palestine and Miss Rachael Frank of Jacksonville. The chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McConnell, Mrs. J. R. Foster, Mrs. J. T. Dawes, Mrs. days...... 35c I. W. Sweet and Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Arledge. Twelve regular and five extra numbers were danced This proved to be another one of the many enjoyable social affairs of the season.

#### One Hundred Bale Capacity.

W. V. Berry has completely overhauled his gin and added four new gin stands of the latest improved pattern. His ginning capacity is now 100 bales per day. Besides nominations who feel an interest in ginning your cotton he will pay the highest market price for cotton seed and the seed from your cotton. He has now one of the big gest and best gins in East Texas which insures you a pretty sample from your cotton. Give him a trial, see how quick you can get tract by the commissioners court your cotton and how pretty a sam-Thursday afternoon for the build- ple you can get. He solicits the patronage of the public and guarantees satifaction. He is an experienced gin man and will give the work his personal attention.

D. C. Bybee, teaming contractor living at 669 Keeling Court, Canton, IN., is now well rid of a severe and annoying case of kidney trouble. His back pained and he was bothered with headaches and dizzy ed by County Judge Adam Cone to spells. "I took Foley Kidney Pills assist in the work, and he is urging just as directed and in a few days I felt much better. My life and strength seemed to come back, and I sleep well. I am now all over my trouble and glad to recommend seventy miles will be built in this Foley Kidney Pills." Try them. I.

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#### DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

For District Judge John S. Prince Of Henderson County

For State Senator W. J. Townsend, Jr. of Angelina County

For County Clerk O. C. Goodwin

For County Treasurer W. H. Bayne For Sheriff

A. W. Phillips For Tax Collector

George Denny For County Judge C. M. Ellis

For District Clerk John D. Morgan For County Attorney

B. F. Dent For Representative

Nat Patton For Tax Assessor John Ellis

For County Superintendent J. F. Mangum For Commissioner Precinct No. 2

Chas. Long For Commissioner Precinct No. 3

J. T. (Tom) Knox For Commissioner Precinct No. 4

M. B. Matchett For Justice Peace Precinct No. 1 E. M. Callier

For Justice Peace Precinct No. 6 J. G. Webb

For Constable Precinct No. 1 R. J. (Bob) Spence

#### Died of Appendicitis.

Lon Sallas, a prominent member of the Crockett bar, developed a severe case of appendicitis last week and on Saturday was taken to the Palestine Sanitarium for an operation, which was performed at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. was found that gangrene had developed and little hopes of recovery were entertained. On account of his robust constitution, Mr. Sallas survived the ravages of the disease and the shock of the operation until Tuesday morning at 6 o'clock, when he succumbed. The remains were brought to Crockett Tuesday night and on Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock were laid to rest in Glenwood cemetery. The funeral services were conducted by the Knights of Pythias lodge, of which the deceased was a member. Mr. Sallas was also a member of the Maccabees, the Fraternal Brotherhood and the Woodmen of the World, all of which orders affiliated in the funeral ceremonies.

Mr. Sallas was a member of the law firm of Moore & Sallas, local attorneys for the International & Great Northern Railway Company. He carried life insurance but we are not advised of the amount. He leaves a family in this city and many relatives and friends in the country. He was a staunch member of the Baptist church.

New Jersey audience the other day, providing that no charter or any told them that "if you people stand- ordinance passed under said charter ing here want your government you shall contain any provision inconcan have it, and the people of the sistent with the Constitution of the United States have made up their State, or of the general laws enactminds that they want their own ed by the Legislature of this State; government, and they are going to said cities may levy, assess and colhave it." Which may be interpret- lect such taxes as may be authorized ed into a modest prediction of his by law or by their charters; but no own election. But it is as a state- tax for any purpose shall ever be lawment of fact, rather than as a pre- ful for any one year, which shall diction, that the observation is exceed two and one-half per cent of government is not quickly respon- and no debt shall ever be created me wonderfully. I am pleased to Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Reme- dy has no superior for sale by any city, unless at the same time recommend their use." I. W. Sweet. dy. For sale by all dealers.

necessary amount of energy has to be spent in putting it in motion, and it is one of the jobs of statesmanship to take out those superfluous cogs which do nothing else than resist the efforts of the people to move and direct it. Nevertheless, the people of this country, state and nation, can have full control of their government whenever they show a genuine determination to take it. With only a little more than 60 per cent of the people participating in the elections ordinarily, and with a large part of that 60 per cent animated only by prejudice and habit, it can hardly be thought surprising if the people do not have possession of their government.-Galveston News.

#### Post Oak Dots.

The cotton is opening fast. The farmers are getting busy.

Health is very good at present. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morrison and children have returned from a pleasant visit with relatives in

Leon county. Miss Myrtie Mae Rains was shopping in Crockett Saturday.

Mrs. Joe Strickland and little daughter, Robbie Lee, and Miss Nettie Bryant of Russell and Morrison's Chapel, Leon county, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morri-

Mrs. E. W. Null has returned to Crockett after a month's pleasant visit with her cousin, Mrs. J. W. J. Rains.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morrison entertained a number of friends with an ice cream supper Friday night in honor of Miss Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. J. Rains gave a musical entertainmet Satarday night. A duet was rendered by Misses Myrtie Mae and Ada Elma Rains, Miss Della Rains accompanying them with the guitar which was much enjoyed by everyone.

Mr. B. D. Rains of Pine Grove

as a visitor here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Wils Hail and children of Belott were visiting relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

was a visitor here the latter part of per cent thereon; and provided

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Blair and children attended church at Lone er than every two years. Pine Sunday. Dew Drop.

Proposed Amendment to the Constitution Authorizing Cities of More Than 5000 Inhabitants to Adopt Their Charters by Vote of the People.

> (H. J. R. No. 10.) House Joint Resolution.

House Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Section 5, of Article 11, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for cities of more than five thousand (5000) inhabitants to adopt their charter by a vote of the people.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That section 5 of Article 11 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 5. Cities having more than five thoushnd (5000) inhabitants may, by a majority vote of the qualified voters of said city, at an election held for that purpose, adopt or amend their charters, subject to such limitations as may be Governor Wilson, speaking to a prescribed by the Legislature, and worthy of note. The machinery of the taxable property of such city, We have just unloaded a car of the old reliable

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provision be made to assess and collect annually a sufficient sum to pay the interest thereon and creat-Prof. J. L. Goolsby of Crockett ing a sinking fund of at least two further, that no city charter shall be altered, amended or repealed often-

> Sec. 2. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation, submitting this amendment to the qualified voters of Texas at the next general election held in this State, or in case any previous election shall be held in this State for other purposes, then this proposed amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State. At such election, those favoring the amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words: "For the amendment to Section 5, Article 11, of the constitution, authorizing cities of more than five thousand inhabitants to adopt their charters by a vote of the people;" those opposing said amendment shall have written or printed on their bollots the words: 'Against amendment to Section 5, Article 11, of the Constitution, authorizing cities of more than five thousand inhabitants to adopt their charters by a vote of the people." The sum of five thousand dollars. or so much as is necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the Treasury of the State of Texas out of moneys not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of the publication of this amendment and the proclamation for the election.

Dr. C. H. Ellsworth, dentist, 16 Baldwin St., Rochester, N. Y., says Foley Kidney Pills gave him immediate relief and strengthened him wonderfully. "I have been bothered with weak kidneys and



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