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We Challenge Any One

to prove that we have ever slaughtered his pocketbook to the center, or jubilated at any anniversary or prepared flashy colors to catch the unsuspecting and innocent public. On the other hand we have, and always will, give value for every penny received.

Honest goods at honest prices, presented in an honest manner, should convince the most skeptical. We can and will meet any legitimate competition, for we have the goods bought at the right prices.

If you really want to protect your savings and increase the buying capacity of your dollar, give us a call and we will show you as clean line of merchandise as was ever shown in Crockett and at prices that will interest you.

Specials

Saturday, November 2, we will let go, one purchase to each person—

Twenty-three yards cotton checks for	\$1.00
Twenty yards yard-wide brown domestic	\$1.00
Six pounds bulk starch for	25c
12-Gauge, single barrelled automatic ejector guns	\$4.00
Seventeen pounds standard granulated sugar for	\$1.00
An 18-inch sheet iron heater for	\$1.35

MOORE & SHIVERS

A BUSINESS-LIKE GRAND JURY REPORT.

What This Grand Jury Did Told in Few Words—Met, Indicted Violators of Law and Adjourned.

To the Honorable B. H. Gardner, Judge of the District Court:

We, the grand jury organized for the district court of Houston county at the October term, A. D. 1912, beg to report:

We have been in session ten days and have found 28 indictments—13 felonies and 15 misdemeanors. Have examined about 300 witnesses.

We have diligently inquired into all violations of law reported to us and have endeavored to indict only such parties as, in our judgment, were proven guilty.

We recommend that a finance committee be appointed to audit the books of the various officers of this county.

Having concluded our work, we now ask that we be adjourned finally. (Signed)

H. J. Arledge, foreman; M. B. Matchett, W. D. James, B. E. Hail, Walter Friend, R. T. Murchison, N. C. Tims, J. A. Maxey, A. P. Balch, C. Goodwin, J. D. Hill, H. Z. Callier.

Your visit to the Mighty Haag shows Monday afternoon and evening, November 4, will not be com-

plete without a tour of the colossal canvas equerry, even though you are not a lover and admirer of blooded stock, it is claimed you will find an hour of genuine pleasure and much to interest you inspecting the droves of horses and ponies. For the last year agents have been in the different parts of the world making purchases for this department, with a result that today that Mighty Haag shows possess one of the largest, most varied and costly collections of representative members of the equine family which wealth can procure, and it is doubtful if anywhere near the like has ever been exhibited before. Certainly never by any traveling shows. Ladies and children are particularly invited to visit this horse fair, which all may safely do without escort, as uniformed and courteous attendants are always present to look after the welfare of callers.—Adv.

Missionary Elected.

The executive board of the Neches River Baptist association has elected Rev. E. H. Garner as missionary for the ensuing year. Bro. Garner is now on the field and ready for work. We bespeak for him the cooperation of all the churches. Any church or community desiring him to visit them or wishing to have a few days meeting, write to the undersigned for the present and arrangements can be made.

H. E. Harris,
Lovelady, Texas.

REV. ELLIS SMITH MARRIED.

Both Bride and Groom Prominent in Methodist Church Circles—Left For New Mexico.

Rev. Ellis Smith and Mrs. Mae Jamerson were married last night at 8:30 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Dupree, mother of the bride, the officiating clergymen being Dr. W. F. Packard, Dr. Sam R. Hay and Dr. George Sexton. Immediately following the ceremony Rev. and Mrs. Smith departed for Artesia, N. M., where he has recently been stationed, moving from Palestine, where he has been the pastor since last November.

The bride was one of Houston's most cultured and refined Christian women. She was a teacher of the primary class in the Tabernacle Sunday school, a member of the woman's city mission board and also president of the Shakespearean club. She is also an author of no mean talents, having written largely for leading magazines.

Dr. Ellis Smith was presiding elder of the Houston district two years and has served some of the most prominent pastorates in Texas. Both the bride and groom have many friends in Houston, who wish them much happiness in their new field of labor.—Houston Post.

DISTRICT COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Two Years in Penitentiary for Horse Theft—Bigamy Case on Trial Thursday Morning.

State vs. Alex Ray, burglary with firearms; dismissed on motion of district attorney.

Russ Moore, theft of hogs; continued by consent.

Firm Davis, theft of hogs; dismissed.

Ben Larue, assault to murder; verdict of the jury not guilty.

Fred Crawley, selling intoxicating liquors; continued by consent.

Lewis Davis, selling intoxicating liquors; continued by consent.

Jesse Lancaster, aiding in the escape of prisoner; continued by consent.

Jim Turner, assault to murder; continued by consent.

J. S. Kelley, bigamy; set for October 31.

London Sears, murder; bail forfeited.

J. C. Yarbrough, cutting and injuring fence of another; dismissed.

Jess Sheffield, burglary; verdict, under direction of the court, not guilty.

Dave Hopkins, assault to murder; guilty of an aggravated assault and punishment assessed at \$100.

Jess Sheffield, assault with intent to rape; continued by consent for the term and set for March 24, 1913.

Sidney Pennington, selling intoxicating liquors; continued by consent.

Jasper Simmons and Roscoe Simmons, burglary; set for November 6.

Walter Majors, assault with intent to murder; dismissed.

John Young, selling intoxicating liquors; continued by consent.

Jake Lewis, murder; reset for November 1.

Dora Brown, selling intoxicating liquors; continued by consent.

Oscar Whitmore, selling intoxicating liquors; continued by consent.

Sep McClain, selling intoxicating liquors; continued by consent.

Crockett McClain, selling intoxicating liquors; continued by consent.

Jim Duce, selling intoxicating liquors; continued by consent.

Will Selkirk and Winfree Oliphint, burglary; continued by consent.

Susie Hooey, felony theft; passed.

Monroe O'Neill, assault with intent to murder; passed till November 6.

Ben Skidmore, assault with intent to murder; set for November 1.

John Davis, disposing of mortgaged property; dismissed by the state.

Zack Tolliver, perjury; reset for November 11.

G. M. Britain, making false entry as bank cashier (Weldon bank); three cases and set for November 13.

Grover Pendleton, rape; continued by consent.

Dick Johnson, murder; bail forfeited.

Robert Masters, murder; set for November 6.

W. J. Lee, bigamy; on trial Thursday morning.

Frank Sheffield, incest; set for November 11.

Jim Taylor, theft of horse; verdict of the jury guilty as charged and punishment assessed at two years in the penitentiary. Time waived and defendant sentenced.

Gent Riley, burglary; continued by consent.

Ben Overstreet, assault with in-

tent to murder; continued by consent.

John Powell, assault with intent to murder; continued by consent.

PARADE A FEATURE OF FAIR AT WILLIS.

The Ideal Weather Brought Out Crowds, Nearly Fifteen Hundred Persons Being Present.

Willis, Texas, October 23.—The attendance today at the Montgomery county fair was about 1500. The weather proved ideal. Many visitors are taking this opportunity of visiting in Willis. The parade this morning was even better than was anticipated. The floats of A. M. Carson, R. A. Randall, Minn & Co., and the W. O. W. float deserved special mention.

Following the parade an address was delivered in the grand stand by County Judge S. A. McCall. The racing in the afternoon was good.

First race, half mile trot and pace, \$200 purse:

First heat—Edgemont Ideal, first; Dr. Al, second; Judge Hurt, third. Time 1:20.

Second heat—Edgemont Ideal, first; Dr. Al, second; Judge Hurt, third. Time 1:15.

Third heat—Dr. Al, first; Edgemont Ideal, second; Judge Hurt, third. Time 1:13.

Fourth heat—Edgemont Ideal, first; Dr. Al, second; Judge Hurt, third. Time 1:19.

An Speech in Showdom.

When Mr. Haag decided to inaugurate his 15th year as a successful purveyor of first class amusements, to the public; he mapped out his route from coast to coast, opening his season in early March at Shreveport. Since then the show has traversed the states of Texas, California, Arkansas, Kansas, Oklahoma, Illinois, Indiana, West Virginia, Kentucky, Virginia, Tennessee, Ohio, North Carolina, South Carolina and part of Georgia; and before closing will make Florida, Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana, establishing a transcontinental record never attempted by any show in any one season. The show has used 56 railroads so far this season, exhibiting twice daily with the exception of Sunday.

Nature has been very good to the mighty Haag shows this season, having been exceptionally so in the wild animal department. The baby camel, Lula, is easily the favorite baby, with the baby elephant close behind. Daily you can witness the children of the different cities picking their favorite baby in the big menagerie, which is most always the baby camel.

The mighty Haag shows will exhibit at Crockett, Monday, Nov. 3. Advertisement.

Plowing at Night.

The plague of flies and gnats that have infested this section of the country has been exceptionally bad. The farmers in many communities have been doing their plowing in the night time in order to avoid the flies which swarm upon their horses and mules during the day. Around old straw stacks the flies and gnats seem to breed at their best and for days the fields have been full of them. Their number seems to be decreasing at present, however, and they will probably disappear as mysteriously as they came.—Bonham News.

A Grand Opportunity Sale

AT

Jas. S. Shivers & Co's.

Only a Few More Days of This Big Sale

Which Will End With the Close of Business Saturday Night, November 2

NOTICE: We will sell at special prices the entire \$40,000.00 stock of dependable merchandise during this **BIG 13 DAYS' SALE.**

Look for the Red Ticket

1000 yards 36-inch domestic, worth 8½c per yard, at 5c
 1000 yards canton flannel, worth 9c per yard, at 6½c
 2100 yards gingham, regular price 10c per yard, at 7½c
 Regular 10 and 12c outing at 8½c
 Best grade calico at 5c
 Railroad chevots, 10c values 8½c
 Cotton checks, 8½c values 6½c
 Regular 10c ticking at 8½c
 10c and 12½c percales at 8½c

Look for Red Tickets



THE BIG STORE

Shoes! Shoes! Shoes!

Men's regular \$5.00 shoes at \$3.95
 Men's regular \$4.00 shoes at \$3.72
 Men's regular \$3.50 shoes at \$3.21
 Men's regular \$3.00 shoes at \$2.74
 Ladies' regular \$4.00 shoes at \$3.45
 Ladies' regular \$3.50 shoes at \$2.98
 Ladies' regular \$3.00 shoes at \$2.65
 Ladies' regular \$2.75 shoes at \$2.55
 Ladies' regular \$2.50 shoes at \$2.24
 Ladies' regular \$2.00 shoes at \$1.72

Look for Red Tickets

13

Don't Forget the Date, Commencing Saturday, October 19, and Closes Saturday Night, November 2.

FULL BUSINESS DAYS

13

Clothing for Men, Boys and Children

Men's regular \$10.00 suits at	\$7.50
Men's regular \$12.50 suits at	\$9.25
Men's regular \$15.00 suits at	\$11.75
Men's regular \$16.50 suits at	\$13.75
Men's regular \$18.00 suits at	\$15.15
Men's regular \$20.00 suits at	\$16.85
Men's regular \$22.50 suits at	\$18.65
Men's regular \$25.00 suits at	\$19.90
Men's regular \$35.00 suits at	\$27.50
Boys' regular \$3.00 suits at	\$2.10
Boys' regular \$3.50 suits at	\$2.75
Boys' regular \$5.00 suits at	\$3.75
Boys' regular \$7.00 suits at	\$5.00
Boys' regular \$8.00 suits at	\$6.10

Now in Conclusion

We urge everybody to come and bring your friends. Remember we will have a large force of clerks and you won't have to wait. Don't forget the date, commencing Saturday morning, October 19, at 9 o'clock.

Remember

Everything in the store will go at opportunity prices.

Look for the Red Ticket

the emblem of economy. See our large circulars for a more complete list of the many things that will go during this sale at prices you never saw before. We have the goods—you want them. Come now.

Look for the Red Tickets

YOURS TO PLEASE

Jas. S. Shivers & Company

Steinlein & Lively's

Manufacturers' and Jobbers' Outlet Sale

Will Continue Saturday and All Next Week

Our manufacturers' and jobbers' outlet sale has been a success. Customers after customers have been turned away from our counters unable to get waited upon. We have decided, after being requested by our many customers, to continue this sale one more week. We have almost doubled our large number of salespeople in order to be able to serve our customers. This is the logical time to do your fall trading, for never in the history of this store have prices been so low and stocks so large and well assorted. A sale of this kind right in the beginning of the fall should be visited by all economical buyers.

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear, Piece Goods, Men and Boys' Clothing, Shoes, at Prices that Cannot be Equalled

\$1.50 Flannelette Kimonas 89c Ladies' extra quality flannelette kimonas	50c Turkish Towels 39c Extra heavy bleached Turkish towels, worth 50c, to go in this sale, per pair	\$1.50 Men's Whip Cord Pants \$1.00 Extra heavy whip cord pants, worth \$1.50, some stores will ask you \$2.00, our price	10c Hose for Men 5c Men's hose in black, tan and gray to go in this sale, per pair	25c Oil Cloth 15c Standard brands of oil cloth, big range of colors, solid colors to go in this lot for
89c	39c	\$1.00	5c	15c
.25 and 35c Ladies' Vests 19c Ladies' extra heavy ribbed vests and pants, bleached, worth 50c and 65c, in this sale	\$2.50 Boys' Suits \$1.48 Boy's good, heavy, all wool suits, worth some places \$2.50, our price	7 Spools Clark's O. N. T. 25c We will sell seven spools Clark's O. N. T. machine thread during this sale for	25c Feather Ticking 15c Genuine Amoskeag A. C. A. feather ticking, best made, our price during this sale	\$1.50 Flannelette Kimonas 89c Ladies' extra quality long kimonas, worth \$1.50, our price during this sale
39c	\$1.48	25c	15c	89c
85c Outing Gowns 48c Ladies' extra nice outing gowns, all colors, during this sale for only	\$3.00 Boys' Suits \$1.95 Boys' suits in several colors and weaves, Knickerbocker pants, all wool, this sale	5 Cards Safety Pins 5c Safety pins worth 5c pr paper to go during this sale at our store, five for	25c Silk Lisle Hose 19c Men's 25c silk lisle hose, other stores ask you 25c per pair, our price during this sale	Pepperell Sheeting 21c Genuine Pepperell sheeting to go in this manufacturer's and jobber's outlet sale for
48c	\$1.95	5c	19c	21c
\$1.50 Outing Gowns 89c Ladies' outing gowns worth \$1.50 to go during this sale at our store for only	\$4.00 Boys' Blue Serge Suits \$2.45 Boys' blue serge suits, sizes 4 to 17, it will pay you to look at these, sale price	2 Spools Darning Cotton 5c Clark's darning cotton to go in this sale at our store at two spools for	\$1.50 Linen Sheeting 89c 10-4 pure flax sheeting, worth \$1.50 per yard, our price during this sale	12 1-2c Cambric 7 1-2c Diamond Hill cambric, everybody knows the brand, during this sale for, per yard
89c	\$2.45	5c	89c	7 1-2c
25c Curtain Screen 15c Big assortment of patterns, yard wide, worth at some places 25c, our price	\$1.25 Men's Work Pants 89c Men's brown whip cord pants, worth \$1.25, to go in this sale for only	10c Hose for Ladies 5c Ladies' hose, black, tan or gray, also in fancy colors, our sale price only	10 and 12 1-2c Dress Gingham 7 1-2c We bought this gingham in a big close out at less than manufacturer's cost, on special sale for	50c Work Shirts 39c Men's heavy blue work shirts, worth 50c, our price during this sale
15c	89c	5c	7 1-2c	39c
25c Turkish Towels 19c 45-inch heavy unbleached Turkish towels, to go in this sale at, per pair	6c Cotton Checks 4c Good round thread cotton checks, worth 6c per yard, our price during this sale	25c Ladies' Hose 19c Ladies' hose, worth 25c per pair, solid colors in blue, brown, black and tan, sale price	25c Poplin 19c Mercerized poplin in several colors, others ask you 25c, our sale price	75c Shirts 39c Men's extra nice, silk finish shirts with collars, our price during this sale
19c	4c	19c	19c	39c

Specials for Saturday, November 2nd

From 9 to 9:30—10 yards of 10c outing flannel for only	From 10 to 10:30—10 yards of 10c dress gingham for only	From 11 to 11:30—10 yards of 10c grade brown domestic for	From 1 to 1:30—7 yards of 15c kimona outing for only
50c	50c	50c	50c

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We solicit your business solely upon the merit of our goods. We carry the best of everything in our line and cater to the wants of the most fastidious. If you are not already a customer of ours, a trial will convince you that you ought to be.

F. B. WEBB

Cold Drinks and Confections

Mistrot-Munn Company

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

**Mistrot-Munn
Company**

Houston, - - Texas

De Daines' Music Store

has everything in music. Can sell you Edison Phonographs, Player Pianos and Pianos direct from the factory. Sheet Music and Instructors for all instruments.

No. 666

This is a prescription prepared especially for Chills and Fever. Five or six doses will break any case of Chills and Fever, and if taken then as a tonic the Fever will not return. It acts on the liver better than Calomel and does not gripe or sicken. 25c.

Chronic rheumatism contracts the muscles, distorts the joints and undermines the strength. A powerful penetrating and relieving remedy will be found in Ballard's Snow Liniment. It restores strength and suppleness to the aching limbs. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by I. W. Sweet.—Adv.

The Prevention of Colds.

It has been said that a clean person never has a cold. When we consider cleanliness as relating to the internal body as well as to the external this may be taken as a fact. Certainly one whose intestinal tract is not clogged up is less liable to take colds than one whose tract contains all manner of fermenting material. One great way to avoid colds is to keep the bowels open at all seasons of the year. Never let a day go by without an evacuation. At the first suggestion of a cold clean out and keep clean. It is not uncommon for a patient to tell her physician that she has not had a good bowel movement for five, six or even seven days. No wonder the system becomes so poisoned with its own waste material that disease germs found it easy to do their work.

Another preventive of colds is fresh air laden with oxygen. When the cold days come the tendency is to shut out all the cold air and incidentally all the fresh air. As a consequence the living and office rooms become hot and stuffy. Disease germs thrive well under these conditions and colds follow readily. So to avoid colds, keep the rooms well ventilated during the coldest weather. It even is better to shiver a little than to breathe impure air.

To avoid colds, take some exercise in the open air every day. No matter what the weather is, one will be benefited by a brisk walk. Dress for the day and walk quickly; do not loiter. The movement of walking stirs up the sluggish circulation and helps the body to throw off all impurities. Even though the day be dark, dreary, and perhaps rainy, the exercise will be beneficial. Colds usually are not contracted from getting wet, but from sitting in the wet garments after going indoors. If one will remove all wet garments as soon as she enters the house she seldom will "take cold" from the exposure.

Keep the pores of the skin clean by frequent bathing, for when the pores become clogged they cannot do their work and colds result.

Mouth breathing is one cause of colds. Nature did not intend that one should breathe through the mouth. The nose was so constructed that cold air passing through it would become warmed before reaching the lungs. Besides the mucous membrane of the nose is so planned that it acts as a sieve and will strain out the particles of dust and irritating material from the air. The mouth is not so constructed, and the air breathed in through the mouth reaches the lungs almost as cold and dust-laden as when it entered the mouth. This cold air taken into the lungs may chill them suddenly and produce a congestion.—Dr. Edith E. Lowry.

Lemon as a Medicine.

The average headache may frequently be cured by several slices of lemon in a cup of strong tea, and a bilious headache is almost invariably put to route by a tablespoonful of lemon juice in a small cup of black coffee. The juice of half a lemon in a cup of hot water first thing in the morning is an excellent liver corrective and successful substitute for calomel and similar drugs.

Honey, alum and lemon juice is an old-fashioned but good remedy for croup. A dash of lemon juice in water makes a pleasant and effective tooth wash, cleaning the teeth and sweetening the breath. In fact, the lemon is pretty much of a concentrated drug store. Outwardly applied lemon juice and rosewater will remove tan and whiten the skin, and taken inwardly, lemon juice on a lump of sugar is fine for hoarseness.

Lemon juice with olive oil is far

superior as a salad dressing to vinegar and a teaspoonful of lemon juice adds a dainty flavor and whitens the grains of boiling rice or sago. Salt and lemon juice remove rust stains from white goods and tough meat may be made tender by adding a teaspoonful of lemon juice to the water in which it is to be boiled. If the hands become stained lemon juice will make them white.

The lemon does not end its useful career even when the juice and pulp have been extracted. The half skins make dainty and attractive receptacles for serving ice and salads, or dipped in salt the rinses clean brass thoroughly and quickly.

Intellect Better Than Muscle.

Intellect is of far more importance in farming than muscle. The man who does the most work in a day and works the most days in the year should succeed, but he does not always make the best success on the farm. The muscle worker may waste his energy because of bad management.

There are many manufacturers that fail. They have capital and employ many hands. Perhaps the hands are capable, but the manager of the plant is not efficient. This is true with respect to farming. The manager must have an alert mind. He should be resourceful, diligent and progressive. There is a reason for every failure; there is a cause for every effect; there is a way out of every difficulty.

Intelligent management with the ability to do a large amount of physical labor is greatly to be desired, but business management is the better qualification of the two. There are successful farm managers who cannot do manual labor, but they know how the work should be done and how to have it done. They are the masters of the situation.

Successful farming requires intelligence, and when the intellect is used properly all difficulties can be surmounted and the farm made profitable.—Farm and Ranch.

Public opinion moves rapidly and the innovation of yesterday is the commonplace of today. It is only a short time since the suggestion of individual drinking cups was regarded as an advanced hygienic proposition. Today they are not only accepted as customary in many parts of the country but in one locality, at least, they have been used as factors in the political game. The newspapers of Carthage, Mo., announce that one of the candidates for sheriff is giving a practical demonstration of his belief in the enforcement of the sanitary laws. In his campaign for election he is using paper folding sanitary drinking-cups as campaign literature. Each cup bears a picture of the candidate and a statement of his candidacy. So far as we are aware, says The Journal of the American Medical Association, this is the first time that the individual drinking-cup has been used to promote politics as well as good health. The possibilities of this plan are almost unlimited and numerous elaborations will no doubt suggest themselves to our readers and to future candidates. It is encouraging to see the position of a candidate on sanitary questions made an issue in a political campaign.

In the chill season see that your liver is active. Any derangement in that organ opens the door for malarial germs. An occasional dose of Herbine is all that is necessary to keep the liver in sound working condition. Price 50c. Sold by I. W. Sweet.—Adv.

Joints that ache, muscles that are drawn or contracted should be treated with Ballard's Snow Liniment. It penetrates to the spot where it is needed and relieves suffering. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by I. W. Sweet. Advertisement.

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101 RANCH REAL WILD WEST SHOW



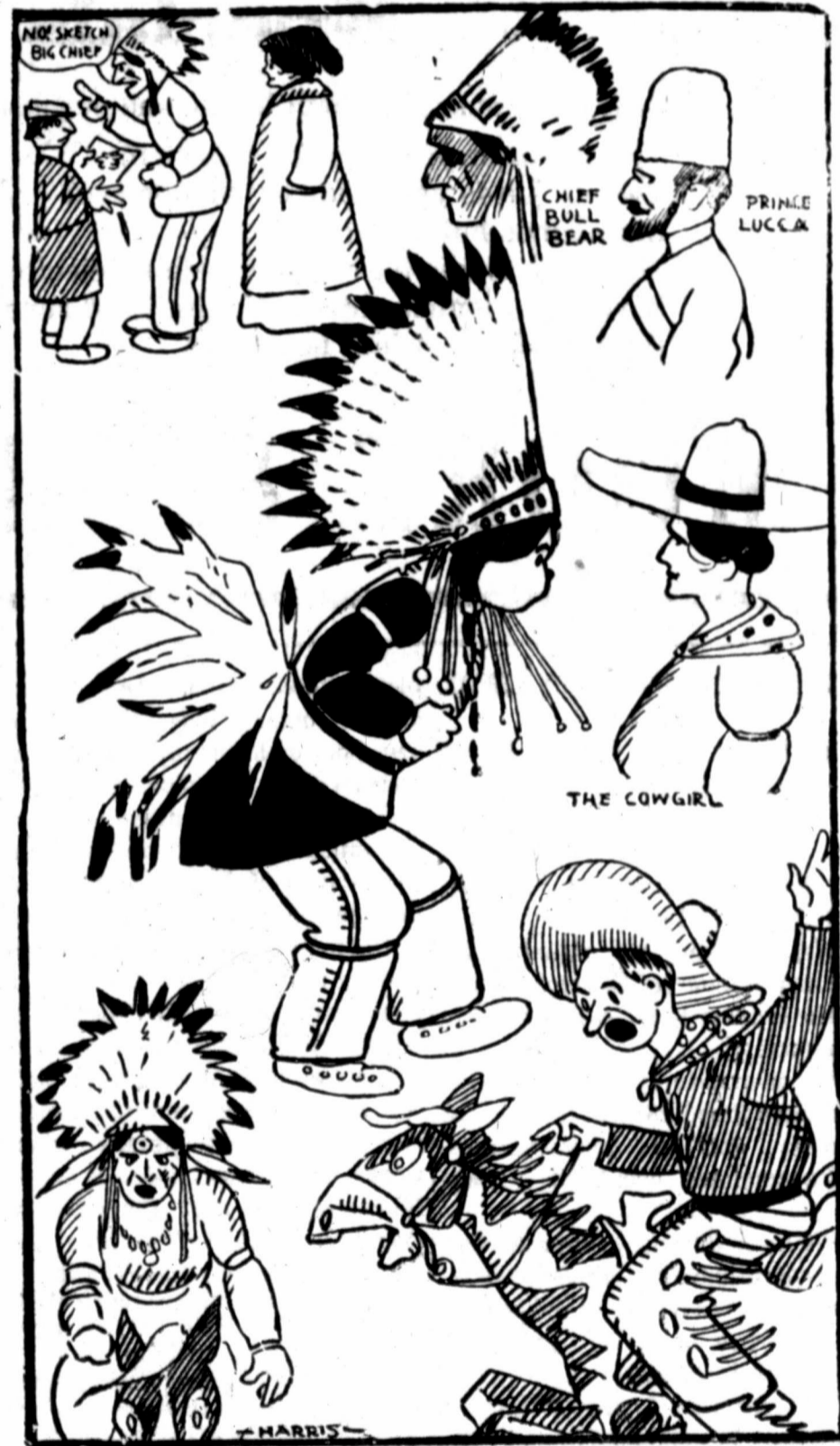
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REPRESENTING THE FOLLOWING FEATURES

INDIANS The Real Red Man of the plains in war-paint.	Bucking Horse, Roping, Shooting CHAMPIONS
COWBOYS Brought Direct from 101 Ranch and the Real West	Dashing Queens WILD-WEST GIRLS of the Saddles
COSSACKS Reckless Riders from Far-off Russian Steppes.	Real Types of the Mexican Cowboy VACQUEROS
MEXICANS Real Rough Riders from the Land of the Rio Grande	Genuine Mexican Mounted Police RURALIES

STEER THROWING Jumping from Back of Galloping Horse to Steer's Horns, then wrestling combat
Contest Between Mounted Indians Against Cowboys and Cowgirls **Football on Horseback**
Bucking Horse Champions Actual Winners of Wyoming and Oklahoma Bucking Horse Contest

2 PERFORMANCES DAILY 2 & 8 PM RAIN OR SHINE
BIG STREET PARADE 10 AM SHOW DAY

CROCKETT 5 TUESDAY, NOVEMBER



Positively Will Exhibit at
Crockett Tuesday, November 5

Advance sale of tickets on day of exhibition at McLean's drug store at the same price charged on the show grounds



Indians and Their Peculiarities.

In almost every city where the 101 Ranch Real Wild West Show exhibits the Indian village is besieged by photographers anxious to secure perfect photographs of the Indians. At first the Indians, with characteristic pride, took kindly to the efforts of the "sharpshooters" and posed willingly in order that perfect results might be obtained. Then the photographers commenced to tender pieces of money when the photographs had been obtained; the Indians woke up to the realization that their pictures had a commercial value and they refused to stand for any more free sittings. Their business tact has been so well developed that they demand the money first and as much as it is given then the Indian becomes a willing subject for the photographer. They have not yet decided on any regular price, and a gaily colored handkerchief, or hand mirror, will gain a suitable subject much quicker than a twenty dollar bill. The strange part of it is that the Indian never expects any reward from the lady kodak handlers and there is no limit in their posing for them. This may be Indian gallantry, but it is more probable that the Indian is of

the opinion that the white ladies hold the same position with their families as does the squaw with her family. That is, she is never allowed to own anything that the Indian would want. Chief "Many Horses" always insists that one of the photographs taken of himself be mailed to him, and his teepee is adorned with many good and more bad efforts of the photographers for whom he has posed.

The squaws have no particular desire in this perpetuation of their faces and would never submit to sittings or standings were it not for the fact that the bucks insist upon it in order that more rewards may come their way. Not the way of the squaws, but the way of their lords and masters, for no Indian has ever yet been accused of giving his squaw anything that he wanted himself. That is not Indian-like. One noticeable fact of the Indian is, when he wants anything he wants it badly, and will sacrifice anything else he possesses in order to secure the one coveted article, and frequently he will give ten times its value only to include it among his other possessions to barter for something else that may strike his peculiar fancy.

Bright Bits in Vaudeville.

Here are some of the bright things said by Cliff Gordon at the New York Colonial theatre:

We are living in a great country of mountains, valleys and bluffs—principally bluffs—a country that has been a great country ever since the Pilgrims piled here.

We have been a very peaceable people except in 1861, when the civilized war broke out and all the brave soldier boys marched to the front blowing their bugles to fight the battle of Five Knives and Forks.

We may not have the largest navy in the world, but look at the ocean we've got.

All the time we read about the Italians taking Tripoli. What is Tripoli—a city or a medicine?

The Turks believe when they are killed they go straight to heaven. So when you kill a Turk you are doing him a favor.

Turkey better behave. If she does not we will send one of our soldiers over there and lick her.

But what's the use of building all

these battleships? We can't ride on them. We make them and shove them into the water to see them swim.

I'm sorry the airships are coming in. Pretty soon we can go to Europe in an airship in two hours. Think of the great benefit to the crooks. They can commit a crime and be in Europe before the policeman arrives on the scene.

Politics are all mixed up. One-half of the republicans think they are democrats, and one-half of the democrats think they are republicans, and progressives don't know who they are.

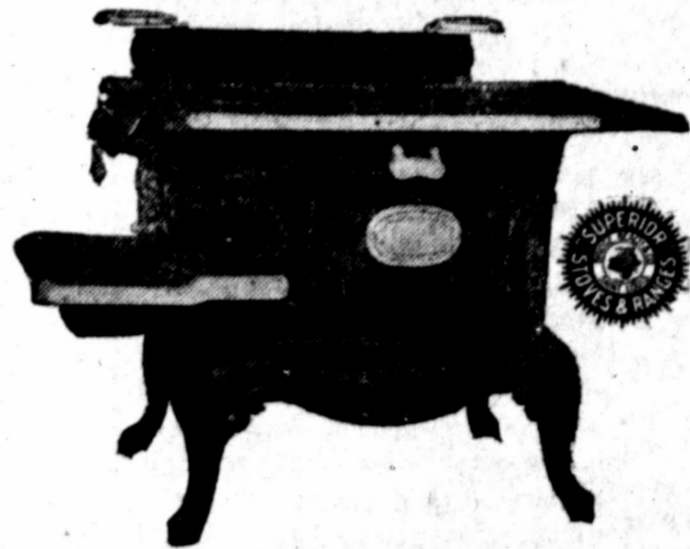
What I want is Wilson in front of me and Selzer on the side.

And about the high cost of living. A scientist has discovered that you can get milk from a bean. Think of getting up in the morning and going out to milk a bean.

No. 666

This is a prescription prepared especially for Chills and Fever. Five or six doses will break any case of Chills and Fever, and if taken then as a tonic the Fever will not return. It acts on the liver better than Calomel and does not gripe or sicken. 25c.

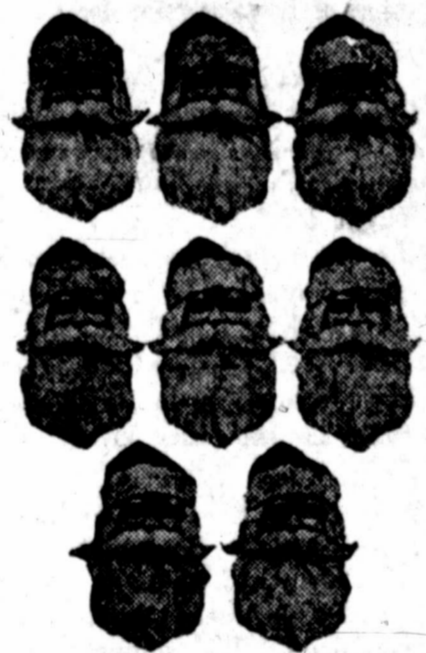
Buy the Best



When you buy a Bridge & Beach Cook Stove you buy the best that money and brains can build. We guarantee SATISFACTION or your money back.

Smith Hardware Co.

EIGHT WEEKS TO CHRISTMAS



Eight little Santa Clauses all in a row! This is the right time a-shopping to go.

Next Week There Will Be Only Seven.

Nix on the Slang.

Take it from us, kid, there is no nourishment in slinging this slang stuff. That's a cinch. Slang is all to the bad. It don't get you anywhere. Forget that Norwegian college professor who says that American slang is the swell talk. He's trying to put one over on us. Either somebody has been handing him a lemon, or else he's trying to con us. Listen! You can't make a hit with the tony guys unless you get a little style into your lingo. The trouble with slang is that it puts your vocabulary on the blink in a jiffy. And then when you want to have a touch of high life and throw the lugs, you're in bad. See? Do you get us? Have some class about you and cut it.—Life.

Insure Your Life IN THE AMICABLE of WACO

The strongest company in the Southwest. Policies secured by deposits with state treasurer. Insure through a representative who is permanently located in your city and will stand behind every statement he makes. Call on me at Crockett State Bank building or drop me a card and I will call on you, whether you are in town or country.

G. B. WILSON.

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 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 Treasurer Ney Sheridan
- For County Superintendent J. F. Mangum
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 2 Chas. Long
- For Justice Peace 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

ANSWER IT HONESTLY.

Are the Statements of Crockett Citizens Not More Reliable Than Those of Utter Strangers?

This is a vital question. It is fraught with interest to Crockett.

It permits of only one answer. It cannot be evaded or ignored. A Crockett citizen speaks here. Speaks for the welfare of Crockett.

A citizen's statement is reliable. An utter stranger's doubtful. Home proof is the best proof.

Mrs. M. A. Ratcliff, Crockett, Texas, says: "I am pleased to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills, for I have received splendid results from their use. I had distressing backaches, headaches and other symptoms of kidney complaint. I got Doan's Kidney Pills from Sweet's drug store and they brought splendid relief."

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

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.—Adv.

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Crockett, Monday, November 4th, 1912

The Mighty Haag Shows



The Best and Most Famous.
 Everybody's Favorite.
 The Very Newest and Very Best.
 The Racing Camels.
 The Somersault Elephant.
 Horses that exercise Thought and Judgment.
 The Greatest Triumph of Man in Equine Education.
 A Perfect and Complete Horse Show.
 More Real Funny Clowns than ever seen at one time before.
 The Hippotragus Equinnis.
 Most Complete Show ever seen.
 Don't Miss that Free Street Parade. In this new and novel Street Innovation are introduced the most Costly, Ornate and Gorgeous Vehicles of Pageantry and Pomp Ever Designed and Constructed.
 You Can't Afford to Miss This Great Event.
 The Very Best Show of the Day.

A TREMENDOUS FREE SPECTACULAR STREET CARNIVAL

WOMAN HELD AT ROOMING HOUSE.

Mrs. J. L. Weir Under Police Guard Pending Arrival of Officer from Sheridan, Wyoming.

Mrs. J. L. Weir is being held at a rooming house under police guard, pending the arrival of an officer from Sheridan, Wyo., who left that place for Houston Sunday. The guards at Mrs. Weir's room are men employed by Chief Noble on the outside, the young woman being spared the embarrassment of having uniformed officers stationed at the house.

Mrs. Weir, who is the wife of an army officer stationed at Fort McKenzie, Wyo., was arrested by the police Friday on information that she is wanted in Sheridan on a charge of felony theft. When the Sheridan authorities were notified of her detention they immediately telegraphed Sheriff Noble that an officer with all necessary papers would leave that city Sunday.

After her arrest Mrs. Weir telegraphed her husband, and she has received two messages from him. What word the husband sent to his wife was not made public. Mrs. Weir contends that she is innocent and that the charge against her is the plot of the wife of Colonel George A. Cecil, also of Fort McKenzie.

Chief of Police Noble has had the case under his personal supervision and stated to a representative of the Post that every courtesy had been extended to Mrs. Weir.—Houston Post.

Newspaper Advertising Necessary.

The publicity department of the 101 Ranch is under the personal direction of Mr. Edward Arlington, who has the reputation of being the premier of publicity purveyors. Competitors in the show business

have been compelled to admit that the advertising of the 101 Ranch is the best organized of any show on the road. Recently in an interview Mr. Arlington said: "Custom compels us to use the poster work, but for mine, I am sure that more substantial publicity can be obtained from the newspapers. This is particularly true in towns in which we show. The people may see the posters on the boards, but they have been so accustomed to seeing them there that they do not even take time to consider whether they are commercial posters, or posters telling of the attractions of a show. When you want to buy something or want to go to some place of amusement, you do not run out to the billboards to see what is offered. You get your paper and look it over and see from it what you want to find out. Of course, on our routes we must use the posters, for the patrons in the country would never consider a show worth going to that did not get the posters out. All custom, but this same ruralite would not go to a show that the papers did not tell him something about."

A good remedy for a bad cough is Ballard's Horehound Syrup. It heals the lungs and quiets irritation. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by I. W. Sweet.—Adv.

CHILDREN CRY
 Frequently and for no apparent reason when they have worms.

WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE
 Is the remedy needed.

It destroys and removes worms, strengthens the stomach and restores healthy conditions. A few doses brings back rosy cheeks, vigor and cheerfulness.

Price 25c per Bottle.
 Jas. F. Ballard, Prop., St. Louis, Mo.

SOLD AND RECOMMENDED BY
I. W. Sweet

The Hookworm.

No malady of modern times has engaged medical science to a greater degree than the mysterious and deadly hookworm disease that has robbed multitudes of mountaineers in the southern ranges of the ambition and effort necessary for life and progress. The wide economic waste entailed by this disease can scarcely be conceived. The conditions in Kentucky are found by the Rockefeller commission to be startling.

Seventeen hundred and fifty cases discovered in a single Kentucky county in the last 28 days is a record of ravage for the disease that is appalling. The work of the Rockefeller fund and the activities of the boards of health are giving the hookworm disease a hard struggle for continued existence, but the present state of the disease in the districts where it has become fixed made the endeavors to eradicate it fraught with extreme difficulty.

This malady that decimates and degenerates entire communities is a distinctly social one, and this fact makes the fight against it one of the most strenuous of the supreme endeavors of modern science.—Baltimore American.

The Way of Happiness.

Make up your mind to be as cheerful and as hopeful as possible, and do not allow yourself to get into the habit of thinking the worst rather than the best of people.

Make up your mind to bury all mean feelings, to forget all the injuries and forgive all the unkind words written or spoken to you.

Make up your mind to think of what you have in life that is good, and what the future may hold for you, and then you will forget petty worries, and your heart will grow light and the world will be full of sunshine.

St. Louis Chicago

Best Reached Via
I. & G. N. R'y

Two Trains Each Day Between Texas and St. Louis

SUPERB DINING CAR SERVICE

MARLIN THE FAMOUS HEALTH RESORT OF TEXAS—Round Trip Tickets on Sale Daily.

Full Particulars Cheerfully Given Upon Application to Ticket Agent

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Shoes and Clothing

at prices that cannot be duplicated. I cordially invite you to call and investigate my stock and prices before you make your winter purchases.

H. Asher.

When Answering Advertisements Please Mention the Courier.

We are closing out
our remnants of
WALL PAPER
at 5 cents a single
roll.

Decuir-Bishop Drug Company
We Call For and Deliver Your Prescriptions.

Local News.

Jim Smith returned Saturday from Dallas.

Mrs. S. A. Fain is visiting her mother in Trinity.

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

Mrs. George Barnes of Trinity is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Bayne.

Mrs. W. B. Wall has returned from visiting her brother, Dr. Cooper, in Fort Worth.

Taylor Hail has returned from Peoria, Ill., where he graduated from a school of watchmaking.

The greatest low price sale ever inaugurated in Crockett is now in progress at Daniel & Burton's.—Adv.

Leroy Moore went to Grapeland Sunday to deliver a Sunday school talk, which he did at the night service.

Attorney Jeff Strickland of Palestine was representing a client in the district court here this week.

Miss Virginia Chamberlain left Sunday morning for Kennard, where she began a class in music on Monday following.

If you wish to save money on your fall bill be sure to visit the great sale at Daniel & Burton's. Advertisement.

Miss Lois McConnell of Haskell, after visiting in Dallas, San Antonio and other places, arrived Sunday night for a visit to relatives in this city.

Mrs. C. M. Hughes of Wharton, president of the Federated Clubs of Texas, is a prominent visitor in this city and the guest of relatives, and friends.

The largest stock of goods to select from now being shown at Daniel & Burton's. Goods of quality and the lowest prices you ever heard of.—Adv.

Hands Wanted

For road work in Anderson county, three and a half miles from Palestine. Arledge & Arrington. Advertisement—2t.

While fastening some wires to the ceiling of the new picture theatre Monday morning, Mr. Williams, the electrician, lost his footing and fell from a high ladder to the floor. He was unconscious for a time, but no bones were broken, and he will be laid up for only a few days.

Do your trading with Daniel & Burton where you can get your whole bill filled under one roof. If you do you can save time, money and sole leather.—Adv.

Miss Hallie Ellis has returned on account of sickness from Tennessee, where she went to teach in college. She became sick en route and was never able to take up the work.

We have left a few of those nice coat suits for ladies of the Duchess make and will make exceptionally low prices on these during the remainder of our great sale.—Adv.

Misses Virginia Chamberlain and Alline Foster returned Saturday morning from Dallas, where they were members of a house party at Col. George W. Riddle's during the fair.

Those nobby patterns on display at Arledge Tailoring Co's. are attracting no little attention. You will make a mistake if you buy your winter suit without seeing them.—Adv.

Mrs. Kate Gary, an aged lady and the mother-in-law of Tom Cook, died Wednesday and was buried Thursday at Porter Springs. Rev. Geo. W. Davis of this city conducted the funeral services.

Farm for Sale.

A good farm within less than two miles of Crockett; contains 56 1/4 acres, barn and bermuda grass pasture. For particulars apply to Edmiston Bros.—Adv. tf

The lowest prices ever heard of before in Crockett now being made at Daniel & Burton's Oct. 15th to 31st, inclusive. Come before it is too late to get your share of those wonderful offerings.—Adv.

Farm for Rent.

About 8 miles east from Crockett, 200 acres in cultivation, fine bermuda pastures, good water plentiful, good houses. See, phone or write D. T. Adair, Crockett.—Adv. tf.

That new car of buggies is now in my buggy house. Also lots of harness. Come and look. Prices that defy competition.

Jno. R. Foster, Adv.-4t. The Buggy Man.

J. B. Shields of Route 6, A. M. Elliott of Creek, J. W. J. Rains of Route 4, Bud Rice of Route 1, J. M. Kelley of Latexo, W. C. Minter of Route 6, O. E. Hairston of Route 4, J. C. Estes of Route 2 and J. P. Smith of Route 5 are some of those remembering the Courier since last issue.

We have pleased others, we can please you. Come in and leave your order for one of those correctly tailored suits, guaranteed to fit or your money back.

Adv. Arledge Tailoring Co.

Excursion Notice.

No-Tsu-Oh Carnival, Houston, November 11-16. Excursion rates daily via I. & G. N. Railway. Popular low rates for special days. See ticket agent for particulars.—Adv-3t.

Rev. Soueles of Pittsburg, Texas, will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday at eleven o'clock and would be glad to have the entire membership out to the services. Committee.

That car of buggies and surries are now in my buggy house. Three car loads now to select from. They are beauties. Come and look. Lots of harness also. Jno. R. Foster, Adv.-4t. The Buggy Man.

We Will Lend Money on Real Estate

or take up your note and give you a lower rate of interest. We will buy your land or find a buyer. See or write Hail & Wilson, Crockett State Bank building, Crockett, Texas. Adv

Appropriate children's day services will be observed at the Methodist church Sunday night. Sunday is also missionary day with the Methodist Sunday school. Full attendance is urged at both morning and night services.

Reddin Andrews, candidate for governor on the socialist ticket, and T. A. Hickey, candidate for lieutenant governor on the same ticket, spoke to a gathering of socialists and others at the court house Sunday afternoon.

300 Acres Pine Virgin Timber Land,

Rich and level, for sale at less than value of the timber. We will buy your land or find a buyer. See or write Hail & Wilson, Crockett State Bank building, Crockett, Texas. Advertisement.

The hunting season is near at hand. Remember Daniel & Burton can supply you with that automatic gun, or in fact any other kind of a gun and ammunition of all kinds cheaper than any other house in Houston county.—Adv.

James G. Cobb and Miss Clifford Green were married at the home of the bride in Ratcliff at 8:30 o'clock on Wednesday evening of last week. Rev. J. S. Wilson officiating. Mr. Cobb is store manager for the Louisiana & Texas Lumber Co. at Ratcliff and his bride is one of the talented young ladies of that town, in which she has lived for a number of years. The Courier extends congratulations and best wishes.

Real Estate Deal.

A. M. Decuir last week closed a deal with the Cooper estate by which he acquired 500 acres adjoining the city. The price paid was \$10,375. The land lies between the Lovelady and Pennington roads and borders the Houston County Fair grounds. It is Mr. Decuir's intention to improve and cultivate this land. Among the improvements will be some new houses. The demand for Houston county property was never stronger.

Crockett's New Theatre.

Will McLean and Chas. Long returned Sunday morning from Dallas where they went to study the latest in picture shows. While there they bought opera chairs for their new theatre on Public avenue, and also bought the curtains, wall paper and pictures to be used in the interior decoration of their play house. The walls are to be in red and to be adorned with handsome pictures at regular intervals. They also bought an improved picture machine and an electric player-piano. They are going to give the people of Crockett the best that can be had for the money. The house is being equipped to compare favorably with any in Dallas.

Money to Loan.

We make a specialty of loans on land and to farmers. We buy vendors lien notes and any other good paper. If you want to borrow money you will DO WELL to call and get our terms before placing your loan. We buy and sell real estate.

Warfield Bros.

Office North Side Public Square. CROCKETT, TEXAS

When You

want her to have the best send JOHNSTON'S, the appreciated candy. Chocolates to suit every taste. T-R-I-A-D chocolates. Chocolates Extraordinary. Swiss Style Milk Chocolate Creams. Quintette Chocolates.

McLean Drug Co.

The Retail Store

Scarborough's

Cafe FOR LADIES AND GENTLEMEN



SHORT ORDERS AND REGULAR MEALS

We call special attention to our ladies' dining room, which has just been enlarged and remodeled. We cater to the best and serve the best.

East Side of Public Square

Notice.

Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Crockett that any person who shall deposit, place or sweep out on the public square or business streets of the city of Crockett any paper, trash or rubbish of any kind and leave same there for one day, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding ten dollars.

The attention of the public is hereby called to the above ordinance and notice is hereby given that in the future this ordinance will be strictly enforced.

Adv. J. W. Young, Mayor.



Safe-Guarded By Law

Under the protection of the pure-drug law the public health has never been better protected and safe-guarded than today—the watchfulness and accuracy of physicians and druggists were never more diligent and effective.

That Prescription

was written by your physician for your benefit. Make sure of the benefit by having it compounded at

Sweet's Drug Store

The Crockett Courier

Issued weekly from the Courier Building.

W. W. AIKEN, Editor and Proprietor.

PUBLISHER'S NOTICE.

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

The road teams, machinery and hands have been moved to the Rusk road. People coming in from that way say a good road is being made. The Navarro road is the last one worked and is said to be good.

The court house square could be paved by the city paying a third, square property owners a third and the county a third. Most court house squares in Texas are being paved under that plan. Let Crockett not lag behind the procession.

The government tram to the Trinity river continues to make two trips a day, hauling out material to the lock and dam. The men employed on the works have a half holiday on Saturday, which they usually spend in Crockett, remaining until Monday morning. Much of their wages is spent here, swelling the trade of the town.

Crockett is not as clean a town as it ought to be. Its alleys are filthy at all times and its streets are a fright on Sundays. There is an ordinance against throwing filth or trash into any street or alley. A few good, healthy prosecutions would be worth more than all the lectures the Courier might give on the subject and we understand the mayor is contemplating such prosecutions.

Judging from daily press reports, there is no question but what Woodrow Wilson will be elected president. Betting in New York and Chicago, which is always a pretty good indication of the final result, is conspicuously in favor of Woodrow Wilson. Backers of Wilson are giving all kinds of odds and the odds are also in favor of Taft for the second place. Prospects were never brighter for democratic victory in a presidential election. But the thing that is uppermost in the minds of Houston county democrats is the necessity of a big vote for governor. It must not be forgot that our convention vote will be based on our vote for governor.

One of the many good things in store for the city of Crockett is a system of sewerage. The city council now has the matter under advisement and it is expected that within a year's time Crockett will take its place with the other progressive cities of the state in matters of civic and sanitary improvements. Crockett has reached that size where a system of sewerage is absolutely demanded to protect the health of its citizens. It is not only the privilege but the duty of a city government to lend whatever aid it can toward the prolongation of human life and insofar as it fails to do so that far is its corporate existence a failure. A proper appreciation of life is shown in any worthy effort to bring about improvement. Within less than a year's time the people will be called upon to settle the sewerage problem. Mayor Young is of the opinion that the question will be solved without difficulty.

The railroad business at Crockett has outgrown the facilities in more ways than one. In addition to the inadequateness of the freight depot, the yards are frequently blocked and "balled up." On a recent day the southbound local freight train

was tied up in the Crockett yards all day on account of the crew being unable to properly switch their train. Other freight trains were passing in both directions all day long and, together with the passenger trains, had to have the use of the passing tracks. The local freight was kept dodging in and out on the sidings all day at a big loss of time and money to the railroad company. The remedy could be found in lengthening the freight house and track and in laying another passing track, which should be longer than any now in the yard. Also more sidings are needed on which to set out cars. Only a few nights ago the northbound passenger train was delayed here for fifteen minutes because there were three freight trains in the yard and some of them had to be gotten out of the way before the passenger train could get through. It seems to the Courier that the railroad company is losing a lot of money trying to do business under the difficulties pointed out, to say nothing of the inconvenience and delay caused the shipping public.

The organization of an Elk's club for Crockett comes as a bit of pleasing news to the Courier editor and other friends of the city's social welfare. Crockett has reached that growth in point of population where it is entitled to an Elk's club. The Courier favors an Elk's club for the reason that the town once had a social club of local origin and that club proved a failure. A social club to be a success must have an outside responsibility to avoid local imposition. There are people in Crockett who were not members of the old social club and did not contribute one cent to its maintenance, but who did not mind "butting in" and enjoying its privileges at every opportunity. They had friends in the club and nothing was done or said against them. With an outside responsibility an Elk's club would not stand for such imposition. The organization of an Elk's club is now in the hands of some of our progressive citizens and a dispensation is expected to be secured at an early date. This club will be as exclusive as it is possible to make it. No tight-wads, booze-fighters, hair-brains or social parasites will be permitted in the organization. The club will be strictly for its social features and only the best material of the city will be admitted. There is plenty of material for a club of this kind in Crockett.

New Noted New York Surgeon.

Dr. W. A. Downes, a Crockett boy, in New York City is sought for his opinion on all questions of surgery. The New York Mail published the following interview with Dr. Downes immediately after the wounding of Col. Roosevelt by a bullet from an assassin's revolver:

"Blood poisoning from the wound inflicted on Col. Roosevelt last night at Milwaukee need not be feared, unless under extraordinary circumstances," said Dr. W. A. Downes, who is known as one of the most successful surgeons in the city, at the New York Hospital today.

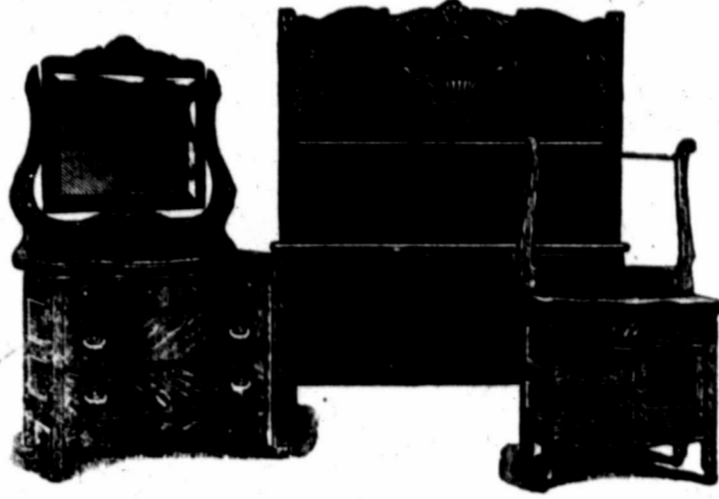
"I have probed for bullets many times and performed many operations for gunshot wounds and I find that blood poisoning seldom results, although the wound may not bleed.

"But it seems to me that the fact that Dr. Murphy deemed it necessary to operate would indicate that the wound is more serious than would ordinarily be inflicted by a bullet taking the track described.

"Col. Roosevelt is a man of wonderful muscular development and unusual vitality. From even an eventually fatal wound of this nature he would live two or three days longer than the ordinary man.

"Col. Roosevelt's will power would bear him up. With him, will counts first and the body second."

Home Is What You Make It



IN EVERY home the bedroom is one of the most important rooms in the house; you spend half of your time in your bedroom. Realizing this fact we have given special attention to the selection of a line of bedroom furnishings that is second to none in quality, beauty and price.

Here you will find the very latest designs in bedroom pieces in Birdseye Maple, Early English, Circassian Walnut and Mahogany, Iron and Brass beds, Sanidown mattresses, in fact we have everything needed to make the bedroom comfortable and attractive.

Every day in the week we keep "open house," with an invitation to every one to come and make themselves at home—to look without obligation to buy.

Deupree & Waller

House Furnishers and Undertakers



NIGHT LIFE WOMEN

MOVED TO SORROW.

Tragic Death of Beautiful Girl Causes Owner of House to Point Moral.

From the Houston Post.

"This is an example that ought to be a life-long lesson to every American girl against the lures of the 'Night Life.'"

"She was one of the most beautiful girls I have ever known—she might have had a brilliant future and have lived a happy, successful life had she not been as foolish and ignorant as she was lovely and gentle."

Words to this effect were spoken between sobs by the woman in whose house 18-year-old "Lula May" had a few hours before committed suicide. The woman leaned over the cold, death-chilled form at the morgue of one of the undertakers and was visibly moved with sorrow.

Even in death, firm under the influence of the embalmers' fluid, the features were not unlovely. In the underworld of Houston their possessor had been known as the most physically perfect resident of that community.

"Lula May" was the only name she possessed in the somber-gay world in which, in her young and unguided life, she had recklessly chosen to move, and from which she had suddenly and more recklessly chosen to depart.

The suicide took place about 3 o'clock Friday morning at 1102 Howard street, a place conducted by Lula Rhodas, the woman whose remarks pointed a moral so different from the supposed ideas of communities of that class.

The girl had resided in Houston, according to the statement of Lula Rhodas, about two years, coming

here when hardly 16 years of age and claiming to have lived at Lake Charles, La. Monday, October 28, she was to have celebrated her eighteenth birthday anniversary, according to women residing in the same house.

The remains are being held by the Sid Westheimer company and have been embalmed for possible shipment. Communications received from Lake Charles resulted in information that is believed to identify the girl and the name of her father, and efforts have been made to get into communication with the person named and verify the accuracy of this information.

Almost the entire day woman after woman of the reservation visited the morgue to look upon the form of the girl whose beauty had been their envy. There were many tears of grief shed, and many testimonies to the kindly character and sad despondency of the girl's life, suggesting the motives that had prompted her to kill herself.

It was stated that she had made various declarations of her intention to take her own life, but that the threat is a common one among women of that life and was not taken seriously.

Thursday night she was out with an automobile party until nearly morning, returning to her room shortly before 3 o'clock. About 3 o'clock one of the women of the house entered her room and discovered that she was dead.

An empty cut glass perfume bottle that had contained carbolic acid was near her. An examination showed that she had drunk some corrosive substance of action similar to that of carbolic acid. The bottle held about a half pint and was said to have been nearly full of the poison the day before.

An inquest was held by Justice of the Peace Crocker, who will render his verdict in keeping with the above facts.



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hardly expresses the perfection that we attain in making suits, trousers and overcoats. Each garment is cut and finished according to the most approved fashion. If you wish stylish garments give us the order. We make to measure and make to fit. We do cleaning, pressing, repairing and alterations.

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Next to the Postoffice.

ROCKEFELLER'S SON;

CHRISTIAN PASTOR.

He Expresses Wish That Child Will Enter Ministry—Has Prayed For Four Years.

New York, Oct. 27.—John D. Rockefeller Jr., in addressing the young men's Bible class of the Fifth Avenue Baptist church today, expressed the hope that his son would enter the Christian ministry. Mr. Rockefeller's text was Paul's cry, "Lord, what wilt thou have me to do?" In the course of his address Mr. Rockefeller said:

"I got down on my knees night and morning for four years praying that God might impart to me what He wished me to do, and one morning I awoke and I was convinced that the answer to my prayer had come, and the course of my life has been shaped by that answer since."