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## This Week at the NEW AIRDOME

### WOODS & RUSSELL

Premier Singers, Dancers and  
Fun Merchants.

Our vaudeville will positive-  
ly be changed nightly.

SPOTLIGHT SOLOS  
BY MR. LANGSTON  
Accompanied by Miss Dunn

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In Motion Pictures  
ORCHESTRA MUSIC  
By Miss Gracie Forniss

COMING  
Watch Us Carnival Week

General Admission, 10 and 15 Cts.  
Any Part of the House

#### Resolutions by Teachers.

Whereas the purpose of the series of local teachers' institutes held in the various rural districts of this county has been to disseminate a live educational sentiment in the minds of all who attend them, and to furnish diversion and instruction to the teachers; and whereas this one held at Porter Springs has completely conformed to the general purpose and brought teachers and patrons in touch with each other.

Therefore be it resolved: 1st, That we, as teachers and patrons of schools, more completely dedicate ourselves and best service to harmonious progress and rural education and that, as our school terms

are nearly out, we remain strong in the faith and endeavor to store energy for the next year's work.

2nd. That we as teachers realize the meaning of the educational wave sweeping over the land and that we appreciate to the highest extent the stand taken by this community for the advancement of schools in its midst; that we recognize these people as among the most energetic and force-supplying neighborhood in our county.

3rd. That we had a most enjoyable time at this meeting and desire to extend our sincerest thanks to the good people living here for their generous hospitality and the excellent dinner served on the campus. We are forcefully reminded of the old-time southern hospitality that we so often read of.

Ima Oliphint,  
Sophia Driskill,  
Jehu Goolsby,  
J. H. Rosser,

Committee on Resolutions.

#### Lovelady Items.

Miss Emory Sweetman of Palestine visited Miss Verne Monday last week.

Mrs. C. F. Niissle, Misses Anne and Lillian Niissle left for Marlin April 6th. Miss Lillian returned home Thursday and the others will remain an indefinite time while Mrs. Niissle regains her health.

Mr. W. B. Worthington and Miss Ruth Worthington of Crockett spent Sunday in Lovelady.

Mr. Joe Driskell was at home Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Elizabeth Gayle and Stella Niissle and Mr. Hayne Young were in Weldon Sunday.

Mrs. C. C. Murray returned to Trinity Sunday after a two weeks visit in Lovelady.

Mrs. Harold Monday entertained the Left Over Club Wednesday.

Miss Agnes Rayburn of Houston is the guest of Mrs. W. F. Rayburn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Atkinson and little Miss Bessie Atkinson of Weldon visited in Lovelady last week.

Miss Reppe Freeman of Trinity spent the week end here with her mother.

#### JUDGE COOPER HONORED.

Will Speak at Banquet of Alumni of  
Cornell University.

Judge L. N. Cooper has received an invitation to be present at a big banquet and re-union of ex-Cornell University students, to take place at Ithaca, N. Y., in June and to be one of the speakers on the occasion.

It is expected that some 4,000 former students will be present.

Judge Cooper was a student at Cornell when Andrew D. White, Phillips Brooks, Henry Ward Beecher, Theodore Tilton, Longfellow, Geo. William Curtis, Lowell, Mark Twain, Bret Harte, Olive Logan, Mary Scott Siddons, Goldwin Smith, Bayard Taylor, William Cullen Bryant, and many other distinguished people were in their prime and delivered lectures at the university; all of whom he states he has had the pleasure of hearing.

To be present at this famous university and to speak on such an occasion, where so many distinguished men will be assembled, carries with it a weight of honor to be coveted by any man. Judge Cooper states that he will do his best to be on hand when the time arrives.—Hillsboro Mirror.

#### Report of the Grand Jury.

To Hon. John S. Prince, Judge of the Third Judicial District of the State of Texas:

We, the grand jury for the county of Houston, duly organized as such at the spring term, A. D. 1913, beg leave to make the following report:

We have been in session fifteen days, have made diligent inquiry into all matters reported to us for investigation, except one which is hereinafter mentioned, have examined about four hundred witnesses and have returned ten indictments for felonies and sixteen indictments for misdemeanors.

We have not made any investigation into the charge against S. L. Noble for shooting J. M. Hale, because from the information we have received, it is very uncertain whether Mr. Hale will ever survive the wound, and if this grand jury returned an indictment against Noble for an assault with intent to murder and Mr. Hale does not survive, the next grand jury would have to make another complete investigation. Therefore we thought best not to make any investigation at this time, but refer said charge to the next grand jury for investigation.

There were several minor offenses reported to us in which we did not return indictments, but have referred same to the county attorney.

We desire to return our thanks to your honor for the assistance rendered us in our work. In every instance in which the court came to our assistance we obtained the information known by each witness, and without such assistance would never have been told by such witnesses.

We have examined the county jail and found same in reasonably good sanitary condition.

We have now concluded our work, as near as any grand jury can conclude its work, and now beg leave to be finally discharged. Respectfully submitted. (Signed),

S. T. Allee, foreman of the grand

## Crockett Spring Carnival

Benefit City Waterworks

One Week  
Starting Monday  
APRIL 28

All Amusements Furnished by  
The Lone Star  
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Clean and Wholesome  
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jury; H. E. Roberson, R. S. Hooks, G. B. Kent, W. H. Threadgill, J. H. Scarborough, F. H. Hill, James S. Shivers, J. C. Estes, J. L. Brown.

#### Who Knew John C. Hepperla?

Ann Arbor, Mich., April 14, 1913.

W. W. Aiken,  
Editor "Courier" newspaper,  
Crockett, Texas:—

Dear Sir:

As long ago as 1858-9 there was published in Crockett a paper called the Crockett Argus. Connected with that paper, perhaps as editor, was a gentleman named John C. Hepperla. I think he was a young man and unmarried, and had probably no relatives in Crockett, perhaps not in Texas. He entered the Confederate service and died of typhoid fever, in 1861, in the C. S. General Hospital at Warrenton, Va. "The wife of Capt. McKeen, of the Lone Star Rifles," ministered to his dying needs.

All this was long before your

time, no doubt. But I am very desirous to get into communication, if possible, with some member of the family to which that Mr. Hepperla belonged. And I have thought that by inquiring among some of the early residents of Crockett you might perhaps be able to secure some information as to his family connections, or at least as to where he came from to Crockett. If you will do so, and let me know anything you can learn on the lines above indicated, you will very greatly oblige.

Yours truly,  
A. L. Wilkinson.

#### Excursion Notice.

San Antonio Spring Carnival, April 21-26. Battle of Flowers, April 25. Texas' most unique attraction—absolutely unrivalled. Tickets on sale daily April 20 to 26 inclusive; limit 27. Special low popular excursion fares for special days. For further information see Ticket Agent, I. & G. N. R'y. St.



## Our Showing Of Rugs

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of buying your drugs, toilet articles, stationery, sundries, etc., at this drug store. We guarantee satisfaction in every instance or your money back. Our stock is new and clean, fresh and pure, and you will make no mistake when you make your purchases here.

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### Palace of Sweets

#### A Unique Sentence.

About fifty years ago a judge in Waco is said to have concluded his remarks, in passing sentence of death upon a prisoner, as follows: "The fact is, Jones, that the court did not intend to order you to be executed before next spring but the weather is bad; our jail is in very bad condition; much of the glass in the windows is broken; the chimneys are in such a dilapidated state that no fire can be made to keep your apartments comfortable; besides, owing to the great number of prisoners, not more than one blanket can be allowed to each; to sleep sound and comfortable, therefore, is out of the question. In consideration of these circumstances, and wishing to lessen your sufferings as much as possible, the court, in

exercise of its human compassion, hereby orders you to be executed tomorrow morning, as soon after breakfast as may be convenient to the sheriff and agreeable to you."—Hamilton Record.

#### Cowpeas After Oats.

"The oat crop will soon be harvested. Why not do something for the benefit of the soil before the land is put back into corn or cotton? Few farmers realize that if a crop of cowpeas, yielding at the rate of one ton of dry matter per acre, is grown and plowed into the soil, he has done the equivalent of applying barn yard manure at the rate of four tons per acre. This crop of cowpeas can be grown in 60 or 70 days and occupies the land at a time when the soil is usually idle. It will pay. Try it."—Dr. J. O. Morgan, head of agronomy department.

One year ago the taxable values of the town of Jacksonville as shown by the assessor's books were so low that sewer bonds could not be floated. Through the work of a real board of equalization the values were prized up from a million and one-quarter to more than two millions, and the building of a sewer system was made possible. Raising the valuation caused some dissatisfaction, especially on the part of a few property owners who had been evading the payment of their proper proportion of the taxes. —Jacksonville Banner.

If you eat something which disagrees with you, don't let it work its own way through. It's a slow process and makes you feel bad. Get rid of it quickly by taking a dose of Herbine. It drives out impurities in the stomach and bowels and you feel better immediately. Price 50c. Sold by I. W. Sweet.—Adv.

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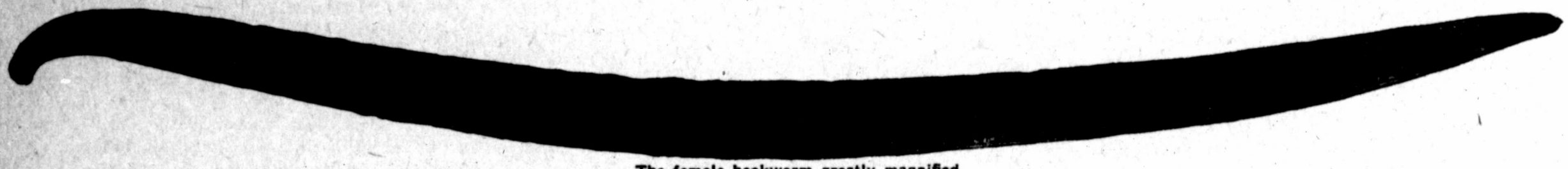
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We have in stock points and landsides for any standard make of plows made.

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## The State and County Give Free Examination and Free Medicine

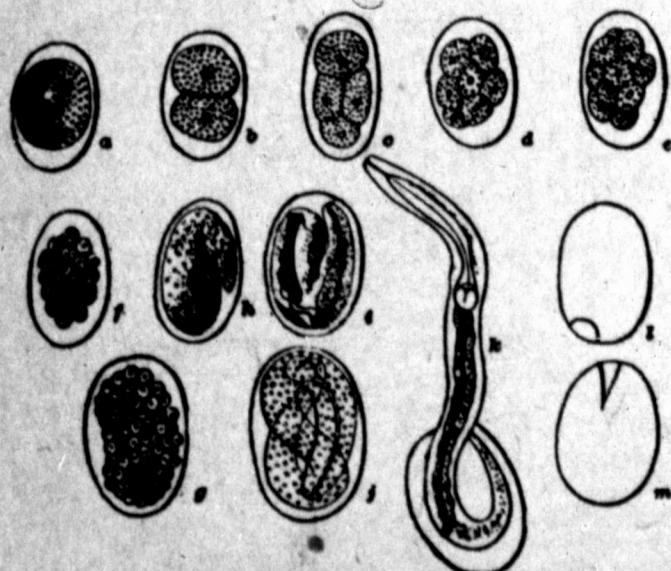


The female hookworm greatly magnified.

**NOTE THE TIME  
THE PLACE**

**COME OUT!  
Bring Your Family!**

The Opportunity is for a  
Short Time Only



The development of the hookworm from the egg. a, fresh egg; j, egg ready to hatch; m, egg shell. A victim of hookworm disease casts out two to four million hookworm eggs daily. (Courtesy of C. V. Mosby Co.)

### The Dispensaries Will Be Held at the Following Places:

**Kennard**—Tuesdays, April 22nd, 29th; May 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th.  
**Grapeland**—Wednesdays, April 23rd, 30th, May 7th, 14th, 21st and 28th.  
**Augusta**—Thursdays, April 24th; May 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th.  
**Lovelady**—Fridays, April 25th; May 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd, 30th.  
**Crockett**—Saturdays, April 26th; May 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st.  
Dispensary at court house in Crockett.

### The State and County Free Dispensaries Have Been Phenomenal Successes

All those who desire to have examinations made should bring in a very small portion of the bowel movement in a small tin box. This is examined under the microscope for the eggs of the hookworm. At the dispensary the microscope is used for this purpose, specimens of hookworms and other intestinal worms may be seen and free literature may be had on Hookworm Disease and other common diseases. Pamphlets giving plans and specifications for building sanitary privies may also be had at the dispensaries.

Every one should visit the dispensary and see the exhibits and be prepared to have the examination made. Where there is infection it should be recognized as early as possible. If there is no infection, when it is so very prevalent one should be glad of an opportunity to find that he is free of the disease.

Come to the dispensary yourself, and bring your family and the children.

Those found infected will be treated free. The physician in charge is a specialist in hookworm disease. He will be assisted by a trained microscopist.



Ground itch or experimental hookworm infection. Produced by a poultice of polluted soil. (Photo. by C. A. Smith and used by the courtesy of C. V. Mosby Co.)

#### Citation by Publication.

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

You are hereby commanded to summon the heirs unknown of A. E. Gossett deceased, the unknown heirs of M. M. Gossett deceased, the unknown heirs of K. L. Gossett deceased, the unknown heirs of G. M. Gossett deceased, the unknown heirs of A. K. Gossett deceased, the unknown heirs of Evaline S. Murchison deceased, the unknown heirs of W. H. Cundiff deceased, the unknown heirs of John T. Cook deceased, the unknown heirs of Carrie Cook deceased, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county to your county, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in February, A. D. 1913, the same being the 10th day of March, A. D. 1913, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 25th day of February, A. D. 1913, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 5444, wherein C. M. Valentine is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of A. E. Gossett deceased, the unknown heirs of M. M. Gossett deceased, the unknown heirs of K. L. Gossett deceased, the unknown heirs of G. M. Gossett deceased, the unknown heirs of A. K. Gossett deceased, the unknown heirs of Evaline S. Murchison deceased, the unknown heirs of W. H. Cundiff deceased, the unknown heirs of John T. Cook deceased, the unknown heirs of Carrie Cook deceased and A. E. T. Gossett and Allen Newton and M. J. Newton, are defendants, and said petition alleging that on or about the 1st day of January, A. D. 1913, he was lawfully seized and possessed of the following described land and premises situated in Houston county Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee simple said land more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows to wit: All that certain tract or parcel of land situated in the county, of Houston, state of Texas and in the city of Crockett and about 400 yards south of the court house of said county, and being a part of the A. E. Gossett survey and more particularly described as follows:

Being off of the south side of the B. T. Jordan homestead tract and bounded by field notes as follows:

Beginning at the S. W. corner of said Jordan tract same being the corner of the fair grounds tract, on the east side of the street. Thence N. 22 1/4 with said street 86 8-10 feet to corner. Thence east 498 feet to corner on the Wootters Jordan line. Thence south with said line 80 feet to the corner of said Jordan and fair grounds. Thence west with said line 464 6-10 vrs to place of beginning, containing 83-100 acres of land. Holding and claiming said land by and through instruments duly executed and registered as follows: Patent from the state of Texas to A. E. Gossett; deed from J. H. Kirchoffer to A. T. Monroe; deed from A. T. Monroe to A. T. Stowe; deed from A. T. Stowe and wife, H. A. Stowe to W. H. Cundiff; deed from P. Alston to John T. Cook; deed from J. T. Cook and wife, Carrie Cook to F. A. Williams; deed from F. A. Williams and wife, L. N. A. Williams to W. V. Clark; deed from W. V. Clark and wife, F. E. Clark and Mrs. M. E. Stokes to B. T. Jordan; deed from B. T. Jordan and wife, Myrtle Jordan, to C. M. Valentine.

That plaintiff and those under and through whom he claims title to this land, have had and held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same and paying all taxes due thereon, under deed or deeds duly registered, for a period of more than 5 years next prior to the filing of this suit.

That plaintiff and those under and through whom he claims title to this land have had and held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for a period of more than 10 years next prior to the filing of this suit and plaintiff specifically pleads the 5 years and 10 years statutes of limitation.

Plaintiff would show that there are no instruments or deeds of record in Houston county Texas showing title to the above described land out of the original grantee and into J. H. Kirchoffer, that there is no deed of record in said county showing title thereto out of J. H. Kirchoffer; that there is no deed of record in said county showing any title thereto into A. T. Stowe; that there is no deed of record in said county showing any title thereto out of W. H. Cundiff; that there is no deed of record in said county showing any title thereto into Phillip Alston; that there is no release of record in said county of the Vendors lien retained in the deed from J. T. Cook and wife, Carrie Cook to F. A. Williams.

That all of the above mentioned deeds and said release, if ever made, have been either lost or de-

stroyed, together with records thereof, and that said lost instruments severally and collectively cast a cloud on plaintiff's title to the above described land.

Wherefore plaintiff prays for citation in terms of the law for judgment for said above described tract of land, removing all clouds therefrom, substituting and supplying all necessary instruments and divesting the title thereto out of all of the above named defendants and vesting the title thereto and quieting same in this plaintiff and for such other and further orders, decrees and judgments to which plaintiff may be entitled, both in law and equity.

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

Witness John D. Morgan, clerk of the district court of Houston county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this the 25th day of February, A. D. 1913. John D. Morgan,

Clerk District Court, Houston Co. By J. H. Sharp, Deputy. Adv. 8t.

The correct treatment for cuts, burns, scalds, wounds, sores, lumbago, rheumatism or neuralgia is Ballard's Snow Liniment. It is healing, penetrating and antiseptic which is everything that is needed to effect a complete cure. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by I. W. Sweet.—Adv.

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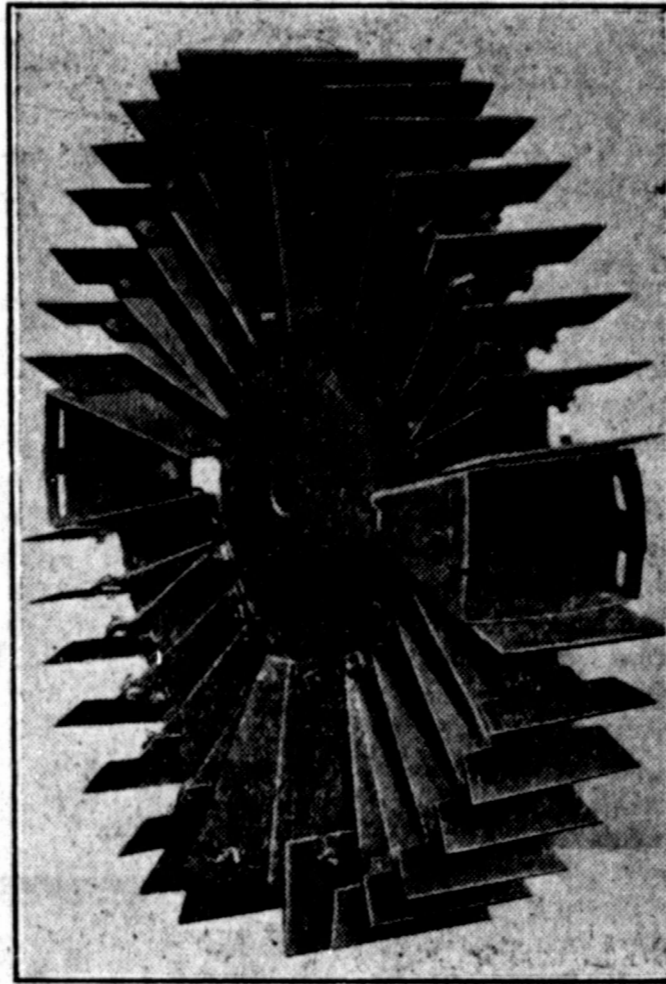
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We have a great many orders on hand now for cotton choppers, and will not be able to supply all the needs of Houston county, for spring delivery. Farmers wanting the machine for this season's chopping should place their orders at once. We want to distribute our machines over as much territory as possible in order to advertise them.

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We also carry a full line of pipe and valves. If you buy your pipe from us we will cut and thread it free of charge. We have employed some first-class machinists and all work is guaranteed to give satisfaction.

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CROCKETT, TEXAS

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I gave up and thought I would die, but my husband urged me to try Cardui, so, I began, and the first bottle helped me. By the time the third bottle was used, I could do all my work. All the people around here said I would die, but Cardui relieved me."

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Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free. 4c

#### City Ordinance.

On motion duly seconded and carried the following ordinance was passed:

Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Crockett as follows:

That the building and construction of any and all sidewalks and pavements hereafter to be built and constructed within the corporate limits of said city shall be and is hereby placed under the direct supervision and control of the street and bridge committee of the city council of the said city of Crockett.

That no sidewalks or pavement hereafter constructed within said city shall be built or constructed unless and until the location, grade and width thereof, as well as the material out of which the same shall be constructed, be approved by the street and bridge committee of said city.

That any person, firm or corporation violating the above ordinance, or any part thereof, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not less than five dollars nor more than one hundred dollars.

That this ordinance shall be held to be cumulative of any and all laws and ordinances now in force regulating sidewalks within said city, and that this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage, and that all ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

J. W. Young, Mayor.  
Attest: J. Valentine, City Secretary.

A cross, restless baby is a sick baby and the stomach or bowels are generally the cause of the trouble. McGee's Baby Elixir is a quieting and restorative syrup that never fails in these ailments. It corrects sour stomach, looseness of the bowels and feverishness. Contains no opium, morphine or narcotic drug of any kind. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by I. W. Sweet.—Adv.

#### City Ordinance.

On motion duly seconded and carried the following ordinance was passed, all voting aye except Alderman Deupree who voted no:

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Crockett as follows:

That when the owners of any lot or lots in the city of Crockett shall fail or refuse to keep the sidewalks in front of their property in good order, it shall be the duty of the Street and Bridge Committee, or a majority thereof, to notify such owner or owners, through the City Secretary, to construct new walks or repair old walks, as in the judgment of the Street and Bridge Committee may be necessary. Should the owner or owners of such property fail or refuse to comply with such notice within thirty days from date of notice, it shall be the duty of the Street and Bridge Committee to have such sidewalks constructed or repaired and report cost thereof to the City Council, who shall thereupon place the claim for cost of said work in the hands of the City Attorney, who shall, if necessary, proceed to collect said claim by suit in any court of competent jurisdiction. 4t.

Attest: J. W. Young, Mayor.  
J. Valentine, City Secretary.

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W. W. AIKEN, Editor and Proprietor.

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**PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE NECESSARY BUILDINGS FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AND ALSO FOR BUILDINGS OF VARIOUS INSTITUTIONS, AND AUTHORIZING IMPROVEMENT BONDS FOR THE PURPOSE OF NAVIGATION, IRRIGATION, CONSTRUCTION OF BRIDGES AND THE MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF PUBLIC WAREHOUSES.**

(S. J. R. No. 18.) Senate Joint Resolution. To be entitled A Joint Resolution proposing and submitting to a vote of the people of Texas an amendment to Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds and the levying of a tax to pay the interest and sinking fund on same for public improvements.

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

SECTION 1. That Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows, to-wit:

Section 49. No debt shall be created by or on behalf of the State except to supply casual deficiencies of revenue, repel invasion, suppress insurrection and defend the State in war or pay existing debts, and no debt created to supply deficiencies in current revenues shall ever exceed in the aggregate at any one time five hundred thousand dollars. The Legislature, however, shall have power to authorize the issuance of bonds to be approved by the Governor for the purpose of purchasing additional ground and erect necessary buildings for the University of Texas, including a medical department, an Agricultural and Mechanical College and all departments and activities of a complete university of the first class. The revenue received from the permanent University fund shall be available for the payment of interest on these bonds and for the creation of a sinking fund for their redemption at maturity and the Legislature shall also have power to issue bonds for the construction of necessary buildings for State institutions. The Legislature shall also have the power to authorize the issuance of bonds secured by a lien on the real property of the penitentiary system to be approved by the Governor for the purpose of constructing buildings and making permanent improvements.

Section 52. The Legislature shall have no power to authorize any county, city, town or other political corporation or subdivision of the State to lend its credit or to grant public money or thing of value in aid of or to any individual association or corporation whatsoever or to become a stockholder in such corporation, association or company; provided, however, that under Legislature provisions any county, any political subdivision of a county, any number of adjoining counties or any political subdivision of the State or any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas and which may or may not include towns, villages or municipal corporations upon a vote of a majority of the resident taxpayers voting thereon who are qualified electors of such district or territory to be effected thereby in addition to all other debts may issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of such district or territory, except in case of improvement of rivers, creeks and streams, in building of levees to prevent overflows, in which case the bonded indebtedness may be for an amount not to exceed one-half of the assessed valuation of the lands of the district to be reclaimed; and, except, further, that the total bonded indebtedness of any city or town shall never exceed the limits imposed by other provisions of this Constitution, and levy and collect such taxes to pay the interest thereon and provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof as the legislature may authorize and in such manner as it may authorize the same for the following purposes, to-wit:

(a) The improvement of rivers, creeks and streams to prevent overflows, and to permit of navigation thereof or irrigation therefrom or in aid of such purposes.

(b) The construction and maintenance of pools, lakes, reservoirs, dams, canals

and water-ways for the purposes of irrigation, drainage or navigation or in aid thereof.

(c) The construction, maintenance and operation of bridges and macadamized, graveled, sandy clay, or clayed sand or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof.

(d) The construction, maintenance and operation of public warehouses or in aid thereof.

Sec. 2. The foregoing amendment to Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution of Texas shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State for adoption or rejection at a special election hereby ordered for the third Saturday in July, 1913, the same being the nineteenth day of said month. All voters on this proposed amendment at said election who favor its adoption shall have written or printed on their ballots the following:

For amendment to Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for the University of Texas, Agricultural and Mechanical College, State Penitentiary System, and other public improvements and building of warehouses for agricultural products. Those voting against its adoption shall have written or printed on their ballots the following:

Against amendment to Sections 49 and 52, of Article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for the University of Texas, Agricultural and Mechanical College, State Penitentiary System, and other public improvements and building of warehouses for agricultural products.

Previous to the election the Secretary of State shall cause to be printed and forwarded to the County Judge of each county, for use in said election, a sufficient number of ballots for the use of voters in each county on which he shall have printed the form of the ballot herein prescribed, for the convenient use of the voters.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue his necessary proclamation ordering this election, and have same published as required by the Constitution and laws of the State. The sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any fund in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of publishing said proclamation and printing of tickets and necessary blanks to use in said election.

JOHN L. WORTHAM,  
Secretary of State.

(A true copy.)—Adv. 4t.

## How to Be Genial.

A man who never reminds his friends of unwelcome facts or tells them unpleasant truths is sure to be liked, and when a man of such a turn comes to old age he is almost sure to be treated with respect. It is true, indeed, that we should not dissemble or flatter in company, but a man may be very agreeable strictly consistent with truth and sincerity by a prudent silence where he can not concur and a pleasant assent where he can. Now and then you meet with a person so exactly formed to please that he will gain upon everyone that hears or beholds him; this disposition is not a gift of nature, but frequently the effect of much knowledge of the world and a command over the passions. Frequently that which is called candor is merely malice.—Exchange.

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**PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THIS STATE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS FOR IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS, AND ALSO FOR THE OPERATION OF PUBLIC WAREHOUSES FOR STORING, HANDLING, CLASSING, MEASURING, WEIGHING, ELEVATING AND LOADING AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS.**

(S. J. R. No. 4.) Joint resolution. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 52, of Article 3, of the Constitution of this State:

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas, that Section 52, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 52. The Legislature shall have no power to authorize any county, city, town or other political corporation or subdivision of the State, to lend its credit or to grant public money or thing of value in aid of, or to any individual, association or corporation whatsoever, or to become a stockholder in such corporation, association or company, provided, however, that under legislative provision any county, any political subdivision of a county, any number of adjoining counties, or any political subdivision of the State, or any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State of Texas, and which may or may not include towns, villages or municipal corporations, upon a vote of a majority of the resident taxpayers voting thereon, who are qualified electors of such district or territory to be affected thereby, in addition to all other debts may issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of such district or territory, except that the total bonded indebtedness of any city or town shall never exceed the limits imposed by other provisions of this Constitution, and levy and collect taxes to pay the interest thereon, and provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof, as the Legislature may authorize, and in such manner as it may authorize the same, for the following purposes, to-wit:

(a) The improvement of rivers, creeks and streams to prevent overflows, and to permit of navigation thereof, or irrigation thereof, or in aid of such purposes.

(b) The construction and maintenance of pools, lakes, reservoirs, dams, canals and waterways for the purpose of irrigation or in aid thereof.

(c) The construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof.

(d) The construction, maintenance and operation of public warehouses for storing, handling, classing, measuring, weighing, elevating and loading agricultural products. Provided the Legislature may establish such means and agencies as may be necessary for accomplishing the purpose of this amendment and if a State warehouse commission be provided for, their term of office shall be fixed by the Legislature.

Sec. 2. The Governor is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for submitting this amendment to the Constitution to the qualified electors of the State of Texas on the third Saturday in July, same being the 19th day of said month, and the amendments proposed to Section 52 of Article 3, as above indicated, shall be voted upon separately.

Those favoring the amendment to authorize road or other public improvements by a majority vote, shall have written or printed on their ballot: For amendment to authorize road and other public



improvements by a vote of a majority, and those opposed to said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballot: Against amendment to authorize road and other public improvements by a vote of a majority.

Those favoring the issuance of bonds for the construction of public warehouses shall have written or printed on their ballot: For the amendment authorizing the issuance of bonds for the construction of public warehouses for agricultural products. Those voting against said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballot: Against the amendment authorizing the issuance of bonds for the construction of public warehouses for agricultural products.

Sec. 3. The sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication, proclamation and election.

JOHN L. WORTHAM,  
Secretary of State.

(A true copy.)—4t.

## Look to Your Plumbing.

You know what happens in a house in which the plumbing is in poor condition—everybody in the house is liable to contract typhoid or some other fever. The digestive organs perform the same functions in the human body as the plumbing does for the house, and they should be kept in first class condition all the time. If you have any trouble with your digestion take Chamberlain's Tablets and you are certain to get quick relief. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PROVIDING ALL STATE, DISTRICT, COUNTY AND PRECINCT OFFICERS WITHIN THIS STATE SHALL BE COMPENSATED BY THE PAYMENT OF A FIXED SALARY.

(H. J. R. No. 41.) A joint resolution of the Legislature of the State of Texas, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State by adding to Article 16 thereof a new section to be known as Section 58, providing for the tenure and compensation of public officials.

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

Section 1. That there be added to Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas a new section to be known as Section 58, which shall read as follows:

Section 58. All State, district, county and precinct officers within the State of Texas shall hereinafter be compensated by the payment of a salary to be fixed or provided for by the Legislature.

Sec. 2. The Governor of this State will, as directed by the Constitution, make publication of this proposed amendment in the manner and for the time as required by the Constitution, the amendment to be voted upon by the qualified electors for members of the Legislature of this State at the general election to be held for state officers on July 19, 1913, the returns of which shall, as provided for in the Constitution, be made to the Secretary of State, the result ascertained and proclamation made as provided for in Section 1, Article 17, of the Constitution. There shall be written or printed on the ballots to be used at such election "for the adoption of Section 58, Article 16, as an amendment to the Constitution, providing a salary compensation for certain officers and fixing term of office at four years;" and also "against the adoption of Section 58, Article 16, as an amendment to the Constitution for certain officers and fixing their term of office at four years;" and those favoring the adoption of said amendment shall erase the language "Against the adoption of Section 58, Article 16, as an amendment to the

Constitution, providing a salary compensation for certain officers and fixing their term of office at four years," by running a pencil or pen through the same, and those opposing the adoption of said amendment shall erase the language "for the adoption of Section 58, Article 16, as an amendment to the Constitution, providing a salary compensation for certain officers and fixing their term of office at four years," by running a pencil or pen through the same.

Sec. 3. The sum of five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of carrying out the provisions of this resolution.

JOHN L. WORTHAM,  
Secretary of State.

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**PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PRESCRIBING QUALIFICATIONS FOR DISTRICT JUDGES OF THIS STATE AND PRESCRIBING THEIR TENURE OF OFFICE.**

(S. J. R. No. 11.) A joint resolution. Amending Section 7, Article 5, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to the creation and formation of judicial districts, the terms of compensation and qualification of the judges of the district courts, and the times of holding court.

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

Sec. 1. That Section 7, Article 5, be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 7. The State shall be divided into as many judicial districts as may now or hereafter be provided by law, which may be increased or diminished by law. For each district there shall be elected by the qualified voters thereof, at a general election, one or more judges, each of whom shall be a citizen of the United States and of this State, who shall have been a practicing lawyer of this State, or a judge of a court in this State for six years next preceding his election; who shall have resided in the district in which he was elected for two years next preceding his election; who shall reside in his district during his term of office; who shall hold his office for a period of four years, and shall receive for his services an annual salary of three thousand dollars, until otherwise changed by law. Court shall be held by a district judge at the county seat in each of the several counties at such times and in such manner as may be prescribed by law. The Legislature shall provide for the holding of the district court when the judge thereof is absent, disabled or disqualified from acting. The district judges who may be in office when this amendment takes effect shall hold their offices until their respective terms shall expire under their present election or appointment.

Sec. 2. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue necessary proclamation for the submission of this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at an election to be held on the 19th day of July, 1913, at which election all voters favoring this amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For the amendment of Section 7, Article 5, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to district judges and district courts," and all voters opposed to said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment of Section 7, Article 5, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, relating to district judges and district courts."

Sec. 3. The sum of five thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated to pay expenses for carrying out the provisions of this resolution.

JOHN L. WORTHAM,  
Secretary of State.

(A true copy.) 4t.

**Notice of Sheriff's Sale.**

(REAL ESTATE.)

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Houston county, on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1913, in the case of Sol Beomberg versus R. H. Peters, No. 5429, and to me, as sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied upon this the 8th day of April, A. D. 1913, and will, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on the first Tuesday in May, A. D. 1913, it being the 6th day of said month, at the court house door of said Houston county, in the State of Texas, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand,

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all the right, title and interest which R. H. Peters had on the 11th day of March, A. D. 1913, or at any time thereafter, of, in and to the following described property, to-wit: Two tracts of land situated about six miles S. W. from Crockett, the first tract containing 70 acres and being out of the southwest portion of the George H. Prewitt headright survey, adjoining the land now owned by the plaintiff, and known as the Peters land, and the second tract adjoining the above, containing 35 4-10 acres and being out of the north end of the W. H. Allbright 135 4-10 acre pre-emption and lying on the southwest boundary of the John Moore league and being also known as the Peters land, said property being levied on as the property of R. H. Peters to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$156.81, in favor of Sol Bromberg, and costs of suit.

Given under my hand this the 8th day of April, A. D. 1913.  
A. W. Phillips, Sheriff,  
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### Local News.

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Empress and 20th Century Planters at Daniel & Burton's.

Miss Nell Beasley is visiting in San Antonio.

Just received, a car of Albatross Flour, at Daniel & Burton's.

Mrs. J. W. Hail was a visitor to Galveston last week.

Don't fail to get our prices on cultivators.—Daniel & Burton.

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

Buy Wunderhose at Daniel & Burton's and get the best.—Adv.

S. E. Parsley made a business trip to Houston Saturday.

"Albatross" the best Flour on earth for sale by Daniel & Burton.

Steve Beasley went to Austin and San Antonio Wednesday.

If in the market for cultivators, see us before buying.—Daniel & Burton.

Miss Josephine Ellis returned Saturday morning to her home in Palestine.

See us for Barb Wire, Hog Fencing, Staples and Nails.—Daniel & Burton.

Mac Hale, who was shot by the man Noble Sunday before last, is recovering.

Everything that's worth while in laces and ribbons at Daniel & Burton's.—Adv.

The Planters' Cotton Chopper Co. carries a full line of mill and gin supplies.—Adv.

We can save you money on anything you want in Implements.—Daniel & Burton.

Mrs. Ella Allbright has a nice selection of ladies' hair switches. Call and see them.—Adv.

Miss Ora Gainey of Grapeland spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in this city.

"Kabo" on a corset is a guarantee of quality and correct style. Daniel & Burton sell them.—Adv.

Mrs. B. S. Elliott is in John Sealy hospital at Galveston undergoing special treatment.

If you want the best for your money buy the Lone Jack or the Reindeer Cultivators.—Daniel & Burton.

M. Satterwhite and family have moved to Groveton where they will make their home.

If it's the best you want, buy Albatross Flour, our guarantee with every sack.—Daniel & Burton.

D. T. Adair of Route 6 and Will Carson of Creek were callers at the Courier office Friday.

The Planters' Cotton Chopper Co. carries a full line of belting, from one and one-half inch up.—Adv.

Daniel & Burton are showing an immense stock of new ribbons and laces. See them before you buy.

Louis Meriwether, enlisted in the U. S. transport service at Galveston, is at home for a short vacation.

All pattern hats go at sacrificing prices for one week at Mrs. Bricker's cut price cash sale.—Adv.

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#### Baptist Church Tag Day.

Saturday, April 26, will be tag day for the Baptist church. Let every one help the noble women in their undertaking. 2t.



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Wunderhose in silk, lisle and cotton, in all the popular colors, for men, women and children, at Daniel & Burton's.—Adv.

Ladies, see Mrs. Bricker for hats. The big reduction sale lasts one week from Thursday, 24th to the 1st.—Adv.

Tag! Tag!! Tag!!! Be sure you get my tag. The ladies of the Baptist church have selected Saturday, April 26, as tag day. 2t.

The Planters' Cotton Chopper Co. has a lot of second-hand sweeps as good as new, already sharpened, they will sell cheap.—Adv.

Buy your pipe and valves from the Planters' Cotton Chopper Co. and they will cut and thread the pipe free of charge.—Adv.

Gus Leediker is having the ground levelled and will open up a new lumber yard on Arch street, in the first block south of Main.

J. E. Monk is building a residence on the street which, for the reason that we do not know any other name, we will call Second North.

Cap and Cleveland Rains received a bunch of fine mules Sunday morning that they will use for logging in this and Trinity counties.

N. A. Smith of Route 5, G. C. Rains of Trinity, T. A. McNeely of Lovelady and A. I. Leediker were some of those remembering the Courier Saturday.

Mrs. Bricker has a large stock of beautiful hats to select from. For one week only every hat reduced for cash—hats reduced from 50 cents to \$2.50 each.—Adv.

A. S. Daniels of Kennard, J. M. Wells of Ratcliff, W. F. Summers of Latexo and S. C. Bitner of Lovelady were among the number remembering the Courier Saturday.

Mrs. Bricker will have extra help for the big sale that lasts only one week. If you have not bought your hat, now is the time. Sale begins Thursday, April 24.—Adv.

#### Eggs for Hatching.

Golden Wyandottes of best quality. All birds score 90 points. Egg records fine. Prices reasonable. tf. Frank Driskill, Crockett, Texas.

W. G. Darsey of Grapeland, W. H. Holcomb of Augusta and W. H. Denny of this city are this week serving as a jury commission, having been appointed by District Judge Prince.

W. H. Holcomb of Augusta, T. H. Leaverton of Grapeland, J. E. Jackson of Diboll and T. T. Bitner of Lovelady Route 2 were among those remembering the Courier office Tuesday.

The closing exercises of the Porter Springs school were held Friday night. Tunstall's orchestra of this city assisted in the music program. This school has just closed a most successful term.

For the information of the many who have asked the Courier editor, we will state that the hog law will go into effect in Houston county on May 18, thirty days after the issuance of the proclamation declaring the result of the election.

#### Jersey Milk Cows for Sale.

We will have for sale or trade for stock cattle in Crockett on and after May 1 a carload of fine Jersey cows, fresh in milk. See Will Carson or S. F. Maples at Crockett or address them at Creek, Texas. 2t.\*

Dr. W. W. Latham, accompanied by his family and Byron Cannon, drove his automobile to Palestine Sunday morning in about three hours, returning during the evening in the same length of time. H. F. Moore and family and Miss Helen Moore went to Palestine in their automobile Sunday before last, returning that evening. Both parties found the roads in good condition.

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Dr. W. D. McCarty of Grapeland was in this city Tuesday morning and bought a Ford 5-passenger automobile. His is the 32d car put into use in this county. The doctor says that the roads are so much improved that he now feels like he can get over them with some degree of safety.

#### A Record Shipment.

One of the largest shipments of automobiles made in the history of the industry left the Ford factory in Detroit last week for North Dakota distribution. It consisted of a train of sixty freight cars in which were four hundred and twenty Model T's. Yet this was not the output of a half day of the factory, nor did it equal the number of orders for Fords received in five hours of that day.—Adv.

#### Got What Was Promised.

The Airdome promised the public an improvement in its vaudeville bill last week and the public got what was promised. The bill was a musical number, clean and wholesome, and the public was not unappreciative. The Crockett public, although somewhat critical, as it ought to be, is a good show patron and does not mind spending its money when it gets value received. An expert pianist has been engaged by the management.

#### May Fete.

Saturday afternoon, May 3rd, from 3 to 5 p. m., the ladies of the East side circle will give a May fete on the school campus, and repeat again the old and popular ceremony of crowning the most popular lady as queen of the May. No one over 15 will be eligible to this honor. A modest fee of 10cts will be asked of spectators. There will also be ice cream cones and candy for sale. Won't you come out and play?—Adv.



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#### Crockett's Carnival.

Beginning Monday, April 28, this city will be the scene of gayety and music. The city waterworks, thru Mr. Streeter, has engaged the Lone Star Amusement Co. to show for its benefit. This company comes highly recommended as high-class, moral and refined.

The attractions consist of a giant, 3-abreast jumping horse carousel; Zoma, the wild girl; Mozelle, Old Plantation; Wireless Telegraphy; Caywood, the frog boy, and the crazy house, besides two big free acts and a brass band. Come out and enjoy yourself besides help the waterworks.—Adv.

#### White Man's Primary.

At the request of interested parties, and by the authority vested in me as chairman of the White Man's Association of Crockett, I hereby call a white man's primary election to be held at the court house in Crockett on Tuesday, the 29th day of April, 1913, for the purpose of nominating five school trustees, two of whom are to serve for one year and three for two years, at which primary election all white men who reside within the limits of the Crockett Independent School District, and who are qualified voters within said school district, shall be allowed to vote. James S. Langston is appointed manager of said primary election.

A. A. Aldrich, Chairman White Man's Association for the City of Crockett.



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### PUBLISHER'S NOTICE.

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### Mrs. Mollie Murchison Dead.

Following a protracted illness, the life of Mrs. Mollie Murchison passed out Sunday morning at an early hour. The funeral, conducted by Rev. S. F. Tenney of the Presbyterian church, occurred Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Mrs. Murchison was the widow of the late I. H. Murchison. She was 56 years old, was born in Houston county and had spent her life in and near Crockett. She was a daughter of Judge Smith, who at the time of his death was representative from this county in the legislature. Mrs. Bennett Arrington, Mrs. Bettie Chamberlain and Mrs. Porter are her surviving sisters and Dr. J. B. Smith her brother. She was a member of the Presbyterian church and had many friends who sympathize with the bereaved relatives. Her son, Walker Murchison of Rockdale, and his family were present at the funeral. Her other sons, Smith and Gaines, are residents of this city.

### All Eyes on East Texas.

A few years ago East Texas was not thought very much of by the people of Central and West Texas. The reason was, our lands were timbered and it took too much time to remove the timber. But as the best lands of Central and West Texas became populated and the price became too high, the tide turned eastward. Now all eyes are on East Texas, and there is not a town in this section that is not enjoying a healthy growth. Tyler has just completed a magnificent hotel, Palestine has cleared the ground for a hotel building that will surpass the pride of Tyler, Jacksonville has under erection a five-story bank and office building of marble and imported brick, and Crockett has just completed a magnificent business house and has another under construction, besides many improvements of minor detail. East Texas towns are trying to outdo each other in the way of

improvements. Jacksonville has recently voted bonds for a sewer system, Palestine for a new court house and Crockett and Grapeland for good roads. New and handsome churches have recently been completed in all these towns and East Texas has come to be known as the country of pretty homes and surroundings.

### District Court News.

The case against Henry Strickland, transferred from San Jacinto county, was called for trial Monday morning. Strickland was indicted for murder in San Jacinto county. In prosecuting this case District Attorney Earl Adams Jr. has the assistance of Judge J. A. Elkins of Huntsville, J. C. Browder Jr., county attorney of San Jacinto county, and W. B. Browder, county attorney of Walker county. Representing the defendant, Strickland, are Adams & Young of this city, Judge J. V. Lea of Houston and J. M. Hambro of Cold Springs.

The case is attracting unusual attention. More than a hundred witnesses and others from out of the county are in attendance. Among the most prominent are Judge S. A. McCall of Willis, formerly district attorney of the 9th judicial district; Hon. F. O. Fuller of Cold Springs, member of the 29th, 30th and 31st legislatures; R. W. Miller, manager for the Walker County Lumber Company; J. C. Browder Sr. of Waverly, travelling salesman for Galveston Dry Goods Company; Captain S. F. Fain, justice of the peace at Shepherd; Dr. O. M. Tinsley of New Waverly.

The case of Bruton et al. vs. Wells Fargo Express Company was compromised after the evidence was all in.

### For the Best Compositions.

A gold medal to the school boy or girl between the ages of 10 and 15 who writes the best composition, not to exceed 800 words, on the repair and maintenance of earth roads, is to be awarded by Logan Waller Page, Director, Office of Public Roads, United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. All compositions must be submitted to Mr. Page before May 15, 1913, and the medal will be awarded as soon thereafter as the compositions can be graded. The composition may be based on knowledge gained from books or other sources, but no quotations should be made.

### "Turkey Trot" and "Tango" Vetoed.

Dancing has been the principal source of social amusement and pastime in this city during the past year and bids fair to so continue for awhile. Like roller skating it is a fad that comes and goes. The Crockett society set has been slow, and it is said to their credit, to take up the "freak" dances, such as the so-called "turkey trot," "bunny hug" and "tango," in fact, these dances have been completely tabooed by them, contenting themselves only with the more approved forms—the kind of dancing that will last. As an evidence that the "freak" dances are getting the veto elsewhere, the following is taken from a letter on the subject by Prof. Monta Beach, the owner of Beach's auditorium in Houston and an authority by reason of the fact that he has taught dancing in Houston for perhaps twenty years: "From correspondence with the leading dancing teachers throughout the United States I feel safe in saying that the present season will see the last of freak dancing. At least let us hope so, for many parents and guardians, seeing the evils of improper dancing, try to eliminate the harm by preventing the dance as a whole, thus depriving their children of the most innocent and beneficial amusement and exercise that has ever been known to man." To combat the evil influences charged against the "turkey trot" and "tango," the department of education of New York City has been giving municipal dances, under the control of the department, in the school buildings of the fifty-five school centers of that city with absolute prohibition of the "freak" dances. The time is coming when the proper forms of dancing will be taught in the schools of the country just like music now is as a safeguard against the improper forms or so-called "freak dances."

### Tomorrow.

The best day in the year. What day is? Why, tomorrow, of course.

We don't know whether it will be rainy or fair—but why care? Rain or shine, it will have 24 hours. Time for honest work; for honest play; for sound, refreshing sleep.

Time to let you take a lesson from the breaks and mistakes of yesterday and today; and, starting anew, dig your toes into the sand and make things hum.

You know you can't call back the past.

So why fret about it?

Look ahead!

Take a new grip and tackle the future.

If you're not a hopeless dub you'll be wiser tonight than you were this morning. Wiser by a whole busy day's rich experience. Wiser by what 12 hours in the most eventful, interesting, instructive period of human history have taught you.

Which means that you'll be ripier, braver, better fit to go to the tasks, the opportunities, the victories, stronger to bear the sorrows, abler to value the joys, that lie ahead.

Fate may have dealt you poor hands yesterday.

You may have played your cards like a chump today.

But tomorrow you have the chance of your life, because it's a new day, a clean day, a day you can make what you will.—Louisville Herald.

A cross, restless baby is a sick baby and the stomach or bowels are generally the cause of the trouble. McGee's Baby Elixir is a quieting and restorative syrup that never fails in these ailments. It corrects sour stomach, looseness of the bowels and feverishness. Contains no opium, morphine or narcotic drug of any kind. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by I. W. Sweet.—Adv.

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