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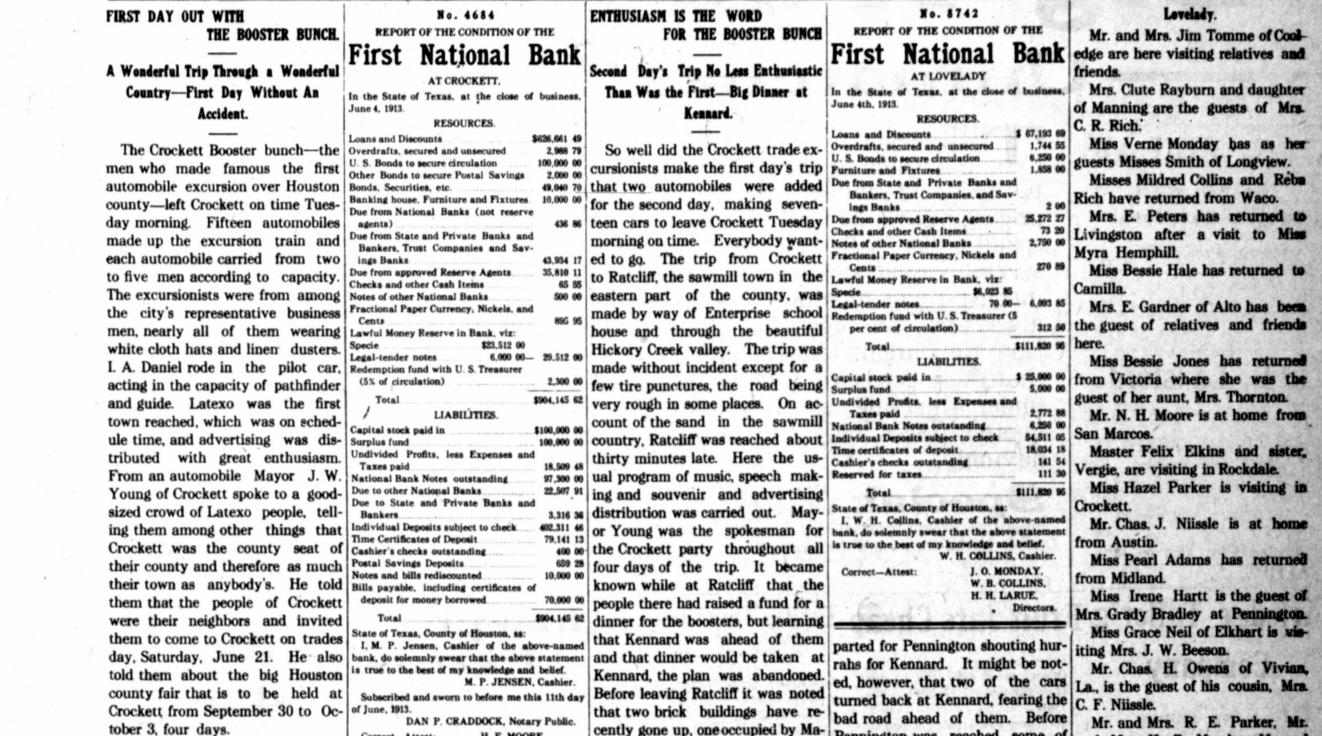
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### CROCKETT, TEXAS, JUNE 19, 1913.

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cently gone up, one occupied by Ma-Pennington was reached some of the worst road of the trip was encountered. The only time the excursionists left Houston county was were at Pennington, the first county seat of Trinity county. Here the historic old jail, a hewn log structure, yet stands, and we were told that its walls once held the notorious desperado, John Wesley Hardin. The old court house, that stood near by, was destroyed by fire. The lightning rods on the large houses indicate that it is an old town and the big, old-fashioned homes add historic value. The excursionists were welcomed by a large crowd, ladies and children predominating. The usual program of music and speeches was gone through and the business men were visited in their stores. A quick trip was made through a prosperous country from Pennington to Shady Grove, where

Grapeland, the next town, was reached ahead of schedule time. The road is good from Crockett to Grapeland. The Booster band of six instruments played here as at Latexo and Mayor Young made a talk in the interest of Houston county, its county seat, the Houston county fair and trades day. Many Grapeland people gathered around and there was much enthusiasm. While the band played the business men were visited in their stores, souvenirs were handed out on the streets and the excursionists departed for Percilla, encountering some deep sand on their way, but every car went through without trouble, proving the excursionists to be as good drivers as they were boosters.

At Percilla a pleasing reception awaited them. Here the crowd was larger in proportion to the size of the town that at either of the other two places and the reception was enthusiastic. The band played, Mayor Young made a speech and the band played some more. The people of Percilla wanted to know why Crockett had never before sent a delegation up to see them and extended a pressing invitation to call again. The invitation to visit Crockett on trades day and during the Houston county fair met with a hearty response and many promises to do so, showing the Percilla people to be full of the spirit of progressiveness and enthusiasm. barrel of lemonade was free and the thing on a hot day. Some good boosters are there. We started to write it "among those good people," but since we come to think of it the good people are all over Houston county.

The trip from Percilla to Augusta was made without incident, except that Augusta was reached ahead of time and the crowd on arrival was not large. But when the band played they began to come in from all around and a good-sized crowd ties and bad in others

RCH BAKER JAS. S. SHIVERS,

H. F. MOORE.

heard Mayor Young's speech, which was along the same lines as at other places. The band played again and enthusiasm was not lacking. The boosters had their lunches with them and as planned they spread them at Augusta, after which they departed for Weches.

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Weches was reached on time and the greatest enthusiasm of the day was encountered. It was a large and jolly crowd that had gathered to welcome the trade excursionists. Here as at other places the band played and Mayor Young addressed the assemblage as previously outlined. W. L. Vaught responded in a few happy words for the people of Weches and concluded by inviting the boosters to Dillard's drug store, FIRST GUARANTY STATE BAN where the ladies were waiting to serve ice cream and cake. No use saying the refreshments were enbig hurrahs for Weches, Belott bethe next stop. Some rough road was encountered after leaving Weches, but nobody complained, so enthusiastic had been the reception. Before reaching Belott the handsome new home of W. O. Lockey was passed and across the front yard was stretched a big canvas sign bearing the words "Hurrah for Crockett's Business Men." Will Lockey is "some booster" himself and never loses a chance to boost

for his home county and county seat. A good crowd was at Belott and the band played as usual Here souvenirs and other advertising matter were distributed with great enthusiasm. After which the trip to Crockett was made without incident, all automobiles coming in

together and ahead of time. Crops are looking good, but needing rain. The roads are good in some locali-

honey, one by McKinney Bros. and the other by the bank. Kennard was returned to for dinner. Here the band played, speeches made and enthusiasm ran riot Long tables had been arranged in a nearby grove and on this the choicest viands that the ladies could prepare were heaped. It was "some dinner," as the average booster described it, and big eaters as they are, a showing was hardly made. The Kennard people know how to win the hearts of a Crockett bunch. Overflowing with the spirit of the occasion, County Attorney B. F Dent, standing in an automobile, in his usual happy way thanked the Kennard people for their hospitality. The band played and the bunch de-

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIA CONDITION OF THE

AT WELDON

State of Tex as, at the close of business on the 4th day of June, 1913, published in the Crockett Courier, a newspaper printed and published a joyed. The boosters left with three Crockett, State of Texas, on the 19th day of June

### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, person	nal	or col	-		
lateral				\$32,411	88
Loans, real estate				2,688	75
Overdrafts	****			697	10
Real Estate (banking hous	e)			3,175	00
Furniture and Fixtures		·		2,039	55
Due from Approved Reserve					
Agents, net.	\$	619	29_	6.9	29
Currency		3,312	00	133	
Specie			93_	- 3,735	93
Interest in Depositors Guard	ant	y Fund	d	154	71
Total		1º		\$45,522	21
LIABILI	FIE	S.			
Capital Stock paid in				\$10,000	00
Surplus Fund				800	
Undivided Profits, net					72
Individual Deposits subject	to	check		22,181	65
<b>Time Certificates of Deposit</b>				300	00
Cashier's Checks					
<b>Bills Payable and Rediscou</b>	nts	milie		. 10,000	00
Total				\$45,522	21
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tate of Texas. County of Houston We, W. A. Eastham as president, and W. C. Page as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solmnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our k vledge and belief A. EASTHAM, Presiden

PAGE, Cashier J. L. CARROLL, Correct-Attest W. D. JAMES, E. W. LITTLE. Director

it seemed we were getting back into Crockett, there were so many familiar faces. After the usual greetings here, the trip was made, over a good road, to Crockett without incident worthy of mention, all automobiles coming in together and on time. Some fine crops were viewed on the second day's trip as well as on the first.

### The Brilliant Stars of June.

By the end of June, Mars, Venus, Saturn and Jupiter will all be morn-4 71 ing stars, but Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is at all times the "Star" medicine for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. A cold in June is as apt to develop into bronchitis or pneumonia as at any other time, but not if Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is taken. I. W 2 21 Sweet .- Adv.

### Shake Off Your Rheumatism.

Now is the time to get rid of your theumatism. Try a twenty-five last aforesaid cent bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and see how quickly your rheumatic pains will disappear. Sold by all dealers .-- Adv.

Mrs. J. H. Newton, Mrs. E. Kennedy, Misses Freeman, Gayle, Murray and Lawson were visitors to Weldon last week.

and Mrs. H. B. Monday, Mr. and

Mr. Frank Ateshieo of Walter visited friends here last week.

### Can't Keep It Secret.

The splendid work of Chamber Tablets is daily becomin lain's more widely known. No such gran remedy for stomach and liver troubles has ever been known. For sale by all dealers.-Adv.

#### OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINAN CIAL CONDITION OF THE

#### Crockett State Bank AT CROCKETT.

State of Texas, at th day of June, 1913, p Courier, a newspaper printed a Crockett, State of June, 1913:

#### RESOURCE

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	Loans and Discounts, personal or col-	
		48,627 72
è	Loans, real estate	57,265 84
1	Overdrafts	974
1	Real Estate (banking house)	9.500 10
	Furniture and Fixtures	3,000 00
	Due from Approved Reserve	
	Agents, net	30,020 30
	Cash Items \$ 2,382 90	
	Currency	
	Specie	19,317 85
l	Interest in Depositors Guaranty Fund	1,624 84
	Other Resources as follows: Assessment	
	in State Guaranty Fund	127 5
	Total	270,458 9
	LIABILITIES.	
Î	Capital Stock paid in	50,000
	Surplus Fund	20,000 00
ĥ	Undivided Profits, net	8,953 27
	Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to	
1	check, net	43,748 97
	Individual Deposits, subject to check	129,265 73
1	Time Certificates of Deposit	18,491 0
	Total	270,458 99
	State of Texas, County of Houston. We, W. H. Denny as president, and D. 1	0. Kiess-

ling as cashier of said bank. ly swear that the above stat

W. H. DENNY, Pre D. O. KIESSLING, Cash Sworn and s

f June, A. D. 1913. Witness my ha LIVER C. ALDRICH Netary Publi B. L. SATTERWHITE Correct-Attes H. J. ARLEDGE. GEO. W. CROOK



Opening Date Saturday, June 21

LEE VARIETY STORE will open this week, Saturday, June 21. Thousands of articles, selling at 5, 10 and 25c to \$1.00, have already arrived and many more are coming in each day to complete the largest store of its kind in this size town in all Texas.

### **Doors Will Open at 8 O'Clock**

To give you farmers a chance to share with the town folks some of our best bargains, we shall reserve the following bargains until 10 o.clock. Not one of them will be sold at special price until the clock strikes ten:

### A 50¢ Salad Bowl

that many sell at even a higher price because of its especcially beautiful decoration and tintings on a perfectly white china-we will sell at a dime. We will sell only one to a family and reserve the right to refuse to sell to those 10c who would resell them. Each, only

### **Beautiful Unframed Pictures**

We have a big quantity of a large size unframed	picture
that, when framed, sells as high as \$2.00 to \$3.00.	We shall
sell it at 10c, limit six pictures to a family. Each, only	10c
Also \$1.00 pictures, handsomely framed	39c

### **Table Glasses at Half Price**

The regular size, goblet-shaped glasses, for which you all pay 10c each, we shall sell at a nickel each or 30c a set. ЭC limit of two sets (12 glasses) to a family. Each

### Here Are a Dozen More Crackerjack Good Values On Sale at 8 O'Clock

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lour sifter (rotary)	c
ollar watch	c
Jarm clock	с

recognition of his splendid services viz: Edward, Myrtle, Mary, Abby love and esteem in which he was home is at Lewisville. held by those who were closely diamonds, bearing the Masonic em- hour of their lives. of the above order only about ten months ago. Yet only a short while previous to his last illness he was honored with the Royal Arch degree.

It was the pleasure of the writer to have known Cecil practically all his life and during all those years we failed ever to hear him speak disparagingly of a fellow-human being, or take the name of his Creator in vain. We do not believe he had an enemy under the broad canopy of heaven, or even one who did not wish for him all the success possible to one so eminently deserving. Truly, he was one whose morals our young men can emulate with profit, "whose days had been pure and whose nights have been sinless." Cecil was converted during a religious revival held here in his home town during the summer of 1904, and he united with the Methodist church, living a consistent Christian life until the final summons came.

Rev. A. P. Hightower of Allen performed the last sad rites at the Methodist church before the largest ford, Mass., says: "I had a terrible congregation ever in attendance on pain across my back, with a burna similar occasion, after which the ing and scalding feeling. I took remains were taken in charge by Lee | Foley Kidney Pills as advised, with Lodge A. F. & A. M. and conducted results certain and sure. The pain to the Wear cemetery 4 miles east and burning feeling left me, I felt of town and consigned to the grave, toned up and invigorated. I recomthere to await the resurrection of mend Foley Kidney Pills." the just.

The deceased is survived by his and all kidney and bladder ailparents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Crockett ments, use Foley Kidney Pills. and one brother and four sisters, W. Sweet .- Adv.

had been tendered a substantial and Mrs. Daisy Stivers all being at raise in salary. As a token of the home save the last named whose 30,000 Persons Publicly Recommend

To the heart broken loved ones associated with him, on last Christ- we join their many friends in sinmas he was presented with a beau- cere expressions of love and sympatiful watch charm studded with thy in this perhaps the darkest A Friend. blem, having been made a member Prosper, Texas, June 5, 1913.-Adv.

### Resolutions.

Death has visited the home of Sov. J. B. West and taken therefrom one of its brightest jewels, and we bow in humble submission to the will of the great Sovereign of Heaven and earth, therefore

Be it resolved, by Pine Grove Camp, No. 2354, Woodmen of the World, Kennard, Texas, that we sincerely sympathize with Sov. West and his family in the loss of their dear son and brother. Evan.

Among the dead our young friend sleeps, His life was rounded true and well. And love in bitter sorrow weeps

About his dark and silent cell." Also be it further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family, a copy be sent to the Crockett Courier for publication and a copy be spread upon the minutes of our camp.

Adv.

M. B. Matchett,
W. B. Tunstall,
H. P. English,
Committee.

Katherine L. Norton, New Bed-For backache, rheumatism, lumbago, L

### THINK OF IT

Our Remedy. Some are Crockett People.

Over one hundred thousand have recommended Doan's Kidney Pills. For backache, kidney, urinary ills. Thirty thousand signed testimonials

Are appearing now in public print.

Some of them are Crockett people.

Some are published in Crockett. No other remedy shows such proof.

Follow this Crockett woman's example.

Mrs. Mary Vince, Bruner's Addition, Crockett, Texas, says: "I had severe backaches, pains across my loins, headaches and dizzy spells. I used Doan's Kidney Pills, procured from Sweet's Drug Store, and they gave me fine relief. I have been free from the aches and pains since."

The above statement must carry conviction to the mind of every reader. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy-ask distinctly for Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mrs. Vince had---the remedy backed by home testimony. 50c. at all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Prop., Buffalo, N. Y.

"When Your Back is Lame-Remember the name."

### Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Every family without exception should keep this preparation at hand during the hot weather of the summer months. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is worth many times its cost when needed and is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over. It has no superior for the purposes for which it is intended. Buy it now. For sale by all dealers.-Adv.



### IN MEMORIAM.

ceased, by a Boyhood Friend.

From the McKinney Enterprise

Infirmary at Ft. Worth on last upon it. Thursday night, having been operated upon for appendicitis, and never his services were in demand, and recovering from effects of the oper- his first employment was with the ation. All possible was done. Five Dalworth Townsite Co., in laying off of that city's most skilled physi- the town of Dalworth, a position he cians were employed in an effort to held from July 3, 1906, to February stay the hand of the Grim Destroy- of the following year, when he reer. But to no avail, and at the signed his position, believing that midnight hour the spirit of the si- other fields promised greater relent sufferer passed from its tene- muneration with better opportuniment of clay to the God who gave ties for advancement. He entered it.

born Sept. 2, 1888, and grew to man- civil engineering corps doing lock hood at this place. Attended the and dam work on the Trinity River public schools of Prosper; later he below Dallas. Later he was transentered Jones' Academy at McKin- ferred to Jefferson, and Shreveport. ney, going from there to College La., where he performed similar Station where he entered A. & M. work, coming from there to Crock-College, Sept. 1906, graduating four ett, Texas, on Jan. 1, 1912. His adyears later, with honors and the vancement had been rapid and at degree of Bachelor of Science, am- the time of his death he was Genply qualified for the battles of life eral Superintendent of the Engineerin the field he had chosen-that of ing Corps at his station, and in

a civil engineer. A more popular student never passed through the Beautiful Tribute to Cecil Creckett, De halls of this splendid institution of learning, as was attested by the fact that he was elected captain of his class, and upon graduation was Cecil Marion Crockett, eldest son presented by his classmates with a of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Crockett of magnificent gold watch, the initials Prosper, passed away at St. Joseph's of his name artistically engraved

His qualifications being apparent the service of the U.S. Government, The subject of this sketch was and was assigned to duty with the

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The Best Mower Sold

We Have Now in Stock a Car Load of

Standard Mowers and Rakes

Smith Hardware Co.





COLONEL MILNER COMMENDED.

Many Organizations Express Regret at His Resignation of the Presidency of A. and M. College.

College Station, Tex., June 13.-Resolutions commending the admade the greater part of Texas a remain the money crop of Texas so long as the farmer markets his crop

BATTLE WITH MOROS ONE OF THE FIERCEST

Brigadier General Pershing Describes Thursday's Fight as Desperate Encounter.

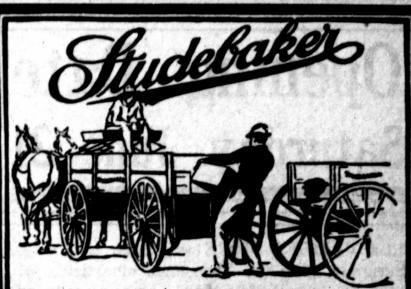
Washington, June 13 .--- "Probably no fiercer battle since American occupation," is the description by Brigadier General Pershing of the battle with the Moros yesterday in his report by cable today to the war department. The Moros made desperate attempts to rush the American lines, but were finally beaten back and overwhelmed. Their leader, Amil, and several other noted outlaws were reported killed, but the total loss of the Moros was not reported.

One American officer, Captain Taylor A. Nicholas of the Philippine Scouts, was killed; First Lieutenant Edward H. Rackley, Philippine Scouts, was wounded, and three Filipino scouts of the Fiftyfirst Company, all natives were killed.

General Pershing's report was as follows:

"On June 12 the Moros' resistance at Bagsak was formidable, and their fort and trenches on the precipitous side of the crater not only supported each other strongly, but were defended with modern arms. The Moros frantically and continuously tried to rush the American line, but the careful disposition of our force held the American loss to a minimum. Probably there has been no fiercer battle since American occupation.

"Major George C. Shaw of the Philippine Scouts commanded the cotton country and it will always right wing, with Company M, Eighth Regiment, United States Infantry, and Fortieth Company, Philippine direct from the harvest field, but I Scouts. Captain Taylor A. Nichols believe with plenty of good live- of the Philippine scouts commandstock and a silo a farmer can suc- ed the left wing with the Fifty-first, Fifty-second and Twenty-ninth co will be justified in planting less cot- panies, Philippine scouts. A mountain gun with each wing proved of great assistance. At the close yesthat we have 14,080,936 head of terday Captain Patrick Moylan of livestock in Texas, and 96 per cent the Philipine scouts with two comof our farms reported domestic ani- panies supporting the gun on Mount Bunga and the American force occupied a controlling position "First Lieutenant Edwin H. Rackley, Philippine scouts, was slightly wounded and three Moro scouts of the Fifty-first Company were killed. Captain Taylor A. Nichols was killed in the early morning fight and it was a serious loss to the army. Amil and several leading outlaws were reported killed. Other mortalities are not known."



### "I've had my Studebaker 15 years—and not a cent for repairs"

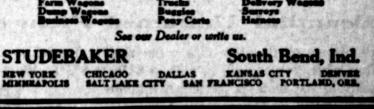
A word of just praise for a wagon that has done its work faithfully and well.

Men become attached to their Studebakers proud of them.

Because they realize that a Studebaker is built on honor and with an experience in wagon building that dates back to 1852.

Studebaker wagons are a result of that long experience, coupled with a desire to build the best wagons, not cheap ones.

And when your dealer says "Buy a Studebaker —there's no better wagon made" he's giving you the verdict of a million farmers. He is not asking you to try an experiment.



## ARE YOU GOING NORTH THIS SUMMER? Now is the Time to Plan Your Vacation

IT'S HOT! There is no denying it. But there is some get-ting out of it. Away up in Wisconsin, Michigan and Canada, in the land of snappy days, and crisp, cool, restful nights, you will find that relief for which you yearn. BEST REACHED VIA THE

International & Great Northern Railway

ministration of R. T. Milner as president of the A. and M. College, and who resigned from that position recently, were adopted by a meeting of the Bryan Commercial Club today.

The resolutions protested against his resignation and warmly praised the conduct of affairs at the college during his tenure of office.

The alumni association, at its meeting here, adopted resolutions declaring that the leaving of Coloner Milner would be most unfortunate and very detrimental to the best interests of the institution.

At a meeting of the faculty today resolutions commending the president's official actions during his administration were adopted.

Colonel Milner has received many telegrams and letters commending him and protesting against his resignation. He will remain in office until Sept. 1, when he will return to Henderson to take charge of his farm.

More Silos Needed in Houston County.

The Farmers' Union has been conducting an exhaustive investigation into agricultural conditions with reference to the cost of producing and value received for farm crops with a view of recommending a substitute for cotton as that industry is already suffering from over-production. In discussing the subject, President Radford of the

WORMS

When in health the baby laughs, When in health the baby laughs, the child plays, the youth enjoys athletic sports The contrary indi-cates some departure from health, and in the case of children, is of-ten caused by worms; a child so afflicted is pale, sickly and peev-ish. WHITE'S CREAM VERMI-FUGE is the deadly enemy of worms. It destroys the worms and strengthens the weakened organs. Children who take it speedily recover their normal happy condition.

Price 25c per Bottle. as. F. Ballard, Prop., St.Louis, Mo. SOLD AND RECOMMENDED BY

I. W. Sweet

cessfully raise feed stuff and he ton and raising more livestock." The Federal Census reports show

mals.

There were 4011 farms in Houston county that reported livestock on the rim of the crater. when the Thirteenth Census was taken according to a report just issued by the Federal Department of Commerce and Labor and the total number of domestic animals on these farms numbered 76,444, which has a combined value of \$1,193,012. Swine is the predominating class of livestock in this county as shown by the following:

Cattle, 30,058; value, \$387,476. Horses, 5,066; value, \$382,188. Mules, 3,251; value, \$312,562. Asses and burros, 25; value, \$2,-635.

Swine, 35,836; value, \$105,601. Sheep, 414; value, \$913. Goats, 1794; value, \$1,637. Total number, 76,444; total valuation, \$1,193,012.

Take Plenty of Time to Eat.

There is a saying that "rapid eating is slow suicide." If you have formed the habit of eating too rapidly you are most likely suffering from indigestion or constipation, which will result eventually in serious illness unless corrected. Digestion begins in the mouth. Food should be thoroughly masticated and insalivated. Then when you have a fullness of the stomach or feel dull and stupid after eating, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets. Many severe cases of stomach trouble and constipation have been cured by the use of these tablets. his character as is portrayed in the They are easy to take and most agreeable in effect. Sold by all dealers.-Adv.

### Can't Keep It Secret.

The splendid work of Chamberlain's Tablets is daily becoming more widely known. No such grand remedy for stomach and liver

Love of Money is Root of all Evil. This is as true today as it was the day it was uttered away back yonder in the early days of history. It is more true, if anything, because the love for money is more widespread, and its effect is more farreaching.

With some men money getting becomes a disease which so obsesses them as to preclude every other will consume all that is good within gain will sacrifice the best of friends, and will stifle every right impulse. This craving for inordinate wealth and power works a wrong not only against the individual, but against all society. The writer has seen the launched out on the mission of Herald.

greed and gain, as completely change Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde story. It amass a great fortune.

Two Trains Each Day Between Texas and St. Louis. Electric Lighted Sleeping Car Service to Memphis, St. Louis and Chicago. Only One Change of Cars to Michigan, Canadian and New England Resorts. Superb Dining Car Service. Summer Tourist Tickets on Sale Daily with Extraordinary Stopover Privileges. Full Particulars Cheerfully Given Upon Application to Ticket Agent. H. HENDERSON, Ticket Agent, Crockett, Texas. D. J. PRICE I. & G. N. Gen'l Pass. and Ticket Agent, HOUSTON, TEXAS

James, and read this vivid descrip tion of the condition of the times then, and compare them with now. and the condemnation stands as surely now as it did then:

"Go to now, ye rich men, weep and howl for your miseries that shall come upon you. Your riches are corrupted, and your garments are moth-eaten. Your gold and silver is cankered; and the rust of them shall be a witness against you, and shall eat your flesh as it were fire. Ye have heaped treas-

ure together for the last days. Begenerous, the good man, who once resist you."-Anderson County doing of that alone.

### A Worker Appreciates This.

Wm. Morris, a resident of Floris a thing which repeats itself al-|ence, Oregon, says: "For the last most every time a man sets out to fourteen years my kidneys and Two thousand years ago this was work. About eight months ago I any healing remedy for the human written, showing that this old began using Foley Kidney Pills, and body only, that is milder or more world has not changed so very cines failed to do, and now I am the sores or wounds of man and troubles has ever been known. For much after all. Open your bible, feeling fine. I recommend Foley beast. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 sale by all dealers.—Adv. and turn to the fifth chapter of St. Kidney Pills." I. W. Sweet.—Adv. per bottle. Sold by I. W. Sweet.—tf.



# Figure

hold, the hire of the laborers who on your plumbing work no have reaped down your fields, matter how small or how big virtue; and if not checked in time which is of you kept back by fraud, the job. If we can't give you crieth; and the cries of them which better work than others and a man. The selfish desire to get have reaped are entered into the at a lower price then we are ears of the Lord of saboath. Ye fooling ourselves. We emhave lived in pleasure on the earth, ploy only practical and exand been wanton; ye have nourish- perienced help, use only the ed your hearts, as in a day of best materials and do every slaughter. Ye have condemned job as carefully as if our repand killed the just; and he doth not utation depended upon the

> C. A. CLINTON Plumber

There is no horse liniment more effective for animal flesh than Balbladder incapacitated me for all lard's Snow Liniment, nor is there they have done what other medi- efficacious in its action. It heals

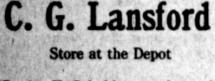


# Come to Crockett on June 21st Big Trades Day — Unmatched Prices

## J. C. MILLAR Tailor and Men's Outfitter

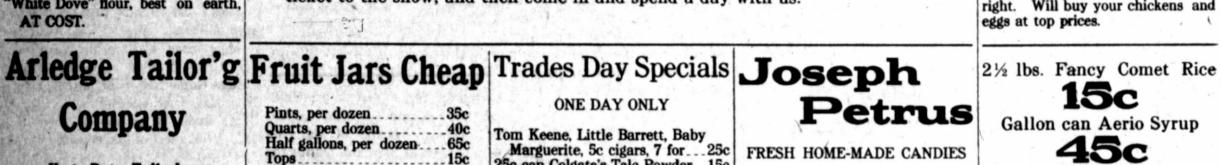
Five patterns only of \$22.50 suitings, each \$18.50 \$1.50 shirts, each \$1.00

For anything new, nobby and upto-date, come to my store. I have it.



THE business league of Crockett has raised a considerable fund for this day, which they will apply so as to enable dealers to name extraordinary prices, and we do this to enable trade to come here, spend a day with us, and note our advantages for serving you at all times. Crockett is the best market in East Texas in which to supply your wants, and will always pay top prices for whatever you have to sell. Note the bargains for the day, and please bear in mind that these goods are sold far below value, most of them under wholesale cost, and they can be obtained at quoted prices only at the store quoting, and for this day only.

**Special:** We have bought 2000 tickets for the Royal Theatre on our excursion commencing June 10. Let the children meet us, get a free ticket to the show, and then come in and spend a day with us.

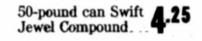


Crystal Barber Shop

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# Come to Crockett on June 21st Big Trades Day **Unmatched Prices**

### White Crest Flour

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granulated sugar 10-pound caddy caddy of tobacco to a person.

THE business league of Crockett has raised a considerable fund for this day, which they will apply so as to enable dealers to name extraordinary prices, and we do this to induce trade to come here, spend a day with us, and note our advantages for serving you at all times. Crockett is the best market in East Texas in which to supply your wants, and will always pay top prices for whatever you have to sell. Note the bargains for the day, and please bear in mind that these goods are sold far below value, most of them under wholesale cost, and they can be obtained at quoted prices only at the store quoting, and for this day only.

Special: We have bought 2000 tickets for the Royal Theatre for Trades Day and will hand them out to children on our excursion commencing June 10. Let the children meet us, get a free ticket to the show and then come in and spend a day with us.



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### FLAME-ENVELOPED

Explosion Covers It With Burning Oil at Palestine-Crew Jumps-Causes Damage.

Palestine, Tex., June 14 .-- International & Great Northern freight engine No. 226 acquired an individuality shortly before daybreak this morning, when, enveloped in flames, its throttle wide open and with no one in its cab, it shot like a terrestial comet through the railroad yards here, bringing up with a loud crash against another big freight locomotive standing near the depot, causing the latter to ram a string of passenger cars on a track in front of the station. Both engines were badly damaged and a baggage car was literally splintered. In addition two box cars and a refrigerator caught fire from the blazing engine and Carl James, hostler's assistant, was injured when he jumped from the cab while the recalcitrant engine was racing at full speed. No one else was injured.

An explosion of gas caused the trouble. At 3:30 o'clock this morning the big engine was sent to the oil tanks, in the southern part of the yards. An explosion of accumulated gas from some unexplained cause occurred at the tanks. Burning oil was thrown all over the locomotive and its tender.

The hostler in charge reversed the engine and started it back toward the northern yards at full speed. The flames spread so rapidly that he and his assistant were compelled to jump for their lives without closing the throttle.

When the wild engine crashed into its sister the sound of the impact was heard for many blocks and attracted large crowds to the scene.

interest and in increased appropria-ENGINE RUNS AWAY tions more than a quarter of a million dollars each year, and it means the destruction of the Agricultural and Mechanical College, the

farmers' school. This, within itself, would destroy a Million and a Half Dollars of property, paid for by the taxpayers."

### A Factory Guaranty Fund.

Two hundred business men of Dallas gathered at what they called a "prosperity dinner" the other night, and among other subjects discussed was that of creating a factory fund of \$1,000,000 to be used in inducing factories to locate in Dallas. The purpose of the proposed fund is not to give bonuses, but to take stock in worthy enterprises and aid in establishing them upon a solid foundation. The plan for raising the fund as outlined by one of the speakers is to secure it through subscriptions paid in annual installments. This, it was pointed out, was the plan Boston had adopted successfully.

Here, in Houston, the business men are alive to the importance of factories, and efforts are being made to induce quite a number of plants to move here, but it seems to the Post that a factory guaranty fund, such as Dallas proposes to raise, is the most practical way.

The great majority of manufacturers that we can hope to bring to Houston must begin in a modest way. The inducement for them to come is the tremendous Texas market. It is obviously impossible for them to obtain financial backing for their removal from the people of their present locations. Such help, if it be had at all, must come from the community in which they desire to locate.

If Houston were prepared to take a block of stock in factories desiring to move here, there would be no longer any backwardness on the part of manufacturers. There are quite a number, no doubt, who would move tomorrow if they could dispose of stock enough here to enable them to become established. It is difficult, indeed, almost impossible, to handle matters of this character through individual investors. The only way is to have a guaranty fund handled by competent men who will be authorized to invest such stock after thorough investigation as to the reliability of the applicant, his capacity to make a success of the industry and the eligibility of Houston as the site for such an industry. The sum of \$1,000,000 judiciously invested in this way during the next three or four years would stimulate manufacturing in Houston No city can become great, populous

# Planters' Cotton Chopper Co.

### **MANUFACTURERS OF**

# **The Parsley Cotton**

## Chopper

We have a thoroughly equipped machine shop and are now in a position to do all kinds of machine work, such as gin, sawmill and automobile repairs.

We carry a line of valves, pipes and oils, also gasoline.

We do horse shoeing and wood work. Satisfaction guaranteed.

# Planters' Cotton Chopper Co. CROCKETT, TEXAS

### Opposes Amendment.

Austin, Texas, June 9.-The following statement has been issued from the headquarters of the state organization which is opposing the adoption of the amendment to Sections 49 and 52 of Article 3 of the Constitution.

"An address issued by the Regents of the University, which has been extensively circulated, makes the statement that the adoption of the bond amendment

Will provide the funds necessary for the proposed expansion of the University without any addition whatever to the taxes borne by the people. The income from the University permanent endowment is amply sufficient to pay the interest and provide a sinking fund for the bonds proposed.'

"This is a very clever, but a very misleading statement, in that it does not inform the reader of the fact that nowhere in the amendment is there anything which compels the Legislature, or says that the Legislature shall use any part of the permanent fund to pay off either the interest or bonds. It is left to the Legislature entirely.

Besides, the permanent income of the University will not pay the interest, to say nothing of the bonds, for the Five or Seven Million Dollars which the Regents said in their report for 1912 that the University would soon need. Again, there is no mention in the address of the fact that if bonds are issued for other State institutions that the tax payers have got to pay them. Any person who will secure a copy of the amendment and read it can see for himself that the statement that the adoption of the Constitutional amendment providing for unlimited bonds will not cost the tax payers a cent is not based upon anything in the amendment itself. All bonds must be paid by the tax payers. The adoption of the bond amendment will cost the tax payers in

industrial growth. The stock thus we must look to factories for the purchased would belong to those pay rolls to enable Houston to reach who subscribed to the fund and it that measure of greatness to which would be negotiable in the event it is entitled by reason of its unrivone wished to dispose of it. This subject is not new to Hous- ton Post. ton business men. It has been discussed before and generally considered with favor, but no headway has been made toward creating the

fund. It is effort of this character that s responsible for the remarkable growth of Dallas. We can hope for very little industrial progress if we wait for the factories to come of

their own accord with no substantial encouragement from Houston. and lay the foundation for great and wealthy without pay rolls, and

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Makes the skin soft and smooth-never becomes rancid.

# Decuir-Bishop Drug Company

The Prompt Service Store

### ................................. President and Mrs. H. P. V. Bogue Local News.

Miss Estelle Bromberg is visiting in Palestine.

Frank Chamberlain of Trinity was here Sunday.

See Arledge Tailoring Co. for fine Medical College at Galveston. tailoring .- Adv.

Fresh butter at Mary Allen Seminary at 25c. per pound.

John Horan is building a new home on Houston street.

Ladies' white suits cleaned by Arledge Tailoring Co.--Adv.

Miss Lois McConnell of Haskell is repair and press your clothes. of Weches and Dr. R. E. Dillard of Nothing is too fine for them.-Adv. visiting relatives in this city. The Pickwick Barber Shop for Don't fail to visit the Crockett first-class work. Cleanliness our

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city.

Frank Craddock of San| Antonio is spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Craddock, in this city.

Lipscomb Sherman of Kennard was in Crockett Sunday on his way to Galveston to attend the druggists' convention.

Miss Zig Decuir left last week to visit in Beaumont and was accompanied as far as Houston by Mrs. A. M. Decuir.

Mrs. W. A. Norris is suffering from an attack of appendicitis and away from Crockett this week. The will leave soon for a sanitarium to undergo an operation.

200 acre farm for sale, about Crockett Tuesday, was 6 against 3. half improved, 10 miles east from Crockett on public road. \$12.00 per acre.—Hail & Wilson.

Carl Goolsby passed axamination at Dallas last week and is now a registered pharmacist. He is with the Decuir-Bishop Drug Co.

The ladies of the Baptist Aid Society will sell ice cream and cake visit in Crockett on his way to Galand sandwiches on the street trades veston Friday. Mr. Langston was day, Saturday, June 21.-Adv.

J. T. Barnhill of Route 6, M. B. Matchett of Kennard and J. W. Markham are among the number remembering the Courier since last issue.

Don't forget the specials at the Crockett Dry Goods Co's. for trades day. Any pair of \$4.50, \$4.00 or

at \$2.95. 1t. Everything in ribbons-new velvet ribbons in all shades and colthis stock and get prices before of town Tuesday.

buying.-Adv.

Smith Brothers will move into their new livery barn this week and the work of reconstructing the old are already being graded.

J. R. Richards of Grapeland, H.

### 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.

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Lovelady took two baseball games

first was played at Lovelady Mon-

day and resulted in a score of 10

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Will Lend Money on Real Estate

or take up your note and give you a

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Bank building, Crockett, Texas. Adv

Charles R. Langston, a banker at

Garrison and a cousin of James

Langston of this city, made a short

traveling in an automobile aud was

The Crockett Dry Goods Co. offer

accompanied by his family.

CROCKETT, TEXAS

# Attention



### PROGRAM FOR TRADES DAY

THE DRUMMER'S VACATION HOFMEYER'S LEGACY Thanhouser Film-Comedy

HIS UNCLE'S WIVES Keystone Film-Comedy

WIFE American Film-Drama

Don't forget to bring your tickets given away by the Booster Excur-\$3.50 shoes for men and women chison, Miss Sallie John Murchison, sion for trades day, Saturday, June Frank Murchison and Mrs. Billie 21. Show starts at 10 o'clock and Royall, all of Athens. They are runs all day. Come in and see the pictures and hear the music.



### Dance for Visitors.

An impromptu dance was enjoyed at the Crockett Club Monday evening complimentary to the city's visiting girls. The club is not yet formally opened, the opening reception and ball to occur at a later date, when the club is finished. Messrs. C. A. and James Clinton The chaperones were Mr. and went to Dallas Wednesday and re- Mrs. D. F. Arledge and Mr. and Mrs.

of Mary Allen Seminary have gone north for the summer. Phone your orders to the Crockett Dry Goods Co. Free delivery to

any part of the city. 1t. Dr. Will Nunn Lipscomb is at home from the Texas University

For Sale. Lots 2 and 3 in Block 12 in West Crockett.-1t. S. B. Box.

For Rent. Nice six-room house close in. T. B. Satterwhite.

Let Arledge Tailoring Co. clean, F. Newman of Percilla, Z. R. Gorbet

you a cool, comfortable place to do your trading, the newest and best goods at the lowest prices and prompt and courteous treatment at PECOS PETE LOOKING FOR A all times. Visit them on trades day in the Telephone building. 1t.

Arriving Tuesday from Athens in an automobile were Mr. Dan Murnow the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Crook, all of whom ators-at Daniel & Burton's. See tended the Murchison reunion north

**Misses Grace and Sue Denny left** on Tuesday evening for Cincinnati, Ohio, where they will take courses in literature and music during the summer. Miss Sue will enter the barn will begin. The adjoining lots Cincinnati Conservatory of Music while Miss Grace will take a literary course in a nearby school. They will be away until September.

Dry Goods Co. on trades day. 1t.

Arledge Tailoring Co. do cleaning, pressing and repairing.—Adv.

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

The new auto veils in all the new colors at Daniel & Burton's.--Adv.

Miss Hallie Pearson of Nacogdoches is visiting Miss Maude Mc- D. A. Nunn. Connell.

It is not too late to order a cool, summer suit from Arledge Tailor-Co.-Adv.

Miss Eleanor Burke of San Antonio is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. R. Sheridan.

J. W. Saunders left Monday night for Virginia to spend his summer vacation.

Miss Mildred Taylor of Trinity is and see them .- Adv. visiting her sister, Mrs. S. A. Fain, in this city.

George Richards was here Tuesday, having recently moved from Tyler to Trinity.

Jim Lipscomb and Earl Adams have returned from the Texas University at Austin.

J. A. Smith of Bryan is among the number remembering the Courier since last issue.

John LeGory last week bought an Overland touring car and is now learning to drive it.

Mrs. Steve Beasley and son have arrived from Austin and will make this city their home.

Miss Reba Rich of Lovelady was a guest of Miss Otice McConnell Monday and Tuesday.

Are you satisfied with just paint, or do you want good paint? New shipment of Harrison's at McLean Drug Co.

hobby. Hot and cold baths.-Adv Miss Mary McConnico of Corsicana is visiting the family of her

brother, T. G. McConnico, in this

Crockett to spend the summer at shoulder. Five dollars reward for the home of his grandmother, Mrs. delivery at Lovelady to Mr. Earl

### Less Than Half Price.

Gin. grist mill and shingle mill. In good condition. Easy terms. Hail and Wilson, Crockett State friends remembering us last week. Bank.

A full line of silk hose, all the fancy colors, just received at Daniel & Burton's. This stock was selected for evening and street wear and will match any color of evening or street shoe or slipper. Call

### Start the Fourth

with a breakfast of which our bread or rolls is a part. You'll find they taste better than any bread or rolls you have eaten, but they are no better than we bake all the time. You'll enjoy them every morning, noon or

night you eat them. **Crockett Bakery** 

Weches were among those remembering the Courier last week.

We are showing a beautiful assortment of ladies and misses' readyto-wear dresses.

> Crockett Dry Goods Co., **Telephone Building.**

Lost-One brown mare, 2 years Robert Reed Nunn has come to old, brand half circle, 3 bars, on left Goodrum.-1t\* W. B. Butler.

> S. D. Ratcliff of Ratcliff, Dr. T. M. Sherman of Kennard, B. M. Nicks of Ratcliff and L. S. Alfred of Kennard were some of the Courier's

> D. H. Dauphin of Lovelady, Clark & Long, A. P. Pool and D. C. Appleton of Weldon and L. H. Morrow of Lovelady Route 2 were among the number remembering the Courier last week.

> John Sweet Arrington, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Arrington, after a prolonged illness, died Sunday night and was buried in Glenwood cemetery Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

#### For Sale at a Bargain.

One mill complete less boiler and engine, for sawing shingles. Also my home at Kennard, Texas. For particulars write W. F. Melton, Kennard, Texas. 2t.

Porter Springs is arranging for a big Fourth of July barbecue. Noted speakers will be asked to discuss the constitutional amendments and the needs of Houston county in re gard to jail facilities.

Mr. Earle Tomme of Lovelady and Miss Cozy Ellis of this city were married on Tuesday evening, June 10, at the home of the bride's father, Mr. Charles Ellis. The Courier joins in extending congratulations and best wishes.

#### **Five Dollars Reward.**

Lost-A mare mule, deep bay, 14 hands high, four years old. Will pay \$5.00 to any one taking up this mule. Notify E. C. Satterwhite, Route 5, Crockett, Texas.

turned Thursday with Jim Clinton's R. A. Clark, and the others enjoying automobile, an Everett touring car. this impromptu affair were as fol-This automobile was shipped from Mr. Clinton's home, Detroit, to Dal-las and driven from there to Crock- McConnell, Reba Rich of Lovelady. Mr. Clinton's home, Detroit, to Dalett. The trip can be made from Maude McConnell, Alline Foster, Dallas to Palestine in a day or from Crockett to Corsicana in a day.

### Finest Surf Bathing in the World at Galveston.

Popular excursion via I. & G. N. G. N. Ticket Agent.

lows: Misses Mary Lee Benedict of Mary McConnico of Corsicana, Lois **McConnell of Haskell, Nell Beasley** Myrtle Benson of Galveston, Mamie Valentine, Myrle Haring and Elea-nor Burke of San Antonio; Messrs.

W. C. Dupuy, D. P. Craddock, J. C. Tickets on sale Saturday, June 21, Wootters, Benton Roberts, Henry and for trains arriving Galveston Ellis, Downes Foster, C. S. Long, Sunday morning, June 22; limit to Harvey Bayne, Tom Aiken, Harry leave Galveston Monday, June 23. Fred Moore, Lois Bricker, Gee Clark, For rate and particulars, see I. & Robert Reed Nunn, J. G. Arledge, G. N. Ticket Agent. 1t. Oliver Aldrich and W. W. Aiken.



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**THIRD DAY OUT WITH** THE BOOSTER BUNCH

### Lovelady, Weldon and Other Towns Visited-Music, Flower Presentation at Lovelady and Speeches.

One car was added to the fifteen that made the first day's trip and that made the full second day's trip for the trip on the third day, Thursday. 'The start with sixteen cars for Lovelady was on time, and Lovelady was reached ahead of time, where a hearty welcome was in store. The Lovelady band, noted for its good music, led in the welcoming. Mayor Young, from an automobile, made a speech miong the lines as at other places. When he had finished, Miss Verne Monday, in that charming and graceful manner that is always hers. mounted the speaker's automobile and presented Mayor Young, in behalf of the people of Lovelady, a and beautiful bouquet of Bowers. When Mayor Young had expressed the gratitude of the excursionists for such a handsome reception, County Attorney B. F. Dent, who formerly lived at Lovelady. was called on for a speech. Mr. Dent spoke of the unity of action that should lie with the people of Lovelady and Crockett in every worthy effert to develop their home county. He closed by saying that he hoped to see the day when the two towns would be linked together y. ne admonished the Lovelady merchants, but if there was anything their home merchants did not have which they wanted and needed, he invited them to send to Crockett, their county seat, for it and not to some town out of their nome county. Sam Sharp, once citizen of Crockett, but now of Lovelady, happily joined in the sentiments already so nobly expressed. The Lovelady band played again and the excursionists departed for Antioch, where a short stop was made as at other places. The next town was Weldon, on the new railroad from Trinity, the Beaumont & Great Northern, recently bought by the Katy and to be extended across the river to Midway in Madison county. Weldon is five miles from Trinity river and at the lower edge seven miles. Three miles from Weldon lies the famous Eastham farm with its thousands of fertile and cultivated acres, as level as the foor and as black as your black hat. Until last year this farm was worked exclusively by convicts and the prison house is there yet. The farm is now worked by free labor and many new tenant houses have been built. Under the guidance of the manager, W. A. Eastham, the automobile excursionists were piloted over the farm, good roads interon earth than this Trinity bottom spread on the Weldon depot platwas at Volga and the usual program either side the finest of corn and the

are good, but corn is needing rain.

THE LAST LEG OF THE **EXCURSION A GOOD ONE.** 

Enthusiasm Overrode Superstition-Friday, the Thirteenth, No Hoodoo Day for the Crockett Booster Bunch.

The last day of the Crockett trade excursion, of which there were four, was Friday, the thirteenth. So enthusiastic was the booster bunch that no attention was paid to the hoodoo number. Two new cars

were in this day's trip, increasing the number to eighteen, the largest of any day. The bunch left Crockett blowing horns, waiving banners and singing trade hallelujahs, with Porter Springs as the first stop. These eighteen automobiles carried upward of ninety business men. At Porter Springs a large and enthusiastic crowd of men, women and children met the excursionists with a hurrah for Houston county. After a short speech by Mayor Young of Crockett, in which he called attention to a few of the possibilities of Houston county in particular and East Texas in general, the good ladies of Porter Springs served to the booster bunch some cream and cake of the most delicious kind, after which each booster was presented with a bouquet of cape jessamines by a bevy of young girls. Dr. W. W. Latham responded to the mayor's speech with an address of welcome, after which the little girls sang a welcome and the band again played. The reception was held in front of the public school building. Trades day, June 21, and the Houston county fair dates, September 30 to October 3, were advertised by a hard road and made as one throughout the trip. The next stop as at Ash, surrounded by a fertile people to first patronize their home farming country. A large crowd was present to welcome the boosters and the usual program was carried out. From here the excursionists headed for the Big Four river farm, owned by Daniel & Burtom, Arch Baker and John Markham. After a short run, led by I. A. Danial in the pilot car, the booster bunch was brought to a halt in the midst of a thousand acre block of as fine cotton as the world can produce-full of blooms and bolls, and all showing signs of scientific farming. Mr. Markham of the firm is in charge of the plantation. Leaving the Big Four plantation, the next stop was for dinner at Blue Lake, on the adjoining plantation of H. J. Arledge. Here a barbecue dinner was in waiting for the of Nevil's prairie, across which it is should worry about what that crowd of hungry boosters did for that barhis car, beautiful Blue Lake was ists. These plantations are all in home via Shiloh. A good crowd farm of W. B. Cochran, viewing

bunch, but it didn't wait long. You becued mutton and pork! This dinner was prepared and served by the negro hands who gave it all the earmarks of the oldtime plantation barbecue. Led by Mr. Arledge in left behind and fifteen hundred acres of corn and cotton, as fine as grows, traversed by the excursionthe black land and level and the crops in a high state of cultivation. Out of this farm we passed through secting broad acres at convenient the Cowherd & Rucker plantation, distances. There is no richer land where the corn and cotton is as good as the best, passing on the and and there is so much of it that way the pretty lake home of L. D. it looks like the ocean. Lunch was Rogers at Patterson Lake. Next was the two thousand acre plantaform by the excursionists, and after tion of George Murray, where there a visit to the business men in their is one cotton field of seventeen stores and a concert by the Booster hundred acres, level and black. band, the bunch was off for Volga From here the excursionists turned and Morrow's Store and thence homeward through the river valley on

was gone through. In a sandbed cotton. Coming out of the river near Shiloh one of the cars was put valley one car became disabled and out of commission and had to be had to be left. The return trip was towed in, its passengers dividing up made by way of Creek, where the in other cars. This car, however, usual stop was made and the usual was repaired at night and went out greetings exchanged. In a sand on the trip the next day. Crops bed, thirteen miles from Crockett, on Friday, the 13th, another car went to the bad and had to be left. Sixteen cars were able to get back to town on their own power.

> It was a wonderful and a memorable trip, combining educational, business and pleasure features. It afforded an opportunity for the city's business men to get better acquainted with sections of their home county that they knew little about and to get better acquainted with each other. The opportunity for observing individual character and characteristics was unlimited.

### Election Order.

### Whereas, the City Council of the City of Crockett, Texas, deems it advisable to issue bonds of said City for the purposes hereinafter mentioned.

Therefore, it is hereby ordered by the City Council of said City that an election be held on the 22nd day of July, 1913, at which election the following proposition will be submitted:

Shall the City Council of the City of Crockett, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of said City in the sum of Eighteen thousand (\$18,000) five per cent per annum, payable semi-annully, with option of redeeming said bonds at any time after ten years from date thereof, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest of said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem them at maturity, for the purpose of extending and completing the water works system in said City of Crockett.

Said election shall be held at the voting box in the southeast corner of the Court House in said City of Crockett and James Langston is

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Also a nice assortment of Vanities in Sterling and German Silver—fashion's latest fad.

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### To Make This City Her Home.

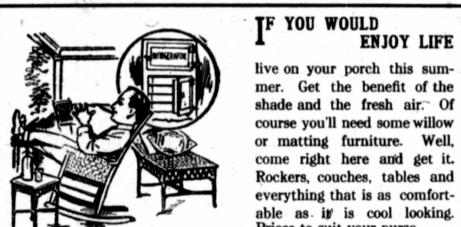
Little Mabel McFadden, six years Dollars, payable in forty years after old and bright and amiable, came date, bearing interest at the rate of all the way from Battle Creek, Michigan, by herself to make her home with the family of Dr. R. M. Hamlin of this city. Little Mabel was formerly adopted by Bernarr with a shotgun. McFadden, the unquestioned leading physical culturist of the world, who unexpectedly had to go England for an indefinite length of time and could not take the child

with him.

### Snake Editor Gets Busy.

Allen Chatman, a negro living near Lake creek, south of Arbor, is reported to have killed a monster rattlesnake Saturday. The snake measured 6 feet 11½ inches, had 22 rattlers and a button and fangs % of an inch long. It was killed

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hereby appointed manager of said election, and he is hereby authorized to select two judges and two clerks.

Said election shall he held under the provisions of Chapter 149 Acts of the Twenty-Sixth Legislature, Laws 1899, and only qualified voters, who are property tax payers of said City, shall be allowed to vote. and all voters, desiring to support the proposition to issue bonds shall have printed on their ballots "For the Issuance of Bonds," and those opposed shall have printed on their ballots the words "Against the Issuance of Bonds" The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State regulating general elections.

A copy of this order, signed by the mayor of said City, shall serve as a proper notice of said election, and the mayor is directed to cause notice of the election to be posted up at the places designated for holding said election at least thirty days prior to the date of said election, and to advertise same as required by law. J. W. Young.

Mayor of City of Crockett, Texas. The State of Texas, **County of Houston:** 

I, J. Valentine, city secretary of the City of Crockett, Texas, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of an election order passed by the City Council of the City of Crockett, Texas, on the 9th day of June, 1913, at a regular meeting of said council, a quorum being present, which order is of record on pages 81, 82 and 83 of Book B of the minutes of said City Council, which said minutes have been duly signed by the mayor.

Witness my hand, and the seal of said City, this the 17th day of June, 1913.

J. Valentine, City Secretary, City of Crockett, Texas Prices to suit your purse.

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