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Joe Adams is Dead.

Hon. Joe Adams died in a sanitarium at Fort Worth Sunday at noon. He had been in the Fort Worth sanitarium since the breaking down of his health several weeks ago. The news of his death was as the casting of a gloom of sadness over all Houston county and the whole of Texas. No man had more friends than did Joe Adams and few enjoyed a more extensive acquaintance. It is said that he had not missed a session of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Texas in perhaps 25 years. He was not only prominent in Masonic affairs, but equally as prominent in church and community affairs.

Joe Adams was born in the state of Louisiana November 2, 1869, and was therefore nearing his fiftieth birthday. He came to Texas and to Crockett with his parents, Hon. and Mrs. Earle Adams, when he was a very small boy. When a young man he married Miss Antoinette Porter, then living with her parents at Porter Springs, and which was on November 25, 1891. His wife came to live in Crockett, was always a devoted companion and is yet a favored resident of this city. Others of the family remaining are Mrs. Frank Holliday of Henrietta and Earle Porter, Henry and Tom of Crockett, daughter and sons. Brother and sisters remaining are: Earle Adams Jr., Mrs. H. J. Castleberg and Mrs. D. F. Arledge. Also

surviving and residents of Crockett are the parents, Col. and Mrs. Adams.

Joe Adams was for many years a steward and layman in the Methodist church and high in the councils of the Masonic lodge. In 1911 he was Grand High Priest of the Royal Arch, Grand Chapter of Texas. He was a member of the Commandery and of the legal committee of the Grand Lodge of Texas, A. F. & A. M. He also stood high in his profession, which was that of the law. He was an active member of the firm of Adams & Young, composed of Earle Adams Sr., Joe Adams and J. W. Young.

Funeral services were held at Crockett Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Services at the Methodist church were conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. B. Garrett, following which the Masonic ceremony was administered. Interment was in Glenwood cemetery. It was one of the largest-attended funerals at Crockett in many years. Prominent Masons, relatives and friends were present from many sections of the country.

Young Woman Abducted While Waiting for Groom.

McAlester, Ok., Sept. 15.—Miss May Herd, 18 years old, while waiting at her home here Sunday for her fiance, John Worthington, to call for her with the wedding license for a quiet wedding at a preacher's home, was

Interscholastic League.

During the Houston County Teachers' Institute Tuesday officers were elected to conduct the University Interscholastic League work for the ensuing school session. The directors elected are:

Director general, S. R. LeMay, Grapeland; director public

speaking, B. F. Thomas, Crockett; director athletics, H. C. Hill, Kennard; director essay writing, Mrs. N. A. Gant, Lovelady; director spelling, Miss Ava Thomason, Augusta.

Under the rules of the league, J. H. Rosser, county superintendent of public instruction, is ex-officio director of rural schools.

Mr. Roy Bedichek, vice state chairman of the league, addressed the institute Wednesday morning in behalf of this work, and at the close of his talk, forty-one schools of the county joined the league and will participate in the work this year. S. R. LeMay hopes to secure every school in the county as a member before the institute closes.

Teachers' Institute.

Crockett is full of teachers this week. A hundred and sixty-one Houston county teachers are attending the Houston county teachers' institute, which is in session. Crockett welcomes the teachers. They were Crockett's guests at a special matinee at the Baker Theatre, moving picture house, Thursday afternoon, following which they were given an automobile ride over the city by the citizens of Crockett. Crockett always welcomes the teachers, who are doing a great work in a noble way. May their usefulness never grow less and their numbers ever increase.

Commissioners' Court.

At a special session of the commissioners' court held on Wednesday, August 20, the court, acting on the petition of E. C. Thompson, M. B. Etheredge, T. J. Maples, W. H. Oates, G. E. Mansell, W. D. James, L. O. Goodrum and many others of the Weldon community, ordered an election to be held to determine whether the road district to be known as road district No. 9 should issue road bonds in the sum of \$100,000, bearing 5½ per cent interest. The date of the election was set as September 27, 1919 (Saturday of next week), and to be held at the Weldon voting box. W. H. Oates and W. D. James were appointed managers of the election.

At the special session of the court held on Wednesday, August 20, the following order was passed and appears in the proceedings:

"Whereas it appears to this court that John H. Ellis is due to Houston county various small sums of money, caused by excess fees being allowed him by the commissioners' court, and as the audit of the county books shows the amount to be \$317.36, the court deems it to be for the best interest of Houston county to accept this amount of money from said Ellis in full settlement."

A device that records the vibrations of the voice on a photographic film has been invented by a Frenchman to aid students in singing.

A Tempting Array of New Styles in Ready-to-Wear



NEW FALL SUITS.

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Always in strict compliance with the dictates of the foremost fashion authorities, and bearing always in mind the wishes of our own customers, we have been especially successful in gathering together this season's assortment of ready-to-wear. It is an array from which you will be almost sure to choose "just the thing" for your requirements. More than ever we emphasize the note of quality in these offerings; we are confident that every article will give thorough wearing satisfaction. Look carefully over this ad and note the tempting values from several departments.

PRETTY FROCKS OF NEW DESIGN.

There is an air of gracefulness and at the same time an air of sweet dignity in these new autumn modes for women.

Our new merchandise coming in is a joy to see and to choose from.

You will find in our women's costume section many new frocks of exceedingly good value and clever design.

You are sure to find something to please you among the many striking models.

Designs are new and distinctive and the quality of materials and workmanship the highest.

SHOES.

Somehow the comfort and style of our shoes are making a profound impression on women who buy shoes thoughtfully. The newer models, with their grace and unusual good looks are partly responsible, but the assurance of good value in every shoe has a great deal to do with it.

You will find many new models in all shades and leathers in our comprehensive stock. Every shoe buyer should know of our tempting assortments.

Walking Shoes.

Comfortable walking shoes are most important when making up the fall wardrobe. You will find our stock complete and containing some very smart styles for this season. You will surely be pleased to find just what you want in our shoe section.



BLOUSES.

There is a delightful simplicity about our new modes in blouses. Many of them button at the back in youthful fashion, and have ties which lend a sash effect, uniting the skirt and blouse most charmingly for dinner or informal wear. You will find these in the latest patterns and shades.

HANDBAGS.

"She had a saucy appearance, yet truly attractive"—many times one makes this statement without knowing just why—that is why it is interesting to note the essentials of the smartly clad women on the street.

Handbags lend a touch of smartness and taste in apparel that will impress the connoisseur of apparel with a feeling of completeness and style.

James S. Shivers
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Mrs. John I. Moore and child are visiting in Tyler.

Save your coupons on aluminum at T. D. Craddock's. 2t.

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

Roderick Hatchell of Houston was visiting relatives here this week.

Men's Sox and underwear are selling cheap at T. D. Craddock's. 2t.

You can get the best shoes from R. L. Shivers and save money every time. 2t.

Parties going off to school, call at T. D. Craddock's for a nice trunk—price right. 2t.

Misses Mary Aldrich and Leona Thomas will leave next week for Texas University, Austin.

John Cook will be a student of Southern Methodist University, Dallas, beginning next week.

Buy shoes that are made of leather. These are the only kind we sell. 2t. R. L. Shivers.

Money to lend on farms. Terms reasonable, money quick. See J. S. French, Crockett, Texas. tf.

Rev. L. L. Sams of the First Baptist church is spending a two weeks' vacation in Wisconsin.

Moore & Shivers have a few of those Weber wagons left. Come and get yours before they are all gone. tf.

Miss Queenie V. Sams and Howard Jordan will attend Baylor University at Waco the coming term.

Mrs. C. N. Corry and Miss Bella Lipscomb have returned from their visit to friends in New York.

When you think of groceries, think also of R. L. Shivers. His stock is always fresh and of the best quality. 2t.

Miss Otice McConnell will open her Expression and Physical Training class on September 22, in the school building. All who are interested in the work will see her either before or on that date. Terms, \$4.00. 2t.

Johnson Phillips left on Tuesday night's train for Lebanon, Tenn., to re-enter Castle Heights Military School.

R. L. Shivers carries the best line of leather horse collars to be found in Crockett. Come in and take a look. 2t.

Mrs. J. B. Deal and children have returned from a visit to Mrs. Deal's father, Judge R. W. Hall, at Amarillo.

Do you know that Mrs. Monzingo carries a full line of Hygienic goods? Also orders switches, puffs and curls? 1t.

Misses Beth Lundy and Nodelle Jordan left Sunday for Groveton where they will teach in the public schools.

Misses Leita Cunyus and Hattie Stokes will leave next week for Dallas to re-enter Southern Methodist University.

Mrs. F. G. Edmiston and Janie Elizabeth have returned from Virginia and the east, where they spent the summer.

Ladies: Let us sell you your next waist—large stock to select from. 2t. T. D. Craddock.

Don't fail to bring your cotton samples to the new cotton buyer, Mr. C. D. Poe, at the Crockett Commercial Club. 2t.

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One room to let, with all conveniences—private bath between this and connecting room. Phone 193. 2t. Mrs. Geo. W. Crook.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Castleberg and daughters of Dallas were here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Castleberg's brother, Hon. Joe Adams, Monday.

Lost. Between Grapeland and Crockett a handbag containing men's clothes. Finder return to this office and receive reward. 2t.

Farm and Town Property. I offer for sale my farm of 86 acres, all in cultivation and pasture, two sets of improvements; both well and spring water; also a five-room house on lot of one acre, good house, electric lights, water connection and sewerage connection. Farm adjoining Crockett. Selling on account of health. 2t.* A. F. Daniel.

If you want a wagon that will stand up under the heaviest load on all kinds of road conditions, buy the Winona from R. L. Shivers—price lower than many others not so good. 2t.

The new hats at Hail's Millinery Parlors represent the very newest styles and the stock is so varied that you will have no trouble finding what you want. Come in and see them. 1t.

Lanier Edmiston, Smith Wootters, Frank Wootters, Davis Denny, Fisher Denny, Stephen Denny and Mayes Hail are some of the students leaving next week for Texas University, Austin.

Miss Georgia Harrington of Kalamazoo, Mich., returned home with Mrs. E. F. Archibald, who has been spending the summer in Michigan. Miss Harrington is now a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald.

Lost Heifer.

A red muley heifer, two years old last spring, marked three splits in the right, crop split and underbit in the left ear and branded W. Reward of \$5.00 for return of this heifer. 2t.* Gertrude Williams.

Livestock Sales Day.

Houston county's first livestock sales day was a great success. The Crockett Commercial Club is to be congratulated on the success of this movement and enterprise meaning so much to the farming and mercantile industries of Houston county. The Courier is informed that these livestock sales days will be made permanent, monthly affairs. The livestock interests are the salvation of Houston county this year.

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CROCKETT, TEXAS

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W. F. Robinson, County Agent.

Mr. W. A. R. French has returned from Senatobia, Miss., bringing with him one of his brothers, who will remain for a visit. Mr. French reports a short corn crop in Mississippi and a cotton crop only a little better than ours.

Cattle Shipments.

Cattle Inspector J. D. Morgan issued permits for the shipment of 963 head of cattle from Crockett on Thursday of last week, which permits were only for one day's shipments. Houston county cattle are in large demand, owing to the county being under the cattle dipping regulations. Buyers are paying from \$5 to \$10 more for cattle in tick-dipping counties than for cattle in non-dipping counties, and besides the cattle from non-dipping counties are under quarantine regulations. All the cattle delivered at Crockett last Thursday were sleek and clean of ticks, and they were what are known as woods-range cattle.

With Our Subscribers.

Those who have called at the Courier office since last report say that not more than the fourth of a cotton crop will be made this year in Houston county. They say that the Courier's former estimate, placed at the third of a crop, is too high. Fine corn and other feed crops are invariably reported.

Among those calling to renew or subscribe, or sending in their renewals and subscriptions, since last report are the following:

J. D. Clark, Crockett Rt. 1.
Miss Alice Foster, Mt. Pleasant.
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This story of the first "horseless carriage" brought to Texas is told in the Dallas Evening Journal by Oswin K. King as follows:

"Over in the corner of a junk pile in Dallas, almost hidden from sight by a large pile of scrap metal, lies a rotting oak box. There are a few iron scraps still screwed on it, but a blow with a hammer and the thing would be reduced to fragments. It is not worth a penny to the junk yard, but it is all that is left of the first "horseless carriage" brought to Texas. There had been other "horseless carriages" but this was the first automobile.

"Only a short time ago, fifteen years, to be exact, this piece of machinery was gazed upon in wonderment by thousands at the St. Louis World Fair. It was considered a marvel in horseless carriages. The makers who had been manufacturing sewing machines for many years, were proud of their exhibit as one of the big drawing cards of the fair.

"Yes sir, she would run without a horse and had pneumatic tires. All you had to do was to stick a match to an oil burner and wait around for half an hour or so until some steam had been generated and she was ready to hit the road. No bother with harness and you didn't have to buy a lot of oats and hay, and boys, you can pass these rubber tired buggies on the road Sunday afternoon with her going at fifteen miles an hour and your best girl will never leave.

"Such were the talking points of the 1904 automobile.

"E. H. R. Green, who was then living at Terrell, was a visitor at the fair. He marvelled at it. He just had to have it to take down to Texas and show these friends of his. Expenses were no object so he bought the automobile, loaded it on a special car and brought it down to Terrell along with a man that knew how to run it.

"It was a big day in Terrell when the wonder was unloaded at the Midland depot. Hundreds gathered to witness the marvel in action. When the first puff of steam shot out of the ex-

haust a near riot ensued. Horses that had been hitched too close became frightened and some of the spectators themselves "took to cover," but Mr. Green assured his audience that there was no danger and after an hour or so the mechanic had 'got up steam' and when the old boat started up the main thoroughfare of the Kaufman county metropolis a mighty cheer arose from the throats of the throngs that lined the streets. Proof positive was before their eyes that the thing would run and go at least twenty miles an hour.

"The triumph at Terrell was such a success that Mr. Green decided to take his wonder to Dallas and 'drive her all the way.' It was a hazardous undertaking in those days and success of the first automobile trip from Terrell to Dallas was the cause of as much speculation and argument as the United States Navy's air flight across the Atlantic ocean.

"So the next day Mr. Green set out on what is believed to be the most expensive automobile trip in history. It cost him about \$5000 to come from Terrell to Dallas.

"No sooner had he got out of Terrell than the news of runaway horses hitched to buggies and wagons began to come back to the people of Terrell. And that evening when he reached Dallas a trail of devastation had been left behind that lingers in the memory of farmers along the road.

"More than \$85,000 worth of suits were filed against Mr. Green as a result of the trip. More than \$5,000 has been paid out in settlements, there are still two or three suits pending in the courts.

"It was a source of much wonder and trouble to Mr. Green while he had it in Terrell. People who desired to go buggy riding in the evening would call the railroad magnate up in the morning and inquire as to whether he intended taking the automobile out that evening. If he did they would stay at home because they did not want to take a chance of getting hurt in a runaway."

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Notice of Election.
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Houston.
On this the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1919, the commissioners' court of Houston County, Texas, being in regular session, came on to be considered the petition of A. O. Atkinson and 46 other persons, being more than a majority of the resident property tax paying voters of the hereinafter described territory, praying that bonds be issued by the territory hereinafter described, and that same be designated by the court as Road District No. Twelve of Houston County, Texas, in the sum of Twenty Thousand (\$20,000.00) Dollars, bearing five and one-half per cent. rate of interest and maturing not exceeding thirty years from their date, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof, and it appearing to the Court that said petition is signed by more than a majority of the resident property tax paying voters of said District No. Twelve of Houston County, Texas, and that the amount of said bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Road District No. Twelve of Houston County, Texas, which is hereby designated by this Court as Road District No. Twelve of Houston County, Texas, and which is described by field notes as follows:

Beginning at the South West corner of the J. S. Etheridge survey on the Houston and Walker County line. Thence North 51 East with said County line 8400 varas to the East side of the I. & G. N. railroad right of way. Thence North with said right of way 5700 varas to where the East Boundary line of the J. Hart Survey crosses same. Thence South with the East Boundary line of the said Hart Survey 500 varas to the South corner of same. Thence North 45 West 1000 varas to Hart's North West corner. Thence South 45 West 2750 varas to Tantabogue Creek. Thence up said Creek with its meanders to the North boundary line of the Jas. Nevelle league. Thence South 45 West with said North boundary line continuing same course 9500 varas to West boundary line of the John Welsh league. Thence South 45 East with said Welsh, John Walker, J. M. Ford and J. S. Etheridge surveys to place of beginning.

It is therefore considered and ordered by the court that an election be held in said Road District No. Twelve of Houston County, Texas, on the 11th day of October, A. D. 1919, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order, to determine whether or not the bonds of said Road District No. Twelve of Houston County, Texas, shall be issued in the sum of Twenty Thousand (\$20,000.00) Dollars bearing five and one-half per cent. rate of interest, and maturing not exceeding thirty years from their date, and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said Road District No. Twelve of Houston County, Texas, subject to taxation for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking

fund for the redemption thereof at maturity. Notice of said election shall be given by publication in a newspaper published in said County for four consecutive weeks before the date of said election, and in addition thereto there shall be posted notices of said election at three public places in said Road District No. Twelve for three weeks prior to said election. Said election shall be held at Prairie Point school house, which is hereby designated as a voting box, and is situated in said Road District No. Twelve of Houston County, Texas, and the following named persons are here appointed managers of said election viz: John Shaw and Ben Speer. Said election shall be held under the provisions of the Road District Act passed at the first called session of the 31st Legislature, and under the Road District Act passed by the 35th Legislature, and only qualified voters, who are property tax payers of said Road District Number Twelve of Houston County, Texas, shall be allowed to vote, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "For the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof," and those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "Against the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof." The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State governing general elections, and a copy of this order signed by the County Judge of said County shall serve as a proper notice of said election, and the County Judge is directed to cause said notice to be published in a newspaper published in said Houston County, Texas, if there be a newspaper published therein, for four successive weeks next preceding said election, and cause to be posted a notice thereof at three public places in said Road District No. Twelve of Houston County, Texas, for three weeks prior to said election.

Nat. Patton,
County Judge, Houston County, Texas. 4t.

Citation by Publication.
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston county, greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summons B. W. Whitworth, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District court for Houston county to be held at the court house thereof in the city of Crockett on the 6th day of October, 1919, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 7870, wherein Myrtle Whitworth is plaintiff, and B. W. Whitworth is defendant, the plaintiff alleging that she and the defendant were lawfully married in Dallas county, Texas, on the 6th day of June, 1918, and lived together as husband and wife until the 18th day of July, 1918, since which time they have

neither lived or cohabited together as husband and wife. That during the short time they so lived together, she at all times and places treated her said husband with kindness and attention, and did all within her power to make his life happy and pleasant, but she soon learned the defendant had no means with which they could live, had no position with which he could earn money, and simply refused to endeavor to obtain any work or position, though able to do so, but in her absence stole her jewels and sold them for cash which he alone had the benefit of, and on the last named date stole all the money she had left of her own which she had when she married him, and appropriated such money to his own use, not expending one cent on plaintiff, and becoming convinced defendant did not want a wife, but only a woman, she left his bed and board, and would not under any circumstances attempt to longer live with him as his wife. That such conduct being cruel and excessive was such as to, and did render their living together as husband and wife insupportable, and she prays for decree of divorce, and for special and general relief, etc.

Herein fail not, but of this writ make due return as the law directs. Given under my hand and seal of office at Crockett, Texas, this the 15th day of August, 1919.
(Seal) V. B. Tunstall,
District Clerk, Houston County, Texas.
By J. B. Stanton, Deputy. 4t.

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New York, Sept. 10.—Over a five-mile flower-strewn pathway General John J. Pershing led his famous First Division down Fifth avenue today to the plaudits of 2,000,000 proud countrymen. It was the last great review of the world war for New York, and it was a fitting climax to a long series of military spectacles.

The commander of America's armies shared honors with battle-scarred veterans who won undying fame on the fields of France. For all of them it was one of life's memorable days. As he rode down the avenue the stern lines of the leader's face relaxed in the now famous Pershing smile, and when he dismounted in Washington Square at the end of the march he exclaimed:

"It was the most enthusiastic and patriotic outburst I have ever seen."

The Guard of Honor.

Behind General Pershing rode a score of major generals and brigadier generals, and back of them strode the commander's guard of honor, the world-famed composite regiment of doughboys, the flower of six divisions. Stalwart young giants, magnificent Americans, they scored in the nation's metropolis a triumph far dearer to their hearts than the laurels they won in the victory reviews of Paris and London. Nearly all the men wore wound chevrons.

Back of "Pershing's Own" swept the 25,000 regulars of the First Division. It was a dress parade, but so far as equipment went, they might have been on their way to the front. The faces under the bobbing trench helmets were stern and businesslike.

As General Pershing came abreast the grandstand at the Metropolitan Museum the crowd went wild with enthusiasm. He sat on his horse as the cavalryman has been taught to do, smiling and saluting with his gloved hand, while immediately behind streamed the American colors and the four-starred flag of a general.

Greets Cardinal Mercier.

The commander made but one stop during the march, and that was at St. Patrick's Cathedral to change horses. He dismounted amidst a crowd of girls, representing the Knights of Columbus, each eager to be the first to hand him flowers. Upon the cheek of the victor he imprinted a kiss, while she blushed happily.

Seated on a private stand in front of the cathedral were Cardinal Mercier and a throng of church dignitaries. General Pershing paused to welcome to America the heroic old man who so proudly defied the German invaders in Belgium. The cathedral chimes rang out in hymns of victory and "The Star Spangled Banner" as the two world-famous figures clasped hands.

"I love America with all my heart, and greet you as one of the world's greatest soldiers," was the greeting of Belgium's primate, while the soldier saluted.

General Pershing and his officers wore none of the many decorations which have been awarded them abroad. Even service chevrons were absent from the commander's sleeve, but on his breast was a tiny silken bar betokening the distinguished service

cross. One of the striking figures among his staff was Colonel Adelbert de Chambrun, a grandson of Lafayette, in pale blue regimentals.

Citation by Publication.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Jacob Cutler and wife, both deceased, the unknown heirs of J. C. Cutler, deceased, the unknown heirs of Emiline Cutler, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Jas. Brimberry, deceased, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive 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 Third Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said Third Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Crockett, Texas, on the first Monday in October, A. D. 1919, the same being the 6th day of October, A. D. 1919, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1919, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 5813, wherein M. S. Pelham is Plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of Jacob Cutler and wife, both deceased, the unknown heirs of J. C. Cutler, deceased, the unknown heirs of Emiline Cutler, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Jas. Brimberry, deceased, are Defendants, and said petition alleging that the plaintiff is the owner in fee simple, being lawfully seized and possessed of the following described tract of land situated in Houston County, Texas, same being 160 acres out of the Jacob Cutler 320 acre survey, and described as follows:

Beginning at the South West corner of the Jacob Cutler 320 acre survey. Thence North with the West boundary line of said Cutler survey at 950 varas to a set stake for corner from which a Hickory 10 in dia mkd X brs N 52 1/2 W 8 varas dist. Thence East 950 varas to a stake in East boundary line of the said Jacob Cutler survey from which a Pine 10 in dia mkd X brs S 49 E 4 2-10 varas dist. Do 10 in dia mkd X brs S 45 1/2 E 5 varas dist. Thence South 950 varas to the place of beginning.

Plaintiff sets out in his original petition all of the deeds and other instruments in his title under and by virtue of which he claims title to said land.

Plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in continual, actual, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same under deeds duly registered, paying all taxes due thereon for period of five years and ten years before the filing of this suit, and plaintiff specially pleads the five and ten years' statutes of limitation.

Plaintiff alleges that there is no deed on record out of Jacob Cutler, the original grantee, or any of the other defendants herein conveying said land, which casts a cloud on his title.

Plaintiff prays judgment for said land removing all clouds therefrom.

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

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, Texas, this 3rd day of September, A. D. 1919.

(Seal) V. B. Tunstall, Clerk,
District Court, Houston County.
By J. B. Stanton, Deputy. 4t.

Citation by Publication.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon B. F. Skidmore by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Crockett, on the 1st Monday in October, A. D. 1919, the same being the 6th day of October, A. D. 1919, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of August, A. D. 1919, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 7877, wherein Mrs. Libbie Skidmore is Plaintiff, and B. F. Skidmore is Defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married in Houston county, Texas, on or about the 12th day of December, 1909, and lived together as husband and wife until the 15th day of December, 1915, when defendant without cause left plaintiff with the intention of permanently abandoning her, and that more than three years have elapsed since said abandonment. Plaintiff prays for judgment dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between them. Plaintiff refers to her original petition now on file in this cause for a fuller description of her cause of action.

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.

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Texas, this the 29th day of August, A. D. 1919.

(Seal) V. B. Tunstall, Clerk,
4t. District Court, Houston County.
By J. B. Stanton, Deputy.

Citation.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the heirs of G. W. Hallmark, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Henry Masters, deceased, whose names are unknown, Arthur P. Wright, deceased, whose names are unknown, Thomas C. Mitchell, the heirs of Thomas C. Mitchell, deceased, whose names are unknown, Enoch Partin, deceased, whose names are unknown, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be held at the court house thereof, in the City of Crockett, Texas, on the 5th Monday after the 1st Monday in September, 1919, being the 6th day of Oct., A. D. 1919, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 2nd day of Sept., 1919, in a cause numbered 5810 wherein H. J. Arledge is plaintiff and the unknown heirs of G. W. Hallmark, deceased, the unknown heirs of Henry Masters, deceased, the unknown heirs of Arthur P. Wright, deceased, the unknown heirs of Thomas C. Mitchell, deceased, the unknown heirs of Enoch Partin, deceased, Arthur P. Wright, Thomas C. Mitchell and Enoch Partin, are defendants, the cause of action being alleged as follows:

That plaintiff is the owner in fee simple and is in the quiet and peaceable possession of the following described tract or parcel of land to-wit: Situated in Houston County, Texas, about 6 miles E from Crockett and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the N W cor of the G W Hallmarks league a stake from which a pine 20 in brs S 73 E 3.4 vrs another pine 10 in brs N 30 E 5 vrs; thence N 65 E with the N line of said Hallmark league 672 vrs to a stake from which a pine 24 in brs N 5 W 9 vrs, another pine 12 in brs N 67 W 6 1/2 vrs being the N W cor of the J L Monk or Stowe tract; thence S 26 E 1440 vrs to the N line of the Louisiana and Texas Lmbr. Co. 85.3 acre tract, a stake in gully from which a pine 12 in brs S 9 E 5 1/2 vrs another pine 18 in brs N 50 W 6 vrs; thence S 65 W with N line of said La. & Tex. Lmbr. Co. tract 672 vrs to N W cor of said tract on the West line of said Hallmark League a stake from which a P O 4 in brs S 63 W 2.2 vrs a R O 4 in brs N 63 E 7.4 vrs; thence S 25 E with the West line of the G. W. Hallmark league 2220 vrs to the S E cor of the Joel Banks 393 acre sur a stake from which a P O 8 in brs S 60 E 1.2 vrs another P O 10 in brs N 40 W 6.6 vrs; thence S 64 W 372 vrs to the S E cor of the J M Kennedy sur a stake from which a P O 6 in brs S 66 E 2.2 vrs another P O 16 in brs N 47 1/2 W 12.3 vrs; thence N 25 W with Kennedy's East line 1397 vrs to the S E cor of 100 acre tract taken off of the North end of said Kennedy sur; thence S 65 W with the S B line of said 100 acre tract 1220 vrs to the S W cor of same; thence N 25 W 481.6 vrs to cor from which a P O mkd J E brs N 57 E 2.9 vrs another mkd J E brs S 48 E 7.2 vrs being the N W cor of said J. M. Kennedy sur; thence N 20 E with Abram Smith's E line 265 vrs to said Smith's N E cor a stake from which a B J 8 in brs S 56 W 466 vrs a pine 12 in brs S 23 E 14 vrs; thence N 70 W with Smith's N line 424 vrs to his cor on G. B. Matthews S line a stake from which a R O 14 in brs S 60 E 7 vrs; another R O 8 in brs N 30 W 7.3 vrs; thence E at 10 vrs pass E. M. Thomasson S W cor at 460 vrs E. M. Thomasson S E cor a stake from which a pine 18 in brs N 83 W 6 1/2 vrs a B J 4 in brs S 60 W 4 1/2 vrs; thence N with Thomasson's E line 1156 vrs to his N E cor on J. W. Brent S B line stake from which a pine 14 in brs N 65 E 4 vrs a P O 5 in brs S 12 E 8 vrs; thence N 65 E with Brents S B line 806 vrs to the

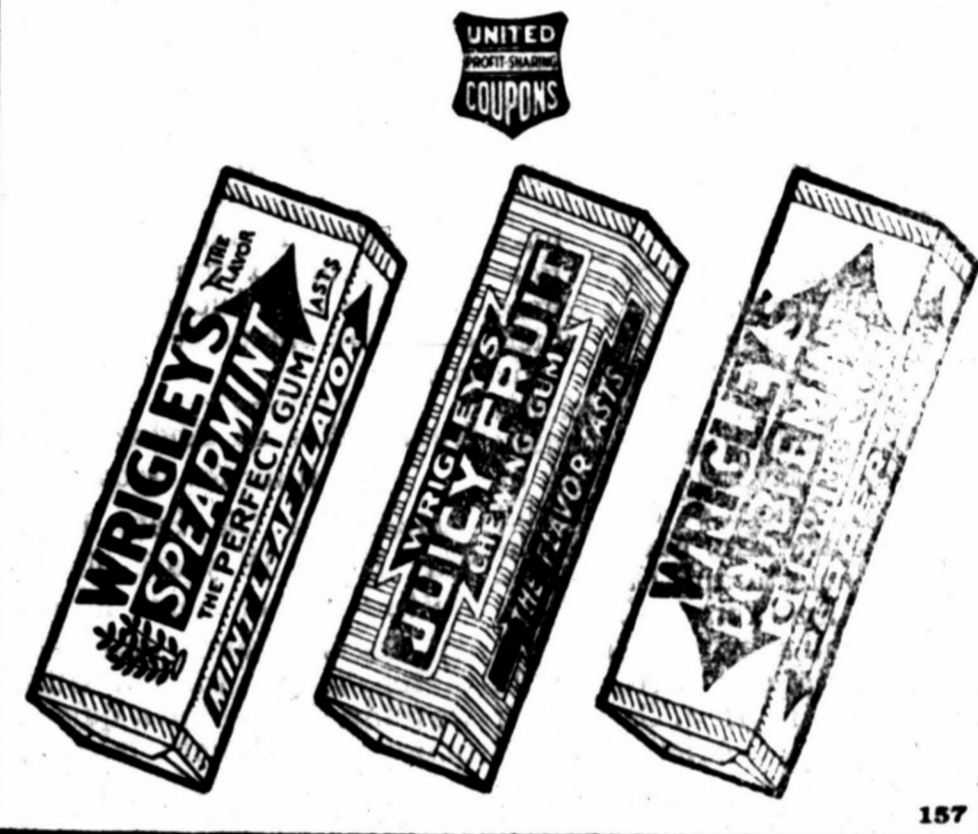
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Plaintiff claims title to said land under and through certain deeds, conveyances and other instruments as set out in his original petition.

Plaintiff also claims title to said land under and by virtue of the statutes of limitation of three years, the statute of limitation of five years, and the statute of limitation of ten years and also pleads said statutes of limitation against any cause of action that defendants may have for said land or any part thereof.

Plaintiff alleges that the defendants are setting up some kind of pretended claim to said land, the nature of which is not known to plaintiff, which, together with the loss of certain deeds in plaintiff's chain of title creates a cloud upon plaintiff's title to said land which he sues to have removed and to be quieted in his title and possession of same.

You are further commanded to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in a newspaper published in your county; but if no newspaper is published in said County, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published.

Herein fail not but have you before said court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness: V. B. Tunstall, Clerk of the District Court of Houston County.
Given under my hand and the seal

of said Court, in the City of Crockett, this the 2nd day of Sept., A. D. 1919.
(Seal) V. B. Tunstall,
Clerk of District Court of Houston County.
By J. B. Stanton, Deputy. 4t.

All U. S. Casualties Now Are Accounted For.

Washington, Sept. 10.—Every American soldier who became a casualty in the war against Germany at last has been accounted for. A list of missing and unaccounted for, which at one time was as high as 25,905, gradually was reduced, until for weeks it remained at two. It is now presumed there is no doubt the two soldiers are dead, and they have been so listed officially. Of the total first reported missing, 25 per cent died, 16 per cent were found to be prisoners, 25 per cent were lost from their organizations in the confusion of battle but subsequently rejoined them. The remainder were found scattered through the various hospitals.

Price of Corn Lower in Texas Than Other States.

Austin, Texas, Sept. 10.—The price of corn in South Texas has dropped to 85 cents a bushel. It is still being quoted at 1.65 in Kansas, and the states where the crop has not yet come in; but for some reason the Texas farmers are not finding a market for their produce. The new marketing bureau of the department of weights and measures has hopes that it will be able to find a better market for Texas products than appears to be afforded by the small town scalpers.

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ABOUT THRESHING THE WHEAT CROP

Still Time If Enough of It Can
Be Had to Pay—Magazines Wanted.

The delay in getting the wheat threshing outfit to Crockett as proposed earlier in the season was caused on account of the continuous wet weather that prevailed after the outfit was installed at Mustang Prairie, where a thousand acres of wheat and oats were to be threshed. When the weather permitted the work to be finished the owner became sick and was laid up several weeks. But now the outfit is available for the work at Crockett and will be sent here provided there is a guarantee of a couple or more days work for it.

Now, if every farmer who is interested will report at once to the secretary of the Commercial Club just how much he has that he is willing to haul to Crockett on a given date it can soon be learned definitely whether the thresher can be secured, and if it can a date will be set and advertised in these columns without delay.

The supply of magazines and general reading matter at the club rooms is getting low and a few contributions from our lady friends would be much appreciated.

H. A. Fisher,
Secretary.

Dr. C. W. Goddard, State Health Officer, Sounds Warning.

On the twenty-first day of last September the first case of influenza in Texas was reported to

the state health department. This first case was followed in rapid succession by others from different parts of the state.

No equinoctial storm, ever recorded, reached such a fury or exacted a toll in loss of life comparable to this pandemic which made its appearance in our state last fall.

It is a well known fact among medical men that one of the special characteristics of influenza is that it recurs in cycles, and with each return records a heavy mortality. In each cyclic outbreak in the past the disease has reappeared in the fall and winter for from one to three years following the initial outbreak.

The great epidemic of 1889 was followed by outbreaks in the fall and winter for three years following, and with an increasing mortality rate each year. The same history is recorded of epidemics of influenza in Europe, and in fact as far back as we have been able to gather statistics, each initial outbreak of influenza has been followed by recurrences in the next two or three years following. Since it is well known that history repeats itself, we may reasonably expect a recurrence of this dreadful disease this fall and winter, with a high mortality, especially from pneumonia.

I can not predict with certainty that we will have another epidemic of influenza this fall and winter, but I can with certainty say that, if we do not, the history of epidemics of influenza in the past will not hold good for the future.

In the light of past knowledge and experience, it would be nothing short of criminal to take no steps to protect the public against a possible recurrence of last season's devastation. Based on incomplete statistics from rural and urban reports, it is estimated that there were approximately 450,000 deaths from influenza in the United States and approximately 25,000 in Texas from the recent epidemic. The epidemic last year which swept over the country with hurricane like rapidity found the country depleted of its doctors and nurses, many communities having neither. At this time many of them have been released from the army and have come back to us rich in experience and trained in public health work.

The excessively heavy rains this year have caused an unusually heavy growth of vegetation which is apparent not only in the small villages and towns, but even in places in our largest cities; while pools of stagnant water and litters of garbage are to be seen in far too many places.

I am now calling upon you to begin an active campaign in anticipation of a possible recurrence of influenza, and as a matter of civic pride and health protection in general.

In every village, town and city, health boards should be organized, or rejuvenated, where they already exist, and "Clean-Up Campaigns" put on, and every possible means taken to be prepared for any emergency.

Local health officers should at once call a meeting of their local health boards if they have one, or a meeting for the purpose of organizing one if they do not already have one, and then enlist the aid of the commercial clubs, civic clubs, boards of trade, social welfare workers, parent-teachers' associations and all other organizations interested in civic advancement and the betterment of health conditions in their communities.

I am calling upon the newspapers of the state to join me in this note of warning and trust that every paper in the state will not only copy this article, but add such comment as they feel will be helpful in promoting this defensive work in the interest of humanity.

If these preventive measures are not taken, then, from past experiences with influenza, you may reasonably expect your community to suffer the penalty of your neglect.

C. W. Goddard, M. D.,
State Health Officer.

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CORPUS CHRISTI WIRES CUT OFF

High Tides, Blown-Up by Wind,
Are Responsible for Most
of Damage.

Houston, Texas, Sept. 15.—The great gulf storm—greatest in area in the history of the weather bureau, according to officials—has passed on, leaving the Texas coast practically untouched except for a little high water and the consequent property loss by flooding.

Galveston probably was as badly treated as any point along the entire gulf coast, except Key West, Fla. From Galveston, which was merely in the northern edge of the big wind, the storm kept to a westerly course, striking the coast well below Brownsville and going into the Mexican mountains. Here, in the opinion of the Washington weather officials, its force will be dissipated.

According to the weather bureau officials at Washington, the storm center crossed gulf after leaving Key West, last Tuesday, in a direction only a few degrees north of west. It is probable, they state, that the gales of Saturday near the mouth of the Mississippi were due to conditions prevailing well to the northward of the storm's center.

Storm's Course Westerly.

Since the storm apparently did not swerve out of its westerly course across the gulf, it is likely that Galveston, Corpus Christi, Aransas Pass, Freeport and other Texas points also were on the northern edge of the hurricane and were more affected by the water blown up by the center than by the wind. All wire connections between Houston, Corpus Christi and Brownsville were broken late Sunday morning, the last message from Corpus Christi giving the barometer reading there at 29.14. The reading at Brownsville according to an earlier report was 29.12 which would indicate that the center of the storm was at that time located at an equal distance from the two places.

For more than an hour, between 6:30 and 7:30 a. m. Sunday the wireless stations at Port Arthur, Galveston and New Orleans endeavored to get in touch with the government wireless station at Point Isabell, near Brownsville. C. W. Vick, who heard the calls over his wireless outfit, said they were continuous.

Much uneasiness was felt by citizens of Corpus Christi when at an early hour in the morning the barometer reading dropped to 29.14 and continued to fall lower, indicating that point was low and the hurricane would probably strike there.

The hurricane, however, continued on a straight course out in the gulf and only its outer edge swept Corpus Christi, Brownsville and other towns in that vicinity.

Citation.
THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Houston County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the heirs of John Anderson, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of John Murchison, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of Phillip Pipkin, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of E. M. Pipkin, deceased, whose names are unknown, Asa Pipkin, and the heirs of Asa Pipkin, deceased, whose names are unknown, Lucy Pipkin, and the heirs of Lucy Pipkin, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of R. C. L. Bishop, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of M. J. Bishop, deceased, whose names are unknown, the heirs of F. A. Newsom, deceased, whose names are unknown, Sam Pipkin, and the heirs of Sam Pipkin, deceased, whose names are unknown, M. F. Sutton, and the heirs of M. F. Sutton, deceased, whose names are unknown, M. Pipkin, and the heirs of M. Pipkin, deceased, whose names are unknown, Elizabeth Cox, and the heirs of Elizabeth Cox, deceased, whose names are unknown, P. A. Hughes, and the heirs of P. A.

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Hughes, deceased, whose names are unknown, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston county, Texas, to be held at the court house thereof in the City of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, 1919, being the 6th day of October, 1919, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 30th day of August, 1919, in a cause numbered 5808 on the docket on said court wherein J. A. Morris is plaintiff and the unknown heirs of John Anderson, deceased, the unknown heirs of John Murchison, deceased, the unknown heirs of Phillip Pipkin, deceased, the unknown heirs of E. M. Pipkin, deceased, Asa Pipkin, and the unknown heirs of Asa Pipkin, deceased, Lucy Pipkin, and the unknown heirs of Lucy Pipkin, deceased, the unknown heirs of R. C. L. Bishop, deceased, the unknown heirs of M. J. Bishop, deceased, the unknown heirs of F. A. Newsom, deceased, the unknown heirs of Lula Newsom, deceased, Sam Pipkin, and the unknown heirs of Sam Pipkin, deceased, M. F. Sutton, and the unknown heirs of M. F. Sutton, deceased, M. Pipkin, and the unknown heirs of M. Pipkin, deceased, Elizabeth Cox, and the unknown heirs of Elizabeth Cox, deceased, P. A. Hughes, and the unknown heirs of P. A. Hughes, deceased, are defendants, the plaintiff's cause of action being alleged as follows: That plaintiff is the owner in fee simple and is in the quiet and peaceable possession of a certain tract of land, situated in Houston County, Texas, about fifteen miles north of Crockett, being 130 and 45-100 acres of land out of the John Anderson 320 acres survey and 107 and one half acres out of the R.

C. L. Bishop 150 acres survey, which land is fully described by metes and bounds in plaintiff's original petition; that plaintiff claims said land under certain deeds and other instruments of writing set out in his petition and which are of record in Houston county deed records; that plaintiff also claims title to said land and by virtue of the statutes of limitation of five years and ten years and pleads the same in bar of any cause of action that defendants or any of them may have for said land or any part thereof; plaintiff sues to be quieted in his title and possession of said land and alleges that defendants are asserting some claim to the same, the nature of which is not known to plaintiff; and plaintiff sues to have the cloud removed from his title to said land caused by the claims of defendants thereto.

You are further commanded to serve this citation by publishing the same, once in each week for four successive weeks, previous to the return day hereof, in a newspaper published in your county; but if no newspaper is published in said county, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness: V. B. Tunstall, Clerk of the District Court of Houston County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, in Crockett, Texas, this 30th day of August, A. D. 1919.
(Seal) V. B. Tunstall, Clerk,
District Court, Houston County,
Texas.
By J. B. Stanton, Deputy. 4t.

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STATE FAIR - TEXAS
DALLAS, OCTOBER 6-19, 1919

STATE SOVEREIGNTY WILL BE DEFENDED

Governor of Massachusetts Sent
Tart Reply to Telegram
of Gompers.

Boston, Sept. 14.—Determination "to defend the sovereignty of Massachusetts" was expressed by Governor Coolidge in a telegram sent Sunday night to Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor. The telegram was in reply to one received from the labor leader Saturday night in which Mr. Gompers asked him to "take a broad view" of the situation brought by the policemen's strike.

The governor told Mr. Gompers that the suggestion of President Wilson that orders forbidding the policemen of the city of Washington to affiliate with the American Federation of Labor be held in abeyance pending the labor conference to be held at the White House on October 6 did not apply to Boston, as the Washington police had remained on duty. Reciting the fact that 19 members of the Boston policemen's union had been tried for violation of the order against affiliation and had been removed that the places of the other strikers had been declared vacant, he added:

"I can suggest no authority outside the courts to take further action."

The governor's telegram follows:

"Replying to your telegram, I have already refused to remove the police commissioner of Boston. I did not appoint him. He can assume no position which the courts would uphold except what the people have by the authority of law vested in him. He speaks only with their voice. The right of the police of Boston to affiliate has always been questioned, never granted, is now prohibited. The suggestion of President Wilson regarding Washington does not apply to Boston. There the police remained on duty. Here the policemen's union left their duty, an action which President Wilson characterized as a crime against civilization.

Courts Only Recourse.

"Your assertion that the commissioner was wrong can not justify the wrong of leaving the city unguarded. They furnished the opportunity; the criminal element furnished the action. There is no right to strike against the public safety by any-

body anywhere at any time.

"You ask that the public safety again be placed in the hands of these same policemen, while they continue in disobedience to the laws of Massachusetts and in their refusal to obey orders of the police department. Nineteen men have been tried and removed. Others having abandoned their duty, their places have been declared vacant on the opinion of the attorney general. I can suggest no authority outside the courts to take further action.

"I wish to join and assist in taking a broad view of every situation. A grave responsibility rests on all of us. You can depend on me to support you in every legal action and sound policy. I am equally determined to defend the sovereignty of Massachusetts and to maintain the authority and jurisdiction over her public officers where it has been placed by the constitution and laws of her people."

In the preparation for any eventuality the State and national guards recruited briskly Sunday.

Highest Wind at Galveston.

The wind velocity during Saturday night and Sunday morning was higher at Galveston than that reported from other Texas coast points. At Galveston it reached a speed of 60 miles an hour. The highest wind reported elsewhere was at Raymondville, Texas, where it reached 50 miles an hour.

During Sunday afternoon and evening much uneasiness was felt owing to the interruption of telegraph and telephone communication with Corpus Christi, Brownsville and other points along the gulf coast and thought to be in the storm's path.

At 9 o'clock, however, the government radio station at San Antonio succeeded in getting in communication with Brownsville and Point Isabel and it was learned that South Texas towns had been treated much the same as Galveston; that they had merely come in for a stiff blow and an extremely high tide. While the coast cities were suffering from the effects of the extreme high tides, Houston and other inland cities received a drenching rain.

How much physical damage was done at Corpus Christi and other points in that vicinity, aside from the interruption of wire communication, could not be learned. Early Sunday afternoon and evening there were wild rumors of inundation and heavy losses, but the reassuring wireless messages from Brownsville and Point Isabel would indicate that the damage must have been comparatively light.



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Would Give Thanks If Husband Was Hanged.

Chicago, Sept. 13.—Here's an example of a wife's devotion:

Jailer Will T. Davis, at the county jail, was asked Friday in a letter by Mrs. Leola Harris, colored, 1234 Grainer street, New Orleans, whether her husband, Henry Harris, had been hanged. Harris was convicted of the murder of James A. Ferguson in a gambling fight on South State street, April 23.

"I ask you," wrote Mrs. Harris, to Jailer Davis, "was Henry dead? The reason why I ask if he was dead is because I had him insured for \$1000. And if anything happens to him I will give you something, Mr. Davis, for your trouble. And I won't forget you if he got hanged right. "I need that insurance bad, as the roof leaks and Sarah, that's the youngest, needs new shoes afore she can go to school. Thanking you for your trouble. "Leola Harris."

Jailer Davis notified Mrs. Harris that Harris, with a husband's usual thoughtlessness, had declined the gallows in favor of a life term at Joliet. She will have to wait for the insurance.

Death List of Fort Worth Aviation Field Is Now 106.

Fort Worth, Texas, Sept. 12.—The killing in an airplane crash Thursday of Lieutenant E. E. Wilson of Linn-ton, Ore., brings the total death list of the local aviation fields up to 106. This represents the fatal accidents during the entire life of the fields—22 months. Lieutenant Barteld, whose home is in Chicago and who was injured with Wilson, is much improved Friday and will recover.

Some Postscripts.

A tobacco can that carries a roll of paper inside its lid, against which any amount can be torn off to roll a cigarette, has been patented by a Texas inventor.

In normal years the spice islands of Zanzibar produce about 90 per cent of the world's supply of cloves, an average crop approximating 16,000,000 pounds.

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Make Preliminary tests on Suppressing Malaria.

Austin, Texas, Sept. 13.—Preliminary surveys to determine the cost of exterminating mosquitoes and suppressing malaria in 12 Texas towns, are to be made, State Health Officer C. W. Goddard announced Saturday. The work will be done by a United States sanitary engineer under a co-operative plan between the State board of health and the international health board, and it will be without cost to the towns in which

the survey is made.

Towns selected are Athens, Bryan, Cameron, Conroe, Crockett, Henderson, Longview, Lufkin, Nacogdoches, Navasota, Palestine and Trinity.

For storing disk phonograph records an inventor has patented an elongated sheet of material with slits into which they may be slipped, one over and slightly above another.

The British board of education will require 30,000 additional men and women teachers to carry on the continuation schools that are planned for England and Wales.

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DAY AND NIGHT GARAGE

10 FOOT TIDAL WAVE DATA OF STORMS OF LOSS OF \$4,000,000 HALF CENTURY GIVEN

Business District Flooded and Strewn With Wreckage of Boats and Buildings.

Associated Press Report.—A mounting death list and extensive property damage was shown in reports early this morning (Tuesday) from the Texas coastal region swept by a tropical hurricane from the Gulf of Mexico last Sunday.

Varying reports placed the death list at from twenty-five, in Corpus Christi alone, to more than 130. The latter figure included reports of bodies recovered in Nueces bay, on which Corpus Christi is situated.

Property damage in Corpus Christi alone was estimated at more than \$4,000,000 while many cities and towns along the coast in the vicinity of that place also suffered heavily.

Waves 10 Feet High.

The storm hit early Sunday morning, sending a tidal wave ten feet, six inches high over the business and North Beach district of the city.

That the loss of life was not appalling was due to the prompt warning sent out to the lower portions of the city early Sunday morning urging all persons at exposed places to seek safety in the higher districts of the city.

All day Sunday hundreds of persons, carrying their most valuable personal belongings, poured out of the bay front district into the higher sections.

Hundreds of others who remained in their homes until the water reached a dangerous depth were brought to safety by volunteer rescue parties which kept a sharp lookout in the flooded districts during the height of the storm.

Business Section Submerged.

At the height of the tidal wave, practically the entire business section was submerged. The water was about four feet deep in the lobby of the Nueces hotel and every business house between the bluff and the bay was under water for a depth of from eight to ten feet, the contents of the lower floors carried by the waters.

The work of removing the debris from the streets of the lower portion of the city was begun early Monday morning and hundreds of men, many of them volunteers, worked without relief throughout the day.

House boats and fishing craft

Figures Show 1919 Disturbance "Tame" When Compared With Others.

Galveston, Sept. 15.—The Texas coast storm of 1915 probably was the most severe hurricane that has ever struck the coast of the Gulf of Mexico. Many of its proportions are remarkable among the storms of the world, even from records made in Galveston, which was at least fifty miles from the storm center in the height of the disturbance. The city was in the hurricane zone for 143 hours. A storm wind of thirty-two miles an hour or more in velocity blew continually for sixty hours and thirty-five minutes. A hurricane wind of sixty-five miles an hour or

and wreckage of every conceivable character was piled in the streets by the waters.

Nothing remains of North Beach, the city's famous bathing and pleasure district, except the United States marine hospital and one large residence.

Crowd Upper Windows.

Rescue boats manned by soldiers and civilians from the main part of the city reached the Spohn sanitarium and the United States public service hospital shortly after 10 o'clock Monday morning and began bringing residents of North Beach, which was still under five feet of water, to the bluff section of the town.

As the boats approached the two havens of safety, hundreds of anxious and almost exhausted refugees crowded windows and doors in the upper stories and frantically waved handkerchiefs and garments to attract their rescuers.

Near the Spohn sanitarium, Jacob Bohne was seen to emerge from a wrecked home where he went to hunt his sister, but he drowned before proceeding very far. His body was recovered by boatmen.

Including nurses, attendants, patients and North Beach residents who had fled there for safety, more than 250 people were found crowded into the hospital. A number of them were severely injured when brought ashore.

Hundreds of people were forced to spend Sunday in the court house, federal building and in the other public buildings which were out of the danger zone.

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One-pound cans Calumet Baking Powder, 2 for	55c
Country Gentleman Corn, 2-pound cans	25c
Smoked Bacon, per pound	40c

Hardware Department

Baker Perfect Barbed Wire in 80 rod rolls	\$5.50
26-inch Ellwood Hog Wire, per roll	\$7.50
Nails, per keg, base	\$4.90
Nails and Staples, small lots, per pound	6c
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more blew for nineteen hours and ten minutes and a wind of seventy miles an hour or more in velocity raged for nine hours and eighteen minutes. The maximum wind velocity was 120 miles, the lowest barometer reading was 28.63 inches, the total rainfall 15.41 inches and the highest tide 11.965 feet above mean low tide level.

Except for the loss of two automatic tide gauges which were in operation here all storm data was automatically recorded throughout the 1915 hurricane. None of the figures were guessed at. The tide record was made by the staff of the United States engineer here, Colonel C. S. Riche, from a benchmark at the Hendley building, Twentieth and Strand, which was established in 1900.

In September, 1900, in the night of the 8th a wind of sixty miles or more velocity blew for seven hours only; its estimated maximum was 120 miles an hour. This was not recorded, as the anemometer blew away while revolving at the rate of eighty-four miles an hour at 6:17 o'clock, one hour and seventeen minutes after the wind had attained sixty-mile velocity. The total rainfall was about ten inches. The lowest barometer reading was 28.53. The tide was about 3 1/2 inches lower than that of Aug. 16-17, 1915.

The storm of 1875, Sept. 18, blew a maximum velocity of sixty miles north. That of Oct. 2, 1886, attained only fifty-five northwest. That of 1909, which blew at hurricane speed from 10 o'clock in the morning of July 21 only until 1 o'clock that same afternoon, made but sixty-eight miles an hour maximum.

In none of these storms was Galveston caught in the center. In the core or eye of the storm

it is calm, though there the barometric pressure is lowest, and it is not certain that the two severer storms—those of 1900 and 1915—would have been much aggravated here by the presence of the vortex. The wind is highest on the edge of the storm center, which itself is usually fifty miles in diameter. Galveston, during those two

great hurricane, was very near if not on the edge of the core.

The handle of a new dust pan can be adjusted at any angle and is tubular so that an extension rod can be inserted into it to enable a person to use it without bending over.

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LIFE'S ILLUSIONS.

Now Clarence Filbert Pettijohn is one the girls go wild about, They're very glad to dance with him while other men must sit 'em out; He knows the latest fancy steps, he has a graceful form and slim, The fox trot and the angel glide are just like meat and drink to him.

But Walter Watson has a style that takes the pleasure from a waltz, He steps upon his partner's feet and has a lot of other faults; He has no ear for music and no foot to fit the ways of grace, And when he takes the lady's arm he almost yanks it out of place.

When Walter asks them for a dance, the girls arrange their tucks and bibs, And smile and say that they're engaged and tell him dainty little fibs;

But Clarence Filbert Pettijohn can claim the fairest on the floor, And when the dance is over she will sweetly sigh and wish for more.

If life were just a ballroom, then we'd hear from Clarence Pettijohn, The laurel leaves of victory his manly brow would rest upon;

But when the orchestra departs and silenced are the fiddle strings And day returns with all its tasks, the awkward Walter's doing things.

Oh, girls who love the dreamy dance and like to glide on flying feet, Remember when you make your choice that life's a fight for things to eat.

And he who steps upon your feet and wins from you an angry glance May be the man that's worth your while, although he hasn't learned to dance.

THE FARMERS AND THE RAILROADS.

The Oklahoma Farmers' Union is entirely consistent in its stand concerning the railroad brotherhoods' plan for government ownership of the railroads. In resolutions adopted at their meeting at Clinton, the members of the farmers' union put forward this proposition:

"If congress in its wisdom sees fit to give these railroad men their demands, we ask that congress shall also buy all of the farms in the United States, with their equipment, and employ all of the farmers to operate them, paying to the farmers a wage equal to two-thirds of the hourly wage that the average railway employe receives; and then sell all farm products to the consumer at cost."

The alternative proposition of the farmers is just as reasonable as that advanced by the railroad unions. In fact, more reasonable, because in the case of the government ownership of farms, the product would be sold to the consumer at cost; whereas the railroad unions propose that the railroads be run at a profit and that they be given a large share of the profits. In their proposal, the farmers agree to give all the profits from the farms to the public and still be content with an hourly wage equal to two-thirds of what is paid the average railway employe.

Of course, the farmers are really not so selfish as to insist that the masses of the people go heavily into debt to buy the farms and insure the farmers a higher wage. They simply proposed—and justly—that if the people bought the railroads for the railway workers, they also should, as a matter of fairness, buy the farms for the farmers.

While presenting their alternative proposition, in order to show, by comparison, the injustice of the railroad brotherhoods' plan, the Oklahoma Farmers' Union at the same time went on record as being opposed to

any form of government ownership of railroads.

"We view with alarm and oppose any government ownership of railroads," says the resolution, "and we especially oppose the Plumb plan (the railroad brotherhoods' plan) of buying the railroads by the United States government at the public expense, turning them over to the railroad employes and guaranteeing to the employes that whatever wage they demand will be paid."

If the masses of the people are to pay for buying the railroads for any class of workers, it would be better to buy them and donate them to the farmers. The latter are more interested than are the railroad workers in guaranteeing to the public an uninterrupted operation of trains and an efficient service at the lowest cost.

Or, the railroads might be bought and donated to the carpenters or the bricklayers or the laborers who are engaged in manufacturing automobiles or other special products. The railroads might just as well be donated to any of these classes of workers as to the railroad employes, if the masses of the people are going to foot the bill.

It is significant that while the railroad workers insist on sharing the profits of the railroads, they do not propose to share and deficit that occurs in operating the roads. The railroad employes do not intend to stand any loss, but to make their earnings as high as possible at the expense of the public. One of the brotherhood leaders objects to the plan of putting railroad profits back into the railroads in the form of improvements. If the government ownership, profit-sharing plan were put into effect, it is possible that the railroad union men would divide the railroad profits among themselves and their operators. Then if it was found necessary to make improvements they would issue bonds and thus make the public pay for the improvements.

Although any form of government ownership of railroads is unthinkable, the plan proposed by the railroad brotherhoods is the worst yet brought forward. It is especially vicious because it proposes legislation for a particular class of workers and provides that these workers shall be given special benefits for which the great majority of other workers will pay. The railroad employes constitute only about three percent of all employes in the United States. Yet they insist that their will shall be supreme over all.—Oklahoma City Oklahoman.

Soc Et Tu Um.

Mr. Neverwed—They're still talking about a tax on bachelorhood.

Mrs. Longwed—And why not? All other luxuries are being taxed.

Notice in Probate.

The State of Texas,

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

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Houston county, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

To all persons interested in the estate of Mrs. Esther Burton, deceased, notice is hereby given that A. B. Burton, of said county and state, has filed an application in the County Court of Houston County, on the 5th day of September, A. D. 1919, for appointment as Survivor in Community of the Community Estate of himself and his deceased wife, the said Mrs. Esther Burton, deceased, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 3rd day of November, 1919, at the Court House of said County, in Crockett, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Crockett, Texas, this 5th day of September, A. D. 1919.

(Seal) A. E. Owens, Clerk, District Court, Houston County, Texas.

By W. D. Collins, Deputy. 2t.

MAY CAUSE THREE MONTHS LOCKOUT

Publishers in New York City Plan Closing Up Their Plants.

New York, Sept. 12.—"The labor situation is fast nearing the breaking point. The cure is a shutdown of some of the larger industries which can best be dispensed with temporarily for the economic good of the nation as a whole. I believe that if the publishers of magazines and books shut down, close up shop, for, say, three months, it will have a healthy effect on the general situation and if certain other industries not vitally needed take this same course it will force workers into industries that are needed and that are suffering from labor shortage and consequent prohibitive wage standards."

This statement was made to a Tribune correspondent today by the head of one of the biggest publishing houses in the country.

His words confirmed a report that New York publishers, whose business is menaced by a threatened strike of printers, pressmen and press feeders, have been considering the expediency of closing down entirely for a period of three months. Such action will mean that some of the largest concerns will remain absolutely dormant until the labor condition regulates itself. Magazines and periodicals will cease publication pending a readjustment if this program is carried out. Book and job printing work will halt.

For the use of the blind a geographic and industrial atlas of Great Britain has been prepared, consisting of 20 maps in relief and 202 pages of embossed descriptive text.

Nearly 80 per cent of Finland consists of forests and uncultivated land.

Citation by Publication in Tax Suit.

The State of Texas and County of Houston.

To H. W. Bozeman, and H. W. Bozeman, deceased, his heirs, assigns and legal representatives; T. B. Bozeman, and T. B. Bozeman, deceased, his heirs, assigns and legal representatives; D. J. Ackley, Mrs. H. J. Oliver, F. A. Ackley, Archie Riggs, and D. H. Dauphin; Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

2838 acres, being an undivided interest in the H. W. Bozeman survey of 3235 acres Abs. No. 150 of Houston County, which said land is delinquent for taxes in the sum of Ninety-two (\$92.99) 99-100 Dollars for state and county taxes for the years 1885 and 1886; and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collection of said taxes and you are commanded to appear and defend such suit at the October term of the District Court of Houston County and State of Texas on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, which is the 6th day of October, A. D. 1919, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and costs of suit.

Witness my hand and official seal at office in Crockett, Texas, this 10th day of September, A. D. 1919.

(Seal) V. B. Tunstall, Clerk, District Court, Houston County, Texas.

Notice of Election.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Houston.

On this the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1919, the commissioners' court of Houston County, Texas, being in regular session, came on to be considered the petition of G. C. Thomas and more than fifty other persons praying that bonds be issued by the territory hereinafter described, and which is hereby designated by this Court as Road District No. Fourteen of Houston County, Texas, in the sum of Fifty Thousand (\$50,000.00) Dollars, bearing 5½ per cent. rate of interest, and maturing not exceeding thirty years from their date, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof; and it appearing to the Court that said petition is signed by more than fifty of the resident property tax paying voters of said Road District No. Fourteen of Houston County, Texas, and that the amount of said bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Road District No. Fourteen of Houston County, Texas, which is hereby designated by order of this Court, and which is described by field notes as follows:

Beginning at the North East corner of the M. Morris Survey. Thence West with the N B line of same 1426 varas pass the N W cor of same and at 1990 varas corner on the N E boundary line of the Levi Speer survey. Thence with Speer's line South 20 East 300 varas to his East corner. Thence South 70 West with his S boundary line 1344 varas his South corner. Thence N 20 W 495 varas John McKey South East corner. Thence South 70 West with McKey's South Boundary line 950 varas pass his South corner

at 1500 varas Tom Smith's South West corner. Thence South with Speer East Boundary line 250 varas his South East corner. Thence West with his South Boundary line 1000 varas his South West corner on G. W. Hallmark East Boundary line. Thence with Hallmark line North 25 West 1050 varas his North East corner. Thence South 65 West 400 varas another of his corner. Thence North 25 West 400 varas another of his corner. Thence South 65 West 3750 varas his North West corner, set stake in the East Boundary line of Road District No. Three. Thence South 25 East 6666 varas with the East Boundary line of the Joel Banks and J. A. Thompson surveys to the South East corner of the D. Alston survey. Thence South 65 West with said Alston line 1330 varas to one of the corners of the J. A. Thompson survey on R. L. Breeding E B line. Thence South with the E B line of said Breeding, C. W. Hallmark, W. W. Craddock and John Satterwhite surveys to the S E corner of said Satterwhite survey. Thence South 55 West with the line of said Satterwhite 740 varas to the corner of said Satterwhite survey in the North line of the Procella league, being the South East corner of said Road District No. Three. Thence East 1000 varas Procella North East corner. Thence South with his East Boundary line 2500 varas to stake for corner. Thence North 65 East 3650 varas Jas. Carters South East corner. Thence South 80 East with M. D. T. Hallmark line 1040 varas his S E corner. Thence South with Marchalk and B. B. B. & C. R. R. Company's W B line 4500 varas corner on M. Tascan N B line. Thence with Tascan line South 80 East 2700 varas corner on Houston and Trinity County line. Thence with said line North 51 East 6700 varas to the South West corner of Road District No. Eight, on said County line. Thence West with N B of J. M. Prado to its N W corner. Thence North with W B line of Jno. Erwin to his N W corner. Thence East with S B line of E. Broxson to his S E corner. Thence North with W B line of A. Johnson to his N W corner. Thence East with N B line of A. Johnson to S W corner of Peter Tumlinson. Thence North with W B line of Tumlinson and E B line of B. S. & F. No. 1 to latter's N E corner. Thence with North Boundary line of B. S. & F. No. 1 to S E corner of I. & G. N. survey No. 8. Thence North with E B line of I. & G. N. survey to stake in S B line of S. Harris survey. Thence West with S B line said Harris to his S W corner. Thence North with W B line of said Harris to his N W corner. Thence East with N B line of Harris to S W corner of Sol Allbright survey. Thence North with W B line of said Allbright survey to South East corner of Letts and Jordan surveys. Thence West with S B line of Letts & Jordan to their S W corner. Thence North with the W B line of the said Letts & Jordan survey to the N E corner of the M. Morris, the place of beginning.

It is therefore considered and ordered by the Court that an election be held in said Road District No. Fourteen of Houston County, Texas, on the 11th day of October, A. D. 1919, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order, to determine whether or not the bonds of said Road District No. Fourteen of Houston County, Texas, shall be issued in the sum of Fifty Thousand (\$50,000.00) Dollars, bearing 5½ per cent. rate of interest and maturing not exceeding thirty years from their date, and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said Road District No. Fourteen of Houston County, Texas, subject to taxation for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at

maturity. Notice of said election shall be given by publication in a newspaper published in said County for four consecutive weeks before the date of said election, and in addition thereto there shall be posted notices of said election at three public places in said Road District No. Fourteen for three weeks prior to said election. Said election shall be held at the regular voting box at Arbor, Texas, which said voting box is situated in said Road District No. Fourteen of Houston County, Texas, and the following named persons are here appointed managers of said election viz: R. K. Smith and I. W. Tatum. Said election shall be held under the provisions of the Road District Act passed at the first called session of the 31st Legislature, and under the Road District Act passed by the 35th Legislature, and only qualified voters, who are property tax payers of said Road District No. Fourteen of Houston County, Texas, shall be allowed to vote, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "For the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof," and those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words, "Against the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof." The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State governing general elections, and a copy of this order signed by the County Judge of said County shall serve as a proper notice of said election, and the County Judge is directed to cause said notice to be published in a newspaper published in said Houston County, or in said Road District No. Fourteen of Houston County, Texas, if there be a newspaper published therein, for four successive weeks next preceding said election, and cause to be posted a notice thereof at three public places in said Road District No. Fourteen of Houston County, Texas, for three weeks prior to said election. Nat Patton, County Judge, Houston County, Texas. 4t.

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S. A. Fain was a visitor at Houston Sunday and Monday.

Men's summer Underwear at bargains at T. D. Craddock's. 2t.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Collins of Groveton were here Sunday and Monday.

Have good line of blankets and quilts—price is reasonable at T. D. Craddock's. 2t.

Mrs. J. D. Wood and children of Livingston visited relatives in Crockett last week.

Mrs. Cyrus McConnell and children of Humble are visiting relatives in Crockett.

See Mrs. Monzingo at the Vogue Millinery for corsets, brassieres and bandeaux. 1t.

Mrs. Tom Hollon and Miss Lila Mae Hollon of Waco are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Callaway.

Men's overalls at \$2.00 and boys' overalls at \$1.25. 2t. T. D. Craddock.

Miss Marian Foster and Dan Berry will enter Rice Institute, Houston, for the coming term.

Whether you can afford to pay much or little, there's a hat for you at Hail's Millinery Parlors. 1t.

Earle Adams Jr. was here from Ranger to attend the funeral of his brother, Hon. Joe Adams, Monday.

For Sale—The Mrs. Augusta Calhoun place situated in West Crockett. For terms apply to J. W. Young. 1t.

Be sure to see Mrs. Monzingo before selecting your hats. She has them in all the newest styles and colors. 1t.

Go to R. L. Shivers, headquarters for the best Wagons, Saddles, Harness and all kinds of strap leather goods at lowest prices. 2t.

Mrs. Herman Howard and Herman Jr. of Lake Charles, La., are visiting relatives at Crockett and Augusta.

John Wootters, Paul Stokes and Jehu Goolsby will attend Texas Medical College at Galveston this term.

Mr. Jones is about 6 feet tall, fair complexion, smooth face, blue eyes, neatly dressed, weighs about 145 pounds. 1t.

Oil Stove for Sale.
 A practical new oil stove in perfect condition for sale at a bargain. Call 193. 1t.

You will make no mistake if you buy a Winona Wagon. There is quality in every part. R. L. Shivers sells them. 2t.

Miss Elizabeth Adams has gone to Lynchburg, Va., to become a student in Randolph-Macon Woman's College.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. LeGory returned last week from St. Louis, Mr. LeGory having recovered from his recent illness.

Misses Mary Sue Powers and Bly Leediker will attend the Sam Houston State Normal at Huntsville the coming term.

Buy our maline underwear for women, the greatest on the market; price reduced. 2t. T. D. Craddock.

We buy hides, green or dry, and pay top price. See us before you sell. 1t. Arnold Brothers.

Mr. Jones will visit all stores during the day time and be at the show each night. Catch him and win the \$2.50 cash prize. 1t.

Miss Bee Denny will teach in Galveston during the coming term of school and will leave for that city about the last of September.

T. D. Craddock will sell 8-ounce Duck at 30 cents, heavy Outing at 20 cents, Gingham at 25 and 30 cents, and 4-4 heavy brown Domestic at 20 cents. 2t.

Mrs. Hail wants every woman in Houston county to see her display of fall and winter hats, and she's always glad to show them whether you are ready to buy or not. 1t.

For Sale Cheap.
 107 acres of timbered land 7 miles south of Crockett. No improvements. 3t.

32 acres one half mile from Lovelady, all under fence, 5-room residence, cribs and stables and good water. Apply to C. B. Moore, Lovelady, Texas. 3t.

Hon. D. A. Nunn returned this week from Washington, where he appeared before the committee on rivers and harbors regarding the Trinity river navigation.

Men's blue work shirts \$1.00, men's pants \$1.75 to \$5.00. Will save you money on dress shirts. Try us for boys' suits and pants. Price reasonable. 2t. T. D. Craddock.

I have taken up a sorrel mare, about 9 years old, white spot in forehead, flax mane and tail, about 14 hands high. 1t.* Norman Cook, Cut, Texas.

Edward and Mac McConnell, William Henry and Harry Beazley, Murdoch Denny, W. D. Hail, T. F. Smith, John Langston and Horace Hall will leave this week for A. & M. College, College Station.

Patterson Lake Posted.
 This is to give notice that fishing and hunting in and about Patterson Lake is prohibited and that trespassers will be prosecuted as provided for by law. 3t.* Cowherd and Rucker.

Farm for Sale.
 148 acres twelve miles east of Crockett, within 1 1/2 miles of good school, church, gin and stores. 70 acres in cultivation, all under fence, dwelling house and new barn. 25 acres bottom land. Will sell at once for \$2000. Jim Beathard, Crockett Route A. 2t.*

New Cotton Buyer in Crockett.
 I wish to announce to the farmers of Houston county that I have made arrangements to buy cotton at Crockett for the present season and my office is at the Commercial Club rooms, where you will be offered the highest market price for your cotton and be treated fairly in respect to grading. 2t. C. D. Poe.



We are receiving shipments by express every week and have increased our orders to supply the growing demand for this excellent butter. When you have once used it you will have no other.

CAPRIELIAN BROTHERS
 The Home of Satisfied Customers.

Married Monday Night.
 At the Methodist parsonage Monday evening, Rev. C. B. Garrett, the Methodist pastor, united in marriage Mr. John W. McConnell and Miss Pearl Crenshaw, both well known and popular residents of Crockett. The bride has been a resident of this city for only a few years, coming with her parents from Shreveport, where she was in the enjoyment of an extensive friendship. She afterward distinguished herself as a nurse during the influenza epidemic.

The bridegroom is the eldest son of Mrs. W. V. McConnell and is in the active management of the business left by the late W. V. McConnell, his father. Besides being well connected and prominent in business affairs, he has many friends who are hastening to extend congratulations and best wishes. The marriage was witnessed by the sister of the bride, Miss John Etta Crenshaw, and a close friend of the bride and bridegroom, Mr. Selby Ramfield. Mr. and Mrs. McConnell will make their home in Crockett.

Helping a Short Cotton Crop

You have been told over and over again that merchandise in the wholesale markets is very high, and even hard to get at any price. Those who have been telling you this know what they are talking about, because it's true. But what I want to tell you is that I am actually selling

Shoes, Clothing and Other Articles In My Line for Less Money

than the manufacturers and wholesale houses are asking for the same goods. My reason for doing this is that I fully realize that cotton, the main money crop for this county, is very short.

LET ME MAKE YOU PRICES.

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THE ISSUE AT STAKE IN BOSTON.

The issue raised by the situation in Boston is fundamental and vital. Beyond its treasonable aspects, which are serious enough to bring the patriotism and loyalty of Boston and the rest of the country to attention, we behold a bold attempt to set up class government in America.

And we behold the sentiment that flaunts the flag of rebellion in the face of constituted authority, which after all is the very ark of the covenant of civilization. The contempt for law, now showing its teeth in Boston and Massachusetts, has done the same thing toward the flag itself. The infamous spirit is abroad in the country. It no longer conceals itself.

Whenever constituted authority is thus challenged, there can be no surrender, for civilization can never surrender. If it is doomed to perish, it must perish only with its annihilation.

Boston has a mayor and he seems to have the spirit of Lexington, Concord and Bunker Hill in him. Massachusetts has a governor, and he seems to comprehend the duty which confronts him.

With this leadership, there ought to be no fear, there ought to be no hesitation. And any suggestion of compromise would be pusillanimous.

Now get the situation clearly. The city of Boston and the State of Massachusetts have governments of the people's own choosing. The people elect their officials to execute laws and discharge certain public duties. These officials are the representatives of the people, and wielding the power of city and state.

If for any reason the service of these men becomes unsatisfactory, there is a legal way to remove them from office, and if the people want certain policies inaugurated there is always a way for them to instruct those charged with the public service.

When men reject the lawful, orderly processes that constitutional and statutory law provide to alter governments or policies and resort to force, it is an indication they are conscious that the public do not approve the cause they espouse, so they attempt to establish by force what they lack the numbers to do at the ballot box.

They spit upon law and trample upon the flag.

In such contingencies, there is but one course to pursue and that is for the militant power of civilization to rally to the integrity and dignity of government as long as there is a man to carry a musket or to operate a machine gun.

This country is not going to permit class domination set up in the United States in any such way. The Republic could not endure a year under such conditions and those who love the country and the flag and are loyal to it may as well prepare to meet the issue whenever and wherever the attempt may be made to establish cutthroat government.

And while the subject is under discussion, it is well enough to understand the true relations between the citizen and the government. No man is fit to live under a free government if he recognizes any obligation as superior to that to obey the laws of his country and defend it whenever it requires his life, property or services.

The true citizen leaves wife and children to offer up his life for the country when need arises.

If, then, obligation to country transcends that to family and home, no church, organization, society or group can claim a superior allegiance from him.

There is going to be no class

or clan controlling the government so long as there are men alive to fight for the flag and civilization.

Men have the right to protest, to propose changes and to effect them, if they have the numbers at the ballot box.

But when they depart from these lawful methods and raise the flag of rebellion, they become traitors and they will have to take the consequences.

There should be no misunderstanding about this.—Houston Post.

BUSINESS DOESN'T HOLD GRUDGES LONG.

If there is anyone who still believes that Germany will be handicapped by a refusal of her late enemies to sell her materials, he should reflect on how quickly the cotton market jumped up the other day on a rumor that Berlin had made arrangements with New York bankers for the extension of long time credits to the Germans.

During the war a lot of people vowed never to trade with Germany again. Even high statesmen talked about permanent boycotts of Germany, but President Wilson soon showed up the injustice and impracticability of that proposal. But while the passions were aroused among allied peoples, there was widespread resolve to never again buy Germany's products, or to sell her materials.

The resolution not to buy anything from Germany may hold for awhile, but the resolution not to sell to Germany is as good as dead now. The minute Germany has the cash or the credit to put up for goods she will get them. Money and commerce are dispassionate things. They know no loves or hatreds, and unfortunately in some cases, they overcome both.

Money talks, and boycotts against Germany will fade into thin air as rapidly as Germany shows the wherewithal to buy.—Houston Post.

KEEP YOUR CREDIT GOOD.

Credit is the most valuable thing a person can have, far more valuable than cash, for the mighty business world would collapse if it depended on cash alone. Consider the tremendous volume of business that is carried on on a credit basis and you will recognize that if business is to be stable, permanent and successful, each credit risk or promise to pay must be fulfilled when due; in other words, business must be backed up by good credit. What would happen to this wonderful country of ours if its credit was not good? We might be confronted by such situation as now exists in Russia, for credit, after all, is a matter of trust—one person or several persons trusting each other.

How often have you heard the remark: "He's as good as gold"? No greater compliment can be paid. He didn't inherit that reputation and perhaps he does not own any security. What security does he need with a reputation like that? None whatever. He guarded his credit carefully, was never indifferent with his creditor or careless about his bills. "Prompt pay" was his motto.

Don't treat your credit lightly. It is the most sensitive thing in the world. It will follow you like a shadow wherever you go.

Some Postscripts.

A native of China has invented a shorthand system for his own language and has attained a speed of 140 words a minute with it.

A prize of \$25,000 has been offered for the first aviator who makes a non-stop flight between Paris and New York in either direction.

For drawing horse lawn mowers a small gasoline tractor has been invented that is steered from the mower seat with handles like a plow.

The entire mechanism of a furniture lock of European invention is contained in a tube that can be inserted in the thinnest drawer front.

IRON HORSES WILL BE AT HOUSTON

Demonstration, Slated for September 30, October 1 and 2nd, Attracting Wide Attention.

The tractor demonstration, slated for Houston on September 30 and October 1 and 2nd, is arousing more than local interest.

It will be the second ever held in this section.

It will be the first ever held on a rice farm.

Because of the latter feature, experts and engineers are peculiarly interested.

The Houston Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring this demonstration as part of its general campaign for agricultural development.

A. E. Hildebrand, general manager of the National Tractor Farming Demonstrations, who has managed every great tractor demonstration thus far held in the United States, will have charge.

A six thousand acre rice farm has been secured within easy access of the city. The tractor people can stir up as much of this land as they like.

Three hundred acres will be flooded, and then dealt with as the cultivation of rice demands.

Large quantities of rice will be harvested and threshed.

Operations in connection with ordinary dry land farming will be illustrated, of course, and besides all makes and varieties of tractors, there will be plows, harrows, discers, cultivators, cultipackers, separators, seeders, binders, etc. on display.

There will also be accessories and equipment of incidental interest.

Generally speaking, it is planned to have an exhibition that

will bring all kinds of improvements together for the people to see and study.

Rice culture will be one of the principal themes of demonstration, and tractors will be the principal subject, but there will be many other things worth looking over, as self-sustaining lighting systems, for instance.

All the great tractor companies will be represented. There will be machines ranging in size from the great tanks which broke Hindenburg's line down to little garden motors. There will be scores of them, probably not less than 200.

The authorities at A. & M. College have endorsed the demonstration, which puts it above the plain of a mere commercial venture.

Its ultimate object is to introduce tractors, certainly, but the immediate object is to show what tractors can do to help farming in this section.

There are now something like 300,000 tractors in use throughout the United States.

Texas leads the United States in agriculture, and measured by this, as well as by her population, resources, possibilities, etc., she ought to have 10 per cent, or 30,000.

As a matter of fact, Texas has

only eight or ten thousand.

The same unfavorable comparison prevails throughout the Southwest—Louisiana, Arkansas, Oklahoma, New Mexico.

The people of this section are handicapped for lack of motor-driven machinery.

It has been slow in reaching them because they are far removed from most manufacturing centers, and because manufacturers have never given the southwestern market the attention it deserved.

These are a few of the considerations that induced the Houston Chamber of Commerce to sponsor a tractor demonstration.

Come and see what motor-driven machinery can do to help you. Ask your county agent about it.

Cotton Census.

Twenty-one bales of cotton were ginned in Houston county from the crop of 1919 prior to September 1, according to the report of E. B. Hale, cotton census enumerator.

At the same date last year 8,211 bales had been ginned, and it is estimated that the latter figures will overreach the total crop of this year. The crop is both short and late.

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