

The Crockett Courier.

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Newspaper Has Right to Determine What Is News.

Chicago, April 13.—The right of a newspaper to publish what it considers news and to disregard whatever it believes does not come within that category, was upheld Monday in an opinion of the appellate court, disposing of a \$100,000 damage suit by William Reeda, an attorney against the Tribune company.

Mr. Reeda, who was a candidate for superior court judge in the November, 1917, election on an independent ticket, charged

the Chicago Tribune with publishing a facsimile of a portion of a specimen ballot giving the names of the democratic, republican and socialist candidates for the judgeship, but omitting the names of the independent candidates. It was contended by Mr. Reeda that this omission was "wilful and malicious and done with intent to injure his candidacy."

"The defendant owed no duty to either the plaintiff or the public to publish anything which for any reason it did not see fit to publish," the opinion read. "The

defendant is the sole judge of the value of news as such. A newspaper must remain free to publish such matters as it regards as possessing news value and to refrain from publishing such matters as it may determine does not possess news value."

For Road Superintendent.

Stell Sharp announces this week as a candidate for the office of county road superintendent of Houston county. Mr. Sharp is engaged in farming and

is living on the San Antonio road four miles west of Crockett. Being busy with his crop and having little time for anything else especially at this season, he asks the Courier to say that he may be unable to make a complete campaign of the county. He hopes, however, to meet most of the voters before the campaign is over. As it will be late in the campaign before he will be able to see many people, he asks that voters withhold their decision as to who they will support for this office until they have an opportunity

of knowing his views on county road questions. Mr. Sharp was born and reared near Crockett and is not unknown to many of our people. For a number of years he lived on the Crockett and Latexo road. Having assisted in the construction of that road, he is not without some road building experience. He has always taken a deep interest in road matters, as well as in other matters pertaining to the general uplift. His candidacy is subject to the democratic primary.

Patronize our advertisers.

Introductory Sale!

We will make our opening day on next Saturday, April 17th, and the Introductory Sale starts on the same day for a limited time only. We are not going to argue here about the merits of the SELF-SERVING system, but we will prove to you by cold facts that self-serving is the best, safest, saving way of merchandising.

Below we are giving our introductory sale prices. You can't afford to miss this sale as there is no profit made in this sale—the aim of it is to get you to come and get used to trading in the SELF-SERVING way.

SYRUP	
Pure Ribbon Cane	
No. 10—Nigger in de Cane Patch, per can	\$1.48
No. 10—Katrina, per can	\$1.48
No. 10—French Market, per can	\$1.20
No. 10—Victory Brand, per can	\$1.23
No. 5—Victory brand, per can	.63c
Mixed Cane and Corn	
No. 10—Sunnygold, per can	\$1.15
No. 5—Sunnygold, per can	.60c
No. 10—Koo-Koo, per can	\$1.04
No. 10—White Star, per can	\$1.04
Corn Syrup	
No. 10—Blue Karo, per can	.88c
No. 5—Blue Karo, per can	.49c
No. 10—Red Karo, per can	.99c
No. 5—Red Karo, per can	.50c
COFFEE	
Chase & Sanborn's Seal Brand "finest grown" 3 lb cans, per can	
1 lb cans, per can	.55c
Maxwell House, 3 lb cans, per can	\$1.58
Sunset 3 lb cans, per can	\$1.58
Sunset 1 lb cans, per can	.55c
Admiration 1 lb cans, per can	.50c
Texo Pail 3 lb cans, per can	\$1.35
Rio parched, per lb	.28c
Rio green, per lb	.27c
Peaberry parched, per lb	.39c
Peaberry green, per lb	.38c
Ground coffee, per lb	.33c
BEANS	
California Large Limas, per lb	.15c
California Baby Limas, per lb	.16c
California Navy Limas, per lb	.11c
California Pink Limas, per lb	.11c
RICE	
Extra Fancy Blue Rose, per lb	.16c
COOKING OIL AND SHORTENING	
Pure Peanut Oil in so-called gallons, per can	\$2.38
Pure Peanut Oil in so-called half gallons, per can	\$1.20
Pure Peanut Oil in bulk per gallon, (limited amount at this price)	\$1.18
Cooking Oil per gallon	\$2.08
Swift's Jewel in cans 45 lb net per can	\$11.35
Swift's Jewel in pails, 8 lb net per pail	\$2.25
Swift's Jewel in pails, 4 lb net per pail	\$1.18
HAM AND BACON	
Swift's Premium Hams per lb	.43c
Swift's Premium Breakfast Bacon per lb	.58c
Wrapped Bacon, per lb	.32c
D. S. Bacon per lb	.25c
MATCHES	
Red Seal Brand, per box	.6c
Blue Fox Brand, per box	.5c

FLOUR	
White Crest, 48 lb sack, per sack	\$3.46
White Crest, 24 lb sack, per sack	\$1.78
(We have to offer you at above prices a limited amount only.)	
Split Silk 48 lb sack, per sack	\$3.33
Split Silk 24 lb sack, per sack	\$1.68
Royal No. 10, 48 lb sack, per sack	\$3.46
Empress No. 10, very good flour, 48 lb sack, per sack	\$3.30
Log Cabin, 48 lb sack, per sack	\$3.24
Log Cabin, 24 lb sack, per sack	\$1.65
Cream Meal, 25 lb sack, per sack	\$1.14
Pearl Meal, 25 lb sack, per sack	\$1.10
SOAP	
Crystal White, per bar	.7c
Bob White, per bar	.7c
White Flyer, per bar	.6c
Clairette, per bar	.6c
U. S. Mail, per bar	.6c
Clean Easy, per bar	.5c
Arrow Borax, per bar	.5c
Swift's Wool, per bar	.8c
Ivory, per bar	.8c
Jergin's Bath Tablet	.7c
WASHING POWDER	
Sea Foam, per package	.8c
Gold Dust, per package	.7c
Light House, per package	.5c
Star Naptha, per package	.4c
LYE	
Giant Lye, per can	.11c
Old Dutch Cleanser, per can	.9c
BAKING POWDER	
Vision, 25 oz. can, per can	.22c
Ryson, 1 lb can, per can	.35c
K. C. 25 oz. can, per can	.23c
Good Luck, 23 oz. can, per can	.23c
Good Luck, 8 oz. can, per can	.8c
Calumet, 1 lb can, per can	.25c

CAKES AND CRACKERS	
Premium Crackers, per package	.15c
Uneda Biscuits, per package	.8c
Crackers in bulk, per lb	.17c
Zu Zu, per package	.8c
Lemon Snap, per package	.8c
Vanilla Wafers, per package	.15c
Cheese Sandwich, per package	.15c
Fig Newtons, per package	.15c
Nabisco, per package	.15c
CANNED FISH	
Red Salmon, per can	.43c
Med-Red Salmon, per can	.28c
Pink Salmon, per can	.20c
Chum Salmon, per can	.20c
California Sardines, packed in tomato sauce, per can	.22c
Sea Gull brand Mustard Sardines, per can	.18c
Balboa brand Sardines, per can	.9c
Cod Fish, per can	.13c
American Sardines, per can	.6c
CERIALS	
Post Toasties, per package	.13c
Kellogg's Korn-Krisp, per package	.11c
Krinkle's Corn Flakes, per package	.12c
Shredded Wheat, per package	.17c
Cream of Wheat, per package	.26c
Puffed Rice, per package	.13c
Postum, per package	.22c
Purity Brand Oatmeal	.12c
CANNED MEATS	
Sliced beef in glasses, per glass	.25c
Armour's Cooked brain, per can	.25c
Armour's veribest Hamburger steak, per can	.18c
Armour's veribest Lunctongue, per can	.30c
Armour's veribest Veal loaf, per can	.28c
Armour's veribest Tripe, per can	.35c
Delicia brand Vienna style Sausage, per can	.14c
Delicia brand Potted Ham, per can	.7c

CANNED VEGETABLES	
No. 3-Van Camp's Hominy, per can	.17c
No. 3-Van Camp's Kraut, per can	.17c
No. 2-Libby's Kraut, per can	.12c
No. 3-Bee Brand Hominy, per can	.12c
No. 2-Re-own Brand corn, per can	.22c
No. 2-Queenia Brand corn, per can	.20c
No. 2-Country Boy Brand corn, per can	.16c
No. 2-Bee Brand Early Peas, per can	.18c
No. 3-Red C Brand Sweet Potatoes, per can	.25c
No. 2-Castle Haven Tomatoes, per can	.13c
No. 2-Okra & Tomatoes, per can	.15c
PICKLES AND RELISHES	
Half gallon jar Bronco brand Sour pickles, per jar	.85c
Half gallon jar Bronco brand Sweet Pickles, per jar	\$1.10
Quart jar Bronco brand pickles, per jar	.58c
Half pint bottles Bronco brand Sweet pickles, per bottle	.25c
Six ounce bottles, Bronco brand Sweet pickles, per bottle	.16c
12 1/2 oz. bottles Sun Beam brand Sour pickles, per bottle	.27c
12 1/2 oz. bottles Sun Beam brand Sweet pickles, per bottle	.30c
Heinz' Mustard Sauce, per bottle	.18c
Heinz' Prepared Mustard, per bottle	.13c
Heinz' Pure Olive oil half pint bottles, per bottle	.58c
French's Mustard, per bottle	.14c
JELLIES AND PRESERVES	
Quart jar preserves in assorted flavors per jar	.43c
One lb glass jellies in assorted flavors, per glass	.37c
Six ounce glass jellies in assorted flavors, per glass	.13c

MILK	
Dime brand condensed milk, per can	.18c
Carnation brand evap. milk talls, per can	.15c
Carnation brand evap. milk baby, per can	.7c
Pet brand evap. milk talls, per can	.16c
Pet brand eva. milk baby, per can	.7c
EVAPORATED FRUITS.	
California Peaches, per lb	.25c
California Apples, per lb	.27c
Prunes, per lb	.23c
STARCH	
Argo Starch in 12 oz. packages, per package	.5c
Argo Starch in 3 lb packages, per package	.34c
Lump Starch, per lb	.11c
Ivory Starch, per package	.4c
Faultless Starch, per package	.5c
GALVANIZED TUBS AND BUCKETS	
No. 3-Tubs, each	\$1.40
No. 2-Tubs, each	\$1.25
No. 1-Tubs, each	\$1.10
No. 0-Tubs, each	.90c
10 quarts Water Buckets, each	.43c
8 quarts Water Buckets, each	.35c
CALIFORNIA CANNED FRUITS	
We have a large shipment of California canned fruits in transit and hope that they will arrive here until our opening day. We will price them as follows:	
No. 2 1/2-Del Monte Apricots, per can	.50c
No. 2 1/2-Del Monte Bartlett Pears, per can	.42c
No. 2-Del Monte Peaches, per can	.47c
No. 2-Royal Ann Cherries, per can	.45c
No. 2-Blackberries, per can	.19c
6 oz. Liberty brand Cherries, per bottle	.32c
VINEGAR	
Pure Apple Cider Vinegar in gallon bottles, per bottle	.95c
Pure Apple Cider Vinegar in quart bottles, per bottle	.32c
Pure Distilled Vinegar in quart bottles, per bottle	.18c
Colored distilled Vinegar in bulk per gallon	.38c
TOMATO CATSUP	
Heinz' Catsup, 14 oz. bottles, per bottle	.30c
Heinz' Catsup, 8 oz. bottles, per bottle	.18c
Del Monte Catsup 16 oz. bottles, per bottle	.28c
California Home Catsup, 16 oz. bottles, per bottle	.24c

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

R. L. Shivers for barbed and hog wire. 2t.

Wanted—Turkeys. 1t. Bayne & Co.

R. L. Shivers for walking cultivators and planters. 2t.

Black-eyed peas—we have them. 1t. Bayne & Co.

Japanese Honey Drip cane seed at Manning & Company's. 1t.

See Arledge & Arledge for bright maize heads and alfalfa hay. tf.

T. D. Craddock wants to sell you your Overalls, for men and boys. 2t.

Dr. J. B. Deal has returned from a business trip to Wichita Falls.

Buy your hosiery from T. D. Craddock. We have all kinds in stock. 2t.

R. L. Shivers has a few west Texas Mebane cotton seed left for sale. 2t.

Miss Irelia Parrish is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. Garrett, at Coleman.

Everybody is going to the big High School Minstrels Tuesday night, April 20. 1t.

I can repair your graphophone or other talking machine. G. B. Hill at the Rexall Store. tf.

Neal Clements left Wednesday for Oklahoma City, where he has accepted a position.

T. D. Craddock has a beautiful line of Summer Dress Goods and Silks at very reasonable prices. We solicit your trade. 2t.

Sell off your old hens now while the price is good. 1t. Bayne & Co.

Mr. Edmund Hill left Saturday to visit his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Peck, at Memphis, Tenn.

If you haven't purchased your spring hat yet don't fail to see Mrs. Hail's before doing so. 1t.

Mrs. B. B. Bedgood of Wichita Falls is visiting in the home of her brother, Judge A. A. Aldrich.

Get your cane seed, the famous Japanese Honey Drip kind, from C. L. Manning & Company. 1t.

Young Shook of Houston, representing an oil prospecting company, is here with the view of drilling for oil.

O. C. Goodwin, a former Houston county citizen, has been elected president of the First State Bank of Bowie.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Harkins have moved from Kennard to Crockett, where Mr. Harkins has taken a place with the Bishop Pharmacy.

Mrs. Hail is showing some very attractive hats this week—attractive in both style and price. Be sure you see them before you buy. 1t.

W. H. Musick, in the employ of Smith Brothers at Douglass, Nacogdoches county, visited relatives and friends in this county last week.

Stallion for Service.

I am offering to the public the services of my French Coach stallion at a service fee of \$10. Horse may be seen at my place a half mile northeast of Lovelady. 4t*. B. B. Snell.

A beautiful showing of new millinery at Mrs. Hail's this week. The very newest styles in hats, and the prices are equally as attractive. 1t.

The Case Easy cultivator is strong, simple, durable, and easily adjusted, and is worth the price for one year's use. tf. Moore & Shivers.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Aikman Jr. and two children have arrived from Mart and will make their home in Crockett. Mrs. Aikman is the daughter of Mrs. H. Brooke.

Save your high priced cotton seed by using the Cell drop J I Case walking planter. It insures a stand, and saves seed, labor and team. Get them from Moore & Shivers. tf.

The Great Texas Company.
The Southwestern Life Insurance Company. A successful, safe, strong, conservative Old Line Life Insurance Company. tf. Thos. B. Collins, Agent.

Mr. G. P. Driskell and Miss Willie Johnson were married on Saturday, April 10, by County Judge Nat Patton. Their home is in the Belott community where they have many friends who will hasten to extend best wishes.

Special and Important.
A special and very important meeting of the four units of the Crockett Civic Club is called for Tuesday, April 20, at 3 p. m., in the rooms of the Crockett Commercial Club. All interested will please take notice.

Land for Rent.
Crop started, corn planted, good team and farm tools, cows for milk, good house and good water. For further particulars and terms apply to M. B. Ellis, Star Route, Grapeland, Texas.

Mr. Archie Ivey Thompson and Miss Pollie Marie Johnson were married by Rev. S. F. Tenney at his residence in Crockett on Monday of this week. The Houston county friends of the couple will hasten to extend the usual felicitations.

Patterson Lake Opened.
I have opened the privileges of Patterson Lake to the public on terms that are most reasonable. Privileges include fishing, hunting and the camp house at 75 cents per day. R. M. Black, Manager. 4t*.

Mr. Jesse Bishop and Miss Dovie Moorehead were married on March 27 by Rev. J. F. Lively of Grapeland. The bride is a Porter Springs girl who has been teaching near Grapeland, while the bridegroom's home is at Grapeland. They have the best wishes of an extensive acquaintance.

Agents Wanted.
Wanted—Man with team or auto, who can give bond, to sell 137 Watkins home and farm products. Biggest concern of kind in world, \$1500 to \$5000 yearly income. Territory in this county open. Write today J. R. Watkins Co., Dept. 112, Winona, Minn. 2t*.

Goes to Kansas City.
D. H. Jones, for many years principal of the Crockett colored schools, has resigned that position and gone to Kansas City, where he has accepted a position as teacher in the schools of that city. He is succeeded as principal of the Crockett colored schools by D. McCullough.

Stray Mule.
Taken up by J. N. Tyer at his place 8 1/2 miles northeast of Crockett, on Crockett and Rusk road, one mouse-colored horse mule, about 12 years old; no brands. Owner will call, prove his property, pay all costs and have possession. 4t. J. N. Tyer, Rt. 1, Crockett, Texas.

Pearson Convicted.
The jury in the case of the state against J. H. Pearson brought in to the district court room Wednesday night a verdict of guilty of aggravated assault and assessed the punishment at six months in jail and a fine of \$1000. The charge was reduced from that of assault with intent to murder to that of aggravated assault. The jury had been out since Wednesday afternoon.

No Indictment Found.
No indictment was found by the grand jury against Boog Allison, arrested in the sheriff's search for a "moonshine" distillery two or three weeks since. Allison and his two young sons were arrested on a warrant issued out of the justice court on information. The two boys were released soon after being brought to Crockett, and Mr. Allison was released under bond pending an investigation by the grand jury on the following day. Boog Allison's name does not appear in the list of those against whom the grand jury found bills of indictment.

Special Election Notice.
To the Voters of Houston County:
By virtue of a Proclamation issued by the Governor of Texas, and the authority vested in me, as County Judge of Houston County, an election is hereby ordered to be held at the various voting boxes in said county, on the 15th day of May, 1920, for the purpose of electing a member of the Legislature from this, the 24th District, to succeed Hon. E. Winfree, resigned.
All persons who are qualified voters in a general election may vote in this election.
Nat Patton,
County Judge, Houston County, Texas. 2t.

Change of Trains.
A new train schedule went into effect at Crockett Sunday. There was no change in Nos. 1 and 2, the "Sunshine Special," nor in No. 3, the southbound morning passenger, but No. 4, the northbound evening train, was discontinued and No. 6, a new train, substituted. No. 6 will leave Houston every night at 11:20, arrive and leave Crockett at 3:38 a. m., connect at

MONEY TO LOAN
BUY VENDOR LEIN NOTES.
AETNA LIFE INSURANCE.
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CROCKETT, TEXAS.

Palestine for St. Louis and at Longview for Dallas. There is little change in the arrival and departure of Nos. 5 and 8, the southbound night train and the northbound morning train. No. 8 is moved up to connect with the train for San Antonio at Palestine, arriving and leaving Crockett at 11:46 a. m., an hour and twenty minutes earlier.

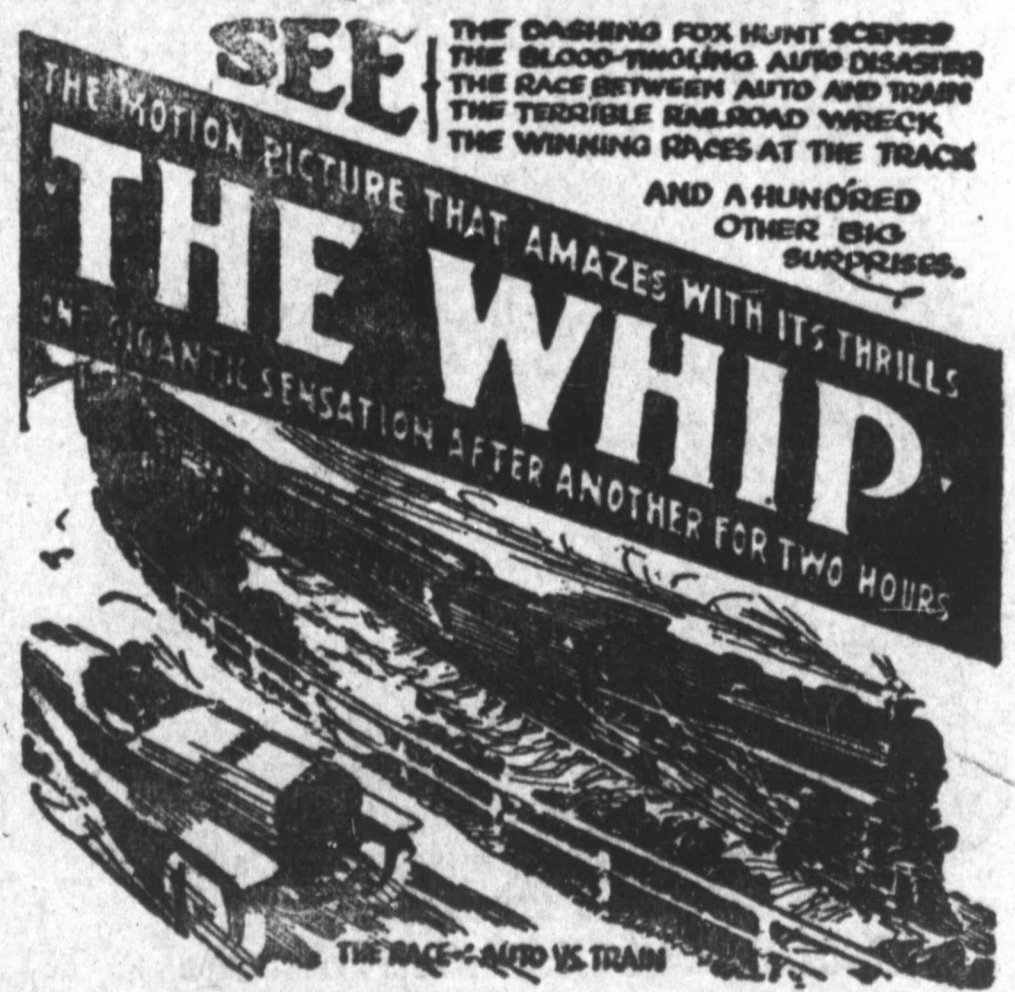
Return to Ownership.
New efforts to improve the standards of the express service throughout the country are contemplated by the American Railway Express Company, which will continue the handling of the business as a single unit, for the time being, at least. A statement to this effect was made today by Agent G. R. Straughan, in charge of the local express office, in urging shippers to be patient and to lend their cooperation in bettering the express service.

"Now that the American Railway Express Company is operating under its own management, we are gradually returning to normal conditions and are introducing a great many changes in methods which we expect will, within a reasonable time, show results very satisfactory to shippers," said Mr. Straughan. "We have already accomplished much since the time of the merger in 1918, and the service is generally considered good. But we do not say it cannot be improved and that is our aim. Yet we cannot promise immediate improvement, owing to the unsettled conditions that have to be faced during this period of readjustment. With the improvement of the railroad service and with more facilities in cars and terminals, we believe that we can show great progress in this direction."

To keep a man and his bunch of keys together and eliminate the disadvantages of a key chain an inventor has patented a spring reel attachment that permits a key to be used at arms length.

Tell him that you saw his ad in the Courier.

BIG SPECIAL ATTRACTION
Monday, April 19
Baker Theatre



Matinee Doors open at 3 p. m. Show starts at 3:30 sharp
One show only at Matinee. Come on time
MATINEE PRICES 25c TO EVERYBODY
NIGHT SHOW AT 7:30 P. M.—25 AND 35 CENTS
Don't Fail to see the best thrilling picture of the season

Why Work
so hard making butter to sell for 40 cents when you can sell your sour cream so easy? Ask us.

H. Bayne & Co.

Middle of Patton Block

A BIG DRIVE ON CATTLE TICKS

Antitick Army in Southern States Ready for Battle Against Parasite.

The warm days of spring mean that the battle in the Southern States against the cattle fever tick has been resumed. It is a battle that has always been important, because every steer saved from the ticks means more good, wholesome meat.

Across the southern portion of the United States, in a long semicircle from the Atlantic Ocean to the Rio Grande, extend 100 miles of concrete trenches. They are the cattle dipping vats, through which the ticks can not pass northward and which are gradually moving southward, driving the tick lines before them. Behind the trenches is the anti-tick army, which is captained by 285 inspectors of the U. S. department of agriculture, 280 state inspectors and 1,000 county inspectors. The army is made up of thousands upon thousands of cattle owners, who have come to realize how great is the toll they have been made to pay to the tick and how they can be finally rid of the parasite if they join in the battle against them.

With the coming of warm weather every spring the cattle fever ticks hatch out and crawl up on the grass of the southern fields and at the first opportunity attach themselves to the hides of passing cattle. Ticks multi-

ply very rapidly. As they reach maturity on the cattle they drop to the ground and more ticks are hatched. One female tick is capable of laying from 1,000 to 5,000 eggs. Where one was in the spring millions are in the summer. The steer which has been made to serve as a host of the ticks becomes in a few months a skinny, sickly wreck and a veritable mass of bloodsucking parasites.

The anti-tick fighters are ready for the tick. They will drive the tick-infested cattle through the dipping vats, and after one passage the cattle will carry comparatively few ticks. At the end of the summer they will carry none, if all the cattle are dipped regularly, every two weeks.

When the end of the anti-tick war is reached, the southern cattle industry will have rid itself of a parasite that annually costs tens of thousands of dollars and will be established on a foundation as firm as the concrete trenches now fighting for it.

In order to free Houston county of the cattle tick it is necessary that the tick eradication laws, rules and regulations of the State of Texas be rigidly enforced, and this is what is going to be done this year. The tick eradication law and the rules and regulations of the State require that all cattle be dipped regularly every fourteen days until cattle and premises are free of ticks.

A penalty of from twenty-five dollars to one hundred dollars is provided by law for failure or refusal to dip cattle after the owner or caretaker has been legally notified to do so and each day of such failure or refusal shall be a separate offense.

Tick eradication has cost Houston county a considerable amount of



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The reason you are interested in the name on your tire is that it identifies the maker. By knowing the maker you can judge his ideals of manufacture.

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What you get depends on what is behind the name on your tire. Brunswick, as you know, means a very old concern, jealous of its good name. Since 1845 the House of Brunswick has been famous the world over for the quality of its products.

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money; but this expenditure of money can be stopped this year by all cattle being dipped regularly every fourteen days until premises and cattle are free of ticks. "A hint only to the wise is sufficient."

J. S. Oldham,
Federal Supervising Inspector.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To H. A. Hughes, his heirs and legal representatives; 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: 100 acres of the M. Hunt Survey, Abstract No. 540, being all of said survey, except 120 acres now claimed and owned by Dr. E. B. Stokes of Houston County, Texas, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the years 1893 to 1918, both years inclusive, in the sum of \$105.29, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the October Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in

FAMOUS OLD TONIC BREAKS UP MALARIA CHILLS IN 3 DAYS

So Good That Prominent Physicians Everywhere Are Prescribing It.

The next time you get an attack of malaria, ague, etc., go to your dealer and get a bottle of Swamp Chill and Fever Tonic. It will break up the chills in three or four days, and give you relief as you've never had before.

Swamp Chill Tonic does its work quickly and surely, without any unpleasant effects. It contains no calomel, and is tasteless. It is made of purely vegetable ingredients and iron—exactly the combination for the effective relief of malaria, ague, chills, fever, colds, grippe, etc.

Hundreds of people write letters about Swamp Chill Tonic like J. T. Nelson of Bivens, Texas, who says: "Swamp Chill and Fever Tonic has always cured the chills for me and I know it is the best chill tonic on the market."

You, too, will say the same, once you have tried this famous old remedy. At your dealer's—60c a bottle. Get one today.

the City of Crockett on the second Monday which is the 11th day of October, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1735 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this the 10th day of April, A. D. 1920. (Seal) V. B. Tunstall, Clerk District Court, Houston County Texas. 3t.

Some Postscripts.

Underneath a new chair for children is a music box that plays when a child is seated.

Sugar beet growing experiments in Scotland have resulted in a decidedly increased yield.

An English scientist has developed a photometric method for making exact measurements of colors.

A tool box, which can be locked, is included within one of the doors of an up to date automobile.

A metal frame has been invented for holding very young babies in safe positions while being bathed.

An Englishman is the inventor of a holder for drills with which they can be sharpened on whetstones.

To help in folding business letters rapidly a device resembling an enlarged signet ring has been invented.

Chinese import a species of wood from the Philippines and extract a red ink, stain, dye and paint color from it.

An inventor claims to have perfected a demountable rim which is attached to an automobile wheel with a single nut.

Get your sorghum seed from Moore & Shivers. tf.

ANNOUNCEMENT FEES.

Cash in advance:
Congress, \$20.00.
Judicial, \$15.00.
Senatorial, \$12.50.
County office, \$7.50.
Commissioner, \$7.50.
Justice precinct, \$5.00.

Some Postscripts.

French laws forbid painters using white lead or products containing it.

A European city has an automobile fire engine that also can be used as a street sweeper or sprinkler or a freight truck of six tons capacity.

Apparatus has been invented by a Norwegian with which carbide is being used for fuel in benzine motors for boats and he is experimenting with its use in petroleum engines.

For testing sole leather the United States Bureau of Standards has developed a machine that subjects samples to conditions similar to those encountered by boots and shoes.

COWPEAS, COWPEAS WANTED

any variety, in any quantity. Will be in the market at all times from now on.

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Distributor, Houston, Texas.

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Mrs. E. M. Harris, R. R. No. 3, Ashland, Wis., sends a message of cheer to the sick:

"After following your advice and using Peruna and Manalin, I was cured of catarrh of the nose, throat and stomach, from which I had suffered for several years. When I commenced taking Peruna I could not make my bed without stopping to rest. Now I

Catarrh of the Nose, Throat and Stomach.

do all my work and am in good health. I recommend this valuable remedy to all suffering from any disease of the stomach.

Peruna is Sold Everywhere Liquid or Tablet Form

AN IMPROVEMENT OF OUR LIVESTOCK

The Dawning of a New Day
For Old Houston
County.

The brief announcement in last week's Crockett papers to the effect that the First National Bank of this city had taken the initiative steps for the improvement and general encouragement of the livestock interests of this section, by ordering a car load of registered Hereford bulls to be sold to the farmers at actual cost, and on a year's time, if desired, was the most important and far reaching public statement that has appeared in print since the community building campaign of the Commercial Club was launched four years ago.

For it should be borne in mind that this first car load of higher grade males for the encouragement of a more general raising of beef cattle is only the beginning of a move along this line that will assume large proportions and prove of the greatest possible value to the county. In order to distribute these animals over the most territory and in a manner that will prove most effective, it has been suggested that an organization in each school district be formed for the purchase of one or more of these males, and after the second year they could be traded about in a way that would bring new blood into each community without the necessity of buying new animals.

If this first car load is promptly absorbed by the farmers and in a manner that shows proper appreciation of the efforts extended by the bank, other cars will be sure to follow from this same source, and it is fair to presume that other banks in the county will join in the good work that should mean so much in the way of releasing us from the slavery of the cotton crop.

The prospect of raising beef cattle for shipment in this section of East Texas is greatly enhanced in its financial possibilities by the fact that a four million dollar packing plant is being created at Houston that will afford a much more direct and profitable market for beef cattle. This is also true of hogs, sheep and goats.

Now that this live stock feature has assumed such a favorable beginning it is the most natural thing for the boys and girls livestock clubs to be formed all over the county, and

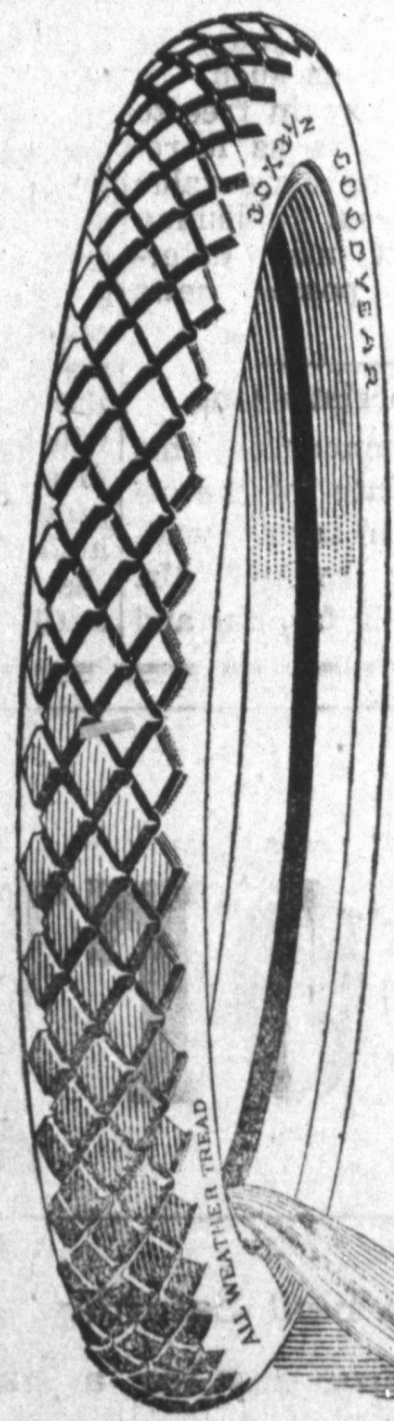
COULD HARDLY STAND ALONE

Terrible Suffering From Headache,
Sideache, Backache, and Weak-
ness, Relieved by Cardui,
Says This Texas Lady.

Gonzales, Tex.— Mrs. Minnie Philpot, of this place, writes: "Five years ago I was taken with a pain in my left side. It was right under my left rib. It would commence with an aching and extend up into my left shoulder and on down into my back. By that time the pain would be so severe I would have to take to bed, and suffered usually about three days... I suffered this way for three years, and got to be a mere skeleton and was so weak I could hardly stand alone. Was not able to go anywhere and had to let my house work go... I suffered awful with a pain in my back and I had the headache all the time. I just was unable to do a thing. My life was a misery, my stomach got in an awful condition, caused from taking so much medicine. I suffered so much pain. I had just about given up all hopes of our getting anything to help me."

One day a Birthday Almanac was thrown in my yard. After reading its testimonials I decided to try Cardui, and am so thankful that I did, for I began to improve when on the second bottle... I am now a well woman and feeling fine and the cure has been permanent for it has been two years since my awful bad health. I will always praise and recommend Cardui. Try Cardui today. ■ 78

Smaller Cars—and the World's Most Popular Tires



No tires bearing the Goodyear name, not even the famous Goodyear Cords which equip the world's highest-priced cars, embody a higher relative value than do Goodyear Tires in the 30x3-, 30x3½-, and 31x4-inch sizes.

In these tires owners of Ford, Chevrolet, Dort, Maxwell and other cars taking the above sizes are afforded a measure of performance and service such as only the world's largest tire factory devoted to these sizes can supply.

All that this company's experience and methods have accomplished in these tires is available to you now at the nearest Goodyear Service Station.

Go to this Service Station Dealer for these tires, and for Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes. He has them.

30 x 3½ Goodyear Double-Cure
Fabric, All-Weather Tread..... \$23.50

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Fabric, Anti-Skid Tread..... \$21.50

Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes are thick, strong tubes that reinforce casings properly. Why risk a good casing with a cheap tube? Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes cost little more than tubes of less merit. 30 x 3½ size in water-proof bag..... \$4.50

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TUBES AND ACCESSORIES

Smith-Murchison Hardware Company, Crockett

R. E. Parker, Hardware, Lovelady

Keeland Brothers, Grapeland

for the banks to bring in car loads of pure blood pigs and calves and sell them to the farmer boys and girls at cost and take their individual notes in payment, covering a period long enough to enable the increase to pay the debt. For instance a boy or girl buys a bred gilt for \$35 and gives a note for six months. The first increase will occur in two months or less and an average number of pigs for the first litter we say will be seven. When these pigs are three months old two of them with registration papers will readily sell for enough to pay the note and the boy or girl has the sow and four pigs left, easily worth \$135, and it has only taken four or five months to bring it about. Let any of the youngsters who are interested figure out what the income would be from the next increase and follow it up for two or three years

and see how quick they will become launched in a profitable and most interesting personal venture. The same is true, only a longer period is involved, in getting results where the boys and girls buy a bred heifer of high grade registered stock. While it takes more time to get returns from cattle than hogs there is always a possibility of developing some exceptionally fine stock that will bring abnormally large prices.

As a step toward making farm life more attractive to the boys and girls, a movement that must be seriously considered in the immediate future, what could be done that would be more effective than the creation of boys and girls pig and calf clubs in every neighborhood in the county?

Every farmer who feels interested should read the advertisement of the First National Bank

of Crockett that appears in this issue and take the necessary steps to get one of these animals located in his neighborhood.

H. A. Fisher, Secretary.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To H. M. Brown, his heirs and legal representatives; 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: 40 acres of the Jackson Baker survey, Abstract 224, same being Block No. 1 of A. O. Harper & Co's. Plat and Subdivision of said Baker Survey, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1911 in the sum of \$4.06, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the October Term of the District Court of said State and County

DOCTOR G. D. SMALL EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT

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PALESTINE, TEXAS
Office Hours:
9 to 12 a. m. 2 to 5 p. m.

which meets in the City of Crockett on the second Monday which is the 11th day of October, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1112 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 10th day of April, A. D. 1920. (Seal) V. B. Tunstall, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.
St. By J. B. Stanton, Deputy.

PLEDGE SUPPORT TO AMERICAN PARTY

Lovelady, Texas,
April 10, A. D. 1920.

At a mass meeting of the undersigned qualified Democratic voters of commissioners' precinct No. 3, Houston county, Texas, C. C. Allen was elected temporary chairman and E. C. Thompson secretary, and the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

That, whereas, the Democratic party of this State and Nation have abandoned the true and fundamental principles of Jeffersonian Democracy and are advocating principles in direct opposition to the true and tried principles of Democracy, or a representative form of government, being a centralization of power in our federal government, and the abolishment of States rights as was granted under the compact or federation of the States.

And, being loyal to the true principles of Jeffersonian Democracy and believing in the preservation of a republican form of government, we hereby subscribe to the party principles, as adopted by the Democracy of Texas in their assembly at Ft. Worth, Texas, on August 14, A. D. 1919, where the American Party was organized.

Therefore, be it Resolved, That we the undersigned qualified voters of commissioners' precinct No. 3, at Lovelady, Houston county, Texas, pledge ourselves to stay out of and refrain from a participation in the so-called Democratic primary.

And be it further Resolved, That we pledge our support, influence and financial aid to the nominees of the American Party and the perpetuation of the principles of said party as it is organized in Texas, and believing its declarations of principles to be the true Jeffersonian principles of Democracy.

Signed:

C. C. Allen
E. C. Thompson
Tom Iden
C. E. Allen
B. L. West
J. R. Thompson
J. B. Sanders
J. J. Barron
Geo. Hammond

T. J. Wooldridge
John Platt
Hal Long
Geo. McCullar
John Driskell
W. L. Stanley
J. E. LaRue
W. M. Platt
S. S. Adams
W. A. Allen
Mitchell Satterwhite
Ben LaRue
W. H. LaRue
A. G. Bray
J. H. Platt

A resolution was unanimously adopted endorsing the Hon. W. B. Page as County Chairman of the American Party.

Upon motion the temporary chairman and secretary were made permanent, and the following precinct chairmen were appointed:

A. G. Bray, Antioch voting box.
J. R. Thompson, Weldon voting box.
J. E. Driskell, Holly voting box.
Hon. J. D. Sallas, Shiloh voting box.
E. C. Thompson, Volga voting box.
J. D. McCullar, Creek voting box.
C. C. Allen, Lovelady voting box.

A motion to adjourn was declared in order, and the meeting adjourned.

C. C. Allen, Chairman.
E. C. Thompson, Sec'y.
(Political Advertisement.)

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To J. J. Lowe, his heirs and legal representatives, 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:

81 acres of the A. Smith Survey, Abstract No. 906, same being Lot or Block No. 2 of Harper & Co's. Plat, and being the land described in the deed of H. J. Arledge to J. J. Lowe, dated October 15th, 1912, of record in Vol. 66 page 188 of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the years 1915, 1916, 1917 and 1918 in the sum of \$48.69, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the October Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the second Monday which is the 11th day of October, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land

Attention, Farmers and Stockmen

We have bought a car load of the finest registered Hereford, or whiteface, bulls which we propose to sell to the farmers of Houston county at cost.

We are doing this for the good of the beef-cattle interests of the county and prefer to sell each bull to a club of farmers in different communities in order that the widest benefits may result. However, we will not refuse to sell a bull to individuals who have a sufficient number of cows to need a bull.

The party from whom we are buying these bulls has been in the cattle breeding business for many years and has established the highest reputation for selling only the finest stock and sells these bulls singly for \$250.00 each, but by buying a car load and eliminating any profit for ourselves we are able to sell them to the farmers of Houston county for \$200.00 each, or a little less.

Terms are cash, but twelve months' time will be granted, without interest, where the purchasers make a good note. Remember, every one of these bulls is a registered animal and certificate of registration will be furnished with each one. We are expecting them to arrive any day and if you want one come to see us at once as they will not last long at the rate they are going.

The First National Bank of Crockett



Verlaine Voiles

New Silks and Voiles

What a distinctly individual summer wardrobe one can plan with new silks and voiles of the type of these now ready for your viewing! The quality of these fabrics, the pleasing range of new patterns and colorings, emphasize that service in merchandise for which this store is noted.

Jas. S. Shivers
Crockett's Big Store

and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1729 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this the 10th day of April, A. D. 1920.

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

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To J. F. Rains and Mrs. J. F. Rains, who reside in Houston County, Texas, the heirs and legal representatives of each of these deceased; 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:

77 acres of the Stilwell Box survey Abstract No. 147, same being Block No. 2 of A. O. Harper and Co's. Plat and subdivision of said Box survey, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the years 1900-05-06-07-12 and 13 in the sum of \$35.76, and you are hereby notified that this suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the regular Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 2nd Monday which is the 11th day of October, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1638 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this the 10th day of April, A. D. 1920. (Seal) V. B. Tunstall,
Clerk District Court, Houston County,
Texas.

By J. B. Stanton, Deputy.

Russian engineers have estimated that the harnessing of two waterfalls in Finland and the transmission of the electric power to Petrograd would save that city 3,000,000 tons of coal a year.

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The first time new Government Wagon Covers have ever been offered! And you buy them for considerably less than the present price of lightweight flimsy Covers of doubtful quality.

U. S. Government Wagon Covers 11 ft. 6 in. by 14 ft. 8 in. of heavy Olive Drab Duck; all complete with ropes. Every cover is new—warranted never used—all perfect.

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Tell him that you saw his ad in the Courier.

SMUTTY JOKES ON STAGE MEAN ARREST

Mayor Makes Announcement Following Conference With Y. M. B. L. Directors.

Houston, Texas, April 3.—In the future vaudeville actors who deal in smutty jokes on Houston stages will be arrested on the spot and vigorously prosecuted, according to the announcement made this afternoon by Mayor Amerman, and managers of the various playhouses have been warned to this effect.

The mayor's statement followed a conference between him and directors of the Young Men's Business League, who had drafted a resolution asking that the board of censors take action to wipe out this condition.

"There is no need of making the request to the censor board. I will warn all managers of vaudeville houses in the city that if in the future anything of the kind is allowed to go on the stage, the actors will be arrested on the spot," the mayor declared after hearing accounts of the type of joke common.

A copy of the resolution that caused the action follows:

Be it resolved by the board of directors of the Houston Young Men's Business League, that

Whereas, The managements of the vaudeville theaters have permitted jokes told in performances during this season which, in our opinion are, are at least unfit for the ears of the majority of the patrons of their houses, that

Therefore, This board of directors does strongly condemn this class of amusement and the willingness on the part of the management of their theaters to inflict same on their patrons, and that if the existing city ordinance provides that such performances shall be censored by the city board of censors that the censors be requested to promptly pass on the first performance of each week's bill, and that if the present city ordinances do not provide for such censoring, that the mayor and commissioners be requested to immediately pass such an ordinance and require the observance of same, and that copies of this resolution, with proper letter of explanation of the cause of its passage, be sent to the mayor and commissioners, and to each member of the board of censors.

WOOL SKIRTS ARE IMPORTANT



There are so many kinds of separate skirts that a little book might be written about them. But the practical skirt of wool, for daily wear, which was the forerunner of all the others, is the most important. It is made of indistinct plaids, cross bars and stripes this season, in which soft dark colors are beautifully combined. The skirts are usually laid in wide or narrow box plaits according to the size of the plaid or width of the stripe. As the season advances wool skirts will be replaced by others of cotton for utility wear. These are shown now in plain white and in white striped or figured with a color. Pearl buttons sparingly used remain the favorite finish.

SUIT WITH FLARING COAT



Every woman ought to be able to find a becoming suit this spring because there is no great a variety in accepted styles. Skirts appear to be more or less plain and straight hanging, but there is no similarity in coats. Many of them fit quite snugly above the waist line and flare below it, others follow the box coat model, hanging in straight lines from neck to hem, and still others flare from the shoulders down, like the sprightly model pictured.

Small buttons and narrow silk braid, applied with beautiful accuracy, provide its decoration.

APRIL 19 BEGINS AS HEALTH WEEK

Proclamation by the Governor of the State of Texas.

I am informed by the State Board of Health that over 30 per cent of the deaths and sickness in Texas is of a preventable nature and modern scientific sanitary literature teaches that many of these diseases have their origin in filth, and that many cases of blindness and physical defects are due to a lack of knowledge.

Now, therefore, I, W. P. Hobby, Governor of Texas, at the request of the State Board of Health, do hereby proclaim the week beginning April 19, 1920, as Health Week.

This week to be devoted to the distribution of educational literature on keeping physically fit, and teaching our children preparedness against the pit-falls of disease, through lecture, physical examination and demonstration; an examination into the various health ordinances, and perfecting them, pledging moral support and enforcement; a careful inspection of our homes and city and their surroundings; providing facilities, both physical and financial, for the removal of any contaminated or infected places found; and,

Whereas, my information is that

Mosquitoes transmit malaria. Poor housing conditions are comforts and aids for tubercular germs.

Dust offers a splendid medium for many germs to be transmitted.

Common towel and common drinking cup—both factors in propagating disease.

Dumping grounds are incubators for many disease producing organisms if material is not properly disposed of.

Hundreds of Texas, are victims of rabies from unmuzzled dogs, and

Whereas, the prosperity of Texas depends upon the health of her citizens, I

Therefore, urge every individual, organization, public health authority, public official and the schools of this State to observe this Health Week, April 19 to 24, 1920.

In testimony whereof I hereunto sign my name and have caused the seal of the state to be

Everybody

would consult their best interests by coming to us for hardware of every kind—for the home, the garden, the farm, for every conceivable purpose. Our stock is very large, very complete, and very desirable. The following list offers some attractive seasonable suggestions:

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| Cement Working Tools. | Builders Hardware, Padlocks, Etc. | O'Cedar Mops and Polish. |
| Fence Pliers or Staple Pullers. | Dry Batteries. | Refrigerator Pans. |
| Scythe Stones. | Mail Boxes. | Galv. Watering Pots. |
| Tool Grinders. | Screen Windows and Storm Sash Fasteners. | Garbage Cans. |
| Mattocks. | Screen Hardware and Screen Door Sets. | Cream Separators. |
| Grub Hoes. | Hammock Chains, Hooks and Ropes. | Fireless Cookers. |
| Railroad Picks. | Tackle or Awning Pulleys. | Gas Stoves. |
| Farm Tool Handles. | Shovels. | Oil Stoves. |
| Wire Stretchers. | Barn Door Hangers and Track. | Camp Cookers. |
| Trace Chains. | Garage Equipment. | Alcohol Stoves. |
| Shovels. | Rope. | Flue Stops. |
| Tiling Spades. | Twine. | Saddlery and Harness. |
| Post Hole Diggers. | Prepared Roofing. | Plow Lines. |
| Post Mauls. | Spring Cotters. | Horse Collars. |
| Road Scrapers. | Plow Bolts, Grass Rods and Spreader Rods. | Collar Pads. |
| Wheelbarrows. | Metal Joint Fasteners. | Lap Dusters. |
| Steel Goods. | Poultry Fence and Netting. | Whips—All Kinds. |
| Hay Carriers. | Hardware Cloth. | Curry Combs. |
| Garden Hose. | Wire Cloth Racks. | Horse Brushes. |
| Lawn Mowers. | Screen Wire Cloth. | Hames. |
| Grass Catchers. | Screen Doors, Windows and Screen Window Frames. | Single and Double Trees. |
| Grass Hooks. | Picture Wire, Hooks, Nails, Etc. | Clevises. |
| Scythes—Grass, Lawn, Bush, Weed and Grain. | Carpet Tacks. | Harness Preparations. |
| Scythe Snaths. | Mole Traps. | Wagon Umbrellas. |
| Grain Cradles. | Fly Traps. | Pocket Knives. |
| Roaching Shears. | Fly Killers. | Shears. |
| Horse Clippers. | Ice Balances. | Scissors. |
| Fetlock Clippers. | Step Ladders. | Toilet Clippers. |
| Sheep Shears. | Water Coolers. | Razors. |
| Horse and Mule Shears. | Ice Cream Freezers. | Safety Razors. |
| Grass Shears. | Ice Tongs and Ice Cream Dishes. | Razor Stropps. |
| Pruning Shears. | Ice Chisels and Shaves. | Razor Hones. |
| Weed Diggers. | Churns. | Shaving Brushes. |
| Tree Pruners. | Washing Machines. | Budding, Pruning and Florists' Knives. |
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| Corn and Potato Planters. | Brushes—All Kinds. | Dog Collars. |
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Smith-Murchison Hardware Co.

affixed at the city of Austin this the 31st day of March, A. D. 1920.

W. P. Hobby,

Governor of Texas.

Two Georgia Papers Facing Suspension.

Chattanooga, Tenn., April 6.—The following appeal has been issued to southern newspapers by Secretary W. C. Johnson of the Publishers' Association:

"The Columbus, Ga., Enquirer-Sun, controlled by Mr. R. L. McKenney of the Macon News, is in desperate straits for newsprint and unless relief is secured promptly suspension of the Columbus paper seems certain.

"The Enquirer-Sun has no newsprint contract and on Friday they had only three rolls on hand. The stock of the Macon News is almost depleted and they have only enough to keep them going for a few days. The car shortage and delays in transit has greatly embarrassed this paper.

"If you can help the Columbus

Enquirer-Sun with any quantity of 33 or 66-inch rolls won't you please wire the Enquirer-Sun, advising what you are able to do? They guarantee to return the paper at the earliest possible moment."



Dying of Starvation.

Children, little children, 250,000 of them in Armenia and the Near East, are starving. Despite their desperate efforts to eat sufficient grass and roots to keep alive, they are dying every day for want of even a crust of bread. Little bodies wasted away to skin and bones, they cry pitifully, with hands outstretched to America, for just enough to eat. Bread, bread—plain food to keep alive the spirit of these little ones, that in the future they may be the rebuilders of their race and nation Armenia. This is the prayer of the Near East.

These little starving children are very near to the hearts of all Americans—the great nation where all children are loved and where none need suffer. Even if there were no great, deserving cause why the Near East should be helped, the mere suffering of helpless, starving children would be enough to arouse all America.

Just do your bit and send your offering to A. A. Aldrich, Houston county chairman.

STEEL MAGNATE IS CAUGHT IN SQUEEZE

Stands to Lose \$5,250,000 in Stutz Motors Corner.

New York, April 8.—Although it is asserted that no individual is short Stutz sales to any great extent, the rumor persists that a prominent steel man is caught and will be squeezed for more than \$5,250,000 unless the stock exchange intervenes.

The steel man, so the story goes, is known in Wall street to have sold 10,000 shares of Stutz Motor Car company stock at \$125, after getting oral assurance of the delivery to him at a slightly higher figure in the event that the stock rose. This is a method usually adopted by speculators to protect their "short" sales.

Could Not Keep Promise.

But when the Stutz stock began its pyrotechnic advance the steel man was informed that the promise he had received could not be kept, as all the securities were held by Allan A. Ryan and a clique responsible for the corner. His position was that of a trader who could not buy the stock at any figure until the shares were released by Mr. Ryan's clique.

When the board of governors of the stock exchange placed an embargo on trading in the securities the quotation was \$391 per share. This represented a loss to the steel man of approximately \$2,650,000. Since trading has been carried on "over the counter," with the price increasing to \$425 per share, making his loss \$3,000,000.

Yesterday the corporation announced a stock dividend on the basis of two shares to each three held by stockholders, which increases the value to nearly \$650 a share.

In the absence of any action by the exchange board of governors limiting the value of the stock, the steel man will have to settle with those in the corner at that price.

Ryan Determined.

Those familiar with the situation assert the corner grew out of a feud between the steel man and Mr. Ryan. Ryan is said to be determined to press the advantage to the limit, and will, if

DRESSED FOR A PARTY



The pretty maid in the picture above is daintily dressed for a party. Upon an occasion of such importance as a birthday, even a little girl is allowed a frock of georgette crepe made with tucks in the skirt, sleeves and waist. Its special pride is narrow ribbon tied in little bows that finish bands about the sleeves and long and short ends that hang from the waist. Faillie ribbon, in two colors, is used for girdles that tie near the front and have small bows with long ends. Sometimes one of the ribbons matches the dress in color, or both ribbons may differ from it so long as the contrast is pretty.

TRICOLETTE FOR GOWNS



Fashion continues to smile on tricolore gowns and this rich material looks particularly well made up in straight line models. Striped effects in plain colors, made by a drop-stitch in the weave, are used for handsome gowns like that pictured above. In this the stripes are arranged to run lengthwise in the bodice and both lengthwise and horizontally in the tunic and skirt. The open neck is filled in at the front with flesh-colored georgette. A dress of this kind in dark tones of the fashionable colors proves especially becoming to stout figures.

necessary, appeal to the courts against any action of the stock exchange affecting the price of the stock. He considers the board's ruling suspending all trading as entirely unwarranted and a precedent dangerous to future operations, inasmuch as other short sellers may raise the cry of a corner whenever they are unable to make deliveries.

Mr. Ryan's opponent in this historical stock fight is one of the best known steel men in America and has had a picturesque career, in which his own fortune fluctuated in a manner just as do many stocks. Since the war he is reputed to have amassed a fortune of approximately \$100,000,000.

NOTICE OF FILING ACCOUNT—ESTATES.

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

You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Houston, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of twenty days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

Notice of Filing Account—Estates of Decedents.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To all persons interested in the Estate of S. H. Rook, deceased.

Mrs. D. D. Rook, Administratrix, has filed in the County Court of Houston County, her final account in said estate with application for discharge as Administratrix and application for final partition and distribution of said estate, which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing the first Monday in May, A. D. 1920, at the Court House thereof, in the City of Crockett, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said account should they see proper to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said Court this Writ, with your return thereon endorsed, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court this the 13th day of April, A. D. 1920. (Seal) A. E. Owens, Clerk County Court, Houston County Texas. By Mrs. W. D. Collins, Deputy. St.

We Sell Everything to Everybody

We do not depend on the sale of one article, or two or three lines of goods, for our profits. Our business, therefore, is not limited. It covers practically everything the people of this community desire in the merchandise line.

WE SAVE YOU A LITTLE ON EVERYTHING YOU BUY

Everybody is looking for the best values for their money. It is our business to meet your expectations—and that is wherein we excel. We have what you want and we can make the price that you want, because we buy in such large quantities we are able to keep the wholesaler down in his prices to us.

You probably know all of these things without our telling. But we just want to give you an occasional reminder that this is the place where you get what you want and at the price you want to pay.

THE BROMBERG STORE

WHERE BUSINESS IS ALWAYS GOOD

JUST A WORD WITH OUR SUBSCRIBERS

District court is bringing people to town this week. A number of those coming to town have called at the Courier office primarily to exchange the usual greetings and incidentally to renew their subscriptions. Those calling say that April showers are beginning to be needed and that the recent freeze did much more damage than was at first thought.

Among the number calling to renew or subscribe or sending in their renewals and subscriptions since last issue are the following:

J. O. Kelley, Crockett Rt. A.
J. D. Woodson, Fullerton, La.
T. H. Stout, Crockett.
J. W. Markham, Crockett.
East Texas Chamber of Commerce, Tyler.
J. M. Peck, Crawfordville, Ark.
T. H. Alexander, Crockett Rt. three.
F. L. Hill, Crockett Rt. 3.
W. M. Hammond, Lovelady Rt. three.
W. A. Atkinson, Lovelady.
W. H. Monzingo, Lovelady.
J. F. Hall, Crockett Rt. 4.
Jim Crawford, Creek Rt. 1.
Mrs. R. S. Sells, Stockdale, Texas.
W. H. Garrett, Coleman.
J. E. Dickey, Crockett Rt. 5.
M. F. Iden, Lovelady Rt. 2.
Chas. Madden, Jourdanon.
D. McCullough (col.), Crockett.

Complimentary Luncheon.

Mrs. A. M. Decuir entertained Tuesday, April the 6th, at her home on Main street with a charming luncheon, in compliment to Miss Maude McConnell, whose marriage to Mr. Henry

Ellis will be a brilliant event of the week.

The Bluebird—the symbol of happiness—was appropriately chosen as the motif for decoration, and the table was a picture of loveliness in dainty colors of blue and pink. On an exquisite hand embroidered luncheon cloth, covers were laid for eight. Crystal epergne, filled with pink roses and tied with bows of blue tulle, formed the central decoration.

Crystal candelabra held unshaded tapers of pink, which cast a soft radiance upon the happy faces gathered around. Bon-bon dishes of mints and baskets of salted nuts also reflected the color scheme. Dainty bluebirds marked the places, and as a delightful surprise to the winsome little bride, a package containing a lovely piece of lingerie was also found at her

place, the gift of the hostess. A delicious six-course luncheon was served, after which the guests repaired to the living room, and the afternoon was delightfully passed in games interspersed with music and gay conversation.

Mrs. Decuir is always happiest, herself, when giving happiness to others, and her cosy little home has been the scene of many delightful affairs for the pleasure of her friends.

The personnel of the party included the hostess, the honoree (Miss Maude McConnell), Miss Mack Burton, Miss Otice McConnell, Mrs. Harvey Bayne, Mrs. Hallie Collins, Miss McGill, Mrs. John LeGory. A Guest.

Quotation on Car of Roll Print Paper.

The Herald, looking forward to the time when it would be face to face with the necessity of buying more news print, asked for quotation on a car of roll news, immediate delivery, and this is what we drew:

"As you doubtless know, news print is very scarce at this time, and we can now only quote you on the open market at 15 cents the lb. f. o. b. mill, and at this price we may be able to get immediate shipment."

Fifteen cents a pound for the same thing we were paying as low as 2.70 for before the war. Needless to say that the price above quoted will force many a newspaper to suspend publication, for it would take a princely fortune to pay for paper enough for one issue of those newspapers whose circulations run into the hundreds of thousands. And even the small publication would eat up money faster than its advertising patronage could pour it into its treasury.—Palestine Herald.

Arledge & Arledge have bright maize heads and alfalfa hay for sale. tf.

OF PLAIN AND DOTTED VOILE



Here is a pretty blouse made in surplice style, of plain and dotted voile. The dotted voile is brought about the waist to form a twisted girdle. Three-quarter length sleeves of the plain material are finished with scant flounces cut in points, made of the dotted goods. This blouse is not at all difficult to make and suggests the combination of short lengths of material that could not otherwise be used.

The Cost of a Meal

The Problem of Today

We do not advise housewives to buy lavishly these days. Only those with unlimited bank accounts can afford to do so. But careful buying of **ONLY RELIABLE GROCERIES**, and avoiding all waste, will go far toward keeping down the mounting cost of the table. We will be glad to cooperate with you to the extent of our ability—and that means much to you, for we buy as economically as possible and sell in the same manner.

We invite your cooperation in an endeavor to keep down the cost of the daily table.

Bring Us Your Eggs

ARNOLD BROTHERS

Groceries, Feed and Hardware



Dr. G. O. Dickson

Dickson Jewelry and Optical Store

Miscellaneous Shower.

Misses Maud McConnell and Mary Ellis, prospective brides, were complimented with a miscellaneous shower by Miss Mack Burton at her pretty home on Public Avenue Wednesday afternoon. The home was especially inviting and cheerful with profuse decorations in a pink, green and white color combination, pink hooded incandescents and baskets of pink Killarney roses. Mrs. Dudley Woodson received the guests at the door. In the receiving line were Misses Burton, McConnell, Ellis and Mrs. Oldham.

Misses Marjorie and Sue Morrison served punch. Misses Myra McConnell and Esther Mae Ellis presided over the Victrola. Mrs. Hallie Collins and Miss Otice McConnell gave the invitation to the dining room where Misses Florence Arledge and Josephine Edmiston served dainty and delicious refreshments. Mrs. R.

E. McConnell assisted in entertaining the guests.

In the dining room the table was placed in a charming environment, graced with baskets of pink and white sweet peas. A crystal basket tied with pink maline and filled with sweet peas formed the central adornment. Pink satin ribbons extended from the chandelier to crystal candlesticks holding unshaded pink tapers. Small crystal baskets with maline bows added attraction to the table decorations.

In the drawing room where the brides were seated to be showered a most cozy little corner was arranged. Little Miss Janie Elizabeth Edmiston brought in two large Marie Antoinette baskets filled with lovely gifts and beautiful wishes for the dear little honorees. After making a little speech in her charming way and expressing her good wishes for her two friends, little Miss Edmiston uncovered the baskets and withdrew leaving Miss McConnell and Miss Ellis to enjoy the contents. "W."

Statement of the Ownership, Management, Etc.

Required by the act of congress of August 24, 1912, of the Crockett Courier, published weekly at Crockett, Texas, for April, 1920.

State of Texas, County of Houston. Before me, a notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared W. W. Aiken, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor, publisher, business manager and owner of the Crockett Courier, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations.

1. That the name and address of the publisher, editor, managing edi-

tor and business manager is W. W. Aiken, Crockett, Texas.

2. That the owner is: W. W. Aiken, Crockett, Texas.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages or other securities are: Mergenthaler Linotype Company, New York, N. Y.

4. That the two paragraphs next above, giving the names of the owners, stockholders, and security holders, if any, contain not only the list of stockholders and security holders as they appear upon the books of the company, but also, in cases where the stockholders or security holder appears upon the books of the company as trustee or in any other fiduciary relation, the name of the person or corporation for whom such trustee is acting, is given; also that the said two paragraphs contain statements embracing affiant's full knowledge and belief of the circumstances and conditions under which stockholders and security holders who do not appear upon the books of the company as trustees, hold stock and securities in a capacity other than that of a bonafide owner; and this affiant has no reason to believe that any other person, association, or corporation has any interest direct or indirect in the said stock, bonds or other securities than as so stated by him.

(Signed) W. W. Aiken.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of April, 1920.

(Seal) Tom Aiken, Notary Public, Houston County, Texas.

Patronize our advertisers.

PUBLISHER'S NOTICE.

Obituaries, resolutions, cards of thanks and other matter not "news" will be charged for at the rate of 5c per line.

Parties ordering advertising or printing for societies, churches, committees or organizations of any kind will, in all cases, be held personally responsible for the payment of the bills.

In case of errors or omissions in legal or other advertisements, the publishers do not hold themselves liable for damage further than the amount received by them for such advertisement.

Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of the Courier will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to the attention of the management.

ANNUAL REPORT OF COUNTY CLERK

To the Honorable Commissioners' Court of Houston County, Texas:

In compliance with law, I herewith hand you my annual report, showing amounts received and disbursed out of the various funds of the County by the County Treasurer, also the amount of outstanding indebtedness of the County as it existed on the 1st day of March, 1920.

GENERAL COUNTY FUND

Balance last report, filed Dec. 1st 1919	\$ 200.53
To amount received since last report	17,281.50
To amount transferred from other funds since last report	18,000.00
By amount paid out since last report, Ex. "A"	27,190.90
By 2 per cent Commission on amount received	705.63
By 2 per cent Commission on amount paid out	543.81
Amount to Balance	7,041.69
	35,482.03 35,482.03
Balance	\$7,041.69

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Houston.

I, A. E. Owens, Clerk of the County Court in and for said County and State, hereby certify that the above and foregoing Annual Report, showing the amounts received and paid out in the different funds of the County and the amount of outstanding indebtedness of the County, is true and correct according to the records of my office and the reports of the County Treasurer now on file in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office at Crockett, Texas, this the 12th day of March, A. D. 1920.

(Seal) A. E. OWENS,
County Clerk, Houston County, Texas.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12th day of March, A. D. 1920.

NAT PATTON,
County Judge, Houston County, Texas.

Owing to an error in the figures of the general county fund as appeared in the Courier last week, the amounts in the general county fund are republished above as corrected. The errors were made in transcribing copies and the totals remain unchanged. EDITOR COURIER.

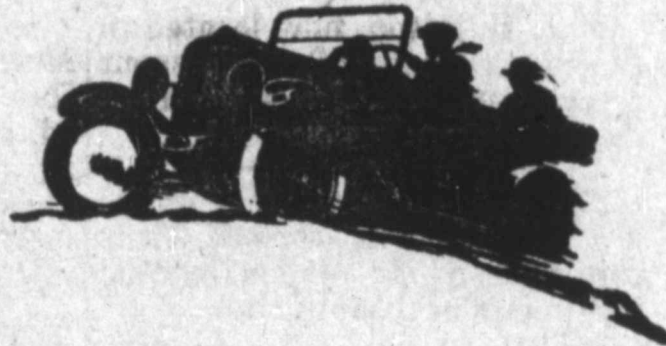
Good Cotton Seed

The boll worm and weevil, also continued wet weather, have made good planting seed extremely scarce, but by buying early and in sections not affected I have accumulated a lot of good, sound, dry seed which will be sold by me in three-bushel sacks at not exceeding \$2.50 per bushel.

We have more than fifteen hundred bushels of Mebane seed that the cotton out of same sold for 48 to 51 cents per pound. These seed will be sold at a price not exceeding \$2.50, so that all who want to raise cotton and plant good seed will have an opportunity to get them from a man he knows.

We will sell this seed and hold them until spring, you to pay cash at the time of booking your order.

JAMES S. SHIVERS



A Year's Abuse In 7 Days

All Light Car Road Records Smashed

At Indianapolis recently an Overland 4 stock car was driven 5,452 miles continuously in seven days and nights, over frozen country roads.

This is an average of 778 miles per day—more than the distance between Toledo and New York City. This is another tribute to the cushioning effect of Triplex Springs and the quality of material in Overland 4.



J. E. TOWERY

We carry at all times a fresh line of pure food groceries. Phone us your next order. Same will receive our best attention.

Kent & Trube

Phone 155

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Attention, Careful Stock Raisers

Through our medium of live stock accessories, we offer you an unlimited choice of pumps, sprays and insecticides, absolutely unsurpassed in quality and convenience for applying all kinds of stock dips and fly killers on cattle and horses. Also for disinfecting poultry houses and barns, which the ensuing warm weather makes an absolute necessity.

Don't forget to call around and inspect our large modern equipment in this line.

Crockett Drug Company

THE HOUSE OF SERVICE

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Try T. D. Craddock for good Hats and Caps. 2t.

Go to R. L. Shivers for dry goods and shoes. 2t.

Eggs—we buy them. 1t. Bayne & Co.

Ring No. 44 for your groceries and have them delivered. 2t.

J. W. Sheelor of Dallas was a business visitor in Crockett Friday.

Great values in Shoes at T. D. Craddock's. Let us sell you next. 2t.

T. D. Craddock will save you money on your Summer Underwear. 2t.

J. F. Mangum of Hempstead was visiting in the county last week.

Parties wanting milk cows, see T. D. Craddock, Crockett, Texas. 2t.

Bright maize heads and alfalfa hay for sale by Arledge & Arledge. tf.

S. M. Monzingo, now a resident of Eastland, was a Crockett visitor last week.

See Bubble's Troubles with the High School Minstrels—a farce comedy full of laughs. 1t.

Watch and jewelry repairing as it should be done. G. B. Hill, at the Rexall Store. tf.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Madden will leave at the end of this week for their home at Jourdanton.

John B. Valentine, formerly of Crockett but now of Saratoga, is spending a few days here.

We buy eggs, chickens, ducks, turkeys, guineas and geese. 1t. Bayne & Co.

Don't miss the High School Minstrels Tuesday night, April 20—a sure cure for the blues. 1t.

A few rolls of barbed wire in stock at Moore & Shivers'. Better get yours while it's here. tf.

J. T. Harrison, now located in the north Texas oil field, spent a few days with his family here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Phillips are at Galveston where their son, Allison, is under special treatment in a sanitarium.

Automobile for Sale.
New auto, cheap for cash if sold at once. Apply at tf. Crockett State Bank.

Poland China sow and pigs for sale, or will trade for milk cow. For further information see E. C. Satterwhite, Crockett, Texas. 1t.

Moore & Shivers have a few of the sound Mabane Panhandle cotton seed left, and if you want something good it will pay you to buy them. tf.

The pupils of the high school will give a big minstrel show Tuesday night at the school auditorium under the direction of B. R. Purcell. 1t.

C. L. Manning & Company have a limited supply of Japanese Honey Drip cane seed. Better get yours before the supply is exhausted. 1t.

B. F. Chamberlain Jr. left Monday for Dallas where he has a position with the Texas Company. He has been on vacation since leaving Oklahoma City.

Lost Cow.

A pale-red cow, about 7 or 8 years old, branded 4 cross bars on hip. Will pay liberal reward. tf. R. E. Hale.

Under prevailing high prices the Courier costs too much money for a single copy to be thrown away. When you are through with the Courier hand it over to your neighbor.

For Sale.

Building lots from one to 1 1/2 acres each; cottages on two of them—terms of payment to suit purchaser. Apply to 3t. W. B. Page.

Marriage license was issued on Monday of this week to Mr. C. L. Clements and Miss Ruby Smith. Both are well known Houston county young people and will receive the usual congratulations.

Mr. Albert Chapman and Miss Claudie Waller were married at the residence of Rev. S. F. Tenney by Mr. Tenney on Friday of last week. The Houston county friends of both bride and bridegroom are extending the usual felicitations.

Notice.

I have for sale twelve bales of Mebane cotton seed, saved before the rainy season commenced, at \$2.00 per bushel. Call at my place two miles southeast of Crockett on Pennington road. 2t*. N. O. Routledge.

Lost Cow.

Brown half-Jersey cow, marked swallow-fork in one ear and crop and under-half in other. Probably between Arbor and Pennington. \$5.00 reward. Lee Swearingen, 3t*. Rt. 5, Crockett, Texas.

For Pure Protection

For wife and children take out a life insurance policy with the Illinois Bankers' Life Association, represented in Houston county by C. W. Jones of Crockett. Can be found at the Rexall drug store on Saturdays. tf.

Finance Committee

A county finance committee, appointed by District Judge John S. Prince, is checking up Houston county's finances. The following men comprise the committee: C. C. Warfield of Crockett, W. G. Darsey of Grapeland and G. Q. King of Crockett.

Needless Buying.

An effort to help the overall factories and to boost the price of overalls is being made and a few well-meaning people are joining in by saying that they will wear only overalls until the price of other clothing is reduced. People who have plenty of clothing will now spend money for overalls which they do not need.

NEW WALL PAPER

Springtime is wall paper time. Come in and see our new arrivals in all the newest patterns.

John F. Baker

Prescription Druggist. The Rexall Store.

Mr. William A. Daniel and Miss Willie Robins were married Saturday by Rev. W. H. Rosser of Crockett. Both are popular young people of Crockett and have the best wishes of numerous friends. The bride is a daughter of Mr. C. E. Robins and the bridegroom a son of Mr. A. F. Daniel.

Road Improvement.

The people of the Creek road district are making some good roads in that district, we are informed. A good road is being made from Creek to Lovelady, also from Creek to the Crockett road district and from Creek to the Weldon road district. The work is being done by the people of the district, funds for which were raised by a bond issue. We are always glad to hear of the various community improvements over Houston county.

Knox Conaway Dead.

The Courier has only recently learned of the death of its friend, Mr. Knox Conaway, which occurred at his home in the Arbor community on Sunday night, April 4. Mr. Conaway was 63 years old and is survived by his wife and six children—three sons and three daughters, who are as follows: G. B. Conaway, E. L. Conaway,

M. A. Conaway, Mrs. J. J. Walker, Mrs. D. K. Smith and Mrs. G. C. Thomas. A native of Houston county, he was one of its best citizens and farmers, and his community will feel keenly its loss. He was a member of the Methodist church and the funeral services were conducted by Rev. Robert Hodges, a Methodist minister. Appropriate services were held Monday afternoon. Those bereft have the sympathy of a large community.

A Card of Thanks.

We desire by this means to express our sincere appreciation to our friends for their kindness shown us in our recent bereavement, and in the days preceding that were so filled with anxiety and care. For the many services rendered, the beautiful flowers given and the words of sympathy spoken, all have been the source of much comfort, and their memory will continue long in our hearts.

Mrs. T. K. Conaway, G. B. Conaway and family, E. L. Conaway and family, M. A. Conaway and family, Mrs. J. J. Walker and family, Mrs. D. K. Smith and family, Mrs. G. C. Thomas and family. 1t*.



WE TALK THROUGH OUR

HATS

That is the way we have and intend to retain our reputation for selling hats that are not surpassed anywhere for quality and price.

Our spring and summer hats are the cream of a very creamy market. They combine the two greatest elements of hatdom—style and serviceability.

We want every man who wears hats to wear one of OUR hats. It will be a hat of hats.

A GOOD hat will outwear two poor ones, but it will NOT cost twice as much.

Millar & Berry

A Store for Men and Boys

Pure Eating

Pure eating is the corner stone of pureness in everything else. It means pure living, better working ambitions, and increased health and vitality.

Good groceries are essential to the table of every right living person. Our groceries are the standard brands of the best eat manufacturers in this or any other country.

Crockett Grocery & Baking Co.

The Home of Sanitary Products

The Crockett Courier

Issued weekly from Courier Building

W. W. AIKEN, Editor and Proprietor

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Courier is authorized to make the following announcements for office, subject to the action of the democratic primary in July:

- For District Judge
JOHN S. PRINCE
of Henderson county
- W. R. (JACK) BISHOP
of Henderson county
- B. H. GARDNER
of Anderson county
- For State Senator
J. H. PAINTER
of Houston county
- For Representative
CHARLES CULBERSON RICE
- For County Judge
J. P. O'KEEFE
NAT PATTON
- For County Attorney
EARLE P. ADAMS
- For County Clerk
W. D. (DENNY) COLLINS
HARRY BREWTON
- For District Clerk
V. B. (BARKER) TUNSTALL
- For Tax Assessor
WILL McLEAN
H. P. (HUGH) ENGLISH
- For Tax Collector
C. W. BUTLER JR.
- For County Treasurer
WILLIE ROBISON
- For Sheriff
W. A. (WILL) HOOPER
P. D. (DOUG) AUSTIN
O. B. (DEB) HALE
P. T. (PRESTON) LIVELY
- For County Superintendent
J. H. ROSSER
- For Road Superintendent
W. A. MANNING
J. A. WEDEMAYER
STELL SHARP
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 1
J. S. LONG
J. K. JONES
ED DOUGLASS
W. J. BRANCH
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2
J. C. ESTES
G. R. (ROSS) MURCHISON
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 3
AARON SPEER
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4
J. A. (AB) BEATHARD
J. M. CREAMY
B. L. (BEN) WOMACK
- For Justice Peace, Prec. No. 1
C. R. STEPHENSON

PAT NEFF FOR GOVERNOR.

The Courier will support the Hon. Pat Neff of Waco for governor. This decision is reached after a careful consideration of the claims of all the candidates.

The race in Houston county seems to rest between Mr. Neff and former Senator Bailey. There is much in Mr. Bailey's platform that is sound and good, but there is much in Mr. Bailey that is objectionable. Br. Bailey has been out of Texas for many years, and therefore cannot be in sympathy and touch with Texas people and Texas affairs. He has had wealthy clients in Washington and New York for so long a time that he has absorbed their viewpoint and not the viewpoint of Texas people, with whom he has so little associated during recent years. Mr. Bailey's attack on the head of the party at whose hands he is now seeking a nomination is both regrettable and inexcusable. It is true that the party has strayed away from some fundamental principles, but the changes have been brought about by the majority within the party, and the majority may even change fundamentals, if done in order and according to the rules laid down. The constitution of our country is changed from time to time under certain restrictions and requirements.

Believing that the present democratic national administration should receive the unqualified endorsement of the national convention to be held at San Francisco, the Courier is in favor of Governor Hobby to head the Texas delegation. Governor Hobby is in thorough and enthusiastic accord with President

Wilson and, while not again asking the governorship, his highest political ambition is to head a Wilson delegation to San Francisco.

The present national administration has been disappointing to some of us in some things, but it has been successful in many things, and its accomplishments so far outweigh its shortcomings that there is no seemingly good reason for seeking its humiliation at San Francisco.

A contributing factor in the Courier's decision to support the Hon. Pat Neff, aside from his splendid qualifications for the office, is that his wife is a daughter of Houston county, and it is Houston county's opportunity and privilege to assist in placing one of her native daughters in the governor's mansion. Mrs. Neff was Miss Myrt Mainer of Lovelady, a splendid woman whom all Houston county would be proud to honor—and we do not mean to detract one iota from the coming governor when we pay her the compliment.

AS THE EDITOR SEES IT.

Much bad feeling has been created between the wets and the dries in some sections over the method of enforcing the federal prohibition law. It seems that in many cases prohibition agents have been forcibly entering homes and seizing such liquor as they could find. Now the courts in some cases are ruling that no agent can enter a man's home without due process of law, and much liquor illegally seized has been returned to its owners. Regardless of the merits of the wet and dry issue, a man's home is his castle and should be held sacred from invasion at the whim of any person on suspicion. There is a due process of law provided for the searching of a suspected house, and that law should be respected. To sanction otherwise would be to subject every home in the land to invasion by any thief or thug who saw fit to pin a bogus star to his vest.

Cooke County democrats in session here Saturday indorsed the present democratic administration and its acts during the last seven years. The Wichita Falls Record-News last Tuesday quotes J. W. Bailey, candidate for governor, in his speech there Monday night as saying in reference to the democratic administration: "Viewing the whole thing taken from top to bottom, not one single achievement of the entire democratic administration meets with my approval." The people of Cooke County nor the people of Texas are not going to repudiate the wonderful achievements of the democratic administration just because they don't meet with the approval of Mr. Bailey. He is not the kind of democrat to indorse the successful administration.—Gainesville Signal.

STRONG APPEAL TO DAILIES TO SAVE

New York.—My first thought, as I began this article, writes Henry L. Stoddard in the New York Evening Mail, was to tender my apologies to Evening Mail readers for again devoting space to a frank discussion of the newsprint situation, and how the newspapers, big and little, are meeting the most vital problem they have ever faced.

But it seemed to me that the only apology in order is one for so many years of silence on the part of newspapers about themselves (except to boast of their bigness, to which they have freely devoted space) when they have persistently published so much about other lines of business without stopping to inquire how much of what they were printing was based on fact.

The truth is that the newspaper is about as close to the home as the family market bas-

DISTRICT COURT PROCEEDINGS

Proceedings in the Houston county criminal district court are as follows:

John Jackson, assault to murder; absent witness fined \$100 and attachment issued. Jackson, who is a negro, also has a whisky charge against him.

Walter Majors, theft of cattle; plea of guilty and verdict of two years. Majors is a negro and had defaulted on his bond, but was caught at Fort Worth.

J. H. Pearson, assault to murder; defendant's motion for continuance overruled and case went to trial Tuesday morning. Defendant is white and is charged with shooting one of the Morgans near Lovelady. Evidence was being heard Tuesday afternoon and the case was still on trial Wednesday morning. The jury in this case comprises the following men: Riley Hooks, J. Harvey Allen, Jim Music, John Fulmer, Lee Sharp, Roy Arledge, Herbert Allbright, J. R. Moore, L. B. Ellisor, J. L. Tyer, O. W. Davis, Lee Steadman. The defendant is represented by Earle Adams Sr. and Earle Adams Jr. and the prosecution by District Attorney B. F. Dent.

Cases appearing on the docket and set for trial are as follows:

Braker Alexander, assault to murder; set for April 14.

H. S. Smith, bribery; set for April 15.

G. T. Robinson, bribery; set for April 15.

Wilburn Finch, murder; set for April 19.

Joe Ivens, murder; set for April 22 and special venire of 75 ordered. Ivens is charged with killing young Townsend at Weldon.

Fate Maples, unlawfully selling intoxicating liquor; three cases and set for trial April 26; for unlawfully possessing intoxicating liquor, same date; for unlawfully delivering intoxicating liquor, same date, and for unlawfully manufacturing intoxicating liquor, same date.

Pat Boyd, unlawfully delivering intoxicating liquor; set for April 27.

Henry Graham, unlawfully selling intoxicating liquor; three cases and set for April 28.

Cases appearing on the docket and not set for trial are as follows:

John Jackson, unlawfully possessing intoxicating liquor.

Tom Sanders, unlawfully manufacturing intoxicating liquor.

Arthur Shedwin, unlawfully manufacturing intoxicating liquor.

John Davis, unlawfully manufacturing intoxicating liquor.

Albert Truss, unlawfully selling intoxicating liquor; four cases.

William Fobbs, unlawfully selling intoxicating liquor.

Horace Brown, unlawfully selling and unlawfully manufacturing liquor, one case each.

R. T. Kent, assault with intent to murder; no disposition.

R. T. Kent, murder; no disposition.

The two last-named cases have been on the docket for a number of years, having resulted in mistrials heretofore.

ket, and whatever affects it in an important way ought to be told to newspaper readers as freely as the news in other lines is published.

The only apology I offer, therefore, is for the policy of suppression we have all pursued in the past, and with that I couple the hope that in the future all newspapers will regard the newspaper business as subject to the same news discussion as any other business, to the same public criticism when wrong, and to the same standards of ethics and fair play they impose on others.

Now as to the present newsprint situation and its possible remedy. Fundamentally it is the old law of supply and de-

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Timid, reluctant paper sav-ings here and there will not avail. The situation is desperate and needs drastic remedies. True, it is not so desperate for the dailies of the big cities. Most of them have resources to meet the strain.

It is the paper of our small towns that is in danger—and when the small town newspaper

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