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PROCEEDINGS IN DISTRICT COURT

The spring term of the Houston county district court was convened in regular session Monday morning, Judge W. R. Bishop presiding and District Attorney B. F. Dent representing the state. Other officers of the court, including Sheriff O. B. Hale, District Clerk A. B. Smith and the court stenographer, Mrs. Bandy, were present. Court opened with the assembling of the grand jury. The grand jury, as empaneled and sworn in, is constituted as follows: C. L. Edmiston, foreman; W. H. Mangum, clerk; J. M. Sheridan, J. R. Mainer, P. O. Graves, George Richards, Harry Long, W. E. Gainey, Mattie Satterwhite, Lon Buffington, J. C. Kennedy and Joe Green. The grand jury was given the usual charge by Judge Bishop before beginning its labors.

Bailiffs were appointed as follows: Door bailiff, J. C. Lacy; riding bailiffs, Arthur Holcomb, Augusta; M. C. English, Ratcliff; W. J. Townsend, Weldon; W. N. Ferguson, Grapeland; C. C. Mortimer, Crockett; Houston Betts, Crockett; W. N. Anderson, Weches; A. L. Zachary, Lovelady.

Cases already on the criminal docket were set for trial as follows:

John D. Morgan, forgery; set for April 16.

Fate Maples, unlawfully manufacturing intoxicating liquor; dismissed.

Charlie Martin, murder; set for April 17 and venire of 75 ordered.

William Hayes, murder; set for April 18.

Elbert Lewis, murder; set for April 5 and venire of 40 ordered.

Baker Dixon, murder; set for April 12 and venire of 40 ordered.

Alimeda McGee, murder; set for April 20 and venire of 40 ordered.

All ordinary felony cases were set for April 9.

During the first three days of the court fifteen divorces were granted. About 75 divorce suits have been filed for trial, these suits originating mostly among the negroes.

Return from Lufkin.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Harris returned last week from Lufkin, where they were called by the sudden death of Mrs. Harris' father, W. B. Richardson. Mr. Richardson fell on the hearth and expired while in the act of starting a fire. He was one of Lufkin's oldest and best known citizens. Mr. and Mrs. Harris have the sympathy of our people in their loss.

Union Grove News.

Editor Courier:

We haven't seen any news from Union Grove in some time, but we are still here. All the farmers have begun to turn under the soil, working and hoping for a bountiful crop this year. We have been looking forward for spring to come.

School has been progressing nicely under the management of Mrs. Ed Mann and the assistant, Miss Mabel Johnson. But our school days will soon be over. The days have passed away from us so soon—yet we haven't taken the great opportunity as we should. We ought to appreciate the days, for we do not have this opportunity but once in life.

Mr. Calvin Johnson, who has

been attending the S. H. N. I. at Huntsville, returned home Monday.

Mr. Clemon Morgan, who has been working at Palestine, is visiting his home folks, Mrs. J. P. Morgan and family.

Miss Ruby Richardson, who is teaching at Porter Springs, visited her home folks, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Richardson, from Friday until Sunday. She was accompanied by Miss May Kelley.

Mrs. Frank Turner of Porter Springs was a visitor in our community Sunday. Jake.

JUST A WORD WITH OUR SUBSCRIBERS

The Courier's list of subscription renewals is not as large as it was last week, but it is another good list and appreciated just as much as if it were larger. Wet weather and muddy roads have curtailed the number of renewals.

Callers are all agreed on one thing—that there is too much rain. Planting is being retard-

ed by the wet weather and the late cold spells.

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

M. B. Matchett, Kennard.
Mrs. Geo. A. Knox, Lovelady.
John R. Harris, Crockett.
C. H. Beazley, Crockett.
Mrs. H. Bayne, Houston.
J. S. Reed, Crockett Rt. 3.
J. A. McClain, Kennard Rt. 2.
B. F. Wilmot, Chicago.
F. L. Hill, Crockett Rt. 3.
H. Durst, Crockett.
H. G. Allee, Creek.
Mrs. F. P. Chandler, Houston.
Ralph Davis, El Dorado, Ark.
Dock Grounds, Crockett Rt. 1.
Henry Hodges, Bishop.
Lee Rich, Crockett Rt. 7.
Mrs. A. L. Maples, Granquiere, New Mexico.
Mrs. L. R. Allbright, Crockett.

Rev. J. Johnson (col.), Conroe.

Mrs. Martha Ann McConnell.

Mrs. Martha Ann McConnell, who would have been 85 years old the 30th of April, died at her home in this city at 11 o'clock Saturday morning. Funeral services were held at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon and interment followed in Glenwood cemetery. The religious service was conducted by Rev. E. A. Maness, the Methodist pastor. The deceased became a member of the Methodist church when 10 years old.

Mrs. McConnell was a daughter of Cyrus and Elizabeth Lovelady and was born in Noxuba county, Miss., April 30, 1838. She moved with her parents to Lovelady, this county, when two years of age. In 1865 she was married to John McConnell, deceased. Coming to Crockett to make her home, she continued to reside here until her death. She is survived by a half-brother and two half-sisters, who are: Mr. I. J. Hart of New Waverly, Mrs. Flora Young of Trinity county and Mrs. C. B. Moore of Lovelady. Mrs. Young and Mrs. Moore were here to attend the funeral.

Mrs. McConnell was noted for her true Christian character and charitable inclinations. Her faith in the promises of the Christian religion was never shaken and her charity for mankind was broad and liberal. She loved all things that were good, noble and beautiful, but possessed a forgiving spirit for the frailties of humanity. Her main characteristics were a pleasing countenance, an open heart and a motherly sympathy.

Surviving her in Crockett are two sons, Messrs. J. A. and Dan McConnell, who are prominent among the town's citizenry. Also remaining are a number of grandchildren.

Some Postscripts.

The first baby show was held at Springfield, Ohio, October 14, 1854.

After April 1, 1865, it took about \$1000 of Confederate money to equal in value one Union dollar.

The United States now owns about one-quarter of all the volcanoes in the world. There are about 417 active volcanoes and we possess 106, besides hundreds of smoking peaks.

In London women are frequently employed in serving writs. A pretty young woman is said to find doors open to her which to nearly every other sheriff's officer are shut fast.

NEW COUNTY SITE IS NOW PROPOSED

A movement has been set on foot at Trinity to organize a new county and make Trinity the county site. The plan is to take parts of the new county from Houston county, Walker county, Trinity county and Polk county. The northern boundary of the proposed county is to reach up into Houston county as far north as Ash, drawing a line from Ash west to the Trinity river and from Ash east to Trinity county. This would take away much of the Nevils' Prairie country and all of the Weldon section. The movement originated in the town of Trinity and is therefore strictly in the interest of the town of Trinity. The taxpayers of the four counties have nothing to gain by shouldering the tax burdens of a new county. Where four county governments are now maintained, five would then have to be maintained and with no other purpose than to gratify the ambition of Trinity to become a county site. We do not believe the taxpayers of Houston county will favor increasing their taxes to help maintain a new county government by giving away a part of their taxable wealth in order that Trinity's ambition may be gratified. To give away a slice of the county would mean a lessening of the county's taxable wealth without a corresponding lessening in the expense of the county's government. The Courier's information is that Trinity will apply to the legislature for the creation of the new county. It is to be hoped that Houston county's senator and representative will become active in opposition to the movement. Every taxpayer should lose no time in writing Senator Fairchild at Lufkin and Representative Rice at Crockett. Houston county people do not want any change in their county boundaries.

Easter Program of Music.

The following program will be rendered at the First Baptist church Easter Sunday night at 8 p. m., under the direction of Mrs. Robt. Allen, Miss Willie Barlow, organist:

Organ—(a) "At Sunrise"—Diggle.

Organ—(b) "Andante Pastorale"—Alexis.

Processional—"Holy, Holy, Holy."

Anthem—"Christ Has Won the Victory"—Hawley.

Prayer by the pastor, concluding with the Lord's prayer by congregation.

Hymn—"Joy to the World."

Soprano solo—(a) "Angels Roll the Rock Away"—Scott.

Soprano solo—(b) "Thou Wilt Keep Him in Perfect Peace"—Speaks.

Offertory.

Duet—"Homeland"—Rockwell.

"The Religion of Song" by the pastor, A. S. Lee.

Soprano solo—(a) "Oh, Divine Redeemer"—Gounod.

Soprano solo—(b) "Lead, Kindly Light"—Barnard.

Anthem—(a) "Easter Vespers"—Shelley.

Anthem—(b) "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord"—Stults.

Soprano solo—"Oh, Shining Light"—Adams.

Hymn—"Onward, Christian Soldier."

In Oregon alone is found fifth of the standing the United States.

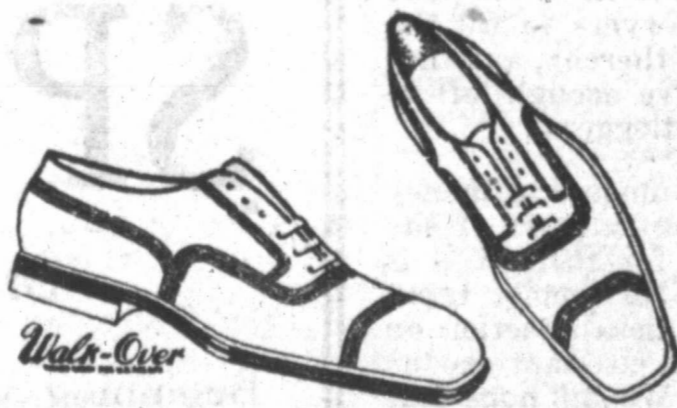
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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Ernest Clark is here from Minerals Wells.

Miss Lucia Painter visited at Grapeland from Saturday until Monday.

Miss Jeannette Creath of Creath was a week-end visitor at Crockett.

Mina Taylor dresses, crisp, stylish and no two alike, at Variety Shop.

Miss Thelma Lee Clewis of Grapeland is the guest of Miss Lucia Painter.

Just arrived—some of the newest models in Madame Grace corsets at Variety Shop.

J. W. Young and J. G. Beasley were at home Sunday from business trips to other cities.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McIver and son are making their home with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Phillips.

Mrs. William Austin of Freeport was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Austin Thursday and Friday.

Dr. G. R. Taylor, W. P. Bishop and C. H. Galloway have returned from the meeting of Scottish Rite Masons in Galveston.

Chickens Wanted.

Friers are wanted at the Pickwick hotel. Highest prices paid.

Come to Variety Shop and be fitted in a comfortable corset at reasonable price. Also a Mina Taylor dress.

Why worry over your Easter hats when the Vogue Millinery has something suitable for every one on every occasion? Come see them.

Frost-proof Cabbage Plants—One hundred 35c, over 200 25c hundred, post paid.

Jesse Barnes, Trinity, Texas.

Hon. C. C. Rice has returned from Austin, where he attended the regular and special sessions of the legislature. The legislature will reconvene in special session shortly.

Wanted.

Tie timber wanted close to Lovelady, pine preferred. For further particulars address P. O. Box 149, Lovelady, Texas. 2t.

Nothing Better.

Rock Island spring relief 50-tooth, 8-foot Harrow, \$15.00; 60-tooth, 10-foot Harrow, \$17.50; a real value at Herrin Hardware Co's.

For Sale or Trade.

Five residence lots, with new house and barn. Will trade for small farm if farm is not encumbered. C. W. Jones, Crockett, Texas.

Closing Out.

We are closing out our stock of Florsheim shoes in low quarters at bargain prices. You know what the Florsheim shoe is, so now is your opportunity. Millar & Berry.

Boy Scout Meeting.

A Boy Scout meeting is called for 7 o'clock Thursday evening at the rooms of the Men's Bible Class at the Methodist church and all members are urged to be present. Boy Scouts.

Don't Pass This Up.

If you pass up this bargain opportunity, you will regret it. We are closing out all low quarters in Florsheim and Stacy Adams shoes at bargain prices. It is your opportunity. Millar & Berry.

Candidates, Notice.

All candidates who desire their names on the official ballot for the election April 3rd must file same with the City Secretary not later than 10 o'clock a. m. April 2nd, 1923.

C. L. Edmiston, Mayor.
C. A. Hassell, City Secretary.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our appreciation and thanks to our friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown us through the illness and death of our beloved mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Robison, Mr. and Mrs. Wood Southerland, Mr. and Mrs. Otice Robison.

For City Secretary.

C. A. Hassell announces this week as a candidate for re-election to the office of city secretary of Crockett. The election will be held in this city on Tuesday, the third day of April, 1923. He respectfully solicits your vote and influence, which he assures you will be deeply appreciated by him, as in the past.

—Adv. 2t.

The Right Way.

Mayor C. L. Edmiston and Aldermen J. C. Millar, H. J. Trube and G. D. McClain have returned from their trip of pavement inspection at Bryan, Houston and Port Arthur, where they gained much information that will be of value to them regarding the paving question in Crockett. They are going at the paving question in the right way and will know what they are doing should it be decided to lay some pavements in Crockett.

Election Notice.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Crockett, Texas, in session assembled, that an election be and the same is hereby ordered to be held in the City of Crockett, Texas, on the 3rd day of April, 1923, for the purpose of electing three (3) aldermen, a city marshal, a city attorney and a city secretary. John C. Lacy is hereby appointed manager of said election.

Passed this 12th day of February, 1923.

C. L. Edmiston, Mayor.
C. A. Hassell, City Secretary.

Arm Amputated.

Ed Ross, a young man employed on the dredger at the levee on the Trinity river, happened to an accident last week which necessitated the amputation of an arm. The young man was at work on the tippie beam of the dredger when he lost his hold and fell a distance to the drag shovel below. Falling into or striking the shovel, he sustained injuries which almost cost him his life. One arm was so badly mangled that amputation was necessary. With small hope for his recovery, he was brought to Crockett and the arm amputated. It is now said, however, that he is on the road to recovery and it is hoped that his improvement may continue. His home is at Ennis.

Demonstration Work.

Lovelady, Texas, March 26, 1923.

Editor Crockett Courier: This is the report of the demonstration work of Miss Barnett. We have named our club "Bonnie Workers."

Miss Barnett comes to our school the second and fourth Wednesday of every month. We all like her fine and we enjoy our work every period.

We have elected our officers as follows: President, Ethel Atkinson; vice president, Stella Atkinson; secretary-treasurer, Alyce Brantley, and reporter, Theo Speer.

On her last appointment she arrived and then we started our work. We are working on our bags and will finish them next time. We have made our cup towels and holders. The next time she comes we will make our aprons.

Prairie Point. Reporter.

Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between W. S. Howell and A. W. Ellis, known as Howell and Ellis, was on the 9th day of March, 1923, dissolved and that D. G. Moore, of Crockett, Texas, was on the 27th day of March, 1923, appointed receiver of the partnership estate belonging to said Howell and Ellis, with sole authority to receive payment on notes and accounts, due said partnership and to pay all debts owing by said partnership. All parties owing the former firm of Howell and Ellis will pay same to said D. G. Moore, at The First National Bank of Crockett, and those holding claims against said partnership will present same to the same authority.

Further notice is hereby given to the public not to buy, discount or otherwise accept or receive any note, mortgage or other asset made payable to Howell and Ellis, except upon the authority or with the consent of said D. G. Moore.

D. G. Moore, Receiver.

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Last of Texas' Unorganized Counties Comes Into Fold.

Lubbock, Tex., March 18.—The last unorganized county of Texas is now a memory, as, with the election held yesterday to complete the organization of Cochran county, the last county in the state is organized and has its own county government.

County officers were elected as follows: Mr. Shipman, county judge; Barrett Penny, sheriff, and Mrs. John Robinson, county clerk.

Morton was chosen as the county seat by a vote of 47 to 6.

Cochran county had a population of 67, according to the census of 1920, while the number of cattle grazing on the ranches was 10,000.

Thousands of fish in creeks in Idaho were found recently choked to death by a forest fire, as the charred wood washed into the streams lodged in their gills.

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CROCKETT THEATRE

First Night Show Starts at 7:30 p. m. Promptly.

PROGRAM FOR WEEK OF APRIL 2 TO 7

MONDAY, APRIL 2
William Desmond in "CLOSING IN"

A gripping, thrilling story of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police.

TUESDAY, APRIL 3
"THE SON OF THE WOLF"
With Edith Roberts

Jack London's roaring melodrama of the frozen north. You'll find abundant thrills in this smashing out-door story of love and adventure that delves deep into the roots of human nature. Matinee at 3:30.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4
Elliott Dexter and Claire Windsor in "GRAND LARCENY"

You will see some wonderful gowns and fine acting—of a young wife playing with fire in the way of flirtation with other men.

THURSDAY, APRIL 5
Lionel Barrymore in "JIM THE PENMAN"

A powerful melodrama of a man who wins to the highest pinnacle of financial success through his clever pen—and the inevitable end—a climax that will startle you.

FRIDAY, APRIL 6
Frank Mayo and Sylvia Breamer in "WOLF LAW"

He was the first man who ever tried to break the dreaded "wolf law." The young hero who defied the strongest men in the Ozarks and won the sweetest girl he had ever seen.

SATURDAY, APRIL 7
"BUFFALO BILL" Chapter 12
Comedy: "Apartment Wanted."
Playlet: "Writing Through."
Matinee 2:30.



A Brand New Finish for Kitchen or Bathroom

STEAM from running hot water in the bathroom results in a greater deposit of dirt accumulations on the wall and these deposits penetrate the finish more deeply than in the living room and bedrooms.

This is also true of the kitchen with the addition, there is the spattering of frying foods to contend with.

An ideal and different finish for these two rooms may be had by painting walls, ceilings and woodwork with

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF COUNTY

Crockett, Texas, March 20, 1923.

Report of W. D. Collins, County Clerk, of net result of Receipts and Disbursements from November 30, 1921, to December 1, 1922, as shown by Finance Ledger:

FUNDS	Cash Available	Bonds and Warrants Outstanding	Cash to Apply on Warrants, Bonds and Interest	NET LIABILITIES
County General	\$	\$ 38,820.07	\$ 2,001.80	Warrants, \$ 36,818.27
Jury	1,761.97			
Court House and Jail	1,816.70			
Jail Building		7,000.00	350.15	Warrants, 7,000.00
Road and Bridge, Current		1,699.00	135.22	Warrants, 1,563.78
Road and Bridge No. 1		3,028.99	102.35	Warrants, 2,926.64
Road and Bridge No. 2		809.13	100.20	Warrants, 708.93
Road and Bridge No. 3		2,840.49	306.64	Warrants, 2,533.85
Road and Bridge No. 4		6,116.15	121.33	Warrants, 5,994.82
Road and Bridge No. 1, Road Hands	27.91			
Road and Bridge No. 2, Road Hands	159.36			
Road and Bridge No. 3, Road Hands	92.51			
Road and Bridge No. 4, Road Hands	10.00			
Road District No. 3, Current	548.16			
Road District No. 3, Highway				
Road District No. 3, Sinking		102,000.00	631.12	Bonds, 102,000.00
Road District No. 1, Current		1,277.83	259.32	Warrants, 1,018.51
Road District No. 1, Highway				
Road District No. 1, Sinking		17,000.00	1,648.58	Bonds, 17,000.00
Road District No. 4, Current		441.00		Warrants, 441.00
Road District No. 4, Sinking		43,000.00	859.92	Bonds, 43,000.00
Road District No. 6, Current	58.67			
Road District No. 6, Sinking		18,000.00	1,457.18	Bonds, 18,000.00
Road District No. 7, Sinking		43,000.00	293.98	Bonds, 43,000.00
Road Construction Warrants		100,000.00	23.07	Bonds, 100,000.00
Road District No. 8, Current		5,884.22	774.00	Warrants, 5,110.22
Road District No. 8, Sinking		44,000.00	.72	Bonds, 44,000.00
Road District No. 9, Current	2,541.92			
Road District No. 9, Sinking		90,000.00		Bonds, 90,000.00
Road District No. 9, Sinking				Overdrawn 269.45
Road District No. 10, Current		14,768.61		Warrants, 14,768.61
Road District No. 10, Sinking		63,000.00	1,244.03	Bonds, 63,000.00
Road District No. 12, Current	1,384.74			
Road District No. 12, Sinking		17,500.00	319.12	Bonds, 17,500.00
Road District No. 14, Current	175.33			
Road District No. 15, Current		3,211.90	83.25	Warrants, 3,128.65
Road District No. 15, 15c Tax		300.60		Warrants, 300.60
Road District No. 15, Sinking		69,000.00	2,433.35	Bonds, 69,000.00
Road District No. 16, Current	386.72			
Road District No. 16, 15c Special	131.98			
Road District No. 16, Sinking		42,000.00	1,006.85	Bonds, 42,000.00
Lovelady Highway	6.22			
Kennard Highway	115.80			
West San Antonio Highway	637.86			
East San Antonio Highway		502.07	119.21	Warrants, 382.86
Ratcliff Highway	57.59			
Orphan Highway				Overdrawn, 7.06
County Special	-20.00			
Orphan District, Lovelady	23.69			
Plat Book, Sinking		10,000.00	193.09	Warrants, 10,000.00
Public Improvement				
Levee District, Current	65,261.22			
Levee District, Sinking		150,000.00		Bonds, 150,000.00
Road and Bridge, Sinking	222.44			

Warrants Outstanding \$ 92,973.15
 Bonds Outstanding 798,500.00
 TOTAL \$891,473.15

The above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. D. COLLINS,

County Clerk, Houston County, Texas.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20th day of March, A. D. 1923.

LEROY L. MOORE,

County Judge, Houston County, Texas.

(SEAL)

VERDICT RETURNED IN NINE MINUTES

SENTENCE GIVEN ON CHARGE OF MURDER OF WACO MAN.

Waco, Tex., March 17.—De- liberating only nine minutes, the jury in the case of Roy Mitchell, negro, charged with the murder of W. E. Holt, white, returned a verdict of guilty and sentenced his punishment at death, in the fifty-fourth district court room here tonight.

Loud handclapping greeted the verdict of the jury.

Monday Mitchell is to be placed on trial for the murder of Mrs. Ethel Denecamp, who was automobile riding with Holt the night he was killed, five miles southeast of Waco, on Jan. 19 last.

The cross-examination of Mitchell occupied most of this afternoon. The negro was subjected to a severe grilling, but maintained throughout that he was innocent of the murder of Holt.

On the stand the negro asserted that County Attorney Farmer had told him that he was doomed to die. He admitted that he had been tried for shooting off a white man's arm. Mitchell said

that all of the declarations contained in the statements signed by him were true except those portions wherein it was declared that he had murdered anyone or assaulted any white woman.

Signing of Statement.

"I made these statements," he said, addressing County Attorney Farmer, "to get your influence not to have me hanged."

The county attorney came back: "I told you you would be hanged."

The negro testified that he did not sign the statements of his own free will or accord. He said he made up his mind to deny the statements when he found that the county attorney was not going to keep his promise to help him.

Counsel for defense introduced a statement alleged to have been made by the negro, admitting that he killed Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Barker and 13-year-old Homer Turk, a few miles northeast of Waco, in February of last year. They also stated it was the record of the court here, and affirmed by the court of criminal appeals, that two other negroes had been convicted of this triple murder. Former City Judge R. H. Kingsbury, one of the lawyers named to represent Mitchell, said the statement as to the killing of the Barkers and the little boy was couched in the language used in the other statements attributed to the negro. Judge Monroe refused to per-

mit the statement to be introduced.

After the defense rested County Attorney Farmer took the stand and asserted that the story related by Mitchell as to cruel treatment in the Hill county jail was false; that he had made no promises to Mitchell, but had told him that he saw no avenue of escape for the negro from the gallows.

During his cross examination Mitchell said that he had not been mistreated in the jail here.

Mexia Will Have 5,000 Spindle Textile Mill.

Mexia, Tex., March 17.—Mexia is to have a 5,000 spindle cotton mill. This was announced late today by J. K. Hughes, chairman of the industrial committee of the Chamber of Commerce, following a cotton mill meeting attended by the team captains and team members appointed to work in the interest of the campaign. The committees made their final report of stock sales, showing that the full \$400,000 required for the project had been raised and that \$75,000 of the stock will be taken by the Cannon Roberts interests of Concord, N. C., such an arrangement having been made about three weeks ago, when the project was first launched here.

The old Teutons played a game like football with skulls of their enemies.

GOOD CATTLE HARD TO FIND IN NORTH FLORIDA COUNTIES

J. F. Pittman, cattle buyer for a livestock company at Thomasville, Georgia, says that it is almost impossible to find good cattle in counties in the northern part of Florida. In the month of January, 1923, Mr. Pittman had an order for a carload of ticky cattle from Sanford, Florida, and Palaka, Florida. The men who wanted these cattle stated that they would a great deal rather buy tick-free cattle, but that they could not use them as they had to take them into tick-infested territory where tick-free cattle would be likely to die. The class of cattle wanted was fresh cows to be used for dairy purposes.

Mr. Pittman was unable to find them in south Georgia and went down around Tallahassee to purchase them. He could not find them after an extended search throughout a large section of northern Florida and was compelled to give up the order. Referring to this experience Mr. Pittman said: "I wish they would clean up Florida. It would be a great thing for this country. It is what southern Georgia needs more than anything. Florida is the natural outlet for our good cattle. Florida buyers want our cattle. They see that we are raising a better class of both beef and dairy animals in south Georgia since we have been freed of the tick quarantine. But they can not buy from us because tick-free cattle will not live in Florida's tick-infested pastures."

Colored objects fade about about six times as fast in diffused daylight and between twenty and seventy times as fast in direct sunlight as they do under electric light.

Stop Falling Hair - This New Way

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**EDITORIALS BY
COL. R. T. MILNER**

What the Former A. & M. President Writes in the Rusk County News.

THE END OF THE WORLD.

The prophets are out telling us that the time is about up when God will transfer all Christian authority to somebody else. The story runs about this way:

The Hebrew nation lost its power 606 years before Christ came into the world. The poor, stragling Jews who wanted their nation restored were terribly disappointed with Christ, and hence, very few of them would have anything to do with Him. But in spite of all adverse circumstances and the most dilapidated condition of the Hebrew country, Christ gathered about Himself a limited number of Jews and Gentiles and thereby established a new order of things, insofar as religion was concerned. The Romans had possession of the country, and as they little concerned themselves about religious doctrines of any kind, they took no action against Christ as a teacher until the Jews arrested Him, and as the Romans were the only people who had any authority to try persons charged with the violation of law they had to take the case. The whole trial seems to have been a mockery—more of a mob proceeding than an orderly trial—and after His death, resurrection and ascension, the last hope that any one ever had that Christ had come to take any stock in political affairs and restore the kingdom of the Jews was dissipated. So nothing was left but His doctrines and they amounted to little until they began to penetrate and permeate the Roman Empire.

So finally, some sixty years after Christ had come into the world, the Romans wiped up the whole of Judea with the Hebrews, cleaned up and almost destroyed the race, and those who escaped the terrible catastrophe were scattered out over the face of the earth.

Thousands were deported to the City of Rome where they were fed to wild beasts for the amusement of the audience.

Every vestige of their ancient holdings was gone. Even the temple itself was destroyed. Roman cavalymen, astride spirited horses, galloped proudly over the ashes of the city of Jerusalem and flashed their sabers over the graves of the prophets and kings of God's chosen people.

Well, as the story goes, or as the prophets say, the arc of the covenant was transferred to the Gentiles. They accepted Christ, so the story goes, and after 1922 years they have proved to be a melancholly failure.

To be accurate, one prophet says that the Gentile world ended the first of August, 1914, and the Devil stepped to the front and took command, and that he and the powers of darkness are now arrayed against Christ as a dernier resort for the supremacy of the universe.

The story continues, and we are assured that in 1925, just two years from now, righteousness will triumph, the Devil will be cast out, and if not destroyed bodily, he will be tied, bound and chained and placed where he will no longer disturb the peace and happiness of mankind.

Grant that all the prophets are saying about the end of time is true, and that a new order of things is take place as they predict, there is one vital point that has not been cleared up. And that is as to what race of people is to fall heir to the world and make it a fit place in which to live. France isn't qualified. England is far from perfection. Italy is all torn up. Germany turned loose the Dragon. Japan and China are heathen. The United States are all too much bound up in greed and lust, and the Hebrews are more wedded to the Golden Calf than they were when God told Moses to get down quickly from the mountain that he might find his people worshipping the Molten Image.

No nation, no race is in a position to bid for Paradise. The only method that we can imagine that will meet the ends of Divinity will be by selection and elimination. The few righteous men and women now sojourning upon the earth, regardless of sect, race or nationality, will be saved and the rest destroyed.

How will they be destroyed? By war—killing each other—pestilence, disease, famine, wholesale murder, fighting hand to hand, and finally a few well planned earthquakes may sound the last sad note of a dying earth.

If half of what the Bible prophets are saying is true the time is mighty close to hand. However, ever since the days of St. Paul, this "second coming of Christ" has been preached. Paul taught it so strong that many persons gave up all worldly affairs to be ready. No one should reduce his acreage in cotton on account of these prophets, but it is a wise thing for man to live righteously every day and do all he can to help make his community a better place to live in.

The bill providing for a university to be known as the Technological College to be located in the west has passed both houses and been signed by the governor. It carries with an appropriation of a million dollars. This institution has all the provisions of law to make it a first-class university, and as the state grows and that big country develops it will be in the lives of those now living as one of the greatest institutions of learning in the southwest. It is to be co-educational and governed by an independent board of directors. We doubt the wisdom of establishing this school at this time, since funds to support the schools we already have are insufficient. However, no one can object to it on educational grounds if the policy of the state to furnish higher education to the boys and girls of Texas is to continue. It is the history of higher education in America as a rule that only those boys and girls living in reasonable distance of colleges ever attend them.

In the death of Judges James I. Perkins of Rusk, and Albert B. Watkins of Athens, occurring recently, eastern Texas lost two very able men. Both had served on the bench with distinguished ability, and Judge Perkins had served several terms in the house and senate at Austin. For several years they were active in politics and wielded a powerful influence in local and state affairs. They were both native Texans, their ancestors being among the early settlers in this portion of the state. Judge Watkins' father was the first Presbyterian minister ordained in Texas, and Judge Perkins' father was among the first planters of San Augustine county, and was a prominent citizen in his community, having been one of the trustees of the old San Augustine College.

It is a matter of history from the birth of nations up to this good hour that sooner or later all the tyranny and injustice, all the suffering and privations resulting from selfish government, are at last visited upon the guilty, but the innocent suffer as well. It is justice's way of evening up matters, and as sure as this inequality of wealth, produced by unfair and unjust methods, goes on, there will be a reckoning in this country that will destroy the Republic and sink social order beneath chaos and utter darkness.

It is but a vindication of the inexorable law of evening up things.

The legislature is out after new judicial districts by the wholesale. The governor has started out right by vetoing the first one that came to him. There is such a thing as having so many courts that it will take all the good lawyers to fill the offices created thereby, and that we will not have enough left to defend the bootleggers.

The average amount of money received by the farmers of the United States for their crop is \$185 a year. No wonder there is unrest and dissatisfaction on the farm, and a constant exodus to the towns! We still hope that our economic machine may yet send out a more equitable and just distribution of our nation's wealth.

One legislator wants to require the law teachers in the university to have had some practice at the profession before teaching it. Why? The law as it is taught and the law as it is practiced are altogether different laws.

For Sale at a Bargain.
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 - Sam Marks, Shiloh.
 - W. E. Keelan, Grapeland.
 - J. L. Jordan, Crockett.
 - G. E. Ellis, Crockett.
 - R. C. Deaton, Crockett.
 - Houston Betts, Crockett.
 - G. C. Duran, Crockett.
 - B. A. Bradshaw, Augusta.
 - J. B. Morrow, Shiloh.
 - B. F. Thomas, Crockett.
 - S. L. Murchison, Crockett.
 - H. Linderman, Ratcliff.
 - E. S. Brasher, Lovelady.
 - W. L. Sheridan, Augusta.
 - Henry Young, Ratcliff.
 - J. D. Walker, Ratcliff.
 - J. D. Driskell, Crockett.
 - Hill Huff, Dailey.
 - G. W. Ashby, Ratcliff.
 - Earle Pennington, Grapeland.

- George H. Denny, Crockett.
- C. E. Fuller, Crockett.
- T. F. Allbright, Shiloh.
- W. A. Lockey, Belott.
- George T. Walker, Belott.
- R. G. Lundy, Crockett.
- Jasper Stewar, Ratcliff.
- Edgar Null, Crockett.
- J. W. Knox, Shiloh.
- E. C. Satterwhite, Crockett.
- L. O. Goodrum, Weldon.
- A. F. Dickey, Percilla.
- T. J. Sorter, Belott.
- Lee Knox, Shiloh.
- R. A. Parker, Grapeland.
- J. R. Kyle, Dailey.
- D. F. Arledge, Crockett.
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Victor Kennedy was at home Sunday from A. & M. College.

Mrs. F. E. Ripley of Taylor is visiting relatives and friends in this city.

Miss Katie Lacy is at home from S. M. U., Dallas, for a brief visit.

Miss Emma Tenney would like to have a few lady boarders, or school girls.

Miss Hulamae English spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents in Kennard.

Mr. F. M. Posey is recovering from an appendicitis operation performed Monday night.

Miss Ruby Clements is recovering from an appendicitis operation, performed this week.

Miss Johnnie Patton, a student of Baylor University, Waco, is spending a few days at home.

On account of change in plans, Dr. Major of Dallas will not speak at the Baptist church Friday night.

Miss Hattie Stokes, teaching at Henderson, was at home with her parents in this city Saturday and Sunday.

The Vogue Millinery announces the daily arrival of new millinery that is lovely. Just what you want for that Easter costume.

Arthur Patton, 29 years old, of Ratcliff, who was operated on for a ruptured appendix last week in Crockett, is reported to be rapidly recovering.

Vogue Millinery styles and prices are right. Suitable hats for every one—the largest stock ever displayed in Crockett—right up to the minute, too.

For Sale at a Bargain.

A 1923 Dodge touring car, five cord casings, driven 1000 miles. Apply to J. G. Beasley.

Bobby Bricker Smith was in Houston this week to take examination for the Anapolis Naval Academy, which appointment he has received from Congressman Clay Stone Briggs.

For Sale.

Good mule, horse and five-passenger automobile. All in good working condition. See Thos. Self or phone 358 or 62.

Notice.

One red bull, five years old, branded AA on side, X on hip. Will pay for any information.

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Our stock of Florsheim and Stacy Adams shoes in low quarters is being closed out at bargain prices. If you are a keen buyer, this is your opportunity to get seasonable, quality shoes at a low price.

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Now is your chance to get quality shoes at a reduced price. We are closing out our stock of Stacy Adams shoes in low quarters at a big reduction. Are your eyes open?

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Financial Statement.

The attention of the reader is called to a statement of Houston county finances published on another page in this issue of the Courier. Read the statement, study it and know the financial standing of your county.

You Will Need Them.

Why not get them now, while you can save some money? We are closing out our stock of Florsheim and Stacy Adams shoes at a great reduction. It will pay you to investigate.

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Will be paid by the City of Crockett for the arrest and conviction of any one guilty of the crime of arson within the corporate limits of Crockett, Texas.

C. L. Edmiston, Mayor.
C. A. Hassell, City Secretary.

Notice.

It is being rumored that I am not in the race for city marshal. This is not true, but misleading, as I am very much in the race, and with your vote and influence I expect to be elected with a big majority. My phone number is 291. If my services are needed, don't hesitate to call me up.

You humble servant,
J. D. Sexton.

Election Notice.

Be it ordained by the School Board of the Crockett Independent School District of Crockett, Texas, in session assembled, that an election be, and the same is hereby ordered, to be held in the city of Crockett, Texas, on the 7th day of April, 1923, for the purpose of electing three trustees. John C. Lacy is hereby appointed manager of said election. Passed this 22nd day of February, 1923.

W. P. Bishop, President of Board.
Hal Lacy, Secretary.

First Methodist Church.

Sunday is Easter—the day on which the Church of God commemorates the resurrection of Jesus Christ. The resurrection of Jesus means all the world to us. Surely every Christian should attend church next Sunday and thank God for the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

Appropriate Easter services will be held at the Methodist church by the Sunday school. Appropriate Easter music will be rendered at eleven o'clock. The day should be observed by all people. Public cordially invited to attend all services.

Pastor.

SOME NEWS OF THE CROCKETT OIL FIELD

The Porter well at Crockett is at a standstill, Mr. George L. Porter having not yet recovered from his recent attack of influenza. He expects to get out to the well when the weather improves.

The Driskell well has been handicapped during the last week by bad weather. Very little can be done under such unfavorable weather conditions. Everything is now waiting on the weather.

Gasoline Engine for Sale.

The Courier has a 3-horse power Fuller & Johnson gasoline engine (the best made) which we will sell for \$50. This engine was in daily use at the Courier office until this week. It is a good engine, but having installed electric motors, it is for sale at a bargain price for cash. Call at the Courier office and let us crank it up for you and show you what it will do, if you are interested in a gasoline engine.

Accident at Saw Mill.

Brightman Sharp, eldest son of Major Sharp of this city, met with a severe accident at the saw mill of H. Brooke at Cut, six miles south of Crockett, Friday of last week. Mr. Sharp was working near a buzz saw which he happened to back into with one of his thighs. He was cut nearly to the bone and was rushed to Crockett for treatment. His friends will be glad to know that he is now recovering from what might have been a much more serious accident.

Civil Engineer Employed.

At a meeting of the city council Monday evening the contract was let for the surveying of that part of the city which it is proposed to pave. A contract was entered into with Messrs. Baker & Von Zuben, an engineering firm of Fort Worth. Mr. Von Zuben of the firm was before the council in person. The Courier is informed that Baker & Von Zuben were not the lowest bidders for the engineering part of the work, but that they were given the contract largely on the high recommendations which they brought, the council believing that it should avail itself of the most experienced firm of engineers procurable. It is stated that Baker & Von Zuben will begin their work immediately.

Beathard Voted "No."

The Courier has been asked why it failed to publish the vote of the commissioners on the question of employing a negro farm demonstrator. In publishing a part of the commissioners' proceedings last week, the Courier copied only from the proceedings of the regular March term. The minutes of the March term show the order and contract regarding the employment of a negro farm demonstrator, but do not show the vote of the commissioners. But turning back to the minutes of the February term we find where the vote was recorded on this question, the minutes here showing that Commissioner Beathard voted "no." The reason the Courier did not show this last week was that we had the proceedings of the March term before us and these did not show the vote, as the vote had been recorded at the February term, as stated, and that fact was overlooked in copying the minutes then before us.

Mrs. Lucinda Robinson.

Mrs. Lucinda Robinson died at the home of her son, Mr. Hugh Robinson, near Crockett on Wednesday night of last week. The remains were taken on Thursday following to the Old Shady Grove cemetery, 15 miles southeast of Crockett, for interment Thursday afternoon. The funeral services were conducted

Easter Specials

Premium Hams, pound 29c
Premium Breakfast Bacon, pound 38c
D. M. Peach Preserves, 13½ ounce tumbler 37c
Hipolite M. M. Creme 23c
Sunmaid Raisins, 15 oz. seeded or seedless 17c

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Some Postscripts.

by Rev. T. M. Buller, the Baptist minister. The deceased was a member of the Baptist church.

Mrs. Robinson was 55 years old and is survived by two sons and a daughter, who are: Hugh Robinson, Otis Robinson and Mrs. Wood Southerland. She also leaves four brothers. Her maiden name was Lucinda Bayne and she had spent the most of her life in Houston county.

Mrs. Robinson is spoken of as a good, Christian woman, with kindly impulses and charitable inclinations. It is said that she was a thoughtful and considerate neighbor, never losing interest in those around her, and that her Christian life is an example worthy of emulation.

Tell him that you saw his ad in the Courier.

Women are said to be more particular customers in restaurants nowadays than men.

It is fully recognized by military authorities in the United States that the principal instrument of destruction in the next war will be the bomb.

In Dutch weekly periodicals, it is customary to cartoon scientific and professional men in the public eye with prominence equal to those in political life.

A vacuum tube such as is used to amplify radio impulses is being used by a German physician to make clearer the sounds of his patient's heart beats.

In early days women living in the Maine coast towns sought to acquire beautiful complexions by sleeping with their heads out of the windows in foggy weather.

DRESS SALE

FOR THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

We have received this week more than 100 New Dresses for THIS SALE

These comprise the Season's newest Materials, Models and Colors; and sizes from 14 to 52. The lady who has had trouble in being fitted will find it easy during this Sale.

These Dresses were all bought at special prices, and we are in position to save you money on every garment.

Come early while the assortment of STYLES AND MODELS ARE GOOD

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COURIER SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Prepared by Rev. E. A. Maness.

Subject—Walk to Emmaus (Easter Lesson). Golden text—“Why walk ye the living among the dead? He is not here, but is risen.” Luke 24:5, 6. Time—Christ rose from dead Sunday, April 9, A. D. 30. He ascended Thursday, May 18, A. D. 30. Place—Jerusalem, Emmaus, a village seven and a half miles away, and the road between. Also Galilee and the Mount of Olives.

Importance of Resurrection.

It can not be over-estimated. It is an event among events. It was the beginning of a new day in the history of the world. Up until this time the future had been dark and uncertain to the human mind, but in the resurrection of Jesus Christ, faith sees a new light. It was the beginning of a new era in history. God related Himself to the world through the resurrected Christ in a new and living relationship. The resurrected Christ is the light and life of the world.

First Appearance of the Resurrected Christ.

The world would naturally expect that the first appearance of the risen Christ would have been to His three closest apostles, Peter, James and John. Or it would seem natural, from a human standpoint, that He would appear to His enemies and smite them down. But in fact He appears first to a woman, Mary Magdalene. The second appearance was also to women. Jesus honored them first who loved Him most. The faithful loving women were seeking to reanoint the dead body of Jesus. Mary was weeping over the thought that the body of Jesus had been taken away from the tomb. In the midst of her tears Jesus appeared to her. The tears of love always move the heart of God. The love of a woman has more weight with God than the logic of a man.

“Love much there is no waste in freely giving,
More blessed is it even than to receive;
He who loves much alone finds life worth living;
Love on through doubt and darkness and believe,
There is nothing which love may not achieve.”

Third Appearance of Risen Jesus

Was to two disciples on the road to Emmaus. Jesus appeared to them as they were walking along the road. They were discussing the resurrection of Jesus. They did not know Jesus. He went in and sat down with them at Emmaus, and as He was blessing the bread the eyes of the disciples were opened and they knew Jesus and He vanished out of their sight. He had a new and strange body. It could appear at will and vanish at will.

Other Appearances of Jesus.

He appeared to Peter alone. This was on the first day of His resurrection. He appeared to the ten disciples in the upper chamber at Jerusalem. The doors of the room were locked. And yet Jesus stood in the midst of them without unlocking the doors. A strange phenomenon. Thomas was absent. The ten would not at first believe that it was Jesus, but were finally convinced. The next appearance of Jesus was to the eleven—they were still in Jerusalem. Thomas was present this time and the Lord showed him the nail prints in His hands. And Thomas believed. The sixth appearance was to the seven disciples at the Sea of Galilee. They had fished all night and caught nothing. Jesus appeared in the early morning light on the shore of the lake. John and Peter were the first to recognize Him. He enabled them to catch a big haul of fishes and had breakfast ready for them when they came ashore. How thoughtful and

kind is our blessed Savior. The next appearance was to the eleven apostles on a certain, but unknown, mountain. The eighth appearance was to more than five hundred of his disciples in Galilee. A wonderful meeting! Jesus had promised to meet His disciples there and He is true to His promise. The next appearance is to his brother, James. The tenth and last appearance was to the apostles at the time of his ascension from Mount Olivet.

Resurrected Body of Jesus.

His body after His resurrection was of a new order. No longer natural, but spiritual. Instead of being controlled by natural law, it controlled natural law. Body did not need sleep and rest. Did not grow tired and weary. Natural law could not control it. Though spiritual, it was still a real body. An undying body, Jesus rose to die no more. The Christian man or woman is to have a body like that of Jesus and is to enjoy the fellowship of Jesus—is to become like Jesus. It pays to be a Christian. A good thing for a time, a good thing for eternity.

Jesus said, “Because I live, ye shall live also.” His resurrection is our only hope of heaven. But it is a solid hope. Jesus was seen by more than five hundred witnesses after he arose from the dead. Millions have trusted Him and found Him real. Dear reader, won't you trust Him at this Easter time?

LOUISE.

By Marietta Stephenson.

Louise in her pride sauntered off to the woods.
She flashed back a glance like she said: “I'll be good.”
At night when the sun sank low in the pine,
The roll was called, when all of her kind
Were ready and waiting their duty to please,
But not one of the herd could tell of Louise.

We called from afar when the shadows were ghostly,
With only the echoes to help with the search.
The dimness of daylight was all that was left us,
And strong indications of tiresome march.

But a wise old owl way up in a tree top,
His visage bespoke of a life nearly done.
A wink and a blink as he peeped into a thicket,
Spoke plain in his way:
“Louise has a son.”

No Orchestra is a Good Orchestra Without a Leader.

In this day and age when the country is overrun with tented attractions of various kinds too many managers have paid too little attention to the musical end of their attraction, especially can this be said of stock companies. However, this cannot be said of Messrs. Darr and Gray whose company, when they organized, looked around for the orchestra leader that would make their orchestra an outstanding feature with their show. Mr. Joseph Bittner was recommended to them and after some correspondence he was finally engaged with the understanding that he was to have full authority in engaging his musicians. Just how well Mr. Bittner has succeeded in organizing an orchestra that can play the better class of music was demonstrated when the orchestra rendered at different times such selections as Maritana, Bohemian Girl, Hun-Fantasi, Red Mill, besides all the late overtures and popular music.

Senate Precludes Any Possibility of Constitutional Convention.

Austin, Texas, March 10.—There will be no constitutional convention, the senate decided today, refusing by a vote of 14 to 14 to adopt a favorable committee report on the Rountree concurrent resolution to the people.

The senate voted first on a

motion to adopt the minority committee report, recommending that the resolution be not adopted. The vote was a tie—13 to 13—when Senator Parr entered the chamber. He at first voted aye and then changed his vote to no, making the vote against the motion 14 to 13.

The favorable committee report, which was refused by a tie vote, offered a committee substitute for the original resolution.

Senator Woods of Navarro county, who brought up the Rountree resolution, merely explained its provisions, without urging its adoption.

Senator Dudley, presiding, ruled that the tie vote on the motion to adopt the favorable committee report had definitely killed the resolution.

Good Roads Can Be Secured This Way Only.

Dallas, Texas, March 19.—Most of the states are either considering or have adopted laws for the regulation and control of motor vehicles which are designed to place such vehicles as are employed in public transportation of persons and freight under strict regulation by state authorities, says the Texas Public Service Information Bureau.

These laws are all more or less like a uniform regulatory bill that has the approval of the common carrier rail lines and the various associations of automobile and truck owners. Such laws permit the operation of motor vehicles as common carriers only when and where the public convenience and necessity indicate the need of such service. They fix license fees to be paid and regulate speeds, weights of loads, and liabilities of the operators.

In this way good roads that are built by the tax-payers and used by commercial motor vehicles are to an extent compensated for the wear on them by such vehicles, and the transportation systems of the states are coordinated in the interest of effi-

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 Senior Girls—First place, Maxine Collins, Crockett.
 Senior Girls—Second place, Ardis Murray, Grapeland.
 Senior Boys—First place, Johnson L. Arledge, Crockett.
 Senior Boys—Second place, Harry Jones, Grapeland.
 Junior Girls—First place, Faye Daniels, Crockett.
 Junior Girls—Second place, Grace Edington, Grapeland.
 Junior Boys—First place, Charles Towery, Crockett.
 Junior Boys—Second place, Chester DuBose, Grapeland.
 II. Declamation—Rural School.
 Senior Girls—First place, Minnie Moore, Augusta.
 Senior Girls—Second place, Blanche Patton, Ratcliff.
 Senior Boys—First place, J. H. Smith, Arbor Grove.
 Senior Boys—Second place, Everett Tyre, Liberty Hill.
 Junior Girls—First place, Dorothy Patton, Ratcliff.
 Junior Girls—Second place, Louella Anderson, Conner Creek.
 Junior Boys—First place, Arnold Sims, Latexo.
 Junior Boys—Second place, Cloyce

Steed, Stubblefield.
 III. Debate—High School.
 Senior Girls—First place, Bessie Berry and Sibyl Eardley, Crockett.
 Senior Boys—First place, Harry Albright and Dudley Brewton, Crockett.
 Senior Boys—Second place, Bennie Watts and Edwin DuBose, Grapeland.
 IV. Spelling—Perfect papers as follows:
 Seniors—None.
 Junior Girls—Iva Lee Troutman, Union Grove; Blanche Miller, Ratcliff.
 Sub-Junior Girls—Mary Elizabeth Durst, Crockett; Minnie Arnold, Pearson Chapel.
 V. Essay—Grapeland and Arbor Grove were the only two schools competing in Essay Writing. Essays have been sent to the district as is required.
 VI. Music.
 Senior Solo—First place, Crockett.
 Senior Solo—Second place, Arbor Grove.
 Senior Duet—First place, Crockett.
 Senior Duet—Second place, Arbor Grove.
 Senior Quartet—First place, Grapeland.
 Junior Solo—First place, Arbor Grove.
 Junior Solo—Second place, Crockett.
 Junior Duet—First place, Pearson Chapel.
 Junior Duet—Second place, Arbor Grove.
 Junior Quartet—First place, Arbor Grove.
 Junior Quartet—Second place, Grapeland.
 Mixed Quartet—First place, Grapeland.
 Mixed Quartet—Second place, Rockland.
 VII. Track and Field Senior Boys.
 120 High Hurdles—First place, R. B. Dean, Grapeland.
 120 High Hurdles—Second place, S. Tolar, Arbor Grove.
 100 yd. Dash—First place, A. Skidmore, Grapeland.
 100 yd. Dash—Second place, W. Lively, Grapeland.
 1 Mile Run—First place, L. Smith, Arbor Grove.
 1 Mile Run—Second place, R. Marshall, Grapeland.
 220 yd. Low Hurdles—First place, W. Lively, Grapeland.
 220 yd. Low Hurdles—Second place, A. Bean, Grapeland.
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 880 yd. Run—First place, R. Plummer, Arbor Grove.
 880 yd. Run—Second place, B. Cobb, Grapeland.
 1 Mile Relay—First place, R. B. Dean, D. Richards, R. Marshall, M. Kennedy, C. Weisinger, Grapeland.
 50 yd. Dash—First place, M. Caskey, Union.
 50 yd. Dash—Second place, S. Muckleroy, Arbor Grove.
 Pole Vault—First place, R. Norman, Grapeland.
 Pole Vault—Second place, B. Cobb, Grapeland.
 Chinning Bar—First place, Tie between Arbor Grove and Union.
 Running Broad Jump—First place, W. Lively, Grapeland.
 Running Broad Jump—Second place, Clayton Ashby, Ratcliff.
 Running High Jump—First place, S. Tolar, Arbor Grove.
 Running High Jump—Second place, Clifton Beathard, Belott.
 12 lb. Shot Put—First place, C. Bean, Grapeland.
 12 lb. Shot Put—Second place, L. Edge, Grapeland.
 Discus Throw—First place, L. Edge, Grapeland.
 VIII. Junior Track and Field.
 50 yd. Dash—First place, John J. Brannan, Union.
 50 yd. Dash—Second place, Arnold Sims, Latexo.
 100 yd. Dash—First place, Roy Smith, Arbor Grove.
 100 yd. Dash—Second place, C. Bean, Grapeland.
 440 yd. Relay—First place, W. Darsey, L. Bean, S. Teams, L. R. Bean, Grapeland.
 Running High Jump—First place, Henry Masters, Union.
 Running High Jump—Second place, P. Murchison, Grapeland.
 Running Broad Jump—First place, J. E. Smith, Arbor Grove.
 Running Broad Jump—Second place, Henry Masters, Union.
 Chinning Bar—First place, Tie between Cullen Smith of Arbor Grove, and Henry Masters, Union.
 IX. Basket Ball.
 Senior Boys—First place, M. Walker, P. Goodrum, G. Thompson, R. Worcester, E. Miller; C. Nelson, Sub. Weldon.
 Senior Boys—Second place, W. Lively, A. Skidmore, R. Bean, G. Murchison, A. Bean; Subs. M. Jones and R. Norman, Grapeland.
 Senior Girls—First place, E. Sanders, M. Krenek, A. Krenek, B. Montgomery, H. Wills, A. Shupak, Sub. O. English, Rockland (Lone Pine).
 Senior Girls—Second place, C. M. Rudd, C. E. Rudd, M. McKinney, B. Patton, P. Patton, I. Hager, Sub. M. Mayers, Ratcliff.
 Junior Boys—First place, C. Bean, R. Brown, W. Darsey, P. Murchison, S. Leaverton, E. Newman, S. Murchison, Grapeland.
 Junior Boys—Second place, N. Cecil, W. English, H. Salisbury, C. Moore, M. Hartt, H. Morrow, Rockland (Lone Pine).
 Junior Girls—First place, B. Luce, M. Rials, B. Lane, A. Allen, L. Allen, D. Tyer, C. Luce, J. Gallant, Grounds.
 Junior Girls—Second place, T. Barnes, V. Barnes, G. Leediker, T. Allen, E. Crowson, B. Griswold, D. Burton, Rockland (Lone Pine).
 X. Volley Ball.
 First place—Kennard.
 Second place—Rockland (Lone Pine).
 XI. Tennis.
 Singles—Boys, first place, Crockett.
 Doubles—Boys, first place, Crockett.
 XII. Little Folks' Games.
 Spoon and Potato Race—First place, Crockett.
 Spoon and Potato Race—Second place, Creek.
 Sack Race—First place, Porter Springs.
 Sack Race—Second place, Creek.
 Dodge Ball—First place, Center Ridge.
 Dodge Ball—Second place, Crockett.
 Five-Trips—First place, Porter Springs.
 Progressive Dodge Ball—First place, Porter Springs.
 Progressive Dodge Ball—Second place, Crockett.
 Handkerchief Relay—First place, Rockland (Lone Pine).
 Handkerchief Relay—Second place, Crockett.
 Arbor Grove with the highest total number of points wins the all round championship in the rural school division, Crockett wins in the Class A division, and Grapeland in Class B division.
 Some of the directors in submitting their reports gave the names of the schools winning first and second places and not the names of the particular pupils who won these places. The report appears as it was handed to me. If any errors have occurred in any way either the directors or I will be pleased to correct these upon notification. If by chance any mistake was made in mailing out badges we will promptly correct this as soon as brought to our notice.
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 Sidney Boykin, Grapeland.
 J. Harvey Allen, Crockett.
 W. W. Spence, Grapeland.
 Sam Arnold, Shiloh.
 D. M. Jones, Percilla.
 Cleon Goolsby, Crockett.
 W. T. Tony, Volga.
 Smith Harkins, Crockett.
 P. E. Morgan, Shiloh.
 C. E. Parker, Crockett.
 Tom Moore, Crockett.
 G. M. Griffin, Crockett.
 G. B. Burton, Crockett.
 T. J. Hartt, Lovelady.
 Roy Bruton, Grapeland.
 H. C. Hager, Ratcliff.
 W. P. Petty, Crockett.
 Lee Johnson, Crockett.
 G. L. Cook, Crockett.
 Nat Patton, Crockett.
 J. T. Mills, Crockett.
 John Rice, Crockett.
 J. W. Howard, Grapeland.
 J. D. Trimble, Augusta.
 W. H. Albright, Crockett.
 J. A. Furgeson, Crockett.
 J. W. Ellisor, Grapeland.
 E. C. Lively, Grapeland.
 R. C. Hill, Crockett.
 J. G. Beasley, Crockett.
 J. W. Marks, Shiloh.
 E. S. Dawson, Crockett.
 J. A. Brinkman, Crockett.
 G. D. McClain, Crockett.
 George Cecil, Shiloh.
 T. M. Gossett, Crockett.
 J. W. J. Rains, Crockett.
 F. M. Murray, Crockett.
 J. P. Hail, Crockett.

The are 30,511 American soldiers, sailors and marines buried in eight cemeteries in Europe. Six of the grounds are in France, one in Belgium and the other in England. Of the dead only 1600, or about 2 per cent, are unknown.

North Carolina farmers are selling all the cotton they produce to their own cotton mills and at the same time selling all that the cotton mill hands eat from their own truck patches, orchards and dairies. That is a happy situation, and strange that others in the south do not go and do likewise.

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UNION MUSIC.

When Otto Metzger, German representative of the Wagnerian Opera Festival which has been filling an engagement at New York, undertook to import a German orchestra for the purpose of the performances, his troubles began. The Germans were so simple as the suppose that it would be possible to bring into America a group of German musicians who were known to the director of the opera and who were accustomed to his ideas as to the rendition of the score. But the German management hadn't heard about the musical unions in the United States.

According to the story in the Christian Science Monitor, the union representatives flatly refused to "permit" a German orchestra to play in the festival at all. The edict was that the opera would proceed to the tune of regular American union music-makers, or it would go without music altogether. Mr. Metzger reports their proposition thus:

We planned to bring with us a complement of men from the Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra. But the officials of the American unions told us that we must make up our orchestra from among the musicians who were at leisure in the United States and available for opera service. We asked how it was that an Italian orchestra was allowed, two seasons ago, to enter the United States and make a tour. They replied that in the case of the orchestra which Toscanini brought the playing was done on the platform, whereas in the case of the orchestra we wished to bring the playing was to be done from the theater pit.

The German thereupon hinted pretty strongly that they would go to the courts and see what their rights were on the point. To this, according to Herr Metzger, it was replied that if the courts granted them the full right to bring in their orchestra as they might very well do, the operas would not take place for the good reason that union stage hands and theater employes might feel disposed to take a vacation. The Germans offered to bring in but fifteen musicians, making up the rest of the orchestra from resident talent. They were coolly turned down. They offered to arrange matters so that every musician brought over from Germany would be practically compelled to return to Germany under pain of deportation from the United States if he declined to. The proposal was rejected by the union with promptness. In the end the orchestra of American musicians was employed.

"But all our proposals were negated," says Herr Metzger. "And then, when we came to assembling our orchestra here, we had to do it through a union contractor. Our musical director, instead of being granted the right to choose his players, had to accept such as were assigned to him. There are "verboten" signs in New York, as well as in Berlin.—Galveston News.

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PRIORITY PAYMENT WOULD AID SCHOOLS

MARRS DECLARES MANY WILL BE FORCED TO CLOSE OTHERWISE.

Austin, Tex., March 17.—It was the demand of S. M. N. Marrs, state superintendent of public instruction, to transfer immediately all of the \$3,000,000 supplemental appropriation to the available school fund that caused the question to be raised as to the priority of claims on the general revenue fund which is now being considered by Assistant Attorney General L. C. Sutton at the instance of the state treasurer.

Up until this time only \$4 per capita has been paid out of the \$10 per capita apportionment of last August and Mr. Marrs was anxious that the \$3,000,000 be sent out immediately, which would mean \$3 per capita more in paying the salaries of the school teachers.

"Some of the schools have already closed and more are destined to close next month," said Mr. Marrs, "unless we can get these funds to them in order that the teachers can be paid. That was my reason for asking that the whole \$3,000,000 be transferred at once and become available for instant checking. It would save many a country school, and that is what I am endeavoring to do now."

Mr. Marrs does not believe that appropriations are paid in the order they are made, but that they are paid as the warrants are issued and presented to the state treasurer, regardless of the date of appropriation. If he is sustained in this contention by the attorney general the \$3,000,000 will be sent out at once, otherwise it will have to wait until practically all of the schools are closed, as all of the appropriations made by the thirty-seventh legislature would have precedence over those made by the thirty-eighth session. The emergency allowance, therefore, would not be of a great deal of aid to the schools at this time. This is especially true since it is regarded as certain that the general revenue will return to a deficiency basis before the end of the fiscal year, Aug. 31.

It has been pointed out that the salaries, mileage and expenses of the legislature just closed were promptly paid, though made subsequent to the satisfaction of the amounts appropriated by the thirty-seventh legislature. No precedence has ever been given to the withdrawal of money from the state treasury.

Appropriations of Legislature at This Session \$7,738,509.

Austin, Tex., March 13.—The present legislature has appropriated \$7,738,509. The governor can veto some of it, but only a small amount compared to the total, as the larger amounts have been approved.

The board of control has recommended general appropriations aggregating \$30,000,000 and there is a deficiency of approximately \$1,000,000, all of which will be considered at the special session. In addition the special session will be asked for \$2,000,000 to aid the rural schools. With the special session expenses added to the amount now appropriated and the requisitions in prospect the total will go to something over \$41,000,000.

On the basis of sources of revenue, and without regard to any that may be created by this legislature, the board of control estimates that the income for the general fund for the next two years will be \$35,244,577.19. To meet the estimate of \$41,000,000 in outlay it will be necessary for the special session to find new sources of taxation to yield approximately \$6,000,000, or \$3,000,000 a year, less whatever comes from the tax levied on sulphur production by a bill

passed at this session and plus whatever amount the legislature adds to the board of control budget.

An itemization of the appropriations already made follows: General deficiencies, \$428,509; citrus fruit experimental station, \$50,000; Texas Technological College, \$1,002,500; topographic and hydrographic surveys, \$600,000; emergency school appropriation, \$3,000,000; A. and M. College extension building, \$100,000; prison loan refund, \$820,000; prison maintenance appropriation, \$600,000; legislative mileage and per diem, \$60,000; legislative contingent expense, \$40,000; miscellaneous claims against the state, \$480,000; administration building North Texas Normal, \$300,000; heating plant at College of Industrial Arts, \$110,000; school survey, \$50,000; numerous minor appropriations, \$25,000; revising and codifying the laws, \$72,500.

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When handled and fed under exactly the same conditions how will Florida range cattle compare, when finished, with Tennessee cattle? What is the difference in actual profit? This problem was worked out from a practical standpoint in 1919 by C. C. Pittman, a cattle feeder of Thomasville, Georgia. A representative of the United States Department of Agriculture recently obtained the following details of the test.

Mr. Pittman brought to Thomasville five carloads, containing 105 head, of Florida range cattle from Arcadia, Florida. At the same time he bought three carloads, containing 81 head, of Tennessee grade Shorthorns, of one-half to three-quarters Shorthorn blood. He fed these cattle at Thomasville, on cottonseed meal and velvet beans. Both lots were handled under the same conditions and fed the same feed. When finished he sold the cattle at Baltimore and New Orleans. The five carloads of Florida cattle netted exactly \$69 for the entire 105 head. One carload of the best Tennessee steers containing 23 head netted him \$980. He made more than \$1,800 profit on the three carloads of Tennessee cattle.

J. F. Pittman, brother of the man who fed these cattle, showed the government representative the record of this feeding experiment and the entries of the sales on his books. In commenting further on the experiment Mr. Pittman said: "The funny part of it was that the Florida steers fooled us all. They seemed to be doing almost as well on their feed as the Tennessee steers, and looked fairly good to us when we bought them. But they wouldn't take on flesh well and dressed out poorly, because they had been stunted in their early development by cattle ticks."

Petit Jurors Third Week.

- To appear Monday, April 9, at 10 o'clock a. m., A. D. 1923:
- Hal Lacey, Crockett.
 - J. T. McKelvey, Arbor.
 - C. C. Davis, Crockett.
 - P. L. Herrod, Grapeland.
 - John H. Ellis, Crockett.
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 - B. W. Warren, Ratcliff.
 - L. McManners, Lovelady.
 - Ed Frizzell, Crockett.
 - Harvey Douglass, Crockett.
 - Maize Berry, Crockett.
 - J. L. Murphy, Crockett.
 - Jno. T. Clark, Crockett.
 - J. W. Brumley, Percilla.
 - J. S. Brown, Crockett.
 - H. A. Hartly, Crockett.
 - M. L. Whitaker, Grapeland.
 - A. M. Beason, Crockett.
 - J. F. Fulmer, Augusta.
 - J. I. Steadman, Grapeland.
 - J. K. Shields, Belott.
 - Joe Collins, Grapeland.
 - J. W. Moore, Augusta.
 - L. R. Little, Volga.
 - W. S. Rushing, Crockett.
 - R. F. Kolb, Grapeland.
 - C. O. Murray, Lovelady.
 - R. A. Hale, Lovelady.
 - W. C. Bitner, Shiloh.
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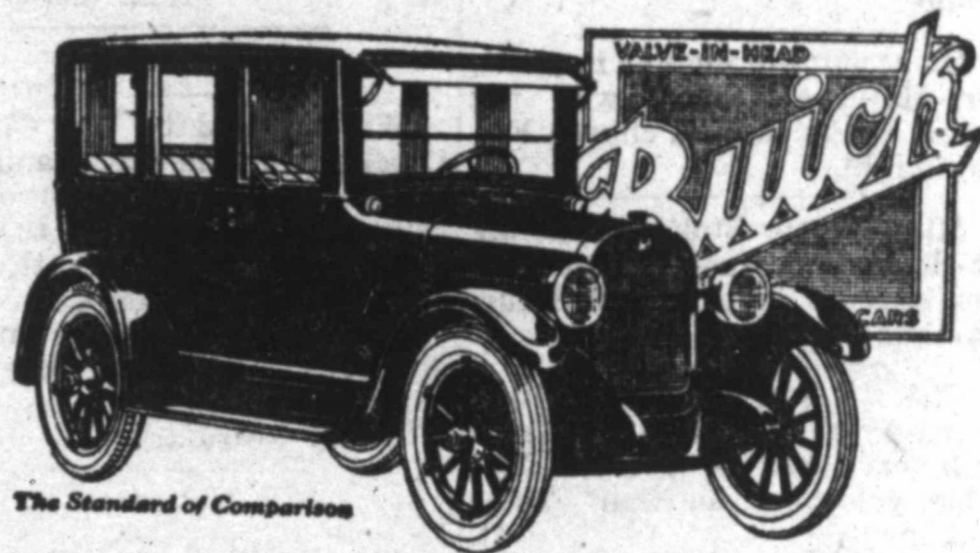


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