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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Miss Bess Jordan is visiting in Rusk.

A. S. Lockey of Austwell was here this week.

Mrs. Oscar Keeton of Jewett is visiting Mrs. J. P. Hall.

Good heavy overalls \$1.50. Millar & Berry.

Mrs. M. E. Smith recently returned to her home at Culpeper, Va.

Eugene Kennedy and Danny Burton left Tuesday for Galveston.

Miss Grace Smith returned Sunday to her home in Longview.

Miss Evelyn Frances Brown is visting in Houston and Baton Rouge, La.

C. H. Barbee and A. B. Burton Jr. were in Dallas the first of this week.

Lesley Fain of Galveston was the guest of his brother, S. A. Fain, last week.

Miss Effie Mae Lacy has returned from Dayton, where she has been teaching.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Riser of Dallas were prominent visitors in Crockett last week.

Miss Evvy Mae Berry of Palestine was the guest of Miss Bessie Berry last week.

Paul Stokes will return soon from the Texas University medical college at Galveston.

We are now featuring the best to be had in work clothes and shoes. Millar & Berry.

Miss Mary Moore and Dayton Moore are visiting relatives in Waco, Corsicana and Dallas.

Will English of Tyler was here to attend the funeral of his relative, Jesse English, Tuesday.

Uncle Sam work shirts, blue and khaki, \$1.00. Millar & Berry.

Buck English of Orange was here this week to attend the funeral of his brother, Jesse English.

Ford for Sale.

A bran new Ford touring car with \$40 worth of extras on it. Will sell at a bargain. Millar & Berry.

All kinds of work clothes, best grades, new stock. Millar & Berry.

See Leediker at Fain's Screen Shop for screens, doors and window frames, and general mill work.

Miss Hattie Stokes has returned from Henderson, where she has been teaching in the city schools.

Neal Hall, a student of the state medical college at Galveston, is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. B. Deal.

The concrete is being poured for the foundation of the Masonic Temple and the walls will soon start upward.

Garage for Rent.

At my residence in Crockett. Phone Geo. W. Crook.

W. H. Denny Jr. of Houston and Stephen Denny of Huntsville were guests of relatives and friends in this city Sunday.

The two young children of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Deal, who have been seriously ill, are on the improve, we are glad to report.

T. J. Welch has graded the ground for a new residence in east Crockett. His old residence has been moved back out of the way.

Tom Aiken, following an absence of a year in southwest Texas, has returned to Crockett and resumed his place on the Courier.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Younas and daughter, Delha Mildred, and Mr. V. Streeter motored to Huntsville Sunday to visit Mrs. Younas' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fadell.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Jensen and son, Arthur, will arrive this week to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. May. They have recently moved from Galveston to Denison.

For Sale.

50 squares corrugated sheet iron, 50,000 feet used lumber, 1 boiler 80 h. p., 1 boiler 100 h. p. See or write H. Hornbuckle, Lantexo, Texas.

Dr. G. Ward Shelfer, Optometrist of Dallas, who has been coming to Grapeland and Crockett for years, will be at D. N. Leaverton's drug store, Grapeland, Texas, Friday, June the 8th, and at W. P. Bishop's drug store, Crockett, Saturday, June 9th. Eyes examined, glasses fitted, prices right.

Lost

Silver mesh bag, last Thursday evening, containing some money. Finder return to Beasley Drug Company and receive reward.

For Sale.

My home place in east Crockett. For particulars see T. E. Callier.

Mrs. James Langston, Box 15, S. M. U., Dallas, Texas.

Announcement.

I take pleasure in announcing to my patrons and the general public that Dr. G. Ward Shelfer, Optometrist of Dallas, who has been coming to my drug store for years, will be with me again for one day, Saturday, June the 9th. Phone us for appointment and call as early as possible to avoid the rush in the afternoon. Eyes examined, glasses fitted, prices right.

W. P. Bishop, Druggist.

New Buildings.

Three new brick buildings are nearing completion west of the store of Mike Younas on west Main street. The one adjoining the store of M. Younas is the property of Mr. Younas. On the corner is a larger brick building almost completed by J. W. Young, and east of the Young building is a double store room of brick being completed by Smith Brothers. These added to the Masonic buildings make six new brick buildings under course of construction.

Alpine flowering plants blooming at the edge of the snow line when the snow is melting are very bright, but in dry soil and the same atmospheric conditions the flowers become pale in color.

Out of 12,607 women students who have passed out of Oxford university, England, only 657 have married.

RESOLUTIONS BY MASS MEETING

Whereas on the 27th day of May, 1923, Jesse English, deputy sheriff of Houston county, in the pursuit of his duty in assisting to capture two escaped state convicts near Grapeland, Texas, was shot and killed by one of said convicts.

And whereas, said Jesse English was a good citizen, as well as a good and efficient officer of the law, with full conception of his duty, both as a citizen and as such officer, and was highly respected and esteemed by the citizenship of Houston county, and as an expression of such feeling on the part of our citizens more than one thousand dollars has been raised by private subscription for his family, consisting of his widow, three children and aged mother, who survive him and who were solely dependent upon him.

And whereas, we deplore the loss of a man of such character, and hope that his example will be an incentive and stimulus to other officers of the law, clothed with authority to enforce the law, to under all circumstances execute the same fearlessly and without favor in all stations of life.

And whereas, Jess English lost his life in the performance of a duty which he conceived to be to the state of Texas, as well as the good citizens of this county, we think and recommend that this is a matter that the governor of the great state of Texas should take cognizance of, and if he should feel that he is not authorized as a matter of law to act in the premises, then we would respectfully ask that he submit the matter to the legislature of the state of Texas, which is now in special session for its consideration.

The foregoing resolution was unanimously adopted at a mass meeting of the citizens of Crockett, Texas.

(Signed) Rev. A. S. Lee, Chairman.

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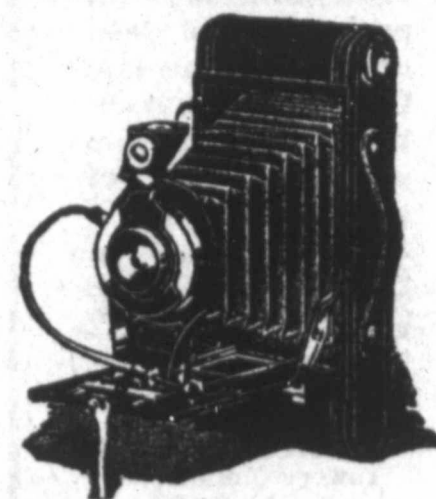
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CROCKETT, TEXAS.

Some Postscripts.

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Spring and Tailored hats half price and some less. Leg-horns and white hats at 1/2 off.

Sailors at ----- \$2.00 and \$2.50

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Special sale on Madam Grace Corsets, ranging in price from \$1.00 to \$4.00, the regular prices being from \$3.50 to \$13.50.

Royal Society and Bucilla package goods, all reduced and our selection is splendid.

Marinello Toilet goods are also reduced for this sale.

Come in and learn about the Creams that are best suited for your skin.

The Vogue Millinery

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

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

They say that 2 per cent of the Americans own 65 per cent of the American wealth. Whether the figures are exact or not, one thing is certain, the number of delinquent tax payers is day by day growing larger and larger, and the gentlemen who own the wealth of the nation are so shaping up their wealth that it is non-taxable.

And now we have statesmen advocating a scheme upon the part of the government to insure the farmers against crop failures. Of course the farmers must put up the cash, and thus secure their own losses. It would mean more bureaus, more officials. It would require an army of gentlemen to look over the farms to ascertain whether or not the farmers were working their crops according to the plans laid down by the government. We are looking for some statesmen to advocate an appropriation to help farmers to lift themselves over the fence by their own bootstraps.

If any farmer, merchant, banker, or any other kind of a business man can see any permanent prosperity in this country as long as cotton is the sole dependence for food, feed, clothing, and in fact, every article of commerce, he has a vision to see what has never come to pass under like conditions. However, nearly all the colored farmers are agreed that unless corn is planted in the dark nights of March it just as well not be planted at all.

We often hear the question asked by the more or less curious, "Where are the great war generals that figured in the World War?" We are afraid that our historians are sleeping on their jobs. During the Civil War every school boy knew off hand the names of the leading generals on both sides. If history is going to consign the names of our warriors to oblivion, we just as well not have any more wars.

Some of Harding's friends believe that he has made a mistake to advocate an international court, or to have any sort of alliance with European concerns. The country seems to be getting far from the idea of mixing up with foreign peoples. The cry that is heard all over this Nation is: "Let us get our own house in order, and thus furnish an example for righteousness that will draw all people unto us."

France is carrying out Mr. Lloyd George's notion about making Germany pay every cent of the value of destruction caused by the war. It may be right from the business standpoint, but we have doubts as to its being the wisest policy in the end. Germany is a resentful nation, and she is a much more resourceful country than France. Germany is opening up a wonderful trade in South American countries, and under normal conditions she has a way of increasing her population, while France is stagnant.

Great Britain and France have rich colonies, and with good management they should build up a commerce that would enrich both empires. France seems to be depending largely upon her colonial negroes in time of war. The severest castigation that a nation ever received was the speech of Senator Hitchcock in the Senate last winter condemning France for keeping negro soldiers on the Rhine. France claims that she no longer keeps them in German territory.

The political situation points to a split in the Republican party

next year, with Harding on one side and the progressives on the other. In that event the Democrats may be able to win, provided they are wise enough to nominate a sensible ticket on a sound platform. Wilson never would have been elected but for the two Republican tickets in the field. Being elected the first time on account of the Republican division, he was elected the last time on the slogan, "He kept us out of war," the implication being that in the event of his second election there would be no war. But there is retribution even in politics and the Democrats have not yet recovered from the many evils resulting from the World War. But the country is ripe for a radical change, and a bold progressive from the West is liable to sweep both the old parties clean out of the running in the next election.

Ford's idea is that all the money of the nation should be employed in the various enterprises that advance the happiness of mankind, thus giving employment to all who desire to work and interest to none. Ford keeps enough cash on hand to secure him against borrowing, and in so far as his own business is concerned he practices what he preaches. His strong doctrine is that usury is the world's greatest curse, and that all interest is usury. But that is no new doctrine, for Moses made a law against usury and what God and Moses meant by usury was what we call interest. However, Ford will have a hard time persuading the people to believe in Moses when it comes to money matters.

So far as Eastern Texas is concerned the case of bad treatment of tenants on the farm is an exception, and not the rule. The tenant is usually provided with a free garden, with all the fuel he needs, and often free pasture for his stock. The tenant who expects the landlord to do every little thing toward keeping the fences in order, driving every nail and every staple where needed, keeping up the gates about his premises and neglecting every turn essential to the upkeep of the farm is not a desirable tenant. The good tenant and the just landlord maintain harmony between themselves and each is a help to the other.

When Bob Tooms was in the Senate he said there was not a man in all Georgia who desired any bounty in any shape, form or fashion from the Federal government, and that he would resign before he would stand for such a policy. We wonder if there is any system of mathematics by which the distance, from the point of statesmanship, could be measured from a man like Tooms down to the average fellow in the Senate now. We may go wild on wireless, radio, flying in the air and things like that, but we have most lamentably deteriorated in the production of statesmen, or at least in maintaining proper machinery to keep them in office.

All along the high road of human experience we find these three types of people: Those who never think out a programme in life; those who think out a plan, but have not the courage to carry it out; and those who plan and execute. The successful men belong to the latter class, but they are in a minority. The World War upset the plans of many young men, and much of the disturbance in society is due to that fact. To suddenly turn the lives of all young men, you might say of the world, upside down over night, produces a jar, mental, moral and physical, so great that a generation will not restore to a normal, sane condition. Whether it was the youth of ease and thoughtlessness, the bright and ambitious, or what not, that hell on earth called the World War overturned, halted, shocked, blinded, and snatched them from the paths of peace at a moment's notice, armed them, trained them and told them to

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kill, until killing should either maim or end the lives of other youth no worse than they. It was the hellish voice of man clothed with all earthly power—monarchs, kings, emperors, parliaments, congresses, churches, high and low—calling to the youth to go kill each other. And if we are not awfully mistaken the world is going to be paying for this folly for generations yet unborn.

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666 Cures Malaria, Chills and Fever, Dengue or Bilious Fever.

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South Bound.
No. 3, Local Passenger 10:05AM
No. 1, Sunshine Special 2:27PM
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No. 4, Local Passenger 2:27PM
No. 2, Sunshine Special 3:22PM
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and of others, who seemed to have the same troubles I had, being benefited, so I began to use it. I found it most beneficial. I took several bottles . . . and was made so much better I didn't have any more trouble of this kind. It regulated me."

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**BORDER 'COYOTES'
MURDER HUNDREDS
HANSON BELIEVES**

San Antonio, Texas, May 23.—The recent murder of six Italians, who bartered for their passage across the Rio Grande only to be betrayed and shot down by their guides and robbed of the rest of their money, is only one of a series of wholesale murders the bandit smugglers have committed, in the opinion of Captain W. M. Hanson, immigration inspector of the border district.

One of the party of Europeans escaped with wounds from three bullets that passed through his body and succeeded in carrying the tale of the massacre to the immigration officials. He was overlooked by the assassins as it is believed that the smugglers intended to annihilate the whole party leaving no one to carry back an account of the murder.

The story was told by the surviving member of the party in which he saw the murderers calmly go through the pockets of the victims in search of money, not content with their original tribute from the unsuspecting foreigners.

Captain Hanson, who has just returned from the border, believes that hundreds of unsuspecting Europeans have met similar fates.

"The characters of the 'coy-

otes' at the border are the lowest and the murder of a fellow-man means nothing to them," said Captain Hanson. "It is much easier to murder and rob, they believe, than to barter with a foreigner over the tribute for safe delivery on the American side. Guides take only small parties and carry their prospective prey up the Rio Grande through a wild strip of country. Unarmed and suspecting no danger, the simple Europeans are not given even a fighting chance for their life, their guides believing that only death will silence their tongues."

The "coyotes," as Captain Hanson refers to the guides, then return to take another party and if any questions are asked they simply state that the party has been safely carried across the river, with no one to deny their statement.

Captain Hanson said that there is no way to check up on the aliens and the friends of the Europeans have no recourse but to believe the words of the guides that they have carried out their agreement to cross the border with the party.

The immigration inspector believes that the bodies of many aliens have been buried in the sands on the banks of the Rio Grande where there is no chance for the dead bodies to work loose from their fastenings in the river bed. He stated that there were 200 aliens on the Mexican border waiting to be smuggled across.

**NEFF MAY VETO
APPROPRIATIONS**

**Governor Strikes Back at Solons
Who Scored Him for Being
Absent.**

Austin, Tex., May 26.—Governor Neff today told Lieutenant Governor Davidson and all other legislative callers that if the legislature did not show signs of "doing something" by Monday he would veto all appropriation bills Tuesday, and then it would be up to the lawmaking body to get busy. That he may say something in "talking back" far more caustic than he even attempted in his Dallas statement was also indicated plainly. Also, the governor is "righteously indignant" over the fact that legislators who clamored for his return to Austin voted in both house and senate to adjourn until within a few hours after he got back from West Texas to the executive office.

Talks to Members.

All these things and many others the governor outlined in his talks with at least a score of the members of both branches of the legislature. Since early yesterday morning the governor has been besieged in person and by letter to approve this or that appropriation bill. To a friend of the livestock sanitary commission, who brought an appeal from Chairman Boog-Scott for his signature to a \$15,000 emergency appropriation bill voted by the legislature, the governor emphatically shook his head. "There it is in the window with all the rest of the appropriations," he answered. "Not one of them will get by without definite action by the legislature in the matter of taking care of the task that confronts the members."

Callers declared the governor resents the fact that he was criticized openly for having gone away from Austin, and that when he did get back on the job a majority of the members hastily voted to go home.

May Send Message With Heat.

In the event the appropriation bills are vetoed the governor is expected to send to the legislature a message with heat in it. It is known that Governor Neff firmly believes he has the legislature "on the hip," with a firm hold above, and that public sentiment is clearly and unmistakably with him. His "come-back" at his critics has brought a flood of commendation from over the state, and, nerved by this, it is felt he is ready to use a broadax where he used a walking cane.

The governor is not inclined to veto a part of the appropriation bills, or trim them, but would veto all and leave the entire matter of adjustment with the legislature.

Various appropriation bills now on the governor's hands subject to veto aggregate \$39,000,000, of which \$18,500,000 does not become available until the second year, beginning Sept. 1, 1924.

Notice of Estray.

The State of Texas, County of Houston.

Taken up by Tom Frizzell and estrayed before E. M. Callier, Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Houston County, one black mare, about 12 years old, roach mane, small white spot on nose, about 14 hands high, no brand. Appraised at Twelve Dollars.

The owner of said stock is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take the same away, or it will be dealt with as the law directs.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this the 26th day of May, 1923. W. D. Collins, Clerk, County Court, Houston County.

Dr. J. N. McClendon Found Dead in Office.

Groveton was shocked Thurs-

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day morning near noon by the finding of the body of Dr. J. N. McClendon in his office over the Magee building. As far as can be definitely learned, the doctor was last seen some time Tuesday. He was not at home either Tuesday or Wednesday nights, and his whereabouts were unknown until Hood Womack entered his office Thursday morning, finding him, as he first thought, asleep, but discovering that he had been dead some time. He was sitting in a chair, with his head on the desk, facing a north window, his arms hanging down.

Inquest was held by Justice Peters and Dr. Devine. No evidence of any foul play was found. From the condition of the body, it was apparent that Dr. McClendon probably died

some time Tuesday, and had been dead over twenty-four hours when found.

The deceased leaves a wife, and two daughters, Misses Bertha and Nina McClendon, both of whom are away at school. He was born and raised in this county, near Centralia, and had been a practicing physician in the county several years. He was about 51 or 25 years old.—Groveton News.

During the last ten years in Southern Oregon and Northern California, the Western pine beetle is estimated to have killed over \$3,600,000 worth of merchantable pine timber or fifty times as much as has been killed by fire in the same time.

Tell him that you saw his ad in the Courier.

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Protect your health, stock and property by getting rid of the flies, mosquitos, fleas, mites, moths, rats, roaches, ants, bed bugs, and many other such pests, by letting us fit you up with some of the best preparations put on the market, which we guarantee will do the work.

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The improved service will greatly facilitate the handling of passengers and freight between points on the W. B. T. & S. Ry., also between W. B. T. & S. Ry. and its various connections.

The mixed passenger and freight train which has been operated daily, except Sundays, will be discontinued and a straight passenger train operated daily will be put on, leaving Trinity at 8:30 a. m., arriving Colmesneil 12:10 p. m.; return trip, leave Colmesneil 12:30 p. m., and arrive Trinity 4:25 p. m. This train will make connections at Groveton, with G. L. & N. train No. 4 for Lufkin. At Corrigan, passengers will be able to move either north or south on the H. E. & W. T., having a few hours layover at Corrigan. At Colmesneil, passengers will be able to move southbound on the T. & N. O. for Beaumont and intermediate points, having a few hours layover between trains. On the return trip from Colmesneil, this train will make connection at Corrigan with the H. E. & W. T., permitting passengers to move south on that line and will also enable passengers arriving at Corrigan on the southbound H. E. & W. T. train to make direct connection for Groveton, Trinity, etc.

In addition to the regular passenger trains just mentioned, we will also operate a mixed train daily, except Sundays, both east and west bound, giving patrons of the line daily local freight service and also insure daily movement of carload freight, both inbound and outbound. The eastbound trains will leave Trinity at 8:45 a. m., making direct connection at Groveton with both passengers and freight for Lufkin and other points on the G. L. & N. Ry. At Corrigan, direct connection will be made with the H. E. & W. T. northbound passenger train and also will enable passengers to move south from Corrigan on the H. E. & W. T. with a few hours layover at Corrigan. Arriving Colmesneil at 2:50 p. m., passengers will be able to move south on the T. & N. O. for Beaumont and in-



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Crockett, Texas.

intermediate points.

The westbound mixed train will leave Colmesneil at 6:00 a. m., connecting at Corrigan with both the northbound and southbound H. E. & W. T. passenger trains and local freight trains. At Groveton, direct connection will be made with the G. L. & N. Ry. northbound train for Lufkin on both passenger and freight. Arriving at Trinity 12:20 p. m., this train will enable passengers to make connection with the I-G. N. Ry. north and south bound Sunshine Special and northbound local passenger train No. 4.

It is noticeable that in the operation of a mixed train daily, except Sunday, both eastbound and westbound improved service can be given less carload and carload freight and provide additional passenger service. Not only does this greatly improve service between points on the W. B. T. & S. Ry. but also improves service on traffic moving between points on the W. B. T. & S. Ry. and points on our connections through the junctions named.

On the main line, Weldon to Livingston, through Trinity, there will be no change in the week day train; the same schedule to be followed out in this instance. The Sunday schedule on this line, however, has been changed; straight passenger service will be continued, train leaving Trinity at 7:30 a. m., arriving Livingston 9:15 a. m.; return trip, leave Livingston 9:30 a. m., arriving Trinity 11:15 a. m.; leaving Trinity 11:20 a. m., arriving Weldon 12:10 p. m.; return trip, leave Weldon 12:20 p. m., arriving Trinity 1:15 p. m. This will enable passengers from Livingston, Onalaska, etc., to make connections with the northbound and southbound I-G. N. Sunshine Special, also the northbound and southbound local passenger trains Nos. 3 and 4. Weldon passengers will be able to make connections at Trinity with the I-G. N. north and southbound Sunshine Special and northbound local train No. 4.

This new schedule is being put out with the main idea of improving its service and every possible effort will be put forth to see that trains are moved on time.

**FIRESTONE OUT OF
THE ASSOCIATION**

Washington, May 18.—Announcement was made today at the Washington office of Harvey S. Firestone, president of the Firestone Tire and Rubber Company, of the company's resignation as a member of the Rubber Association of America.

The letter of resignation, signed by Mr. Firestone and addressed to Mr. A. L. Viles, general manager of the Rubber Association of America, very plainly states Mr. Firestone's reasons for the company's withdrawal from the national organization. Mr. Firestone's letter follows:

"In behalf of the Firestone Tire and Rubber Company I hereby tender, for the attention of your board of directors, its resignation as a member of the Rubber Association of America. This action is taken only after mature consideration and with greatest reluctance. The failure of your organization to cope with the major problems of the association, especially the crisis created by the rubber restriction act, has impelled this action.

"In the beginning this company called your attention to the laws and has ever since urged you to action. You appointed a committee to confer with the rubber growers. We protested that this would be a waste of time. Months have elapsed—the rubber growers have urged more strict enforcement of the laws. Nothing has been accomplished.

"Feeling this would be the result, we have been doing everything in our power to bring about a protest to the British government through the proper channels available. We have not

had your co-operation. We have had only your continued opposition.

"Immediately after the failure of your negotiations with the rubber growers, the writer appeared before your board and asked their co-operation with the work outlined by the Washington conference. You unanimously refused and circularized your membership to that effect. You withheld from your membership notice of the fact that at the same meeting in my absence, you were unanimously of the opinion that Secretary Hoover's suggestion of a rubber buying organization to combat the British monopoly of rubber production 'would be unwise and ineffective.' Nor did you advise your membership that at the same meeting you appropriated \$5,000 of the association's funds to employ a publicity agency to use trade papers and general press to 'quiet any misapprehension' that existed as to the Rubber Association's viewpoint on the restriction laws.

"The United States government has recognized the problem as vital, affecting both our peace prosperity and war security, and has appropriated a substantial fund for the investigation of a safe and adequate source of supply.

"This company desires to do everything in its power to further this worthy project and to continue the agitation for the repeal of the British laws. We have been aware of your opposition, even of your direct appeal to the membership to have nothing to do with our efforts, but when you employ the funds of the association—a substantial portion of which this company contributes—to actively oppose by systematic and organized publicity our efforts to secure the repeal of the laws and better conditions for the rubber industry and the consumers of rubber products, there apparently remains no choice.

"It is with great regret that

**HARTFORD
TIRE and TUBE**

THE Hartford "H" Tread Fabric Tire won its place with the light car owner long before most of the tires of the present day were heard of. They have never been the lowest in price because they have always been honest in value. Right now they cost no more than many brands that have little or no reputation back of them. There's a Hartford Dealer near you. Look him up.

HARTFORD RUBBER WORKS CO.
1790 Broadway New York

the writer notifies you of this decision. Especially in view of the fact that he had the honor of being president of the association during the reorganization period and has always had in mind the high purpose for the good of the industry and the American public it might serve."

Contrary to a prevalent opinion, the pig, although a greedy feeder, thoroughly appreciates a bed of clean straw and a bath.

Canoes are not now so commonly used on the sea because some of the Indians use motor boats.

WACO, BEAUMONT, TRINITY & SABINE RY. CO.

Announces Improved Passenger and Freight Service
Effective June 3, 1923.

In line with the general policy of the W. B. T. & S. Ry. Co. to improve conditions on its line as much as possible, we take pleasure in announcing one of the most important steps toward this end will be made by the inauguration of new train service. It is hoped that our efforts in this respect will meet with the approval of the communities along its lines and that they will exercise the same spirit of co-operation toward the W. B. T. & S. Ry. Co. as the W. B. T. & S. Ry. Co. is endeavoring to exercise toward the communities it serves.

Effective 12:01 a. m., June 3rd, 1923, improved train service will be inaugurated as per schedule shown below:

Sabine Division			
(Read Up)			
	Train 8 Passenger Daily		Train 24 Mixed Daily (Except Sunday)
Colmesneil	Ar. 12:10 p. m.		Ar. 2:50 p. m.
Corrigan	Lv. 10:38 a. m.		Lv. 12:25 p. m.
Corrigan	Ar. 10:35 a. m.		Ar. 11:55 a. m.
Groveton	Lv. 9:40 a. m.		Lv. 10:37 a. m.
Trinity	Lv. 8:30 a. m.		Lv. 8:45 a. m.

(Read Down)			
	Train 9 Passenger Daily		Train 23 Mixed Daily (Except Sunday)
Colmesneil	Lv. 12:30 p. m.		Lv. 6:00 a. m.
Corrigan	Ar. 2:05 p. m.		Ar. 8:35 a. m.
Corrigan	Lv. 2:20 p. m.		Lv. 9:05 a. m.
Groveton	Lv. 3:25 p. m.		Lv. 10:37 a. m.
Trinity	Ar. 4:25 p. m.		Ar. 12:20 p. m.

The Rexall Store

One Cent Sale

Chamberlain's Drug Store

PURETEST ZINC STEARATE

The new hygienic dusting powder for babies. Will not only heal diaper rash but will prevent it, because this powder sheds moisture. Eases the smart of the wet diaper on the raw chafed surface of baby's delicate skin and makes baby smile again. Generous sized can with convenient metal sprinkler top.

Standard Price	This Sale
One Can 25c	Two Cans 26c

Other Puretest Products

69c Aspirin Tablets (100's) 2 for 70c
 15c Boric Acid, Powdered .2 for 16c
 25c Cascara Sagrada Arom .2 for 26c
 25c Castor Oil (4 oz.) .2 for 26c
 35c Cream of Tartar .2 for 36c
 10c Epsom Salt (4 oz.) .2 for 11c
 25c Epsom Salt (16 oz.) .2 for 26c
 35c Glycerine Sup. (Adult) .2 for 36c
 1.00 Mineral Oil (Rus. Type) 2 for 1.01
 50c No. 6 Disinfectant .2 for 51c

HOUSEHOLD REMEDIES AND TOILET GOODS

50c Analgesic Balm .2 for 51c
 35c Antiseptic Tooth Powder 2 for 36c
 25c Cedar Chest Com. .2 for 26c
 30c Cold Cream .2 for 31c
 25c Corn Solvent .2 for 26c
 35c Sulphur and Cream of Tartar Lozenges (100's) .2 for 36c
 50c Dyspepsia Tablets .2 for 51c
 25c Foot Powder .2 for 26c
 15c Hand Soap .2 for 16c
 50c Kidney Pills .2 for 51c
 25c Larkspur Lotion .2 for 26c
 1.00 Sarsaparilla Tonic .2 for 1.01
 60c Shaving Lotion .2 for 61c
 25c Tooth Paste, Imp. .2 for 26c

BOUQUET RAMEE FACE POWDER

An exceptionally high grade complexion powder. Adheres to the skin. Contains a bouquet of rose, jasmine, heliotrope and lilac odors. Comes in three tints.

Standard Price	This Sale
One Box \$1.00	Two Boxes \$1.01

LIGGETT'S DELICIOUS MILK CHOCOLATE

The finest sweet Milk Chocolate. A food as well as a confection. Molded in small squares for convenient eating.

Standard Price	This Sale
1/2 lb. Cake 35c	Two Cakes 36c

60c Fancy Hard Candies (1 lb.) .2 for 61c
 50c Wrapped Caramels (1 lb) 2 for 51c
 5c Gum, four different flavors 2 for 6c
 5c Mints, five different flavors 2 for 6c

KLENZO DENTAL CREME

Cleans and whitens the teeth. Hardens the gums. Removes tartar. Does not scratch the teeth. You can have beautiful teeth by using Klenzo.

Standard Price	This Sale
One Tube 50c	Two Tubes 51c

REXALL SHAVING CREAM

Produces a thick creamy lather. Will stand up on your face throughout the shave.

Standard Price	This Sale
One Tube 30c	Two Tubes 31c

Next Thursday, Friday and Saturday

JUNE 7, 8 AND 9, 1923

WHAT IS A ONE-CENT SALE? It is a sale where you buy an item at the regular price—then another item of the same kind for 1c. As an illustration: The standard price of Jonteel Combination Cream is 50c. You buy a jar at this price, and by paying 1c more, or 51c, you get two jars. Every article in this sale is a high-class standard piece of merchandise, just the same as we sell you every day at regular prices and have sold you for years.

A NEW WAY OF ADVERTISING This sale was developed by the United Drug Co. as an advertising plan. Rather than spend large sums of money in other ways to convince you of the merit of these goods, they are spending it on this sale in permitting us to sell you a full-size package of high standard merchandise for 1c. It costs money to get customers. The loss taken on this sale will be well spent if the goods please you.

Where Your Pennies Do the Work of Dollars

JONTEEL COMBINATION CREAM

Keeps the skin soft, smooth and beautiful. An ideal base for face powder. So refreshing at night. Protects the skin against the weather. A cream with many uses. Delightfully perfumed with the wonderful Jonteel Odor. New screw cap jar.

Standard Price	This Sale
One Jar 50c	Two Jars 51c

TOILET GOODS

50c Arbutus Com. Cream .2 for 51c
 50c Bouquet Ramee Talc .2 for 51c
 50c Cocoa Butter Cold Cream 2 for 51c
 60c Daxira Talcum Powder .2 for 61c
 1.00 Harmony Lilac Vegetal 2 for 1.01
 50c Harmony Coconut Oil Shampoo .2 for 51c
 50c Harmony Rolling Massage Cream .2 for 51c
 50c Jonteel Cold Cream .2 for 51c
 1.00 Jonteel Double Vanity Case (3 color combinations) .2 for 1.01

GOODFORM HAIR NETS

They fit. Nets of the highest quality and carefully selected.

Double Mesh	
Standard Price	This Sale
One Net 15c	Two Nets 16c

Single Mesh	
Standard Price	This Sale
One Net 10c	Two Nets 11c

GEORGIA ROSE TALC

A real high quality talcum powder, made from genuine imported talc. The generous quantity of real attar of rose in every can gives it a wonderful rosy fragrance like the flower itself. Beautifully decorated can with the convenient "Klik-tite" cap.

Standard Price	This Sale
One Can 25c	Two Cans 26c

MAXIMUM HOT WATER BOTTLE

A high quality bottle. Molded all in one piece and guaranteed for one year.

Standard Price	This Sale
One Bottle \$2.00	Two Bottles \$2.01

Maximum Fountain Syringes are of the same quality, carry the same guarantee, sell regularly at \$2.00 each and are likewise offered on this sale at Two for \$2.01.

TOILET GOODS

25c Medicated Skin Soap .2 for 26c
 30c Rexall Shaving Powder .2 for 31c
 30c Rexall Shaving Stick .2 for 31c
 15c Rexall Toilet Soap .2 for 16c
 50c Riker's Cream of Roses (both flesh and white) .2 for 51c
 25c Rikers Peroxzone Cream 2 for 26c
 1.00 Truflor Toilet Water (5 odors) .2 for 1.01

BRUSHES AND SUNDRIES

1.35 Flashlight, fibre case .2 for 1.36
 1.50 Flashlight, nickel case 2 for 1.51
 1.50 Hair Brush, Ladies' Style (rubber cushion) .2 for 1.51
 1.50 Hair Brush, assorted .2 for 1.51
 75c Hair Brush, assorted .2 for 76c
 35c Tooth Brush, assorted .2 for 36c
 15c Velour Powder Puff (3 in. dia.) .2 for 16c
 25c Wool Powder Puff (3 in. dia.) .2 for 26c

CASCADE LINEN

One pound in a package. We also have envelopes to match. A good quality of writing paper and always in the best of taste.

Standard Price	This Sale
One Lb. 40c.	Two Lbs. 41c

"NINETY-THREE" HAIR TONIC

promotes the growth, health and beauty of the hair. It stimulates the roots and improves the circulation and nutrition of the scalp tissues. A real Hair Tonic. It is not sticky or mussy. Has a pleasant odor and is easy to apply.

Standard Price	This Sale
One Bottle \$1.00	Two Bottles \$1.01

STATIONERY AND HOUSEHOLD NEEDS

10c Carryall Bag .2 for 11c
 75c Le Claire (Deckle edge) Stationery .2 for 76c
 50c Lord Baltimore Stationery .2 for 51c
 3.50 Signet Pen .2 for 3.51
 3.50 Signet Pencil .2 for 3.51
 10c Writing Tablet, 45 sheets, note size .2 for 11c
 40c Maximum Pocket Comb, all coarse, also coarse and fine .2 for 41c
 75c Victoria Ladies' Comb, all coarse, also coarse and fine .2 for 76c
 12c Firstaid Zinc Oxide Adhesive Plaster, 1 inch by 1 yard .2 for 13c
 40c Firstaid Zinc Oxide Adhesive Plaster, 1 inch by 5 yards .2 for 41c

SYMPHONY CHARME STATIONERY

Very high grade writing paper and envelopes. Fancy finish with gilt and novelty edges. White and tints. 24 sheets of paper and 24 envelopes in beautiful art box.

Standard Price	This Sale
One Box \$1.00	Two Boxes \$1.01

GOOD QUALITY PACKAGE CHOCOLATES

from our regular stock. So good you will want at least two boxes. One box at the regular price and another box of the same identical kind for only 1c more. The supply will not last long. First come first served.

The Rexall Store

B. F. CHAMBERLAIN

Reg. No. 8070

PRESCRIPTION DRUGGIST

CROCKETT

TEXAS

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Miss Johnnie Patton is visiting in Dallas.

Mrs. W. G. Cartwright is visiting in Houston.

Miss Alice Henry has returned to her home at Del Rio.

Hunter Smith will move his family from Athens to Crockett.

Miss Eslie Barron of Lovelady is the guest of Miss Lucia Painter.

W. B. Cook, formerly farm demonstration agent for Houston county, has been selected as farm demonstration agent for the I.-G. N. railway system.

CROCKETT THEATRE

First Night Show Starts at 7:45 p. m. Promptly

PROGRAM FOR WEEK OF JUNE 4 TO 9

MONDAY, JUNE 4

Margery Wilson in "WILD SUMAC"

A thrilling story of the northwest—of the rescue of a pretty girl by an exile.

TUESDAY, JUNE 5

Alice Calhoun Makes a Charming Arabian Girl in "ONE STOLEN NIGHT"

A story of brave deeds, strong loves, mystery and daring feats of horsemanship. The lure and romance of the desert drew Diantha on, but jewels and costly gifts were not enough to induce Diantha to wed the sheik. Matinee 3:30.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6

"YELLOW MEN AND GOLD" With Helene Chadwick and Richard Dix

A throbbing drama of tropical adventure! The struggle of strong men in pursuit of gold. Ruthless rovers of the earth whose lives are steeped in drama.

THURSDAY, JUNE 7

"MAN-WOMAN-MARRIAGE" Starring Dorothy Phillips

You'll see her as woman triumphant; the mate of a cave-man fierce in her love; the gorgeous Amazon ruling by Mother-Right. You'll sob with her as woman failing; the slave girl weeping midst barbaric beauties of Pagan Courts; the helpless bride of mediaeval days. You'll cheer her as woman uprising; the mother of today, fighting again the battle of her sex, routing evil forces, struggling from the man-schakles of marriage to a new triumph of Mother Right.

FRIDAY, JUNE 8

Adolph Zukor Presents Agnes Ayres in "A DAUGHTER OF LUXURY"

When a petted daughter of luxury is left suddenly with nothing in the world but the gorgeous gown which adorns her charming back—it's time for quick action. Maybe she'll act rashly, and plunge pell-mell into a turbulent tangle of adventure and love. Come and see!

SATURDAY, JUNE 9

Lon Chaney in "FLESH AND BLOOD"

Supported by an all star cast, including Edith Roberts, Jack Mulhall, Noah Berry and others. See the man with a thousand faces—the greatest character actor on the screen, Lon Chaney, in his finest performance. Follow him as the escaped convict who resorts to crutches to escape the law. See "Flesh and Blood," and marvel over its kinship to life. A real big super-special, one day only. Admission 20 and 40c. Matinee 2:30. Special music at night.

Miss Cressie Jones of Grape-land is the guest of relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Fain and children are visiting relatives in Galveston.

M. Bromberg has installed a modern, sanitary drinking fountain in his store.

Lanier Edmiston and Tom Jordan made a business trip to Dallas last week.

Miss Nell Beasley has returned from Orange, where she spent the past school term.

S. L. Murchison and Oscar Maxwell have returned from a business trip to Dallas.

Miss Audry Lattimer, who has been teaching in Lufkin, is visiting Mrs. H. J. Phillips.

Frank Wootters is at home from the Texas University medical college at Galveston.

Miss Irma and Hulamae English of Kennard were Crockett visitors Thursday morning.

T. J. Waller of the firm of Waller & Green was a business visitor in Houston last week.

We are showing the best lines of work clothes and shoes.

Millar & Berry.

Miss Bella Lipscomb, having finished her school in Orange, has returned to her home in this city.

Mrs. W. W. Lively has gone to Del Rio to spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. A. N. Henry.

J. H. Smith, with headquarters in Dallas, spent Saturday and Sunday with his family in this city.

For Sale.

Cheap—one Ford auto trailer. See W. A. Daniel. 1t.

Miss Beth Lundy has returned from teaching at Jacksonville, but will leave soon to visit in Austin and San Antonio.

R. H. Wootters and daughter, Corrie Mildred, of San Antonio have been spending the week with relatives in this city.

W. D. Hail, John Franklin Shivers and Mack McConnell were at home from A. & M. College Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Eastham Jr. and daughter of Huntsville spent Saturday and Sunday as guests of Mrs. Frankie Edmiston.

To see perfectly, see Dr. Sheller at W. P. Bishop's drug store, Saturday, June 9th. Eyes examined, glasses fitted, prices right. 3t.

Miss Hulamae English, following her graduation from the Crockett high school, returned Saturday morning to her home in Kennard.

Mrs. F. P. Chandler and little son and daughter have returned to their home in Houston after a pleasant visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Berry.

Shoe Repairing.

Let us replace or put the rubber heels on men's or ladies' shoes. Give us a trial. 2t. Tunstall Shoe Shop.

A. M. Decuir, who has a road building contract in Frio county, spent the week-end with his family in Crockett. He is constructing a part of the highway between San Antonio and Laredo.

Mr. and Mrs. William Vanderwerth will return to Bryan. Mr. Vanderwerth has been employed on the Courier since last September and his services have been of great value. He and his most estimable wife carry the best wishes of the Courier with them.

Coming Again.

Dr. G. Ward Sheller, Optometrist of Dallas, will be at Bishop's drug store again Saturday, June the 9th. Eyes examined, glasses fitted, prices right. 2t.

Gone to Chicago.

Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Latham left Wednesday for Chicago, where the doctor goes in pursuit of professional study. Dr. and Mrs. Latham were recently married in Palestine. Before marriage Mrs. Latham was Mrs. Nella Calhoun. They have the best wishes of their friends for a pleasurable and profitable trip.

Notice.

Having sold our saw and planing mill, at Cut, Texas, we will retire from the saw mill and lumber business, and will cancel our charter, and do hereby appoint H. Brooke as our agent to close the affairs of the company, who will collect all accounts and bills due us, and will settle all claims against the company of whatsoever nature.

Brooke-Morris Lumber Co. 3t. By H. Brooke, President.

Interesting Recitals.

The expression class of Miss Otice McConnell gave a recital in the high school auditorium Wednesday night of last week. On Thursday night the graduation exercises of the high school were held in the auditorium and on Friday night the music class of Miss Jennie McLean gave a recital. Saturday night the class in esthetic dancing of Miss Jennie Arledge gave a program. These recitals and programs were all very interesting and very much enjoyed by those in attendance.

Mrs. W. F. Murchison.

Mrs. W. F. Murchison died at her home in Grapeland Thursday night of last week. Funeral services were held Friday afternoon and interment occurred in the cemetery between Grapeland and Augusta. Mrs. Murchison was a daughter of Rev. J. P. Faris, formerly pastor of a Cumberland Presbyterian church near Augusta. She was born in 1868, married in 1886, was a member of the Presbyterian church more than forty years and was the mother of nine children, six of them living and present at the funeral. She was a devoted wife and mother, a kind and charitable neighbor and a true Christian.

IS CHRISTIANITY DEAD?

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, who is in this country lecturing on spirit communication and exhibiting what he claims are spirit photographs, says "Christianity is dead." And the reason he gives is the "failure of Christianity to stop the great war."

By the same reasoning Sir Arthur might conclude that "God is dead," inasmuch as He did not stop the war or because He does not put an end to all human selfishness and wrong.

It is a common mistake to lay the blame for conditions in the world upon some form of universal truth or belief rather than upon the failure of those who profess such a belief to practice it. Christianity is no more to blame for not stopping the war than the sun is to blame for not shining on a man who goes into a dark room and shuts his eyes.

Christianity is not dead, but human beings who are not practicing its love and light are dead. As the great Apostle says: "For I am not ashamed of the Gospel; for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth."

That power is the most living force in the world today. But it cannot express itself except through those who believe, any more than an electric radio message can express itself without a wire and a radio contact.—Christian Herald.

Advertise it in the Courier.

The Retail Price of

1 10-qt. Water bucket	30c
5 Bars of Luna Soap	25c
3 Bars of P. & G. Soap	25c
3 Dozen of spring clothes pins	25c
3 Boxes Washing Powder	15c
Total	\$1.20

Our price on this assortment is

\$1.00

Nobody ever got to be famous by inventing excuse. Take advantage of our low prices.

Caprielian Bros.

We Deliver

Phone 104

AMERICAN LEGION OFFERS ASSISTANCE

Crockett, Texas, May 30, 1923.

Mr. O. B. Hale, Sheriff Houston County, Texas.

Dear Sir:

At a called meeting of our local post American Legion last Monday evening, it was voted unanimously to offer you the services of the membership of the post as a whole and of each member individually in the future as the need may appear to you and you may make the call in making arrests and in keeping the peace.

We can fully appreciate the fine spirit which has prompted our peace officers in the past to shoulder the whole responsibility of handling the difficult and dangerous situations with which they have been confronted; but we think the recent tragic death of your brave and able first deputy, Jesse English, has accentuated the need of a closer cooperation between the citizens and the sheriff in cases of emergency.

We realize also that a large posse is more difficult to control and in some instances is less dependable than a smaller and more experienced body of men accustomed to act together. We think, however, that if you will from time to time avail yourself of this offer and call upon the undersigned officers of this post, that dependable assistance can be furnished you for such extraordinary occasions as may arise as will greatly lessen the danger of the officers concerned being killed and of those whose capture is being sought offering resistance.

Respectfully submitted in behalf of the post.

R. R. Morrison, Commander, Thos. R. Brailsford Post, American Legion. Earl Bryan, Adjutant.

Leaving for Virginia.

Mrs. Frankie Edmiston and daughter, Janie Elizabeth, are leaving today (Wednesday) for Huntsville to spend a few days with Mrs. Edmiston's sister, Mrs. Luther Eastham Jr., before going to the old home town in Virginia, Culpeper, to make their home. Crockett regrets losing this most estimable family, but wishes them the most abundant success and happiness in their Virginia home. It is also hoped that they may return to Crockett some day to again reside.

FARMING EXPERT IS APPOINTED BY I.-G. N. PRESIDENT

W. B. COOK, COLLEGE STATION, TO ASSUME NEW DUTIES ON JUNE 1.

In order to foster agricultural development in Southeast Texas, the International-Great Northern railroad has secured the services of W. B. Cook, an expert from College Station, who becomes agricultural agent of the railroad effective June 1, President T. A. Hamilton announced Friday.

"There is much cut-over and other undeveloped land along the lines of the International-Great Northern where climatic and soil conditions are exceptionally favorable for farming," Mr. Hamilton explained in making the announcement, "and for some time we have been trying to obtain some one fully qualified to handle such development work."

Cook's Work Praised.

"We have been fortunate, after asking the officials at College Station for recommendations, to secure the services of Mr. Cook, for a number of years a member of the college faculty in its extension service."

"It is our intention to carefully investigate the soil and climatic conditions along our lines where there is room for development and also do what we can with Mr. Cook's aid in aiding and assisting farmers in the solution of their problems."

"Mr. Cook comes to us with the highest recommendations and we have no doubt but that he will be of great service both to the railroad and to the State in fostering agricultural development in this section."

Assumes Duties June 1.

Mr. Cook is a native Texan, coming from Brazos county, where he was identified with agricultural work in all of its various phases. He assumes his new duties June 1 and will remove to Houston and have his headquarters in the executive offices of the railroad here.

President Hamilton returned from San Antonio Friday and stated that the work of placing heavy rail and new ballast is making rapid progress. He showed several photographs of the road's entrance in Austin taken before and after the rehabilitation work which indicated that the roadbed in that vicinity now is in excellent condition.—Houston Post.

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W. W. AIKEN, Editor and Proprietor

PUBLISHER'S NOTICE.

Obituaries, resolutions, cards of thanks and other matter not "news" will be charged for at the rate of 10c 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.

BRYAN IN PRESBYTERIAN POLITICS.

The Presbyterians, we almost fear, either by predestination or election, have fallen into the hands of the gold standard wing of the church. The general assembly at Indianapolis one day last week not only defeated Brother William Jennings Bryan for moderator, but, in the vernacular of the day, not found in the Presbyterian creed, rolled him good and plenty.

Brother Bryan made the race, to be sure, upon the issue of a protest against the doctrine of evolution, rather than on the issue of prohibition or free silver. But the assembly appears to have enlightened him as to the good old doctrine of taking religion into politics. For that body taught the Nebraska commoner a thing or two about the political game.

Having defeated Colonel Bryan for moderator, Dr. Charles F. Wishart, the successful candidate, showed no symptoms of having a desire to turn the victory back to the Bryan party by giving the colonel the best committee appointment on the list. It has been customary, it appears, for the defeated candidate for moderator to land at the head of the important committee of "bills and overtures." That committee in the Presbyterian assembly seems to be akin to the committee on rules in the house of representatives or the committee on finance in the senate. Did Mr. Bryan get it? He did not. He was appointed on a committee similar in importance, we should say, to that of the committee on ventilation in a State legislature. And Mr. Bryan refused the offer of peace and harmony and kicked up a row that threatened for a time to establish the need of President Harding's world court.

Not even when Brother Bryan intimated that he would be satisfied to accept the position of vice moderator did Dr. Wishart come across. He informed the old prophet of Lincoln that the place already had been filled, as much as to say, perhaps, that the place had been filled before the election. Anyway, Brother Bryan didn't get it. They taught the man who sent David Bennett Hill and Richard Croker to the mat for the count in the Chicago convention of 1896, and who took the nomination out of Champ Clark's pocket and handed it to Wilson at Baltimore in 1912, a trick or two about handling conventions. However much the gold standard wing of the party may sympathize or oppose the doctrine of evolution, it certainly did make a monkey of Mr. Bryan, so far as Presbyterian politics go.—Kansas City Star.

Miss Irmgrade Richards, a Montana rancher, has sailed for Argentina with a herd of forty goats for a government agricultural school.

Miss Titta, first Hindu woman to be admitted to the bar, belongs to one of the richest and most influential families in India.

GENERAL BUSINESS
OUTLOOK IMPROVED
BY MARKET GAINSBELIEF IS GROWING THAT
FALL WILL USHER IN
BETTER CONDITIONS.

New York, May 27. — A change in sentiment rather than in underlying conditions marked the past week in the country's leading financial markets. While more favorable sentiment with regard to the general business outlook doubtless has been induced, to a certain extent at least, by the pronounced recovery in the stock market, there is evidence also that a more sober examination of the facts has had its effect.

Advices from the steel trade have been reassuring, commodity markets have firmed up, renewed interest in metals has been reported and railroad freight traffic has further expanded. Mercantile trade agencies, furthermore, while still clinging to caution in their reports, are more prone to attribute such slackening as has appeared in trade to natural seasonal influences.

Pace Too Rapid.

Business is coming around to recognize what has been patent for some time, namely, that the pace has been a bit too rapid to be maintained without interruption. Buying is now more for current needs than for the future, but the belief is growing that with the summer digestive period over, demand will become more insistent. What the fall will bring remains to be seen and much depends on how the labor situation shapes itself.

Even the latter is not without its ray of hope. While strikes and threats of strikes undoubtedly are becoming more frequent and the week has brought further wage increases, notably on a large railroad system, it is known that labor leaders, particularly in the building trades, are showing a more conciliatory spirit. It would appear that announcement of abandonment of building plans is having a salutary effect on those guiding labor's destinies.

Consumption Is Large.

That goods still are going into consumption in large volume is shown by the weekly car-loading statistics. The latest figures available, those for the week ended May 12, show a total of 974,531 cars loaded with revenue freight.

This not only established a high record for all time for this season of the year, but comes within 4 per cent of the peak of traffic recorded in the first week of last November. Meanwhile, earnings statements covering operations during the month of April, for the roads that have reported so far, show that net income is running somewhat below that for the previous month, but is substantially higher than last year.

Making allowances for the fact that there are fewer working days in April than in March, net income, in the opinion of most railroad authorities, should show a percentage earned on valuation equal to if not higher than that for March, which was 5.84 per cent. That net income is not higher, in view of the heavy car loadings, is due to a large extent to increased expenditures for deferred maintenance and for new equipment.

The situation in the steel industry pretty well epitomizes that for industry in general. Steel men say that too much stress has been placed on the slackness of forward buying. They point out that the mills are operating close to the high rate for the year and that business on their books is sufficient to keep them running for a long time to come.

New bookings for many of the mills, furthermore, is almost as

large as the volume they are shipping out. Automobile output also continues to exceed earlier predictions.

Commodity markets have shown more strength. This is specially true of cotton. Late planting and unfavorable growing weather have brought reduced private estimates of the crop and its condition.

Some claim that even with a 10 per cent increase in the acreage the crop may not exceed 12,500,000 bales.

Cotton Rises Sharply.

At any rate, strong speculative buying and heavy covering movement in the old crop months brought a sharp rise during the week. Profit-taking appeared on the bulge, as was natural, but it was well absorbed.

Short covering also was the chief factor in wheat on fears of a smaller yield, due to bad weather conditions.

Money has been fairly abundant and cheap despite recent government financing, although no actual changes in rates have occurred. Those in close touch with banking circles say that inability to place all available funds has resulted in reinvestment in securities by some institutions. Firmness in the bond market tends to confirm these reports.

SHAVE AND HAIRCUT
FOR TWO CENTS AND
HALF IN FAR JAPAN

Tokio, Japan.—Japan has the cheapest barber shop in the world. It charges 2c for a haircut and a half cent for a shave. It opened in 1900, with that tariff, and it has never raised the rates — although most other shops in Japan charge approximately the same prices as those in America.

Announcement

We have opened up a first-class garage in connection with our service station, and are in position to give you the BEST work in the QUICKEST time at the BEST price. All work is fully guaranteed, and we will keep our garage open from 6 a. m. until 10 p. m. each day.

Cars stored for the night for 25 cents.

Our new wash rack is now ready, located inside of the building where we can give you a first-class job.

Our gasoline, oil and tire business is showing a very substantial increase, and if you will give us a chance to serve you we feel sure you will be pleased with the quality and service found at our station.

Magnolia Filling Station

E. W. NULL, Proprietor

There are no Police Gazettes and funny magazines on the tables in this barber shop — which is in a little village in Central Japan. But Bible quotations are pasted on the mirrors, and Sunday school texts and colored pictures of Scriptural scenes are on the walls. The boss of this shop is known affectionately in the village as the "Honorable Christian Barber of Kind Heart."

"That is the reason my prices are low—I am a Christian," he said in an interview with a Japanese newspaper man. "I had much hardship in my youth, and

because of this adversity I became converted to Christianity. I had learned barbering, and I decided I would be just as kind to my fellowmen, and serve and shave them for just enough to enable me to live simply. The other barbers persecuted me, but, nevertheless, I have prospered even at my low prices, and I am very happy and I have all the world's goods I want."

New hosiery worn at the theater shows a front panel of one color set into a black stocking with a zigzag line where the two colors join.

Announcement

T. J. Waller, of the Waller & Green firm, having attended Dallas Embalming school for the past few weeks and having secured his Texas license by taking the examination Friday, May 25th, in Houston, is now prepared to do embalming.

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