

# The Crockett Courier.

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## SUNDAY ADDRESS BY HON. JOHN C. BOX

Judge John C. Box of Jacksonville will address a joint meeting of the Men's Bible classes of the different churches at Crockett next Sunday morning by invitation of the Methodist Men's Bible class, and the other classes have accepted an invitation to join in the meeting. The Men's Bible classes of the town of Crockett are all well attended, and interest in Bible study is growing. At a time when the Bible is being attacked so vigorously by the Fosdicks, the Heatons, the Darrows, and the Malones and others of their ilk, this interest among the laymen of the country in the preservation of the "Old Book" is a good sign of the times and will no doubt bring good results.

Judge Box is no stranger to our people. He is a native of this county, born and reared on a farm a few miles north of Crockett. He is a self-made man, and Houston county is proud of him. He now represents his district in congress and has been a member for several years and is making his impress on the records of that deliberative body. Judge Box is a very fine, attractive and forceful speaker, and has been a Bible student all his life. Texas can boast of no finer or better Christian citizen and gentleman. His subject next Sunday will be "The More Abundant Life."

A treat is in store for all those who may hear this splendid address. He expects to come here by private conveyance, will reach Crockett by 9:15 a. m., begin his address promptly at 9:30, return home as soon as his address is made, and expresses regrets that he cannot be with us longer. This is on account of the illness of his aged mother.

A reception committee composed of J. W. Young, G. Q. King, Riall McConnell and H. J. Trube has been appointed, and they will meet him at the Pickwick hotel on his arrival. The invitation to hear this address is not confined to the Bible classes of the town, but is extended to the public generally as well, and we hope to see a good attendance from the country and all will be welcome. Appropriate music will be rendered, and it is to be hoped that the occasion will be one of the deepest interest and that much good will be accomplished.

Do not fail to be on hand at the City Auditorium promptly at 9:30 so that you may not miss any of the exercises, all of which we are sure you will enjoy. Judge A. A. Aldrich will introduce the speaker.

### Mark King Winfree Dead.

Mark King Winfree, second son of Judge and Mrs. E. Winfree, former citizens of Crockett now residing in Austin, died in a sanitarium at Denver, Colo., on Wednesday of last week. Mark King had been a resident of Laramie, Wyo., for several years. He had gone there to accept employment as gauger with an oil company, and while so employed had graduated from the Wyoming university. Following his graduation from the university he studied law and had secured license to practice in the courts. He was a candidate last year for the office of district clerk at Laramie, but was unsuccessful. Following the

election in which he was defeated, his opponent offered him the place of deputy district clerk, which he accepted and which place he was holding at the time of his death. He was 26 years of age.

The remains were forwarded from Denver Friday evening, accompanied by Hon. Jo Ed Winfree of Houston, a brother of the deceased. Arriving in Crockett Sunday night, the remains were taken to the home of Mrs. I. A. Daniel, an aunt of the deceased, where they remained until Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Funeral services were held in the First Baptist church of Crockett at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon. Religious services were conducted by the Baptist pastor, Rev. A. S. Lee. An appropriate and beautiful talk was made by Rev. Dr. Ammons of Houston, a friend of the family who had come to attend the funeral. Interment was in Glenwood cemetery immediately following.

Mark King Winfree was born and reared in Crockett, and Crockett he always claimed as his home. Graduating from the Crockett schools, he became a student of Rice Institute at Houston, following which he sought employment in the Wyoming oil fields, where he was successful. He had many friends in Crockett, Houston and Austin who are grieved at his untimely death at a time when he was just beginning to realize his life's fondest ambitions. Educating himself for a lawyer, he had prepared himself to enter upon a brilliant career when overtaken and cut down by a cancerous malady of the throat. Those bereft have the sympathy of all Crockett people in their sadness.

## CHURCHES HAVE UNION SERVICES

The pastors of the city met on Monday morning at the home of Dr. Tenney to plan a schedule of night services for the months of July and August, having previously conferred with their respective congregations. The plan is to have services at but one church on Sunday night instead of at each church. All the people are invited to attend and give a house well filled rather than the smaller crowd at all the churches. This plan has never been tried in Crockett, but it has worked admirably elsewhere and we believe our people will be pleased with it. The following plan was adopted: July 5 at the Presbyterian church, Rev. C. A. Lehmborg in charge; July 12, at the Baptist church, Rev. A. Fitts in charge; July 19 at the Christian church, Rev. A. S. Lee in charge; July 26 at the Methodist church, children of the Waco orphanage in charge; August 2 at the Baptist church, Rev. C. A. Lehmborg in charge; August 9 at the Presbyterian church, Rev. A. S. Lee in charge; August 16 at the Christian church, Rev. C. A. Lehmborg in charge; August 23 at the Methodist church, Rev. A. Fitts in charge; August 30 at the Baptist church, Rev. A. S. Lee in charge.

The morning services will be held in each church as usual.

### Local Rains Continue.

The Courier learns that a good rain fell Wednesday over considerable land north of Crockett, greatly benefitting crops.

## GRAND SALINE ENDS RUN OF VICTORIES

The baseball fans of Crockett made Tuesday Wakefield-day in honor of Manager Buddy Wakefield. The business houses of town closed at 4:30 o'clock, that all might have an opportunity to attend the game.

Just before the game Mayor C. L. Edmiston gave a little expression of the appreciation of the city for the excellent record of the Crockett club and the able management of L. A. Wakefield, who was presented with a handsome gold watch as a gift of the supporters of the club.

Grand Saline was the visiting team for the day, opening a three-game series. Grand Saline did what eight clubs had failed to do, stop Crockett's winning streak, which had reached eighteen consecutive games. It was the fourth defeat for the local team in twenty-four games. One run was the margin of the loss, the score being 7 to 6.

A hit, a sacrifice and an error gave Crockett a lead in the first inning.

Rabe tied the score in the second with a home run.

In the second inning Minnick was safe on an error and took second on Monzingo's sacrifice. He scored on Snow's infield out when Rabe left the plate uncovered.

An error, a sacrifice and a single scored a run in the third and bad base-running cost two outs at the plate.

A second home run by Rabe, the Waxahachie High school star, in the fourth cut the margin, and a double, a single and an outfield error evened the score in the fifth.

Grand Saline made three hits, a sacrifice, an infield error, a base on balls and two passed balls count for four runs in the seventh. Snow was relieved by Lynum with two on and one out and gets credit for the loss, but Lynum gave up two hits and two runs.

Crockett rallied desperately in their half. Six hits scored three runs and bad base-running cost another. Richards was relieved by Faulkner with one out and Faulkner halted the rally. Richards was the winner.

Dorrell and Reynolds of the home club, and Faulkner and Rabe of the visitors, each got three hits. Lynum and Faulkner had little trouble with the batters after the seventh inning.

The line-ups were: Grand Saline—Boyd 2b, Faulkner ss-p, Hooks 1b, Gardner rf, Rabe c, Richards p-ss, Pinkerton 3b, Anders lf, Bridges cf; Crockett—Dorrell cf, Wakefield 3b, Reynolds ss, Barbee 2b, Powledge lf, Holleman rf, Davis rf, Minnick 1b, Monzingo c, Snow p, Lynum pitcher.

Score by innings: R. H. E. G. Saline 010 110 400 7 10 5 Crockett 111 000 300 6 14 5

### Mosquitos and Epidemics.

Crockett is in the throes of a mosquito epidemic. People living in screened houses are having their chimneys and fire places screened also. All are searching for the cause for so many mosquitos and different theories are advanced. Mr. W. R. Turner, city alderman in charge of anti-mosquito work, has asked the Courier to suggest that the people of Crockett run kerosene oil through their lavatories and commodes several

times daily in an effort to check the mosquitos. Many people are of the belief that mosquitos are breeding in the sewers and escaping through the manholes. Kerosene oil run through the lavatories and commodes will find its way into the sewers and help in relieving the mosquito situation, Mr. Turner thinks. The Courier has also heard complaint about the sewage disposal plant or septic tank not functioning properly. It is suggested that the company putting in the disposal plant be asked to send an expert here to put the plant in order and get it to functioning properly. A few dollars spent as a protection now is worth several thousand spent as a cure afterward.

## JUST A WORD WITH OUR SUBSCRIBERS

Callers during the last week report scattered showers in some sections, which are of much benefit to the cotton crop. Other sections are needing rain badly.

We lack one of having as many subscription renewals this week as we had last week. But what the list lacks in quantity it makes up in quality, and each one is appreciated by the Courier just as much as if there were more of them.

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

Fred Gardner, Fort Worth.  
O. Petersen, Fort Worth.  
W. C. Saxton, Ratcliff Rt. 1.  
C. B. Hallmark, Crockett Rt. Five.  
Otis Smith, Sanatorium, Texas.  
J. M. Jordan, Weldon.  
J. W. Arledge, Crockett Rt. 3.

## ROAD COMMITTEE HAS ORGANIZED

The Grapeland road committee met recently and organized, electing T. H. Leaverton, chairman, and W. G. Darsey, secretary. No treasurer was elected, as the county treasurer will handle all funds. Other members of the committee are C. M. Streetman, J. M. Murray, W. J. Wilkins, J. C. Kennedy and Tom Luce.

This committee was elected by the people when they voted to levy a special road tax of 85c for maintaining and building roads in the district. They will work in conjunction with the commissioners court in expending the money.

Immediately after organizing, the committee met with the commissioners court and worked out a plan agreeable to all to do some much needed work on the roads this summer, and it is planned to begin the work in the near future.—Grapeland Messenger.

### Not Boasting.

That invitation to visit a model printing and publishing plant is still open. Come around and see us. Travelling men tell us that our plant is the best arranged and kept they know of. The Courier has made some wonderful improvements, in its mechanical and office arrangements, during the last few months, and we say this without any desire to be boastful.

## SERIES WITH GRAND SALINE EVENED UP

Lefty Snow got sweet revenge on the Grand Saline boys Wednesday. Relieving Davis in the first of the fifth inning, he allowed three scattered singles and but one run. Grand Saline had a 6 to 2 lead when Snow went in the box, and terrific clouting, in which Snow contributed his part, also, finally overcame this lead.

Grand Saline bagged a pair of home runs, Dobbs leading off with one in the third and Hooks sending one over the center field fence with two on in the fifth. Minnick hit a four-base blow with none on in the sixth. Crockett bagged four doubles. Richards bagged four of Grand Saline's hits, while Reynolds secured four bingles for the home team. Holleman produced three safe swats. Minnick scored four runs.

The big rally came in the eighth. Snow was safe when French dropped his fly to left. Dorrell got an infield hit when Dobbs failed to throw after fielding his bunt. Wakefield also beat out a bunt. Bowie relieved Dobbs and Reynolds doubled to left center, scoring Snow and Dorrell, and Wakefield was thrown out at the plate. Reynolds took third on a passed ball. Minnick walked and stole second. Holleman doubled, scoring Reynolds and Minnick. Hooks relieved Bowie and Lynum popped to second.

The third and deciding game of the series will be played this afternoon with Lynum pitching for Crockett. On July 4 Crockett will play a double-header at a barbecue at Trinity, returning for games at the Crockett park with Trinity on Sunday and Monday.

Score by innings: R. H. E. G. Saline 003 031 000 7 11 3 Crockett 011 012 24\* 11 16 1 Batteries: Dobbs, Bowie, Hooks and Rabe; Davis, Snow and Monzingo.

## Water and Transportation the Best.

One of the necessities of life is transportation and another is water. Crockett is blessed with the very best of these. The Courier is afraid that our people do not fully appreciate the good things we have. Crockett has the best and purest water supply of any city, visitors tell us. Our water is filtered from the water-bearing sand four hundred feet under the earth's surface and is absolutely pure and good. In the matter of transportation, Crockett is on a through line supplying three passenger trains each way a day. One of these is the famous Sunshine Special, which now operates through Pullman cars from St. Louis to Galveston and Brownsville, and travellers tell us there is no better train west of the Mississippi. This train, leaving Crockett this afternoon at 4:06, puts you into St. Louis tomorrow morning at 11:30, twelve hours ahead of its nearest competitor from Houston. The Sunshine Special makes only a very few stops between Crockett and St. Louis and is one of the crack trains of the west.

Three states now have women governors: Texas, Wyoming and matrimony.—"Carolina Motorist."

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**LOCAL NEWS ITEMS**  
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Frank Smth has returned from Illinois.

Miss Marian Foster is at home from Houston.

Miss Josephine Edmiston is visiting in Virginia.

John LeGory has returned from his trip north and east.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Ratcliff have returned from Amarillo.

Miss Sue Denny will spend the remainder of the summer in Europe.

James Berry is at home from a trip to Oklahoma and other states.

Miss Sara Mac Crook is visiting friends in Fort Worth and Amarillo.

Mrs. J. H. Painter of Houston is visiting relatives and friends in Crockett.

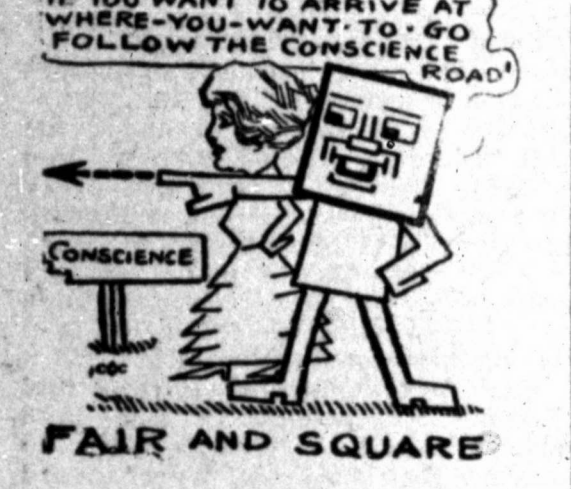
Miss Bess Jordan has returned from visiting in Oklahoma and other states.

Miss Janie Elizabeth Edmiston left Sunday afternoon for her home in Virginia.

Humming Bird hosiery wear longer.  
 It. Capriellan Bros. & Co.

C. H. Callaway and son, Raymond, and Fount Kelly Jr. were Houston visitors last week.

Marion Winfree of Houston was here for the funeral of his brother, Mark King Winfree.



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The Courier regrets to learn that Dr. T. M. Sherman is seriously ill at his home in Kennard.

Friends of J. E. Dickey are glad to learn that he is recovering from a recent operation for appendicitis.

Dr. and Mrs. John H. Wootters of Houston are spending a two weeks' vacation with their parents in this city.

J. L. Sherman of Houston is spending the week with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Sherman, at Kennard.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Craddock are at Galveston, where Mr. Craddock is undergoing special medical treatment.

Mrs. W. E. Gray of Breckenridge and Mrs. J. M. McDade of Elkhart were guests of Mrs. Harry Ellis this week.

Mrs. Chas. P. Jones of Houston and Mrs. H. M. Corley of Beaumont are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Foster.

Rev. C. A. Lehmborg and family will leave Monday to be gone about four weeks. They will go to San Antonio and Mason and return by way of Austin.

**At Baker's Drug Store.**  
 J. T. Roberts, M. D., specialist in the treatment of diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat and fitting glasses.  
 It.

**For Sale.**  
 Resident lots from one hundred and fifty dollars up, small cash payment, balance monthly or annually, C. W. Jones, the Real Estate Man.  
 It.

**Land for Sale.**  
 Ninety-five and one-half acres of improved land, 8 miles from Crockett on Pine Grove road, cash or terms. Apply to J. D. Sims Jr., Crockett, Texas.  
 It.

**Notice.**  
 Notice is hereby given to the depositors of the Lovelady State Bank that it is the intention of the stockholders to convert their bank to a national banking association.  
 It. Lovelady State Bank.

**Card of Thanks.**  
 We desire to express our warmest thanks and deepest appreciation for the many acts of kindness shown us in our recent great trial. All of this thoughtful attention from friends in the old home town helped greatly to lighten our grief. Most sincerely and gratefully yours,  
 Judge E. Winfree,  
 It. Wife and Family.

**Local Rains.**

J. M. Jordan of Weldon reports that a fine rain fell Sunday at Weldon. This rain followed one a week earlier and has put crops in good shape in that part of the county. Good showers fell near Crockett Sunday afternoon also, helping crops to bear up under the hot weather.

**International-Great Northern Railroad Company.**

Crockett, Tex., July 1, 1925.  
 Reduced round trip fares account July Fourth via the I-G. N. to any point in Texas where the one-day fare is \$7.00 or less, sale dates July 3rd and 4th, final limit returning July 6th. Ask your I-G. N. ticket agent for full particulars.  
 It.

**Automobile Damage.**

The front of Duke & Ayres' store presents a battle-worn appearance, due to slight errors in driving automobiles made during the past week. On Tuesday afternoon a girl mistook a Ford's clutch for its brake and plowed a hole in the stone base of the show window. On Saturday evening a woman in a car smashed the costly plate glass window on the left of the store entrance.

**Election Day.**

Wednesday was election day with the Crockett Lions' Club. At the noon luncheon Wednesday, President Edmiston announced that his term of office had expired and that nominations were in order. Judge A. A. Aldrich was placed in nomination for president and elected unanimously. Minor officials and a board of directors were elected without opposition. Harry Trube was re-elected secretary.

**Refunding Bonds Suggested.**

The Courier hears that the city council is to soon consider the question of a refunding bond issue. It is said that the city tax rate is now about \$1.50 and that by issuing refunding bonds, stringing out the city's indebtedness over a longer period of years, the city tax rate can be reduced to \$1.10 or less. The plan is, simply stated, to reduce the present tax rate by spreading the indebtedness of the city over a longer period of time.

**Visitors Here.**

Crockett is entertaining delegates from along the Waco and Beaumont proposed highway today. It is estimated that there are from 100 to 150 in the city. Among the entertainment features provided for them are a luncheon at noon and a visit to the baseball park for the ball game. An enthusiastic road meeting is scheduled for the early afternoon. An orchestra will play at the noon luncheon. Crockett welcomes the visitors.

**City Mail Delivery.**

Free mail delivery began at the Crockett post office Wednesday. The two routes have previously been outlined in the Courier. Two deliveries are made each day by the carriers, but no mail is delivered on Sundays or holidays.

J. H. Bobbitt and W. T. Moore have been appointed temporarily as carriers, awaiting action by the civil service commission on the examination recently held at the post office. The post office is considerably disordered by the initiation of the delivery, but patrons of the office will realize the confusion resulting and show patience in regard to the service rendered them by Postmaster Cutler and his assistants.

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**Bouffant Pants for He-Men, But Sailor Trousers for Girls.**

New York, June 27.—  
 Men are wearing bouffant pants while girls—their weak sidekickers—  
 Are wearing sailor trousers in preference to knickers.  
 Boys will be girls and girls will be boys this season, if they continue to dress as they now do.  
 On Riverside Drive, where one gets no nearer to sailing than gazing down upon Hudson River, the flapper element is actually wearing white sailor trousers with accompanying white middie blouses.  
 At Grant's tomb on a recent Sunday three trim young misses, dressed in snugly-fit sailor trousers, were sitting with their rather effeminately dressed escorts, whose color schemes verged on lavenders, pale grays and baby blues.

The policeman on the beat did not deem it necessary to accuse the young girls of parading in masculine attire since, in spite of their boyish hair cuts and trousers, the girls' curves were so apparent that their disguise was incomplete. Because of excessive heat no one seemed to take notice of the trousers

fad among young females, which we saw repeated along the drive.

The younger set is forever springing some new fad which only the young dare attempt. In the motion picture colony in Hollywood they are wearing skirts to the knees, half socks and hand-painted knees and calves. The decorations run to floral motifs and to animal fetish designs. Clara Bow, considered the reigning flapper of the motion picture colony, was the first one to "wear" hand-painted legs in public. She has many followers at the California beaches.

**Excursion Rates.**

Account fourth of July celebration, which includes aeroplane stunt flying, parachute leaps, firing tests of 12-inch guns at Ft. Crockett, gorgeous night display of fire works, special very low rate excursion fares will be authorized via the I-G. N. to Galveston and return. Tickets will be good for all night trains of July 3rd and all trains reaching Galveston July 4th and morning of July 5th, limit to return to leave Galveston not later than special train 10:00 p. m., July 5th. See your ticket agent for full particulars.  
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Jasmine Hams, per pound	27c
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8 Cans Prince Albert Tobacco	\$1.00
45 Pounds Compound Lard	\$5.25
Good Brooms, each	50c
7 Pounds Soda	50c

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**CITATION BY PUBLICATION.**

The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or Any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the Unknown Heirs of Wm. B. Stokes deceased, Unknown Heirs of W. M. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of J. G. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of George W. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of Frank Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of Rhoda Conner Adair deceased, Unknown Heirs of Adair deceased, husband of Rhoda Conner Adair deceased, whose initials and given name are unknown, Unknown Heirs of Lucretia Conner Payne deceased, Unknown Heirs of Ida Conner Bell deceased, Unknown Heirs of Has Bell deceased, Unknown Heirs of Frank Conner deceased, who was the son of G. W. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of Oda Conner Lenderman deceased, Unknown Heirs of Susie Conner Lenderman deceased, Unknown Heirs of Elbert Lenderman deceased; Unknown Heirs of M. B. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of M. L. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of H. F. M. Warren deceased, Unknown Heirs of J. F. Kilgore deceased, Unknown Heirs of E. F. Kilgore deceased, Unknown Heirs of M. F. Kilgore deceased, Unknown Heirs of M. T. Kilgore deceased, Unknown Heirs of M. A. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of G. M. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of F. J. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of Mrs. S. W. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of B. G. Kilgore deceased, Unknown Heirs of Thomas Kilgore deceased, Unknown Heirs of M. A. Smith deceased, and all persons asserting and claiming any interest in the land hereinafter described by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be held at the Court House thereof, at Crockett, on the 12th day of October A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 18th day of June A. D. 1925, in a suit No. 6230 on the Docket of the District Court, wherein Houston County Timber Company is plaintiff, and the Unknown Heirs of Wm. B. Stokes, deceased, Unknown Heirs of W. M. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of J. G. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of George W. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of Frank Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of Rhoda Conner Adair deceased, Unknown Heirs of Adair deceased, the husband of Rhoda Conner Adair deceased, whose initials and given name are unknown, Unknown Heirs of Lucretia Conner Payne deceased, Unknown Heirs of Ida Conner Bell deceased, Unknown Heirs of Has Bell deceased, Unknown Heirs of Frank Conner deceased, who was the son of G. W. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of Oda Conner Lenderman deceased, Unknown Heirs of Susie Conner Lenderman deceased, Unknown Heirs of Elbert Lenderman deceased, Unknown Heirs of M. B. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of M. L. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of H. F. M. Warren deceased, Unknown Heirs of J. F. Kilgore deceased, Unknown Heirs of E. F. Kilgore deceased, Unknown Heirs of M. F. Kilgore deceased, Unknown Heirs of M. T. Kilgore deceased, Unknown Heirs of M. A. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of G. M. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of F. J. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of Mrs. S. W. Conner deceased, Unknown Heirs of Thomas Kilgore deceased, Unknown Heirs of M. A. Smith deceased.

ceased, Unknown Heirs of S. B. Smith deceased, Arrie Bell Lockety, J. M. Lockety, Margaret Conner Ezell, a feme sole, Ed Lenderman, Mattie Lenderman, a feme sole, Nancy Lenderman Holleman, Luther Holleman, Henry Conner, Cammie Conner Ivie, K. B. Ivie, Has Trammel, Mrs. Has Trammel, W. T. Conner, Cora Conner Williams, Will Williams, Creecy Conner Warren, Henry Warren, Stella Jones, L. W. Jones, Kate Conner Hale, Wilse Hale, Jennie Conner Zachary and A. L. Zachary, and all persons asserting and claiming any interest in the land sued for, whose names and residences are unknown to plaintiff, are defendants.

That plaintiff alleging in its petition that it is the owner in fee-simple of 135 acres of land a part of the G. W. Morse Survey in Houston County, Texas, patented by the State of Texas to G. W. Morse as fully set out in plaintiff's petition, and that on account of the destruction of the deed records of Houston County twice by fire, a great many deeds and links in chains of titles have been destroyed, and are now missing, and there does not appear of record any proper conveyance of this land by G. W. Morse during his life time, and no evidence of any proper conveyance of same by all of his heirs since his death, and on account thereof there is a cloud cast upon plaintiffs title, the original deeds having been lost, and cannot be produced, and the missing records supplied by recording same.

That plaintiff deraigns title to the land claimed by it and herein sued for as follows: Patent from the State of Texas to G. W. Morse, dated April 6, 1871.

Transfer of certificate by G. W. Morse to James Platt, dated September 11, 1852.

Transfer of certificate from James Platt to James M. Daniel, dated May 14, 1853.

Transfer of certificate from James M. Daniel to W. F. Wall, dated October 10, 1857.

Deed from William F. Wall to William B. Stokes dated March 13, 1858.

Deed from William B. Stokes to Charles Stokes, dated February 25, 1859.

Deed from Charles Stokes to W. M. Conner, dated August 21, 1861.

Deed from W. M. Conner to J. F. Kilgore, dated January 12, 1872.

Deed from J. F. Kilgore, et al to W. T. Conner, dated December 16, 1876.

Deed from W. T. Conner and wife to G. M. Conner dated July 31, 1877.

Deed from G. W. Conner to W. M. Conner, guardian of F. J. Conner, dated March 16, 1878.

Deed from F. J. Conner, et al to H. F. M. Warren, dated April 25, 1888.

Deed from H. F. M. Warren to W. T. Conner dated June 17, 1891.

Deed from W. T. Conner et al to J. F. Kilgore, dated April 16, 1900.

Deed from W. T. Conner to R. H. Keith, dated June 11, 1900.

Certified copy of Will of R. H. Keith dated November 20, 1903.

Probate of said Will, dated October 30, 1905.

Inventory and Appraisement of the estate of R. H. Keith, dated November 1st, 1905.

Deed from Mary L. Keith, et al to Houston County Timber Company dated July, 1924.

Deed from A. J. Payne, et al to Houston County Timber Company, dated August 7, 1924.

That plaintiff and those under whom it claims have had and held peaceable, continuous, and adverse possession claiming under title and color of title, from and under the sovereignty of the soil, the land claimed and described in this petition, for more than three years, for more than five years, and for more than ten years after defendant's cause of action accrued, if any ever accrued, and before the commencement of this suit, claiming the same under deed and deeds duly recorded, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, each and every year, and paying the taxes thereon for a period of more than five years, and for more than ten years before the commencement of this suit, and pleading the three, five, and ten years statutes of limitation.

That defendants are asserting and claiming an interest in said land which clouds the title of plaintiff, and praying that on proof being heard that it have judgment for the land sued for, quieting the title thereto, and removing all clouds therefrom.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court on said first day of next term thereof, this Writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed same.

WITNESS A. B. Smith, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas. GIVEN under my hand and seal of said Court in the City of Crockett, this 18th day of June, A. D. 1925.

(Seal) A. B. Smith, Clerk, District Court, Houston County, Texas.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION.**

The State of Texas—To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the Unknown Heirs of James Carter deceased, Unknown Heirs of Mrs. Martha A. Todd deceased, Unknown Heirs of Mrs. Martha P. Todd deceased, Unknown Heirs of John S. Martin deceased, Unknown Heirs of James Everett deceased, Unknown Heirs of James Averiett deceased, Unknown Heirs of Mrs. Dull Averiett deceased, Unknown Heirs of Willie Averiett deceased, Unknown Heirs of J. W. Todd deceased, Unknown Heirs of Mrs. M. A. Todd deceased, Unknown Heirs of Thomas Davidson Bowman deceased, Unknown Heirs of H. McBride Pridden deceased, Unknown Heirs of Joseph W. Greer deceased, and all persons asserting and claiming any interest in the land hereinafter described, whose names and residences are unknown, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be held at the Court House thereof, at Crockett, on the 12th day of October, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 12th day of June A. D. 1925, in a suit No. 6226 on the Docket of the District Court, wherein Houston County Timber Company is plaintiff, and the Unknown Heirs of James Carter deceased, Unknown Heirs of Mrs. Martha P. Todd, deceased, Unknown Heirs of Mrs. Martha A. Todd, deceased, Unknown Heirs of John S. Martin, deceased, Unknown Heirs of James Everett, deceased, Unknown Heirs of James Averiett, deceased, Unknown Heirs of Mrs. Dull Averiett deceased, Unknown Heirs of Willie Averiett, deceased, Unknown Heirs of J. W. Todd, deceased, Unknown Heirs of Mrs. M. A. Todd, deceased, Unknown Heirs of Thomas Davidson Bowman, deceased, Unknown Heirs of H. McBride Pridden, deceased, Unknown Heirs of Joseph W. Greer, deceased, T. H. Buller and Arden Buller and all persons asserting and claiming any interest in the land hereinafter described are defendants.

That plaintiff alleging in its petition that it is the owner in fee-simple of 230 acres of land out of the James Carter Survey, situated in Houston County, Texas, patented by the State of Texas to James Carter, and fully set out in plaintiff's petition, and that on account of the destruction of the deed records of Houston County, twice by fire, a great many deeds and links in chains of titles have been destroyed, and are now missing, and there does not appear of record any proper conveyance of this land by James Carter during his life time, and no evidence of any proper conveyance of same by all of his heirs since his death, and on account thereof, there is a cloud cast upon Plaintiff's title, the original deeds having been lost, and cannot now be produced, and the missing records supplied by recording same.

That plaintiff deraigns title to the land claimed by it and herein sued for as follows: Patent from the State of Texas to James Carter dated on or about August 6, 1845.

Order of Court appointing John S. Martin Administrator of the estate of James Carter deceased, dated on or about May 27, 1867.

Order to sell land, dated on or about July 30, 1867.

Order approving sale, in said estate dated on -----

Deed by the estate of James Carter, deceased, by Administrator to Martha A. Todd, dated on or about April 10, 1868.

Deed from Martha A. Todd to John S. Martin and James Averett, dated on or about October 13, 1873.

Will of James Avriett deceased, dated on or about July 13, 1876.

Deed from Martha A. Todd to J. W. Todd, dated on or about August 19, 1879.

Decree of court in cause No. 2898, styled Lucy Robinson, et al versus John S. Martin, et al, dated on or about April 9, 1885.

Deed by Ann E. Morgan and others by Sheriff, to J. W. Todd, dated on or about November 3, 1887.

Power of Attorney from J. W. (Jesse W) Todd to James R. Burnett, dated on or about March 7, 1888.

Deed from James R. Burnett to F. H. Bayne, dated on or about February 8, 1890.

Deed from Mrs. M. A. or P. Todd to F. H. Bayne, dated on or about February 11, 1890.

Deed from James Avriett and Dull Avriett to W. H. Denny dated on or about May 25, 1895.

Deed from John S. Martin to W. H. Denny dated on or about June 1, 1895.

Judgment of W. H. Denny against F. H. Bayne, dated on or about March 5, 1898.

Deed from F. H. Bayne to Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company, dated on or about October 15, 1902.

Deed from W. H. Denny to Houston County Timber Company, dated on or about March 4, 1925.

Deed from Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company to Houston County Timber Company, dated on or about December 1st, 1923.

That plaintiff and those under whom it claims have had and held peaceable, continuous, and adverse possession, claiming under title and color of title, from and under the sovereignty of the soil, the land claimed and described in this petition, for more than three years, for more than five years, and for more than ten years after defendants' cause of action accrued, if any ever accrued, and

before the commencement of this suit, claiming the same under deed and deeds duly recorded, cultivating using and enjoying the same, each and every year, and paying the taxes thereon for a period of more than five years, and for more than a period of ten years before the commencement of this suit, and pleading the three, five and ten years statutes of limitation.

That defendants are asserting and claiming an interest in said land which clouds the title of plaintiff, and praying that on proof being heard that it have judgment for the land sued for, quieting the title thereto, and removing all clouds therefrom.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court on said first day of next term thereof, this Writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed same.

WITNESS A. B. Smith, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas. GIVEN under my hand and seal of said Court in the City of Crockett, this 12th day of June, A. D. 1925.

(Seal) A. B. Smith, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION.**

The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or Any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the Unknown Heirs of J. F. Kilgore, deceased; Unknown Heirs of E. F. Kilgore, deceased; Unknown Heirs of B. G. Kilgore, deceased; Unknown Heirs of Thomas Kilgore, deceased; Unknown Heirs of M. A. Smith, deceased; and all persons asserting and claiming any interest in the land hereinafter described, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be held at the Court House thereof in Crockett, Houston County, to be held on the 12th day of October A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 18th day of June, A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 6231, wherein the Houston County Timber Company is plaintiff, and the Unknown Heirs of J. F. Kilgore, deceased; Unknown Heirs of E. F. Kilgore, deceased; Unknown Heirs of B. G. Kilgore, deceased; Unknown Heirs of Thomas Kilgore, deceased; Unknown Heirs of M. A. Smith, deceased; and husband L. W. Jones; and all persons asserting and claiming any interest in the land sued for, are defendants.

Plaintiff alleges in its petition that it is the owner in fee-simple of 100 acres of the J. F. Kilgore 160 acre Survey, abstract No. 671, and situated in Houston County, Texas, patented by the State of Texas to J. F. Kilgore July 19, 1876, as fully set out, in plaintiff's petition and for better description of said land, reference is here made to said petition.

That on account of the destruction of the records of Houston County twice by fire, a great many deeds and links in the chain of title have been destroyed and are now missing, and a number of other muniments of title and written instruments have been lost or mislaid and cannot now be found, and on account thereof, there is a cloud cast upon plaintiff's title and plaintiff sues to remove the same.

That plaintiff deraigns title to the said land, as follows: Patent from the State of Texas to J. F. Kilgore, dated on or about July 19, 1876; Substituted deed from B. G. Kilgore et al to J. W. Caloway, dated May 26, 1900; deed from John W. Callaway and Ella Callaway, (Caloway) to H. W. Payne, dated May 3, 1880; deed from H. W. Payne to John Buviakin, dated November 18, 1880; deed from John Boykin and wife C. L. Boykin to J. H. Ratcliff, dated January 8, 1891; deed from J. H. Ratcliff to Mrs. Eliza Kempner, dated May 13, 1899; deed from Eliza Kempner to J. H. Ratcliff, dated August 22, 1900; deed from Evie L. Ratcliff and others to R. H. Keith, dated on or about September 14, 1900; deed from J. H. Ratcliff to R. H. Keith dated September 15, 1900; deed from R. H. Keith and wife Mary L. Keith, to Louisiana and Texas Lumber Company, dated July 12, 1901; deed from Henry Connor et al to Houston County Timber Co., dated May 19, 1925; deed from Louisiana and Texas Lumber company to Houston County Timber Company, dated December 1, 1923.

That plaintiff and those under whom it claims have had and held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession, claiming under title and color of title, from and under the sovereignty of the soil, the land claimed and described in plaintiff's petition, for more than three years, for more than five years, and for more than ten years



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after defendants cause of action accrued, if any ever accrued, and before the commencement of this suit, claiming the same under deed and deeds duly recorded, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, each and every year, and paying the taxes thereon for a period of more than five years, and for more than a period of ten years before the commencement of this suit, and pleading the three, five and ten years statutes of limitation.

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In a general way, the intellectual and spiritual welfare of children is in a large degree determined by the educational and social atmosphere in which they live. Among the factors uniting with many others to make that atmosphere are the amount and kind of reading material provided, participation in community social activities, and the possession and use by the family of musical instruments and other means of culture. These all influence to a greater or less degree the lives of children. The lack of them is the reason, in part at least, why country life is unsatisfying to many children, and may explain why some of them leave the farm.

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South Bound.

No. 25, Thru Passenger 1:37am  
No. 23, Local Passenger 9:40am  
No. 21, Sunshine Special 2:03pm

North Bound.

No. 28, Thru Passenger 4:00am  
No. 24, Local Passenger 1:30pm  
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## CROCKETT LIONS CLUB VISITORS IN NACOGDOCHES

Headed by President C. L. Edmiston, who, by the way, is also mayor of his city, and closely followed by Secretary Harry J. Trube, 24 members of the Crockett Lions Club were guests of the Nacogdoches Rotary Club at the noon luncheon Wednesday. The visit of the Lions Club followed a visit of some 25 Rotarians made to the Crockett organization some weeks ago.

In the absence of President "Dock" Smith who is attending International Rotary at Cleveland, Ohio, Vice President Birdwell presided. After roll call our own Prof. R. F. Davis welcomed the visitors in a brief but well-phrased speech of five minutes. President Edmiston of the Lions responded briefly, and then asked Judge A. A. Aldrich of the Lions to add further word of welcome, which he did in a five minute speech that was a classic of the first quality. Among the things Judge Aldrich said was this:

"When neighbors in the same town, or in neighboring towns, fail to know and to love each other, somebody is not living up to their opportunity."

Judge Aldrich was followed by Rev. C. A. Lehmborg, who de-

scribed himself "a servant of the Lord working in the Methodist church." Rev. Lehmborg's talk was very much appreciated by all.

Johnnie Crawford sang "Hot Tamale Mollie," and for an encore gave "Hard Boiled Rose."

After the lunch hour the visitors were taken for a drive over the city and to the college, where they were shown through the various departments. The visitors met the faculty and enjoyed a large bowl of punch served in the domestic science room.

Those present from Crockett were:

M. L. Shapiro, J. R. Herrin, E. R. McConnell, J. S. Cook, H. J. Trube, W. C. Wells, W. A. Beaty, A. S. Lee, C. L. Edmiston, C. A. Lehmborg, W. W. Aiken, C. H. Callaway, F. M. Posey, W. G. Cartwright, W. D. Julian, L. L. Moore, E. P. Adams, A. A. Aldrich, D. O. Kiessling, D. C. Kennedy, Frank Leaverton, E. C. Arledge, John C. Millar, G. L. Cook.

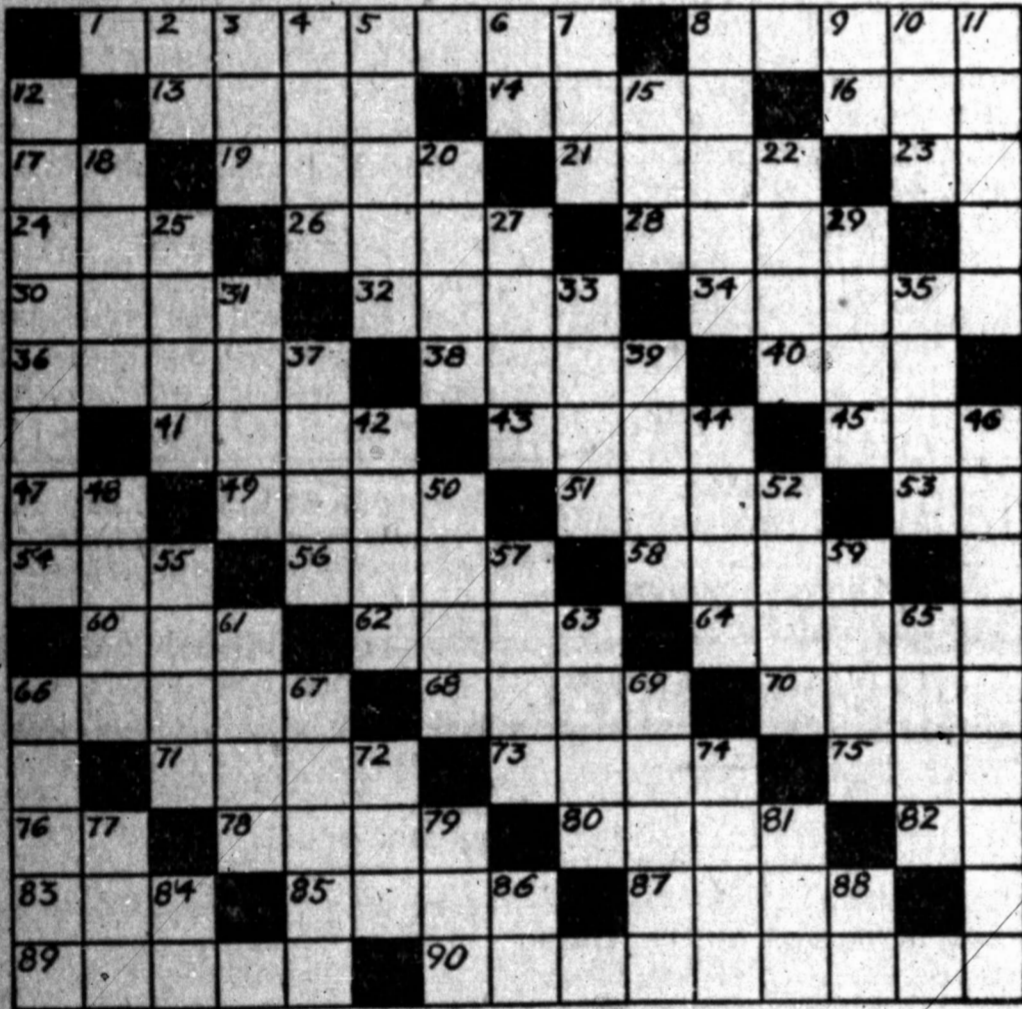
### Smith Co. Town Hires 4 Times Its Population.

The little city of Bullard, 12 miles south of Tyler, has a 1920 census of 241 population. During the tomato packing season, which has just passed its zenith in this wonderful East Texas of ours, Bullard employed 1000 people in her tomato packing sheds and shipping departments. Some country—this East Texas section.

### HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

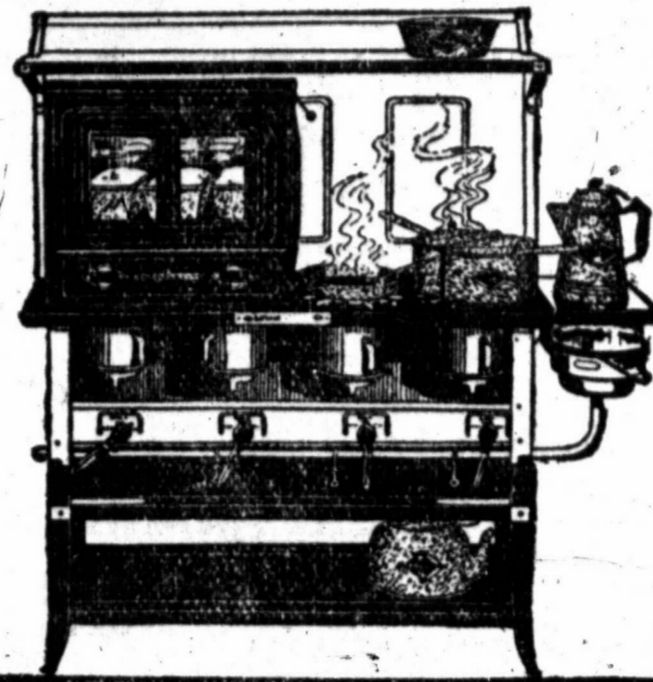
When the correct letters are placed in the white spaces this puzzle will spell words both vertically and horizontally. The first letter in each word is indicated by a number, which refers to the definition listed below the puzzle. Thus No. 1 under the column headed "horizontal" defines a word which will fill the white spaces up to the first black square to the right, and a number under "vertical" defines a word which will fill the white squares to the next black one below. No letters go in the black spaces. All words used are dictionary words, except proper names. Abbreviations, slang, initials, technical terms and obsolete forms are indicated in the definitions.

### CROSS-WORD PUZZLE No. 41



- (© by Western Newspaper Union.)
- Horizontal.**
- 1—German accompaniment for beer (pl.)
  - 8—Incline
  - 12—Heroine of English novel by same name
  - 14—Gumbo
  - 16—Scratch
  - 17—Preposition
  - 18—Organs of hearing
  - 21—Shout
  - 23—Jumbled type
  - 24—Title of Eleventh century champion of Christianity in Spanish literature
  - 26—A President of the United States
  - 28—Two
  - 29—Worry
  - 32—Remark
  - 34—Slang
  - 36—Explate
  - 38—South American country
  - 40—Consume
  - 41—Prefix meaning fire
  - 42—Lasso
  - 45—Male sheep
  - 47—Preposition
  - 49—Mountains in Thessaly
  - 51—Stride
  - 53—To proceed
  - 54—Movement of head
  - 56—Diplomacy
  - 58—Noted living English playwright and author
  - 60—Children's game
  - 62—Tumult
  - 64—Yellow or red ore of iron used as a pigment
  - 66—Underneath
  - 68—Filth
  - 70—Care
  - 71—Acquire by labor
  - 73—Lard
  - 75—Nothing
  - 76—Article (indefinite)
  - 78—Fate
  - 80—Foot
  - 82—Prefix meaning separation
  - 83—Large container
  - 85—Street car of London
  - 87—Raised platform
  - 89—Suppose
  - 90—Driving back

- Vertical.**
- 2—Note of musical scale
  - 3—Orb
  - 4—Snare
  - 5—Noughts
  - 6—Behold!
  - 7—Firmament
  - 9—Mixture of vegetables
  - 10—Part of verb "to be"
  - 11—Short sleep
  - 11—Attempts
  - 12—Indian footwear
  - 15—Ribbed material
  - 18—Authoritative sanction
  - 20—Smack
  - 22—Italian coin (pl.)
  - 25—Let fall
  - 27—Large vat
  - 28—Noise
  - 31—One of three daughters of sea deity (myth.)
  - 33—Stage curtain
  - 35—Male deer
  - 37—In the distant past
  - 39—Javanese tree, yielding poison
  - 42—Ridge (pl.)
  - 44—Reverberate
  - 46—Fashioning after a pattern
  - 48—Short letter
  - 50—Tart
  - 52—Every
  - 55—Valley
  - 57—Labor
  - 59—Time at which
  - 61—To prod
  - 63—Same as 85 horizontal
  - 65—Predatory incursion
  - 68—Well done!
  - 67—Inscribed
  - 69—Barter
  - 72—Negative conjunction
  - 74—Face of a clock
  - 77—Short sleep
  - 79—Scratch
  - 81—Girl's nickname
  - 84—Note of musical scale
  - 86—Not you
  - 88—Another note
- Solution will appear in next issue.



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## SHELBY COUNTY COMMISSIONER GOES TO PRISON

Austin, Texas, June 24.—P. L. Hooper, acting Shelby county commissioner of precinct 4, must go to prison for two years for "misappropriation of county funds," in connection with the disposal of \$40,000 of road bonds, criminal appeals court held Wednesday in affirming his sentence. He was charged with having been instrumental in delivery to E. L. Twing of 350 bonds.

An order bearing the names of J. L. May, county judge; W. M. May, commissioner precinct 3, and P. L. Hooper, commissioner precinct 4, was quoted in the court's opinion authorizing a bank to deliver the bonds to Twing.

The opinion, written by Chief Justice W. C. Morrow, said: "In the mind of the writer, each member of the commissioners' court taking part in such an act rendered himself amenable to prosecution, which prosecution could be by the State be maintained against each by separate indictment or against all by joint indictment, nor do we understand that the appellant is exempted from prosecution be-

cause the act was within the scope of his authority. As we understand it, the express terms of the statutes, both civil and criminal, the commissioners' court was without discretion to deliver the bonds in question to the purchaser thereof except upon payment therefor in cash or its equivalent."

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### Walker County.

Judge A. T. McKinney, and Commissioner Gus Bowden, of Walker county were in Austin in attendance at the second Monday Highway Commissioners' meeting, June 8. Walker county has a bond issue of \$1,500,000, and an additional \$800,000 State and Federal Aid which is to be expended in building a permanent system of highways through the county, these highways to total an aggregate of 80 miles, or 20 miles in four directions, or 10 miles in 8 directions.

## There Is No Tax On Your Ability to Enjoy Our Service

But it is hard to keep away from it the second time, once you have tried it.

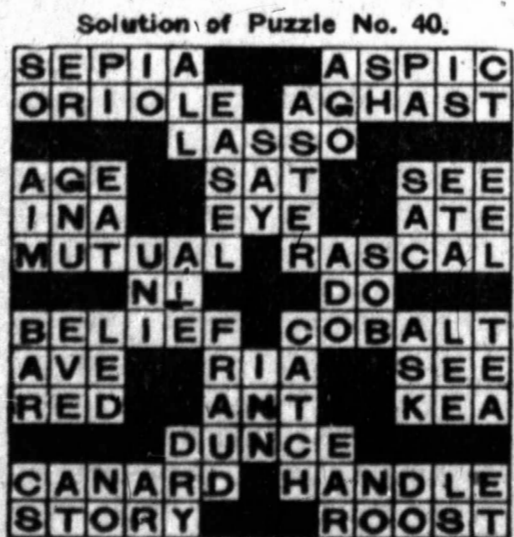
### Vacation Suggestions

Thermos Bottles, Sanitary Lunch Kits, Paper Lunch Sets, Tooth Brushes, Tooth Paste and hundreds of other useful articles that you will need while you are away.

Better come in and stock up before you go away. We have what you want, and if we haven't, we'll get it or it can't be found.

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## MARK K. WINFREE DIES AT DENVER

**Refused Operation That Might Have Prolonged, But Could Not Save, Life.**

Mark Winfree, deputy clerk of court here, and graduate of the University of Wyoming, died in Denver this forenoon at 11:50 from cancer of the throat. The end came suddenly, after an acute illness of less than two weeks.

He became sick while taking the state bar examination, June 14, and was taken to the Iverson hospital, suffering with what was supposed to be a severe cold, bordering on pneumonia. Yesterday he was rushed to Denver in order that an emergency operation might be performed on his throat by Dr. Frost Buchtel. When told that the operation might prolong, but could not save, his life he refused to have it performed.

Mark Winfree was about 26 years old at the time of his death. He was born at Crockett, Texas, and was the son of Judge and Mrs. E. Winfree. His father was judge at Crockett for a number of years, and was later appointed superintendent of the Confederate Soldiers' Home at Austin, where he still resides. Mark's brother, J. E. Winfree Jr., is senior partner in the law firm of Winfree & Westlow at Houston, Texas, and is also a member of the state legislature there.

Mark studied at the Rice Institute at Houston, and at Southwestern University at Georgetown, Texas. When he was about eighteen he suffered from a severe attack of rheumatism which left him in poor condition and finally caused him, about six years ago, to come to Wyoming for his health.

Upon his arrival in this state he went to work in the Salt Creek fields north of Casper, where Mr. Kinney, of the Illinois Pipe Line company, took an interest in him and caused his transfer to Laramie, in order that he could work and attend the University of Wyoming. Here he put in a full shift every day as guager for the pipe line company and attended regular

classes at the university until his graduation in 1923 with the degree of A. B.

He was a candidate for clerk of district court in the primaries last fall. Later he was appointed deputy clerk, and made good in that office, where he worked up to the time of his final sickness. At the same time he was continuing his studies in the university, and had practically completed his law work when he died.

According to those who knew him well, Mark was most cheerful and optimistic, and had made elaborate plans for the future. He had planned to leave for River-ton on the first of July to enter the law office of Orion N. Gibson. He had displayed wonderful energy and determination in finishing his education, despite long-continued ill-health, and had worked untiringly up until the end. His death came just at the time when, through earlier efforts, he had reached the point where life had begun to open up, offering a wider, rosier and less arduous prospect.

No arrangements have as yet been made for the funeral, but it is probable that the remains will be taken back to Crockett, Texas, the old home of the Winfree family.—Laramie, Wyo., Republican-Boomerang.

## ARRESTED ON THREE WHISKY CHARGES

A. J. Burke was arrested Thursday by Deputy Sheriff Will Musick and Constable Sid Yale near Turner's saw mill northwest of town. He was brought to town and placed in jail. Bond was placed at \$500 in each of three cases, making, selling and transporting intoxicating liquor, a total of \$1,500. Burke made bond Friday and was released. Burke is charged with being a partner with Claude Vest in moonshining operations in connection with the still captured June 18 by local officers on the bayou two miles north of town. Vest had not been released at the first of the week.

### Graveyard Working.

There will be a graveyard working at Concord church Thursday, July 9. All persons interested are expected to be present. S. M. Thompson.

## To the Farmers

**There Is Always a Best—And We Have the Best Gin in Crockett**

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Men's Pincheck Pants, special.....98c  
Scott's Level Best Khaki Pants, special per pair .....\$1.45  
Men's Overalls, suspender back, double stitched; a good \$1.50 value, per pair .....98c  
Blue Work Shirts, good weight.....48c  
Boys' Summer Pants, sizes 7 to 11...50c  
Men's Summer Union Suits.....43c  
Men's Seersucker suits.....\$4.95  
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W. H. SANDERS, Manager

## CROCKETT SWAMPS BERING MFG CO TEAM

Crockett defeated the touted Bering Manufacturing company team of Houston Sunday at the local park by the unanimous count of 15 to 0. Belloritz, a left-hander, failed to convince the Crockett batters that he could pitch and he lasted but three innings, in which he allowed four hits, walked four and hit two batters and, aided by poor support, saw nine runs cross the plate. Moore, a right-hander, took the mound in the fourth and was scored upon in every inning but the fourth. He allowed hits in every inning.

Every Crockett batter got one or more hits, Dorrell, Powledge, Monzingo and Lynum getting two each. Holleman scored four times and Reynolds and Powledge three times each. Barbee turned in the feature catch off McMillan, doubling Andrews at first. With three on and one out in the fifth by virtue of two hits and a walk, Lynum fanned Anderson and Monzingo picked Moore off third.

Lynum walked three and struck out thirteen, allowing four hits. It was his third straight shut-out in the Crockett uniform. This victory was the eighteenth straight and twentieth of twenty-three games played.

The line-ups were: Bering Mfg. Co.—Andrews 2b, Puls ss, McMillan 3b, Frey rf, Moore cf-p, Sisson 1b-c, Campbell c, Debs 1b, Belloritz p-cf, Anderson lf; Crockett, Dorrell cf, Wakefield 3b, Reynolds ss, Barbee 2b, Powledge lf, Holleman rf, Min-

nick 1b, Monzingo c, Lynum p. Score by innings: R. H. E. Bering 000 000 000 0 4 7 Crockett 144 013 11\* 15 13 1

### Mark Winfree Taken to Denver Hospital.

Mark ("Tex") Winfree, deputy clerk of court, who has been in the Iverson hospital here for some time, was taken to Denver today for an operation by Dr. F. Buchtel when his condition became so serious as to demand immediate action. Last night Winfree's breathing became so labored that it was necessary to administer oxygen, and his father, Judge Winfree of Austin, Texas, was wired for by Monte Warner, clerk of court. This morning a reply to the telegram indicated that J. E. Winfree of Houston, Texas, brother

to Mark, left there today to be with the sick man during his illness.

Winfree was sent to Denver at noon today. He had recovered somewhat from his bad attack of last night, and boarded the train feeling much better. A speedy operation, intended to remove a growth in his throat, will probably allow rapid recovery. He was accompanied by W. W. Tipton.—Laramie, Wyo., Republican Boomerang.

### Bids Wanted.

Bids will be received by the commissioners' court on July 13, at its regular meeting, for supplying the court house and jail with wood. For particulars see the county judge.

L. L. Moore,  
County Judge.

## A. E. OWENS

### ABSTRACTS

Complete Abstract of Houston County Lands

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### INVESTMENTS

## A. E. OWENS

CROCKETT, TEXAS

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION.**

The State of Texas—To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the Unknown Heirs of Thomas B. Huling deceased, Unknown Heirs of Elizabeth Huling deceased, Thomas B. Huling Jr., and Maud E. Edgerton and husband Parley A. Edgerton whose residences are unknown, Unknown Heirs of Thomas B. Huling Jr., deceased, Unknown Heirs of Maud E. Edgerton deceased, J. B. Wadsworth whose residence is unknown, Unknown Heirs of J. B. Wadsworth deceased, C. W. Roberts, whose residence is unknown, Unknown Heirs of C. W. Roberts deceased, Theodore E. Simang whose residence is unknown, Unknown Heirs of Theodore E. Simang deceased, Unknown Heirs of Phillip Pipkin deceased, Unknown Heirs of Lucy Miller deceased, Unknown Heirs of Ella J. Stewart deceased, Unknown Heirs of W. A. Stewart deceased, Unknown Heirs of M. A. Sherry deceased, Unknown Heirs of Amanda J. Bunyard deceased, Unknown Heirs of John Johnson deceased, John Johnson, E. A. Cheatham and Frost Seatrunk, whose residences are unknown, Unknown Heirs of E. A. Cheatham deceased, Unknown Heirs of Frost Seatrunk deceased, Unknown Heirs of C. Cullen deceased, Unknown Heirs of George W. Wynn deceased, Unknown Heirs of B. F. Duren deceased, Unknown Heirs of J. W. Robinett deceased, Unknown Heirs of S. H. Shirley deceased, Unknown Heirs of M. A. Shirley deceased, T. C. Currie whose residence is unknown, and F. C. Currie who resides in Houston County, Texas, and all persons asserting and claiming any interest in the land hereinafter described by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be held at the Court House thereof at Crockett, on the 12th day of October A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 8th day of June A. D. 1925, in a suit No. 6215 on the Docket of the District Court of said county, wherein Houston County Timber Company is plaintiff, and the Unknown Heirs of Thomas B. Huling deceased, Unknown Heirs of Elizabeth Huling deceased, Thomas B. Huling Jr., and Maud E. Edgerton and her husband Parley A. Edgerton whose residences are unknown, Unknown Heirs of Thomas B. Huling Jr., deceased, Unknown Heirs of Maud E. Edgerton deceased, J. B. Wadsworth whose residence is unknown, Unknown Heirs of J. B. Wadsworth deceased, C. W. Roberts, whose residence is unknown, Unknown Heirs of C. W. Roberts deceased, Theodore E. Simang whose residence is unknown, Unknown Heirs of Theodore E. Simang deceased, Unknown Heirs of Phillip Pipkin deceased, Unknown Heirs of Lucy Miller deceased, Unknown Heirs of Ella J. Stewart deceased, Unknown Heirs of W. A. Stewart deceased, Unknown Heirs of M. A. Sherry deceased, Unknown Heirs of Amanda J. Bunyard deceased, Unknown Heirs of M. F. Bunyard deceased, Unknown Heirs of John Johnson deceased, John Johnson, E. A. Cheatham and Frost Seatrunk whose residences are unknown, Unknown Heirs of E. A. Cheatham deceased, Unknown Heirs of Frost Seatrunk deceased, Unknown Heirs of C. Cullen deceased, Unknown Heirs of George W. Wynn deceased, Unknown Heirs of B. F. Duren deceased, Unknown Heirs of J. W. Robinett deceased, Unknown Heirs of S. H. Shirley deceased, Unknown Heirs of M. A. Shirley deceased, T. C. Currie whose residence is unknown, and F. C. Currie a resident of Houston County, Texas, and all persons asserting and claiming any interest in the land sued for, whose names and residences are unknown to plaintiff, are defendants.

That plaintiff alleges in its petition that it is the owner in fee-simple of 3762 acres of land a part of the C. C. Robinett Survey situated in Houston County, Texas, patented by the State of Texas, to Thomas B. Huling Assignee of C. C. Robinett, as fully set out in plaintiff's petition, and that on account of the destruction of the deed records of Houston County, twice by fire a great many deeds and links in chains of titles have been destroyed, and are now missing, and there does not appear of record any proper conveyance of this land by Thomas B. Huling, during his life time, and no evidence of any proper conveyance of same by all of his heirs since his death, and on account thereof, there is a cloud cast upon the plaintiff's title, the original deeds having been lost, and cannot now be produced, and the missing records supplied by recording same.

That plaintiff deraigns title to the land claimed by it and herein sued for as follows:

Patent from the State of Texas, to Thomas B. Huling, Assignee of Calvin C. Robinett, dated on or about September 24, 1873.

Deed from Mary Bunyard to E. F. Bridges, et al dated on or about March 3, 1883.

Deed from M. F. Craig to Phillip Pipkin, dated on or about March 3, 1883.

Deed from E. F. Bridges and wife to Phillip Pipkin, dated on or about March 21, 1883.

Deed from W. M. Bunyard and wife, A. J. Bunyard to Phillip Pipkin, dated on or about March 31, 1883.

Order of Court Appointing Elizabeth Huling as Survivor in the com-

munity estate of herself and her deceased husband, Thomas B. Huling, dated on or about April 30, 1868.

Deed from Elizabeth Huling Survivor to Proctor H. Huling, dated on or about July 22, 1881.

Deed from Proctor H. Huling to R. H. Keith, dated on or about November 16, 1899.

Deed from Elizabeth Huling Survivor to D. J. Lane, dated on or about August 8, 1876.

Substitute deed from Elizabeth Huling Survivor, to D. J. Lane dated on or about July 3, 1890.

Power of Attorney from D. J. Lane to William H. Cundiff, dated on or about May 18, 1881.

Deed from D. J. Lane by Agent to W. B. Wall, dated on or about September 21, 1882.

Deed from W. B. Wall to W. L. Moody & Co., dated on or about December 7, 1891.

Deed from W. L. Moody & Co., to R. H. Keith, dated on or about November 21, 1899.

Deed from D. J. Lane by Agent to B. F. Duren, dated on or about September 21, 1882.

Deed from S. A. Miller to James W. Miller dated on or about March 14, 1889.

Deed from James W. Miller to H. Wagner, dated on or about September 12, 1889.

Deed from H. Wagner to J. E. Wagner, dated on or about May 22, 1896.

Deed from H. Wagner to R. H. Keith dated on or about July 10, 1900.

Deed from G. H. Mensing and W. E. Mensing Partners, to C. G. Wallace, dated on or about June 7, 1900.

Deed from J. E. Wagner to C. G. Wallace dated on or about June 14, 1900.

Deed from C. G. Wallace to R. H. Keith, dated on or about July 3, 1900.

Deed from A. A. DeBerry and B. F. Duren to Branch T. Masterson and S. A. Miller, dated on or about September 4, 1888.

Deed from William H. Cundiff by Sheriff, to S. A. Miller and A. A. DeBerry, dated on or about September 6, 1888.

Deed by A. A. DeBerry, B. F. Duren and J. C. Wootters to S. A. Miller, dated on or about October 4, 1888.

Deed from B. T. Masterson to R. H. Keith dated on or about July 2, 1900.

Deed from S. A. Miller to Sarah L. Twitty dated on or about June 30, 1890.

Deed from S. L. Twitty to B. F. Duren, dated on or about July 18, 1900.

Deed from B. F. Duren to R. H. Keith, dated on or about July 27, 1900.

Deed from Ella Wagner and husband, Herbert Wagner to Mrs. R. F. Miller and others, dated on or about December 7, 1896.

Partition deed between Amelia Miller and others and Lucy Miller, dated on or about August 17, 1897.

Deed from Lucy Miller to R. H. Keith, dated on or about July 4, 1900.

Deed from R. H. Keith and wife to Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company, dated July 12, 1901.

Deed from Elizabeth Huling Survivor to Ella J. Stewart, dated on or about August 17, 1898, this being a substitute deed.

Deed from W. A. Stewart to Adam Leediker dated on or about December 6, 1893.

Deed from A. N. Leediker (Adam Leediker) to J. W. Hall, dated on or about December 22, 1903.

Deed from J. W. Hall to Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company dated on or about October 31, 1905.

Correction deed from J. W. Hall to Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company dated on or about October 19, 1920.

Quit claim deed from Adam Leediker to Houston County Timber Company, dated May 30, 1925.

Deed from Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company to Houston County Timber Company, dated on or about December 1, 1923.

That plaintiff and those under whom it claims have had and held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession claiming under title and color of title, from and under the sovereignty of the soil, the land claimed and described in this petition for more than three years, for more than five years and for more than ten years, after defendants cause of action accrued, if any ever accrued, and before the commencement of this suit, claiming the same under deed and deeds duly recorded cultivating, using and enjoying the same each and every year and for more than ten years before the commencement of this suit, and pleading the three, five and ten years statutes of limitation.

That defendants are asserting and claiming an interest in said land which clouds the title of plaintiff, and praying that on proof being heard that it have judgment for the land sued for, quieting the title thereto, and removing all clouds therefrom.

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

Witness A. B. Smith, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court in the City of Crockett, 8th day of June A. D. 1925.

(Seal) A. B. Smith, Clerk, District Court, Houston County, Texas.

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The State of Texas—To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the Unknown Heirs of John Appleman, deceased; the Unknown Heirs of Samuel Maas, deceased; the Unknown Heirs of Max Maas, deceased; the Unknown Heirs of Jake Davis, deceased; the Unknown Heirs of J. M. Burroughs, deceased; the Unknown Heirs of Isaac Heidenheimer, deceased; and all persons asserting and claiming any interest in the land hereinafter described, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be held in the courthouse at Crockett, Texas on the twelfth day of October, A. D. 1925 then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 8th day of June A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 6216, wherein the Houston County Timber Company is plaintiff, and the Unknown Heirs of John Appleman, deceased; the Unknown Heirs of Samuel Maas, deceased; the Unknown Heirs of Max Maas, deceased; the Unknown Heirs of Jake Davis, deceased; the Unknown Heirs of Isaac Heidenheimer, deceased; the Unknown Heirs of J. M. Burroughs, deceased; and all persons asserting and claiming any interest in the land sued for, are defendants.

Plaintiff alleges in its petition that it is the owner in fee-simple of 302 64-100 acres of the John Appleman survey of land situated in Houston County, Texas, patented by the State of Texas to John Appleman dated on or about June 22, 1866; as fully set out, in plaintiff's petition and for better description of said land, reference is here made to said petition.

That on account of the destruction of the records of Houston County twice by fire, a great many deeds and links in the chains of title have been destroyed, and are now missing, and a number of other muniments of title and written instruments have been lost or mislaid and cannot now be found and on account thereof, there is a cloud cast upon plaintiff's title and plaintiff sues to remove the same.

That plaintiff deraigns title to the said land, as follows: Patent from the State of Texas to the Heirs of John Appleman, dated on or about June 22, 1866; power of attorney and contract from John Appleman to Samuel Maas, dated on or about March 20, 1840; deed from Samuel Maas to J. M. Burroughs, dated on or about August 6, 1870; deed from J. M. Burroughs to Max Maas, dated on or about January 14, 1872; deed from Max Maas to Isaac Heidenheimer, dated on or about April 2, 1879; power of attorney from Isaac Heidenheimer to Max Maas, dated on or about April 2, 1879; deed from Isaac Heidenheimer by attorney in fact to Jake Davis, dated on or about June 18, 1880; deed by Isaac Heidenheimer by tax collector of Trinity County to Max Maas, dated on or about June 7, 1881; deed by Jake Davis and others to Sam Maas, dated on or about March 21, 1885; deed from Max Maas to Sam Maas, dated on or about July 30, 1890; deed by Jake Davis to Sam Maas, dated on or about March 1, 1885; will of Sam Maas, dated on or about May 18, 1892; order probating said will, dated on or about March 15, 1897; order of court appointing Max Maas, guardian of the persons and estate of the minors, Sam J. Maas, and Mamie F. Maas, bond and oath of Max Maas, guardian of said minors, dated on or about March 21, 1891; Order of Court approving sale of land in the estate of Maas minors, dated on or about January 29, 1900; report of sale in the estate of Maas minors, dated \* \* \* 1900; order approving a sale of the estate of Maas minors, dated on or about January 29, 1900; deed from Max Maas to Sarah D. Maas, dated on or about February 1, 1897; deed from Max Maas and others to R. H. Keith, dated on or about November 14, 1899; deed from Maas minors by guardian to R. H. Keith and wife to Louisiana and Texas Lumber Company, dated on or about July 12, 1901; deed from R. H. Keith and wife to Louisiana and Texas Lumber Company, dated on or about July 12, 1901; Judgment of Louisiana and Texas Lumber Company against Albert Moore and others, dated on or about November 10, 1903; deed from Louisiana and Texas Lumber Company to the Houston County Timber Company, dated on or about December 1, 1923.

That plaintiff and those under whom it claims have had and held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession, claiming under title and color of title, from and under the sovereignty of the soil, the land claimed and described in this petition for more than three years, for more than five years and for more than ten years, after defendants' cause of action accrued, if any ever accrued, and before the commencement of this suit, claiming the same under deed and deeds duly recorded, cultivating, using and enjoying the same each and every year and paying the taxes thereon for a period of more than five years, and for more than ten years before the commencement of this suit, and pleading the three, five and ten years statutes of limitation.

That defendants are asserting and claiming an interest in said land which clouds the title of plaintiff, and praying that on proof being heard that it have judgment for the land sued for, quieting the title thereto, and removing all clouds therefrom.

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Witness A. B. Smith, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court in the City of Crockett, 8th day of June A. D. 1925.

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You are hereby commanded to summon the Unknown Heirs of L. J. Rutherford deceased, the Unknown Heirs of T. S. Dodson deceased, the Unknown Heirs of William H. Willis deceased, and all persons asserting and claiming any interest in the land hereinafter described, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be held at the Court House thereof at Crockett, on the 12th day of October A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 8th day of June A. D. 1925, in a suit No. 6218 on the Docket of the District Court, wherein Houston County Timber Company is plaintiff, and the Unknown Heirs of L. J. Rutherford deceased, the Unknown Heirs of T. S. Dodson deceased, the Unknown Heirs of L. S. Dodson deceased, the Unknown Heirs of William H. Willis deceased, and all persons asserting and claiming any interest in the land sued for, are defendants.

That plaintiff alleges in its petition that it is the owner in fee-simple of 320 acres of land, the C. J. Gribbsby Survey in Houston County, Texas, patented by the State of Texas, to L. J. Rutherford, assignee of C. J. Gribbsby, as fully set out in plaintiff's petition, and that on account of the destruction of the deed records of Houston County, twice by fire, a great many deeds and links in chains of titles have been destroyed, and are now missing, and there does not appear of record any proper conveyance of this land by L. J. Rutherford during his life time, and no evidence of a proper conveyance by all of his heirs since his death, and on account thereof there is a cloud cast upon plaintiff's title, the original deeds having been lost, and cannot now be produced, and the missing records supplied by recording same.

That plaintiff deraigns title to the land claimed by it and herein sued for as follows:

Patent from the State of Texas to L. J. Rutherford, Assignee of Charles J. Gribbsby, dated August 12, 1859.

Deed from Thomas S. Dodson to H. W. Moore dated June 1, 1871.

Judgment of R. H. Keith against the Unknown Heirs of L. J. Rutherford, District Court Houston County Texas, Spring Term 1901.

Deed from H. W. Moore to R. H. Keith dated May 1, 1900.

Deed from R. H. Keith and wife, Mary L. Keith, to Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company, dated July 12, 1901.

Deed from Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company to Houston County Timber Company, dated December 1, 1923.

That plaintiff and those under whom it claims have had and held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession, claiming under title and color of title, from and under the sovereignty of the soil, the land claimed and described in this petition for more than three years, for more than five years and for more than ten years, after defendants cause of action accrued, if any ever accrued, and before the commencement of this suit, claiming the same under deed and deeds duly recorded cultivating, using and enjoying the same each and every year and paying the taxes thereon for a period of more than five years, and for more than ten years before the commencement of this suit, and pleading the three, five and ten years statutes of limitation.

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Plaintiff alleges in its petition that it is the owner in fee-simple of 294 5-10 acres of land of the Sydney Smith survey of land situated in Houston County, Texas, Patented by the State of Texas to Sydney Smith's heirs, dated on or about May 5, 1868, as fully set out, in plaintiff's petition and for better description of said land, reference is here made to said petition.

That on account of the destruction of the records of Houston County twice by fire, a great many deeds and links in the chain of title have been destroyed, and are now missing, and a number of other muniments of title and written instruments have been lost or mislaid and cannot now be found and on account thereof, there is a cloud cast upon plaintiff's title and plaintiff sues to remove the same.

That plaintiff deraigns title to the said land, as follows: Patent from the State of Texas to Sydney Smith's heirs, dated on or about May 5, 1868; judgment of David Childers against W. H. Cundiff, dated on or about September 21, 1879; order in the estate of Jesse Duren, deceased, to sell land, dated on or about November 26, 1867; deed by administrator of the estate of Jesse Duren, deceased, to David Childers, dated on or about September 26, 1879; deed from David Childers, to S. C. Haile, dated on or about March 2, 1883; deed of assignment by Samuel C. Haile to N. E. Allbright, dated on or about September 20, 1884; appointment of B. B. Arrington as assignee of the estate of S. C. Haile, dated September 26, 1884; deed from B. B. Arrington assignee to Kaufman and Runge, dated on or about January 22, 1885; deed by Kaufman and Runge to Clara Kaufman, dated on or about August 4, 1887; deed from Clara Kaufman to Freda Kaufman, dated on or about April 1, 1903; power of attorney from Freda Kaufman and husband to F. Huber, dated on or about April 1, 1903; deed from Freda Kaufman and husband by agent and attorney in fact to Louisiana and Texas Lumber Company, dated on or about September 19, 1905; judgment in case of Wilhelmine M. Easby-Smith and others against Louisiana and Texas Lumber Company, dated on or about November 4, 1910; deed by Louisiana and Texas Lumber Company to Emma Wortham, dated on or about July 3, 1911; judgment of Louisiana and Texas Lumber Company against Richard Mask, dated on or about November 11, 1912; deed from Richard Mask and Emma Wortham to Houston County Timber Company, dated on or about March 10, 1925; deed from Louisiana and Texas Lumber Company to the Houston County Timber Company, dated on or about December 1, 1923.

That plaintiff and those under whom it claims have had and held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession claiming under title and color of title, from and under the sovereignty of the soil, the land claimed and described in this petition for more than three years, for more than five years and for more than ten years after defendants' cause of action accrued, if any ever accrued, and before the commencement of this suit, claiming the same under deed and deeds duly recorded, cultivating, using and enjoying the same each and every year and paying the taxes thereon for a period of more than five years, and for more than a period of ten years before the commencement of this suit, and pleading the three, five and ten years statutes of limitation.

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The State of Texas—To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the Unknown Heirs of Jesse Duren deceased, Unknown Heirs of William T. English deceased, Unknown Heirs of Albert Moore deceased, Unknown Heirs of Katie Allen deceased, Unknown Heirs of Joseph Luce Jr. deceased, Unknown Heirs of Katie Luce deceased, Unknown Heirs of F. H. Dulaney deceased, Unknown Heirs of Julia A. Dulaney deceased, Unknown Heirs of J. A. Durham deceased, Unknown Heirs of Joseph Luce Sr. deceased, Unknown Heirs of Jennie Luce deceased, Unknown Heirs of Paul Durham deceased, Unknown Heirs of Dollie Shelton deceased, Unknown Heirs of Florence Luce deceased, Unknown Heirs of Mrs. J. A. Durham deceased, Unknown Heirs of Hiram Luce deceased, Unknown Heirs of Thompson Hammons deceased, Unknown Heirs of Mary Ann Glover deceased, Unknown Heirs of William Glover deceased, Unknown Heirs of Malinda Hammons deceased, Unknown Heirs of Margaret Hammons deceased, Unknown Heirs of Eliza Hammons deceased, Unknown Heirs of Sallie Luce Murray deceased, Unknown Heirs of Sam Murray deceased, Unknown Heirs of Linda Luce Harrell deceased, Unknown Heirs of Lude Harrell deceased, Unknown Heirs of G. W. Roberts deceased, Unknown Heirs of J. W. Saxon deceased, Unknown Heirs of Jennie Oliver deceased, Unknown Heirs of Ruben Oliver deceased, Unknown Heirs of James Luce deceased, Unknown Heirs of Clarinda Luce Huling and John Huling, deceased, William Luce, Daniel Washington Minear, Buck Murray, James Luce, Clarinda Luce Huling, William Luce, Alec Luce, Lemuel Luce, S. L. Luce, Jim Luce, Almedia Luce Hathorn and her husband, Hathorn, Mattie Luce Hathorn and her husband Fed Hathorn, T. L. (Tom) Luce, W. R. (Bud) Luce, Sarah Luce, Crockett Luce, Dock Luce, George Luce, Texana Dorsett and husband Mack Dorsett, Richmond Luce, John Luce, Jeff Luce, James F. Hammons, Liza Hammons, V. M. Hammons, Fannie Hammons Parker and husband, Parker, W. H. Hammons, Maggie Hammons, Sarah Hammons Thompson, and husband, Thompson, whose residences are unknown to plaintiff, and all other persons asserting and claiming any interest in the land hereinafter described, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks, previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be holden at the Court House thereof in Crockett, Houston County, on the 12th day of October, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 12th day of June, A. D. 1925, in a suit No. 6225, on the docket of said court, wherein the Houston County Timber Company is plaintiff, and the Unknown Heirs of Jesse Duren deceased, Unknown Heirs of William T. English deceased, Unknown Heirs of Albert Moore deceased, Unknown Heirs of Katie Allen deceased, Unknown Heirs of Joseph Luce Jr. deceased, Unknown Heirs of Katie Luce deceased, Unknown Heirs of F. H. Dulaney deceased, Unknown Heirs of Julia A. Dulaney deceased, Unknown Heirs of J. A. Durham deceased, Unknown Heirs of Joseph Luce Sr. deceased, Unknown Heirs of Paul Durham deceased, Unknown Heirs of Dollie Shelton deceased, Unknown Heirs of Florence Luce deceased, Unknown Heirs of J. A. Durham deceased, Unknown Heirs of Jennie Luce deceased, Unknown Heirs of Hiram Luce deceased, Unknown Heirs of Thompson Hammons deceased, Unknown Heirs of Mary Ann Glover deceased, Unknown Heirs of William Glover deceased, Unknown Heirs of Malinda Hammons deceased, Unknown Heirs of Margaret Hammons deceased, Unknown Heirs of Eliza Hammons deceased, Unknown Heirs of Sallie Luce Murray deceased, Unknown Heirs of Sam Murray deceased, Unknown Heirs of Linda Luce Harrell deceased, Unknown Heirs of Lude Harrell deceased, Unknown Heirs of G. W. Roberts deceased, Unknown Heirs of J. W. Saxon deceased, Unknown Heirs of Jennie Oliver deceased, Unknown Heirs of Ruben Oliver deceased, Unknown Heirs of James Luce deceased, Unknown Heirs of Clarinda Luce Huling and John Huling, deceased, William Luce, Daniel Washington Minear, Buck Murray, James Luce, Clarinda Luce Huling, William Luce, Alec Luce, Lemuel Luce, S. L. Luce, Jim Luce, Almedia Luce Hathorn and her husband, Hathorn, Mattie Luce Hathorn and her husband Fed Hathorn, T. L. (Tom) Luce, W. R. (Bud) Luce, Sarah Luce, Crockett Luce, Dock Luce, George Luce, Texana Dorsett and husband Mack Dorsett, Richard Luce, John Luce, Jeff Luce, James F. Hammons, Liza Hammons, V. M. Hammons, Fannie Hammons Parker and husband, Parker, W. H. Hammons, Maggie Hammons, Sarah Hammons Thompson, and husband, Thompson, whose residences are unknown to plaintiff, and all other persons asserting and claiming any interest in the land sued for, whose names and residences are unknown to plaintiff, and Sarah A. Luce, Beeman Strong, Sarah Jane Luce Veal, and husband, Jim Veal, are defendants.

That Plaintiff alleging in its petition that it is the owner in fee-simple

of 638 9-10 acres of the W. T. English Survey of land, situated in Houston County, Texas, Patented by the State of Texas to Jesse Duren, Assignee of William T. English, and fully set out in plaintiff's petition, and that on account of the destruction of the deed records of Houston County, twice by fire, a great many deeds and links in chains of title have been destroyed, and are now missing, and there does not appear of record any proper conveyance of this land by Jesse Duren, during his life time, and no evidence of any proper conveyance of same by all of his heirs since his death, and on account thereof, there is a cloud cast upon plaintiff's title, the original deeds having been lost and cannot now be produced and the missing records supplied by recording same.

That plaintiff derains title to the land claimed by it and herein sued for, as follows: Patent from the State of Texas to Jesse Duren Assignee of William T. English, dated on or about September 23, 1871.

Order to sell land in the estate of Jesse Duren deceased, dated November 26, 1867.

Report of sale in said estate, dated on or about June 2, 1877.

Order of Sale in said estate made at the January Term 1877, of the Probate Court of Houston County.

Deed by Administrator of said estate to J. C. Wootters, dated on or about June 9, 1877.

Deed from J. C. Wootters to R. H. Keith, dated on or about December 28, 1899.

Deed from J. A. Durham and wife to R. H. Keith dated on or about December 27, 1899.

Deed from R. H. Keith and wife to Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company, dated on or about July 12, 1901.

Judgment by the Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company against Albert Moore and others, dated on or about November 10, 1903, and other judgments between the same parties dated on or about October 12, 1908.

Deed from Jesse Duren to Joseph Luce Jr., dated on or about May 10, 1859.

Deed from Jesse Duren to Joseph Luce Sr., dated March 16, 1872.

Deed from Sarah Luce to Thompson Hammons dated on or about December 15, 1875.

Deed from Thomas Hammons to F. H. Dulaney dated October 20, 1877.

Deed from J. C. Wootters and J. W. Saxon to H. L. T. Durham dated on or about August 29, 1883.

Deed from H. L. T. Durham to J. A. Durham dated December 28, 1885.

Deed from Jesse Duren to Joseph Luce Sr., dated on or about March 8, 1860.

Deed from Richard Luce and others to Dollie Shelton dated on or about May 15, 1901.

Deed from T. L. (Tom) Luce and W. R. (Bud) Luce, to Dollie Shelton, dated on or about June 21, 1902.

Deed from Dollie Shelton to A. Harris & Company, dated on or about June 21, 1902.

Deed from Maggie Hammons and others to Paul Durham, dated on or about November 16, 1903.

Deed from Crockett Luce and others to A. Harris & Company, dated on or about October 8, 1906.

Deed from A. Harris & Company to Southern Pine Lumber Company, dated on or about June 14, 1905.

Power of Attorney from A. Harris to Louis Lipschitz dated on or about January 12, 1901.

Release of lien by A. Harris & Company to Southern Pine Lumber Company, dated July 15, 1907.

Release of lien by A. Harris & Company to Southern Pine Lumber Company, dated on or about October 6, 1908.

Deed from Southern Pine Lumber Company to Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company, dated February 4, 1918.

Judgment of Southern Pine Lumber Company against Richard Luce and others, dated on or about April 11, 1910.

Judgment of Louisiana and Texas Lumber Company, against Katie Allen and others dated on or about November 21, 1911.

Judgment of Southern Pine Lumber Company against Paul Durham and others, dated on or about November 10, 1913.

Judgment of R. H. Keith against J. A. Durham, and others, dated on or about April 5, 1901.

Power of Attorney and deed by Richard Luce and others to A. A. Aldrich dated on or about January 28, 1909.

Power of Attorney by Katie Luce to A. A. Aldrich dated on or about April 6, 1909.

Deed from Katie Allen and others by Agent and Attorney to Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company, dated August 26, 1911.

Deed from J. A. Durham and others to Burriss Shumaker, dated on or about January 8, 1912.

Power of Attorney from Maggie and Eliza Hammons (Hammons) to Aldrich and Lipscomb, dated on or about April 1901.

Deed from Maggie and Eliza Hammons by agent and attorney to J. V. Collins, et al, dated on or about day of, (Acknowledged May 9, 1901).

Deed from Aldrich and Lipscomb to Houston County Timber Company, dated June 19, 1924.

Deed from J. V. Collins to J. W. Howard, dated October 24, 1905.

Deed from J. W. Howard and others to N. D. Wright, dated October 10, 1905.

Deed from N. D. Wright to Southern Pine Lumber Company, dated on or about October 30, 1905.

Deed from Southern Pine Lumber Company to Louisiana and Texas Lumber Company, dated July 29, 1913.

Order of Court appointing adminis-

trator of the Estate of Jesse Duren deceased, dated September Term 1865.

Bond of administrator of said estate, dated September 25, 1865.

Deed from T. C. Luce and others to J. C. Wootters, dated November 24, 1900.

Deed from Burriss Shumaker and wife to Holt Durham, dated on or about October 4, 1913.

Deed from J. A. Durham and others to Holt Durham dated on or about August 3, 1916.

Deed from Holt Durham and wife to Beeman Strong dated August 25, 1916.

Deed from Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company to Houston County Timber Company, dated December 1st, 1923.

That plaintiff and those under whom it claims have had and held the peaceable, continuous, and adverse possession, claiming under title and color of title, from and under the sovereignty of the soil, the land claimed and described in this petition, for more than three years, for more than five years, and for more than ten years after defendant's cause of action accrued, if any ever accrued, and before the commencement of this suit, claiming the same under deed and deeds duly recorded, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, each and every year, and paying the taxes thereon for a period of more than five years, and for more than ten years before the commencement of this suit, and pleading the three, five, and ten years statutes of limitation.

That defendants are asserting and claiming an interest in said land which clouds the title of plaintiff, and praying that on proof being heard that it have judgment for the land sued for, quieting the title thereto, and removing all clouds therefrom.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court on said first day of next term thereof, this Writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed same.

WITNESS A. B. Smith, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of said Court in the City of Crockett, the 12th day of June, A. D. 1925.

(Seal) A. B. Smith,  
Clerk, District Court,  
Houston County, Texas.

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The State of Texas—To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the Unknown Heirs of Samuel J. W. Long deceased, Unknown Heirs of Jackson H. Denman deceased, Unknown Heirs of J. H. McKee deceased, Unknown Heirs of Hyman Blum deceased, Unknown Heirs of Lum Stewart deceased, Unknown Heirs of J. B. Harkins deceased, Unknown Heirs of I. M. Harkins deceased, Unknown Heirs of W. L. Yates deceased, Unknown Heirs of Edna Yates deceased, the Leon & H. Blum Land Company, a defunct corporation, and all of the stockholders of said corporation, whose names and residences are unknown, and all persons asserting and claiming any interest in the land hereinafter described, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks, previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, at Crockett, on the 12th day of October, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 11th day of June, A. D. 1925, in a suit No. 6224 on the Docket of said District Court, wherein Houston County Timber Company is plaintiff, and the Unknown Heirs of Samuel J. W. Long deceased, Unknown Heirs of Jackson H. Denman deceased, Unknown Heirs of J. H. McKee deceased, Unknown Heirs of Hyman Blum deceased, Unknown Heirs of Lum Stewart deceased, Unknown Heirs of J. B. Harkins deceased, Unknown Heirs of I. M. Harkins deceased, Unknown Heirs of W. L. Yates deceased, Unknown Heirs of Edna Yates deceased, the Leon & H. Blum Land Company, a defunct corporation, and all of the stockholders of said corporation, whose names and residences are unknown, and all persons asserting and claiming any interest in the land sued for, whose names and residences are unknown to plaintiff, and George Ratcliff, and wife Lucinda Ratcliff, who reside in Houston County, Texas, are defendants.

That plaintiff alleging in its petition that it is the owner in fee-simple of 200 acres of land out of the Samuel J. W. Long 640 Acre Survey, situated in Houston County, Texas, patented by the State of Texas, to Samuel J. W. Long, as fully set out in plaintiff's petition, and on account of the destruction of the deed records of Houston County, twice by fire, a great many deeds and links in chains of titles have been destroyed, and are now missing, and there does not appear of record any proper conveyance of this land by Samuel J. W. Long during his life time, and no evidence of any proper conveyance of same by all of his heirs since his death, and on account thereof, there is a cloud cast upon plaintiff's title, the original deeds having been lost, and cannot now be produced, and the missing records supplied by recording same.

That plaintiff derains title to the land claimed by it and herein sued for as follows: Patent from the State of Texas, to Samuel J. W. Long dated on or about April 16, 1848.

Deed from Samuel J. W. Long to Jackson H. Denman dated May 4, 1857.

Deed from J. H. Denman to F. Josephine Brooks, dated November 29, 1866.

Deed from Josephine Brooks and Husband, James W. Brooks to J. M. or (H.) McKee, dated January 12, 1869.

Deed from J. M. McKee to J. B. Harkins, dated December 11, 1879.

Deed from J. B. Harkins to B. E. Hail dated March 25, 1884.

Deed from Hyman Blum to George and Lucinda Ratcliff dated March 9, 1887.

Deed from George and Lucinda Ratcliff to Hyman Blum, dated March 9, 1887.

Deed of trust from George and Lucinda Ratcliff to A. S. Mair Trustee for Hyman Blum, dated March 9, 1887.

Deed from A. S. Mair, trustee to Hyman Blum dated on April 23, 1888.

Power of Attorney from Hyman Blum to Leon Blum, dated March 6, 1874.

Deed from Hyman Blum by Agent and Attorney to the Leon & H. Blum Land Company, dated August 28, 1889.

Deed from B. E. Hail to the Leon & H. Blum Land Company, dated November 15, 1890.

Deed from The Leon & H. Blum Land Company to J. C. Wootters, dated August 6, 1891.

Will of J. C. Wootters deceased, dated April 29, 1862.

Codicil to said Will, dated April 19, 1900.

Proof of said Will and the order probating same, dated August 1, 1904.

Oath of Administrators dated September 26, 1905.

Order appointing administrators dated September 6, 1905.

Power of Attorney from United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, to Edward R. Lewis, and others, dated April 5, 1904.

Inventory and Appraisement in the Estate of J. C. Wootters deceased, dated December 14, 1904.

Application to sell land of said estate, dated February Term 1906.

Order granting application to sell land, dated February 14, 1916.

Report of sale of land, dated September 8, 1906.

Order confirming sale, dated September 14, 1906.

Deed of Administrators of said Estate, to Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company, dated October 10, 1906.

Deed from J. B. Harkins to B. E. Hail, dated March 25, 1884.

Deed from J. B. Harkins to Lum Stewart, dated February 14, 1890.

Deed from J. B. Harkins and wife to W. L. Yates, and others, dated November 8, 1894.

Confirmation deed from W. L. Yates and others to the Heirs of Edna Yates, dated December 28, 1900.

Confirmation deed from W. L. Yates and others; to the Heirs of Edna Yates, dated December 28, 1900.

Release of Vendor's Lien from W. E. Mays to W. L. Yates and others, dated December 18, 1905.

Deed from W. L. Yates to J. E. Currie, dated December 20, 1900.

Deed from J. E. Currie to R. H. Keith, dated December 22, 1900.

Deed from R. H. Keith and wife, to Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company, dated July 12, 1901.

Tenancy Contract by George and Lucinda Ratcliff to Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company, dated November 13, 1915.

Deed from Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company, to Houston County Timber Company, dated December 1, 1923.

That plaintiff and those under whom it claims have had and held peaceable, continuous, and adverse possession, claiming under title and color of title, from and under the sovereignty of the soil, the land claimed and described in this petition, for more than three years, for more than five years, and for more than ten years after defendants' cause of action accrued, if any ever accrued, and before the commencement of this suit, claiming the same under deed and deeds duly recorded, cultivating using and enjoying the same, each and every year, and paying the taxes thereon for a period of more than five years, and for more than a period of ten years before the commencement of this suit, and pleading the three, five and ten years statutes of limitation.

That defendants are asserting and claiming an interest in said land which clouds the title of plaintiff, and praying that on proof being heard that it have judgment for the land sued for, quieting the title thereto, and removing all clouds therefrom.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court on said first day of next term thereof, this Writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed same.

WITNESS A. B. Smith, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of said Court in the City of Crockett, this 11th day of June, A. D. 1925.

(Seal) A. B. Smith,  
Clerk District Court,  
Houston County, Texas.

scribed, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day thereof, in some newspaper published in your County, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, Texas, to be holden on the Twelfth day of October, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 12th day of June, A. D. 1925, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 6227, wherein the Houston County Timber Company is Plaintiff, and the Unknown Heirs of James English, deceased; the Unknown Heirs of Thomas Vaughn, deceased; the Unknown Heirs of Eliza J. Dodson, deceased; the Unknown Heirs of E. J. Dodson, deceased; the Unknown Heirs of Lucinda English, deceased; the Unknown Heirs of Lizzie English, deceased; the Unknown Heirs of M. E. English, deceased; the Unknown Heirs of E. M. English, deceased; the Unknown Heirs of Eliza Irene English, deceased; W. T. Dodson whose residence is unknown and W. J. Dodson whose residence is unknown; Alice English, M. C. English, Frank English, Bertie English Neaves, Earnest Neaves, J. T. Thomas, Myrtle English, a femme sole; Ethel English, Jessie English, and Webb English, Minors; K. D. English, Margurite English, Travis English, minors; Sudie Young and her husband Monroe Young, George English, Inez English Webb, a femme sole; May Baker, J. R. Baker, R. B. English, Emma Landrum, Lince Landrum, Page English, Cora Beavers, Charles Beavers, Walter Stubblefield, Fannie Thomason, Tom Thomason, William Thomas and J. T. Thomas and all persons asserting and claiming any interest in the land sued for are defendants.

Plaintiff alleges in its petition that it is the owner in fee-simple of 320 acres, the Wm. D. Harrison Survey of land situated in Houston County, Texas, patented by the State of Texas to James English, dated on or about November 20, 1899; as fully set out in plaintiff's petition, and for better description of said land reference is here made to said petition.

That on account of the destruction of the records of Houston County twice by fire, a great many deeds and links in the chain of title have been destroyed and are now missing, and a number of other muniments of title and written instruments have been lost or mislaid and cannot now be found, and on account thereof, there is a cloud cast upon plaintiff's title and plaintiff sues to remove the same.

That plaintiff derains title to the said land, as follows: Patent from the State of Texas, to the Heirs of James English; assignee of William D. Harrison, dated on November 20, 1899; deed by Thomas Vaughn by sheriff to T. P. Collins, dated July 7, 1868; in the matter of estate of Thomas P. Collins, will, dated December 4, 1867; order probating said will, dated July 27, 1869; deed by Emiline M. Collins and Mary C. Wilson to Houston and Great Northern Railroad Company, dated April 27, 1872; I. & G. N. Railroad Company to Edwin T. or F. Hatfield, Jr., dated on or about September 15, 1874; deed by Edwin T. or F. Hatfield, Jr., to Texas Land Company, dated October 8, 1874; deed by Texas Land Company to New York and Texas Land Company, dated on or about November 20, 1880; deed by I. & G. N. Railroad Co. to New York Texas Land Co. Ltd., dated December 30, 1902; E. J. Dodson and husband W. T. or W. J. Dodson to New York and Texas Land Co. Ltd., dated May 8, 1900; deed by New York and Texas Land Co. Ltd. to R. H. Keith dated November 1, 1899; R. H. Keith and wife Mary L. Keith to La. & Tex. Lmbr. Co, dated July 12, 1901; deed from La. & Tex. Lbr. Co. to the Houston County Timber Company, dated December 1, 1923.

That plaintiff and those under whom it claims have had and held peaceable, continuous, and adverse possession, claiming under title and color of title, from and under the sovereignty of the soil, the land claimed and described in plaintiff's petition, for more than three years, for more than five years, and for more than ten years after defendants' cause of action accrued, if any ever accrued, and before the commencement of this suit, claiming the same under deed and deeds duly recorded, cultivating using and enjoying the same, each and every year, and paying the taxes thereon for a period of more than five years, and for more than a period of ten years before the commencement of this suit, and pleading the three, five and ten years statutes of limitation.

That defendants are asserting and claiming an interest in said land which clouds the title of plaintiff, and praying that on proof being heard that it have judgment for the land sued for, quieting the title thereto, and removing all clouds therefrom.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court on said first day of next term thereof, this Writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed same.

WITNESS A. B. Smith, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of said Court in the City of Crockett, the 12th day of June, A. D. 1925.

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Clerk District Court,  
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The smaller the town, the less is required to produce a violent case of swell head.

A girl arrested in Los Angeles was not a movie star, but it wasn't her fault.

## HON. JOHN LEGORY WRITES OF HIS TRIP

Crockett, Texas,  
June 29, 1925.

Mr. W. W. Aiken,  
City.

Dear Billy:

Responding to your kind suggestion that I write some observations on my recent trip have hurriedly prepared the following which might be of some interest to the readers of the Courier:

The first four weeks was spent at and near Hot Springs, Arkansas, where Arch Baker and myself received some benefits from the bath treatments and long walks over the splendidly kept mountain roads and paths throughout the government reservation. The U. S. government controls the bathing facilities that are supplied from the famous hot springs and regulates the conditions, charges, etc.

In addition to the many bath houses that are operated by private parties under government direction the government operates a free bath house for the use of those unable to provide accommodations at the other bath houses that make a charge of from \$15.00 to \$20.00 for a course of twenty-one baths which include the services of an attendant.

Upon making proper affidavit of one's inability to procure the treatments at the pay houses the government will furnish medical and bath treatments without cost provided the patient continues to comply with prescribed regulations. The facilities of the free bath house compare very favorably with those operated by individuals, and in furnishing this service and providing the healthful environment of the beautifully kept mountain roads and highways, Hot Springs makes just claim to the distinction of being "Nature's Sanitarium."

Leaving Hot Springs May 28, after a stay of 3½ weeks, I returned to St. Louis with a friend who had run down from his Missouri home to see me at the Springs. We spent two days going over this rapidly growing city which was very familiar to him on account of having resided there for several years while attending George Washington University.

Responding to a very cordial invitation from our mutual friend, Mr. G. Carl Areford of Uniontown, Pa., to visit the family, I left St. Louis and arrived in that marvelously active industrial center, Pittsburg, Pa., May 30 in time to witness the Memorial Day parade with Miss Areford, the accomplished sister of my friend, who was expecting me through information from her brother, and her intelligent knowledge of the activities of the city and section made my day a most pleasant and interesting one.

Of course, the most pleasant and interesting part of my trip was spent as a guest in the Areford home in Uniontown, Pa. This is a highly developed industrial center of 25,000 population, being the county seat of Fayette county and being served by the Pennsylvania and B. & O. railroads. It is strategically situated on the famous National Highway and it is estimated that 250,000 tourists passed through the city in 1924.

In addition to being a fine industrial center, serving a population of near 50,000 workers in the coal and coke industry which centers here, Uniontown is a most delightful place in which to live as the climatic conditions throughout the summer months are most pleasant. The famous Uniontown Mountain Climb, where automobile manufacturers test their cars for endurance and speed, enables the residents to reach an altitude of 2600 feet in less than an hour and the exhilarating mountain air refreshes the city most of the summer.

While the coal and coke indus-

try is very much depressed at this time, many substantial evidences of improvement were noted since my former visit eleven years before, and above all the same cordial greeting and generous hospitality of the splendid citizenship.

Our friend Areford and his brother, Earl, are leaders in all lines of wholesome endeavor for the proper development of their splendid community. The newly organized chamber of commerce selected him as president, and he and Mr. Walter Schenck, the efficient secretary, are inaugurating some comprehensive plans for a reawakening of industrial activity.

The splendid system of highways throughout Pennsylvania and neighboring states makes it not only easy to reach remote points in a day's ride, but motoring is a real delight under such ideal conditions. One day we drove to Morgantown, W. Va., which is a very nice little city and the seat of the state university. The extensive coal operations during the war period made this community a veritable bee hive of industry, but the strike of the coal miners and the falling off of demand has changed things considerably. The general situation in the bituminous coal fields throughout Pennsylvania and West Virginia is thought to be largely influenced by the attitude of the United Mine Workers in striking for a higher wage scale in defiance of the economic law of supply and demand and the operating methods of the H. C. Frick Company, the coal and coke producing subsidiary of the U. S. Steel Co. This company has acquired large acreage of coal lands which is connected up by a system of underground haulage. The coal after being mined is hauled underground to a loading place on the Monongahela river, loaded into barges and conveyed to their big by-product plant, a considerable distance down the river, and it is said that by this method of transportation the cost is only one-tenth of the old method by rail. It is also claimed that by-products extracted take care of the entire cost of operation, leaving the coke as clear profit. The heavy initial investment of many million dollars in the by-product plants gives a concern like the U. S. Steel Company a large advantage over a small independent operator, as it is impossible for them to produce their product in competition with their methods.

After going through a good part of the operating district we returned by way of Cheek Haven on the Cheek river, where the West Penn. Electric Company is putting in a stupendous system of dams and improvements for the purpose of supplying electric current for a large territory. This is an immense project, said to be among the largest of the kind in the world, and will represent an investment of many millions of dollars when completed.

A most delightful day's outing was a trip to Mountain Lake Park and Deer Park, Maryland, with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Areford. This is a beautiful drive of near 100 miles and traverses some of the most beautiful scenery in that interesting section. Deer Park enjoys the distinction of providing the atmosphere and environment for the honeymoon trip of Grover Cleveland.

Many interesting drives and side trips were taken, but the most extensive was a three-day trip beginning Saturday, June 12. Leaving Uniontown at 7:30 a. m. we reached Hagerstown, Md., for lunch, a distance of about 135 miles; thence to Chambersburg, Penn., an attractive little city of culture, being the seat of Wilson College, one of the prominent female colleges of the country and the alma mater of Miss Ruth Warfield of our city. Here we took the Lincoln highway and drove to Gettysburg, Pa., for the night and an inspection of the battlefield. The historical interest of this place

draws an estimated number of two million tourists annually and converts what would ordinarily be a very quiet little community of 5000 or 6000 into a very live place, especially on week-ends.

Large appropriations are made for the preservation and beautification of the land embraced in this battle field which is controlled by the government, due regard being given to preserving the essential historical features. The park commission, under whose control the property is handled, have a number of authorized guides to escort visitors around, explaining locations, etc., at a nominal charge. A feeling of awe and depression naturally creeps over one while standing on these hillsides that were drenched in fratricidal blood in 1863.

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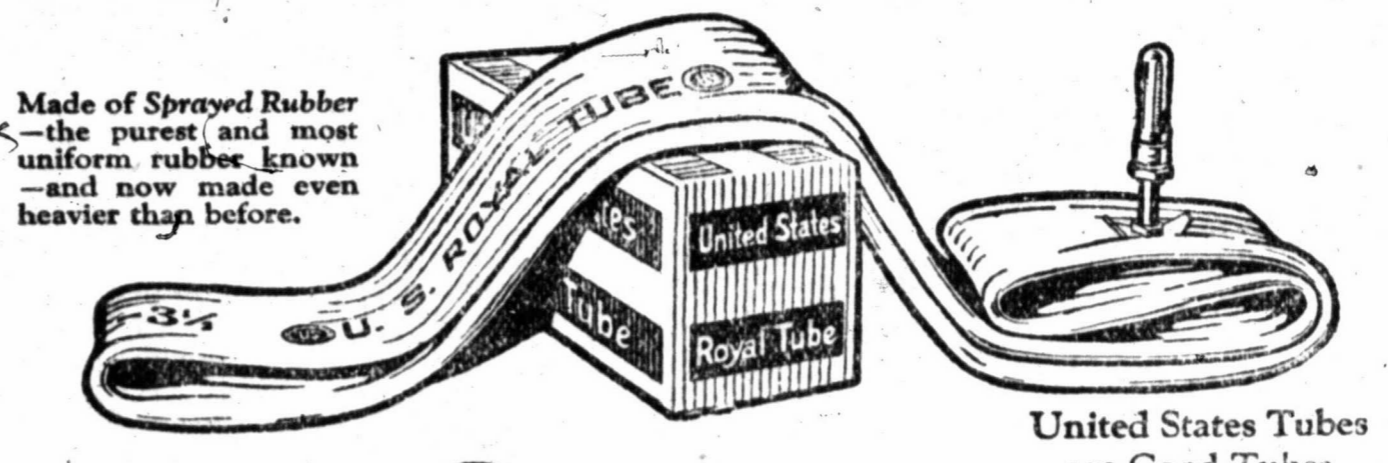
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inspections of this kind naturally make us have a broader appreciation of the superiority of our country, for we are not dependent upon any one industry, but have them all in abundance to contribute to our greatness. We of Texas and the south have our cotton and other crops, the proceeds of which swell the nation's wealth, while the great section that I have just enjoyed visiting has its vast mineral resources and kindred interests to balance up our common greatness; and when one part of the country has temporary depression, the other usually balances the deficiency and thus enables us to enjoy the distinction of being citizens of the greatest nation of the world.

Yours very truly,  
John LeGory.

Y. W. A. Social.

The Y. W. A. Missionary society met Tuesday afternoon, June 22, with Mrs. Forrest West. Mrs. L. H. Arnold was leader and chose as her subject "Foreign Missions." The following program was carried out:

1. Send the Light—song by society.
2. Scripture reading—first chapter of Mark, by leader.
3. China's Missionaries—Mrs. Arnold.
4. Japan—Mrs. E. P. Adams.
5. Southern Baptists in the Near East, Mrs. Clements.
6. Baptist progress and opportunity in Brazil—Mrs. Barlow.
7. Work in Mexico Fields—Mrs. Mize.
8. Sunshine of Your Smile—solo, Mrs. H. A. LeMay.

This concluding the missionary program, we were entertained with various conundrums and the one answering the most correctly being awarded a big box of candy. Mrs. B. G. Adair was the lucky one but seeing so many hungry faces was kind enough to pass it and each declaring the best candy ever.

Then our hostess, ably assisted by Mesdames Merriwether and Allee, served delicious ice cream and cake.

We had as our guest Mesdames Ruth Hill of Livingston and Canady of New Waverly.

A Guest.

Seventeenth at Marquez.

Crockett's baseball team journeyed to Marquez Saturday to meet the Concord team. Concord failed to develop any serious opposition and both teams

agreed to stop the slaughter at the end of the fifth inning. Powledge attempted to pitch in the fifth inning and hit the first batter, who eventually scored, saving the Leon county team a shutout. Reynolds and Minnick hit doubles, Monzingo a triple and Powledge two home runs. Crockett players got put out intentionally to speed up the game.

Score by innings: R. H. E.  
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Concord 000 01 1 0 7  
Batteries: Davis, Powledge, Davis and Monzingo; Troy, Turner and Hubert.

### Singing at Center Hill.

A singing will be held at Center Hill Sunday, July 5, and every one is cordially invited to come and bring a well-filled basket of dinner.

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# WRIGLEYS



**LOCAL NEWS ITEMS**

Thomas Moore has returned from Kerens.

J. H. Smith was at home from Dallas Sunday.

J. W. Bennett has returned from a trip to Houston.

Miss Modine Thompson was a visitor in Houston last week.

Miss Katherine Powell has returned from a visit to Palestine.

Mrs. W. H. Denny and Miss Grace Denny are visiting in New York.

Miss Marguerite Sullivan of La Mesa is visiting Miss Lucille Jordan.

Miss Emma Craddock is on a two weeks' visit at Georgetown and Austin.

Miss Lucia Painter of Houston will spend the holiday week-end in Crockett.

James Crawford of Fullerton, La., was a business visitor in Crockett last week.

Humming Bird hosiery wear longer.

It. Caprielian Bros. & Co.

Mrs. Joe Brown Stanton has returned from a visit to friends in Houston and Galveston.

Humming Bird hosiery is guaranteed by us.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Fountain of Harlingen are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bennett and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Jo Ed Winfree of Houston were here for the funeral of Mark King Winfree Monday.

Will Denny of Dallas visited his father, Judge S. A. Denny, and relatives and friends in this city last week.

Miss Clarite Elliott will sing, giving both a vocal solo and also a duet, at the Christian church Sunday morning.

Judge and Mrs. E. Winfree of Austin were here to attend the funeral of their son, Mark King Winfree, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Sullivan have returned from Lamesa. Leonard says crops are very spotted in west Texas.

Rev. Dr. Ammons and Attorney Westlow of Houston were here for the funeral of Mark King Winfree Monday.

Wanted—Someone to represent the original J. R. Watkins Co. in Crockett. J. R. Watkins Co. Dept. J-2, 62-70 West Iowa St., Memphis, Tenn. It.

Lost Mule.

Mouse colored mare mule, branded two sevens connected on thigh. Notify Curtis Perkins at Weldon, Texas. It.

Truck Hauling.

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Preaching Services.

There will be preaching services Sunday, July 5, at Cedar Point Presbyterian church at 3 p. m.; Kennard Presbyterian church at 8 p. m. Edgar C. Oakley, Minister.

Eye Strain.

Headaches are often caused by eye strain. You want everything just right. Do you think you treat your eyes fairly by wearing improperly fitted glasses?

Dr. Roberts treats eyes, does eye surgery and fits glasses properly. Satisfaction guaranteed. It.

**Chicken Barbecue Postponed.**

A chicken house at Mrs. J. Valentine's home in west Crockett caught fire Monday afternoon and caused a "run" by the volunteer fire department. The fire was extinguished with little damage. Report has it that all chickens were saved, and that the chicken barbecue was indefinitely postponed.

**Military Training.**

San Antonio, Texas, June 30.—The commanding general, Eighth Corps Area, has approved the application of James L. Curry of Crockett for admission to the citizens' military training camps for 1925. This young man will have the privilege of attending camp at Fort Crockett during the month of August.

**Methodist Church.**

Sunday at 11 o'clock the pastor will preach on "The Way to Heaven." Immediately after, the sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered. At 8 p. m. the pastor will preach at the Presbyterian church, at the union of all the churches at that hour, on "The Preacher's Place in a Community." At 9:30 a. m. Congressman Box will speak to the men's Bible classes at the City auditorium.

**Will Enlarge Next Fall.**

The Courier has been asked when it will enlarge its pages to 6-column size. When the Courier bought a larger press last spring, we then announced that the Courier would be enlarged to a 6-column page size next fall. Our old press would not permit of this enlargement, but our new press will accommodate larger pages. We have enough paper of present size to run into next fall, and when this is used up we expect to go into the larger size.

**Former Crockett Man Supt. of New Methodist Church.**

Forty-four were present in the Sunday school of the newly organized Methodist church, which is meeting at 2904 Greenville avenue; 27 were present the first Sunday, and 75 are expected to be present Sunday. J. M. Hobson is superintendent of this school, and the Rev. W. M. Bowden, pastor of the Cochran Chapel Methodist church, will preach at the morning and evening church services.—Dallas World.

**Live Stock Judging Contest.**

Editor Courier: I wish to announce through the columns of your paper a live stock judging contest in beef and dairy cattle and bacon and lard type hogs for the negro club boys of Houston county.

The contest will be held at Mary Allen Seminary July 25. Qualified judges will have charge of the contests. First winners who give 50 percent of points in their respective groups and reasons for same will be given free trips to Prairie View college to the state farmers' congress. H. C. Langrum, Local County Agency.

**Wholesome Entertainment.**

"Mammy's Lil' Wild Rose," a comedy drama of the Sunny South in three acts, was produced by local talent in the Auditorium theatre Tuesday evening. The cast of characters included Misses Hilda Burton, Otice McConnell, Daisy McConnell, Mary Sue Powers, Esther Mae Ellis and Katie King and Mrs. Earle Bennett; Messrs. Eugene Kennedy, Ewen Hail, J. F. Shivers, J. L. Arledge and Harry Beazley. The play centered around the cabin dooryard of Uncle Joe and Mammie Celie in the mountains of Virginia. Special numbers were given by Mrs. J. P. Hail and chorus, and Misses Bitsy Arledge and Myra McConnell. A special organ recital was contributed by Mrs. A. M. De-cuir. Some of the ladies of the

**To Customers and Friends**

As the 4th comes on Saturday, and would greatly inconvenience people out of town by the business houses being closed that day, we have agreed with other merchants to close Monday, the 6th, to show, in a measure, our appreciation of the country in which we live—the best on earth.

Let everybody anticipate their wants and make it possible for even a store clerk to enjoy the day.

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Methodist church had the affair in charge and are to be congratulated on its success. The play afforded an evening of wholesome entertainment and enjoyment for the people of Crockett.

**Clearing Up Titles.**

The Houston County Timber Company, successor to the Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company, is clearing up by publication a number of titles to its land in Houston county. The Louisiana & Texas Lumber Company, which operated the big saw mill at Ratcliff, after cutting over its acreage, which required twenty years to do, sold its timber land to the Houston County Timber Company, said to be owned by the West Lumber Company of Trinity county. The new purchasers are holding the land for the next growth of timber. On account of the deed records of Houston county having been destroyed twice by fire, it was feared by the company that some of its land titles were defective and that these titles should be perfected by the required legal publications. All unknown owners are cited to appear and state their interest, and if none so appear the titles will be declared to be perfected and legal by the court. These cita-

tions run four weeks and a number have been completed by the Courier.

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**Reginald Denny, in "OH DOCTOR"**

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TUESDAY, JULY 7

**ELINOR GLYN'S STORY "HOW TO EDUCATE A WIFE"**

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## READ 'EM AND WEEP.

By Bozo.

Flapper Liz says: What this country needs is more work and less talk, more dirt farmers and less sidewalk crop raisers.

The Crockett ball club should stop picking on boys and choose somebody their size like Fort Worth or New York.

Remember you are living in the best town in the world—if you don't think so, you should get to one you think that way about.

If east Texas would make as much noise about their section of the state as west Texas, we would put it over 'em. Talk, think, sleep and eat east Texas all the time.

Did you see Grand Saline salt down that Crockett bunch Tuesday afternoon? I've always heard that salt would melt Snow.

The high line produced some low lights Tuesday nite, electrically speaking—hold that juice.

There will be a men's bathing beauty contest at Tub Lake July 4. Billy will be judge of same. Any man weighing over 220 can't enter contest for prizes.

It will be in order for some one to start a movement for a cooler July.

P. S. Billy says if it's to be a men's bathing beauty contest, he won't serve.

## TWO TYPES OF MANHOOD.

Jack Henderson, 17-year-old boy of Houston, has found out that crime does not pay, but like so many others he found it out too late. He thought it would be easier to hold up street car conductors and get money which belonged to others than to work for it honestly.

As a result of his defective thinking, he lies in a hospital, dangerously wounded, and as soon as he recovers, if he does, he must stand trial for robbery. In the meantime he lies on his bed and moans constantly, "Why did I do it?"

The prospect of easy money often looks attractive, and while some occasionally "get by" for a while and escape punishment, in the end they all learn the truth of the Biblical saying, "The wages of sin is death."

This particular news story of an attempted robbery in Houston has another feature, that of the heroism of J. W. Lindley, conductor. Street car conductors are not supposed to fight bandits, but here was a man who believed he was right and the other was wrong, notwithstanding he had been shot three times and he did not hesitate to back up his belief by wrestling the pistol from his assailant and turning the gun on the highway man.

Such bravery and disregard of injury should be amply rewarded, and if the Houston street car company does not recognize the

## DAVIS HELPS SNOW STOP NEW WAVERLY

Crockett defeated New Waverly Friday at the local park by a 7 to 3 count. It was the sixteenth straight victory for the home team. For six innings it was a pitchers' battle between Pomerea and Snow. Crockett won in the seventh.

Snow retired the entire New Waverly team in order, but Pomerea was not so successful. A single by Dorrell and a sacrifice by Wakefield gave the home team a chance to score in the first inning, but it was passed up. With two out the third Dorrell singled and stole second. He scored when Hardy dropped Wakefield's short fly.

New Waverly evened the score in the fourth. Bodie reached first on a fielder's choice and moved up on Holder's infield hit. He scored when Minnick missed Weeks' grounder.



Minnick's blow over the center field fence gave Crockett the lead in the fifth.

New Waverly evened up the score in the seventh. Hardy singled and stole second, taking third when Barbee missed Monzingo's throw. Traylor's single scored him.

Five hits and a base on balls gave Crockett five runs, and the game, in the last of the seventh inning.

Snow weakened in the eighth and two hits, an error and a base on balls scored one run and filled the bases with none out. Davis, secured from the disbanded Gulf Pipe Line team of Lufkin, relieved him and caused the next batter to force the man at the plate, and fanned the last two men.

New Waverly presented one of the strongest line-ups playing here this season, composed of the following men: McAdams ss, Bodie 3b, McClanahan lf, Holder c, Weeks cf, Needham 2b, Hardy rf, Traylor 1b, Pomerea pitcher.

Crockett's line-up was: Dorrell cf, Wakefield 3b, Reynolds ss, Barbee 2b, Powledge lf, Holleman rf, Minnick 1b, Monzingo c, Snow p, Davis p.

Score by innings: R. H. E.  
Waverly 000 100 110 3 7 2  
Crockett 001 010 50\* 7 11 4

## Christian Church.

The members of the Men's Bible Class are urged to meet at Mr. Powell's picture show next Sunday promptly at 9:25, so we can go over to the City Auditorium in a body and hear an address by Hon. John Box, congressman, who will address the men's class of the Methodist church and their guests, and whose kind invitation we voted last Sunday to accept. Note that we will meet 35 minutes earlier than usual.

At 11 the pastor will preach on "The Price of Eternal Life" (Matt. 19: 16-30). At 8 p. m. we will join the other churches in the union service at the Presbyterian church to hear Brother Lehmsberg.

Our twelve days' meeting at Pearson's Chapel closed with 15 additions, there being 12 confessions and baptisms. Our audiences ranged from 100 to 300 every night.

Albert T. Fitts, Pastor.

value of such a man as Lindley, some other firm or corporation will, for men of his type are rare indeed.—Lufkin News.

Every transaction must make or repel a friend.

## TRAIN KILLS TWO GIRLS WHO WERE BEATING WAY HOME

Alcester, S. D., June 26.—Two girls, dressed in boys' clothing and beating their way to their Dakota homes in the company of two youths of Beresford, S. D., were killed when a Chicago and Northwestern freight ran them down near here. The girls were Gladys Kemston, 15, of Beresford, and Alma Stevens, 17, of Centerville.

Suicide intent on the part of the girls was hinted at by their companions, Ralph Carlson and Edmund Rona, both of Beresford. The boys had left the girls to go to a nearby farm to ask for something to eat and returned to find the train stopped and the crew picking up the bodies.

According to the story of one of the boys, the party had gone to Sioux City last Sunday and Thursday decided to return home. They caught the freight train and rode as far as Alcester, where they all got off and started to walk. The girls, faint with hunger, could hardly walk and the boys went in search of food. One of the girls, it was said, had talked of taking her life. One of the boys has disappeared.

## GIRL IS MAKING CROSS-COUNTRY TRIP ON HORSE

Caldwell, Texas, June 29.—A cross-country trip on horseback is unusual in this age, and particularly when the traveler is a young lady, but Miss Helen Hays, who reached here this week in the course of her journey, has undertaken to make the trip from Washington, D. C., to El Paso in this manner. She seems to be perfectly competent to make a successful conclusion.

Her father, Major Hays, is stationed at El Paso. Miss Hays has had a varied experience in her journey across the continent, including an attempted holdup in Tennessee, when she shot the negro hijacker through the shoulder. At another time she was entertained in a home that was raided by the officers the night she was there and a quantity of liquor found under the bed in which she was sleeping.

Miss Hays was in Crockett recently, horseback.

Seventeen hundred carloads of tomatoes, each car containing 900 crates, and each crate bringing in \$1—\$1,530,000. That is what Smith and Cherokee counties have been doing this year. And that is taking an account of only the freight shipments. The express shipments will probably boost that amount to 2000 cars. The same land will now produce crops of potatoes or cotton. And lands which raise \$75 to \$100 worth of produce a season may be purchased for from \$25 to \$50 per acre. In what other state can such a record be equalled?

A pretty young lady of Kansas City was so despondent over being jilted by her lover that she jumped into the river from a bridge sixty feet high. William Price, a gallant young man of eighteen summers, who was passing by, jumped into the river and saved her. Next day they were engaged; now they are married, with every indication that they will "live happily ever afterward." There's as good fish in the sea as have been caught, but sometimes one must make a big jump into the water to make a good catch.—Honey Grove Signal.

After a man smokes a couple of tin-foiled cigars at a banquet he enjoys a good smoke on the way home.

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## MAY PUNISH PARAMOUR OF FLAPPER TOO

New York, June 23.—While Dorothy Perkins, 17 year old slayer of Thomas Templeton, her young unwelcome suitor, is to receive from 5 to 15 years in prison, it is quite likely that Michael Connors, 40, a married man whose attentions she preferred, will be punished too. Assistant District Attorney

McDonald said an indictment charging criminal assault would be sought against Connors, who is now serving a sentence for wife beating.

The beginning of the girl's term at Auburn prison is being held in abeyance, pending the shaping of the case against Connors.

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