

TIME OPPORTUNE FOR COTTON FARMERS TO ACT

No farmer wants to see his cotton crop this year, which cost more than any other cotton crop ever grown, beaten down by speculators and middle men who are taking advantage of the usual situation at this season when more cotton may be offered for market than there is at actual need for. If farmers go complacently along, ginning and selling their cotton as fast as it is picked, they are playing into the hands of the speculative interests and are running their own prices down. A merchant could dispose of his whole year's stock of goods within the course of three months if he were willing to mark his prices down low enough to induce people to take them at that time and hold them for future use. By keeping such supplies on hand as are necessary to meet the needs of his customers, however, and not forcing his goods on the market, he is able to maintain throughout the year profitable prices on his sales. It is a fundamental business principle that the farmers must observe, and unless they are going to stand heavy losses they must take action on this right away.

If the farmers and the actual consumers of cotton, the spinning mills, the automobile tire companies, etc., can get closer together and the farmer sells just as much cotton as these consumers need and at the time they need it there is no fear but that cotton will continue to be the "king" of cash crops. If, however, the cotton is rushed on the market during the next three months in greater quantities than these consumers can use, speculators will buy it up at low prices and in turn sell it to the spinners as they need it and make their large profits.

The time to put cotton marketing on a business basis is now and not next spring or even next month. The farmers of the South can organize, by states and market their cotton through one organization properly directed by business men. There is not a town in the South where a warehouse that will be satisfactory for the storing of the cotton cannot be secured or quickly constructed. As their cotton is picked out and ginned farmers of the South can organize houses to be sold as the consumers demand it. They should then call on their leaders from the governors down through the commissioners of agriculture and agricultural colleges to form such an organization in co-operation with other states as is necessary to secure sufficient credit for holding the cotton and to market it for its full value.—The Progressive Farmer.

KODAKERS

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JUST ARRIVED, car of Eupion Oil, 20 cents a gallon—PIERCE OIL CORPORATION, C. C. JOHNSON, Agent.

A. H. Baldwin, Mt. Park, Oklahoma, came in Sunday for a visit to old friends and relatives. He moved away from this county sixteen years ago and this is his first trip back. He finds conditions changed and improved. He has interests around Ellaville that look promising.

We are receiving Goods daily. Do not forget to visit us before leaving the city.—SNODDY & SON. 6c

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FOR SALE—Four-passenger Packard 12. Repainted, seat covers, new top. Will sell cheap, or will take lighter car in trade. Phone S. W. 145-M, or Box 631.—JOE FRANTZ, p

WANTED—One maid at Walker House. Apply in person. 6tc.

The LeSage Motor Company received two cars loads of Fords this week.

JUST THAT



"I like people who say what they think."
"But the trouble is that those people always think such mean things."

W. H. REEVES COUNTY JUDGE.

Judge W. P. Stinson has felt for some time that his private business has needed his attention and since it is only a few days until his term of office will close he tendered his resignation as county judge and the Commissioners' Court appointed W. H. Reeves to succeed him.

Mr. Reeves has been commissioner of Precinct No. 4, for the past term and was nominated to succeed L. Z. Timmons, who resigned to accept the superintendency of the Throckmorton schools. Mr. Reeves has lived in the Loving community since 1908 and is well and favorably known in the county. He was a successful teacher before coming to Young county and taught three years after moving here. For several years he has been engaged in farming and has been successful. Two years ago he was elected Commissioner of Precinct No. 4 and made a good commissioner. When Mr. Timmons tendered his resignation to the Democratic executive committee Mr. Reeves was nominated by the committee.

He was sworn in October 12, 1920, and is taking hold of the duties of the office in a business way. He has been successful in his own affairs and his friends are confident that he will be equally as successful with the affairs of the county. He is affable, courteous, and painstaking and the Leader bespeaks for him a successful administration.

NEW COUNTY CLERK

W. H. Kennedy, the Democratic nominee for County Clerk, was sworn in last Saturday, October 16, and is now County Clerk of Young County.

C. W. Hinson, who has been the efficient clerk for several years, resigned to accept a position with the Graham National Bank and Mr. Kennedy was appointed by the Commissioners' Court to succeed him.

Mr. Kennedy received the nomination in the July primary and will likely be elected November 2nd, and the court thought best to appoint the regular Democratic nominee as it is only a few days until the election.

Mr. Kennedy recently moved to Graham but he is no stranger to the people of Graham and Young county. He held a responsible position with the First National Bank of Olney for several years but for the past two years he has been with the Anderson Gin Company at Olney. He is a very pleasant gentleman and we feel sure will take hold of the duties of his office easily and quickly and maintain the high degree of efficiency that has been maintained in the clerk's office in the past.

ALVARO OBREGON, PRESIDENT-ELECT OF MEXICO, VISITS FAIR

The President-elect of Mexico, Alvaro Obregon was a visitor to the State Fair in Dallas last Saturday. Considerable importance is attached to his visit to the United States and Texas as he seems very anxious when he assumes office in Mexico to re-establish his country and to gain the lasting friendship of the United States.

He made a good impression while in Texas and our people are anxious for conditions to become settled in our sister republic.

SHE HAD HEARD IT.

"Chaungey, said I was the only girl he had ever loved."
"Doesn't he say it beautifully, Char?"—Jack o'Lantern.

A MISAPPREHENSION.

"Miss Jaggs is very attenuated in her figure."
"Do you think so? I would call her real thin."

ONE EXCEPTION.

Brother—Young Jobbins is going home.
Sister—You can't notice it when he's here.

CITATION ON APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY GUARDIAN

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Young County—Greeting:

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

Notice of Appointment of Temporary Guardian

The State of Texas,

To all persons interested in the welfare of Nolan Lee Bryan, a minor, R. G. Hallam was, by the County Court of Young County, Texas, duly appointed Temporary Guardian of the person and estate of said minor, and said appointment will be made permanent, unless the same shall be successfully contested at the January term of said Court, commencing on the First Monday in January, A. D. 1921, the same being the 3rd day of January A. D. 1921, at the Court House thereof, in Graham, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minor may appear and contest such appointment, if they see proper to do so.

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

Witness C. W. Hinson, Clerk of the County Court of Young County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in (L. S.) Graham, Texas, this 27th day of September A. D. 1920

C. W. HINSON, Clerk County Court, Young County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon J. S. Norton by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the 30th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 30th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Young County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Graham, on the First Monday in January, A. D. 1921, the same being the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 18th day of September, A. D. 1920, in a

suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 633, wherein The Morrison-Smith Lumber Company, a corporation is Plaintiff, and J. S. Norton is Defendant, and said petition alleging that on June 5, 1920, for a valuable consideration the Defendant became indebted to the Plaintiff in the sum of \$268.50 as evidenced by an open account attached hereto and made a part hereof. That said open account is for goods, wares and merchandise purchased from Plaintiff by Defendant and that by reason of said purchases and delivery of said goods the Defendant obligated and bound himself to pay Plaintiff said sums of money. That said account is now past due and unpaid and Defendant fails and refuses to pay same or any part thereof. Wherefore Plaintiff prays that Defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition and that on a final trial it have judgment against Defendant for its debt, cost of suit other and such other and further relief as it may be entitled to.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court, at it aforesaid January 1921 term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, C. W. Hinson, Clerk of the County Court of Young County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in

(L. S.) Graham, this, the 20th day of September A. D. 1920.

C. W. HINSON, Clerk County Court, Young County, Texas.

Five thousand acres of finest black land in Caldwell county planted in LATEST IMPROVED MEBANE TRIUMPH COTTON and ginned in our own gin, guarantees to the cotton growers of Texas absolutely pure planting seed. Write for illustrative catalogue and prices.—THE MARTINDALE SEED FARMS, Lockhart, Texas. 4-18c

SERVICE CAR—Any where, meets all trains.—J. D. LAMAR, Graham, Texas, Ind. Phone 9W. 4tc

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ON THE FOLLOWING GOODS

Spot Cash

It is the policy of this store to give its customers the lowest possible prices on honest merchandise. Cotton has declined and cotton goods, also, so we have revised our prices accordingly. We know cotton has declined too much already, should not go lower, ought to go higher, and we believe the new prices we quote below are the very cheapest they will be for a long time. Remember the price of labor in cotton mills has not declined. For these reasons it will pay you to BUY NOW what you need for fall and winter.

STAPLE COTTON GOODS AT NEW PRICES

Daisy Bleached Domestic, yard wide, soft finish, old price 40c, new price	25c
Outing Fannel, light and dark colors, best quality, old price 40c and 45c, new price	29c
Sea Island Domestic, yard wide, soft finish, old price 30c, new price	19c
Unbleached Domestic, extra heavy, old price 35c, new price	22½c
Wearwell Bleached Sheeting, 81 inches wide, better than Pepperell, old price \$1.10, new price	79c
Pullaway Bleached Sheeting, 81 inches wide, old price 90c, new price	65c
Wearwell Unbleached Sheeting, 81 inches wide, old price \$1.00, new price	74c
Bleached Sheets, 81x90 inches, seamless, old price \$2.75, new price	\$1.98
Best Bleached Sheets, 81x90 inches, old price \$3.00, new price	\$2.25
Pillow Cases, 42x36 inches, old price 50c, new price	39c
Daisy Pillow Cases, 42x36 inches, old price 69c, new price	49c

Dress Ginghams, good patterns, fast colors, old prices 45c and 50c, new price	39c
Best Dress Ginghams, newest patterns, old price 60c, new price	45c
Staple Ginghams, checks and plaids, old price 35c, new price	25c
Fine Percales, light colors, yard wide, old price 50c, new price	39c
Light Calicoes, best quality, old price 25c, new price	17½c
Dark Calicoes, best quality, old price 30c, new price	20c
Cheviot Shirtings, fast colors, light and heavy weight, old price 40c, new price	29c
Mattress Tickings, full weight and width, old price 45c, new price	29c
Feather Tickings, best quality, old price 75c, new price	59c
Mens Overalls, Hawk brand, fast color, full cut, old price \$3.00, new price	\$2.50
Mens Work Shirts, extra full cut, fast colors, old price \$2.00, new price	\$1.50
Mens Work Shirts, full size, fast colors, old price \$1.50, new price	\$1.19

LADIES', MISSES AND CHILDRENS' GINGHAM DRESSES 33½% REDUCTION

Here is Your Chance to Buy Good Wash Dresses at a Big Saving in Price.

\$7.50 Dresses at	\$4.95	\$4.00 Dresses at	\$2.67	\$2.50 Dresses at	\$1.67
\$6.00 Dresses at	\$3.95	\$3.50 Dresses at	\$2.34	\$2.25 Dresses at	\$1.49
\$5.00 Dresses at	\$3.34	\$3.00 Dresses at	\$1.98	\$2.00 Dresses at	\$1.33
\$4.50 Dresses at	\$2.95	\$2.75 Dresses at	\$1.83	\$1.75 Dresses at	\$1.15

LADIES' SILK UNDERWEAR AT EXACTLY HALF PRICE

Entire Stock of these Silk Crepe, Satin and Jersey Camisoles, Teddies and Bloomers will be sold at half price. Get yours early.

\$1.35 values at	67c	\$3.50 values at	\$1.75
\$1.75 values at	87c	\$4.00 values at	\$2.00
\$2.00 values at	\$1.00	\$4.50 values at	\$2.25
\$2.25 values at	\$1.12	\$5.00 values at	\$2.50
\$2.50 values at	\$1.25	\$6.00 values at	\$3.00
\$2.75 values at	\$1.37	\$7.50 values at	\$3.75
\$3.00 values at	\$1.50	\$8.00 values at	\$4.25

COTTON BLANKETS AT SPECIAL PRICES

Good Cotton Blankets, 66x80 inches special	\$4.45
Best Cotton Blankets, 70x80 inches special	\$4.95

BUY LADIES' SUITS, COATS, DRESSES, AND HATS AT THIS STORE

We carry the largest stock of Ladies' and Misses Ready-to-Wear and Millinery Goods in Young County, and we invite you to see the many beautiful garments and hats now on display. A big shipment of newest Suits, Coats and Dresses just received. Prices much cheaper than last season.

FINE SILK HOSIERY AT REDUCED PRICES

Our entire stock of PHOENIX and LAFRANCE Silk Hose will go on sale for ten days only, at the following special prices. These are the best hose on the market and we have them in black, brown, white and grey.

\$2.25 values at	\$1.75	\$3.00 values at	\$2.25
\$2.50 values at	\$1.95	\$3.50 values at	\$2.75

COTTON HOSIERY AT SPECIAL PRICES

BOYS AND GIRLS HOSIERY

40c and 45c values at	35c	90c and 95c values at	75c
75c values at	55c	Ladies fine lisle hose, regular 95c and \$1.00 values	75c

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**UNITED STATES IS OUT;
REST OF AMERICA IN**

Washington, D. C., Oct. 18.—From data lately received at the State Department from the Secretariat of the League of Nations, it appears that the United States will be in the event of Republican success, the only nation in the western hemisphere not a member of the League of Nations. Canada and Cuba are members and of the seventeen countries of Latin America, twelve are now members, Bolivia, Brazil, Guatemala, Peru and Uruguay being original members and Argentina, Chile and all other Latin American nations except Costa Rica and Ecuador having joined the League since its formation. Costa Rica having overthrown a dictatorship and formed a real republic, its application for membership in the League will no doubt be granted in November. Mexico, aided by the policy of President Wilson, has formed a stable and legitimate government and will soon petition for admittance to the League and its application is expected to be granted.

This will leave the United States the sole western nation outside the League of Nations.

The membership of the League as constituted on September 3th is as follows:

ORIGINAL MEMBERS

Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan, Belgium, Bolivia, Brazil, China, Cuba, Greece, Guatemala, Haiti, Liberia, Peru, Poland, Portugal, Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes (Yugoslavia), Rumania, Siam, Czechoslovakia, Uruguay.

Great Britain includes all its colonies. China became a member of the League by ratifying the treaty with Austria.

INVITED NATIONS

Argentina, Chile, Colombia, Denmark, Netherlands, Norway, Paraguay, Persia, Salvador, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Venezuela.

NATIONS APPLYING

Estonia, Finland, Georgia, Iceland, Latvia, Luxemburg, Manaco, S. Marino, Ukraine, Costa Rica, Armenia, Liechtenstein, Bulgaria (unofficial).

I have some good horses and mares I will sell very reasonable for immediate sale, also an Essex touring car for sale.—CHESTER A. REALS, Archer City, Texas. 7-8p

If any one has lost a span of black horse mules, 4 and 5 years old, no brands, 5 year old with cripple ankle on right front foot, see—M. M. WALLACE, Sheriff, or J. E. Malone. 7-8

**MILLION MINERS IN GREAT
BRITAIN HAVE DESERTED PITS**

London, Oct. 16.—With a million miners out of the pits, thousands of dock and industrial workers already out of employment as a consequence of the transport workers and railroads men called to meet soon to discuss a sympathetic strike, Great Britain faces one of the greatest industrial upheavals in its history, in the opinion of labor and political leaders who discussed the situation today.

The statements that the men struck against the advice of most of their leaders was confirmed to some extent by the attitude of many who left the pits. They said they did not understand that voting against the "datum line" meant a strike and it is clear that a great many misunderstood the "unfortunate phrase," as A. J. Thomas, secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen, called it in a speech. Mr. Thomas admonished the railroaders to listen to the advice of their leaders, which would be given the meeting of delegates Wednesday.

A different note was struck, however, by the South Wales branch of the miners' federation, which called a meeting for next Friday to recommend that if the strike was not settled by October 30, the pump men and other employees remaining at work should be called out.

It is indicated tonight that Premier Lloyd George will take no hand in the matter before Tuesday when parliament meets and undoubtedly will discuss the situation. No disturbances are reported and no troops have been sent to the mining centers, but they are held in readiness. The sugar ration will be cut 50 per cent Monday.

**OREGON IS CENTRAL
FIGURE AT STATE FAIR**

Dallas, Oct. 16.—Alvaro Obregon, president-elect of Mexico was the central figure at the state fair of Texas today. It was International Day at the Fair and the Mexican leader, arriving from El Paso at an early hour, had a busy program before him. He will depart for Mexico City tomorrow, traveling via San Antonio and Laredo.

The main event on General Obregon's social program was an international banquet tonight at which the president-elect and Governor W. P. Hobby of Texas were to be the principal speakers. Others scheduled to deliver addresses were Congressman Hatton W. Summers, General Jacinto Trevino, minister of commerce and industry in the cabinet of Provisional President de la Huerta, and Roberto V. Pasquera, Mexican financial agent to the United States.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon President-elect Obregon was to deliver an address to the local Mexican colony, which has grown from a few score souls to more than 5,000 during the past ten years. He was to tell the Mexican colonists what has occurred in Mexico since their departure from their native land and to outline his program as president. General Obregon also promised to explain to his countrymen their duties to their adopted county.

WEIGHT OF BULK MILO HEADS

College Station, Oct. 18.—Farmers frequently desire to estimate the weight or the number of bushels of threshed grain in a bin or wagon load of milo heads. No scientific tests are known to have been made, forming a dependable basis for such estimates, until R. E. Karper, superintendent of Lubbock substation of the Agricultural Experiment Station, made tests in 1918 and 1919. He found that heads well matured under reasonable conditions are heavier per cubic foot than heads grown in a dry season.

An average of the two years tests, one of which was dry and the other reasonable, showed that dwarf milo heads dry and settled in bin or packed in wagon box weigh a ton to 117.94 cubic feet bin capacity. The test for 1918 gave 121.67 cubic feet per ton when heads had settled in bin for about 5 months; while the tests for 1919 gave 114.22 cubic feet per ton. Wagon load of well matured heads, well packed, gave 114.54 cubic feet per ton, or about the same as settled heads in the bin.

The threshing percentage of dwarf milo heads for four years 1916 to 1919 inclusive was found by Mr. Karper to average 70.57 per cent, the tests covering 162 plots. Applying these tests to the bin capacity tests he arrived at an estimate of 25.12 bushels per ton of heads and that one cubic foot of heads weighs 11 pounds.

A convenient rule to estimate the number of bushels of grain which a quantity of heads will thresh would be to multiply the number of cubic inches of settled heads by two-ninths if heads are good and dock up to 5 of 6 per cent if crop was grown under less favorable conditions.

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**REV. G. W. BLACK MARRIES
MEXICAN COUPLE**

Brother G. W. Black had the unique experience last Friday of marrying a Mexican couple. The prospective groom asked if Brother Black could go to the Stovall Plantation and marry the couple. He was informed that if he would bring his intended bride to the Western Union Telegraph office that it would be a delight for him to perform the ceremony.

In a short time Grada Pena returned with Miss Santos Gonzalez and they were united in marriage. They were well dressed and showed by their manners that they are high grade Mexicans.

Mr. Stovall took them to his farm at South Bend.

CITATION IN PROBATE

On Order to Appoint Permanent Guardian

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any constable of Young county—Greeting: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to cause the following citation to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the citation in the County of Young, State of Texas, and you shall cause said citation to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

CITATION IN PROBATE

The State of Texas, To all persons interested in the welfare of the Estate of Travis W. Graham, a minor: On the 27th day of September A. D. 1920, the Honorable W. P. Stinson, County Judge of Young County, Texas, made an order appointing Elmer Graham and Florence Graham temporary guardian of the estate of the above named minor, which said order is now recorded in the Probate minutes of said Court, said minor having an estate of the probable value of \$2500.00, consisting of real property.

All persons interested in the welfare of the Estate of Travis W. Graham, are hereby cited to appear before the County Court of Young County, Texas, at the Court House in the city of Graham, Texas, on the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1921, the same being at a regular term of said Court, then and there to contest such appointment if they so desire, and that if such appointment is not contested at such term, then the same shall become permanent.

Here Fail Not, but have you before said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal at Graham, Texas, this 29th (L.S.) day of September, 1920. C. W. HINSON, Clerk County Court, Young County, Texas.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original Writ now in my hands. M. M. WALLACE, Sheriff. By W. J. A. COOPER, Deputy.

FOR SALE—Wood, any amount from one to one hundred cords, delivered any where in town. Phone Ind. 235 or 62.—F. M. SOUTHALL. 3tc

JUST ARRIVED, car of Eupion Oil, 20 cents a gallon.—PIERCE OIL CORPORATION, C. C. JOHNSON, Agent.

FOR SALE—Gin Ledgers, 300 pages.—GRAHAM LEADER OFFICE

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**RECORD BREAKING ATTEN-
DANCE AT TEXAS STATE FAIR**

The attendance at the State Fair this year is breaking all former records. The weather has been ideal and literally throngs of people are in attendance daily. Last Sunday more than 200,000 visited the Fair. Last Friday, Saturday and Sunday were record breaking days. On these three days more than 400,000 people passed through the gates.

Friday was Children's Day at the Fair. There were more children in Dallas that day than have ever been in any Texas city on any day. It was a red letter day for Dallas and the Fair.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS

I have sent blank Poll Tax Orders to each bank and post office in the county. Any one sending by another for their Poll Tax, must send a written order. This applies to both men and ladies.

D. D. CUSENBARY,
Tax Collector.

COW HORSES FOR SALE

A few well broken young saddle horses, and plenty young geldings and mares just broken. Sell reasonable. Can be seen at ranch near Jermyn. 719c

J. W. LOVING,
Jermyn, Texas.

FOR SALE—One acre of land adjoining city limits. Good buy for the money.—G. C. CODY. 6tc

FOR SALE OR RENT—Four room house in East Graham equipped with water, lights and sewer.—WILL BARRON, Young Co. Lbr. Co. 4tc

An Ordinance prohibiting the practice of jay-walking at the intersection of Oak Street and Fourth Street and at the intersection of Elm Street in the City of Graham, and providing a penalty therefor:

Be It ordained by the City of Graham, by and through the Board of Aldermen thereof duly assembled, that from and after the passage of this Ordinance: That it shall be unlawful for pedestrians to cross the intersection of Oak street and Fourth Street, except on that portion of said streets which constitutes the prolongation of the sidewalk along the North side of Fourth Street and the East side of Elm Street:

unlawful for pedestrians to cross the intersection of Elm Street and Fourth Street, except on that portion of said streets which constitutes the prolongation of the sidewalk along the North side of Fourth Street and the East side of Elm Street:

From and after the time of taking effect of this Ordinance, any person who shall violate the provisions thereof shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not over \$25.00.

This Ordinance shall take effect on the day following the publication thereof.

E. S. GRAHAM, Mayor.
T. E. WALLACE, Secretary.

JEWELRY

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and now have a very fine stock of Jewelry, Cut Glass and Silverware—Community and 1847 Rogers—the very best We guarantee every piece of Jewelry, and our stock is complete. Also are glad to say if your eyes trouble you Mr. Hugh M. Smith is now with us and he will give you proper glasses. All refraction defects corrected.

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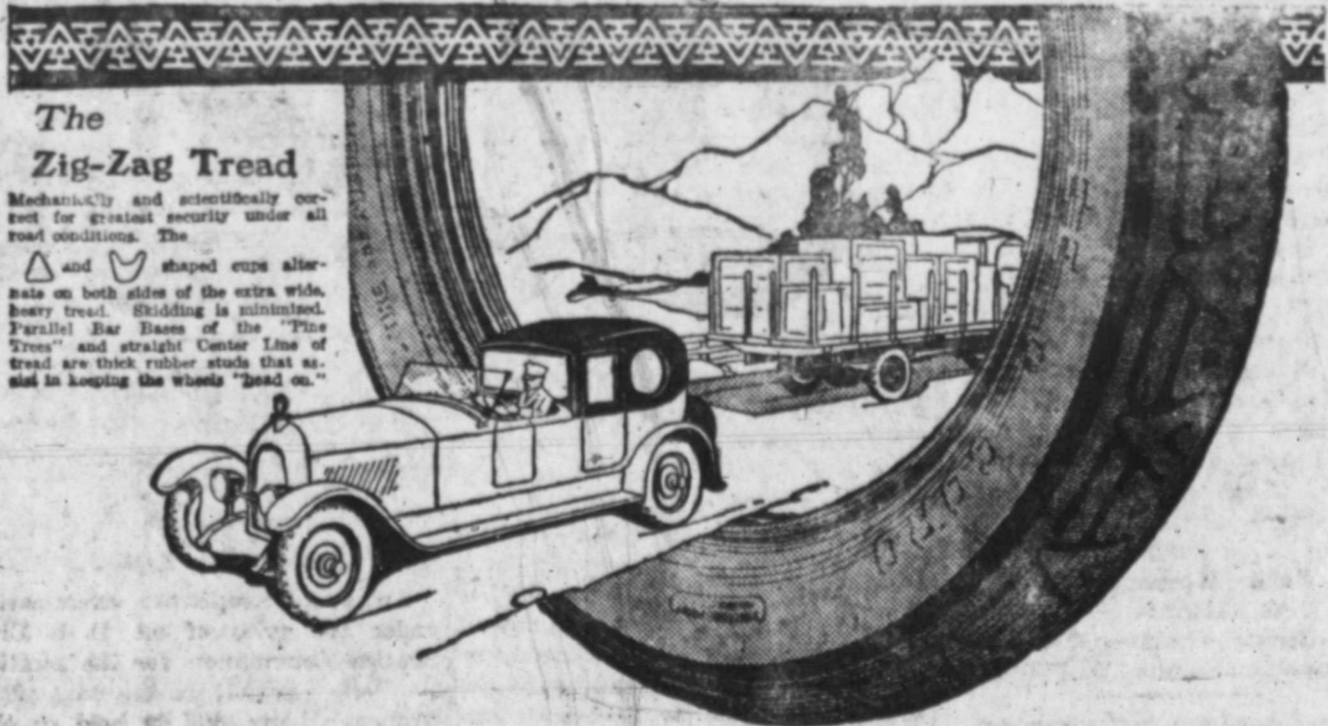
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SUPPOSED DEAD MAN ALIVE

In March, 1919, B. J. Cochran, who lived twelve miles from Aspermont, was reported dead and his life insurance collected. An imposing monument was erected. His wife and five children rented their farm and moved away. In collecting the insurance some doubts were expressed by some as to the death of the man but everything quieted down until recently when the courts ordered the grave opened and no trace of casket or body was found.

The history of the remarkable case as related by residents of the community in which the man lived is as follows:

In the spring of the year 1919, B. J. Cochran, a man about 40 years of age, lived with his wife and five children on a farm owned by him about twelve miles north of this town. It was well known in the community that he was under indictment for murder in the state of New Mexico and released on bond of \$20,000 to appear for trial at an early term of court. He frequently spoke of this to his neighbors and expressed uneasiness as to the outcome.

During the night of March 9, 1919, Dr. Jordan, a local physician, received a telephone call from Mrs. Cochran, who stated that she thought her husband was dying. "I went immediately to the farm," says the doctor in recounting the incident, "and found Cochran in bed. His side was painted with iodine and he told me he felt like he was smothering to death. He had complained to me a few days earlier of a pain around his heart. I did not give him any medicine at that time, but returned to town and wrote out a prescription which I left at the drug store with instructions to have it sent out the next morning. I inquired the next morning if it had been sent and the druggist told me that it had not as yet had come in that Cochran was already dead."

Sympathetic neighbors, the current version goes, went to the Cochran farm and volunteered assistance but their offers were refused by members of the family, who proceeded to Aspermont, bought from a local dealer a coffin box and casket, and returned to the farm, taking with them the Rev. E. B. Bowen, pastor of the Methodist church here.

Mr. Bowen states that he was shown into a room and there saw what he thought was a corpse stretched out on a cooling board and covered with a sheet. He did not actually see a body, he says. After he had retired from the room the body was placed, he understood, in the coffin

by two men said to be relatives, and shortly thereafter the box was loaded on a wagon and driven to a little rural cemetery not far from the house, where a grave had been prepared. Funeral services were said by the minister and the box was lowered into the grave and covered.

Shortly after these events the widow presented claims for insurance of \$10,000 in the Southwestern Life Insurance Company of Dallas, and \$2,000 in the Woodmen of the World. An insurance adjuster was sent here, it is said, and after making an investigation discovered certain unsatisfactory circumstances which he thought warranted a request that the grave be opened and the body examined. This suggestion, it is said, met with violent opposition by Mrs. Cochran, who repeatedly threatened to shoot any man who should attempt to open the grave. After some further delay the insurance claims in both companies were paid and shortly thereafter the Cochran family rented their farm to a tenant and disappeared.

Meantime the bondsmen who had furnished bail for Cochran in the sum of \$20,000 applied for and were granted a release from the obligation on evidence of death submitted.

For a year there were no further developments, and then local gossip about the affair was waked to life by a rumor that someone had reported having seen Cochran in the flesh in the vicinity of his old home. A grand jury investigation was called for, with the results above set out.

Already one arrest in the case has been made, a man giving the name of Charles O. Hoggett, said to be a cousin of Mrs. Cochran, now being lodged in jail here on a charge of "misapplying, converting and fraudulently taking from the Southwestern Life Insurance Company \$5,000 in money without the consent of said company and did then and there willfully and fraudulently convert same to his own use by means of false and fraudulent representations."

Hoggett claims to be one of the men who placed the body of Cochran in the coffin after preparing it for burial. He stoutly maintains Cochran in the coffin after preparing it for his own hands helped place the body in the coffin and nail down the lid. He was aided, he says, by a man named W. S. Ussery. This man is today being sought by the sheriff and his deputies, who are also seeking to locate the whereabouts of Mrs. Cochran and the five children.

We have just received a large shipment of ready made Cotton Sacks at SNODDY & SON.

ORANGE WOMAN OF 80 YEARS TOURS 300,000 MILES

In her eightieth year, Mrs. H. J. Litcher, of Orange, Texas, who for many months of the year virtually "lives" in a Pierce-Arrow, recently completed more than 300,000 miles of touring. Early in October she arrived in New York after having been on the road since June.

"My only regret is that I must take a train back to Texas," she said, "but I must be back in time to celebrate my own eightieth birthday anniversary in my own home."

"I just love to tour. I have been in all but five States of the Union besides traveling by motor through five countries of Europe."

"And next year I plan to tour again in Europe with my grandson who plans to attend the International Rotary conference at Edinburgh, Scotland."

On her next European trip, Mrs. Litcher intends to take her largest Pierce-Arrow, which has traveled 375,000 miles, and which recently was equipped with a sedan body.

"I used to say I never would tour in a closed car," said Mrs. Litcher, "but during the last two or three years I have had such delightful and pleasant trips in my closed car that I much prefer it for touring. And I notice an increasing number of closed automobiles on the road. With that type of car I can have it as warm or as cool as I desire, and I am also protected from dust and rain."

Mrs. Litcher's touring record is the more remarkable when it is realized that few men have traveled as far as has this woman of advanced years.—Star-Telegram.

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MISSIONARY NOTES

It was seeing a placard poster on a county roadside, advertising a missionary meeting that led Robert Moffat to become a missionary. As he read the announcement of the missionary meeting, there came to him memories of the missionary stories his mother used to tell him and he asked himself the question, "Why should not I be a missionary?" The answer was a life spent in Africa. Hence we see the importance of missionary workers advertising their goods.

NEW SCHOOL FOR MEXICAN GIRLS

It has been decided to establish a school for Mexican girls at Pharr, Texas. The first building will accommodate fifty boarders, besides the faculty, and will afford also adequate class rooms. Mr. John C. Kelly has given to the Board of Missions ten acres of land in the heart of the town, easily worth \$20,000. In the center of this plot we will put our building. At the rear we will have a garden, and in front will plant grape fruit and oranges, and surround the whole with date palms. On one entire side of the property is an irrigation canal, and we can have all the water we need to make our grounds a veritable paradise.

We need two more teachers for this school. Will not some consecrated young women offer their services? I will be glad to correspond with any who may be interested in this opportunity for service. Write me at 810 Broadway, Nashville.—Rev. K. L. Russell, D. D.

A LESSON FOR AMERICA

The attitude of smug, stiff-collared American respectability toward the lowly, despised, but withal useful foreigner within our gates, is much the same as was the attitude of the Romans towards those of their neighbors whom they were pleased to call barbarians. The only use the Romans had for them was as slaves. Yet these same barbarians overran and conquered effete Rome, and eventually built a saner and better civilization upon the crumbling ruins of Rome's greatness. Is there no lesson in that for the present-day America?—Seaman's Journal.

In one of our cities, where thousands of Mexicans live, a little old Mexican and his wife were seen sitting on the curb, just outside the Methodist church. This Methodist church was one of our own connection, and its membership was made up of American Methodists.

A member of the church, seeing the couple, approached them and in conversation with the couple, the Mexican told the American that he and his wife had moved across the Rio Grande into the United States, and were anxious to become identified with the Methodist church. He said he was willing to pay for a pew if he and his wife might be allowed to come in. The pastor hesitated, then said he would have to refer the matter to the Board of Stewards, and would communicate with the couple later on. He did communicate with them, but the answer was, that the Board of Stewards would rather that they did not come.

If we send our sons and daughters across the border into Mexico to take them the Gospel of Jesus Christ, and fail to bring the same gospel to our 600,000 Mexicans in our own homeland, we have failed in our mission to teach the gospel to every creature.

THE INN IN THE FAR WEST

Deaconess Ethel Jackson, in charge of our Mary Elizabeth Inn at San Francisco, told us that about two hundred and fifty young women found that home life that made for their comfort and fellowship, in the Inn. Ten different nationalities are represented in that home, and a little way widow direct from Russia was one of the number. She knew very little English, and at the vesper service, her great desire to enter into the spiritual life of her new home, made her forget that she could not express herself except in her mother tongue, so would point out the hymns she wished to hear sung.

The Deaconess in charge, said more than eighteen hundred girls were turned away, and those who cannot enter, because of lack of room, go sadly away, saying, "Why aren't there more homes like this in our cities?"

AN APPALLING TRUTH

Mrs. McDonald in telling of the needs in San Francisco, stated that there are more Christians in the city of Shanghai, China, than there are in San Francisco.

PUBLICITY SUPT.

MOSLAH TEMPLE'S BIG FALL CEREMONIAL

Fort Worth, Oct. 13.—With only one month intervening until Moslah Temple's Big Fall Ceremonial, which will be held at Moslah's Mosque on Lake Worth, Saturday, November 13, all committees are hard at work to make this ceremonial one long to be remembered by the Nobles and Novices.

An entire-new show has been provided from beginning to end and the Nobles are assured of more and varied tortures than ever before at-

tempted at any Shrine ceremonial.

Special entertainment has been provided for the ladies who accompany the visiting Nobles and Novices, among which are the registration of the ladies at the Metropolitan Hotel from 9 until noon, Saturday, November 13, when they will be guests of Moslah Temple at a dinner at that hotel, after which they will also be guests at a theatre party in the afternoon. A special bill being arranged especially for the occasion.

The ceremonial for the Nobles and ladies will open Friday evening, November 12, when the Dance and Reception at the Mosque will be held. All Nobles and their ladies who register during the day will also be eligible to attend this dance. The ceremonial proper will commence with the registration of the Novices from 8 until 11 a. m., Saturday, November 13, when the Dress Suit Parade will be held, heading south on Houston and returning north on Main street. Immediately thereafter autos will leave from Second and Main streets for the Mosque, where luncheon will be served and during the afternoon. The ceremonial will open at 2 p. m. with the First Section and will be followed at 3 p. m. by the Second Section.

An entire new array of stunts such as have never been placed on public view before have been arranged for the entertainment of the Nobility and it is confidently expected that the class for the November ceremonial will number over 300.

Immediately after the ceremonial the Nobility will be the guests of Moslah Temple at the Majestic Theater at the first show, which starts at 7 p. m., which will give all Nobles an opportunity to see the show and still catch the early trains the same evening, if they desire.

Reduced railroad rates on the certificate plan, have been granted and all Nobles and Novices attending the ceremonial are urged to procure a certificate from their railroad agent when purchasing ticket that they may be able to get the benefit of the half fare for the return trip.

Never before has any Temple in Texas ever attempted to stage a ceremonial in such elaborate style and tried to furnish as much entertainment as is being furnished on this occasion by Moslah Temple.

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