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FARMERS URGED NOT TO STAMPEDE.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 26.—“We earnestly urge that the cotton farmers and the holders of cotton be not stampeded by propaganda now being issued by speculators and parties who desire to buy cheap cotton but that they stand steady and refuse to sell their staple at present prices,” the executive committee of the American Cotton Association says in a statement just issued here from headquarters.

The committee further says: “The association deprecates the organized effort now being made to depress and send the price of cotton to the bottom. In spite of the fact that cotton goods have greatly advanced, cotton prices have gone down from \$20 to \$25 per bale.

“Today the staple measured by the price of manufactured cotton goods is intrinsically worth more than 35 cents per pound and even at that price it is the cheapest commodity being sold in the world’s market.

“As soon as the American Cotton Association is fully organized with its million members it will immediately begin an organized fight in behalf of cotton.

NUECES RIVER ON BIG RISE.

The Nueces river is on a big rise as a result of torrential downpours in the Uvalde country last week. The high water struck here Monday and the river has been steadily rising ever since.

The Frio river is going down although traffic on the dirt road paralleling the railroad has been blocked for a week. It is said the river was higher than it has been for forty years.

The Raeces creek was on a rise Thursday from rains that fell near its source Tuesday and Wednesday.

Equipment Received For National Guard.

Captain Arthur Knaggs received a carload of equipment for his company of National Guard Tuesday night. The equipment consists of clothing, rifles, and 4,000 rounds of ammunition.

Captain Knaggs said that he had received notice of shipment of the equipment and to hold himself in readiness for further instructions, but as yet had received no further information from headquarters.

Cotton Gin Now Running Full Time.

The past three or four days have been fine for cotton picking and farmers have been making the best of it although there is a great scarcity of pickers. Much cotton is now open and very few pickers can be had. Many fields of a hundred acres have not more than two pickers. If the weather is favorable the crop can be gotten out eventually but a storm would make a clean-up.

Boll weevil have become so numerous in all of the fields that no more blooms are to be seen and some farmers report weevil working on the large bolls to a considerable extent. Their depredations will cut the yield considerably. As yet no leaf worms to amount to anything have appeared in this vicinity, but farmers say it is immaterial now, as the weevil will prevent any more cotton from putting on and a clean-up of the leaves by the worms will not hurt anything.

The gin got in running order Tuesday evening and by noon Wednesday had the machinery adjusted so that it could hit a steady gait. Last night all of the cotton on the yards was cleaned up and the total number ginned was 101 bales. Considerable cotton is coming here from a distance, because of the excellent market that is being established. Several buyers will be here throughout the season and with this situation the farmer is assured of the very top prices for his product. Tuesday cotton had here for 31.75, Wednesday 31.75, Thursday 32.1-8, Friday 32.1-4. This is right up at the top of the market and there has been spirited bidding among the buyers.

Next week things are expected to tone up right if the weather continues right, and the gin will likely have to put on night and day shifts. Mr. Terry, manager of the gin, says he will be able to take care of the cotton as it comes and if it requires 24 hours a day to do it he can meet this condition. Lights were installed in the plant this week.

101 Bales Ginned Last Night.

Up to closing down time last night 101 bales of cotton had been ginned at Cotulla. Cotton is coming in at the rate of 30 to 35 bales a day and if pickers can be had will double that rate the coming week, provided the weather continues clear.

The price yesterday was run up to 32.25, and will probably remain around that figure today.

Local & Personal

A report was circulated here yesterday morning that the En-cinal gin had burned Thursday night, but later information revealed that the only foundation to the report was that on Thursday evening the gin had a slight fire in one of the gin stands, which was quickly extinguished without damage to the plant.

Mrs. H. W. Hamilton returned this week from an absence of three weeks, spending ten days at the Kerrville Encampment and the balance of the time with her sister, Mrs. Fischer, in San Antonio. She reports a most pleasant visit.

Mrs. J. H. Rogers of Austin visited her sister, Miss Kate Burwell here this week.

Scouts Enjoy Great Outing On Nueces.

Fifty Boys Scouts from Laredo, after spending ten days on the Nueces two miles West of Cotulla, hiked in Thursday morning and boarded the noon train for home. They were in charge of their Scoutmaster, Mr. Bobbett, Dr. Hall and Captain Neblett, and during their entire stay not the slightest incident happened to mar the occasion. All of the boys enjoyed the outing hugely.

The local Scouts had planned a barbecue for the visitors on Thursday but some matters came up which necessitated the return of the boys to their home one day earlier than anticipated, so the barbecue was not given. The local boys had already purchased the goats for the occasion and were disappointed of course, but will have a “Boy Scouts” barbecue Monday, which is Labor Day.

Cotulla Wins Game From Big Wells.

Cotulla won in the ball game Wednesday with Big Wells, by a score of 5 to 1. The game was interesting throughout. The visitors were given a dance at night.

LOOK!

Who is at the Queen To-night
MARY PICKFORD
The Idol of the Screen,
—1 Reel—

WILD JIM

Two reel Western Feature.
Featuring Taylor and Thorne.

TWO COMEDIES

George Ovey in the Cub Comedy, Beach Nuts.
Ambrose’s Nasty Temple
Keystone

Don't Help Profiteers.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 27.—Prices are beginning to decline in various parts of the country, but the slump has not yet gathered momentum sufficient to affect purchases being made for immediate use, according to reports to the Department of Justice.

Attorney General Palmer asked today how soon results could be expected from the campaign to reduce the cost of living, said all the Government wanted was a fair chance to show what can be done to take the artificial inflation out of the market. He said officials were well pleased with the success so far attained, and that cumulative results were expected when Congress enacts amendments to the food control law, by which criminal penalties can be imposed on profiteers and hoarders.

Judge C. C. Thomas returned this week from Kenedy where he spent ten days taking the hot baths at that place. The Judge says Kenedy is becoming quite a noted place as a result of the mineral water found there some years ago. He reports the cotton crop throughout that section as poor, the best running six or seven acres to the bale.

O. W. Holman and son, T. F. Holman, visited Laredo during the week.

PRICES FALL IN SOME PARTS OF COUNTRY.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 27.—Persons buying clothing and other articles now for next year because they think prices will be higher are victims of a mischievous propaganda and are only helping to keep prices high, according to Attorney General Palmer.

“The reports we receive from all parts of the country are that prices are beginning to decline as a result of the operation of fair price committees and the activities of the department against profiteering hoarding,” he said. “Probably the decline is not sufficient yet to be appreciable to the average consumer, but I believe it soon will be.

There seems to be an organization propaganda promoted by dealers to frighten persons into making purchases now that ordinarily would not be made until next year. We are being told that prices will be higher next year and that we can never buy this and that again at the price now prevailing.

“I do not put any faith in such alarmist predictions. I believe that the price of almost every necessity of life will be cheaper next year than this. Increased production is going to effect that result.”

For Sale—Rawleigh Schryler, 6 hp. gas engine. A bargain.—Apply at this office.

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Featuring Cattle from a Thousand Miles
Magnificent Thoroughbred Horses
All the Other Faithful, Lowly Friends of Man

\$50,000.00 in Live Stock Premiums—\$42,500.00 for Cattle,
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Kerrville Farm

Large Amounts in Special Premiums for all Departments
A veritable “Garden of Eden” of Agricultural Products,
Artificial Impenients and Machinery
Industrial and Educational Exhibitions
A “World” of High-Grade Amusements

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DAILY OCTOBER 6, 1919

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NO use arguing about it, or making chin-music in a minor key! If you've got the jimmy-pipe or cigarette makin's notion cornered in your smokeappetite, slip it a few liberal loads of Prince Albert!

Boiled down to regular old between-us-man-talk, Prince Albert kicks the “pip” right out of a pipe! Puts pipe pleasure into the 24-hours-a-day joy-us class! Makes cigarette rolling the toppest of sports! P. A. is so fragrant, so fascinating in flavor, so refreshing!

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Tippy red bags, tidy red tins, handsome pound and half-pound tin humidors—and—that classy, practical pound crystal glass humidor with sponge moisture top that keeps the tobacco in such perfect condition.

R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, Winston-Salem, N. C.

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SPAN OF LIFE LENGTHENING

No Doubt That the People of Today Live Longer Than Did Their Ancestors.

When reading of people who lived long years ago and especially when reading about the length of their lives, we are told that in the old days people lived longer than they do now.

It is true beyond the question of a doubt that the people of today live longer on an average than people who lived ten, twenty or more years ago.

STRICT ETIQUETTE IN CHINA

Matter of Tea Drinking a Thing of Much Importance in the Flowery Republic.

The etiquette observed in tea drinking in China is very curious. If a lady asks you to drink tea with her—and especially if the tea be sweetened—you can count yourself as well received and much liked.

Ancient Asbestos.

There was a winding sheet of amianthus in the Vatican library, soft and pliable in the hand, showing indications of ignition upon one corner.

Fully Qualified.

They were arguing about qualifications for successful careers, and a famous playwright, who was one of the party, maintained that the stage offered the easiest opportunities for beginning.

"Beloved Sir: Wishing to go on the stage, would like to appear in your play. Have been a market gardener for some years, but, having gone bankrupt, have decided to take up acting, the same requiring no capital.

From what country did they get the name for Turkish baths?

The high cost of explosive material never discouraged an anarchist.

NO SWIVEL CHAIR FOR FORD'S SON

STAYED AT HOME DURING WAR TO HELP IN PLANT—REFUSED TO TAKE UNIFORM.

FATHER WAS RESPONSIBLE

Declares He Told Edsel That War Work in Factory Needed Him—Would Not Accept Safety First Commission.

Mt. Clemens, Mich.—Henry Ford, during the last hour of his seven days on the witness stand, took occasion to claim full responsibility for his son, Edsel Ford's, claim for exemption from the selective draft.

Having made their decision, it was shown, both Mr. Ford and his son refused to camouflage it behind a swivel chair commission carrying boots and spurs.

This subject, the introduction of which has been awaited ever since the trial opened, did not develop along the lines which had been generally expected.

It was the first time that a full explanation of the facts in connection with Edsel Ford's war work has been made public and it was easily the feature of the eleventh week of the trial.

Henry Ford spent seven days on the witness stand and of this time he gave less than two hours to his own lawyers. As long as counsel for The Tribune was hammering him Mr. Ford sat quietly in the witness chair answering the constant fire of questions with great patience.

"It is all in the records," said Mr. Ford. "I have told it all here once." He avoided, with care, anything that verged on boasting.

The witness did, however, after being pressed, explain that his son had bought out the minority stockholders of the Ford Motor company because these interests had insisted on Mr. Ford squeezing the last dollar out of the public, the government, the workers and the product.

One of the most interesting developments of Mr. Ford's testimony came out when it was testified that the only legislation he has ever sought was that for the protection of birds.

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MEXICO WILL EXHIBIT AT THE VICTORY FAIR

INVITATION EXTENDED BY DIRECTORS THRU CONSUL FLORES ACCEPTED BY PRES. CARRANZA.

The Republic of Mexico, for the first time in history, will make an official Government exhibition at the Victory Fair.

Mexican Consul Flores, of Ft. Worth and Dallas and W. H. Stratton, Secretary State Fair of Texas, originated the idea. Signor Albino R. Nuncio, of the Mexican Industrial, Commercial & Labor Department, made a trip all the way from the City of Mexico to Dallas, a few days ago to complete arrangements.

The display at the Victory Fair will consist of agricultural, industrial, official and artistic exhibits. Pottery, Indian blankets and wicker-ware are among the commodities, in many different sizes, color combinations and unique designs that are made by the Mexicans and the Indians of Mexico, that will be shown.

The Dallas Trade Trippers, who visited Mexico recently, inspected their national museum of commercial and industrial arts. They are filled with admiration for the many interesting and handsome articles they saw there.

One, or more, of their excellent Police, or Army Bands, may come. Secretary Stratton has sent a special request of this nature to President Carranza.

Twenty thousand square feet of floor space have been set aside for the Mexican Government exhibition. Advances have been received that thousands of representative Mexicans will attend the Fair.

HORACE GOLDIN, MAGICIAN STAR FOR VICTORY FAIR

WITH COMPANY OF ORIENTAL MYSTICS WILL MYSTIFY COLISEUM AUDIENCES.



Horace Goldin, Master-Magician, Illusionist, and Inventor of Legende-main, with his company of Oriental Mystics, will be a star coliseum attraction at the Victory Fair at Dallas in October.

Goldin presents some of the most mystifying spectacular illusions ever seen anywhere. He himself is a "whole show of whirlwind magic."

A beautiful maiden walks through a big plate glass mirror—Goldin disappears from a wicker basket suspended from an airplane—a dainty damsel appears to be torn to shreds by a raging tiger, only to walk forth presently unharmed.

GIANT SEARCHLIGHTS WILL ILLUMINATE VICTORY FAIR

THREE HIGH POWERED LIGHTS MADE FOR RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT SECURED.

Three immense electric Searchlights, that will prove a revelation in illuminating possibilities, have been secured for the Victory Fair.

The combined strength of these searchlights is 6,500,000 candlepower. They were procured in Chicago where they were originally made for the Russian Government prior to the revolution in that country, but were never shipped there.

Camel CIGARETTES advertisement featuring an image of a camel and text: 'Cigarettes made to meet your taste! Camels are offered you as a cigarette entirely out of the ordinary—a flavor and smoothness never before attained.'

CITY TAILOR SHOP advertisement: 'FRONT STREET, Cleaning and Pressing DONE RIGHT, Give Us Your Business, T. A. KERR, Proprietor.'

John W. Willson Attorney at Law advertisement: 'Will practice in all Courts, REAL ESTATE AGENCY, COTULLA, TEXAS.'

DR. R. L. GRAHAM Physician and Surgeon advertisement: 'Office One Door North Gaddis Pharmacy, COTULLA, TEXAS.'

Tan-No-More THE SKIN BEAUTIFIER advertisement: 'Protects, Cleanses, Improves, Beauty, even skin deep, should be protected and improved.'

WE LEND MONEY ON FARMS AND RANCHES advertisement: 'and through our TRUST DEPARTMENT, Act as Trustees and Administrators of Estates, E. B. CHANDLER, San Antonio, Texas.'

GUNTER HOTEL advertisement: 'SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, A PLACE TO STOP AT WORTH WHILE THE HOME OF ALL TEXAS, PERCY TYRRELL, Manager.'

The Farmers and Stockmans BANK advertisement: '(unincorporated) at Cotulla, La Salle County, Texas, Wants Your Business for 1919, J. H. ZACHRY, Manager, J. H. GALLMAN, Assistant Manager.'

We Sell for Cash WE CAN SELL CHEAPER advertisement: 'GROCERIES AND GRAIN, Bring the Money and Get More, W. H. FULLERTON & SON.'

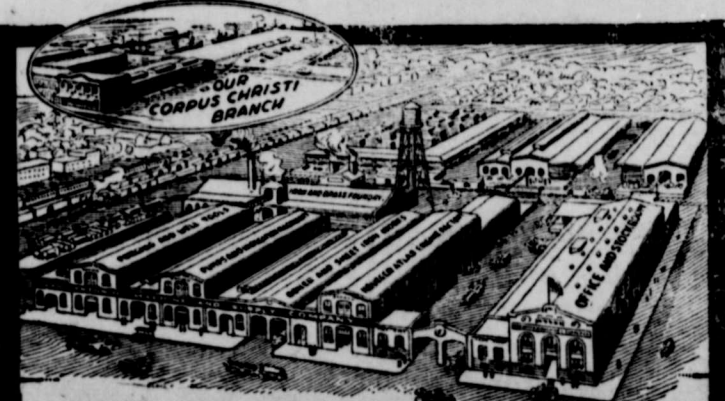
AUTOMOBILE SERVICE! advertisement: 'Anywhere, Anytime, Day or Night, RATES REASONABLE, M. H. RUSSELL.'

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It's not good business to be without it.

We represent the best big Companies.

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D. H. Davis, Cotulla, Texas.
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Vivian Lopez, Cotulla, Texas.
C. S. Foster, Asherton, Texas.
W. W. Miller, Asherton, Texas.

Ask for other names.

THEY APPRECIATE THE ADVANTAGES OF AN ENGINE MADE IN TEXAS
SAN ANTONIO MACHINE & SUPPLY CO.
M. KRUEGER, PRES.
SAN ANTONIO CORPUS CHRISTI
SAMSCO

WATCH THE BOLL WEEVIL!

If the boll weevil starts to work in your cotton fight him with some of the remedies the Government recommends. Cotton is worth too much to let him operate unmolested. We will arrange to handle the "medicine" you may need. Start the fight early and it will be easier to win.

GADDIS PHARMACY.

T. R. KECK

**Lumber, Hardware, Wagons
Undertaker's Supplies.**

Lime, Cement, Brick and all kinds Builders Supplies.
Cotulla, Texas.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Miss Ruth Law, the American aviator, is now in Japan, where she is teaching progressive Japanese women the science of flying.

Trained nurses for rural school districts under supervision of the Red Cross is now one of the subjects of a course of this organization.

Club women are now occupying themselves with the question of monuments to soldiers killed in the war, in opinion favoring community building.

Miss Josephine Heron, an American girl who took motion pictures at the front for the Y. M. C. A., frequently worked under German shell fire for weeks at a time.

Miss Louise Gilman, industrial secretary of the metropolitan board of the Y. W. C. A., is to tour New York state in the interests of protective legislation for women.

WORDS OF WISDOM

Every man is worth just as much as the things are worth about which he is concerned.

The one thing we have no power to buy, either for ourselves or for others, is happiness. We must create it if we wish to possess or to bestow it.

Sincerity is to speak as we think; to do as we pretend and profess; to perform and make good what we promise; and really be what we would seem and appear to be.

IN SPARE MOMENTS

Kirke learned Greek while waiting to and fro from a lawyer's office.

A celebrated physician in London translated Lucretius while riding in his carriage upon his daily rounds.

Duguesseau, one of the chancellors of France, wrote an able and bulky work in the successive intervals of waiting for dinner.

Elihu Burritt, while earning his living as a blacksmith, learned eighteen languages and twenty-two dialects by simply improving "odd moments."

Darwin composed nearly all of his works in the same way, writing down his thoughts in a memorandum book which he carried for the purpose.

Madam de Genlis composed several of her charming volumes while waiting in the schoolroom for the tardy princess to whom she gave daily lessons.

SAGE REFLECTIONS

All true love is founded on esteem.—Buckingham.

None preaches better than the ant, and she says nothing.—Franklin.

Of all commentaries upon the Scriptures, good examples are the best and the liveliest.—Donne.

Kings and their subjects, masters and slaves, find a common level in two places—at the foot of the cross and in the grave.—Colton.

In order to have an enemy, one must be somebody. One must be a force before he can be resisted by another force. A malicious enemy is better than a clumsy friend.—Mad. Swetchine.

Do ye not laugh, oh, listening friends, when men praise those dead whose virtues they discovered not when living? It takes much marble to build the sepulcher. How little of lath and plaster would have repaired the garret!—Bulwer.

If envy, like anger, did not burn itself in its own fire, and consume and destroy those persons it possesses before it can destroy those it wishes worst to, it would set the whole world on fire, and leave the most excellent persons the most miserable.

Before undertaking any design weigh the glory of the attempt. If the glory outweigh the danger it is cowardice to neglect it; if the danger exceed the glory, it is rashness to attempt it; if the balance stand poised, let thine own genius cast them.—Quarles.

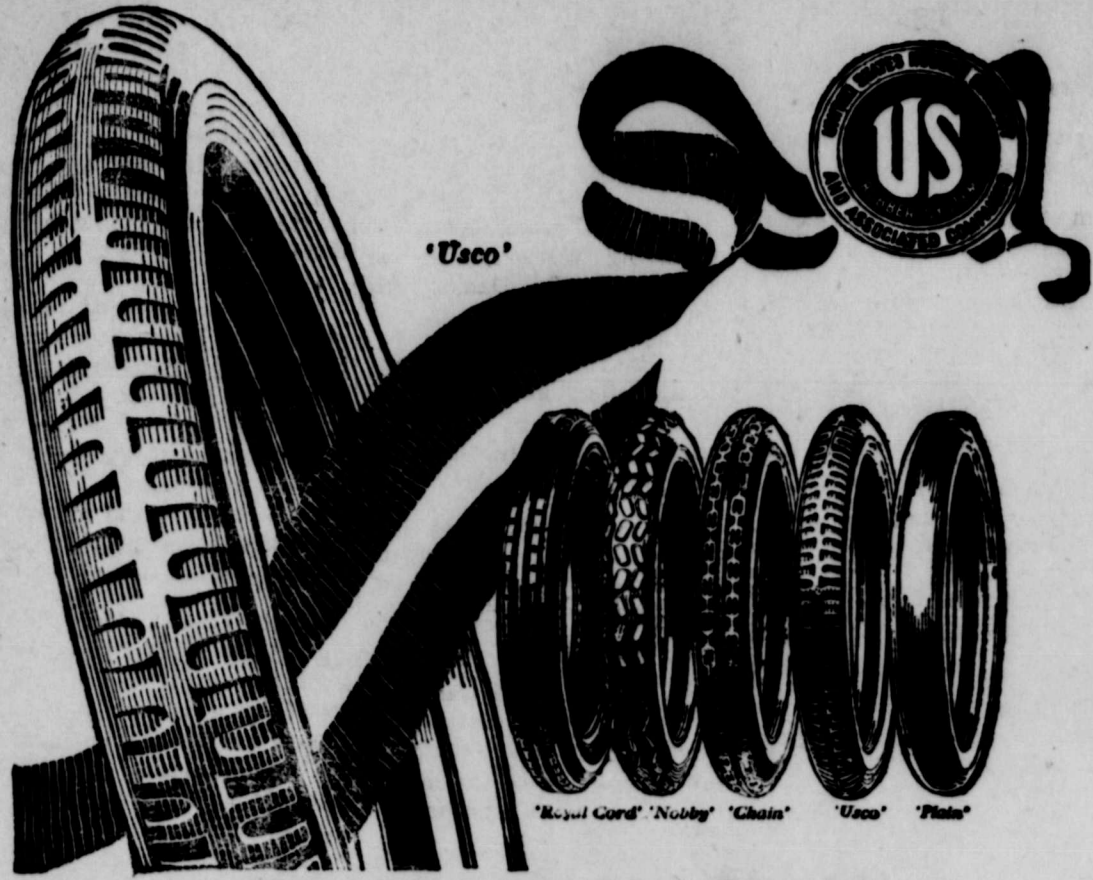
MORE OR LESS WISE

Eyes will not see when the heart wishes them to be blind. Desire conceals truth, as darkness does the earth.—Seneca.

The flowering of civilization is the finished man—the man of sense, of grace, of accomplishment, of social power—the gentleman.—Emerson.

All my experience of the world teaches me that in 99 cases out of 100 the safe and just side of a question is the generous and merciful side.—Mrs. Jameson.

Many have been ruined by their fortunes and many have escaped ruin by the want of fortune. To obtain the great have become little, and the little great.—Zimmerman.



We Vouch for Them

Of all the tires that are made, —why do you suppose we prefer to sell United States Tires?

Because they are made by the biggest rubber company in the world. And they know how to build good tires.

They have choice of materials,—they have immense

facilities,—they employ many exclusive methods.

They can go to greater lengths in testing, improving and perfecting the things that make good tires.

We find it good business to sell United States Tires.

And—you will find it good business to buy them. They are here—a tire for every need.

United States Tires are Good Tires

We know United States Tires are GOOD Tires—that's why we sell them.

Chas. E. Neal's Auto Sales Co.

E. G. Bright Garage, Dilley.

Encinal Mercantile Company, Encinal

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of La Salle County, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon A. W. Cook 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 if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not then in any newspaper published in the 81st Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 81st Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of La Salle County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Cotulla, on the 4th Monday in September A. D. 1919, the same being the 22nd day of September A. D. 1919, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 14th day of August A. D. 1919, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1278, wherein M. E. Cook is Plaintiff, and A. W. Cook is Defendant, and said petition alleging

1 That on or about the year 1885, plaintiff was duly and legally married to defendant in the County of Bexar, State of Texas, and continued to live with him as his wife until about the year 1900.

2 That Plaintiff has been an actual bona fide inhabitant of the State of Texas for a period of twelve months, and has resided in the said County of La Salle, where this suit is filed, a period of more than six months next preceding the filing thereof, having been a resident of said county for about two years.

3 That at all times, while married to the defendant, plaintiff conducted herself with propriety, doing her duty as a wife, and at all times treated defendant with kindness and forbearance, and was guilty of no act bringing about or causing the act hereinafter complained of on the part of defendant.

4 That in the year 1900, while plaintiff and defendant were residing in the State of Oklahoma, the defendant abandoned this plaintiff, leaving her to care for and support three small children; that since the defendant abandoned her as aforesaid, they have not lived together as husband and wife, neither has the defendant contributed anything towards the support of plaintiff and said plaintiff be decreed to be the separate estate of this plaintiff; and for such other and further relief as the Court shall think proper to grant, or as plaintiff may demand; that all the property, both real and personal, now belonging to

children; but that plaintiff has reared and educated said children.

5 That since defendant abandoned plaintiff as aforesaid, she has accumulated some property, same having been acquired long after her abandonment by the defendant, and that the defendant is not entitled to any community interest therein. Wherefore, plaintiff prays that defendant be cited by publication to answer this petition; that on final hearing plaintiff have judgment dissolving the marriage between plaintiff and be entitled to, either at law or in equity.

Herein Fail Not, but have before

said Court, as its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Cotulla, Texas, this 16th day of August, A. D. 1919

A. U. KNAGGS,
Clerk District Court, La Salle County, Texas.

A true copy I certify.
T. H. Poole,
Sheriff La Salle County, Texas,
By John Wildenthal, Deputy.



Removal Sale

In the face of advancing prices on nearly every class of merchandise, we are making attractive prices in order to close out our stock before moving.

Ginghams, fancy patterns, 25c value,20c
Ginghams, Toile Du Nord, Select45c
Domestic, unbleached, 35c value25c
Shoes, all brands, mens and womens, 10 per cent discount.
Flour, White Eagle, guaranteed 24 lbs.\$1.55
Syrup, Koo Koo, large size1.00
Syrup, Export,80
Soap, Crystal White, per bar6 1-4c
Soap, Swift's white5c
Matches, Search Light5c

Simpson & Son.

LOCAL & PERSONAL

September 1st - soon.

Bantam Chickens for sale. Roy Cotulla.

Jim Walker made a business trip to Laredo during the week.

R. O. Gouger came up from Laredo one day during the week.

Misses Eala and Robbie Lilly of Devine are here visiting Miss Justice Graham.

Miss Allie Mae Cox of Crystal City is here visiting her aunt, Mrs. Simon Cotulla.

Shelby Cotulla of San Antonio is here spending a few days with relatives.

There is going to be some cotton money scattered about pretty soon.

H. A. Cox jr. is here from Crystal City visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Cotulla.

Several Valley Wells farmers have been in town with cotton the past week.

The weather the last three or four days has been favorable for cotton picking.

Mrs. D. L. Neeley and mother, Mrs. Fullerton, returned from San Antonio Monday.

Cotulla paid the highest prices in the county for cotton this week.

Missionary J. P. King will begin a meeting a Rockwood to night and will continue for several days.

The Record Job office can turn out the kind of work you want and do it promptly. Send in your orders.

When you meet a fellow now, and call him a cotton farmer, he just smiles. He's the fellow that is strictly in it.

County Agent Lown was up at Pearsall last week and said the farmers had an exhibit at the Peoples State Bank. The bank offered \$50 in prizes for the exhibit which consisted principally of corn, maize, peanuts, honey, etc. Mr. Lown said the exhibit was very creditable, but he expects the farmers of this county to go them one better in October.

Miss Marie Neal is visiting relatives at Rockport and Sinton.

Miss Irene Black of San Antonio is visiting Miss Mildred Talbott for a few days.

Miss Madie Daniel spent the week at Big Wells visiting her brother, J. H. Daniel and family.

Miss Ruth Mays, sister of Mrs. W. L. Skinner, has accepted the position of Dean of Women in Shawnee, Baptist University of Oklahoma.

Miss Patty Mays left this week for Mission, Texas where she will teach in the city schools. She will visit in Beeville on the way.

J. M. Sorrell of Pearsall will open an office in Cotulla Monday and will buy cotton here throughout the season. Mr. Sorrell will buy at all points in the county.

Rev. Harbour went to Crystal City Monday and took an examination which would make him eligible to participate in the Methodist Conference which will meet in October.

Chas. E. Neal says he has succeeded in getting a few new Ford Trucks that will be in shortly. If he had them in stock now they would move promptly as cotton farmers need them to move their crops.

Considerable cotton has been coming in from the Artesia Wells district this week. A good crop will be gathered in that district. Growers report pickers very scarce, some being unable to get any pickers.

Mrs. W. C. Haney returned Tuesday from Elmore City, Okla. where she was called last week to the bedside of her mother. She was delayed on account of train connections at Milano, and did not reach her old home until after her mother's death.

Mrs. J. T. Maltzberger and children are at Corpus Christi spending a few weeks and write home that they are having a great time. Mr. Maltzberger said he had a letter from Isabel yesterday stating that she was having the time of her life: said she "went swimming and was stung by four jelly fish, and went boating and got seasick."

Andy Guinn came in this week from the Pecos country. He said that section of the state was in fine shape, better perhaps than it had been for a quarter of a century. He was glad to see old La Salle blooming, and regretted that he didn't have a cotton crop.

Justo Penn, editor of the Laredo Daily Times, accompanied by his family were here yesterday. Mr. Penn started to San Antonio in his car last Saturday but an account of high water in the Frio was forced to leave his car here and take the train. On his return they stopped off here and went home in their car.

County Agent Lown is "batching" at present and we think he is getting about one square a day. For breakfast he satisfies himself with a malted milk at the soda fountain, for supper takes on a plentiful supply of pure artesian. We presume he finds time to prepare a substantial noonday meal. Anyway he is anxiously awaiting the return of Mrs. Lown, who is visiting in Central Texas. She informed him she would return about the first, but he is not certain whether she meant the first of September or January.

Bantem Chickens for sale by Roy Cotulla.

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SPECIAL FEATURE DON'T MISS IT.

Tuesday Night ---Sept. 2--- THE QUEEN

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of La Salle County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said La Salle County, a copy of the following notice:

The State of Texas. To all Persons interested in the Welfare of Encarnacion Gutierrez, Juana Gutierrez, Beatrice Gutierrez and Ramon Gutierrez, Minors Leonides Lopez was by the County Court of La Salle County, Texas, on the 15th day of August, A. D. 1919, duly appointed Temporary Guardian of the estate of said Minors, which appointment will be made permanent unless the same shall be successfully contested at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Second Monday in October, A. D. 1919, the same being the 13th day of October, A. D. 1919, at the Court House thereof, in Cotulla, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minors may appear and contest such appointment if they so desire.

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 you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Cotulla, this 28th day of August, A. D. 1919.

A. U. KNAGGS, Clerk County Court, La Salle County, Texas.

A true copy, I hereby certify. T. H. Poole, Sheriff La Salle County, Texas. By John Wildenthal, Deputy.

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