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AMERICAN FARMER SHOWS ABILITY TO OVERCOME LOSSES

FINANCING REPORT DECLARES 41 PER CENT OF LOANS PAID WHEN DUE.

Washington, Dec. 21.—The American farmer has demonstrated that when properly financed he can weather the worst economic storms. The war finance corporation declared in its annual report sent to congress today. The report set forth that 41 per cent of the money advanced to the agricultural industry had been repaid either in advance of maturity or when due.

Advances by the corporation saved the industry many millions of dollars, the report declared, explaining that the corporation's officers believed its activity had proved as beneficial in the restoration of confidence as in the actual pouring of cash into spots where credit was tightest. The loans had made it possible for thousands of farmers to handle their products in an orderly fashion, it was added, and the confidence instilled in them through the knowledge that money was available acted as a stabilizer, the value of which, the report said, could only be estimated.

Unable to Estimate Effect.

"It is impossible," the report continued, "to estimate the full effect of the aid given by the corporation to the live stock industry, because calamities that are averted can never be measured. It is generally recognized, however, that by providing as it did financing for more than 6,900,000 head of live stock, the corporation checked the demoralization in the industry, gave the stockmen a breathing spell, stabilized the market and turned the tide away from disaster toward recovery and reconstruction."

The effect of the corporation's activity on the live stock industry was typical of that on many other phases of agriculture, it was added, and satisfaction with the assistance rendered has been expressed to the corporation in countless ways.

"Large as is the number of advances made by the corporation," the report said, "it falls far short of indicating the number of farmers who benefited from them; for even those farmers who have had no financial assistance, directly or indirectly, have nevertheless, been aided by the general improvement in the credit situation in their own communities, in neighboring districts, and in the country as a whole, as well as by the stabilization of markets for many products of agriculture."

Loans Decrease.

The report added that the gradual decrease in the number of applications for loans further reflected the general benefit which the corporation's operations have had on the agriculture credit situation. Advances for agricultural and live stock purposes totalling \$433,447,000 in 37 States had been approved up to November 30. Of this \$182,859,000 went to 440 banking institutions, \$77,761,000 to 113 live stock loan companies, \$172,827,000 to 32 co-operative marketing associations.

SOME NEWS OF THE CROCKETT OIL FIELD

The Driskell well is growing more favorable every day and it is said that a well may be expected at any time after the next few weeks. This well is around 3200 feet.

The Porter well is drilling every day and is nearing 3000 feet. The prospects of this well continue encouraging and the oil is expected at any time after the next few weeks.

The Porter Springs well is closed until after the holidays and then until a good rain falls, as it has water shortage.

THE DYING YEAR.

By Marietta Stephenson.

The dying year, like dear departed friends;
Their landmarks ever linger with the past.
The fading form will go, but leave its trace,
Of tenderness and sweets that would not last.

We view the scene where retrospection leads,
Are all the Joys we tried to gather in;
We look again on Nature's saddest call—
Glittering frost-gleam where flowers have been.

The inward tears for those forever lost;
The crown and scepter paint a Heavenly sphere.
Our hopes and fears have vanished
On wings of the dying year.

But time will tell in after years,
Of friends we have lost and won;
And play on the hearts of children fair
As bright as the noonday sun.

And the moon will rise in its tenderness;
In Her innocence and light,
On the breast of the ocean far away,
And saddened hearts at night.

The year comes in with its promises—
How many will be fulfilled?
The next will come as this one did,
On which our hopes must build.

I look again at the foot prints made
In the paths o'er which we have come;
Where memory's muted strings have played,
Like the sound of a muffled drum.

The harp that hung in Terry's Hall,
True hearts with memory fill;
The chords that once unbroken
Their accents come at will.

The cycle has played like a banner of faith,
A duty we owe it may seem,
With visions of hope borne away on the tide,
Where death is only a dream.

But our welcome goes to the year to be—
The years with its killing frost.
It will come perhaps with a measured tread,
In search of the loved and lost.

Let us humbly and thankfully accept that which is proffered us by Him who made us.

JUST A WORD WITH OUR SUBSCRIBERS

The Courier's list of subscription renewals this week is again larger than the previous week. Many have called to extend the season's greetings and to wish the Courier an abundance of success for the coming year, for which they will please accept our thanks.

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

Dr. P. S. Griffith, Houston.
J. S. Kennedy, Center.
Ed Story, Grapeland Rt. 4.
J. A. Harrelson, Lovelady Rt. 2.
C. T. Stevenson, Lovelady.
Chas. Ivey, Crockett Rt. 1.
R. L. Turner, Crockett Rt. 2.
Mrs. T. H. McAfee, Slidell, La.
A. D. Lipscomb, Beaumont.
W. Q. Lundy, Evansville.
Mrs. W. H. Denny for S. T. Beasley, Sealy.
G. A. Grounds, Crockett Rt. 1.
M. G. Hill, Kennard Rt. 3.
Armstead Aldrich, Colbert, Okla.

Mrs. Mary Lane, Crockett Rt. 1.
Mrs. W. B. Page, Stanardsville, Va.
E. A. Williams, Crockett Rt. 4.
Mrs. Becky Stephens, Lovelady.
S. C. Bitner, Lovelady Rt. 2.
G. C. Areford, Uniontown, Pa.
Geo. Louis Payne, Dallas.
W. W. Wills, Lovelady Rt. 2.
J. H. Scarborough, Augusta.
Lee Lundy, Creek Rt. 1.
Hyman Harrison, Los Angeles.
G. W. Ashby, Ratcliff.
H. J. Trube, Crockett.

Mr. W. A. Eddy.

Died and was buried as stated in the Courier last week. He was born in Fort Ann, N. Y., April 1, 1842, and moved to Wisconsin when 14 years old. He came to live in his home near Crockett in 1905. He and his family have been highly esteemed and useful citizens of the Oakland church community. He was not a member of the Presbyterian church, but was a good friend of the writer, and more than once in his sickness told me he was trusting in Christ as his Saviour. For many years, on account of a crippled foot, he was not in a condition to attend public preaching. He had every attention from his son and daughters, and has left them and us pleasant memories.
S. F. Tenney.

T. D. Zachary Dead.

News has been received from the Masonic Home at Arlington of the death of Mr. T. D. Zachary who passed away Wednesday morning at 5 o'clock. The body is being forwarded here for interment in the Hays Spring cemetery under the auspices of Grapeland Masonic Lodge, and more complete funeral arrangements will be announced later. Mr. Zachary had been in ill health for some time and about a month ago, went to Arlington to spend the rest of his life in the Masonic Home. He had been a Mason about 50 years.—Grapeland Messenger.

Miss Shivers Resigns From School Faculty.

Miss Wilma Shivers, our efficient teacher of the fourth grade, has tendered her resignation to take effect at the Christ-

mas holidays. Miss Shivers is resigning for the purpose of entering college and getting additional credits for some unfinished work.

The Board of Trustees reluctantly accepted her resignation, as they felt in so doing they were losing a valuable and energetic member of the public school faculty.

By her winsome ways and her willingness to give the public the benefit of her musical talents, Miss Shivers has endeared herself to the people of this community, and when she leaves Sinton she leaves a host of well-wishing and admiring friends.—Sinton Journal.

Christmas Marriage.

Mr. Clarence A. Oney of Longview and Miss Elizabeth Lee Moore were married Tuesday morning at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moore, in this city. The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moore and has been living in Longview for some time. The bridegroom is manager of the Stuckey store in Longview. Both are prominent and popular young people. The Courier joins other friends in extending congratulations and the season's best wishes.

POSTPONEMENT FOR TAX EXEMPTION ACT

ADMINISTRATION FORCES DELAY CONSIDERATION OVER HOLIDAYS.

Washington, Dec. 20.—The republican organization of the house of representatives today abandoned until after the holidays the Green resolution, submitting a constitutional amendment to the states that would abolish the issuance of tax-free securities. With the general debate not closed when the house adjourned last night the resolution is deemed to have been in a dangerous position and the delay enables the consideration of appropriation bills and a reorganization of forces favoring the organization in January.

Representative Garner of Texas, who led the democratic attack against the resolution yesterday, engaged in a short debate today with Representative Mills of New York, one of the sponsors of the administration's plan in submitting the amendment. Mr. Garner charged that the power sought to be conferred would enable the federal government to tax the income from state, municipal or other such bonds at a rate higher than is levied against other property of the same classification. Mr. Mills admitted that such extreme power could be imagined under the wording of the resolution, but that it would never be exercised.

The majority have manifested opposition to Mr. Garner's proposed amendment, which he asserts would be a guarantee that the rate of taxation would be uniform and he has asked the proponents of the resolution to draft one to meet the objection. He stated, during the debate today, that with such a guarantee written into the resolution 90 per cent of the objection would be removed. It was still his opinion, Mr. Garner stated, that the tax-free securities should be permitted, otherwise the people would have to make up the tax in interest rate.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

John Waller is among the A. & M. students home from College Station for the holiday vacation.

Lester Callaway, Julius Deupree, Louis Durst, Frank Smith, Victor Kennedy and Jim Houston Sharp were among the A. & M. students home for the holidays this week.

Mr. E. A. Williams has renewed his subscription to the Courier for the thirty-second time. We regret to learn that Mr. Williams is in feeble health, but hope he may soon be up and out.

Chas. Turner of Texarkana, Walter Turner of Lufkin and Albert Turner of Texas City made a family Christmas reunion at the home of their father, Mr. C. A. Turner, near Crockett.

Mr. Henry Merchant and Mrs. Alice Meadows were married at the Methodist parsonage Tuesday afternoon by Rev. E. A. Maness, the pastor. The Courier extends best wishes and the compliments of the season.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Eastham of Waxahatchie, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Eastham Jr. of Huntsville, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wootters of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. E. Gardner of Houston are here for the Wootters-Craddock wedding.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends for their sympathy and help during the sickness and death of our father.
John W. Eddy,
May Eddy,
Louise Eddy.

Word of Appreciation.

Editor Courier:
Please allow me through you to say to my many friends in Crockett that I gratefully appreciate their Christmas greetings and kind remembrances to my family and self.
S. F. Tenney.

Joint Meeting.

There is to be a joint meeting of the churches in Crockett, at the Methodist church next Sunday night, December 31, when the subject of the sufferers of the Near East will be discussed and suggestions made as to what we can do towards sending them relief. A full attendance is earnestly requested.
S. F. Tenney,
Senior Pastor.

Christian Church.

The lower grades of our Sunday school enjoyed a program and tree Friday evening.

The upper grades gave a pageant Sunday evening, portraying scenes connected with the birth of Christ.

Offerings were made for the old ministers.

Next Sunday evening preaching service dismissed for the union meeting.

The other services of the day as usual.
E. S. Allhands,
Minister.

Some Paragraphs.

We have all of the modern inventions and appliances with which to make life easier, and brighter, and more attractive.

New Year Greetings

There are times in the lives of men when the lips speak and the heart is silent. At other times the heart would speak but the lips remain closed.

But in grateful remembrance of their bounteous favors to us during the year that is drawing to a close, both our hearts and our lips unite with the pen in offering to our many friends and patrons our sincere appreciation of all they have done for us.

Greater thanks no man may truly give.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Ed Capriellan has returned from Houston.

J. T. Harrison of Houston was here this week.

Arthur Daniel of Austwell is here for the holidays.

B. F. Thomas is spending the week at Mt. Pleasant.

Edward McConnell has returned from College Station.

Mrs. C. H. Callaway has returned from a visit to Bryan.

Hunter Smith took Christmas with his family in Athens.

Miss Eloise Ellis has returned from a visit to Houston.

Mrs. E. M. Burk of Palestine was a Crockett visitor this week.

Miss Lucile Howard of Grape-land is visiting Miss Bessie Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Lipscomb LeGory of Bryan visited their parents in Crockett during the holidays.

Phil Moore was at home from Mt. Pleasant for the holiday season.

Miss Jennie Lacy of Lufkin visited relatives in Crockett this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Valentine of Wichita Falls are here for the holidays.

Miss Wilma Shivers will re-enter college after the holiday vacation.

Miss Billie Burk of Lufkin is here for the Wootters-Craddock wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wagner of Houston visited relatives here this week.

Miss Pauline Durst of Leona is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. P. Hail.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thomas of Dallas were here for the holiday season.

Miss Grace Smith of Longview is the holiday guest of Miss Florence Arledge.

Willie Phillips and family of Mart were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Phillips during the holidays.

Miss Marcella Walker of Dalhart is spending the week with Miss Beth Lundy.

Mrs. T. E. Callier and son are visiting their mother and grandmother in Dallas.

T. G. McConnico was here from Cisco to spend Christmas with Mrs. McConnico.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Smith of Palestine were visitors in Crockett this week.

Mrs. Chesley W. Hudson of Dallas spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Austin of Freeport and Dozier Austin of Tyler visited Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Austin during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Yergler of Clarksdale, Miss., are spending the week here.

J. L. Lipscomb of Dallas spent Christmas with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Lipscomb.

Will Wall of Stuttgart, Ark., visited his parents, Judge and Wrs. W. B. Wall, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Straughan of Dallas were holiday visitors in Crockett and Lovelady.

Miss Vicory Tunstall of Houston visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barker Tunstall, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonley LeMay of Athens were guests of relatives in Crockett during the holidays.

THANK YOU AGAIN

TO OUR FRIENDS AND PATRONS

As the dawn breaks upon a new year the pleasing privilege is afforded us of again thanking our customers for their patronage, courtesy and good will during the year that is passing into history.

May the new year bring to you, to yours, and to our country the peace, happiness and prosperity that is due the righteous of the earth.

Resolve to buy Crockett baked bread during 1923 and support the town that supports you.

The Crockett Bakery

1923

Once more, we stand on the threshold of a New Year. Our hearts beat with a renewed energy as our minds turn to thoughts of the future. What will it bring?

We think. We reason. We weigh well the facts that surround us. And, we come to but one conclusion. That is, that the New Year spells naught but an unprecedented era of Prosperity for our Community and its citizens. And we hope that Fate will wave its magic wand of Health, Happiness and Peace over each individual personally.

As for our business relations with you, we know that they will be as cordial in the future as they have been in the past. We thank you for your patronage of the last year and we promise you that nothing will be left undone in 1923 that will in any way heighten the esteem in which our patrons now hold us.

Again we wish you Health, Happiness, Peace and Prosperity.

Jas. S. Shivers

MONEY TO LOAN
BUY VENDOR LEIN NOTES.
AETNA LIFE INSURANCE.
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CROCKETT, TEXAS.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

The State of Texas, County of Houston.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Tarrant County, for Civil cases, on the 1st day of December, 1922, by Bart Mynatt, Clerk of said County Court, for the sum of Seven Hundred Seventy-seven & 50-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment, in favor of George R. Lipe, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 20,846, and styled George R. Lipe vs. L. L. Murray et al., placed in my hands for service, I, O. B. Hale, as Sheriff of Houston County, Texas, did, on the 11th day of December, 1922, levy on certain Real Estate situated in Houston County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

A part of the John Box league about 20 miles East from the City of Crockett and described as follows: Beginning at the S. W. corner of the A. J. McLemore homestead tract on the South or S. W. boundary line of the John Box league stake for corner, original bearing gone; Thence N. 30 E. with division line between McLemore and DuPuy lands at 4118 varas to a stake for corner on East or N. B. line of said Box league a pine mkd. X; Thence N. 59 W. with said Box line at 535 varas to the S. E. corner of the La. and Texas Lumber Company tract, formerly Kaugman tract; Thence S. 30 W. with the line of said tract at 1188 varas the S. W. corner of same; Thence N. 59 W. with line of said 100 acres tract at 475 varas stake for corner the N. W. corner of said 100 acre tract on division line between the DuPuy tract and tract of 670 acres formerly known as McLean tract; Thence S. 30 W. with the North or N. W. line of the DuPuy tract at 2900 varas to the West or N. W. corner of the DuPuy 576 2/3 acres tract on South West line of said Box league; Thence S. 59 E. at 960 vrs. to the place of beginning, containing 576 2/3 acres of land more or less, and including the homestead and residence of the DuPuy family save and except the West 200 acres herein designated as our homestead: And being the same land conveyed to Frances E. Murray by Mrs. W. B. DuPuy et al. by deed dated the 29th day of November, 1921, and shown of record in volume 103, page 171, Deed Records of Houston County, Texas. Save and except the West 200 acres set aside as a homestead; and levied upon as the property of L. L. Murray and Mrs. L. L. Murray, and that on the first Tuesday in February, 1923, the same being the 6th day of said month, at the Court House door of Houston County, in the City of Crockett, Texas, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said execution, I will sell above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said L. L. Murray and Mrs. L. L. Murray.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Crockett Courier, a newspaper published in Houston County.

Witness my hand, this 11th day of December, 1922.

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

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For your continued friendship we are both thankful and grateful.

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HERE'S A
HEARTY HANDSHAKE

And the hope that with the close of this eventful year, 1922, we will all make the resolve and keep it, not to live alone for ourselves, but to do all in our power to help make this world a fit place to live in.

Our entire force joins in wishing you the most prosperous New Year of your life.

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Mr. and Mrs. Chas. P. Jones of Houston took Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Foster.

Misses Helen Phillips and Kate Jensen were at home from Mexia for the holiday vacation.

Frank Foster of Houston and Quinton Allee of Tyler were Crockett visitors this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Murray of Lovelady were Christmas visitors of Mrs. J. T. Harrison.

Miss Eleanor Skaggs of Galveston was the Christmas guest of Misses Sue and Bee Denny.

Miss Seawillow Johnson of Marlin has returned for the Craddock-Wootters wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. William Vanderwerth are spending the week with their parents in Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. J. Dewitt of Houston were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Hudson.

Johnnie D. Blair of Palestine spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Blair.

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First Night Show Starts at 7:15 p. m. Promptly.

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"FLOWERS OF THE NORTH"

By James Oliver Curwood with Henry B. Walthall and Pauline Starke, and an all-star cast in this thrilling tale of the Canadian northlands in summer. One of the greatest film stories of the day told in a dramatic film that has no equal for spectacular scenes and thrilling action. Admission 15c and 30c. Matinee Monday. There will be no matinee Tuesday.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3

Ethel Claton in "HER OWN MONEY"

The eternal question of money and family life, in a story that really strikes home. Intended for all who are or hope to be married, and warm with that natural human appeal that win the heart in every Ethel Clayton picture.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 4

Norma Talmadge as "Ginger," the madcap and mother in "LOVE'S REDEMPTION"

From tropical spell to city's snare. An island waif in one—a society wife in the other. She'll warm your heart with her smiles—and tears.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 5

"FIND THE WOMAN"

With Alma Rubens. Broadway high and low life—gold-digging vamp and innocent girl from the country—all New York at its best and worst, lives in this gripping mystery-melodrama.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 6

"THE HOUND OF THE BASKERVILLES"

Eille Norwood as Sherlock Holmes in Sir A. Conan Doyle's mystery! Suspense! Thrills! The greatest of all detective plays—the greatest of all Sherlock Holmes adventures—a sizzling battery of shocks and thrills that every real-blooded human being will applaud. 200,000,000 eager eyes have read it! It has thrilled the world in novel form! It is thrilling it now on the screen! A big special. One day only at regular prices. Matinee at 2:30.

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Mrs. M. N. Schmidt and Mrs. W. R. Turner have returned from their visit to Boonville, Mo.

Mr. H. J. Trube of Galveston is spending the week with his son, Harry J. Trube, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thompson have returned from Mexia and will again make Crockett their home.

J. H. Smith and A. M. Decuir were at home with their families for the Christmas celebrations.

Misses Velma Brock and Eva Gene Murchison of Grapeland were Crockett visitors Monday evening.

Mrs. Oliver Daniels and Miss Pearl Livsey of Longview were visitors in Crockett during the holidays.

Mrs. George Whitten and daughter, Grace, of Houston took Christmas with relatives in Crockett.

John F. Shivers, Guy Lansford, Robert Spence, Blum Hester, Sam F. Arledge, W. D. Hail and Mac McConnell are among the A. & M. Students home this week.

Messrs. Sol and Leon Bromberg of Galveston were guests of their mother, Mrs. M. Bromberg, this week.

Miss Edna Barron, teaching at Aransas Pass, spent the holiday vacation with her parents in Lovelady.

Eugene Kennedy, student of Texas University, was among those at home for the holiday festivities.

Mrs. Walter Johnson of Marlin and Mrs. Will Howell of Bryan are here for the Wootters-Craddock wedding.

Miss Cora Phillips, teaching at Angleton, and Miss Katherine Hassell, teaching near Dallas, were at home for the holiday vacation.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Miss Nona Queen of Kerens is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. G. Cartwright.

Chester Owens of Little Rock was with his parents at Grapeland this week.

Will Denny of Dallas and Murdoch Denny of Kansas City spent Christmas with their parents in this city.

Buddy Johnson of Marlin has arrived for the Wootters-Craddock wedding.

Miss Grace Moore of Dallas is spending the week with her parents in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Festus Mangum of Wharton spent Christmas with relatives in Houston county.

Paul Stokes and Frank Wootters, students of Texas University Medical College at Galveston, were at home for the Christmas holidays.



HAPPY NEW YEAR TO MY FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS

I can honestly say to you that I wish you the best of success, hoping you to be my customer in the future, and I your servant in a business way.

At all times we will give you the very best of service and the best goods that can be bought at a very reasonable price.

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PHONE 29



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We wish to extend our sincere thanks to those of you who by your patronage and friendship made the year 1922 one of the best of our business life.

For the coming year we assure you of our greatest efforts to serve you well with merchandise of the highest quality.

May the new year hold in store for you all the good things for which you could wish.

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New Year
to All



OUR APPRECIATION

We thank you for a year of generous patronage.

We fully appreciate your support, and in token of that appreciation we will endeavor to serve you as well, or even better, in 1923.

May the best of everything come to you.

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Parties ordering advertising or printing for societies, churches, committees or organizations of any kind will, in all cases, be held personally responsible for the payment of the bills.

In case of errors or omissions in legal or other advertisements, the publishers do not hold themselves liable for damage further than the amount received by them for such advertisement.

Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of the Courier will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to the attention of the management.

Mrs. Harry Weis and daughter of San Angelo are visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. M. Bromberg.

Miss Sybil Towery, from school at Fort Worth, and Miss Lucile Clark, from school at Denton, were at home with their parents for the holiday vacation.

T. F. Smith from Freeport and Guy Hale from White City were among Crockett boys home for the holidays.

Mrs. McDade Wilburn and Mrs. Arthur Pace of Houston have arrived to attend the Wootters-Craddock wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lacy and children of Hull were holiday visitors with relatives in and near Crockett this week.

Miss Corsia Wiggins spent Christmas with relatives in Garrison and Miss Katy Wheeler with relatives in Bay City.

The friends of Mr. H. F. Moore will be glad to note that he is again able to be up and out, after a severe attack of illness.

Miss Wilma Shivers, teaching at Sinton, and Miss Mabel Guinn from Dallas are spending the week with their parents in this city.

Misses Grace, Sue and Bee Denny entertained with an afternoon tea Christmas day in honor of their visitor, Miss Eleanor Skaggs of Galveston. The affair proved to be the most delightful on the social calendar for the last several seasons.

Miss Lillie Hail, teaching at Port Arthur, and Miss Effie Mae Lacy, teaching at Dayton, were at home for the holiday vacation.

Judge Porter Newman of Durant, Okla., visited his mother and family at Augusta and friends in Crockett during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Deaton have returned from Groveton, where they were called by the illness and death of Mrs. Deaton's mother.

Mrs. J. O. Ross, Mrs. J. W. Scott and Mrs. Oliver Wright of Houston are here for the Wootters-Craddock wedding Thursday evening.

Any kind of stove or heater wood at any time. Phone 189; after first of year, mail me your order at Crockett.
2t.* F. H. Butler.

The young men of Crockett gave their annual Christmas dance Monday evening. An orchestra from Houston supplied the music. The dance was adequately chaperoned, more than the usual number of visitors were present and the usual good time prevailed.

**The
New
Year**

Is at hand, and while making your new resolutions, why not resolve to give us your drug business the coming year. You will find it to be both pleasant and profitable to you and we will certainly appreciate your patronage.

Wishing you Health, Happiness and Prosperity for 1923.

Jno. F. Baker

THE REXALL STORE

**"Feeling
Fine!"**

"I was pale and thin, hardly able to go," says Mrs. Bessie Bearden, of Central, S. C. "I would suffer, when I stood on my feet, with bearing-down pains in my sides and the lower part of my body. I did not rest well and didn't want anything to eat. My color was bad and I felt miserable. A friend of mine told me of

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

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Notice of Intention to Apply for
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The Beaumont and Great Northern Railroad hereby gives notice in accordance with Sec. 57, Art. III, Constitution of the State of Texas, that it will apply to the 38th Legislature of the State of Texas for the passage of an act or law among other things authorizing it to purchase that certain railroad which begins at a point in the Town of Trinity, Trinity County, Texas, and extends in an easterly direction through and across the counties, or parts of the counties of Trinity, Polk and Tyler, to a point in the Town of Colmesneil, in Tyler County, Texas, together with the franchises and properties appertaining thereto now owned by The Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway Company of Texas and now being operated by the Receiver of its railways and property, and which said line of railroad, franchises and appurtenances are directed to be sold in and by a final decree in that certain consolidated cause pending in the United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas, at Dallas, entitled: "Central Union Trust Company of New York, Trustee, Plaintiff, vs. The Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway Company of Texas, Defendant, in Equity Consolidated Cause No. 2794-50", and in the constituent cause thereof entitled: "Bankers Trust Company, Plaintiff, vs. The Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway Company of Texas, and Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway Company, Defendants, in Equity No. 2820-76", and authorizing said The Beaumont and Great Northern Railroad to own, maintain, operate and extend said line of railroad and appurtenances and to exercise said franchises, subject to the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, and authorizing the purchaser or purchasers of said line of railroad extending from Trinity to Colmesneil, at any sale thereof in pursuance of any order or decree of said Court in said Consolidated Cause or said constituent cause thereof, or any company which such purchaser or purchasers and their associates, if any, may form under the general laws of

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this State, for the purpose of acquiring, owning, maintaining and operating said line of railroad, and which shall have acquired same, to sell and convey same and the franchises and appurtenances thereof to said The Beaumont and Great Northern Railroad.

In testimony whereof, The Beaumont and Great Northern Railroad has caused these presents to be executed in its name, by its President, attested by its Secretary, with its corporate seal attached, this 20th day of November, 1922.

The Beaumont and Great Northern Railroad,
By (Signed) C. E. Schaff,
Attest: President.
(Signed) C. S. Sherwin,
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