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cures Colds prevents Pneumonia

ENDORSES TOM HARRIS.

Palestine Bar Endorses Him for District
Attorney.

Palestine, Texas, Feb 19, 1906.
—To Whom it may Concern:—
We the undersigned composing
the Bar of Palestine and Arden-
son county, having learned with
great pleasure that Tom J. Har-
ris is a candidate for the demo-
cratic nomination for District
Attorney of the third judicial of
Texas, most heartily endorse his
candidacy, and we recommend
him as a man of unquestioned
ability and integrity, and if nomi-
nated and elected, the people
will have an officer who will fear-
lessly discharge the duties of
the office.

John J. Word, Thos. B. Green-
wood, A. G. Greenwood, E. V.
Swift, N. B. Morris, H. J. Mey-
ers, John M. King, R. S. Shap-
ard, O. C. Funderburk, W. C.
Campbell, R. C. Sewell, L. W.
Merith, W. R. Petty, C. M. Kay,
county attorney, R. E. Erwin,
county judge, John Young Gooch,
A. W. Ewing, E. L. Howell, R.
M. Johnson, P. N. Springer, J.
W. Farr, P. W. Brown, J. N.
Garner, Jno. F. Weeks, George
R. Whitley. Adv.

LA TEXO HOUSE BURNED.

House and Contents of Mrs. Marion Willis
Destroyed by Fire.

La Texo, Feb. 19.—Mrs. Mar-
ion Willis had her house burned
and lost nearly everything she
had last week. She recently lost
her husband and was left alone
with four little children to feed
and clothe, which is very sad.
She wishes to extend thanks to
the kind friends of Crockett and
others who came to her relief with
substantial assistance in the hour
of need. Charity covereth a
multitude of sins.

"We hold these truths to be
self-evident, that all men are
created equal, that they are en-
dowed by their Creator with cer-
tain inalienable rights, among
these are life, liberty and the
pursuit of happiness." Who
wrote the above and what docu-
ment are these lines quoted from?
We asked a man this once and
he said he couldn't remember the
chapter and verse, but knew it
was in the bible somewhere, and
he was a voter. This is election
year and every citizen should be
very careful in selecting their
officers, especially county officers.
Every man should study politics
and keep informed so that he
can cast his vote intelligently,
thus carrying out and putting in
to practical effect the truths enu-
nciated in the document quoted
from above—the greatest political
document ever written.

The farmers are complaining
of too much rain and are praying
for dry weather.

Mr. Spillman of Illinois was in
town this week. He is putting in
a saw mill somewhere near the
old Bird place and will build a
tram road from this place to the
mill so as to ship their lumber
here. This mill will have a ca-
pacity of 50,000 feet per day, so
he informed Messenger corres-
pondent, and will be a good thing
for this part of Houston county.
Let the good work go on—we
need 'em.

Winfred Sims, who has been
quite sick with black jaundice,
had nearly recovered when he
had a relapse and was as bad as
at first, but is again recover-
ing and bids fair to get well.

Beaveron Bros. bought the
cut of Spence's mill and every-
body that can haul is busy bring-
ing it to the planer.

Health is good, the birds are
singing, peach and plum trees
are blooming and everything
looks like spring. REX.

Lagrippe and Pneumonia.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures
lagrippe coughs and pre-vents
pneumonia. Refuse any but the
genuine in the yellow package.
Sold by Carleton & Porter.

DRAUGHON'S.

A Chain of Twenty-six Practical Business
Colleges.

Elsewhere in this issue will be
found an advertisement of Draugh-
on's practical business col-
leges located at Ft. Worth, Gal-
veston, San Antonio, Waco, Den-
ison, Tuley, Austin, El Paso, Tex.,
Oklahoma City, O. T., Shreve-
port, La., Little Rock, Ft. Smith,
Ark., Muskogee, I. T., Kansas
City, St. Louis, Mo., Ft. Scott,
Kan., Paducah, Ky., Nashville,
Memphis, Knoxville, Tenn., At-
lanta, Ga., Raleigh, N. C., Col-
umbia, S. C., Montgomery, Ala.,
Evansville, Ind. and Jackson,
Miss. A chain of 26 colleges lo-
cated in 13 states. Established
16 years. Incorporated \$300,-
000.00 capital. Seventeen bank-
ers on board of directors. Draugh-
on's chain of colleges secure
positions for those who take the
guarantee course or refund every
cent of money paid for tuition.
For catalogue address J. F.
Draughon, Pres't., at any of the
above places.

Messrs. Cricket Parks and Will
Rogers of Elkhart spent Sunday
evening here.

AN OLD LAND MARK GONE.

"Uncle" Dave Gordon, a Very Old Citizen,
Passes Away.

"Uncle" Dave Gordon, an old
and highly respected citizen, died
Saturday morning at the home of
Mr. Bill Spence, and was buried
Sunday at Daly's. His death was
not a surprise as he has been
feeble for some time and had re-
cently moved from his home to
that of Mr. Spence where he
could be comfortably cared for
in his declining days. The writer
called to see him a few days ago
and found him seemingly cheer-
ful, notwithstanding his full real-
ization of his condition and that
he was nearing life's last sands.

Few of us can hope to reach
the ripe old age attained by Mr.
Gordon and it is impossible to
give his exact age, but from his
own statement that he voted for
Gen. Jackson for president in
1828, assuming that he was 21
years old then, would make him
nearly 100 years old. Certainly
a correct biographical sketch of
his life would be interesting in-
deed, as he lived to observe in
person many of the details of the
early war periods of our nation.

He was an old pioneer of
Houston county and, no doubt,
shared much of the trials and
vicissitudes incident to the early
days of this country. His old
neighbors speak of him as a most
tireless and energetic farmer,
kind to those who sought his
friendship, although he had his
faults as many of us do, given to
peculiarities of which the human
family is heir to, living in his
own quiet way.

The writer was not well enough
acquainted with him to know
whether or not he ever made any
public demonstration of religious
faith, but he seemed to be per-
fectly reconciled as to the inevi-
table. Having lived more than
the allotted time of man he was
willing to give up his earthly
career, hoping for eternal peace
in the great beyond. He has
crossed the gentle Shiloh from
whence no traveler has ever re-
turned. We hope for him per-
fect rest.

Good bye, Mr. Gordon.
G. M. P.

The editor of the Memphis,
Tenn., Times, writes, "In my
opinion Foley's Honey and Tar
is the best remedy for coughs,
colds and lung trouble, and to my
own personal knowledge Foley's
Honey and Tar has accomplish-
ed many permanent cures that
have been little short of marvel-
ous." Refuse any but the genu-
ine in the yellow package. Sold
by Carleton & Porter.

ORIOLE DOTS.

Happenings of this Community Briefly Told
By Regular Correspondent.

Oriole, Feb. 19.—Glad to learn
from your paper that you are
still prospering. I notice there
are a pretty good lot of candi-
dates announcing in your paper.
We are having pleasant weather
at last and farmers are busy
preparing for another crop.

Our overseer, J. E. Allen and
his road hands, have put the pub-
lic road in this vicinity in good
condition.

Miss Lourie Wright's school at
the Grounds' school house is still
in progress.

The Farmers' Union is pro-
spering and adding new names to
their membership. Nearly all
the farmers in this community
belong to the union.

We have a new carrier on this
route now—A. W. Phillips, Jr.,
son of our sheriff. Think the
people will be well pleased with
him. They were well pleased
with Mr. Preshers.

Best wishes for all connected
with the Messenger. A. K.

P. S.—February 15th was my
birthday; I was 74 years of age.
A. K.

TOBACCO GROWING

Big Industry in Houston County. Experts
Visit Crockett.

Crockett, Texas, Feb. 16.—
Wm. Hinson, who has charge of
the tobacco industry of Texas for
the department of agriculture,
and G. T. McNess, chief expert
of the tobacco industry of Wash-
ington, D. C., were in Crockett
yesterday. These gentlemen
were here for the purpose of ad-
vising with the farmers who have
engaged in the cultivation of to-
bacco under the direction of the
department for the last two years.
The acreage planted in tobacco
in this county this year will un-
der the stimulus given it by the
department and the trade in gen-
eral, be greatly increased. Mr.
McNess stated that the samples
sent out by the department to the
trade, of the tobacco grown here
two years ago, resulted in the
unanimous verdict that it was
far superior to anything grown in
the United States, and he felt
very sanguine of the success of
this industry in Texas. The farm-
ers who grew tobacco here last
year are well satisfied with the
results obtained and will plant
an increased acreage this year.
—Crockett Cor. in Houston Post.

Chronic Constipation Cured.

One who suffers from chronic
constipation is in danger of many
serious ailments. Orino Laxa-
tive Fruit Syrup cures chronic
constipation as it aids digestion
and stimulates the liver and bow-
els, restoring the natural action
of these organs. Commence tak-
ing it today and you will feel
better at once. Orino Laxative
Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or
gripe and is very pleasant to take.
Refuse substitutes. For sale by
Carleton & Porter.

Rev. N. S. Herod desires to
have the report corrected that
has been circulated to the effect
that it was his boy shot at Sal-
mon several days ago. It was
also reported that it was his son-
in-law. These reports are false
and a correct account of the
shooting was published in this
paper last week.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures
the most obstinate coughs and
expels the cold from the system
as it is mildly laxative. It is
guaranteed. The genuine is in
the yellow package. Sold by
Carleton & Porter.

**IS MUSIC IN THE HOME
WORTH ITS COST?**

**Are Members of the Family
Benefitted in Proportion to
The Sum Expended for
Musical Culture?**

Probably no person in Texas has
given more freely of his time and abil-
ity for the encouragement of musical
culture in this state than has Mr. Wm.
Watkin, the leading piano dealer of
Dallas. It is doubtful if any other
man in the state has given more
serious thought to the increase
of culture and refinement in this
state.

Mr. Watkin has said: "I have
made in the home of music. That
is, is there in the home of music
great advancement in the musical
culture during the past ten
years?"

Mr. Watkin replied that there is no
reason for any discouragement in con-
templating the large amount of money
that has been expended in Texas for
musical instruction, musical instru-
ments, and their liberal patronage of
musical attractions.

He said further: "Consider the fam-
ilies, either in the cities, smaller towns
or country, wherein the children have
been furnished musical advantages.
Contrast these with other families in
the same localities that have never
been given any musical opportunities.
Viewed from this standpoint and ask-
ing yourself the question, 'In which
of these families have the children shown
to the best advantage,' would you
without hesitation, agree that music
in the home is worth more than its
cost? In fact, musical culture, like
other intellectual advancement, or in-
good morals, cannot be valued by its
costs."

Nearly a quarter of a century ago,
Mr. Watkin says, when his first pianos
in Texas, few artistic pianos
were sold, principally cheap grade
excepting now and then a very costly
instrument.

The Watkin Art Style Piano, a very
per instrument, which today sells
readily for \$275, would have sold
as readily in those days for \$500 or
\$600.

Twenty-five years ago, while pianos
were sold on installments, the pay-
ments were larger than many people
could meet.

Today an instrument like the Wat-
kin Piano is purchasable for very small
monthly payments.

These facilities for securing instru-
ments enable almost every family to
own a piano, and of course, a piano is
about the first requisite for family
musical culture.

Again, twenty-five years ago piano
teachers were comparatively few in
number, while to-day almost every
community has not only a piano
teacher, but one of excellent abilities.

The editor of this paper is author-
ized to state that any of its readers
desiring information pertaining to
pianos and the prices of the various
makes, or information relating to the
most improved methods as now em-
ployed by the great teachers, will re-
ceive prompt attention by addressing
with a 2-cent stamp enclosed,

WILL A. WATKIN

ELM AND MURPHY STS.

DALLAS, TEXAS

This May Interest You.

No one is immune from kidney
trouble, so just remember that
Foley's Kidney Cure will stop
the irregularities and cure any
case of kidney or bladder trouble
that is not beyond the reach of
medicine.—Carleton & Porter.

Dr. H. S. Robertson has moved
to Pearsall. We have an inter-
esting letter from him which will
be published next week.

If you are troubled with piles
and can't find a cure, try Witch
Hazel Salve, but be sure you get
that made by E. C. DeWitt & Co.,
Chicago. It is the original. If
you have used Witch Hazel salve
without being relieved it is prob-
able that you got hold of one of
the many worthless counterfeits
that are sold on the reputation of
the genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel
Salve.—Carleton & Porter.

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Business Office - - - 46 Residence - - - 17
Telephone us the News.

TOM J. HARRIS.

Tom J. Harris of Anderson county announces in this issue as a candidate for the democratic nomination for District Attorney of the third Judicial District of Texas. Mr. Harris has resided in the district all his life and he is truly a "self made man." At the age of 14 years he entered the employment of the I. & G. N. R. Co. in their shops in the city of Palestine, where he remained for ten years and while thus employed he burned the midnight oil studying law. Immediately after he was admitted to the bar, he was elected city attorney which office he held two years, when he was elected and re-elected county attorney of Anderson county.

His record shows that he was fair and impartial in the discharge of the duties of the offices to which he was elected, and every lawyer in this district recognizes his ability.

He respectfully solicits the vote and support of every man in the district and promises in return for same to honor the office just as the people honor him.

John B. Stetson, the millionaire hat manufacturer and the originator of the famous hat which bears his name, died at his home in Philadelphia last week.

OUR leading daily papers are making a strong pull for the establishment of factories, and their efforts are sure to be crowned with success. When Texas has enough factories to manufacture her raw material into finished products the old state will overflow with wealth. By way of parenthesis we will add that Grape-land can do its part by building a canning factory.

The Houston County Times made its debut into Texas journalism last week and it's a peach-erine. We wish to compliment the management upon the neat appearance and make-up. In the course of their salutatory the editors say: "Our attitude toward the other papers of the county shall always be that of unswerving friendship. We hold enmity or malice toward none and shall treat them with that fairminded courtesy which we naturally expect to receive." We appreciate this and it shows the management have a broad and right conception of the relations which should exist between newspapers. We extend our contemporary a hearty welcome, and hope that our relations may always be as pleasant as they now are.

Wretched and crushed by his deposition from the presidency of the New York Life Insurance Co. John A. McCall succumbed to the inevitable in New York last Sunday and his spirit is now soaring in the great beyond. No matter how severely men have criticised and censured Mr. McCall for the way he managed the finances of the great insurance company as revealed by the investigating committees, it is indeed sad that he did not live to vindicate himself before the American people. His chief desire was to set aright, if possible, the many wrongs he committed and to this end he sacrificed personal property. The closing chapter of his life is pathetic and the conclusion to be drawn from it is, "honesty is the best policy."

FOR RE-ELECTION.

J. W. Brightman announces in this issue for re-election to the office of tax collector. Mr. Brightman has faithfully filled this office for a number of years and his work has been marked with efficiency. He has been untiring in his efforts to accommodate the people and has kept deputies employed at the different places in the county to collect taxes. His record is open to public opinion, and we heartily commend him to your careful consideration.

Judge Brooks, candidate for governor, has given out that he favors the working of long term convicts in factory industries and short term convicts on public roads. We can all agree with the Judge on this question.

The Grape-land Messenger, speaking editorially, says Grape-land needs a bank, a city hall, a new school house and several other things. Our town needs a good many things also, but the editor alone can make out on less than a bank, 'provided you throw in a middling of meat, a bucket of lard, a sack of flour and an old pair of trousers—Houston Co. Herald.

"Seek ye first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and these things shall be added unto you." If the Herald will go to work and try to have these institutions established in the town, the editor can rest assured that the necessities of life "will be added unto him," for these things bring prosperity.

THE city dads received some severe criticism last Friday because they refused to let "Wild Jim," the famous Texas cowboy and saddle king, and his two little girls give exhibitions of their skill in the saddle and with the rifle. But the city dads did the right thing after all, for we have since learned from those who witnessed the show in other towns that it was a fake and fraud throughout. The scheme was to give these exhibitions free so as to introduce and sell a book of "Wild Jim's" life, which is a first cousin to the ten cent novel variety. If other towns would follow the example set by Grape-land, it wouldn't be long until this brand of "grafters" would have to go to work for an honest living.

To Houston County Democracy.

There are matters of vast importance in county affairs to be discussed in the approaching canvass. We have an interest-bearing BONDED indebtedness of about \$35,000.00, and a floating indebtedness (outstanding unpaid scrip) of about \$10,000.00, making a total of about \$45,000.00 indebtedness.

To pay off this indebtedness and meet current expenses, we have a total taxable property of about \$4,500,000.00, a total COUNTY tax rate of 60c on the \$100.00 valuation of property, which brings in annually \$25,000 COUNTY taxes, besides fines, jury fees and other sources of revenue for the various county funds. But in spite of this, there is a constantly recurring annual DEFICIT of expenses over and above the revenues or receipts, which, in my judgement, should not be the case, with the exercise of proper ECONOMY and management.

With three crop failures in succession, disastrous experiments in the truck industry and the ravages and presence of the boll weevil pest, these burdens fall heavily upon the tax payers of the county. At the proper time I propose to discuss these matters in detail, giving what I conceive to be the causes which have led to this condition of affairs and suggesting remedies therefor, and my opponent or opponents will be invited to join me in this discussion. Hence it may be well for the voters of the county to suspend judgement upon these questions, as well as upon candidates for COUNTY JUDGE, until such discussion can be had. Respectfully,
Ady. J. W. MADDEN.

Announcements.

We are authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to the action of the Democratic Party:

- For District Attorney, Third Judicial of Texas
Tom J Harris
- Of Anderson County
For Representative
John B Smith
I A Daniel
- For County Judge
John Spence
J W Madden
- For Tax Collector
A. L. Goolsby
Oscar C Goodwin
J W Brightman
- For County Clerk
Nat E Allbright
C G Lansford
J J Collier
- For Sheriff
A W Phillips

WHEN THE KIDNEYS ARE AILING.

The Urgent Need of Prompt Restorative Measures is Something That Every One Should Understand.

"A Stitch in Time Saves Nine."

Slight disorders in the kidneys or urinary organs are more serious than most people think. The first warning symptoms should receive prompt medical treatment to ward off Bright's Disease or some other dangerous malady. When the kidneys are ailing and the symptoms become sufficiently pronounced to be noticeable the condition calls at once for prompt measures to stay the progress of the disease. Prickly Ash Bitters is the remedy needed. Taken on the appearance of the first symptoms, such as pain in the back, puffiness under the eyes, irregularities in the urine, digestive disorders, it will save the victim incalculable misery and suffering, mental torture and expense. Used at the beginning of the trouble it cures quickly. Used in the more advanced stages it will win back health and strength as rapidly as circumstances will possibly permit.

Accept no substitute. Insist on having the genuine Prickly Ash Bitters with the large figure 8 in red on the front label.

Sold at Drug Stores, \$1.00 Per bottle.

Sold by Carleton & Porter.

Don't frown—look pleasant. If you are suffering from indigestion or sour stomach take Kodol dyspepsia cure. Hon. Jake Moore of Atlanta, Ga., says: "I suffered more than 20 years with indigestion. A friend recommended Kodol. It relieved me in one day and I now enjoy better health than for many years." Kodol digests what you eat, relieves sour stomach, gas on stomach, belching etc. Sold by Carleton & Porter.

It is a fact that one had as well hope to enter heaven by copying the apostles' creed, to become an astronomer by gazing at the moon and writing its name, to develop into an expert farmer by reading agricultural books and repeating the words "gee" and "haw," or grow into a J. Gould by copying bucket shop reports, as to expect to become a practical bookkeeper and stenographer by reading and copying theoretical text books as is done in most schools. Ask your merchant, ask any business man, and you will find that such training only builds the skeleton, the empty forms. The Byrne Practical Bookkeeping and Business Training, of which the Tyler Commercial College of Tyler, Texas, has the exclusive control in this section, is a system of learn to do by doing, actual business from start to finish. Students buy and sell goods, discount notes, draw drafts, write up deeds, mortgages, carry on a regular banking business, in fact our school room is a miniature city, carrying on the various lines of business under the latest and most improved business methods. No competitor criticizes the Byrne Practical; none dare do so, for every one knows that it gives a knowledge of busi-

Do You Want Right Merchandise?

If you regard value and want quality at prices within reach of everybody, we invite you to examine and price our goods. We feel satisfied then you will buy from us. We have a full stock of dry goods, shoes, hats, pants, clothing. A fresh car of Invincible flour, celebrated for its purity and baking quality, meal, corn chops, wheat bran, hay, seed potatoes, seed corn. Our stock of groceries is complete. We are offering special prices for chickens and eggs. We are anxious for your business.

F A FARIS
GRAPELAND TEXAS

A FAIR PRICE FOR RELIABLE GOODS.

STATIONERY AND FANCY GOODS.

The Front Street Drug Store,

Drugs, sundries, fine toilet articles, perfumery, toilet soaps, hair brushes, cloth brushes, tooth brushes, sponges, chamois skins, face powders, toilet creams, lotions, etc., are selected and sold by us with the same care or regard for quality as is the inspection or testing of chemicals or compounding for prescriptions.

CARLETON & PORTER,
DRUGGISTS.

TOILET ARTICLES IN GREAT VARIETY.

PURE DRUGS AND PATENT MEDICINES.

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THE TEXAS RAILROAD.

Reaches nearly all the important cities and towns in Texas, with 2 lines through the heart of the state. Furnishes quick and reliable service between north and south Texas, and between northeast and south-west Texas. The one night line to St. Louis and Memphis. The short line and scenic route to Mexico. : : :

D. J. PRICE, **GEO. D. HUNTER,**
G. P. & T. A., Asst. G. P. & T. A.,
PALESTINE, TEXAS.

ness as well as well as how to record it. To tackle the system that makes one a business man, not merely a memorizer of forms, that develops thinkers, not machines, and that also gives full ability to record transactions intelligently and well, would brand one as a foggy. The Byrne Practical bookkeeping is a land mark in business progress and as far ahead of the ordinary as the Byrne Simplified Shorthand is ahead of the Pitmanic and other rule burdened systems. For full particulars of this modern method of teaching bookkeeping and business training, also shorthand or telegraphy, write for a free catalogue.

The best safeguard against headache, constipation and liver troubles is DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Keep a vial of these famous little pills in the house and take a dose at bed time when you feel that the stomach and bowels need cleansing. They don't gripe.—Carleton & Porter.

Mrs. C. B. Prestridge left Friday for Mansfield, La., to join her husband. They will reside there in the future.

Indigestion is much of a habit. Don't get the habit. Take a little Kodol Dyspepsia Cure after eating and you will quit belching, puffing, palpitating and frowning. Kodol Digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet. Sold by Carleton & Porter.

THE BEST CHOCOLATES

THE BEST BON BONS

Our Stock is Complete in All Departments

.....WITH CLEAN, FRESH, UP-TO-DATE MERCHANDISE.....
 See us for Dry Goods Dress Goods Clothing Hats Shoes and Furnishing Goods

See us for bedsteads, bureaus, dressers, book cases, chairs, tables, bed springs, mattresses, matting and window shades	See us for cooking stoves, sewing machines, shot guns, clocks, tinware, crockeryware glassware and cooking utensils.	See us for sugar, coffee, flour, molasses, meal, bacon, lard, salt and a very complete line groceries, seed potatoes, garden seed.	See us for corn and cotton planters, Oliver, John Deere and Kelly plows, Georgia stocks, extra beams, handles, wings, points, etc.	See us for doors, windows, shingles, lime, brick, locks, hinges, or any other kind of building material that you may need.	See us for alfalfa and prairie hay, corn, corn chops, bran, cotton seed meal and hulls, a full line of feed stuff.
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Our stock at this season of the year was never more complete than at present, and we know that it is to your interest to buy where you can get the best values for your money and we have marked everything down to the very lowest prices and we ask you to get our prices before buying as we believe we can sell you when you compare prices and goods with other houses

GEORGE E. DARSEY.

We are now taking orders for Cotton Fertilizers. If You want in the car see us for grades samples terms and prices GEO E DARSEY

Grapeland, Texas.

LOCAL NEWS.

J. B. Lively will pay you cash for beef hides and bee's wax.

Furniture, bed springs, and mattresses at Darsey's.

J. B. Lively wants your beef hides and bee's wax.

Hats for men, boys and children at Tims & Sheridan's.

Buy your farm supplies from Shipper.

Plantation hardware, plow goods, horse collars, and plow fixtures at Darsey's.

Mrs. Pritchard Miller of Houston visited relatives in the city Monday and Tuesday.

Remember we want all the speckle peas you have to sell, Shipper & Son.

I have Mr. Ed Parker's residence in charge for rent, S. E. Howard.

Frank Owens has picture frames and extra glass any size; will enlarge your picture and frame it for.....\$2 98

Shipper carries one of the most complete stocks of dry goods in the county and prices are no higher this year than they were last year.

Now is the time to kill ants, and we have lots of carbon to sell in any quantity you want it. Get our prices before you buy, Geo. E. Darsey.

Just received at the Bon Ton a fresh supply of olives, pickles, grated and sliced pine apple, gelatine, breakfast food and everything else that's good to eat.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
 For children's cough, cures. No opiates

See Howard for chill tonics.

See Shippers for staple drugs at live and let live prices.

Courtney's full vamp shoes at Tims & Sheridan's. Try a pair.

Garden seed and onion sets at Geo. Darsey's.

If you want some good flour cheap buy it from J B Lively.

Odell Faris went to Crockett Tuesday.

If you want feed stuff, see Howard.

Men's work shoes of the best make at Tims & Sheridan's.

Miss Lucile McCarty visited in Crockett Tuesday.

Shipper has just received another shipment of Walk Over shoes.

If you want the best prices for your chickens, eggs and beef hides take them to Darsey.

Try a bottle of Sparkling Mexota, a non-alcoholic beverage, healthful and invigorating. For sale at The Bon Ton.

We are in receipt of a letter from W. E. Hollingsworth, who is now in the Brownsville country prospecting. Walker writes like the country suits him pretty well and may locate there.

NOTICE—J. G. Shipper & Son have a proposition to make to every one who has anything to buy or sell for the next sixty days and requests you to call at their store and make inquiry.

We are forced to omit the jury list for the spring term of court on account of being overcrowded with citations. You may kick, but we can't help it. The sheriff will let you know in plenty of time if your "name is written there."

New line of spring dress goods at Shipper's.

R. L. Pridgen was down from Elkhart Monday.

Buy Prosperity flour from J. B. Lively.

John Lewis went up to Palestine attend to some business.

Try Columbia flour at Howard's, in sacks or barrels.

See the \$3.50 Falcon hat. It will please you. For sale by Tims & Sheridan.

Car chops, flour, bran and meal arrived at J. B. Lively's to-day.

We can save you money on your garden seed, Carleton & Porter.

Mrs. J. O. Edington and little daughter arrived in the city Sunday to join Mr. Edington, the new agent.

Mrs. Fuller died of slow fever last Saturday morning at the residence of her son-in-law, Geo. Chaffin. Funeral services were conducted at the city cemetery Sunday afternoon by Rev. W. H. Caldwell.

The best way to rid the system of a cold is to evacuate the bowels. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar acts as a pleasant, yet effectual cathartic on the bowels. It clears the head, cuts the phlegm out of the throat, strengthens the bronchial tubes, relieves coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, etc.—Carleton & Porter.

U. J. Springmann of Illinois is in the city. He has purchased a place on Little Elkhart and will erect large sawmill that will give employment to about 100 hands. A tram road will be built from here or LaTexo, and Mr. Springmann says he prefers to run the road from here if land owners will donate the right-of-way. They should do it by all means for this would open up a new channel of trade and would mean much to the entire Grapeland country.



WOMEN WHO SUFFER FROM Sick Headache SHOULD USE

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For Permanent Relief

HERBINE acts directly on the Liver. It will cure **CONSTIPATION, DYSPEPSIA, MALARIA AND CHILLS.** Is entirely free from all poisonous mineral substances, and is composed solely of **LIFE-GIVING HERBS.** Especially adapted for weak and weary constitutions; strengthens the weakened glands and organs; it checks all derangements of the human body.

CURED HER SICK HEADACHE

Mrs. Josie Cameron, Central Avenue, Temple, Texas, writes: "I find **HERBINE** gives me quick relief, and take pleasure in recommending it to all women who suffer from sick headache."

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Seed potatoes and garden seed J. F. Bull and J. E. Hollingsworth at Shipper's. See us for shoes at Crockett Monday.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:—

You are hereby commanded to summon Wm. Reid, Jr., Wm. Elliott, the unknown heirs of Patrick H. Hayes, deceased, the unknown heirs of Wm. Reid, Jr., deceased, and the unknown heirs of Wm. Elliott, deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight 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 3rd Judicial District, but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to the said 3rd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house thereof in Crockett, on the second Monday in March, 1906, the same being the 12th day of March, 1906, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 10th day of January, 1906, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 4995, wherein J. W. Jones is plaintiff and Wm. Reid, Jr., Wm. Elliott, the unknown heirs of Patrick H. Hayes, deceased, the unknown heirs of Wm. Reid, Jr., deceased, and the unknown heirs of Wm. Elliott, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is owner in fee simple, claiming same by deeds duly registered, and by the five and ten year Statutes of Limitation, and specially pleads the same, of the following described tract of land, to-wit: Situated in Houston county, Texas, about eleven miles N. 5' W. from Crockett on the waters of Elkhart Creek, being a part of the Wm. Copeland survey and a part of the George Poe survey, containing 84 acres of the Wm. Copeland survey and 65 6 10 acres of the George Poe survey; beginning at a point on the Palestine road 175 varas S. 7' W. from Brince Dickson's 20 acres survey S. W. corner a B. J. 20" S. 48' E. 21 varas; a do 24" S. 16' E. 17 4-10 varas. Thence east 959 varas to corner on the W. B. line of Tom Dickey's 60 acre survey; a B. J. 6" S. 53 1/2' E. 4 7-10 varas; a do 8" N. 65' W. 2 varas. Thence south 505 varas, corner a stake, leaving open a narrow passage 4 varas wide and 40 varas long to the crossing on the I. & G. N. R. R. Thence south 21' W. 343 varas with the right-of-way of the I. & G. N. R. R. to corner a B. J. 8" N. 71' W. 4 7-10 varas; a hickory 8" N. 87' W. 8 varas. Thence west 1060 varas corner in the Palestine road a B. J. 18" N. 33 1/2' W. 7 9-10 varas; a do 24" S. 53 1/2' W. 12 6-10 varas. Thence in a northerly direction with said Palestine road N. 21' E. 524 varas; N. 7' E. 340 varas to the place of beginning.

That defendants claim title to same by patents to Patrick H. Hayes, and deed to Wm. Reid, Jr., and which claims cast a cloud on plaintiff's title, and plaintiff prays judgment for said land and removing all clouds therefrom, and quieting his title to the same. Herein fail not, but have you before said court at its aforesaid regular term this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness J. B. Stanton, Clerk of the District Court of Houston County, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 10th day of January, A. D. 1906.

J. B. STANTON, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:—

You are hereby commanded to summon J. M. Spillers and Dan Egbert, and the unknown heirs of J. M. Spillers, deceased, the unknown heirs of Dan Egbert, deceased, by making publication of this Citation

each week for eight 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 3rd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 3rd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston county, to be holden at the Court House thereof in Crockett, on the second Monday in March, 1906, the same being the 12th day of March, 1906; then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 10th day of January, 1906, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 4997, wherein Chas. Stokes is plaintiff and J. M. Spillers and Dan Egbert, the unknown heirs of J. M. Spillers, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Dan Egbert, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is owner in fee simple, claiming same by deeds duly registered, and by the five and ten year statute of limitation, and specially pleads the same, of the following described tract of land, to-wit: Situated in Houston county, Texas, about eleven miles north of Crockett, being the J. M. Spillers survey of 320 acres and beginning at the S. E. corner of the George Poe 320 acres survey, a P. O. 12" S. 10' W. 3 varas; a B. J. 10" N. 51' W. 6 varas. Thence south 950 varas to corner a pine 24" S. 5' E. 24 varas. Thence west 1900 varas to corner, a P. O. 16" N. 74' E. 12 6-10 varas. Thence north 950 varas to the S. W. corner of the George Poe 320 acres survey. Thence east 1900 varas to the place of beginning.

That defendants claim title to same by patent to J. M. Spillers and by a deed to Dan Egbert, and which claims cast a cloud on plaintiff's title, and plaintiff prays judgment for the said land and removing all clouds therefrom, and quieting his title to same. Herein fail not, but have you before said court at its aforesaid regular term this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness J. B. Stanton, Clerk of the District Court, Houston County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Crockett, Texas, this 10th day of January, A. D. 1906.

J. B. STANTON, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:—

You are hereby commanded to summon Martha J. White, R. J. Spence, Clarence Spence, B. B. Sims and his wife Donie Sims, Jessie Courtney and his wife, Lou Courtney, of Houston county, state of Texas, Tom Spence of Robertson county, Texas, and the unknown heirs of A. W. Beckham, deceased, whose names and residences are unknown, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight 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 any newspaper published in the 3rd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 3rd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house thereof in Crockett, on the second Monday in March, 1906, the same being the 12th day of March, 1906, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 13th day of January, 1906, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 4999, wherein E. B. Stokes is plaintiff, and Martha J. White, R. J. Spence, Clarence Spence, B. B. Sims, Donie Sims, Jessie Courtney, Lou Courtney, Tom Spence and the unknown heirs of A. W. Beckham, deceased, are defendants, and said

petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple, claiming same by deeds duly registered, and by the five and ten year statute of limitation, and specially pleads the same of the following described tract of land, to-wit: Situated in Houston county, Texas, about eleven miles N. 5' W. from Crockett on the waters of the Elkhart Creek, being a part of the Wm. Copeland survey, containing 20 acres of said Copeland survey, and beginning at a point on the N. B. line of the Wm. Copeland survey, where the Palestine road now crosses said N. B. line, said point being witnessed by a hickory 10" N. 45' E. 14-10 varas; a do 15" S. 71' W. 7 varas. Thence east 375 varas to corner, a B. J. 12" N. 23 1/2' W. 4 3-10 varas; a do 10" S. 81' E. 10 varas. Thence south 300 varas to corner a B. J. 10" S. 29' E. 5 8-10 varas; a hickory 25" N. 36' W. 5 varas. Thence west 400 varas to the Palestine

road, corner in said road a B. J. 10" S. 70 1/2' E. 6 1-10 varas; a P. O. 8" S. 29' E. 5 4-10 varas. Thence in a northerly direction with the Palestine road to the place of beginning.

That defendants claim title to same by patents to Patrick H. Hayes, and deed to Wm. Reid, Jr., and deed to Wm. Elliott, and which claims cast a cloud on plaintiff's title, and plaintiff prays judgment for the said land and removing all clouds therefrom, and quieting his title to the same.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court at its aforesaid regular term this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness J. B. Stanton, Clerk of the District Court of Houston County, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, Texas, this 13th day of January, A. D. 1906.

J. B. STANTON, District Clerk, Houston County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:—

You are hereby commanded to summon Wm. Reid, Jr., Wm. Elliott, the unknown heirs of Patrick H. Hayes, deceased, the unknown heirs of Wm. Reid, Jr., deceased, and the unknown heirs of Wm. Elliott, deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight 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 3rd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in the said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to the said 3rd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston county, to be holden at the court house thereof in Crockett, on the second Monday in March, 1906, the same being the 12th day of March, 1906, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 10th day of January, 1906, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 4998, wherein G. E. Darsey is plaintiff and Wm. Reid, Jr., Wm. Elliott, the unknown heirs of Patrick H. Hayes, deceased, the unknown heirs of Wm. Reid, Jr., deceased, and the unknown heirs of Wm. Elliott, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple, claiming same by deeds duly registered, and by five and ten year Statutes of Limitation, and specially pleads the same, of the following described tract of land, to-wit: Situated in Houston county, Texas, about eleven miles N. 5' W. from Crockett, on the waters of Elkhart creek; first tract:—Containing 210 acres of the Wm. Copeland survey and beginning at the N. W. corner of the Wm. Copeland 320 acre survey. Thence East 496 varas to Palestine road, corner in said

road, corner in said road a B. J. 10" S. 70 1/2' E. 6 1-10 varas; a P. O. 8" S. 29' E. 5 4-10 varas. Thence in a northerly direction with the Palestine road to the place of beginning.

That defendants claim title to same by patents to Patrick H. Hayes, and deed to Wm. Reid, Jr., and deed to Wm. Elliott, and which claims cast a cloud on plaintiff's title, and plaintiff prays judgment for the said land and removing all clouds therefrom, and quieting his title to the same.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court at its aforesaid regular term this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Witness J. B. Stanton, Clerk of the District Court of Houston County, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, Texas, this 10th day of January, A. D. 1906.

J. B. STANTON, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

A chartered institution of the highest grade. We enter our graduates upon our graduates and give them a diploma that will be honored by any institution in America. Notes accepted for tuition. Positions guaranteed. Railroad fare paid from all points. Catalogue free. Your name on 12 cards for 25c in stamps. We teach penmanship by mail. Telegraphy taught by an old operator.

REV. N. R. STONE, President, McKinney, Texas

road, corner in said road a B. J. 10" S. 70 1/2' E. 6 1-10 varas; a P. O. 8" S. 29' E. 5 4-10 varas. Thence in a northerly direction with the Palestine road to the place of beginning.

That defendants claim title to same by patents to Patrick H. Hayes, and deed to Wm. Reid, Jr., and deed to Wm. Elliott, and which claims cast a cloud on plaintiff's title, and plaintiff prays judgment for the said land and removing all clouds therefrom, and quieting his title to the same.

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J. B. STANTON, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

Fighting Foley's Honey and Tar.

Foley & Co. of Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. These worthless imitations have similar sounding names. Beware of them. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar is in a yellow package. Ask for it and refuse any substitute. It is the best remedy for coughs and colds. Carleton & Porter.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:—

You are hereby commanded to summon Wm. Reid Jr., Wm. Elliott, the unknown heirs of Patrick H. Hayes, deceased, the unknown heirs of Wm. Reid Jr., deceased, and the unknown heirs of Wm. Elliott, deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight 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 3rd Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in the said judicial district, then in a newspaper published in the nearest district to said 3rd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be holden at the court house thereof in Crockett, on the second Monday in March, 1906, the same being the 12th day of March, 1906, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court, on the 11th day of January, 1906, in a suit, numbered on the Docket of said Court, No. 4998, wherein C. C. Stokes is plaintiff, and Wm. Reid Jr., Wm. Elliott, the unknown heirs of Patrick H. Hayes, deceased, the unknown heirs of Wm. Reid Jr., deceased, and the unknown heirs of Wm. Elliott, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple, claiming same by deeds duly registered, and by the five and ten year Statute of Limitation, and specially pleads the same, of the following described tracts of land, to-wit:—Situated in Houston County, Texas, being parts of the Wm. Copeland and George Poe surveys, about eleven miles N. 5' W. from Crockett, on the waters of Elkhart creek; first tract:—Containing 210 acres of the Wm. Copeland survey and beginning at the N. W. corner of the Wm. Copeland 320 acre survey. Thence East 496 varas to Palestine road, corner in said

road, corner in said road a B. J. 10" S. 70 1/2' E. 6 1-10 varas; a P. O. 8" S. 29' E. 5 4-10 varas. Thence in a northerly direction with said Palestine road to corner in said road, a B. J. 10" Bra. S. 70 1/2' E. 6 1-10 varas; a P. O. 8" Bra. S. 29' E. 5 4-10 varas, this being the S. W. corner of the Dickson 20 acres survey. Thence East 400 varas to Dickson's S. E. corner. Thence North 300 varas to Dickson's N. E. corner on the N. B. line of the Wm. Copeland survey. Thence East 1055 varas to the N. E. corner of the Wm. Copeland survey, a B. J. Bra. N. 82' W. 3 varas; a Do. Bra. S. 82' E. 9 5-10 varas. Thence South 950 varas to the S. E. corner of the Wm. Copeland 320 acre survey, a Sand Jack Bra. S. 40' E. 4 varas. Thence West to the right-of-way of the I. & G. N. R. R. Co., thence North with J. W. Jones E. B. line to his N. E. corner. Thence West 959 varas to corner in Palestine road. Thence South with said road to the intersection of the N. B. line of the George Poe survey. Thence West 340 varas to Poe's N. W. corner. Thence North 950 varas to the place of beginning.

Second tract:—Containing 255 acres, a part of the George Poe 320 acre survey described as follows:—Beginning at the S. W. corner of the Wm. Copeland 320 acres survey, a B. J. Bra. S. 72' E. 6 varas; a Do. Bra. N. 47' W. 4 varas. Thence East 340 varas to the Palestine road, corner, a stake in road. Thence South with said Palestine road to the S. W. corner of the J. W. Jones tract of land, on said Poe survey. Thence East with Jones S. B. line to the right-of-way of the I. & G. N. R. R. Co., corner, a stake. Thence in a northerly direction with right-of-way of said I. & G. N. R. R. Co., to the intersection of the S. B. line of the Wm. Copeland survey. Thence East to the S. E. corner of said Copeland survey, a sand Jack Bra. S. 40' E. 4 varas. Thence South 950 varas to the S. E. corner of Poe's 320 acre survey. Thence West 1900 varas to J. M. Spillers' N. W. corner. Thence North 950 varas to the place of beginning, except 10 acres covered by the right-of-way of the I. & G. N. R. R. Co. That defendants claim title to same by patents to Patrick H. Hayes, and deed to Wm. Reid Jr., and deed to Wm. Elliott, and which claims cast a cloud on plaintiff's title, and plaintiff prays judgment for the said land and removing all clouds therefrom, and quieting his title to the same.

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One would think the Laxative idea in a cough syrup should have been advanced long before it was. It seems the only rational remedy for coughs and colds would be to move the bowels and clean the mucous membranes of the throat and lungs at the same time. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar does this. It is the Original Laxative Cough Syrup, the best known cough remedy for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, etc. Tastes good and harmless. Carleton & Porter.

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