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OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE

Crockett State Bank AT CROCKETT,

State of Texas, at the close of business on the 4th day of June, 1913, published in the Crockett Courier, a newspaper printed and published at Crockett, State of Texas, on the 12th day of June, 1913.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$148,627 72
Loans, real estate	57,265 84
Overdrafts	974 82
Real Estate (banking house)	9,500 00
Furniture and Fixtures	3,000 00
Due from Approved Reserve	
Agents, net	\$30,020 39—30,020 39
Cash Items	\$ 2,382 90
Currency	9,240 00
Specie	7,694 95—19,317 85
Interest in Depositors Guaranty Fund	1,624 84
Other Resources as follows: Assessment in State Guaranty Fund	127 51
Total	\$270,458 97

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	\$ 50,000 00
Surplus Fund	20,000 00
Undivided Profits, net	9,953 27
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	43,748 97
Individual Deposits, subject to check	129,265 73
Time Certificates of Deposit	18,491 00
Total	\$270,458 97

State of Texas, County of Houston.
We, W. H. Denny as president, and D. O. Kiesel as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

W. H. DENNY, President.
D. O. KIESSLING, Cashier.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 11th day of June, A. D. 1913.
Witness my hand and notarial seal on the date last aforesaid.

OLIVER C. ALDRICH,
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
B. L. SATTERWHITE,
H. J. ARLEDGE,
GEO. W. CROOK,
Directors.

In the Merry Month of May.

The month of May seems to bring with it an atmosphere of joyousness that makes us all exclaim:

"It is a pretty fashion to be glad—
Joy is the grace we say to God."

So we took unusual pleasure in looking forward to the Quid Nunc day among "The Oaks." I am sure my friends will join me in reference to this occasion as one of those few bright events in ordinary life that releases us from our home cares and affords us opportunities to unbend and mingle in cheerful recreation with our esteemed host and hostesses. We much needed a stimulus of this kind after a season of home duties in order to clear away the cobwebs from our brains, to revive our social natures and develop the finer sentiments and feelings of humanity.

As I looked around the generous board and saw so many friendly faces my heart warms and then comes bubbling up the desire that these happy reunions might last forever. Truly, we have each one of us fully appreciated the generosity and good taste that have provided this delightful luncheon, and I have no hesitation in asking you to join with me while I propose the

health of our excellent host and hostesses:

May acquaintance into friendship grow,
And friendship ever brighter glow.
Old friends are best, we lightly say,
But as they fall upon the way
Keep full the ranks with newer friends
Till time the adjective amends,
And if old friends still seem the best
The adage should be thus expressed:
Friends are not best because they're old,
But old because the years that rolled—
The years that try and mar and mend—
Have proven worth the title, Friend.

As we drove through the spacious lawn to the beautiful home on the crest of the hill we were met by our host, with his genial smile, and escorted to the veranda where we were made comfortable in easy chairs and lounging seats in general.

Between the gibble-gabble of the guests we could hear the woodland music and inhale the fragrance of the flowers. It seemed as if all the captive songbirds of the neighborhood had been borrowed for the occasion and the gay chatter seemed to inspire them to vie with each other in singing their best. Before long the sweet-faced, womanly woman who makes this home and contrives to distill into it the sweet aroma of Heaven, came out and announced, "Luncheon is served." It's useless to say we sat as if dumb or blind. The doors thrown open, the picture presented to us was one we shall not soon forget. Covers were laid for thirty guests. Miniature May fete constituted the centerpiece, daintily costumed maidens dancing around and garlands of flowers everywhere. With our place cards we found a musical program to be given in two parts. During luncheon the first half was rendered by the host on his lovely Victrola. Finding it very difficult to obtain quiet, our host decided to play ragtime, to which the guests immediately began chewing instead of talking. After luncheon we enjoyed a rare musical treat from best musicians of the world. Our host took great pleasure in giving minute explanation of each number.

Words cannot do justice to the seven-course luncheon—or dinner, we might say—or the delightful treat of music, but to me the sweet, home-like welcome given to us all as guests of the day and invitations to return soon was the sweetest part of our stay.

Our hostesses, Mesdames Fisher and Clinton, were assisted by their much-adored friend, Mrs. Sweet. To her we will say: "She is never so happy as when giving pleasure to others."

Mrs. John LeGory and Miss Fuller, dressed in Mayday costumes, served the luncheon with exceeding grace and dignity.

We can say, "Let New York have its Ostrich Egg and Turkish Bath Luncheons, but give us Illinois a la Texas."
H. B. Edmiston.

OPPOSES JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 18.

President Milner of A. and M. Delivers Address at Dallas.

Dallas, Texas, June 3.—At an A. and M. alumni rally at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium tonight Colonel R. T. Milner, president of the A. and M., delivered an address in opposition to what is known as senate joint resolution 18, proposing an amendment to the state constitution, and to be voted upon by the people July 19. The amendment proposes to authorize the legislature to issue certain bonds, and it was the contention of Colonel Milner and of others who spoke that the University of Texas would receive all the money from these bonds, the A. and M. none, and moreover, under the amendment, the legislature would be authorized to issue unlimited bonds and burden the state with any amount of debt. About fifty or sixty men and several women were present. Dudley Perkins of McKinney introduced Colonel Milner.

James Hays Quarles of Waco introduced State Senator J. C. McNealus of Dallas, who declared his opposition not only to this, but to all the other constitutional amendments to be voted upon July 19.

University President for Amendment.

Austin, Texas, June 6, 1913.

Editor Courier—

I shall be very glad if you will give space in your paper to the statement that follows:

Many erroneous statements have been widely published about the position of the University authorities in the event that the constitutional amendment submitted in Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 should be adopted. It seems fitting, therefore, that an authoritative statement should come from one who is in a position to speak for the University.

The amendment does not contemplate, and gives no authority for the consolidation of the A. & M. College and the University in Austin.

The amendment gives no authority to move the Medical Department.

The amendment gives no authority to move the College of Industrial Arts for women.

The amendment gives no authority to move the Sam Houston Normal, the Southwest Texas Normal, the North Texas Normal, or the West Texas Normal.

The amendment will in no way change the constitutional relations between the University and the A. & M. College, the College of Industrial Arts, or the four state normals.

If the amendment is adopted, the authorities will continue to develop the course of study as seems best for the needs of its thirty-three hundred students. Four hundred and sixty-one of these students, in the regular session alone, come direct from the farm, and more than a thousand of them are preparing to teach in the common schools. It is probable that the demands of these students will require more courses than we now offer in agriculture, both for those who plan to teach agriculture in the public schools and for those who expect to go back to the farm. If the capacity of the University, the A. & M. College, the

College of Industrial Arts, the four state normal schools, and the public schools were doubled, all of them could not supply the needs of the three hundred and fifty thousand white farmers of Texas.

The directors of the A. & M. College in their last biennial report state that nearly a million dollars are needed at once for buildings. Under the provisions of the Amendment buildings could be provided without delay at an immediate cost of \$50,000 a year. Moreover, the adoption of the Amendment would forever free the College from the danger of being unable to get buildings from appropriations should another governor, or the Supreme Court, consider such a method unconstitutional. Should this Amendment fail and should another disastrous fire revisit the College during the administration of a governor who considered appropriations for A. & M. buildings unconstitutional, how would it be possible to replace the burned buildings? I cannot think that the opponents of the Amendment have seriously considered the question.

I have spent twenty of my best years in educational work in Texas, and I expect to spend the rest of my life here. I am more confident than ever that the people of Texas wish to develop all their educational institutions and will deal generously by them. The pending Amendment, in my judgment, is the most equitable and beneficial measure in the interest of every higher educational institution that has been submitted to the people during my long residence in the state. I confidently urge every friend of education to vote and work for the constitutional amendment submitted in Senate Joint Resolution Number 18.

S. E. Mezes,
President of the University of Texas.

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The Brilliant Stars of June.

By the end of June, Mars, Venus, Saturn and Jupiter will all be morning stars, but Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is at all times the "Star" medicine for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. A cold in June is as apt to develop into bronchitis or pneumonia as at any other time, but not if Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is taken. I. W. Sweet.—Adv.

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Give Your Neighbor an Equal Chance

By HOLLAND.

IF you have been buying goods of a mail order house you doubtless think it has been to your advantage to do so. You have believed that you were saving money or were getting better goods. Let us see if this is true.

Have you tried to do business with your local merchant—your neighbor—on the terms that the mail order house exacts? No? Then suppose you try it. Just go into the store, plank down your cash and tell what you want. You might even tell the merchant that you will wait a few days for the goods. See if your local merchant can't serve you better and as cheaply as the mail order house.

The local merchant usually extends credit for two, four or six months. The mail order house demands cash in advance. It uses your money as working capital. It loses nothing in interest, nothing in bed debts or on slow paying customers. Try this cash in advance plan on the local merchant—the man you know—and see if he can't make it to your advantage to

SPEND YOUR MONEY WHERE YOU MAKE IT

SALVAGE PRIZES.

Ships in Distress Are Like Treasure Trove to the Mariner.

Salvage is one of those overworked words with half a dozen meanings. In a marine sense it is indiscriminately applied to the act of saving a vessel from the perils of the sea, to claim entered and to the final monetary award. On land it is a term which, by common usage, has come to embrace the recovery of goods, of whatever nature, that have been placed in jeopardy.

One thing is certain—there are but few words that awaken keener anticipation in the minds of those who traffic on the deep than the term salvage when applied to the rescue of vessels floating helpless or abandoned upon the waters. In sea parlance the term has much the same significance as the word "treasure trove" has ashore.

There are but few mariners who put to sea without the hope that they may some day be fortunate enough to pick up a valuable craft in distress and share in the resultant salvage award.

Salvage is interesting from a legal standpoint, from the fact that it is probably the only case in law where a person may become liable to a claim upon him for services rendered to his property without his consent, expressed or implied. It also takes priority over all other claims. The amount is determined by the admiralty court and is dependent upon the peril involved, the nature of the service and the value of the property salvaged.

A curious point of law, long observed, has but little weight today in determining salvage awards. This ruling was that as long as any domesticated animal, such as a dog, cat or pig, remained alive on a derelict the craft was not called abandoned, and the salvage award was materially affected by the circumstance.

The origin of this ruling is obscure, but the view probably taken in such a case was that if the weather conditions had been exceptionally severe after the abandonment of a vessel all life would have perished before the arrival of the salvors.

Seeking for a disabled vessel when its location is not definitely known is much like the proverbial "hunting for a needle in a haystack." Within recent years as many of the fat salvage prizes along the north Pacific coast have gone to tramp steamers that happened along at the opportune moment as have fallen to the numerous tugboats that spend much of their time cruising off shore.

Of the causes that place a vessel in such a predicament that it becomes an object of salvage, first and foremost, of course, must be placed the force of wind and wave. No matter how large the vessel, it can never afford to bid defiance to the elements, for without warning some-

thing may happen to send it to the bottom or leave it floating a helpless derelict upon the face of the waters.—James G. McCurdy in Wide World Magazine.

Rocking Stones.

Rocking stones are numerous in all countries, some of them apparently natural, others seemingly artificial. The famous Logan rock near Land's End in Cornwall, which weighs seventy tons, was wantonly displaced by Lieutenant Goldsmith and his boat crew of nine men in 1842. He was obliged to replace it at a cost of \$10,000. In Ireland the rocking stones are frequently to be found, and one in County Antrim is popularly believed to rock in an excited way at the approach of malefactors.

A Chinese Chair of Repentance.

The knife chair is an instrument of torture used in certain Taiping religious ceremonies, which takes the form of a straight backed arm-chair furnished with long blades wherever the body and limbs touch the chair. On the back the knives are placed horizontally; on the seat, as well as at the base for the feet to rest upon, vertically, while each arm is made of a similar blade, along the edge of which the sitter's arm rests.

A Warning.

Clara—I have been to the theater every night this week and had a different escort each time.

Fred—You should be more cautious, my dear Miss Clara.

Clara—Cautious!

Fred—Yes; or ill natured people will be saying that you can't get the same man to go with you twice.—London Answers.

Use Found For It.

"Do you believe that music prevents crime?"

"To a certain extent," replied Mr. Sinnick. "When a man keeps both hands and his breath busy with a cornet, you know he can't be picking pockets, attempting homicide or slandering his neighbors."—London Stray Stories.

Mexico City's Little Trojan Horse.

One of the chief works of art in the City of Mexico is the bronze equestrian statue of Charles IV. It is called "The Iron Horse" and "The Little Horse." It stands in the Plaza de la Reforma. Visible from many directions, it serves for a landmark to visitors unacquainted with the southwestern part of the city. It was, according to Perry's "Mexico," the first important bronze statue made in America. Humboldt declared it the second finest equestrian statue in the world, the first being, in his opinion, that of Marcus Aurelius at Rome. It has ever been unpopular with the Mexicans. It has occupied several sites in the city, and its several removals have caused it to be dubbed "El Cabillito de Troya" (the Little Trojan Horse).

Both Sides of the Question.

Mistresses say housekeeping is wearisome and disheartening. There are many maids ready to draw good pay and few ready to do good work. Many do not know how to work well, and most do not want to work well. They all want to get much and give little.

Maids say housework is tiresome and discouraging. There are lots of mistresses ready to ask for good work and very few ready to give good conditions. Lots of them do not know how to manage well, and most of them do not want to deal fairly. They all want to get much and give little.—Annie Winson in Atlantic Magazine.

Too Good a Chance to Miss.

A yeomanry squad was drilling, and, being out of practice, most of them were suffering from bruises caused by the unsteadiness of one another's movements. "I believe you have cut my head open," shouted a recruit to a nervous comrade, who had given him a serious knock. "Well," said the distracted sergeant in charge, "now is a good time to put something in it!"—London Telegraph.

Neighborly Love.

Mrs. Chancel—Oh, Henry, I wish you had been to church this morning. Dr. Dives preached one of the loveliest sermons on "Love Your Neighbor," and the way his remarks made that spiteful, hateful Mrs. Gabbers squirm was something that would have done your heart good.

Who Pays Taxes To Keep This Town Going?

By HOLLAND.

WHEN a new bridge is needed, a road must be repaired, a courthouse is to be built, where does the money come from? Do the mail order houses pay it? Hardly. They will not even send a contribution to help buy a bell for the new church or to help a Fourth of July celebration. They pay no taxes in this town, and they are not concerned in its prosperity.

This town must be supported by its residents and those who live in the immediate vicinity. If they insist on sending their money away then they are helping to kill their town, and they are making it harder for them to pay the taxes necessary to maintain local government and to make local improvements.

You owe something to yourself, and you owe something to your neighbors. You can help yourself by helping your neighbors. You can't injure your neighbors without injuring yourself. When you send money to mail order houses you are hurting your town, your neighbors and yourself.

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GERMAN ARMY OFFICERS.

Their Pay at Best is Small and Promotions Are Very Slow.

To the American the pay of the German troops, officers and men, is ludicrously small. It is evident that men do not undertake to fit themselves to be officers and to struggle through frequent and severe examinations to remain officers for the pay they receive. A lieutenant receives for the first three years \$300 a year, from the fourth to the sixth year \$425, from the seventh to the ninth year \$495, from the tenth to the twelfth year \$550, and after the twelfth year \$600 a year. A captain receives from the first to the fourth year \$850, from the fifth to the eighth year \$1,150, and the ninth year and after \$1,275 a year.

Of 100 officers who join only an average of eight ever attain to the command of a regiment. In Bavaria and Wurttemberg promotion is quicker by from one to three years than in Prussia. In Prussia promotion to oberleutenant averages ten years, to captain or ritmeister fifteen years, to major twenty-five years, to colonel thirty-three years and to general thirty-seven years. It would not be altogether inhuman if these gentlemen occasionally drank a toast to war and pestilence!

A commanding general, or general inspector of cavalry or field artillery, receives \$3,495; a division commander, or inspector of cavalry, field and heavy artillery, \$3,388; a brigade commander \$2,565, commander of a regiment or officer of the general staff of the same rank \$2,193. There are various additions to these sums for traveling, keep of horses, house rent and the like. All soldiers and officers travel at reduced rates on the railways and are allowed a certain amount of luggage free.

It is a commentary upon the three nations that in Germany the soldier receives a reduced rate when traveling, in England the golfer pays a reduced rate, and in America until lately the politicians were given free passes. One could almost produce the three countries from that limited knowledge.—Price Collier in Scribner's.

A Robust Ghost.

John Leech and a member of the Millais family once stayed a night at Cowdray Hall, in England, where, many guests being present, the two friends had no alternative but to accept rooms in an isolated wing supposed to be haunted. In the middle of the night Millais awoke, believing that some giant was shaking him violently by the shoulder. This was supposed to be the favorite device of the ghost. He rushed into a corridor and found Leech sitting there trembling and declaring that he would not for the world go back to his room. They spent the remainder of the night in the

corridor, but in the morning said nothing of their experiences. In the afternoon there arrived an evening paper telling of a violent earthquake in the locality. The earthquake was what the two visitors believed to be their ghost.

A Legend About Tea.

Tea drinkers should remember the legendary origin of the tea plant. Daruma, a Buddhist priest, son of a king, retired to Loyang in order to pass five years in prayer and meditation. Like St. Anthony he was tempted and eventually fell asleep during his long hours of meditation. On awakening he cut off his offending eyelids that his eyes might never close again and flung them on the ground, when they were immediately transformed into the first tea plant. It was for this reason believed that tea was a beverage sent from heaven to repel slumber and enable good Buddhist priests to keep their vigils. And tea will certainly keep you awake.—London Chronicle.

No Joy Visit.

A Glasgow journalist who was careless of his personal appearance was assigned to write something about a show at a leading Glasgow theater. He presented his card at the box office.

The manager came out and looked at the disheveled visitor dubiously.

"Did you come here to write something about the play—to work?" he asked.

"Do you think I'd come to your theater for amusement?" asked the journalist as he stalked out.—Philadelphia Saturday Evening Post.

A Buggy With Rubbers.

One day when it was muddy Mrs. Smith's little four-year-old boy tried to persuade his mother to have Prince hitched to the new rubber tired buggy and go for a ride.

His mother objected, saying, "Papa would not want us to take the new buggy in the mud." To which the little fellow replied, "Why, mamma, hasn't it got wub-bahs on?"—National Monthly.

Gluttonous Birds.

Birds in proportion to their weight probably eat more than any other living thing. It is a mystery to naturalists how the ringdove flies after its accustomed meal. One dove was found with 600 peas in its crop, another in captivity was known to eat 180 beechnuts at a time, and a third devoured sixty acorns. The robin often eats two and a half times its weight in twenty-four hours, while a barnyard hen with chicks has been observed to resume eating 475 times in the course of a day. The diet of a certain species of hawk comprises about 2,000 mice in the course of a month, besides other food. In the mouth of a young heron were found three trout, each weighing three-quarters of a pound. Another was found with seven small trout in its mouth, a mouse and a thrush, evidently on its way to its nest. The growing bird seems to have an appetite equal to that of an adult.—Harper's.

The Fata Morgana.

The most singular aerial phenomenon is the fata morgana, a sea mirage seen off the coast of Calabria and between Italy and Sicily. It presents the phantoms of cities, houses, temples, palaces and ships, sometimes in their proper position, sometimes inverted, occasionally at an angle. The phenomenon has been known for many ages and formerly occasioned great and widespread alarm, being regarded as an evil omen that betokened some general and severe calamity.

Not Allowed to Sleep.

"Yesterday," said Jobson, "I refused a poor woman a request for a small sum of money, and in consequence of my act I passed a sleepless night. The tones of her voice were ringing in my ears the whole time."

"Your softness of heart does you credit," said Mabson. "Who was the woman?"

"My wife."

Eloquent Silence.

There are silences of all sorts, as there is speech of all sorts. There are silences that set one's teeth on edge—it is always a relief to break them—and there are silences that are gentler, kinder, sweeter, more loving, more eloquent than any words and which it is always a wrench to interrupt.—Marion Crawford.

This Is Your Town And It Is What You Make It

By HOLLAND.

WHAT makes a town? People and business. You are one of the people. What you buy helps make the business. The more you buy the better the business; the more business the better the town.

You want the town to grow and improve, don't you? Then you should help it to grow by increasing its business as much as you can. Every time you send elsewhere for goods you give your town a blow. Enough of these blows will ultimately kill the town.

The mail order houses do nothing for your town except try to kill it. Are you helping them? You are if you send your money to them for goods that you could buy at home. If you are more interested in the growth of Chicago or New York than you are in the prosperity of your own town, your own neighbors, then continue to send to mail order houses for goods. If you want your own town to thrive

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TREE VEINS AND ARTERIES.

Running Sap Still a Source of Wonder For the Scientist.

How the sap travels from the absorbing roots beneath the ground to the topmost twig on an oak or elm tree, more than 100 feet above and to nearly four or five times that height in the case of some of the mammoth gum trees (eucalyptus) of the Tasmanian forest and in the gigantic Wellingtonia of California, has long puzzled the physicist to explain.

The old idea that capillarity is the factor at work, the fluid being conveyed up the trunk and branches after the manner of oil through the wick of a lamp, becomes an altogether inadequate explanation. Especially is this so when we realize that in some of the internal tissues of the stem the pressure exerted reaches from eight to twenty atmospheres, or, in other words, from 120 to 300 pounds to the square inch—a force greater than that in the boiler of a normal railway engine.

This mighty pressure, scattered more or less irregularly through the tissues of the tree, drives the sap to the buds and forces them open, expands their leaves and is constantly at work wherever the process of building new structures is going on.

It is obvious, therefore, that the engineering arrangements for the conducting and controlling of this powerful stream of life giving sap must be very perfectly organized. Indeed, they are more than that. They present marvels of mechanical construction which are not only mechanical on account of their perfection, but are so minute that man can only penetrate the mysteries and beauty of their structure by means of high power microscopes and careful chemical investigations. Even then he is left baffled and wondering.—London Strand Magazine.

Why He Was Glad.

Uncle Rastus was employed on a farm in Virginia where there was a prize bull that became so ferocious that the owner was compelled to send for a veterinary surgeon and have his horns cut off. Uncle Rastus viewed the proceeding with evident satisfaction from a safe place in the stable, and when the sharp horns had been rendered harmless he rushed up and seized the veterinarian's hand.

"It's cert'y glad, doctah," he gratefully exclaimed, "dat yo' hab done gone an' cut offen dat bull's ho'ns!"

"You are, are you?" jostlingly replied the veterinarian. "Why ar you so glad about it?"

"It am jes' dis way, doctah," explained Rastus with considerable feeling. "It's too old to climb trees, an' I's too young to die."—Philadelphia Telegraph.



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City Ordinance.

An ordinance to provide for the levying and collecting of an annual occupation tax from every firm, company or association of persons pursuing certain occupations.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Crockett, Texas, that there shall be levied on and collected from every person, firm, company or association of persons pursuing any of the occupations named in the following subdivisions of this ordinance, an annual occupation tax which shall be paid annually in advance, except where herein otherwise provided, on every such occupation or separate establishment as follows:

Section 2. From every traveling person selling patent medicines, fifty dollars; and no traveling person shall so sell until said tax is paid; provided, that this tax shall not apply to commercial travelers, drummers or salesmen making sales, or soliciting trade for merchants engaging in the sale of drugs or medicines by wholesale.

Section 3. From every auctioneer, an annual tax of five dollars.

Section 4. From every person, firm or association of persons keeping a shooting gallery at which a fee is paid or demanded, an annual tax of fifteen dollars.

Section 5. From every billiard or pool table or anything of the kind used for profit, ten dollars.

Section 6. From all persons keeping or using for profit any hobby horse, flying-jenny, or device of that character, with or without name, seven dollars and fifty cents.

Section 7. From every foot peddler, two dollars and fifty cents; from every peddler with one horse or two pair of oxen, five dollars; from every peddler with two horses or two pair of oxen, five dollars; provided that nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to include traveling vendors of literature or traveling vendors of poultry, vegetables, fruits or other country produce exclusively, and fruit trees exclusively.

Section 8. From every person or firm who peddles out clocks, agricultural implements, cooking stoves

or ranges, wagons, buggies, carriages, surreys and other similar vehicles, washing machines and churns, an annual tax of one hundred and twenty-five dollars; provided that a merchant shall not be required to pay this special tax for selling the articles named in this ordinance when sold in his place of business.

Section 9. From every theatre or dramatic representation for which pay for admission is demanded or received, one dollar and fifty cents per day for every day they may perform; provided that theatrical or dramatic representations given by performers for instruction only, or entirely for charitable purposes, shall not be herein included; provided, however, that this tax shall not be collected where the performances are exhibited in regularly recognized opera houses or theaters; but in lieu of said tax the managers of said opera houses or theaters shall pay an annual occupation tax of twelve dollars and fifty cents.

Section 10. From every circus wherein equestrian or acrobatic feats and performances are exhibited, for which pay for admission is demanded or received, for each performance or exhibition where an admission fee of one dollar is charged, one hundred and twenty-five dollars; for each performance or exhibition where admission fee of seventy-five cents is charged, one hundred dollars; for each performance where fifty cents or less is charged, fifty dollars; provided that the amount of fee charged for reserved seats shall be considered as a part of such admission fee; provided, that where there is a combination of circus and menagerie, or circus and other exhibitions, the highest tax fixed by this law for any division or department of the combination shall be collected; provided, further, that every show or exhibition which advertises itself as a circus and menagerie, or a combination of circus and menagerie, shall be held and construed to be a circus or a menagerie, or a circus and menagerie, whether it be such or not.

Section 11. From every menagerie, wax-works, side show or ex-

hibition whether connected with a circus or not, where a separate fee for admission is demanded or received, five dollars for every performance or exhibition in which fees for admission are received.

Section 12. From every pawnbroker, an annual tax of seventy-five dollars.

Section 13. From each owner or keeper of every kinetoscope, cinematograph or similar machine or instrument used for profit, which shows the life-like motions of persons or animals, an annual occupation-tax of twelve dollars and fifty cents.

Section 14. From each owner, manager or keeper of every show or company of persons giving exhibitions of music, songs, recitations, sleight of hand, gymnastic, dancing or other kinds of performances in a tent, house or elsewhere, which said exhibitions are used for profit by sale of medicines, electric belts or other articles of value, whether charge is made only for seats or not, a tax of two dollars and fifty cents for every such performance or exhibition; provided, this tax shall not be assessed when these performances are given inside the grounds of any state or county fair during the time that that said state or county fair is giving its annual exhibition.

Section 15. From all dealers in cigarettes in this city, the sum of five dollars per annum, a cigarette being within the meaning of this ordinance the same as defined by the laws of the United States Government; provided that this tax shall be in addition to the occupation tax levied on merchants, and any other tax levied under the law; and provided further that each dealer shall be required to procure an annual license from the City Tax Collector of the City of Crockett, which shall be granted for no longer or shorter period than one year; and provided, further, that the license shall describe the house and locality where the dealer proposes to sell cigarettes.

Section 16. From every person, firm or association of persons dealing in lightning rods, an annual tax of eighteen dollars; and upon every person canvassing for the sale of lightning rods, an annual tax of fifty dollars.

Section 17. From every person, firm or association of persons who shall use the public square or any sidewalk or street of the City of Crockett for selling goods, medicine or any other manufactured article a tax of two dollars per day for each and every day they shall be so engaged.

Section 18. From every person, firm or association of persons who shall use the public square or any sidewalk or street of the city of Crockett for selling fruit an annual tax of ten dollars; provided that this tax shall be paid for no shorter or longer term than one year.

Section 19. The payment of the

When you feel Lax,
Stretchy, Half Sick,
Blue and Out of Sorts,
look to the Liver; it is
Torpid.

HERBINE

Is the Remedy You Need.

It is an invigorating tonic for a torpid liver. The first dose brings improvement, a few days use puts the liver in fine vigorous condition. Herbine also extends its restorative influence to the stomach and bowels. It helps digestion and food assimilation, purifies the bowels and brings back the habit of regular daily bowel movements. When the stomach, liver and bowels are active, bilious impurities no longer obstruct functional processes, the result of which is renewed energy, mental activity and cheerful spirits.

Price 50c per Bottle.

James F. Ballard, Prop. St. Louis, Mo.

Use Stephens Eye Salve for Sore Eyes. It Cures.

I. W. Sweet

Studebaker

Your confidence is what Studebaker seeks to keep

Possessing this confidence, we have never tried to produce a cheap wagon. We could, but we don't dare try the experiment. Our constant aim has been to produce the best wagon.

And in living up to this highest standard, we have won and hold—the confidence and good-will of hundreds of thousands of farmers all over the world.

Studebaker wagons are built to last, to do a day's work every day, to stand up under stress and strain and to make the name Studebaker stand for all that is best in vehicles.

Don't accept any other wagon represented to be just as good as a Studebaker. The substitute may be cheaper, but it isn't up to Studebaker standards, and you can't afford to buy it.

For business or pleasure, there is a Studebaker vehicle suited to your requirements. Farm wagons, trucks, business wagons, surreys, buggies, runabouts, pony carriages—such the best of its kind. Harness also—of the same high Studebaker standard.

See our Dealer or write us.

STUDEBAKER South Bend, Ind.

NEW YORK CHICAGO DALLAS KANSAS CITY DENVER
MINNEAPOLIS SALT LAKE CITY SAN FRANCISCO PORTLAND, ORE.

ARE YOU GOING NORTH THIS SUMMER?

Now is the Time to Plan Your Vacation

IT'S HOT! There is no denying it. But there is some getting out of it. Away up in Wisconsin, Michigan and Canada, in the land of snappy days, and crisp, cool, restful nights, you will find that relief for which you yearn.

BEST REACHED VIA THE

International & Great Northern Railway

Two Trains Each Day Between Texas and St. Louis.
Electric Lighted Sleeping Car Service to Memphis, St. Louis and Chicago.
Only One Change of Cars to Michigan, Canadian and New England Resorts.
Superb Dining Car Service.

Summer Tourist Tickets on Sale Daily with Extraordinary Stopover Privileges. Full Particulars Cheerfully Given Upon Application to Ticket Agent.

G. H. HENDERSON, Ticket Agent,
Crockett, Texas.

I. & G. N.
D. J. PRICE
Gen'l Pass. and Ticket Agent,
HOUSTON, TEXAS

specific taxes herein provided for shall be required by the collector of taxes to be made before any person, firm or association of persons shall be allowed to engage in any occupation requiring a license under the provisions of this ordinance; all arrearages of taxes that may be due by reason of any such business having been carried on shall be a lien upon all the stock and fixtures owned or used in or making a part of any business or vocation liable to such tax under the provisions of this ordinance, and which lien shall authorize the collector of taxes to sell, after due notice, so much stock or other property of any person, firm or association of persons owing taxes under the provisions of this chapter, as will satisfy such claim, together with the cost of such proceeding.

Attest: J. W. Young,
Mayor.

J. Valentine, City Secretary.

Fatherine L. Norton, New Bedford, Mass., says: "I had a terrible pain across my back, with a burning and scalding feeling. I took Foley Kidney Pills as advised, with results certain and sure. The pain and burning feeling left me, I felt toned up and invigorated. I recommend Foley Kidney Pills." For backache, rheumatism, lumbago, and all kidney and bladder ailments, use Foley Kidney Pills. I. W. Sweet—Adv.

FAIR EXCHANGE

A New Back For an Old One—How a Crockett Resident Made a Back Strong.

The back aches at times with a dull, indescribable feeling, making you weary and restless; piercing pains shoot across the region of the kidneys, and again the loins are so lame that to stoop is agony. No use to rub or apply a plaster to the back if the kidneys are weak. You cannot reach the cause. Follow the example of this Crockett citizen.

Albert Smith, Bruner's Addition, Crockett, Texas, says: "I was annoyed by a lame back and pains through my kidneys, showing that my kidneys did not do their work as they should. I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills from Sweet's Drug Store and they relieved me right away of the lameness in my back and regulated the kidney action."

"When Your Back is Lame—Remember the Name." Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy, ask distinctly for Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mr. Smith had, the remedy backed by home testimony. 50c all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

Shake Off Your Rheumatism.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. Try a twenty-five cent bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and see how quickly your rheumatic pains will disappear. Sold by all dealers.—Adv.

Come to Crockett on June 21st

Big Trades Day

Unmatched Prices

J. C. MILLAR

Tailor and Men's Outfitter

Five patterns only of \$22.50 suits, each \$18.50
All \$1.50 shirts, each \$1.00

For anything new, nobby and up-to-date, come to my store. I have it.

C. G. Lansford

Store at the Depot

25c size K. C. baking powder... 15c
10c size K. C. baking powder... 5c
50c size Capital stock or poultry food... 25c
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"White Dove" flour, best on earth, AT COST.

Arledge Tailor's Company

Up-to-Date Tailoring Cleaning and Pressing

Agency here for Ineeda Laundry.

Royal Theatre

Will open at 10 a. m. and close at 11 p. m., and will have some especially attractive pictures and fine music on their new \$1000 electric piano. Admission 10c. Children under five years free.

Gay-Ola Bottling Works

J. D. SIMS, Proprietor

The home of sanitary soda water. Our product is made with pure, filtered water, by experienced workmen, on improved machinery, and with highest grade syrup and extracts. Factory screened, and no flies in it.

Beasley's Liver Regulator

25c size, 15c

Visit our fountain. Most delicious ice cream, cold drinks, etc.

Decuir-Bishop Drug Company

A Landslide in Prices at T. D. Craddock's

Best grade 10 and 12 1/2c gingham 6 1-2c per yard

My stock of dress goods, dry goods and notions, groceries, hardware, feed, etc., is all priced specially low for this sale. Come and be convinced. If you need a wagon, see me sure, and save money.

THE business league of Crockett has raised a considerable fund for this day, which they will apply so as to enable dealers to name extraordinary prices, and we do this to enable trade to come here, spend a day with us, and note our advantages for serving you at all times. Crockett is the best market in East Texas in which to supply your wants, and will always pay top prices for whatever you have to sell. Note the bargains for the day, and please bear in mind that these goods are sold far below value, most of them under wholesale cost, and they can be obtained at quoted prices only at the store quoting, and for this day only.

Special: We have bought 2000 tickets for the Royal Theatre for Trades Day, and will hand them out to children on our excursion commencing June 10. Let the children meet us, get a free ticket to the show, and then come in and spend a day with us.

Crystal Barber Shop

Hot and Cold Baths

Cool and Comfortable

Johnson Arledge

50-pound can Swift Jewel Compound... 4.25

One to a customer, and good as long as it lasts.

I have a full stock of staple and fancy groceries and my prices are right. Will buy your chickens and eggs at top prices.

Fruit Jars Cheap

Pints, per dozen... 35c
Quarts, per dozen... 40c
Half gallons, per dozen... 65c
Tops... 15c

We carry everything in hardware. The fastest growing hardware store in East Texas. "There's a reason." Come to see us. Smith Hardware Company.

Trades Day Specials

ONE DAY ONLY

Tom Keene, Little Barrett, Baby Marguerite, 5c cigars, 7 for... 25c
25c can Colgate's Talc Powder... 15c
3 packages 5c envelopes... 10c
All 5c drinks at fountain, 6 for... 25c
Prescriptions at cost from 1 to 3 p.m.

L. W. SWEET, Druggist

Joseph Petrus

FRESH HOME-MADE CANDIES FINE FRUITS CIGARS, ETC.

Fresh Roasted Peanuts

Billy Lewis

WILL SELL YOU

Two gallon-cans only, of Wire Grass Syrup at 50c each.

The very finest pure ribbon-cane syrup made anywhere. I am headquarters for feed, and will save you money. Give me a call.

First National Bank

Capital... \$100,000.00
Surplus... 100,000.00

H. F. MOORE, President
ARCH BAKER, Vice-President
M. P. JENSEN, Cashier
L. B. LEGORY, Ass't Cashier

We are able to take care of all good business offered us, and want it.

25c Quality Good Buggy Whip, 15c

Low Prices on Saddlery, Harness, Buggies, Etc.

R. G. LUNDY.

15 Stores in Texas Steinlein-Lively Company

Will sell the best quality bleached domestic, worth 10c per yard, for 5c per yard all you want, all day long. We are making Trades Day prices in every department.

Free Lemonade All Day

Crockett Telephone Exchange

J. S. COOK, Proprietor

Will furnish free service to any part of the county to visitors on Trades Day.

Racket Store

W. P. Harris, Proprietor

Best grade red jar rubbers, 10 and 15c quality, per dozen... 5c.

Men's ties, good quality... 10c

I have a large stock of novelties and household articles. Free ice water all day.

Jas. S. Shivers & Co. Specials

1-lb. package Anvil soda, per package... 5c

Dollar bucket Royal coffee... 75c

10 and 12 1/2c lawns, 25 yds... \$1.00

Split-bottom chairs, 75c grade... 44c

Our big store is full of bargains in dry goods, groceries, hardware, etc. Make this your headquarters.

Wine of Cardui

\$1.00 size, 50c

Val Dona Hair Tonic

\$1.00 size, 50c

Visit our new store. Everything fresh and new and kept clean and attractive. Cold drinks a specialty.

Chamberlain & Woodall

Houston County Coal & Mfg. Co.

Operators and Miners of Lignite Coal

Main office at Crockett, Texas

Mines at Wootters, on I. & G. N. Ry. 11 miles south of Crockett, and Evansville, on H. & T. C. 6 miles northwest of Jewett.

Crockett Bakery

John L. Dean & Company Proprietors

Will make a specialty of Cold Lunches on Trades Day. We carry a nice stock of fruits and fancy groceries and have ice cream parlor.

Magnolia

Barber Shop

Hot and Cold Baths

Cool and Comfortable

John R. Foster

The Buggy Man

Been in business 20 years. I sell Columbus, Babcock, Moon Bros., and Banner Buggies; harness, both single and double, and repair all spring vehicles.

Headquarters for Fancy Groceries

CONFECTIONERIES, FRUITS, ETC.

Will appreciate your patronage

MIKE YOUNAS.

Houston County Oil Mill and Mfg. Company

Keep Houston county money at home. Buy you fertilizers of us, sell us your seed, and patronize a home institution which spends thousands of dollars here every year, and will give you best values.

C. P. O'BANNON

THE NEW STORE

Good \$2.00 grade work shoes... 98c

25 pieces white goods, 12 1/2c and 15c quality, 20 yards... \$1.00

One sale only to a person.

My stock is all fresh and new and prices are very close.

Come to Crockett on June 21st

Big Trades Day

Unmatched Prices

White Crest Flour

48-Pound Sack, \$1.40
24-Pound Sack, .75

Any dealer in Crockett will supply "White Crest" at above prices on Trades Day only. This flour is the finest product of pure, soft wheat. Nothing equals it, and it retails regularly at \$1.65, and worth it. All dealers have been supplied at a special price of \$1.50 per sack, agree to sell at cost, and we will refund each 10c on every sack sold, enabling them to make the unprecedented price of \$1.40. Take advantage of this offer and get acquainted with this flour and you will use no other.

EDMISTON BROS., Distributors.

N. E. Allbright

Fancy Groceries,
Feed, Etc.

Call and see me when in town.

WE OFFER

25-pound cloth sack cane granulated sugar **1.10**
Brown Mule tobacco, per 10-pound caddy **3.15**
Only one sack of sugar and one caddy of tobacco to a person.

We are headquarters for Meridian fertilizers and John Deere farm implements. Sold 30 cars of fertilizer this season and 3 cars Deere implements. Largest and best stock in Houston county. It pays to trade with us. DANIEL & BURTON.

Our Special for Trades Day

Iron bed, finished in blue, white or Vernis Martin, regular \$7.50 value, only one to each person **4.00**

Local agents for Sanidown Mattresses and Hoosier Kitchen Cabinets.

Deupree & Waller

I Offer

Random Clipper shingles \$1.00 pr M
5 " " 2.10 pr M
4 " Economy " 2.40 pr M
Best Prime " 2.90 pr M
Star A Star " 2.50 pr M

Limit, 10,000 to one man—cash with order only.

B. L. Satterwhite

Look at These Bargains

\$2.50 Rocker, good value. \$1.25
\$2.00 Springs \$1.00

Exclusive agents for Sealy Mattresses and Leggett & Platt Springs.

FREE ICE WATER

Swann Furniture Co.

High grade, all leather collars, regular \$2.50 and \$3.00 values

\$2.00

My stock of harness, saddlery, buggies, etc., is complete. Give me a call when in town.

J. T. Harrison

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W. H. DENNY President D. O. KIESLING Cashier

CROCKETT STATE BANK

Capital \$50,000.00
Surplus 30,000.00

GUARANTY FUND BANK

We Solicit the Patronage of Our Farmer Friends.

If--

you have land to sell, want to buy land or borrow money consult your interests by calling on us.

Hail & Wilson

Office in CROCKETT STATE BANK

Dan J. Kennedy Specials—

All 5c laces, per yard 2½c
3 good 50c wool shirts \$1.00
10c quality ladies and men's hose, per pair 5c

For anything in ladies and gentlemen's wear CALL ON US.

Crockett Ice, Electric Light and Power Company

Ice is no longer a luxury—it is a necessity. We are always prompt, courteous and attentive to the needs of our farmer friends.

H. J. Arledge & Co. Insurance and Real Estate

List your lands with us for sale. If you want to buy a place, let us show you. We handle any kind of insurance proposition.

J. R. Sheridan Land Company

Whether you wish to buy or sell, come and talk it over with us, and we will make it worth your while.

M. Scarborough CITY RESTAURANT

The place to eat when in town. Cool and comfortable, and a good meal with me does not tax your pocket book unduly.

All \$2.50 ladies' low-cut shoes at

\$1.95

25-lb. sack "Big B" fine salt

15c

Our stock of groceries, dry goods, notions, etc., is complete, and we invite comparison of prices and quality with any competition. Let us show you.

CRADDOCK & DRISKILL

Smith Brothers

Livery, Sale and Feed Stable

CONTRACTORS

AGENTS FOR

Overland Automobiles

McLean Drug Co. Offers—

Chill Tonic

Any brand, 35c per bottle
3 bottles for \$1.00

We have a nice stock of jewelry and sporting goods, toilet articles, etc.

Visit Our Sanitary Soda Fountain

J. W. Bennett

Store at the Depot.

6 pounds fine Rio coffee for

\$1.00

8 pounds best lump starch for

25c

Large stock of Groceries and Feed.

Prices the lowest.

Give me a call.

J. E. Bynum & Son

35-pound sack best meal
one to a person

60c

Fancy Groceries and Feed.

Our stock is complete and priced very low specially for Trades Day.

W. M. PATTON

WILL SELL YOU

5 gallons good oil, bulk..... 50c

5 gallons good oil, in jacket can. 90c

25 lbs. Louisiana brown sugar. \$1.00

12 boxes Searchlight matches. 35c

If you are looking to save money on what you buy, call on me.

We will sell you good alarm clock, regular \$1.00 value, for

45c

We are agents for Studebaker wagons and Charter Oak stoves

McConnell Hardware Company

Visit with us while in town on Trades Day

Our stock is full, prices right, and we will appreciate your business. Your friends,

Lundy & Thompson

High Grade Bulk Roasted Coffee

4 1-2 lbs. for \$1.00

If you want something nice take home a dollar's worth of this coffee—one sale only to a person.

My stock is fresh, quality of the best and prices cut specially low for this sale.

F. H. HILL

I Offer You

Four 10c cans Giant Lye for 25c.

Everything priced low. Give me a call.

W. H. KENT

Shoes! Shoes! Shoes!

For Trades Day we offer all \$4.50, \$4.00 and \$3.50 shoes for men and women, per pair

\$2.95

CROCKETT DRY GOODS CO.

\$2.95

Buy any pair of \$4.50, \$4.00 or \$3.50 shoes, ladies' or men's, in my house. Only best brands sold, and stock is complete.

DAN McLEAN

W. V. McConnell

Best grade feather tick, per yard..... **12 1-2c**

We are agents for the celebrated Manhattan Shirts, Howard & Foster shoes for men and Green Wheeler shoes for ladies.

When in town come and see What deal you can make with W. V.

DR. L. S. HARRIS

Veterinary

Will examine all stock or write prescriptions at

50c

ON TRADES DAY

Office with Decuir-Bishop Drug Co.

SPECIAL for Trades Day only, one sale to a family only—10 bars Clairette soap..... **25c**

Jack and Jill went up the hill,

Like dutiful son and daughter;

Now Jack has typhoid, Jill is ill—

They did not boil the water.

Take care of your health, but don't forget your pocket book.

Trade with MOORE & SHIVERS, the farmers' friends and home of the J. I. Case cultivators.

The Crockett Courier

Issued weekly from the Courier Building.

W. W. AIKEN, Editor and Proprietor.

PUBLISHER'S NOTICE.

Obituaries, resolutions, cards of thanks and other matter not "news" will be charged for at the rate of 5c per line. 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 bill.

Flag Presentation.

This paper was read at the annual reunion of confederate veterans of Houston county, June 3, 1913:

Flag Presentation in Crockett July 17, 1861 to Dr. Currie's Company copied from the original print, from the "Crockett Argus," by Mrs. Sarah Monroe Holmes, at request of Mrs. D. A. Nunn.

The "Crockett Argus" was edited and published by Col. John Hay and John C. Heppeler, for several years before the war and during a part of the first year of the war, and was a very excellent paper. This company was named "The Crockett Southrons." Copy from "Crockett Argus," July, 1861:

A flag, the handiwork of the patriotic ladies of Houston county, Texas, was presented to Capt. Currie's company on Wednesday last, in front of Mrs. Hall's hotel, by Miss Sarah Jane Monroe, in behalf of the donors.

The speech of Miss Monroe was neat and appropriate, and the reply of Mr. John Wootters, who received the banner, was in excellent taste.

The circumstances, the parting of friends perchance to meet no more, the stern necessity that had called so many of the hope and pride of our country to a distant land, cast a gloom on the least sensitive heart, while the trickling tear from eyes unused to weep, evinced that however stern might be the hearts, that beat in those many breasts, the fountains of affection for home and kindred still flowed.

"Go match the foremost ranks
In danger's dark career
And be sure the hand most daring there
Has wiped away a tear."

Miss Monroe, on presenting the banner said: "Sir, the pleasing task has been assigned to me, of presenting to you this flag made by some of our country-women, which they beg you to accept as the banner of your company.

In presenting to you this glorious symbol of Southern Independence, we feel that we intrust it to brave hearts and strong hands who will never permit it to trail dishonored in the dust.

When the toils and deeds of the

day are over and you repose at night on your soldier couch our prayers will mingle with yours and ascend to the "God of our Fathers," imploring your preservation, and the success of your arms in defense of this flag, as the emblem of Confederate liberty. When victory shall have perched upon your standard and peace and independence shall have crowned your efforts, how gladly will we hail your return to your homes, and our homes, which you are determined to defend, or "in death be laid low, with your backs to the field and your feet to the foe." Take, soldiers, this flag which has been consecrated to freedom, with our prayers. Should it be moistened with the blood of the sons, remember that it has been bedewed with the tears of the daughters of your land, thus bathing its bright folds in the two purest libations to liberty. With hearts full of grateful emotion we now bid you all a sad but proud farewell."

Reply of Mr. John H. Wootters, afterward Captain Wootters, Co. I, Hood's Texas Brigade:

Miss Monroe:—I've been honored with the pleasing and grateful duty of receiving this beautiful flag at your hands, and of expressing, on behalf of the company, of which I am an humble member, their heartfelt thanks to the fair and patriotic donors, and to you Miss Sarah for the happy and flattering terms in which the presentation has been made.

There is no greater incentive for the soldier, after his love of country, than the smiles and approving words of the mothers and daughters of his country. In the camp, when the toils of the day are over and midnight stillness reigns around him, his thoughts will revert to loved ones he has left behind him and the consciousness that he has their sympathy and prayers nerves his heart for the toils, or, it may be, the deadly conflict of tomorrow.

When this beautiful token of encouragement presented by you, fair lady, on behalf of your country-women, shall be unfurled upon the battlefield, we promise you that so long as a heart pulsates and an arm is nerved it shall be protected from the foul pollution of an enemy's hand, and so long as one of us shall survive to bear it in triumph from the battlefield we will preserve this beautiful banner, not only as a memento of the gallant patriotism of Texas, noble daughters, but also to remind us that it should never be sullied or dishonored by any act of ours unworthy the soldier or gentleman.

We are going far from home, we are called upon to sever many fond

Planters' Cotton Chopper Co.

MANUFACTURERS OF

The Parsley Cotton Chopper

We have a thoroughly equipped machine shop and are now in a position to do all kinds of machine work, such as gin, sawmill and automobile repairs.

We carry a line of valves, pipes and oils, also gasoline.

We do horse shoeing and wood work. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Planters' Cotton Chopper Co.

CROCKETT, TEXAS

Be Happy!

Happy the girl, or woman, who has never suffered from any of the diseases of womanhood! Or, if she has been a sufferer, happy is she if she has learned of the wonderful benefits of Cardui, the woman's tonic!

Cardui is a gentle, tonic remedy, for women's ailments. It is a natural medicine—safe, harmless, purely vegetable. It has been in successful use for more than 50 years. It has cured thousands. It should do the same for you.

TAKE THE CARDUI Woman's Tonic

Mrs. Mary Neely, of Denver, Tenn., says, "I think there is no tonic on earth, as good as Cardui. I used it with the very best results. I had backache and nearly everything a woman could suffer with, until I took Cardui. Now, I feel better than I have for two years. I shall always recommend Cardui to other suffering women. I can't praise it too highly. As a medicine for weak, tired, worn-out women, Cardui is safe and reliable. Try it, today.

Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn. for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free. 15¢

attachments, but our country calls for our services and we will respond. We must not allow the fond endearments of home to overcome our love of liberty. We go forth putting our trust in God and the justice of our cause and hope, under this beautiful banner, to accomplish an honorable peace, or, if this is denied us, to fight and, if necessary, die in defense of our country's rights, and the liberty and homes of the Daughters of the Sunny South; and if Providence, in his wise dispensation, shall permit us to return to our homes, we desire no prouder or higher commendation than woman's approbation, and though it may be in the evening of declining years, yet may the remembrance of this occasion be as vivid to our minds as now.

Again permit me to return to you our sincere thanks for this precious gift, and on behalf of myself, and those I have the honor of representing, bid you all a fond farewell.

Take Plenty of Time to Eat.

There is a saying that "rapid eating is slow suicide." If you have formed the habit of eating too rapidly you are most likely suffering from indigestion or constipation, which will result eventually in serious illness unless corrected. Digestion begins in the mouth. Food should be thoroughly masticated and insalivated. Then when you have a fullness of the stomach or feel dull and stupid after eating, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets. Many severe cases of stomach trouble and constipation have been cured by the use of these tablets. They are easy to take and most agreeable in effect. Sold by all dealers.—Adv.

Can't Keep It Secret.

The splendid work of Chamberlain's Tablets is daily becoming more widely known. No such grand remedy for stomach and liver troubles has ever been known. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

Too Many Cooks

spoil the broth, so runs the old saw. Realizing this fact, we have but one Chef and he is some star in the culinary department.

Try Our Sunday Dinner

Scarborough's Cafe

EAST SIDE OF PUBLIC SQUARE

60 YEARS' EXPERIENCE

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Tired Out

Bilious, constipated, sallow complexion—all are more pronounced in the spring. At no other time does the system require an assisting force to cleanse itself as it does now.

There is a long hot summer ahead of you with its slow and typhoid fevers. Take Liver-Lax and get ready for the drain on your system incident to hot weather.

It cleans out and does away with all accumulations. Sold only by

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The Prompt Service Store

Local News.

A fine rain fell over Houston county Monday.

See Arledge Tailoring Co. for fine tailoring.—Adv.

Mrs. J. W. Young is visiting relatives in Bastrop.

Ladies' white suits cleaned by Arledge Tailoring Co.—Adv.

J. T. Dorman of Route 2 paid the Courier a visit Saturday.

Arledge Tailoring Co. do cleaning, pressing and repairing.—Adv.

Our soda is the best on earth.—Crockett Bottling Works.—Adv.

A complete, up-to-date abstract. tf—adv Aldrich & Crook.

The new auto veils in all the new colors at Daniel & Burton's.—Adv.

W. M. Gregg of Route 6 was a caller at the Courier office Thursday.

Negro hair at half price for cash at Mrs. Bricker's, Saturday, June 15. 1t

Miss Pauline Durst of Midway is visiting Misses Etta and Kathleen Hail.

Sam Leathers is at home from Peacock Military School at San Antonio.

It is not too late to order a cool, summer suit from Arledge Tailoring Co.—Adv.

Sonley and Alton Lemay have returned from Texas University at Austin.

Mrs. S. W. Grant of Center is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Berry.

Donald Moore of Beaumont is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Moore.

Ladies, see Mrs. Bricker for hats June 15 and 21. The greatest bargains ever offered. 1t

John Goodwin of Lovelady is among those remembering the Courier this week.

Mrs. W. Frazer, who was visiting the Edmestons, returned to her home in Dallas Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Craddock and two children of Dallas have been visiting relatives in this city.

For Rent.

Nice six-room house close in. tf. T. B. Satterwhite.

Let Arledge Tailoring Co. clean, repair and press your clothes. Nothing is too fine for them.—Adv.

The Pickwick Barber Shop for first-class work. Cleanliness our hobby. Hot and cold baths.—Adv

W. C. Wall from Lake Charles, La., was here last week, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wall.

T. L. Hairston from Timponson has accepted a position as prescription clerk with the McLean Drug Company.

Saturday, June 15, will be half-price day for cash at Mrs. Bricker's. If you want a real bargain see my stock. 1t

Miss Lucile Davis left Sunday night for Austin, where she will visit before returning to her home in Center.

Are you satisfied with just paint, or do you want good paint? New shipment of Harrison's at McLean Drug Co. tf.

200 acre farm for sale, about half improved, 10 miles east from Crockett on public road. \$12.00 per acre.—Hail & Wilson. 2t

Less Than Half Price.

Gin, grist mill and shingle mill. In good condition. Easy terms. Hail and Wilson, Crockett State Bank. tf.

Everything in ribbons—new velvet ribbons in all shades and colors—at Daniel & Burton's. See this stock and get prices before buying.—Adv.

Biggest stock of hats to select from at half price at Mrs. Bricker's. One hundred hats at and below cost for cash, one day only, June 21, at Mrs. Bricker's 1t



HUNTING

If you are hunting for pleasure you need go no further than the ROYAL THEATRE. This is the happy hunting grounds for all the good Indians in this locality.

Matinee every afternoon at 4:00 o'clock and Saturday at 1:30. If you are in town bring the children to the picture show.

Mrs. A. L. Swancoat and little daughter of San Marcos are expected to arrive the first of next week to visit Mrs. Dan. J. Kennedy and Mrs. D. O. Kiessling.

Mrs. Charlotte A. Clinton of Chicago and son, James Clinton of Detroit, arrived last week and will spend the summer at the Clinton home near this city.

Miss Verne Monday of Lovelady is visiting Miss Emory Sweetman in Palestine. From there she will go to Houston to be maid of honor in Miss Robbie May Burt's wedding.

The dog lost by J. W. Woolley was a black and tan instead of a spotted dog as described in the advertisement. The finder of such a dog will please report to Mr. Woolley.

Don't forget the engagement of A. K. Hawkes Co's. expert optician at the store of I. W. Sweet, June 13, 14, 16. Glasses correctly fitted in up-to-date styles at reasonable prices. All work guaranteed. 1t

Will Lend Money on Real Estate

or take up your note and give you a lower rate of interest. We will buy your land or find a buyer. See or write Hail & Wilson, Crockett State Bank building, Crockett, Texas. Adv.

A full line of silk hose, all the fancy colors, just received at Daniel & Burton's. This stock was selected for evening and street wear and will match any color of evening or street shoe or slipper. Call and see them.—Adv.

Dr. W. W. Latham, E. C. Arledge, W. C. Dupuy and Billy Allee went to Dallas Thursday in Dr. Latham's Hupmobile, returning Sunday. Billy Allee drove W. C. Dupuy's new car, an Oakland roadster, back from Dallas.

I take pleasure in announcing the engagement of A. K. Hawkes Co's. expert optician at my store on June 13, 14, 16, and personally guarantee his work, and invite all who need glasses or intelligent, conscientious advice about their eyes to call on above dates.—I. W. Sweet. 1t

At the store of their dealer, I. W. Sweet, June 13, 14, 16, A. K. Hawkes Co's. expert optician will test eyes and fit glasses. He will give the same splendid up-to-date service and reasonable prices obtained in their Atlanta establishment, and which have given this firm a national reputation. 1t

Two more automobiles have been added to the list of those already in this city. They are Nos. 37 and 38 owned respectively by W. C. Dupuy and Smith Bros. No. 37 is an Oakland roadster and No. 38 is an Overland touring car. They are both equipped with all the latest appliances and cost about \$1350 each.

Notice.

There will be a graveyard working at the old Grounds graveyard on Thursday, the 19th day of June, 1913. All parties interested meet there at 8 o'clock with good, sharp tools and rakes and a full basket of dinner, to put in a good day's work, for it is needed badly. Mrs. L. N. Tyer.

A substitute in medicine is never for the benefit of the buyer. Never be persuaded to buy anything but Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs and colds, for children or for grown persons. It is prompt and effective. It comes in a yellow package with beehive on carton. It contains no opiates. Take no substitute for Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. I. W. Sweet.—Adv.

There is no horse liniment more effective for animal flesh than Ballard's Snow Liniment, nor is there any healing remedy for the human body only, that is milder or more efficacious in its action. It heals the sores or wounds of man and beast. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by I. W. Sweet.—tf.

Money to Loan.

We make a specialty of loans on land and to farmers. We buy vendors lien notes and any other good paper. If you want to borrow money you will DO WELL to call and get our terms before placing your loan. We buy and sell real estate.

Warfield Bros.

Office North Side Public Square.

CROCKETT, TEXAS

Misses Etta and Kathleen Hail gave a rook and forty-two party at their new and palatial home on east Main street Friday evening. The affair was in honor of their visitor, Miss Pauline Durst. About twenty couples of young people were present, some of whom spent the evening in dancing, this large home being so well adapted for a diversity of entertainment. At midnight a delightful lunch was served and the guests departed declaring they had enjoyed the evening to the utmost.

Will Take Course in Music.

I take this means of thanking my music patrons of last year, and saying to them and others desiring a teacher for term of 1913-14 that I will appreciate any patronage they may give me. I will leave in a few days for Cincinnati Conservatory, where I will take a course in Piano, History of Music, Harmony, Chorus Drills and a normal course in methods of teaching. I will not return until September, too late to solicit my class personally, but will begin work in one of the music rooms at the Public School building when school opens. I will be glad to have any music pupils who desire my services for the next term.

Sue Denny.

Katherine L. Norton, New Bedford, Mass., says: "I had a terrible pain across my back, with a burning and scalding feeling. I took Foley Kidney Pills as advised, with results certain and sure. The pain and burning feeling left me, I felt toned up and invigorated. I recommend Foley Kidney Pills." For backache, rheumatism, lumbago, and all kidney and bladder ailments, use Foley Kidney Pills. I. W. Sweet.—Adv.

Gas in the stomach comes from food which has fermented. Get rid of this badly digested food as quickly as possible if you would avoid a bilious attack; Herbine is the remedy you need. It cleanses and strengthens the stomach, liver and bowels, and restores energy and cheerfulness. Price 50. Sold by I. W. Sweet.—Adv.



You will meet the best people at the ROYAL THEATRE. They will be glad to meet you there.

Remember the matinee every afternoon at 4:00 o'clock and Saturday at 1:30.



Hits the Mark

and is "the kind mother used to make." Many of our patrons prefer it to the made-at-home article—to say nothing of the work and worry saved the housewife. Mothers and grandmothers join in the general praise of our bread, cakes and pies.

Crockett Bakery

Help the baby through the teething period by giving it McGee's Baby Elixir. It is a healthful, wholesome remedy, well adapted to a baby's delicate stomach. It contains no opium, or morphine or injurious drug of any kind. Babies thrive under its excellent stomach and bowel correcting influence. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by I. W. Sweet.—Adv.



The Boys Know It

You can safely follow them to our fountain. Their taste is most sensitive. They know "we make 'em right." Plenty of ice is used and the materials are properly blended to make any of the

"Ice Cold Delicious Drinks"

In addition to these things it is cleanliness that really makes our fountain so popular.

SWEET'S DRUG STORE

THE MODERN DRUG STORE

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W. W. AIKEN, Editor and Proprietor.

PUBLISHER'S NOTICE.

Obituaries, resolutions, cards of thanks and other matter not "news" will be charged for at the rate of 5c per line. 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 bill.

The way to build a city is to build it.

When sidewalks go down property values go up.

All things come to towns that present a solid front.

Don't bleed your town to fatten some other—trade at home.

What your town needs is not merely to say what your town needs.

It is a short cut from the garbage can to the dinner table via the fly route.

Selfishness is responsible for more sorrow in the world than anything else.

There must be organized strength, harmoniously working together, to build a city.

The merchant who talks mostly about hard times doesn't advertise his home paper.

An ad in your local paper is the advance agent that goes ahead and creates the desire.

The man who boosts intelligently, truthfully and persistently is truly a builder of builders.

The booster has his uses as well as the builder—the rooster is a booster, but as a laying proposition he doesn't amount to much.

The recent formation of the West Texas Fair Association has resulted in creating double the interest heretofore taken in county fairs in West Texas. Following the Fair at Pecos, fairs will be held at Midland the last week in September, at Big Springs the first week in October and at Roscoe the second week in October.

The Martin Wagon Company of Lufkin has just closed a contract for enough timber to run the plant for three years. It will be brought to the factory and allowed to thoroughly season before being put into wagons. The demand for wagons is steadily increasing and the steady growth of the institution speaks highly of the quality of the product.

Only Laughing Shows Wanted.

Perhaps George C. Tyler of the Liebler company is right in his belief that the playgoers of the United States only want laughs and lingerie, and it is useless to produce a serious play. Of course serious plays have been produced and have succeeded. But it is quite obvious that the laugh coaxing shows are the ones that have won lately.

"That is the very reason," said Rev. Mr. Weirs of Unity Church, Montclair, "why we are organizing a playgoers' club in our church. The attitude of church members has too often been one of blind opposition to the stage and all there is on it. It is about time we realized that we can make our opposition to the worse things of the stage more valuable if we give our support to the things of the stage that are worth while."

That Unity Church is a wonderful institution. When the cost of

living rose too high, Unity Church organized a co-operative store. It fought the wrong sort of moving pictures by giving the right sort of moving pictures in the church building, even reconstructing it to comply with the fire laws. Some of its members are troubled with expansion of the waistline, and so they organized a strollers' club and walked off the surplus. A sight-seers' club visits places of interest every now and then. The church encourages lectures and dances and physical culture and everything except sermons that are moldy from the barrel. "We're trying to keep alive—and to justify the effort," said Pastor Weirs.

Leaders Among Men.

A celebrated French writer tells us that "as soon as a certain number of living beings are gathered together, whether they be animals or men, they place themselves instinctively under the authority of a chief." It has long been noticed that animals show leadership and that they exert a powerful influence over others in protecting themselves.

But animals become leaders because of their superior strength in combat and because of their power to prevail over their antagonists. Such is not the case with men; they become leaders because of their talents. Intellect, not physical force, is responsible for leadership among men.

Young people who show themselves capable of doing things better than others, who see the things that should be done and do them faithfully, will become leaders. People are anxious to do the right thing if there be capable leaders to begin.

The place to do something worth while is not in some distant place where you are unknown, but at home where your worth is known and fully appreciated. Your home community needs your services. Here your originality is appreciated; your perseverance commended; and your ability to lead is in demand. Here you can accomplish greater work than among strangers who do not know your ability and who must learn your qualifications for leadership.

But no one who has not first succeeded in doing something worth while need expect that he can lead others. Self-control is necessary. Self-negation must be practiced and honest, conscientious intentions fully demonstrated before leadership can be assumed.—Farm and Ranch.

Power of Newspaper Advertising.

The manufacturer who desire to create a direct demand for his goods in any particular community must use the newspapers.

No other advertising medium can do the work as well as quickly.

A recently printed article by a firm of widespread reputation said in relation to newspaper advertising:

Newspaper advertising cuts out duplication and other waste.

It enables you to advertise whenever you please.

It permits you to reach all worthwhile consumers.

It dovetails your advertising with your sales work.

It enables you to adapt your advertising to any climate, advertise economically, and, further, enables you to try out plans without heavy expenditure of money.

And every line of the foregoing applies with emphasis to the Courier and papers in its class.

If you want quick results you must advertise in the newspapers.

Shake Off Your Rheumatism.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. Try a twenty-five cent bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment and see how quickly your rheumatic pains will disappear. Sold by all dealers.—Adv.

Errors in the Details.

In reporting the accidental death of little Jim Henry Smith last week, the Courier made some errors in regard to the details. The teams were coming home from Anderson county, where they had been at work on the roads, instead of going out to work. They were passing the Smith home on their way to strike camp. Jim Henry asked his father, who was riding with Dan LaRoe of Palestine in a buggy in front of the teams, to let him also ride in the buggy, but the buggy being already overloaded, his father gave him permission to ride on one of the wagons following. Not knowing him, none of the drivers would stop to let him on. Failing to get on any of the wagons, he attempted to get on one of the scrapers following the last wagon and fell under the wheels. The little fellow was not in the habit of playing in the streets or catching on to passing wagons. The accident was caused by the drivers not knowing him and their failure to stop. His mother was the first to him and the first to render aid, but others came to her assistance.

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No person need hesitate to take Foley Kidney Pills on the ground that they know not what is in them. Foley & Co. guarantee them to be a pure curative medicine, specially prepared for kidney and bladder ailments and irregularities. They do not contain habit forming drugs. Try them. I. W. Sweet.—Adv.

Do You Wish

A picture of mother, dad, Sister Mary, Sue, Nellie, or Bill, John, Jim, or Ned, the old family horse? Take 'em yourself with an Ansco or an Eastman, and develop them with an Ansco or an Eastman developing outfit.

We are agents for Ansco Cameras and supplies and Eastman Kodaks and supplies. "Get the picture taking habit."

The McLean Drug Company

The Rexall Store

Jackass Statistics.

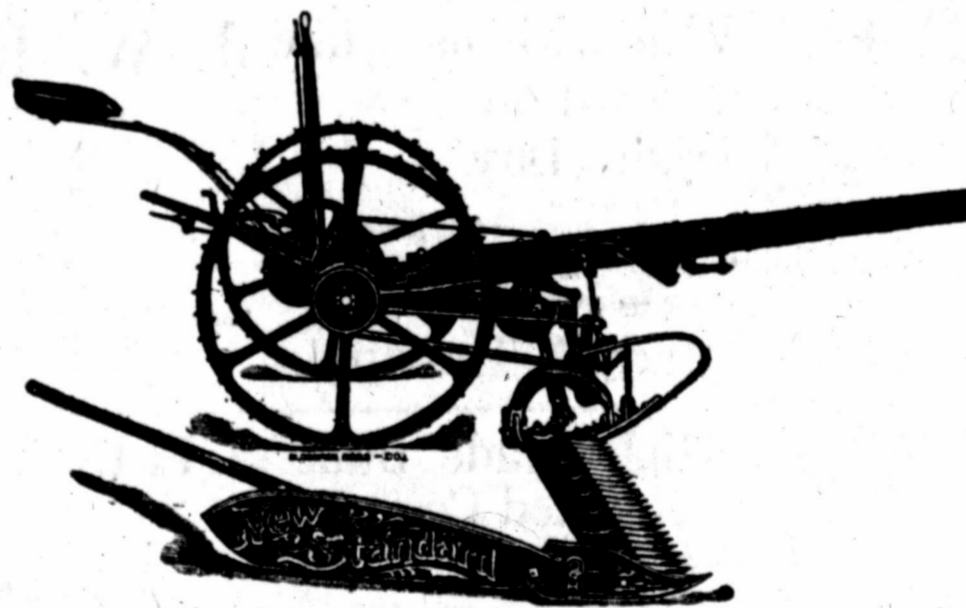
In the spring of 1910 the enumerators of the Federal Census Department visited every farm house in Houston county and made inquiries pertaining to the various phases of our agriculture. The result of the canvasses have just been published and reveal some unique, as well as interesting, information. According to the reports there are 25 jackasses on the farms and ranges of this county and their total valuation is given at \$2635.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Every family without exception should keep this preparation at hand during the hot weather of the summer months. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is worth many times its cost when needed and is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over. It has no superior for the purposes for which it is intended. Buy it now. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

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The Standard Mower



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We Have Now in Stock a Car Load of Standard Mowers and Rakes

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