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TO BE HELD IN CROCKETT.

Fourth Class Postmaster Examination on Saturday, November 13, 1915.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that on the date named above an examination will be held at Crockett, Texas, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth class postmaster at Augusta and other vacancies as they may occur at that office, unless it shall be decided in the interests of the service to fill the vacancy by reinstatement. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was \$193 for the last fiscal year.

Age limit, 21 years and over on the date of the examination, with the exception that in a State where women are declared by statute to be of full age for all purposes at 18 years, women 18 years of age on the date of the examination will be admitted.

Applicants must reside within the territory supplied by the post office for which the examination is announced.

Application forms and full information concerning the requirements of the examinations can be secured from the postmaster at Augusta or from the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Applications should be properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington at least 7 days before the date of the examination, otherwise it may be impracticable to examine the applicants.

Rally Day at Methodist Church.

Sunday, October 24, is to be observed as Rally Day at the Methodist church in the Sunday School and the congregational activities. Usually the first Sunday in October is the one so observed, but owing to matters connected with the placing of their new organ the Rally Day was postponed to the above date. A record attendance is expected in the Sunday School and a great attendance at the morning and evening services. Revival services, announced elsewhere in these columns, will be in progress, and the whole day is expected to be one of much interest.

Tailor Says, "Most Delightful."

Most tailors suffer from constipation. G. W. Roberson, Wichita Falls, Tex., says: "I find Foley Cathartic Tablets the most delightful, cleansing cathartic I have ever taken." They keep the stomach sweet and liver active, and drive away biliousness, bloating, headache, dullness and other results of clogged bowels. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Mothers' Club.

The Mothers' Club will meet at the regular time, 4 to 5, Wednesday, October 20, at the public school. We hope to have a large attendance as important business is pending.

The club expects Mrs. Mary L. Watkins, organizing secretary for the Texas Congress of Mothers' and Parent Teachers' Association, to be here Saturday, October 23, to give a very instructive lecture on how this work is done in other places and a general outline of work for this club. This lecture will be at the home of Mrs. G. Q. King. There is no expense attached and no collection. This is a special invitation to all who will come to hear of this great and noble work that is to-day so prominent before the public. Other small and large towns are active in this work. Don't let Crockett's club be behind. Time is short and it will be impossible to give personal invitations. Come to the home of Mrs. G. Q. King at 3 p. m. sharp.

Reporter.

Red River to the Gulf.

An enthusiastic Red River to the Gulf Highway meeting was held in Crockett Thursday afternoon. The occasion was the visit of the Houston highway advocates, Mrs. March Culmore, Mrs. M. J. Drysdale, Messrs. W. J. Meininger, J. E. Anderson, Thomas A. Williams, B. K. Coghlan and J. M. Barber and Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Chandler. The visit of the Houston party was in the interest of a permanent highway from Red River through Paris, Palestine, Crockett and Houston to Galveston. The party was making an automobile tour of the proposed route and holding road meetings in the towns. The meeting here followed a like meeting at Palestine, where Mayor J. W. Young of Crockett presided as chairman and H. A. Fisher was elected permanent chairman of the association. While no definite action was taken here, enthusiasm abounded and much good will result.

How an Engineer Keeps Well.

Railroad engineers are more exposed to catching cold than other workers. E. G. Dunaphant of Monette, Mo., has run a Frisco engine for 25 years and all the medicine he has taken is Foley's Honey and Tar. He writes: "I always keep it in my house and recommend it to all who have a bad cough or cold." Sold everywhere.—Adv.

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Good grade green coffee, 10 pounds for	\$1.00	13 bars Sail soap for	25c
Best grade roasted coffee, per peck	\$1.00	6 bars Fairy soap for	25c
22 1/2 pounds good clean rice for	\$1.00	2 boxes U. M. C. shotgun shells for	85c
5 gallons best coal oil for	55c	12 boxes Double Dip matches for	40c
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Good grade outings, worth 7 1/2c, special	5c	Men's 50c quality work shirts for 35c, or three for	\$1.00
		All dollar overalls for	85c

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Anything you want in boys' and girls' school or work shoes. Ladies' and men's dress and work shoes at prices that never were before heard of in Crockett. Call around when in need of anything. We have a free wagon yard for our friends and customers.

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Married at Marquez.

Mr. Deckard Johnson of this city went to Marquez Saturday, and on Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock was married to Miss Ela Lanier of that town. Mr. Johnson returned with his bride to Crockett Sunday night and is receiving the congratulations of his friends at the Harris hotel. Holding the responsible position of cashier for the railroad company, he has made many friends in our city. His bride has many admirers in her home town, which was also the home of the groom before coming to Crockett.

Revival Services.

Revival services are announced to begin at the Methodist church on Friday night of this week, and to

continue through the following ten days. The pastor, Rev. D. H. Hotchkiss, is to be assisted by Rev. Albert C. Fisher and wife of Fort Worth, who for a number of years have been engaged in revivalistic work. Mr. and Mrs. Fisher are singers of much ability and are to have charge of the music during the meeting. There will be services daily at 3 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. and the public at large is invited to all the meetings.

Preacher Was Laid Up.

Rev. C. M. Knighton, Havana, Fla., writes: "For three months I suffered intense pain in the kidneys and back which at times laid me up entirely. I used 1 1/2 bottles of Foley Kidney Pills and all the pain disappeared. I feel as if 20 years had been added to my life." Relieves rheumatism, backache, sore muscles, stiff joints. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

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On October 8, 1914,

The Cranford Drug Company, of Alba, Texas, phoned to The Eucaline Medicine Company at Dallas, the following:

"Express us One Dozen Admire Tonic Sarsaparilla, and ship us by freight Five Dozen more." Alba people have been using Admire Tonic Sarsaparilla for ten years. They know that it stops Chills and Fever promptly, relieves the system of Malaria and purifies the blood when it is disordered from Malaria Poison. Price \$1.00 per bottle. Ask for it.

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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 bills.

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

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

ONE REASON SOME SUCCEED WHERE OTHERS FAIL.

The town merchant deplors the fact that the mail order houses are making inroads on his patronage. How did they do it? Did they send representatives into the rural communities to solicit trade? Did they simply open their places of business and wait for customers? They did not. They obtained all—not a part, but ALL—of their patronage by the use of printer's ink. They advertised. The average local merchant does not seem to realize, even with this gigantic object lesson before him, that the means employed by these concerns are also at his disposal. Through the medium of the printed word they tell the public what they have to sell. The majority of the town merchants do not.

Mail order houses and other foreign advertisers have gained all their business through advertising. There is not a prosperous business concern in the whole country which today does not advertise. The business man who advertises will sooner or later get all the trade away from the one who merely keeps a store and waits for buyers to come in without advertising.

The nonadvertising merchant frequently advances the argument against advertising that every one knows where his store is and what he has to sell. He is wrong. Every one does not know what he has to sell. If he doubts this let him compare his present stock with that of five years, three years or even one year ago and note the many new things he has on his floors or shelves, new things that are the product of inventive genius or of changing fashions. He keeps abreast of the market changes, but all his customers do not; hence they do not know what he has to sell.

In the larger cities of the United States everybody knows where the big department stores are, and still they spend hundreds of thousands of dollars in advertising. Every person in New York or Philadelphia knows where Wanamaker's is and what that department store has to sell, and still John Wanamaker uses almost a page every day in every one of the New York papers.

The same is true of Macy's, Gimbel's, Marshall Field's, in Chicago, and, in fact, of every department store in the country that does business and is making money.

"STEALING" CANE.

Away back years ago when middle-aged men were little boys, when population was not so thick in this country as now, when the cost of living was not so great as it is now, it was not considered so bad a thing to "steal" cane and watermelons. In fact, not one grower in a hundred of these delicious edibles ever paid any attention to the taking of a little cane or a melon now and then by the "possum hunters" and others. These depredations, once considered harmless, have gotten to be a nuisance in many thickly settled com-

munities. There is one man living on Route 1 a few miles north of Troup who told us the other day that he had been forced to quit growing sugar cane because the people of the community (he said town boys and others) stole so much of it that the growing of it was not profitable. A big cane grower on Route 5 told us this week that cane stealers in one single season did him \$200 worth of damage. They did this despite the fact that all during the syrup season he made it a rule to give cane to all who would come to his patch while he was there. He said that time after time buggy loads of cane would be taken away by town people coming out there to mill, some of the parties, when told to help themselves, taking as high as thirty of the best stalks they could find. But that was not the thing of which he most complained. The thing which he objects to most is that people not only from town, but from the country as well, will slip in to his patch at night—every night—and on Sunday, and steal cane in quantities so very large that the loss for a season would be equivalent to several bales of cotton. This writer has heard other growers making similar complaints. The grower on Route 5 advises us that already this season people are cutting and slashing and stealing his cane literally by the wagon load. He says that he cannot stand this always; and that if kindly warning and friendly requests will not keep the thieves away, he will be obliged to hire guards for night and day and see what virtue there is in powder and lead.

Cane can be had at a reasonable price in town—much cheaper than stealing it, we should think. Cane growers all over the country are making complaints like those we mention above. The time has passed when this thing of stealing cane may be indulged in with impunity. —Troup Banner.

A REAL TRAGEDY.

One of the greatest tragedies of every-day, real life is an honest young man struggling hard to earn a livelihood and save a few dollars, and having a foolish wife, who keeps his nose to the grindstone by her extravagant ideas of living and an effort to do society. It is the most discouraging thing in the world to a man to see day by day that every dollar he makes by struggling and planning is being thrown away by an unsympathetic wife.

The right kind of a man thinks as much of his credit as a woman does of her honor. When his business probity and credit are gone, he is an outcast from the world of men. He goes about the streets afraid to look his fellows in the face, and wherever he goes he feels the burden crushing the life out of him. He grows timid, loses his stamina and manhood, all because he is unable to meet his obligations.

The best years of his life are passing, and instead of laying up a bank account, he is going in debt to pay millinery and dress-making bills for society functions, carriages, long distance messages, expensive presents, fancy stationery, and grocery bills that are twice too high. The wife of a busy workingman holds the family pursestrings, and it rests largely with her whether they are to be poor, always poor, or have a bank account. It rests largely with her whether her husband is to live a happy, vigorous life, or to be harrowed almost into insanity by unpaid bills and a future which holds out no hope.

It pays young married people to be sensible. Save at least a part of the earnings, and live on the rest. The world will think infinitely more of them for doing this than it will for trying to live above their means

and make a weak show of having plenty of money to spend. There are men growing gray, nervous and stooped before their time just because their wives haven't the judgment to help them save their money and get a start.

All women are not this way by any means. Some men won't save when their wives would like to. A good woman, sensible and saving, sympathetic and loving, is the greatest blessing that ever came to a man.—Clebune Review.

SOME FAILURES.

A dozen failures sat and talked before the county jail; their early hopes this life had mocked—why do so many fail? Well, two of them had never learned their promises to keep; so by prosperity they are supposed as being false and cheap. And two of them are men afraid they'd earn more than they drew, so now they're loafing in the shade with naught on earth to do. And two of them had swollen heads—they knew more than their boss; so now they're lacking boards and beds, each one a total loss. Those who would talk an endless streak and whoop on their rights; they've been hungry for a week and have no roost at night, the two who're shedding tear for tear, are plunged in frightful woe, because' one time they didn't hear the evening whistle blow. The last two of this seedy flock show independence fine; when they're due at eight o'clock they'd not show up till nine. They all look cheap and in their pants they have no sign of kale; they're saying that they have had no chance. Why do so many fail?—Walt Mason.

The correct designing of a cotton warehouse is of much importance, because upon the construction of the warehouse depends the rate of insurance charged for cotton inside it. The average insurance rate, it is said, in the buildings now in use is as high as \$2 a year on \$100. In standard warehouses, properly protected by automatic sprinkler equipment, this rate could be reduced to 25 cents on \$100. It is a curious fact that many of the warehouses now in use cost more to build than if they had been made to conform to the standards.

Fifth Sunday Meeting.

Program of the Fifth Sunday meeting of the Neches River Baptist Association to convene with the Groveton Baptist church:

Friday, 8 p. m., introductory sermon by Brother Carter.

Saturday, 9:30 a. m., devotional by Brother Gus Thomas.

10 a. m., "If Christ Died for All Men, Why Are Not All Men Saved?" led by Brother T. M. Buller.

11 a. m., "Has the Ministry the Exclusive Right to Administer Baptism?" led by Brother G. W. Rice.

1:30 p. m., "Why Do We Administer Baptism?" led by Brother J. M. Carlton.

2:30 p. m., "Will a Church Prosper That Neglects to Carry Out the Scriptural Plan for Supporting the Gospel?" led by Brother J. C. Sullivan.

3:30 p. m., "Woman's Work in the Church," led by Sister T. M. Buller.

8 p. m., preaching by Brother J. C. Moore.

Sunday, 9 a. m., Sunday School massmeeting by Brother M. J. Wood.

11 a. m., missionary sermon, preaching supplied by committee.

2 p. m., question box, arranged by Sister Minnie D. Chandler and M. J. Wood.

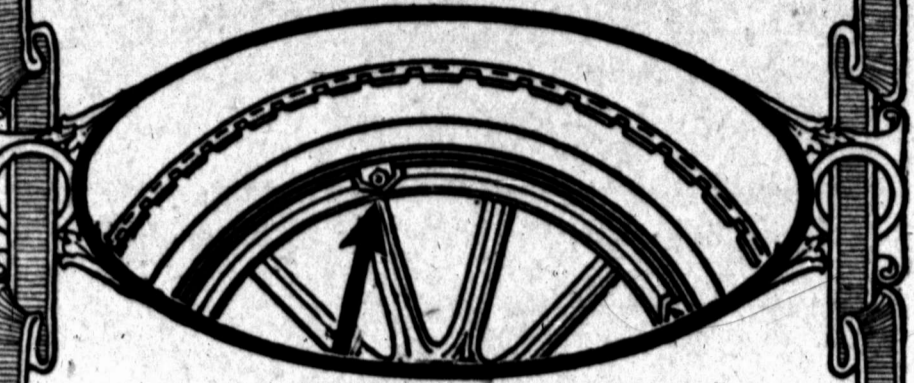
8 p. m., preaching, supplied.

Chronic Constipation.

"About two years ago when I began Chamberlain's Tablets I had been suffering for some time with stomach trouble—chronic constipation. My condition improved rapidly through the use of these tablets. Since taking four or five bottles of them my health has been fine," writes Mrs. John Newton, Irvan, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.—Adv.

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Origin of "Editor."

One of the most interesting verbal or philological trails that scholars now are following into the past for light on origins is that which has the word "editor" stamped upon it. Yale's authority on evolution of English speech, Professor Lounsbury, could find no earlier use of the term as applied to the chief writer and director of a periodical than in 1768, but there is evidence in the superb collection of British and American newspapers owned by the Antiquarian society, Worcester, Mass., that it was so used in 1761. The alleged use of the title in the Boston Newsletter of 1728 proves, on examination of the file in the Boston public library, to be inaccurate. Undoubtedly Isaiah Thomas, in 1773, spoke of himself as editor of the Royal American Magazine. The interesting point to be noted, while the hunters are busy on the trail, is that, relatively speaking, "editor" is a new word in journalism. "Printer" and "publisher" preceded it.—Christian Science Monitor.

Way of the Bluejay.

The bluejay—Cyanocitta cristata—a purely American bird. He is about twelve inches long, is light purplish blue above and grayish below. The collar and frontlet are black and the wings and tail ultramarine, barred, the outer tail feathers being tipped with white. What a graceful, beautiful bird this is, impertinent and noisy, his raucous scream followed by a chorale that sounds much like a mocking "Ha, ha, ha, oh, my." He is accused of robbing the farmer's corn crib, of sucking the eggs of other birds and even of tearing to pieces their young. The sportsman as he goes through the woods, gun in hand, thoroughly hates the jay, which is a kind of game warden, sounding an alarm to the other birds as their enemy approaches. Naturalists have placed him in the crow family despite his beautiful plumage, but his manners and his morals are more like those of the sparrow hawk.—Indianapolis News.

The Darkness Before Dawn.

It is proverbial that "the darkest hour precedes the dawn." W. F. Denning, the English authority on meteors, has recently called attention to the literal accuracy of this proverb, as established by his own observations on thousands of nights. He says:

"Before dawn a greater darkness seems to drop down like a mantle upon the immediate surroundings. Objects which were plainly observable during the previous hours of the night are blotted out, and a nervous feeling is sometimes induced by the dense opacity of the air."

He claims to have noticed this phenomenon when the subject was far from his thoughts, so that it could not have been purely subjective. He is unable to state the exact interval before sunrise when the remarkable darkness comes on, nor whether it is common to each season and sky conditions.

Wellington's Wounded.

It is difficult to realize the callousness toward the sick and wounded against which Wellington struggled in the peninsula. One evening at dinner he heard that at a post several miles away a large number of sick soldiers were lying in the open, exposed to the weather. He rode promptly to the place, found the sick in the plight described, while the healthy officers were in comfortable houses, and was told by the commanding officer that there was no accommodation for the sick. He instantly arranged in detail for the billeting of the sick in those houses, but, suspecting what might follow, paid a surprise visit the next night and found that the invalids had again been turned out into the open. Wellington immediately reinstated them, arrested the officers and had them tried and dismissed for disobedience.

The Clarity of Macaulay.

"Macaulay never wrote an obscure sentence in his life," said John Morley, and this is partly due to his exact use of words. There is never any doubt about his meaning. Macaulay began the use of Latin words at an early age. When four and a half years old he was asked if he had got over the toothache, to which question came this reply: "The agony is abated."—J. F. Rhodes in "Historical Essays."

His Luck.

Tom—I wish that I had Alfred's good luck. Dick—So he's generally lucky? Tom—Lucky! If he walked out of the window in his sleep at dead of night there would be another man going by below carrying a feather bed.—Exchange.

A Hint.

Stupid Professor—Miss Clara, decline the noun matrimony. Pretty Pupil—How can I decline it, professor, until I've had some proposals?—Baltimore American.

A Stayer.

"Mrs. Gabber is gifted with a sixth sense."

"And what is it, pray?"
"Inexhaustibility."—Buffalo Express.

Those who are greedy of praise prove that they are poor in merit.—Plutarch.

Why is the Sky Blue?

When a piece of iron is slowly heated in a flame it at first radiates heat, and as the frequency of the wave motions becomes greater it radiates light—first red rays, then yellow and finally, if the heat is very intense, a white light is emitted. The red rays are longer and of less frequency than the blue. When white light is passed through a prism the waves are acted upon and are separated. The red rays are diverted less from their previous direction than the violet. This is exemplified by light from a clear sky. Refracted by suspended particles in the air, the blue rays are diverted more than the others and give a blue appearance to the otherwise colorless clear sky.—Samuel S. Sadtler, S. B., in "Chemistry of Familiar Things."

"Good Morning."

It is customary in most countries to say "Good morning" as a greeting even when it isn't true. But the Englishman says "Beastly morning," and it generally is.—New York Independent.

Shaping the Head.

In New Caledonia heads of infants are squeezed into different shapes, the faces of boys being lengthened to look like warriors and the girls' faces made oval by pressing up the chin.

Baby Talk.

The first infant speech is the use of the consonants "m" and "r," "g" or "t" and the first words "mum" and "goo."

Unless what we do is useful our glory is vain.—Phaedrus.

A Little Problem.

If the telephone company charges 15 cents to carry your voice across the Hudson river, and if the telegraph company charges 25 cents to carry ten words across, and if the ferryboat charges 3 cents to carry your body across, and if the tunnels charge 7 cents for carrying your body under the Hudson river, and if the express companies charge 28 cents for carrying a 20 pound parcel across, and if the government charges 15 cents for carrying a 20 pound parcel across, compute the amount of logic in a square inch of modern civilization.—Life.

Macaulay and His Razors.

Macaulay was a self shaver—though not with a safety—and the woeful results are recorded in his biography. When he sailed for India and his chambers were cleared there were found between fifty and sixty strops, hacked into strips and splinters, and innumerable razors in every stage of disrepair. At one time he hurt his hand and had to go to the barber. After the operation he asked the charge. "Oh, whatever you usually give the person who shaves you," was the answer. "In that case," said Macaulay, "I should give you a great gash on either cheek."—London Mirror.

The Alpaca.

In spite of attempts to introduce the alpaca into countries away from its native habitat, failure has attended them. It is rarely found below an altitude of 5,000 feet. Its wool is of an exceedingly fine luster and quality and occasionally attains a length of six inches.

Anne of Russia's Ice Palace.

Probably the most remarkable building constructed wholly of ice was the palace built on the Neva by the Czarina Anne of Russia. Large blocks of ice were cut and squared with great care and laid on one another by skillful masons, who cemented the joints with water, which immediately froze. The building, when completed, was fifty-six feet long, seventeen and one-half feet broad and twenty-one feet high. It was of but one story. The facade contained a door surmounted by an ornamental pediment and six windows, the frames and panes of which were all of ice. An elaborate balustrade, adorned with statues, ran along the top of the facade and another balustrade surrounded the building at the level of the ground. The grounds were further adorned with a life size figure of an elephant, with his mahout on his back. A stream of water was thrown from the elephant's trunk by day and a flame of naphtha by night. A test of ice contained a hot bath, in which persons actually bathed. There were also several cannons and mortars of ice, which were loaded with bullets of ice and iron and discharged.

Bullet Stopping Tricks.

Five feet of clay, three feet of loose earth, or two and a half feet of sand will stop a modern rifle bullet at the closest range; but, curiously enough, as the layman may think, ramming earth hard reduces its resisting power, and high velocity bullets have less penetration in sand at short than at medium range. Eighteen inches of sand between boards is bullet proof, also nine inches of well built brick work.

Soft wood, like fir, across the grain is bullet proof at point blank range if forty-eight inches thick, or at 500 yards if half as thick. Similarly, twenty-seven inches of hard wood, like oak, is point blank proof, or fifteen inches at 500 yards. Half an inch of wrought iron or mild steel, a quarter of an inch of hard steel, or a fifth of an inch of special steel is bullet proof. So are six inches of shingle, fifteen inches of coal, or, as some people may be surprised to know, eight feet of snow.—London Express.

Napkin Rings.

But for the napkin rings. They are relics of a departed age, reminders of the era of the Saturday night bath, the old folks' concerts and the painted panoramas of the Nile. They abide now in out of the way corners, tarnished and forgotten, bands of old silver, often affectionately inscribed at the command of givers long since turned to dust. They are the sort of reminders of a gentler but less fastidious generation that we do not like to part with except for some good reason and have no desire to keep. The serial napkin went long ago. To the melting pot, by all means, with the rings, and that they may melt up into millions of dollars' worth of silver is our sincere wish.—New York Times.

The Cigarmaker's Luxury.

Besides the privilege of having newspapers and novels read to him while he works, the Cuban cigarmaker demands another indulgence—that of cheering his labors with cigars provided by the firm. Every morning six high grade wrappers are handed to him for his own use, and in these he holds as much as he likes of the tobacco supplied him for the day's work. The cigars thus made and consumed are said to cost the Havana tobacco industry a sum of close on \$250,000 a year. The head of one great firm once declared that he would willingly make over his factory and plantations to his employees if in return they undertook to give him the cigars they rolled for themselves.

The Slav Race.

History has contributed to separate the two masses of Slavs. The Mongol yoke for two centuries introduced Asiatic customs among the Russian Slavs. The Turkish yoke for many centuries and down to our own times influenced the character and customs of the Bulgars and Serbs. On the other hand, the Latin Slavs followed the historical evolutions of the occident—they were with Godfrey de Bouillon at the crusades, they were touched with the flame of the renaissance, they have had their part in the development of modern thought.—Literary Digest.

The Loon a Good Diver.

As a diver the loon excels, and naturally, for it is his sole means of livelihood. Not only is he marvelously quick, but he can remain under water for a seemingly endless time. In swimming under water he uses both wings and feet and can go for several hundred yards in this fashion. The loon, like many other waterfowl, sleeps on the water with his head tucked under his wing.

Mostly Himself.

"I hear he brought back some interesting views of foreign places."
"Yes; he has photos of himself standing on London bridge, himself leaning against the leaning tower of Pisa and himself in front of the pyramids."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Not Spotless.

"I will have no one in my employ who is not above suspicion. Can you offer me a spotless character?"
"No, ma'am; it got some ink spilt on it."—Baltimore American.

Looking Backward.

Do you remember the time when you wanted a girl's picture more than anything else in the world?—Pittsburgh Post.

No man ever wetted clay and then left it, as if there would be bricks by chance and fortune.—Plutarch.

The Cheapest Paper.

London used to possess the cheapest journal ever published. It was called the Six-a-Penny; or, Penny-a-Week Town and Country Daily Newspaper, and subscribers of 1 penny weekly had the paper delivered to them every day, while single copies were a farthing.

Unhappiness.

They who have never known prosperity can hardly be said to be unhappy. It is from the remembrance of joys we have lost that the arrows of affliction are pointed.—Emile Zola.

His Own Sweet Self.

Bix—Who do you consider your best friend, the one who would do the most for you?
Dix—My wife's husband.—Boston Transcript.

Got Even.

Mabel—Marry him! Why, his grandfather kept pigs! Edith—I know. He told me that your grandfather stole two of them.—New York Globe.

FASHION SHOW AT THE FAIR



Dallas: Wit a Style and Fashion Show in the Coliseum the nights of Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of the first week, with fifteen beautiful girls modeling the very latest creations in women's wear of both foreign and domestic artists, the 1915 State Fair of Texas, which opens Saturday, October 16, and closes Sunday, October 31, promises to be of exceptional interest to those of the fair sex, who are consistent State Fair patrons and who appreciate attractions of real worth and of a notable character.

The State Fair management has closed a contract with Miss May Tulley of New York to bring to Dallas her fifteen famous models, whose latest showing of Fall and Winter fashions took place in the Palace Theater, New York, and was commented on by the press as one of the great ultra events of the season.

The great stage in Fair Park Coliseum will be utilized for this fashion showing; and arrangements will be made so that the models can walk amidst the audience and each detail of their attire studied at leisure. There will also be child models showing children's clothes—of exceptional interest to mothers.

Each of the fifteen girl models will make at least three changes and some five during the course of the evening. They will show all the new Fall effects, including morning costumes, afternoon dresses, separate clothes of all sorts, and evening gowns, wedding dresses and negligees.

Miss Tulley, who is a very clever and able woman, requires an hour and a half for this wonderful showing, which includes appropriate costumes for maid-servants and man-servants. "Fifteen of the most beautiful models in the world displaying the latest modes of what My Lady wears from rising to retiring," explains in a nut-

shell this unusual offering.

The programs are so arranged as to attract unusual interest, each of the models being heralded apropos of her attire. For instance: "My Lady of the International Cup," appears in a polo suit; "My Lady of the Saddle" in equestrian attire; and then "My Lady of Fifth Avenue" appears and is followed by "A Broadway Girl." There will be brides and bridesmaids all appropriately gowned; an exquisite showing of opera dresses and wraps; afternoon gowns, dancing gowns. Lady visitors will be especially delighted with a Silver Foam Dress, a Fire Fly Dress, a Pastel Gown and a Lily Gown. These and hundreds of other beautiful creations will be shown in settings all their own.

It is unnecessary to state that all the essentials necessary to carry out this unusual offering have not been overlooked. Riding horses and ponies, special scenery, automobiles, etc., are all utilized.

WRECK OF TRAIN IS BLAMED ON BANDITS.

Three United States Soldiers, Engineer
and Several Passengers Reported
Killed.

Brownsville, Tex., Oct. 18.—A southbound passenger train on the St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico Railroad to-night was wrecked six and a half miles from Brownsville by supposed Mexican bandits, and the engineer, several passengers and three United States soldiers are reported killed by the bandits in the wreck. A negro reached his home, four miles from Brownsville, and gave the first report of the wreck and killings. Four companies of United States infantry were rushed to the scene by special train, followed by two troops of cavalry.

The Mexican bandits are reported to have been passengers, and on arriving at Olmito began shooting at other passengers. They then set fire to the train, which was still burning at 2 o'clock.

PREDICTS COTTON WILL SELL AT 20C.

Congressman Thomas J. Heflin of Alabama Expects Staple to Soar.

Washington, Oct. 10.—Should the American cotton market go to 20c per pound, as predicted by Thos. J. Heflin, member of congress from Alabama, it would be the best performance since the crop of 1871 was placed on the sampling tables. The reduction of the 1915 crop to a little less than 11,000,000 bales, the shortage of crops in India, Egypt and Russia, and the heavy demand for cotton throughout the world are conditions which, Mr. Heflin says, he would not be surprised to see bring cotton to the happy figure indicated. It is indicated, however, that the restrictive methods originally applied to the planting of cotton in Egypt have been removed. By government edict, through the Egyptian council of ministers, planters were held to one-third of the previous year's acreage. In view of the marked reduction in the American crop, the curtailment in Russia, as well as the demand, the embargo has been removed, according to information to the department of commerce from Cairo, and planting up to 100 per cent or more may be followed.

U. D. C. Notes.

Mrs. E. L. Simpson and daughter, Mrs. Ada Shupak, were charming hostesses to the U. D. C's Saturday, September 25.

The meeting was opened with prayer and an opportunity for the payment of dues was offered. The regular business meeting followed. A rising vote of thanks was given those who in anyway assisted with the entertainment of the "Crockett Boys" while in our city. The Chapter voted \$2 toward the purchase of a victrola for the Soldiers' Home at Austin.

The historical subject for the day was Tennessee. Mrs. Nunn conducting the lesson.

A paper on the life of Caroline Meriwether Goodlet, founder of the U. D. C's, was read. Mrs. Goodlet was a relative of Dr. Meriwether of this place, also the Tunstall family, so well known.

A paper was read on Gen. Hood. Miss Bella Lipscomb furnished a most delightful piano number, and little Evelyn Brown sang most charmingly "Bonnie Sweet Bessie."

At the close of the program refreshments were served and those present voted with one accord a most pleasant afternoon. Mrs. G. Q. King entertains October 30th.

Miss Minnie Craddock,
Secretary.

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Tagore's Fame in India.

As showing something of Rabindranath Tagore's fame in his native India, Ernest Rhys tells the following story in his biography of Tagore:

"Mr. Montague, the undersecretary of state for India, was on one occasion riding through an Indian forest at night when he came upon a clearing where two or three men sat around the fire. Not being certain of the road," says Mr. Rhys, "he was glad to dismount and rest his tired horse. Shortly after he had joined the group a poor looking, ill clothed lad came out of the forest and sat down also at the fire. First one of the men sang a song and then another. The boy's turn came, and he sang a song more beautiful both in words and music than the rest. When asked who had made the song he said that he did not know, they were singing these songs everywhere. A while after Mr. Montague heard the words that he had used again, this time in a very different place, and when he asked for the name of the maker of the song he heard for the first time the name of Rabindranath Tagore."

Care of the Mouth.

The use of a tooth wash does not approach the conditions of a laboratory test, though there can be little doubt that a good deal of germicidal work in the mouth is done by the vigorous application of the toothbrush, and it may be pointed out that the tongue may well be included in the process. To be effective, however, the action of all antiseptics takes time, according to the vitality of the organisms they encounter, and usually the tooth brushing process does not occupy many seconds. This question of time exposure is important, but it is very generally overlooked and consequently the antiseptic treatment of the teeth falls short of that effectiveness which is shown to be the case in laboratory experiments. The tooth washing process should be more prolonged and the antiseptic wash allowed to remain in contact with the teeth and gums for some minutes instead of seconds before finally washing the mouth clear of antiseptic with plain water.—London Lancet.

His Yallerweed.

Many persons are under the impression that America has few, if any, native plants worthy of cultivation in the home garden. They have been accustomed to look upon them as weeds and wild things, and so unfamiliar are they with native flowers that they fail to recognize them when they meet them outside their native haunts. A writer tells how he transplanted a stalk of goldenrod from a fence corner in the pasture to a place in his garden. It flourished luxuriantly and sent up

many stalks as high as a man's head, each crowned with a great plume of brilliant flowers. A neighbor was attracted by the beauty of the plant and declared it must have cost its owner some dollars. When told, however, that numbers of the same plant were flourishing behind his barn he exclaimed: "What! You mean to tell me it's yallerweed!" And he went away with the air of one who had been imposed upon.—Country Gentleman.

Thievery in Chile.

The Chilean masses have a bad name for larceny. In Chilean ports ship passengers are warned to lock their cabin doors, and loaded lighters have to be guarded at night. Chilean stokers will saw through the bulkhead into the vessel's hold, steal goods and hide them in the coal bunkers till the night after they arrive in port, when they find opportunity to lower them overboard to a confederate in a boat under cover of darkness. Harbor thieves will even cut a hole in the bow of a vessel and make off with boatloads of freight. The Germans of southern Chile have the worst opinion of Chilean honesty, and in Santiago I was bidden notice the high walls and grated windows of the houses of the better class.—Professor Edward Alsworth Ross in "South of Panama."

Defining a Batman.

What is a batman? The term seems to be a military one. It apparently means the driver or manager of pack horses. A bat horse is a pack horse which carries officers' luggage. "Bat" is a pack saddle and, like so many military words, it is French. There is a common French proverb, "C'est la que le bat le blesse"—"That is where the saddle hurts," or, as we say, "where the shoe pinches."—Manchester Guardian.

Great Name.

"Who is that long haired fellow at the other table?"
"That is Bazzyvaynskritz, the famous Russian pianist. He has made a great name for himself."
"Must have made it out of barbed wire, didn't he?"—Exchange.

Anxious Waiting.

Detective (2 a. m.)—Hey, youse! Wotcher hanging around this 'ere front door fer? Supposed burglar—I'm waiting for th' lady inside to git asleep. We're married.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Getting it Right.

"Mrs. Clinck thinks a great deal of her husband."
"You've got the wrong proposition. Make it 'for' instead of 'of.'"—Brownings' Magazine.

Submarine Badge.

As a crown is the badge of kings, as three balls are the badge of pawnbrokers, so the badge of a submarine officer is a handful of cotton waste. When the half dozen officers of a modern submarine, clad in their black leather water-proof suits, come aboard a sailor stands on the tiny gangway to receive them, and to each he hands his waste rolled in a neat ball. The reason is that the steel doors and steel walls of a submarine sweat oil eternally. The steel seats sweat oil. The submarine officer before opening a door or before sitting down wipes the oil from the knob or from the seat with an unconscious gesture like that of pulling up the trousers to keep them from bagging. Jovial young submarine lieutenants say that even the dishes sweat oil on a submarine trip. They say that before filling their plates with meat they mechanically wipe the oil from them with their balls of oily waste.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Sharp Distinction.

A merited rebuke is not always a rebuke courteous. The rebuke that was administered to a party of intruding tourists by the old watchman who was set to guard the ruins of College hall at Wellesley not long after the great fire conveyed a keen but subtle reproach.

"Ye've got to keep out!" he ordered gruffly when he caught them trying to slip under the ropes that surrounded the crumbling walls.

The inquisitive visitors paused and eyed first the ruins and then their determined guardian.

"See here," a callow youth accosted him; "we're willing to risk it, and we'll take all the responsibility. What do you care if we lose our lives?"

"Ye've got to keep out. I ain't thinkin' of your lives; I'm thinkin' of me job."—Youth's Companion.

Nothing to Wear.

There are women who live to dress, and the more frequent and radical the changes are the better they like it. If their pocketbooks can stand it, no great harm is done. But the great majority of women can't afford to keep up with this pace. The result is that some stay at home because their clothes are not in the latest style, many are made unhappy, and others keep up with the procession, it matters not what may be the cost.

If a man can wear the same dress suit for eight or ten years and not look like a freak, why is it not possible to design an evening gown for women that will be in good style as long as it may be worn? It is absurd to hear a woman say, "I haven't a thing to wear," when she may have a half dozen gowns all in good condition.—Frances Frear in Leslie's.

Napoleon Used Milton's Tactics.

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle is not the first English author whose writings have been studied for hostile ends by his country's enemies. Napoleon assured Sir Colin Campbell at Elba that he greatly admired "Paradise Lost" and had read it to some purpose. The plan of Austerlitz was borrowed from book 6 of that work, where Satan brings his artillery to bear upon Michael and his angelic host with such direful effect:
Training his devilish engines, impoled
On every side with shadowy squadrons
To hide the fraud.

This mode of warfare appeared to Napoleon so likely to succeed if applied to actual use that he determined upon its adoption and succeeded beyond his expectations. By reference to the details of the battle of Austerlitz it will be found to assimilate so completely with Milton's imaginary fight as to bear out the emperor's assertion.—London Chronicle.

Why Men Eat More Food Than Women.

That men eat 5 or 6 per cent more than women—not because they are gluttons, but because they actually require that much more nourishment—appears as a result of an investigation made in the nutrition laboratory of the Carnegie Institute at Washington by Francis G. Benedict and L. E. Eames, says the Literary Digest. The reason for the discrepancy seems to be that women have a smaller proportion of active tissue than men of the same weight and more inactive material, such as fat. The investigation disclosed that the average woman generates only 1,355 heat units in the twenty-four hours as against 1,638 produced by the man, or about 2 per cent more for the latter per pound of body weight. When groups were compared after careful selection of individuals of nearly the same height and weight the men were found to produce about 12 per cent more heat than women.

Marriage Superstitions.

In some parts of Germany the duties of the bridesmaids are tinged with superstition. It is one of their duties on the morning of the marriage day to carry to the bride a myrtle wreath for which they had subscribed on the previous evening. This they place on her head and at night remove it, when it is placed in the bride's hand, she being at the time blindfolded. The bridesmaids then dance round her, while she endeavors to place the wreath on one of their heads. Whoever is fortunate enough to be thus decorated will, it is believed, be a wife before another year has passed. In removing the bridal wreath and veil the bridesmaids are careful to throw away every pin or the bride will be overtaken by misfortune, while any unwary bridesmaid who retains one will lessen her chances of marriage.—Dundee Advertiser.

The Meteoric Hypothesis.

The nebular hypothesis of La Place has been abandoned in favor of the meteoric hypothesis of Lockyer and planetesimal hypothesis of Chamberlain. All suns, planets and moons, by these two nearly identical theories, were made by the falling in from space of small cosmic bodies, such as the meteors now falling on the earth.

Trillions of years ago there was a meteor moving in space. It is now in the center of the earth. Another meteor joined this by collision, then another, and this falling in is now going on at a vastly diminished rate, so that comparatively few are now coming in, as may be seen on almost any clear night.—Edgar Lucien Larkin in New York American.

White Man's Graveyard.

Africa is a remarkably beautiful country. Its coast lines are picturesque, graceful, fascinating, alluring. Its seaport towns and cities are usually clean, pretty and reasonably healthful. Equatorial Africa has, until the last two decades, been called the white man's graveyard, but clean living, quinine, mosquito netting, sobriety and sanitary improvements have made Africa a place where one can not only exist, but live in as much comfort, take it all in all during the year, as in the city of New York.—New York Telegram.

Stale Candy.

Stale candy can generally be worked over by reboiling. In the case of acid candies, such as lemon drops, the candy is boiled, the acid is withdrawn by the use of lime or chalk, and the sirup may then be used in the manufacture of that or any other species of candy.

Taking Up Time.

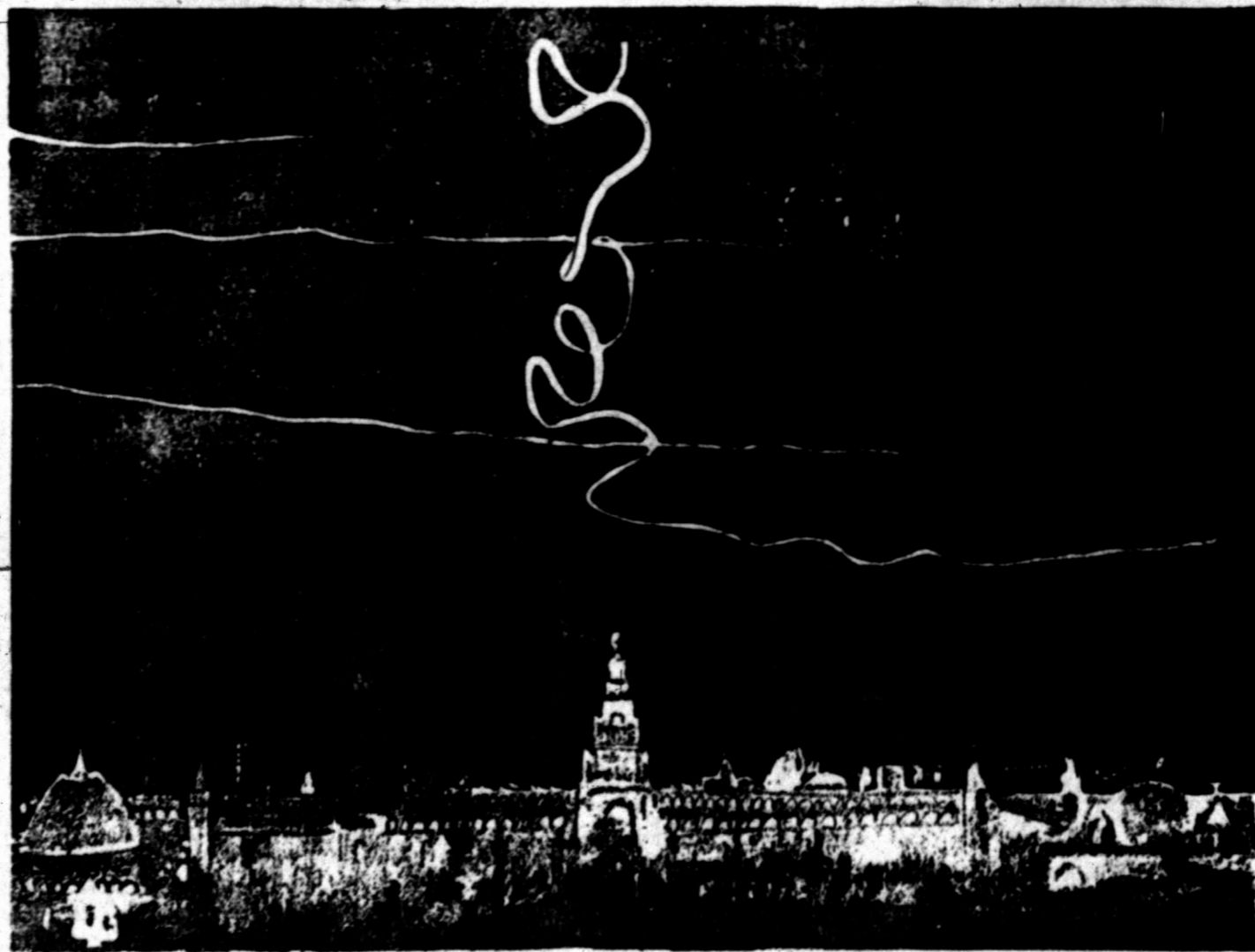
"I like to have my friends extend their congratulations," said the newly appointed public official.

"Yes?"
"But that last caller extended his over an hour and a half."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Refined It.

"Here's a dealer advertises a sale of hereditary mahogany furniture."
"Just what does he mean by that?"
"That's merely a polite way of saying secondhand."—Pittsburgh Post.

ART SMITH AT STATE FAIR



Dallas: The actual courting of death high in the air, the thrilling convolutions and daring of an airman who has no conception of fear, will be among the spectacular features of the coming State Fair of Texas, October 16-31 and is expected to attract thousands of visitors.

Men and women will be fascinated; they will be fairly hypnotized by the things that go on over their heads. This fact can be easily appreciated and anticipated when it is announced that Art Smith, the prince of all daring flyers will be here.

Smith's work has eclipsed even that of the late lamented Beachey, who last year gave State Fair visitors the classiest exhibition of flying ever wit-

nessed in Texas.

Smith goes further than Beachey did. Beachey turned five loops in succession one afternoon, while thousands watched him from the ground with gaping mouths; momentarily expecting to see his machine dashed to the earth.

Smith has turned as many as thirty somersaults without stopping. He did so not long ago over the grounds of the Panama-Pacific Exposition, San Francisco. He romped here and there, his machine doing things that a human form on ground probably could not accomplish; and a badly frightened crowd looked on and wondered when the drop would come. But he got away with it and he is alive, very

much alive. In view of the fact that he did accomplish the things he did, he is going to try them again on State Fair visitors.

Smith will be seen on six nights of the Fair presenting his famous fireworks flights, in which, while looping the loop, and doing other death-defying stunts, he throws from his machine a gorgeous array of fireworks.

Dallas: The allegorical play representing various industries of Texas to be produced at the State Fair beginning Oct. 16, has been placed in the hands of Mrs. Lucile Chilton Woodward for dramatic instructions. Fifty young ladies of Dallas will be chosen to represent Texas enterprises.

SINGLE-STALK COTTON.

Advantages, Under Certain Conditions, in Increased Earliness and Greater Yields.

Single-stalk cotton culture has proved more satisfactory than other systems of culture in various sections of the cotton belt and under certain conditions because it has been found that it promotes earliness and increases the acre yield. In regions which have short seasons or are infested with the boll weevil increased earliness is a factor of especial importance.

Two principles are involved in single-stalk cotton culture, namely, late thinning and short spaces between the rows. The late thinning suppresses the vegetative branches and restricts the size of the plants so that they can be left from 6 to 12 inches apart without injurious crowding. This enables the row space to be utilized more efficiently, and higher yields in consequence are obtained than from the common system of wide spacing.

The increased earliness of single-stalk culture is due to the fact that large, luxuriant plants are later in setting and maturing the crop than plants of more restricted growth. In the region of San Antonio drought and the ravages of the boll weevil so shorten the season that ordinarily a cotton crop must be set in about one month. Under such circumstances single-stalk culture possesses advantages that can not be overlooked.

In Department Bulletin No. 279, the results of recent experiments conducted by the department at San Antonio in single-stalk cotton culture are set forth in some detail. The single-stalk and wide-spaced systems of culture were compared in alternate single rows, in alternate blocks of four rows each, and again in alternating rows 3, 4, 5 and 6 feet apart. The plants were thinned early, late, and very late to various distances apart. The results of these experiments showed that while there were fewer bolls on the single-stalk plants, the difference was more than made good by the greater number of plants in the single-stalk rows.

Flour Mills Doing Well.

During last fall and the early part of this year a strong effort was made to have a custom flour mill erected at Wills Point. Among the towns that were successful in securing such institutions were Jacksonville and Kemp, and many of our readers will doubtless be interested to learn of the success that has come to these business ventures.

A recent issue of the Jacksonville Banner has the following reference to the mill at that place: "The flour mill operated here by the Jacksonville Grain and Commission Company has proven such a great success that the company has recently decided to order another mill exactly like the one now in use, thereby doubling the capacity. Fifty barrels is the present capacity, and this is to be increased 100 barrels a day. The new machinery has already been ordered and will be installed within the next thirty days. Certain changes and alterations will be necessary to make room for the new mill, but the exact nature of these has not yet been entirely worked out. Jacksonville ought to be proud of this concern and of its success. It is giving employment to quite a number of people and as its business increases it will have a much larger payroll. We know from personal experience that they are turning out a fine grade of flour and all of their products rank high with the trade."

The Kemp News of the same week contained the following reference to the Kemp mill: "Kemp has

a flour mill that grinds on the custom plan, as is known far and near, and this little mill which has a capacity of twenty-five barrels a day is being kept busy day and night and will continue to run this way for some time, judging from the amount of business it is getting. Up to last Saturday night the mill had ground 3,308 bushels of wheat and has been running continually since, which brings the turnout further up the line. If you will stop and figure up how much flour this amount of wheat will make you will see what the people of this country and surrounding countries have done in the bread line. In other words, there is just as much flour that will not have to be shipped in and before the mill stops running there will be three times this much ground. In other words, garden spot farmers are moving the source of flour from Kansas to their homes and when they move their smokehouses home they will also be better off."—Wills Point Chronicle.

Civilized Warfare.

Civilized warfare! The idea of such a thing! Where did it come from? We imagine that every monkey in the grove smiles when our leaders are quibbling as to how the greatest number of men may be killed in the most polite way. What difference does it make to a dead soldier what kind of a weapon he was killed with? What difference would it make to his weeping widow if the bullet had been soaked in perfume? What difference would it make to his starving children whether he was shot full of holes with hard bullets or riddled with soft bullets? Would it make any difference to a German soldier and his family if a French soldier would politely remark just before killing him: "Excuse me, monsieur, for taking your life, but I am going to do so in a nice manner. I will shoot you with a pretty steel jacket bullet." The object of war is to grant people a legal right to conduct hell on earth; to mangle and kill men; to destroy the fruits of human toil; to cause poverty, hunger, misery, and the innocent must come in for a large share of the evil effects of this civilized warfare. Multitudes of men who opposed it must suffer. Thousands of women who had nothing whatever to do with bringing it on—and would have prevented it if such a thing had been possible—must bear with as many hardships as many of the men under arms contend with. Even babes, yet rocked in cradles, must suffer while the civilized warfare is being waged, and later, when they have attained the working age, they must aid in paying the war debt.—Big Springs Herald.

Recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"Last winter I used a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a bad bronchial cough. I felt its beneficial effect immediately and before I had finished the bottle I was cured. I never tire of recommending this remedy to my friends," writes Mrs. William Bright, Ft. Wayne, Ind. Obtainable everywhere.—Adv.

Two Children Had Croup.

The two children of J. W. Nix, Cleveland, Ga., had croup. He writes: "Both got so choked up they could hardly breathe. I gave them Foley's Honey and Tar and nothing else and it completely cured them." Contains no opiates. Cures the phlegm, opens air passages. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

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Patent-Medicine Manufacturers Proceeded Against Fraudulent Claims as to Curative Powers.

More than half a hundred legal actions have been terminated successfully under the Sherley Amendment to the Food and Drugs Act, which prohibits false and fraudulent claims as to the curative or therapeutic effects of drugs or medicines. Criminal prosecutions against the manufacturers were brought in 25 cases, but in 31 instances the falsely and fraudulently labeled medicines were seized while in interstate commerce. Claims made by the manufacturers for the curative powers of these preparations ranged from tuberculosis, smallpox and diphtheria to coughs, colds and scalp diseases. A number of other criminal prosecutions and seizures are pending in various Federal courts throughout the United States because of alleged violations of the Sherley Amendment similar to those which have already been tried. The officials charged with the enforcement of the Food and Drug Act are of the opinion that the evils of the patent-medicine business can be stopped only by the most drastic action.

It is pointed out that traffic in medicines for which false and fraudulent claims are made is not only an economic fraud of the worst kind, in that a worthless preparation that costs but a few cents is frequently sold for a dollar or more a bottle, but that health and even life are endangered by failure to secure the service of a physician in such serious diseases as tuberculosis, diphtheria, pneumonia and scarlet fever until too late, because reliance may have been placed in the curative powers of some worthless preparation which is claimed to be a never-failing remedy. The deluded victim may not realize his danger until the disease has reached a stage too far advanced for even the ablest physicians to cope with it. Effective treatment depends in most cases on applying it during the early stages of the disease.

Petition for Discharge.

United States of America, Eastern District of Texas, ss. In the United States District Court in and for said district, Tyler division.

In the matter of H. M. Barbee, bankrupt. No. 1906 in Bankruptcy. Petition for Discharge.

To the Honorable Gordon Russell, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Texas: H. M. Barbee of Lovelady, in the county of Houston and state of Texas, in said district, respectfully represents that on the 24th day of July, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the Act of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Bankrupt Acts, except such debts as are excepted by our law from such discharge.

Dated this 17th day of September, A. D. 1915.

H. M. Barbee, Bankrupt.

ORDER OF NOTICE THEREON.

Eastern District of Texas, ss:

On this 14th day of October, A. D. 1915, on reading the foregoing petition, it is ordered by the court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 15th day of November, A. D. 1915, at the office of J. W. Fitzgerald, Referee in Bankruptcy, at Tyler, Texas, in said district, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Crockett Courier, a newspaper printed in

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said district, and all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further agreed by the court that the clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order ad-

dressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the Hon. Gordon Russell, judge of the said court, and the seal thereof, at Tyler, Texas, in the said district on the 14th day of October, A. D. 1915.

(Seal of the Court) Attest:

J. R. Blades, Clerk.

By H. C. Blades, Deputy.

Cold Weather Specials!

This week we have received a big shipment of Comforts and Blankets that are priced from 75c to **\$10.00**

Also lots of new Ginghams and Outings priced from 5c per yard up to **12 1-2c**

One lot table linen, worth 35c, will be on sale for, per yard **19c**

Linen table napkins, worth 75c per dozen, on sale for **50c**

One lot of Linen Window Shades, worth 35c, that are to be closed out at **19c**



This week we are expecting a shipment of Ladies' Coats and Coat Suits. These are just from the hands of the makers, and you can be sure they are correct in style. Priced from \$10.00 up to **\$25.00**

Also have lots of new Skirts that are priced from \$2.50 up to **\$10.00**

One lot of colored Outing, worth 71-2c per yard, to be closed out at **5c**

Men's blue work Shirts, special in this sale for **35c**

C. P. O'BANNON

MILLINERY AND EVERYTHING ELSE YOU WEAR

"The Ball-Bearing Silent Eight"



The Noiseless Typewriter

Produces the best in typewriting with the least noise and wear. The DECIMAL TABULATOR, together with several other distinct features just added, makes this machine all that one could wish for in a writing machine. Prices and terms are reasonable.

J. G. BEASLEY, AGENT

The Crockett Courier

Issued weekly from the Courier Building.

W. W. AIKEN, Editor and Proprietor.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Chandler of Houston were pleasant callers at this office Friday morning and arranged for the Courier to visit them at Houston. Mr. Chandler is secretary of the Houston Progressive League.

The Courier acknowledges receipt of an invitation and tickets to the San Angelo fair, November 2 to 6 inclusive. Purses and premiums are \$9000. Also the compliments of and honorary membership in the San Angelo commercial club.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sowers and little daughter of Lovelady Route 1 were shopping in Crockett Wednesday. Mr. Sowers called to renew his own subscription and that of his brother, J. B. Sowers. He said he found Crockett a good market to trade in.

Result of Industry and Economy.

Judge Hopkins, a negro farmer living on Route 5, called at this office Tuesday to pay for another year's subscription and to let the Courier know what he had done this year. He had just sold a bale of cotton and the seed for \$95, which was his third, and he has a remnant left. He said he had made his crop at a cash expense of \$26 and that he had more than enough feed to run him next year; that after pay-

ing his debts he had enough money left to run him another year, and that he had finished paying for his place. What he has done shows what any other negro may do through industry and economy.

For the benefit of those who may not know that the Courier does any kind of printing from type, perhaps we will be pardoned for stating that those beautiful souvenir programs for the Methodist church pipe organ dedicatory services were made in the Courier office.

You Can't Make Money

By giving all your attention to marketing and none to buying. It is equally as important to buy right as to sell right. You can make money by giving only a part of your attention to the business announcements in each and every issue of the Crockett Courier.

The manager for the county exhibit department of the Houston carnival was here this week to see the progress of Houston county's exhibit. He was well pleased with what he saw, but admitted that the exhibit needed touching up in a few places. Agricultural products are wanted. Who has the best? Bring them in.

No Limit.

When it comes to the price of your prescription, some druggists consider the clear blue sky the limit as to how high they should charge you. Lots of soft talk about scientific work and the drugs being chemically pure is all the satisfaction you get when you slide him a dollar and fifty cents for a small bottle of medicine. You say, "That's too much, Mr. Druggist." He says, "That's filled just right," and you are frequently paying twice as much as you ought to pay. Try us for a reasonable price. 1t. Crockett-Drug Company.

Peace to His Ashes.

There is not a man of his acquaintance who will not regret to learn of the death of Mr. J. H. McDougald, which occurred at his home near Creek last Thursday. He belonged to the old-school type, and a man truer to his friends there never was. He leaves sons and daughters, but his wife had preceded him in death. He was a veteran of the Confederate cause, and his life was that of a Christian devoted to his God and his country. Peace to his ashes!

The Turnip Patch.

W. B. Lanham, horticulturist of the Extension Department of the A. M. College, says the turnip louse may be controlled by spraying with a mixture of one pound of ordinary laundry soap dissolved in seven gallons of hot water. This spray must actually touch the insect to be effective and as they are on the bottom of the leaf it is necessary to use a crook on the spray nozzle. These crooks may be obtained of dealers. Do the spraying carefully and repeat as often as necessary.

For Indigestion.

Never take pepsin and preparations containing pepsin or other digestive ferments for indigestion, as the more you take the more you will have to take. What is needed is a tonic like Chamberlain's Tablets that will enable the stomach to perform its functions naturally. Obtainable everywhere.—Adv.

Highest aim is quality. It Relieves, Purifies and Strengthens. Take Admirine Tonic Sarsaparilla when your blood is out of order and your system needs strengthening. Take Admirine Tonic Sarsaparilla when you are troubled with Malaria and are having Chills and Fever. Admirine Tonic Sarsaparilla stops Chills and Fever promptly, relieves the system of Malaria, Purifies the Blood and restores Vitality to the weakened body. Price \$1.00 per bottle. Ask for it. For sale by Crockett Drug Co.

A Conversation Overheard in Lovelady the Other Day.

As two farmers met on the street one says:

"Where are you going?"

"Why, I am going over to Satterwhite's to get another sack of that Big C flour."

"Yes, you know that's the best flour ever shipped to Lovelady."

"Yes, and he is selling it for only \$1.65, every sack guaranteed."

"That's nothing. Look here! Here is a pair of shoes he sold me for for \$3.00 that you can't buy any place in Lovelady for less than \$4.00."

"It beats the world, doesn't it?"

"Well, Mitch says he got them to sell."

"Well, he sure will sell them at that price." 2t.

Will Filed for Probate.

The will of the late W. E. Mayes has been filed for probate in the county court of Houston county. The estate is estimated at \$125,000, and is bequeathed as follows: One-half to the wife, Sarah Elizabeth Mayes; one-half to the step-son, W. V. Clark, and to the children of the step-son, J. B. Clark, who are Ernest E. Clark, Carrie Clark Hobson and Willie Mae Clark. The testator provides for \$2,500 for monuments for himself and wife to be paid out of the estate before division is made. The will is dated February 23, 1911, and is witnessed by Arch Baker and M. P. Jensen.

Phone for Drugs

You may often want drugs when it is inconvenient or impossible to come for them.

Our free delivery system enables you to have just what you want when you want it.

Cultivate the telephone habit. It always saves time and often saves needless annoyance or suffering.

Phone 47 or 140—we'll do the rest.

Bishop Drug Company
The Prompt Service Store

Local News.

Phone No. 29 your grocery order.

Drugs and jewelry at the Rexall Store.

Harry Fred Moore has returned from Waco.

Place your order now for flower pots with Johnson Arledge. It.

Cotton was bringing 12c and up and seed \$35 and up Wednesday.

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

W. A. Kiessling of Houston is a guest of his brother, D. O. Kiessling.

D. A. Nunn returned Saturday evening from a visit to Galveston.

King's candies, always fresh and on ice, at Chamberlain & Woodall's.

J. H. Green of Lovelady, Route 2 is a new subscriber for the Courier.

John W. Skipper of Holly was a pleasant caller at this office Friday.

B. E. Goodrum of Weldon was a business visitor at this office Tuesday.

Mrs. Evans Swan of Tyler is visiting Misses Mary and Jennie McLean.

See that new line of Sport hats from \$1.50 to \$3.00 now on display at the Big Store.

tf. Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

Queen Theatre

Friday, October 22

The Brilliant, Beautiful Dramatic Star, MISS JANE COWL, in the Gripping and Forceful Dramatic Novelty—

"THE GARDEN OF LIES"

Produced in Five Parts
It's a Universal Broadway Feature

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 26TH
Fourth Episode

"Neal of the Navy"

Coming soon—Theda Bara in "A Fool There Was"—a 5-reel Fox Feature.

Matinee Starts Saturday at 1:30

Judge W. L. Hill and Luther Eastham of Huntsville were here last week.

R. L. Watson of Lovelady was among callers at this office Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Chester Kennedy of Grapeland was visiting her sister, Mrs. B. S. Elliott, this week.

Col. and Mrs. John H. Bonner of Tyler are visiting their daughter, Mrs. M. L. Sheppard.

Receiving daily large assortments of flower bulbs and plants which I have for sale. Downes Foster.

William Eardley was among the successful farmers of Crockett calling at this office Saturday.

Due 25th our new stock of olives, sweet, sour and dill bulk pickles. Phone 29. Johnson Arledge.

No cases being set for trial in the district court this week, the jury for the week was dismissed Monday.

Hair cuts 25 cents at Friend's barber shop. We clean and press clothes, too. Hot and cold baths.

Walker King of Austin sends his check for a year's subscription to and best wishes for the Courier.

They are here and its time to plant flower bulbs and plants. Downes Foster has anything you want. See him. tf.

Earle Bennett, the 14 years old son of Walter Bennett, was seriously crippled in a bicycle accident Thursday.

Buy your butter where you know it is all right and full weight. Nothing handled but the best at Johnson Arledge's. It.

A car load of barb wire and wire fencing and nails just arrived at the Big Store.

tf. Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

Mrs. M. E. Lipscomb and H. L. Channell are among those sending their subscriptions to the Courier this week.

\$10.00 reward for yellow cow and heifer yearling, branded JP—(connected JP bar) on left side and U on left jaw. tf. W. E. Hall.

Rain coats and hats, Arctic rubbers and rubber boots. We fit 'em all at the Big Store.

tf. Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

School Supplies.
Our stock of school books and school supplies is complete in every particular. It will be to your interest to see us before buying.

tf. Chamberlain & Woodall.

Mrs. C. L. Edmiston, Mrs. Earle Adams Jr. and Miss Susie Hall returned Saturday evening from a visit to Houston.

I now have all varieties of flower bulbs and plants for fall planting and will be glad to quote you my prices. tf. Downes Foster.

Brown wagons, the best on earth, at the right price at the Big Store. See us before you buy.

tf. Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

Our line of toilet necessities is unsurpassed. Let us supply your toilet necessities.

tf. Chamberlain & Woodall.

A Special Saturday.

I will sell tailor-made clothes on Saturday. Come in and ask about it. It. John Horan, the Tailor.

Newly registered automobiles are as follows: No. 123, D. W. Hornbuckle, Lovelady, a Ford; No. 124, J. W. Shivers, a Maxwell touring car.

New fall goods arriving daily at the Big Store. Our stock is complete and we save you money on every purchase. See us before you buy. tf. Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

Fresh pack lobsters, shrimp, crab and codfish, sardines smoked, in olive oil, peanut oil or tomato sauce, high grade salmon, all at Johnson Arledge's. It.

Mrs. A. H. Wootters, Miss Delha Mildred Wootters, Miss Jeannette Reed and W. C. Dupuy visited at Weldon Sunday, going and returning by automobile.

Notice, Ginners.

We have bagging and ties in car-load lots and can supply your wants in any quantity at the right price. tf. Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

C. L. Monk of Route 6, J. P. Smith of Route 5, W. B. Baker of Lovelady and W. A. R. French are among our friends renewing subscriptions since last issue.

Why not take advantage of the parcel post system for your drug store needs? Mail orders receive our prompt attention and especial care. Chamberlain & Woodall.

See those nobby shirts and ties for men and boys; also those easy walking shoes at \$3.50, the kind that feel so good, at the Big Store. tf. Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

A negro teacher of the county told the Courier Saturday that every negro in the county should take a county newspaper. He had called to renew his own subscription.

Yellow Yams Loading.

We will begin loading a car of yellow yam potatoes Friday. We invite any one having yellow yams for sale to call on us.

It. Edmiston Bros.

Turkeys Wanted.

One hundred turkeys wanted at once. We will pay the highest market price for turkeys, frying-size chickens and hens.

It. J. D. Sims.

N. Berry of Fordice, a colored subscriber who was forced to discontinue when the panic came on, gave us evidence of returning prosperity Saturday by calling and renewing.

Don't forget to leave your bundle for Crockett Steam Laundry at Friend's barber shop. We promise the work as good as the best and better than the rest.

tf. Crockett Steam Laundry.

How to Be Efficient.

Nothing saps the vitality like kidney trouble. It causes backache, headache, stiff joints, sore muscles, "always tired" feeling, rheumatism and other ills. To be efficient, you must be healthy. Foley Kidney Pills strengthen the kidneys, help them to do their work of filtering out from the system the waste matter that causes the trouble. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Real Estate and Loans.

We have real estate for sale and we would like to examine any vendor lien notes you may have for sale.

CALL ON US AT OUR PLACE OF BUSINESS.

Warfield Bros.

Office North Side Public Square.

CROCKETT, TEXAS

H. A. Fisher of Crockett was elected chairman of the Red River to the Gulf Highway meeting held in Palestine last week. This was a nice compliment paid Mr. Fisher and a deserving one.

J. A. Strozzi, one of the Courier's long-time subscribers at Creek, was in Crockett Monday on his way to Elmendorf, Bexar county, where we hope he will find the benefit to his health that he is seeking.

"Safety first"—let us fill your prescriptions. We have the drugs and the experience and fill all prescriptions just as the doctor intends them to be.

tf. Chamberlain & Woodall.

Mrs. A. H. Wootters of Crockett, Dr. W. B. Collins of Austin and Miss Ada Brewton of Lagrange are among those who have sent their checks to the Courier for subscription renewals during the past week.

Cotton Receipts and Shipments.

Crockett has shipped this season, in round numbers, about 2500 bales of cotton. The receipts at the two warehouses are about 5500, leaving about 3000 in the local warehouses.

When Baby Has the Croup.

When a mother is awakened from sound sleep to find her child who has gone to bed apparently in the best of health struggling for breath, she is naturally alarmed. Yet if she can keep her presence of mind and give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy every ten minutes until vomiting is produced, quick relief will follow and the child will drop to sleep to awaken in the morning as well as ever. This remedy has been in use for many years with uniform success. Obtainable everywhere.—Adv.

Gentlemen!

We call your particular attention to our Autumn and Winter showing of

**Beautiful Woolens
Smart Style Ideas
Exclusive Fashion
Plates**

We know you will be interested in seeing our choice selections.

JOHN C. MILLAR

Tailor and Men's Outfitter
Next to Postoffice
Altering, Cleaning, Pressing
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OPPORTUNITY

The old saying is that opportunity knocks at your door but once. This theory we disprove, because with the complete stock of staple and fancy groceries we have and the very reasonable prices, every day is truly a day of opportunity. We have what you want, it is always fresh and you are assured of the best possible service. We buy in small quantities, thus assuring you of fresh groceries at all times. Our motto is:

"Satisfaction Guaranteed or Money Refunded."



Cakes Cakes Cakes

The largest stock of fancy bulk and package cakes in town.

When you don't want to cook try these: Armour's Roast Beef, Brisket Beef, Lunch Tongue, Devilled Chicken and Ham, Potted Ham, Veal and Chicken Loaf, and lots of others.

Don't buy Flour, Meal, Bacon and Lard Saturday until you get our prices. We will save you money.

Special for Saturday

18 lbs. Pure Cane Granulated Sugar for..... **\$1.00**

We want your business. Give us a trial.

J. D. SIMS PHONE 19

We don't handle BEET sugar at all

Your Property.

That is what your prescription is when the doctor hands it to you. Now, Mr. Customer, you have a right to take that prescription wherever you like. We offer you a close price as an inducement. You don't have to take it to the drug-store that charges you a big price just because the prescription says so. Assert your independence and take it where it is to your advantage. We offer you an inducement in price. We fill it right and fill it for less.

It. Crockett Drug Company.

**Coming Soon
Watch for St**

Our 1c. Sale

**The McLean Drug Company
The Rexall Store**

Quality

Wm. M. PATTON

Price

"The Farmers' Friend"—Established 1891

Appreciation Sale!

COMMENCING SATURDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 30, AND LASTING THROUGH TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2



We are going to show our appreciation to the many thousands of our satisfied customers for the nice business given us by placing our \$25,000.00 stock of final-low-cost merchandise on sale at a great reduction. Just three days, SATURDAY, MONDAY and TUESDAY. Be on hand and get yours early. We have kept the price down on general merchandise for 24 years, and we are now still in the field with a stronger determination than ever to give our friends "the most of the best for the least." We guarantee QUALITY, WEIGHT and MEASURE. We do not sell beet sugar, but "we beat them on prices." Try us.

OUR BARGAINS

20 lbs. pure cane granulated sugar... \$1.00
 One peck best roasted coffee for... 90c
 10 lbs. good green coffee for... \$1.00
 22½ lbs. good rice for... \$1.00
 13 bars soap for... 25c
 5 bottles Garrett's snuff for... \$1.00
 Good high patent flour, per sack... \$1.45

Dry Goods

22 yards good brown domestic, yard wide, for... \$1.00
 20 yards good outing for... \$1.00
 Best grade Rosemont gingham, 13 yards for... \$1.00
 50c work shirts 35c, or 3 for... \$1.00



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CROCKETT, TEXAS

H. G. PATTON, Manager

A New Departure!

Since the day we started in business in Crockett it has been our constant aim to supply our customers with the Best Goods at the Lowest Prices, and with this object in view we have come to the conclusion to

Roast Our Own Coffee Fresh

It is a fact that Roasted Coffees lose their strength and fine aroma in a very short time, and in order to guard against this, it is absolutely necessary to have the Coffees put in the hands of our customers as fresh as possible.

Every pound of Coffee you buy is roasted (and ground if desired) fresh and you will find a vast difference when using our Coffees and those which have been packed a week, a month, or even a year before they come into your hands.

We handle three grades of Coffees at 30c, 25c and 20c per pound. The 30c Coffee, if offered in a tin can, would cost you at least 35c, oftener 40c per pound. The same holds good of the other grades.

Our Teas are selected with the same care, and it may be said for your information that the Better Grades of Teas are much more economical to use than the lower and cheaper grades.

Every article you buy of us is guaranteed to give you the best of satisfaction or money cheerfully refunded.

We could not afford to do otherwise, as upon your recommendation depends our success. We have only one price, and that price is lower than you can buy the same goods for anywhere else. We would like very much to see you in person at our store. We are in position to buy all your Produce and Products at highest Market Prices and we assure you of a fair, square and absolutely honest treatment.

M. Younas

Recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"Last winter I used a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a bad bronchial cough. I felt its beneficial effect immediately and before I had finished the bottle I was cured. I never tire of recommending this remedy to my friends," writes Mrs. William Bright, Ft. Wayne, Ind. Obtainable everywhere.—Adv.

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Local Teachers' Institute.

The local teachers' institute will meet at Union, four miles north of Grapeland, Friday, November 5, at 8 p. m. and close Saturday, November 6. The program is as follows: Friday, 8 p. m.—Song.

Welcome address—W. H. Kolb.
 Response—Arthur Milliken.
 In What Way Can the Local Institute Be Made a Success? Superintendent Snell.

How Can a Teacher Become Popular With His School? S. P. Wilcox.
 Saturday, 9 a. m.—Opening exercise.

Grading and Promoting Pupils—C. T. Sims.

Combining Work of Different Grades—B. F. Freeman and J. A. Mason.

What Part of My Time Do I Owe to the Community in Which I Teach? C. W. Butler and Preston Morrison.

The Use of Classics in Teaching Composition—Mr. McRee.

Primary Methods in Language and Geography—Miss Louise Denny and Miss Mae Fitchett.

Saturday, 1:30 p. m.—Cooperation and Social Center Work—O. C. Goodwin.

What Can Be Done to Prevent Boys from Damaging School Property? J. B. Driskill and Harry Brewton.

What Should Be the Patron's Attitude Toward the School? N. S. Herod and W. J. Starkey.

Adaptability—S. D. Webb.
 Round Table Discussion—George Manning and Mr. Morgan of Rock Hill.

Address—Superintendent Snell.

All teachers of Houston county are invited to attend this institute, and conveyance will be furnished for all teachers from Grapeland Saturday morning, November 6.

Respectfully, S. W. Duitch, Alice Montgomery, Rosa Ford, Committee.

To Bridge the Trinity.

The location of the Red River to the Gulf Highway from Paris to Palestine and thence through Grapeland, Crockett, Lovelady, Trinity and Huntsville, the short and most desirable location, depends on the bridging of the Trinity River at, or near, Riverside, and as it is proposed

to settle the matter at a mass-meeting at the court house in Huntsville at 2 p. m., on Friday, November 5, it is most essential that a large delegation of good roads boosters be present to help insure a successful outcome. We should have at least six auto loads from Crockett, three each from all the other towns mentioned, and if weather conditions prevent going in autos the parties should go by train. In other words, this meeting cannot be neglected if we want the highway located as outlined.

I am just advised by the officers of the Texas Good Road Association that the towns along the Lufkin route are very active and will secure the permanent location of this trunk line highway if it is not decided to build this bridge over the Trinity and the decision cannot long

be delayed. I hereby appeal to all the good roads boosters in the territory affected to set apart this 5th day of November to be enthusiastically devoted to this most important work. Don't let anything prevent your going.

H. A. Fisher, President,
 Red River to Gulf Highway Assn.,
 Crockett, Texas.

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- Foot Ball Games
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- Flower Parade
- Historical Pageant
- County Exhibit Parade
- Motorcycle Parade