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WEALTHY IOWAN WAS VICTIM OF BLACKMAIL GANG

While Looking Through Flat He Was Locked in Room by Girl. \$15,000 Extorted.

Chicago, September 29.—The details of a scheme, whereby a wealthy Iowan, referred to as a "leading citizen of his community," was compelled to pay \$15,000 to a band of so-called Mann act blackmailers, became known here Friday when H. G. Clabaugh, investigator for the department of justice, appeared to hold a conference with C. E. Wheeler and W. N. Jay, attorneys for the Iowa victim, and one of the two girls alleged to have been the "lures" in this case. The Iowan, it is said, was introduced to one of the "lures" by a client in his home town, who said she was the girl's aunt. Later he came to Chicago alone and visited the apartment at which the girl he had met in Iowa lived with another girl. While the girls were showing him through the flat the bell rang and in going to answer it one of the girls locked the Iowan and the other girl in a bedroom.

The visitors, two men, proclaimed themselves lawyer and detective, respectively, and accused the Iowan of violating the Mann act. Under the combined pressure of the girls and the two men, the former pleading that he save them from shame, the victim paid the gang \$5000 in cash and \$10,000 in notes. The "lures" and their accomplices later were betrayed to federal authorities by the abandoned wife of one of the men.

Buda Godman, the alleged "lure" in a similar case, in which a Chicago business man was mulcted of \$15,000 following a trip with her to New York, spent last night in jail in lieu of \$25,000.

Sell Survey Maps.

Palestine, Texas, Sept. 29. The Courier, Crockett, Texas.

Gentlemen:—Enclosed is personal check extending my subscription to the Courier. Please change the address to which my paper is sent to Palestine, Texas, until further notice.

Several years ago the government made a soil survey of Houston county, and at that time I distributed copies to parties desiring them and put away the surplus to supply future demands. I was under the impression that these copies had been destroyed by fire and have replied to several parties recently requesting copies to the effect that they were no longer available. I now find that a few of the maps were not destroyed and have them here, but do not remember who requested copies.

I will appreciate it if you will give this matter publicity, for the value of the surveys is just being appreciated, and I will be glad to supply them to interested parties as long as my supply lasts. Very truly yours,
A. W. Gregg.

Fighting for Their Existence.

Newspaper publishers have for years past been content to go along in the even tenor of their way, heedless of the constantly increasing prices of machinery and other material necessary in their business, as well as the cost of living in general. But the unparalleled advance in the price of print paper, which has thrived in less than a year, has

brought many of them to a realization that something must be done and done quickly, and as a result subscription rates are everywhere on the raise. The latest newspapers to advance their subscription rates are the Huntsville Post-Item and the Livingston Enterprise.

Go to Church Sunday.

October 15 has been designated as "Go to Church Sunday" by a committee of fifty-five clergymen representing thirty different denominations. These ministers hope to attract to their churches on the Sunday mentioned 1,000,000 non-churchgoers who at some time in their lives attend services. Church attendance means better citizenship. Often has it been said that, next to the church, the newspapers are the most powerful agents for good. Many newspapers have taken up the go-to-church slogan. Newspapers, like the churches, are interested in the general welfare of the people. Hundreds of thousands of persons who seldom went to church are now going every Sunday as a result of the splendid publicity campaign that has been waged. There is no denying this wonderful go-to-church movement. It is getting on tremendously. The secret of its success is that it is confined to no particular sect or creed. The churches of all denominations are being benefitted.

HOUSTON COUNTY BANK DEPOSITS EXCEED A MILLION DOLLARS.

Does the Turnip Patch Pay? Bale of Cotton and Seed Bring \$131.68.

The combined deposits of four banks, as shown by financial statements recently published in the Courier, total \$763,679.94. This amount represents the deposits of the two banks in Crockett, the First National Bank of Lovelady and the First Guaranty State Bank of Weldon. There are five other banks in the county—two at Grapeland, one at Ratcliff, one at Kennard and a private bank at Lovelady. The private bank publishes no statement and we have not the statements of the Grapeland, Ratcliff and Kennard banks before us. We have not the exact figures at hand, but it is estimated that the combined deposits of the nine banks in Houston county is in excess of a million dollars.

Does the Turnip Patch Pay?

Felton Kleckley has sold in Crockett this fall \$53 worth of turnips and greens and is still selling. Having a half acre patch that he did not know what else to do with, he decided to sow it in turnips and bought 40 cents worth of seed for

that purpose. To prepare the ground he spent 40 cents. As he is still selling and the turnips are still making, he is at a loss to know how to figure the percentage of profit on his investment. The farmer who grows all of his food and feed crops at home makes the same percentage of profit, although he may sell none of them.

P. E. Tunstall sold a bale of cotton Wednesday afternoon at 16.05. The bale weighed over six hundred pounds and, together with the seed, brought him \$131.68.

Its Popularity Established.

Arthur Thomas is manager of the Queen theater since J. W. Saunders has gone on the road for the Mutual company. Bookings in the Triangle, Mutual and Pathe film services are continued as heretofore, and this popular amusement place is having an unprecedented run this week. If the new manager makes any change in the service the change will be for improvement, and he has not yet discovered where any improvement can be made. Besides the splendid service that is being given nightly, a serial picture is being run one night of each week. This serial is the "Iron Claw," and the two episodes that have been run have established its popularity.

PRESIDENT WILSON WANTS NO DISLOYAL AMERICAN VOTES.

Jeremiah A. O'Leary, President of American Truth Society, Received Caustic Reply.

Long Branch, Sept. 29.—President Wilson made it plain Friday night that he wants no "disloyal" American to vote for him. He expressed indignation over a statement from Jeremiah A. O'Leary of New York, president of the American Truth society, accusing him of being pro-British and saying he had failed to obtain compliance with American rights.

The president sent Mr. O'Leary a short telegram which officials indicated Mr. Wilson had desired to put in stronger language. His message follows:

"Your telegram received. I would feel deeply mortified to have you or anybody else like you vote for me. Since you have access to many disloyal Americans and I have not, I will ask you to convey this message to them."

Hitching Space for Circus Day.

Saturday will be circus day in Crockett, and if the weather remains fine it is predicted that there will be more teams in town than have been here in one day for several years. As the streets around the square and immediate vicinity are literally crowded on Saturdays when nothing special is going on, it means that on next Saturday some extra provisions must be made to take care of the rigs, especially as they cannot be allowed on the main business streets where the parade is to take place, as there will be a large drove of elephants and many other features that always frighten horses and mules.

In other words, to properly protect the lives and property of our citizens and our visitors on that day, all of the available vacant lots in the vicinity of the square will be secured for the farmers' use, and the management of affairs has been placed in charge of the commercial club, where men will be found who will direct the farmers to suitable places to leave their teams. When you arrive in Crockett Saturday you should call at the club rooms and leave your wives and children and then put your teams where directed by those in charge of this work.

H. A. Fisher, Secretary.

The publisher is the hardest hit of anybody when it comes to high prices of materials. Every Monday morning he gets a new price list with the information that those prices are not guaranteed. And after this price list has come off the press an obliging clerk has gone through it and has marked a ten per cent raise in red ink on about half of the items. Paper has gone up with about the same regularity that rent comes due, and there seems to be no end to it. A few years ago publishers would have scoffed at the idea of prices like they are paying today. And not only are they paying high prices, but it is even worse than that. They are glad to get the material at any price. We no longer ask the price, but ask if we can get the paper. Our customers, therefore, should not be slow to appreciate the situation.—Cleburne Review.

Consolidated Portrait & Frame Company

Geo. H. Grounds, Secretary and Treasurer

Chicago, September 26, 1916.

Editor Crockett Courier,

Crockett, Texas.

Dear Sir:

The enclosed check will extend my subscription to your paper.

Keep the Courier coming. It has been making its weekly pilgrimages for more than 20 years, and when by chance it misses a week I feel the loss keenly—feel like a link in the long chain of friendship had been broken—like a letter from a dear friend had gone astray.

It is the only source of reliable information reaching me from my dear old home town. It helps to keep me young because it carries me back to boyhood days replete with hopes and aircastles—days filled with innocence wholly removed from the hustle, bustle and bluster characteristic of a great city.

What a relief it is to turn to this paper, away from the big cosmopolitan dailies which are old after two hours from the press! I get great pleasure from reading the paper and keeping up with dear ones far removed from my present habitation.

I trust therefore that the paper shall continue to reach me and bring the news so interesting to one who has never forgotten the old home and friends.

With best wishes for the success of the Courier and congratulations upon the many public spirited enterprises now taking place in your city and county, believe me to be

Very truly yours,

(Signed)

Geo. H. Grounds.

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GENTRY BROTHERS' FAMOUS SHOWS

CROCKETT SATURDAY OCTOBER 7

4 EXHIBITIONS COMBINED



Only
Big Show
Here
This Year

Fifty New
European
Features

MILE LONG
PARADE ON
SATURDAY
MORNING

Over 10 Blocks
of Gold, Glitter
and Wonders

It has long been known in the circus world that the final aim of the GENTRY BROS. has been to own and operate BUT ONE GREAT TENTED AMUSEMENT ENTERPRISE, and now comes the interesting announcement that the FOUR GREAT GENTRY SHOWS have, at last, been merged into one splendid exhibition—a revelation, so to speak, in circudom.

Of course you have either seen or heard of the GENTRY SHOWS before, for they have been successfully touring this country for THIRTY YEARS, and the entertainment they have offered during all this time, has been of a high standard, clean, refreshing and pleasing to the public.

By all means you should see the GENTRY SHOWS THIS YEAR for the reason that their performances will FAR SURPASS ANYTHING OF THE KIND YOU EVER SAW IN YOUR LIFE. You will be amply repaid for TAKING A DAY OFF AND BRINGING ALONG THE ENTIRE FAMILY.

The Show—THIS SEASON—is not only the biggest Gentry Bros. ever had, but it is undoubtedly the best, prettiest and cleanest show on the road. In a recent interview with one of the Gentry Brothers, who is in advance of the show, that gentleman said:

"We have always prided ourselves upon giving a strictly moral high-class and meritorious exhibition and have always numbered among our patrons the best people of every community. In fact we could not hope to exist without the patronage, support and endorsement of the refined and cultured. We make no appeal to the morbid or vulgar."

"Before you purchase a ticket we would like to have you inspect the crowd in front of our ticket wagons. In it you will find ministers of all churches and denominations, lawyers, bankers, doctors and merchants—ALL OUT FOR A HAPPY HOLIDAY WITH THEIR FAMILIES."

"Follow them inside and you will see them laugh until their sides hurt and you will next behold them astonished and amazed. Then you will wonder how in the world we ever put together such a wonderful show—see in which there is not a dull moment or a single tiresome 'fill-in' act. And after all you will be thoroughly enjoying YOURSELF, which is what you came to do."

"Judged solely from an amusement point of view there is absolutely nothing better—we have gone our limit this season and we are well satisfied, and you will be satisfied too when you see what a high limit we have reached. From an instructive, or educational point we TEACH A VALUABLE OBJECT LESSON to the children, to those growing up and to the grown ups as well. It is no use to attempt to describe this REMARKABLE EXHIBITION in an advertisement. We can't tell its story in a hundred phrases—YOU HAVE SIMPLY GOT TO SEE IT."

"You will have an opportunity to do this on the above mentioned date WHICH WILL BE THE ONLY VISIT of the GENTRY SHOWS to this part of the country for some time to come."

While you are about it you should see it all so start early enough so as not to miss seeing the BEAUTIFUL FREE STREET PARADE—a solid mile of "Gold and Glitter" which takes place every morning in each city visited.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Courier is authorized to make the following announcements as nominees of the democratic party:

For District Judge
John S. Prince
of Henderson county

For District Attorney
J. J. Bishop
of Henderson county

For State Senator
J. J. Strickland
of Anderson county

For Representative
J. D. (Joe) Sallas

For County Judge
E. Winfree

For County Supt. of Schools
J. N. Snell

For County Clerk
A. E. Owens

For District Clerk
John D. Morgan

For Tax Assessor
Jno. H. Ellis

For Tax Collector
C. W. Butler, Jr.

For County Treasurer
Ney Sheridan

For Sheriff
R. J. Spence

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1
E. E. Holcomb

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2
R. T. (Riley) Murchison

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 3
Aaron Speer

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4
J. W. McHenry

For Justice Peace, Prec. No. 1
C. R. Stephenson

LODGE DIRECTORY

CROCKETT LODGE, NO. 901, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, meets every Saturday night at 8:00 o'clock. Members urged to attend, visitors welcomed. J. N. Snell, N. G.; Tom Aiken, secretary.

PRIVATE DISCHARGED FROM ARMY.

Given Term at Leavenworth for Letters He Said He Wrote.

Columbus, N. M., September 26.—Private Hugh Clark of Company D, Second Massachusetts infantry, was sentenced to six months hard labor in the disciplinary barracks at Fort Leavenworth together with a dishonorable discharge from the service.

Clark shortly after his arrival at the border wrote letters to a newspaper of Holyoke, Mass., from which his company came, charging his company officers with neglecting the men and his captain with misappropriating company funds. These letters were published. Clark admitted their authorship.

What the Old Wagon Said.

Master, I know you are over roadage, and I soon will be, but it would not have been so with me had you placed me under a dry shed when you brought me home with my nice new coat on, but instead you placed me out in the sun and cold rain, and now I am giving out—I feel it in my joints. Master, you give me in to the tax assessor for \$25 and pay on me less than 4 cents per year to help fill up the chug holes and gullies you have been running me into. If you had let the boys or the overseer have old Molly and Beck for a day or two with the scraper, you would never have missed the time, and by filling the chug holes I might have been able to keep out of the scrap pile for several years more and saved you a lot of money. Master, when you meet another man please turn out a little to the right and not let him jar me in my rickety joints, then he will not know what a hog you are and I will not tell him.—Contributed.

Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Jacob Perkins, deceased, the unknown heirs of John S. Carlton, deceased, the unknown heirs of E. J. Carlton, deceased, the unknown heirs of John W. Foster, deceased, the unknown heirs of Bart Chandler, deceased, and Mary C. Marsh, E. N. Marsh, Bart Chandler, Shadrack Carlton and J. M. Carlton, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be holden at the Court House of said Houston County, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1916, the same being the 9th day of October, A. D. 1916, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1916, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 7653, wherein T. J. Routen is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of Jacob Perkins, deceased, the unknown heirs of John S. Carlton, deceased, the unknown heirs of E. J. Carlton, deceased, the unknown heirs of John W. Foster, deceased, the unknown heirs of Bart Chandler, deceased, and Mary C. Marsh, E. N. Marsh, Bart Chandler, Shadrack Carlton, and J. M. Carlton are Defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple and is lawfully seized and possessed of the following described tract of land, situated in Houston county, Texas, being the Jacob Perkins 160 acre survey, about 15 miles S. 67

E. from the town of Crockett, and described by field notes as follows: Beginning at a stake 1470 vrs. N. 172 E. from the N. E. Corner of D. Ashworth's pre-emption survey a P. O. 18 in dia. brs. N. 28 W. 7 vrs. Thence N. 10 W. 950 vrs. to a stake a Pine brs. S. 54 W. 72 vrs. Thence S. 86 W. 950 vrs. to a stake a P. O. brs. N. 83 E. 62 vrs. Thence S. 10 E. 545 vrs. Creek 950 vrs. to a stake a Pine brs. S. 2 E. 2-10 vrs. Thence N. 80 E. 950 vrs. to the place of beginning. Plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have had and held the peaceable, continuous, and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, under deeds duly registered, paying all taxes due thereon for a period of five and ten years respectively, and plaintiff specially pleads the five and ten years statutes of limitation in bar of any claim asserted by the defendants or any of them to said tract of land.

The fact that there is no title out of John S. Carlton, the grantee of Jacob Perkins, the original grantee of said survey, to any part of said survey, and that there is no title of record out of J. M. Carlton in whom was vested title to a part of said survey, and the deed from Mary C. Marsh and E. N. Marsh is lost and not of record, casts a cloud upon plaintiff's title. That the other defendants assert some claim to said tract of land, which is unknown to plaintiff. Wherefore plaintiff prays for citation in the terms of the law, and that upon the trial hereof, he have judgment for the title and possession of said land, removing all clouds therefrom, and for costs and general and special relief.

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

Witness, John D. Morgan, Clerk

of the District Court of Houston County.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, this the 7th day of August, A. D. 1916.

John D. Morgan, Clerk.
District Court, Houston County.
By J. H. Sharp, Deputy. 8t.

WATCH HOSPITAL

Remember I lead and all others follow. If you want the very best work done at the same price others charge for inferior work bring me your work. Watches, clocks, jewelry and spectacles Satisfaction guaranteed.

C. T. JONES
The Rexall Store Crockett, Texas

Naco Corsets The Quality Kind



Unsurpassed for the Money

We have a style to fit every form, large or small.

National Corset Co., Kalamazoo, Mich., makers, warrant NACO CORSETS will not Rust, Tear or Split. Your money back if not satisfactory after four weeks actual wear.

—SOLD BY—
The Crockett Dry Goods Company

recorded in Vol. 40, pages 428, 429, Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from W. V. Berry and wife, Alice Berry, to Geo. H. Campbell and Mrs. Charlotte Clinton, dated January 7, 1904, filed for record February 11, 1904, and recorded in Vol. 36, page 252, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Release of deed of trust from C. W. Twining to Geo. H. Campbell, dated December 28, 1904, and filed for record February 15, 1904, recorded in Vol. 40, page 624, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Release of deed of trust from C. W. Twining to Geo. H. Campbell, dated January 22, 1906, recorded in Vol. 8, page 469, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from Geo. H. Campbell, Frank McConnell and George C. Clinton and Charlotte Clinton to Lone Star Orchards Company, dated Oct. 25, 1905, recorded in Vol. 46, page 533, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Release of deed of trust from the Central Wisconsin Farm Land Company to Lone Star Orchards Company, dated December 28, 1900, recorded in Vol. 10, page 627, of the Deed of Trust Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from Charlotte Clinton to C. W. Twining, dated August 24, 1908, filed for record March 30, 1909, recorded in Vol. 52, page 490, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from Lone Star Orchards Company to C. W. Twining, dated Jan. 26, 1909, filed for record May 20, 1909, recorded in Vol. 52, page 608, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from C. W. Twining to W. V. Berry, dated December 13, 1910, filed for record January 2, 1911, recorded in Vol. 57, page 58, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from A. A. Aldrich and George W. Crook to W. V. Berry, dated March 4, 1916, recorded in Vol. 76, page 297, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from W. V. Berry and wife, Alice Berry, to P. S. Griffith, dated March 4, 1916, and recorded in Vol. 74, pages 547 and 548, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Original grant from Mexican Government to F. Johnson, dated March 14, 1835.

Deed from F. Johnson and wife, Elizabeth Johnson, to John Box, dated November 27, 1837, recorded in Vol. 8, page 631, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from John Box and wife, Lucinda Box, to Lucinda B. Box and Eugenia A. Box, dated September 15, 1865, recorded in Vol. P, page 45, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from E. J. Loe and wife, E. A. Loe, and Lucinda Box to A. Legory, dated Oct. 10, 1888, recorded in Vol. 11, pages 116 and 117, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from T. B. Tunstall to A. Legory, dated March 3, 1893, recorded in Vol. 14, pages 524 and 525, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from A. Legory to Mrs. Charlotte Clinton, dated April 12, 1904, recorded in Vol. 40, page 45, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from Mrs. Charlotte Clinton to C. A. Clinton, dated November 4, 1909, recorded in Vol. 56, page 344, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from C. A. Clinton and wife, Alice Clinton, to E. F. Archibald and wife, Theresa Archibald, dated September 15, 1914, recorded in Vol. 74, page 432, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Release of vendor's lien from C. A. Clinton and J. W. Young, trustee, to E. F. Archibald, dated March 9, 1916, recorded in Vol. 76, pages 332 and 333 of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from C. A. Clinton and wife, Alice Clinton, E. F. Archibald and wife, Theresa Archibald, to P. S. Griffith, dated March 9, 1916, recorded in Vol. 76, pages 331 and 332, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

VIII.

In addition to the foregoing, plaintiff will offer tax receipts and redemption certificates to show the payment of taxes on the land herein sued for, as well as parcel and other evidence to show occupancy, use and enjoyment of said premises.

Wherefore, premises considered, plaintiff prays for citation herein to defendants, requiring them to appear and answer herein; that upon the trial hereof he have judgment against said defendants and each of them for the title to and possession of said land, and that the cloud cast upon plaintiff's said title by the pretended claims of defendants be cancelled and held for naught, for his said damages, writ of possession, costs of court, and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, to which he may show himself entitled.

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

Witness, John D. Morgan, Clerk of the 3rd Judicial District Court of Houston County, Texas.

Given under my hand, and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, Texas, this 3rd day of August, A. D. 1916.

JOHN D. MORGAN,
(SEAL) Clerk of the Third Judicial District Court of Houston County, Texas.

I hereby order this writ published in the Crockett Courier for the time herein specified. This the 5th day of August, A. D. 1916.

R. J. SPENCE,
Sheriff of Houston County, Texas.

Citation By Publication.

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Francisco Perez, the unknown heirs of Francisco Perez, the unknown heirs of H. H. Edwards, deceased, Peyton F. Edwards, the unknown heirs of Peyton F. Edwards, Sarah M. Edwards, the unknown heirs of Sarah M. Edwards, Emily Smith, joined by her husband James F. Smith, the unknown heirs of Emily Smith and James F. Smith, Belle Raguet and husband Charles M. Raguet, the unknown heirs of Belle Raguet and Charles M. Raguet, Sarah Ellen Edwards, the unknown heirs of Sarah Ellen Edwards, Hayden H. Edwards, Jr., the unknown heirs of Hayden H. Edwards, Jr., Sarah E. Sparks and husband James R. Sparks and the unknown heirs of Sarah E. Sparks and James R. Sparks, by making publication of this citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county to your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be held at the Court House of said Houston County, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1916, the same being the 9th day of October, A. D. 1916, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1916, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 7651, wherein J. M. Thornton is Plaintiff, and Francisco Perez, the unknown heirs of Francisco Perez, the unknown heirs of H. H. Edwards, Peyton F. Edwards, the unknown heirs of Peyton F. Edwards, Sarah M. Edwards, the unknown heirs of Sarah M. Edwards, Emily Smith and her husband James F. Smith, the unknown heirs of Emily Smith and James F. Smith, Belle Raguet and husband Charles M. Raguet, the unknown heirs of Belle Raguet and Charles M. Raguet, Sarah Ellen Edwards, the unknown heirs of Sarah Ellen Edwards, Hayden H. Edwards, Jr., the unknown heirs of Hayden H. Edwards, Jr., Sarah E. Sparks and husband James R. Sparks and the unknown heirs of Sarah E. Sparks and James R. Sparks are defendants, and said petition alleging that on the first day of January, 1916, he was lawfully seized and in possession of the hereinafter described tract of land, claiming the same in fee simple, to-wit: Being a part of the Francisco Perez league of land, situated in Houston County, Texas, about seventeen miles S. W. from Crockett, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the S. W. corner of Block No. Three (3) of a subdivision of said league. Thence N. 45 E. with the line of block number three 513 7-10 vrs. to corner in prairie from which Butler's well bears N. 45 E. 4-10 vrs. Thence N. 45 W. 1080 vrs. to N. W. line of block number four, to a stake, from which a Black Jack 7 inches brs. S. 22 E., another 8 in. brs. S. 28 W. 4 6-10 vrs. Thence S. 45 W. 513 7-10 vrs. with said block line to N. W. corner of block number seven. Thence S. 45 E. with the line of block number 7, 1080 vrs. to the place of beginning, and containing 98 1/2 acres of land.

The record fails to show any deed from Francisco Perez to any one, and certain parties who have made transfers of said land show the grantors to have claim thereto, by virtue of a will said to have been made by Hayden H. Edwards, and there is no will of record in Houston County, while other transfers purport to have been made by their attorneys in fact, and no such power of attorney is of record in Houston County. That the same casts a cloud upon the plaintiff's title, which he herein seeks to remove.

Plaintiff says that he and those whose title he has, claiming the same under deeds duly registered, has had peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of the land and tenements claimed in plaintiff's petition, cultivating, using and enjoying the same and paying all taxes due thereon, for a period of more than five years after the defendants' cause of action accrued, if any they ever had, and of this he is ready to verify.

For further plea in this behalf he says that he, and those under whom he claims, claiming to have good and perfect right and title to the land herein sued for, has had, and held peaceably the land claimed, and adverse possession of the same, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for a period of more than ten years after the defendants' cause of action accrued, if any they had, and before the commencement of this suit, of which he is ready to verify.

Wherefore he respectfully prays, that citation be issued for the defendants in terms of the law, requiring the defendants or either of them to appear at the next regular term of this court, and show cause why all cloud may not be removed from plaintiff's title, and that plaintiff have his judgment for the same clearing his title, and for general and special relief.

Herein fail not, but have before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term,

this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, John D. Morgan, Clerk of the District Court of Houston County.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, this the 5th day of August, A. D. 1916.

John D. Morgan, Clerk,
District Court, Houston County.

Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas and County of Houston.

To J. H. Moore, Mrs. Lynch Baker and her husband, G. Frank Baker, and the heirs of Mrs. Margaret Williams, whose names are unknown, and Mollie Chestnut and her husband, J. H. Chestnut, and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, and the same lying and being situated in the County of Houston, and State of Texas, to-wit: A part of the M. Murchison labor on the waters of San Pedro Bayou described as follows: Beginning at the N. W. corner of John Denson's 60 acre tract. Thence south with John Denson's west boundary line 560 varas to J. C. Tipton's N. W. corner. Thence west 347 varas a stake for corner. Thence S. 440 varas to S. boundary line of Labor. Thence west with S. boundary line 370 varas a stake for corner. Thence north 1000 varas to north boundary line of Labor a stake for corner. Thence east to the place of beginning 717 varas to include 100 acres of land more or less, which said property is delinquent to the State of Texas and county of Houston for taxes for the years 1891, 1892 and 1914, aggregating the sum of \$37.97, including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of the State of Texas and County of Houston to secure the payment thereof.

And you are hereby commanded to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Houston County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Courthouse of said County, in the city of Crockett, on the second Monday in October, A. D. 1916, the same being the 9th day of October, A. D. 1916, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes, interest, penalties and costs, and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said court on the 31st day of August, A. D. 1916, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 730, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff, and Mrs. Mollie Chestnut and her husband, J. H. Chestnut, Mrs. Laura Hamilton, H. H. Hamilton, Rilla Ledford and her husband, J. S. Ledford, J. H. Moore, S. A. Moore, Mrs. Lynch Baker and her husband, G. Frank Baker, and the heirs of Mrs. Margaret Williams whose names are unknown and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in said land or lots are defendants.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Crockett, in the County of Houston, this 31st day of August, A. D. 1916.

John D. Morgan, Clerk,
District Court, Houston County, Texas.

By J. H. Sharp, Deputy.

The State of Texas—To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to serve the foregoing citation by making publication thereof one time a week for three consecutive weeks, previous to the return day hereof, in a newspaper published in Houston County; if there be no newspaper published in said county, then in a newspaper published in an adjoining county; provided, that if said citation can not be published for the compensation provided by law, then service of same shall be made by posting a copy thereof for twenty-one successive days, previous to return date, at three different places in the said County of Houston, one copy of which shall be at the Courthouse door of said county.

Herein fail not, and have you then and there before said Court, on the first day of the next regular term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Crockett, in the County of Houston, this 31st day of August, A. D. 1916.

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Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Peter Tumlinson, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. L. Monroe, deceased, the unknown heirs of R. W. Gibson, deceased, the unknown heirs of G. W. Tumlinson, deceased, the unknown heirs of B. D. Dashiell, deceased, the unknown heirs of Lucy Ann Sharpes, deceased, the unknown heirs of B. T. Sharpes, deceased, the unknown heirs of B. F. Sharpes, deceased, the unknown heirs of E. L. Angier, deceased, the unknown heirs of W. E. Tyler, deceased, the unknown heirs of Theresa Harvey, deceased, and the unknown heirs of J. W. Harvey, deceased, and J. L. Monroe, R. W. Gibson, G. W. Tumlinson, B. D. Dashiell, E. L. Angier, W. E. Tyler, Lucy Ann Sharpes, B. T. Sharpes, B. F. Sharpes, Theresa Harvey, J. W. Harvey and the Louisiana and Texas Lumber Company, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be held at the Court House of said Houston County, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1916, the same being the 9th day of October, A. D. 1916, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1916, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 7652, wherein T. J. Routen is Plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of Peter Tumlinson, deceased, the unknown heirs of J. L. Monroe, deceased, the unknown heirs of R. W. Gibson, deceased, the unknown heirs of G. W. Tumlinson, deceased, the unknown heirs of B. D. Dashiell, deceased, the unknown heirs of Lucy Ann Sharpes, deceased, the unknown heirs of B. T. Sharpes, deceased, the unknown heirs of B. F. Sharpes, deceased, the unknown heirs of E. L. Angier, deceased, the unknown heirs of W. E. Tyler, deceased, the unknown heirs of Theresa Harvey, deceased, and the unknown heirs of J. W. Harvey, deceased, and J. L. Monroe, R. W. Gibson, G. W. Tumlinson, B. D. Dashiell, E. L. Angier, W. E. Tyler, Lucy Ann Sharpes, B. T. Sharpes, B. F. Sharpes, Theresa Harvey, J. W. Harvey and the Louisiana and Texas Lumber Co. are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple and is lawfully seized and possessed of the following described tract of land, situated in Houston County, Texas, being a part of the Peter Tumlinson 640 acre survey, about 16 miles S. E. from Crockett, Texas, and being 40 acres out of the S. E. corner of said Peter Tumlinson 640 acre survey, in a square, said 40 acres being 475 varas square.

Plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have had and held the peaceable, continuous and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, under deeds duly registered, paying all taxes due thereon for a period of five and ten years respectively, and plaintiff specially pleads the five and ten years statutes of limitation in bar of any claim asserted by the defendants or any of them to said tract of land.

The fact that there is no title out of Peter Tumlinson, the original grantee of said survey, to any one for any part of said survey, that there is no title out of J. L. Monroe, R. W. Gibson and G. W. Tumlinson to undivided one-fourth of said 640 acre survey, and that the Louisiana and Texas Lumber Company is asserting some sort of claim to a part of said tract of land sued for herein, casts a cloud upon plaintiff's title.

That the other defendants herein are asserting some sort of claim to said land, the character of which is unknown to plaintiff.

Wherefore, plaintiff sues, and prays that defendants be cited herein, and that upon the trial hereof, he have judgment for the title and possession of said tract of land, removing all clouds therefrom, and for costs of suit and for general and special relief.

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

Witness, John D. Morgan, Clerk of the District Court of Houston County.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, this the 7th day of August, A. D. 1916.

John D. Morgan, Clerk,
District Court, Houston County.

By J. H. Sharp, Deputy.

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You are hereby commanded to summon John Hagan and the unknown heirs of John Hagan, John C. Hagan and the unknown heirs of John C. Hagan, Rosanna Hagan and the unknown heirs of Rosanna Hagan, John J. Woodson and the unknown heirs of John J. Woodson, John M. Murchison and the unknown heirs of John M. Murchison, John H. Murchison and the unknown heirs of John H. Murchison, W. A. Albright and the unknown heirs of W. A. Albright, administrator de bonis non of the estate of John Hagan, deceased, Rhone & Jordan and the unknown heirs of Rhone & Jordan, W. T. Rhone and the unknown heirs of W. T. Rhone, J. M. Jordan and the unknown heirs of J. M. Jordan, Lewis Atkinson and the unknown heirs of Lewis Atkinson, C. W. Jones and the unknown heirs of C. W. Jones, W. B. Massengale and the unknown heirs of W. B. Massengale, T. G. Box and the unknown heirs of T. G. 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X; thence north 35 1/2 deg. west 200 varas to the east bank of a branch; thence down the branch with its meanders north 7 deg. west-180 varas, north 6 1/2 east 72 varas, north 55 east 238 varas to corner, post oak 20 inches bears north 87 east 2 varas, marked X; thence south 35 1/2 deg. east 330 varas to corner; thence north 55 east 306 varas to corner of 62 1/2 acre tract bought by A. Legory from John W. Saxon; thence east with Saxon and Legory line 521 1/2 varas to a corner in a garden; thence south 8 1/2 deg. west 220 varas to corner on the north edge of street or road through orchard; thence south 89 deg. east with the north edge of said road 320 varas to the Huntsville and Crockett public road; thence north 18 west with said road 233 1/2 varas to the southeast corner of Legory or Dunham 62 1/2 acre tract; thence east with Saxon or Page and Legory line 810 varas to Legory northeast corner of the I. & G. N. Railroad Company right-of-way 5 varas east of point from which a red oak 30 inches bears south 77 east 6.6 varas, marked X; thence south 16 west with said right-of-way 750 varas to a stake for corner; thence north 81 west with Legory and Page line 1366 1/2 varas to a stake in the east line of the John Hagan league for corner, a post oak 25 inches bears south 50 east 7 varas; thence south 35 1/2 deg. east with the east boundary line of the Hagan league 280 varas to a stake, being the east corner of the W. V. Berry 141 acre tract; thence south 55 deg. west 1327 varas to a stake on the east boundary line of the Berry 516 acre tract in the mouth of a lane, black gum 6 inches bears north 60 east 4.3 varas, a post oak 6 inches bears north 42 deg. east 5 varas; thence south 33 1/2 deg. east with the east boundary line of said Berry 516 acre survey to corner of the Charlotte Clinton 420 acre survey as made by H. Durst; thence south 55 deg. west with the line as surveyed by H. Durst 1400 varas to the place of beginning.

Also a tract of the T. R. Townsend league bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stake in an old field, same being the northeast corner of a 10-acre tract owned by Moore; thence north 35 west 786 varas to corner; thence south 55 west 1102 varas to corner, post oak marked X; thence south 35 east to corner on a pin oak marked X at 687 varas; thence north 55 east 1102 varas to place of beginning.

III.

That the defendants are asserting or claiming some pretended right or title to the land aforesaid, the exact nature of which is unknown to plaintiff, but which, nevertheless, constitutes a cloud upon plaintiff's title to the land above described and interferes with plaintiff's use and enjoyment thereof.

IV.

And plaintiff says that he and those under whom he claims have had and held peaceable and adverse possession of said land, cultivating, using and enjoying the same and paying all taxes thereon and claiming the same under deeds duly registered for a period of more than five years before the filing of this suit.

V.

And plaintiff says that he and those under whom he claims have had and held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession of said land under title and color of title from and under the sovereignty of the soil for a period of more than three years before the filing of this suit.

VI.

And plaintiff says that he and those under whom he claims have had and held peaceable and adverse possession of the lands herein described, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for a period of more than ten years before the filing of this suit.

VII.

In addition to the title to the land aforesaid by limitation of three, five and ten years as aforesaid, plaintiff has title thereto by virtue of the following conveyances:

Grant from Mexican Government to John Hagan, dated August 25, 1835, filed for record December 16, 1903, recorded in Vol. 34, pages 423 to 426 of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from John C. Hagan and wife, Rosanna Hagan, to John M. Murchison, dated December 22, 1851, filed for record November 19, 1903, recorded in Vol. 34, pages 387-8-9 of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from John M. Murchison to John J. Woodson, dated April 7, 1856, first filed for record April 7, 1856, again filed October 25, 1897, recorded in Vol. 19, pages 273 and 274 of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Parol and other testimony showing destruction of the records of Houston County, Texas, and the appointment and qualification of W. A. Albright as administrator de bonis non of the Estate of John Hagan, deceased.

Report of sale of W. A. Albright, administrator de bonis non of the estate of John Hagan, deceased, recorded in Vol. L, page 27 and page 463 of the Probate Minutes of Houston County, Texas.

Order of Probate Court of Houston County, Texas, confirming sale, recorded in Vol. L, page 4, of the Probate Minutes of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from W. A. Albright, administrator de bonis non of the estate of John Hagan, deceased, to W. T. Rhone and J. M. Jordan, dated March 7, 1885, filed for record March 7, 1885, recorded in Vol. 8, page 300, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from Rhone & Jordan, by W. T. Rhone, to J. J. Woodson, dated March 7, 1885, filed for record September 22, 1897, recorded in Vol. 19, page 262, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Order of Probate Court of Houston

County, Texas, admitting to probate the last will and testament of John C. Hagan, deceased, dated October 31, 1864, recorded in Vol. G, page 3, of the Probate Minutes of Houston County, Texas.

Will of John C. Hagan, deceased, dated June 3, 1857, recorded in Vol. P, page 99, of the Probate Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from Rosanna Hagan to J. J. Woodson, dated November 18, 1871, filed for record November 18, 1871, recorded in Vol. S, page 796, Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from Ezekiel Hazlett and wife Matilda Hazlett, to John J. Woodson, dated February 2nd, 1863, filed for record September 22, 1897, and recorded in Vol. 19, pages 257 and 258, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from John J. Woodson to H. B. Massengale, dated November 12, 1872, filed for record November 12, 1872, and recorded in Vol. T, page 622, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from H. B. Massengale and wife, Ellender M. Massengale, to John J. Woodson, dated December 10, 1874, filed for record December 30, 1903, and recorded in Vol. 34, page 447, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Decree of partition in the Estate of J. J. Woodson, deceased, entered by the Probate Court of Houston County, Texas, under date of May 5, 1896, recorded in Vol. N, page 462 et seq., Probate Minutes of Houston County, Texas.

Release of mortgage from J. W. Hall to Molly E. Hassank and husband, J. E. Hassank, dated November 16, 1903, filed for record November 16, 1903, and recorded in Vol. 34, page 368, Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Release of deed of trust, First National Bank of Crockett to H. J. Hellrigle and E. D. Hellrigle, dated November 16, 1903, recorded in Vol. 34, page 367, Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from H. J. Hellrigle and husband, E. D. Hellrigle, to W. V. Berry, dated July 13, 1901, filed for record July 13, 1901, recorded in Vol. 27, page 258, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from M. H. Hassank and husband, J. E. Hassank, to W. V. Berry, dated July 13, 1901, filed for record July 15, 1901, recorded in Vol. 28, page 360, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from J. M. Jordan to W. V. Berry, dated December 16, 1903, filed for record December 16, 1903, and recorded in Vol. 34, page 428, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from J. M. Cason to G. W. Beeson, dated November 21, 1891, filed for record November 21, 1891, and recorded in Vol. 13, page 445, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from G. W. Beeson to J. M. Cason, dated April 4, 1892, filed April 4, 1892, and recorded in Vol. 14, page 182, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Release of deed of trust from J. E. Downes to J. M. Cason, dated February 26, 1896, filed February 26, 1896, and recorded in Vol. 5, page 560, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from J. M. Cason to G. W. Beeson, dated August 15, 1896, filed for record August 17, 1896, and recorded in Vol. 18, page 316, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from J. M. Cason to G. W. Beeson, dated November 21, 1898, filed November 21, 1898, and recorded in Vol. 24, page 49, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from G. W. Beeson to A. M. Langston, dated June 19, 1899, filed August 8, 1900, and recorded in Vol. 23, page 476, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from Corrie C. Langston to John S. Langston, dated October 26, 1900, filed October 27, 1900, recorded in Vol. 23, page 553, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Application of Margaret Josephine Langston to probate will of J. S. Langston, filed in Probate Court of Houston County, Texas, July 11, 1905, and recorded in Vol. U, page 145, of the Probate Records of Houston County, Texas.

Order of the Probate Court of Houston County, Texas, admitting to probate the will of John S. Langston, dated September 16, 1905, recorded in Vol. P, page 346, Probate Records of Houston County, Texas.

Will of J. S. Langston, dated April 27, 1905, recorded in Vol. U, page 145, of the Probate Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from Mrs. M. J. Langston to James Langston, dated March 8, 1910, filed for record March 24, 1910, recorded in Vol. 57, page 87, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Deed from James Langston to W. V. Berry, dated January 17, 1913, filed for record January 17, 1913, recorded in Vol. 66, page 196, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Grant from Mexican Government to Thomas R. Townsend, dated February 7, 1835, recorded in Vol. 34, page 426, of the Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

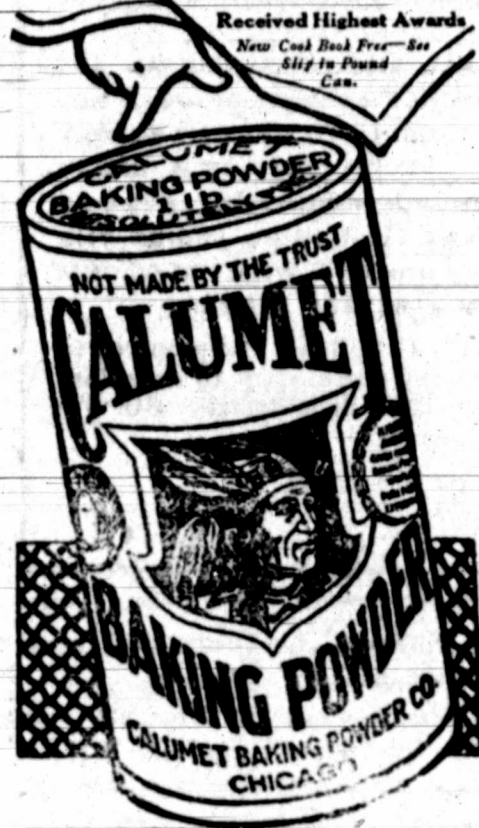
Deed from Luella Stafford and husband, R. N. Stafford, to W. V. Berry, dated Sept. 6, 1901, filed for record October 29, 1901, and recorded in Vol. 30, page 37.

Certified copy of judgment in case of W. V. Berry vs. Unknown Heirs of T. R. Townsend et al., rendered in the District Court of Houston County, under date of October 14, 1904, recorded in Vol. 40, page 427, Deed Records of Houston County, Texas.

Certified copy of judgment in case of W. V. Berry vs. Unknown Heirs of John C. Hagan et al., rendered in the District Court of Houston County, Texas, under date of October 13, 1905.



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Citation by Publication.
 The State of Texas, and County of Houston.

To the unknown owners and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in the land or lots hereinafter described, the same being delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, and the same lying and being situated in the County of Houston, and State of Texas, to-wit:

A part of the J. R. Burleson survey, Abstract 149, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the N. corner of the said J. R. Burleson survey at a stake for corner. Thence S. 35 E. 3115 vrs. to stake in E. B. line of said Burleson survey. Thence S. 55 W. 401 vrs. to the S. E. corner of the Cal Long 160 acre tract. Thence N. 35 W. 1991 vrs. to corner on the N. W. B. line of said Burleson survey, being the N. corner of the Sol Woods tract. Thence N. 55 E. with the N. W. B. line of said Burleson survey to the place of beginning, containing 142 acres of land more or less, which said property is delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes for the years 1897, 1904, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1913, 1914 and 1915 aggregating the sum of \$187.90, including interest, penalties and costs, said taxes having been legally levied, assessed and rendered against said land and lots, and the same being a lawful charge and constituting a prior lien against the same in favor of the State of Texas and County of Houston to secure the payment thereof.

And you are hereby commanded to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Houston County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Courthouse of said County, in the city of Crockett, on the Second Monday in October, A. D. 1916, the same being the 9th day of October, A. D. 1916, then and there to show cause why judgment should not be rendered against you and the said land and lots sold under foreclosure of said lien to satisfy said taxes, interest, penalties and costs, and all court costs; all of which, together with other and further relief, general and special, being fully set out and prayed for in the plaintiff's original petition filed in said court on the 14th day of September, 1916, and appearing on the docket thereof as suit No. 782, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff, and J. H. Painter, John Estes and the unknown owners and all persons owning or having or claiming any interest in said land or lots, are defendants.



Remember the story of the serpent charming the pigeon?

Well, Annette Delano, riding song bird of the Gentry Brothers' Shows—now combined—has a pigeon that charms the 29 foot, 4 inch, East Indian python in Doctor Palmer's annex to the show. Any day the pigeon may be seen hopping about the pit where the huge reptile is exhibited. As the bird moves contentedly about, the great kite shaped head of the snake describes slow arcs on the canvas floor. Its eyes are fixed on the pigeon. Suddenly, the bird will halt and turn its gaze upon the python. Beady little eyes bore into beady little eyes. But it is the giant constrictor that weakens. Its eyes grow dim. It falls into a sort of trance and seems to doze. Can it be that there is a closer relationship between the bird and the snake than the scientific chaps concede?

Annette Delano and her troupe of young lady riders, her remarkable carrier pigeons and the hundreds of renowned Gentry animal actors, human circus stars and unusual novelty features will be seen when the Gentrys come to Crockett on Saturday, October 7, to exhibit afternoon and night at LeGory and Georgia streets, north of Mr. G. Q. King's residence, south Crockett, and to parade the principal streets that morning with a mile of pageantry—an open air review of great beauty and colorful attractiveness.

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Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in the City of Crockett, in the County of Houston, this 14th day of September, A. D. 1916.

John D. Morgan, Clerk, District Court, Houston Co., Tex.

Administrator's Notice.

The State of Texas, County of Houston.
 Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was duly appointed by E. Winfree, Judge of the County Court of said County, on the 14th day of August, A. D. 1916, at a regular term thereof, administrator of the estate of T. A. Fuller, deceased, with the will annexed, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to me at my residence in Crockett, Houston County, Texas, which is my postoffice address.

Witness my signature, at Crockett, Texas, this the 11th day of September, A. D. 1916.

L. L. Moore, Administrator of the estate of T. A. Fuller, deceased, with the will annexed.

including open and closed cages' camel tandem teams, mounted bands, 209 ponies, beautiful horses, elephants, dromedaries, clowns, tableau wagons and Mother Goose floats filled with the most beautiful and most intelligent performing dogs in the world.

Nowhere but in the arena of Gentry Brothers' Shows will one find elephants, camels, dromedaries, horses, ponies, monkeys and dogs working together in big mixed animal acts. And between the pachyderms and the beautiful Gentry collie dogs there is a firm and touching friendship. When the biggest elephant in the herd sinks to its bended knees over the reclining figure of the smallest collie, apparently crushing the dog flatter than the proverbial pancake, the canine's tail can be seen wagging its cheerful confidence in the brother performer. All of the Gentry animals are versatile. The elephants play baseball, serenade on band instruments and engage in a wide range of acrobatics and drills. One of the pachyderms plays two instruments at once in the elephant band—the alto horn and the base drum. How? Easy. The drum stick used is the product of the mother nature. It is the elephant's tail. This is the "jumbo" that pitches on the Gentry Zooland nine, an aggregation of the heaviest hitters in the world. Aerial, bar, ground and novelty circus acts add to the most fascinating performance under canvas.

Veterinarian With Gentry Bros.

People who love horses, ponies and dogs—and there are few of us who do not—may be interested in the news that this year Gentry Brothers are carrying with their famous shows a veterinarian, a highly specialized surgeon and practitioner, who explains to visitors interested in animals how Gentry Brothers carry over 200 ponies on the road and never have any ill for any length of time. This is true of the Gentry horses and dogs, also, to say nothing of the other animals in the interesting menagerie of the circus.

The veterinary surgeon is Dr. Samuel A. Bradley, who invites stockmen and dog fanciers to visit him at the circus grounds in Crockett on Saturday, October 7, when Gentry Brothers' Famous Shows come to town.

Not only does Dr. Bradley tell how the Gentry animals are kept in the superb condition for which they are renowned, but he will tell how and demonstrate how to keep your horses, ponies and dogs in the same wonderful condition. If you care for any of the remedies that the Gentrys have perfected in thirty years' experience with the highest class animal exhibitions in America, Dr. Bradley is prepared to direct you to their immediate fulfillment.

First Big Foot Ball Game.

Texas A. & M. vs. University of Louisiana, Galveston, Saturday, October 14. Popular excursion tickets via I. & G. N. for trains arriving Galveston Saturday morning, October 14; return limit Monday, October 16. Exceptionally low rates. See ticket agent, I. & G. N. Railway. 2t.

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You don't leave your rig in the middle of the road and go to a fence post to read a sale bill, do you? Then don't expect the other fellow to do it.

Put an ad in the paper, then, regardless of the weather, the fellow you want to reach reads your announcements while seated at his fireside.

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An ad in this paper reaches the people you are after.

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Don't think of having a special sale without using advertising space in this paper.

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Quality, the Keynote of our "Good Printing," means dependability.

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

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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.

AUXILIARY CAMPAIGN COMMITTEES MAY NOW GET BUSY.

This circular is issued by the Woodrow Wilson Campaign Fund committee:

Gentlemen—Appended below we beg to give a list of the committees over this county who are expected to assist in raising funds for meeting the legitimate expenses incurred and to be incurred in the campaign for the re-election of President Wilson, to-wit:

Grapeland—W. D. Granberry, chairman; Dr. Sam Kennedy, secretary and treasurer; B. R. Eaves, C. L. Halton, C. W. Kennedy, T. H. Leaverton, W. R. Wherry.

Lovelady—C. C. Allen, chairman; W. F. Dent, secretary and treasurer; W. B. Collins, J. O. Monday, G. L. Murray, C. R. Rich and J. B. Turner.

Daily's—W. P. Kyle, chairman; J. L. Childs, secretary and treasurer; Tom Daily, Henry Daily and J. H. Beasley.

Porter Springs—A. B. Mulligan, chairman; Silas Cook, secretary and treasurer; Ad Hester, J. T. Simmons and J. C. Webb.

Weldon—W. A. Moore, chairman; J. F. Rosamond, M. F. Rosamond, B. F. Gardner, Burt Goodrum, Ed Thompson and Ira Jeffus.

Percilla—G. R. Sewell, chairman; Oscar Dennis, secretary and treasurer; M. E. Adams, T. J. Cook and C. W. Butler, Sr.

Augusta—Jim McLean, chairman; Wm. H. Long, secretary and treasurer; C. A. Moore, W. H. Wall, J. S. Long, Sloan Cook, Henry Newman and Henry Holcomb, Sr.

Weches—J. B. Alexander, chairman; W. L. Vaught, secretary and treasurer; J. B. Womack, J. W. Gregg, Dr. Dillard, G. W. Ferguson and J. A. Lovelady.

Belott—Nat Patton, chairman; Claude Monk, secretary and treasurer; J. J. Taylor, Tom Duren and J. W. Manning.

Tadmor—Mr. McMorris, chairman; Keat Conner, secretary and treasurer; J. O. Wells, Sam Patton, J. A. Saxon and Sloan Brown.

Ratcliff—Frank Weimar, chairman; John Childress, secretary and treasurer; G. M. Mahoney, J. H. Ratcliff, John Hamner and Arch Gibson.

Kennard—H. F. Craddock, chairman; Hugh English, secretary and treasurer; J. R. Monk, W. H. Spinks, Lewis Berry, Dr. W. C. Millar, Will Brown and D. F. Morgan.

The committee at Crockett was appointed some time ago and their names are not repeated here because they have already been published.

It is important that each of you organize and "go to work" at once. The National Democratic Committee is badly in need of money, and you can send the money you collect to either of us, or to Hon. Wilbur W. Marsh, national treasurer, 30 E. 42nd St., New York, N. Y., or to Hon. R. Bonna Ridgeway, chairman Texas Central Committee, Fort Worth, Texas, but we will thank you to send us a list of the contributors and amounts contributed so we may keep a record of the same

and be able to know what democrats of this county are doing for the cause.

In a letter just received from Mr. Walsh he says: "If I can get every ounce of co-operation from all over the country in the same way that I have been getting it from your state, there would be no doubt of the result." Now let Houston county democrats do their duty and "have a hand" in the re-election of our great president. Begin now.

J. W. Madden, Co. Chairman.
W. W. Aiken, Sec'y and Treas.,
Crockett, Texas.

The Courier is the organ of no particular religious denomination. It makes no difference with us what church you belong to or where your church is located, if you are not attending its services you are missing a privilege. All congregations are represented among our readers and patrons, and what we have been saying and are going to say about going to church is as much in the interest of one church as another. Anything in the interest of any particular congregation comes under the head of advertising and can be handled only as such by a well-regulated public journal. The Courier is for all the people and therefore for all the established religious denominations in the county.

A number of newspapers over the state have suspended publication on account of the high costs. The Alvin Advocate is among the last to go out of business. The Courier has guarded against further advances by stocking up with a year's supply. Those who have not done so are up against a hard proposition. A dollar and a half a year will not help them much. We expect to see news print paper go to \$100 a thousand pounds in less than two months.

The Courier has had a record-breaking run on subscription renewals this week, which makes us feel like taking on more steam and making a record-breaking run for a better newspaper in 1917. We realize that there is no better way to show our patrons our appreciation of their patronage than to give them their money's worth, and that we propose to do.

Our friends can help us by telling our advertisers that their advertisements were seen in the Courier. The Courier management is careful to take nothing but clean advertising. We therefore recommend our advertisers and ask our subscribers to patronize them whenever it is possible to do so.

The Courier supplies an advertising service that stands for business building, square dealing and best results. The business man who is not taking advantage of such a service is contributing more money through the loss of business than the advertising would cost him.

To our subscribers who have so generously responded to our invitation to "get in" on the present low subscription rate and to those who contemplate doing so: The book-keeper thanks you, and all, from the editor to the devil, appreciate your patronage.

A subscriber, renewing his own subscription, put his finger on the name of a neighbor and said: "There's a man whose word is as good as any bond." He could not pay his neighbor a stronger compliment.

Merchants who have been buying wrapping paper lately know something of the advance in the cost of paper and those who will have to buy ledgers on the first of the year will know more.

Campaign Fund Contributors.

Following is a list of democrats contributing to the Woodrow Wilson Campaign Fund in the amounts set opposite their names:

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| Mike Younas | 1 00 |
| Mrs. Mary C. Douglass | 1 00 |
| Rev. S. F. Tenney | 1 00 |
| A. B. Burton | 1 00 |
| W. B. Wall | 1 00 |
| Dr. M. A. Thomas | 1 00 |
| Press Agt. Gentry Bros. Show | 1 00 |
| P. D. Austin | 1 00 |
| Total | \$41 00 |

These amounts have been paid in to me and Dallas exchange secured for the total, which has been turned over to our chairman, Hon. J. W. Madden, who will forward the same to R. Bonna Ridgeway, state chairman, to whom the exchange is made payable. W. W. Aiken, Secretary and Treasurer.

October 2, 1916.

Will Move to Ballinger.

The Houston county friends of Oscar Goodwin, and there are many of them, will regret to learn that he is preparing to move away. He is offering for sale his entire farm equipment, preparatory to moving to Ballinger. As one of the county's liveliest and most progressive citizens, his absence will be felt in all parts of the county, but felt most in the Wesley Chapel community, where the success of the Wesley Chapel community fair is largely attributable to his untiring energy. While our people regret in no small measure his removal to another section, they at the same time wish him unbounded success in the home of more recent adoption. The Courier wishes to assure the people of Ballinger that what they are gaining in the acquisition of Mr. Goodwin and his most estimable family is considered no small loss in its own section, Houston county extends congratulations to Ballinger and wishes Mr. Goodwin and family a full measure of well-merited success in their new home-town.

Wrong Thing Covered.

Last week a special article was contributed to the Echo regarding the matter of a clean-up day for Richardson. Our compositor made one sentence read, "Our folks are covered with weeds and grass." This should have read: "Our walks are covered with weeds and grass." As the article was not signed by the writer's name, no one has been assassinated following the wrong wording of this and we hasten to correct before some fatality results. —Richardson Echo.

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Go to Church. What Would the Country Be Without Its Churches?

If you are an unbeliever and don't GO TO CHURCH, don't be a scoffer at religion. While the GO TO CHURCH movement has been sweeping the country like a prairie fire, there are found in every community men who seek to belittle it. To these men a special appeal here is made. What would the country be without its churches? What would it be without religion? Just ponder for a minute. There would be an era of lawlessness and crime that would be awful to contemplate.

Even unbelievers will admit that the churches benefit a community. Of course there may be some people who GO TO CHURCH just for the appearance of things. But happily there are thousands who are sincere in their religious belief and their worship of God. These people help to make this glorious country what it is. Statistics show that there is a MINIMUM OF CRIME in communities where there are plenty of churches. The most hardened criminal has been reached by an appeal to his BETTER NATURE, by an appeal to his belief in a Supreme Being.

BASICALLY, EVERYBODY IS ALL RIGHT: TO USE AN APT SAYING, "THERE'S A LOT OF BAD IN THE BEST OF US, A LOT OF GOOD IN THE WORST OF US." GOING TO CHURCH SURELY BRINGS OUT THE BEST IN US. PROPINQUITY IS A GREAT THING. A MAN WHO GOES TO CHURCH REGULARLY, EVEN AS A MATTER OF FORM, EVENTUALLY IS SURE TO IMBIBE THE TEACHINGS OF GOD. THE ENVIRONMENT WILL MAKE HIM RIGHTEOUS. IT WILL MAKE HIM A BETTER CITIZEN.

It is not enough that you GO TO CHURCH. Be prepared to answer the scoffer. Don't give him any peace. Try to show him where he is wrong. Everybody can do a little for the GO TO CHURCH movement. Are you doing it?

It is not enough that you GO TO CHURCH.

GET OTHERS TO GO.

A Lyceum Course at Grapeland.

Next Monday night, at the school auditorium at Grapeland, Miss Annie Therese Davault, a reader of repute, will give an entertainment. The people of Crockett who are interested in high-class entertainments of this nature will have an opportunity of enjoying this. The train schedule at present is such that anyone can leave Crockett at 7:48 p. m. and get to Grapeland in time to see the beginning of the entertainment, and return to Crockett shortly after the entertainment is over, leaving Grapeland at 11:30 p. m. Some people might prefer to make the trip in an auto. The roads are good.

Miss Davault will open the lyceum course at Grapeland. Booth Lowry, the Winona Club, the Mallory Club, the Morrow Bros., all of established reputations, will give entertainments at later dates. Grapeland is the only town between Palestine and Houston that is fortunate enough to have made engagements with the Dixie Lyceum Company. It.

For Disturbing the Peace.

Dave Atmer, a negro who has lived around Crockett for a long time, was arrested Saturday morning by Sheriff Spence for disturbing the peace. Dave was working at Oscar Goodwin's syrup mill near Wesley Chapel and was intoxicated. He became enraged at something Mr. Goodwin said to him and wanted to fight. To protect himself, Mr. Goodwin went to his house and got his pistol. Returning to the mill, Dave was more arrogant than ever, and in order to keep from being driven away from his own mill and to protect his life, Mr. Goodwin shot the negro, the bullet striking in some fleshy part of the body. Sheriff Spence, having been notified of the occurrence, found Dave drunk and asleep. He brought the negro to Crockett and locked him in jail under a charge of disturbing the peace. Monday Dave had sobered up and gotten in a good humor, and was released under a bond of \$100. He has a bad reputation when drunk.

Box Party at Majestic and Supper.

Francis P. Chandler delightfully surprised Mrs. Chandler by arranging a box party at the Majestic last evening in honor of their first wedding anniversary. After the theatre the party enjoyed a supper at

McKinnon's where toasts were drunk to Mr. and Mrs. Chandler.

The personnel included Mr. and Mrs. Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. T. Hamilton Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. J. Waters.—Houston Chronicle.

Statement of the Ownership, Management, Etc.

Required by the act of congress of August 24, 1912, of the Crockett Courier, published weekly at Crockett, Texas, for October, 1916:

State of Texas, County of Houston, ss. Before me, a notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared W. W. Aiken, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the owner of the Crockett Courier, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, to-wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, managing editor and business managers are: W. W. Aiken, Crockett, Texas.
2. That the owners are: W. W. Aiken, Crockett, Texas.
3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages or other securities are: None.

(Signed) W. W. Aiken.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 24th day of September, 1916.
Tom Aiken, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 1, 1917.



Design by Association of American Neckwear Manufacturers.

PERKY COMBINATION.

Out of 175 models chosen as representative of correct fall neckwear this one illustrated was picked for its novelty and charm. The cape is of white organdie, from which depend tulle ends that fold and tie in a chic bow.

To the Boys

A GAIN it is our pleasure to mention that we have on display in our store the best and most complete line of boys' suits ever shown in Crockett. They are of the Norfolk Knickerbocker kind, having the snap and style the boys like—all beautiful fitting garments. We offer them to you at—

\$4, \$5, \$6, \$6.50, \$7, \$7.50
\$8, \$9 and \$10.

Carleton & Berry

The Store for Boys

Local News Items

Mrs. M. E. Lipscomb, who has been a reader of this paper since its first issue, sends us her subscription renewal. We wish to thank Mrs. Lipscomb for her patronage and to wish her many years more of life's enjoyments.

This paper will be a weekly visitor to Miss Clarite Elliott, who is a student of the Ward-Belmont school, Nashville, Tenn. Miss Elliott wishes to keep informed in regard to Crockett happenings and knows of no better way.

F. M. McDonald of Creek Route 1 called Tuesday and not only renewed his subscription, but had another year added. He said that as he expected to continue to read the Courier, he would pay now and save the price increase.

Automobile Registrations.

No. 272, Henry Newman, Augusta, a Chevrolet.

No. 273, Mrs. E. C. Satterwhite, Crockett, a Maxwell.

No. 274, E. L. Frisby, Grapeland, a Ford.

No. 275, G. W. Shaver, Grapeland, a Studebaker.

Carroll Downes of Philadelphia, Pa., sends his check to the Courier with the request that his subscription figures be extended and adds: "I wish to assure you that I read nothing with more interest than your publication. It brings to my mind the most interesting times and the memory of associations with splendid Crockett people."

Millinery Bargains

I have bought a fine line of sample hats, all the latest designs and styles, that I will close out at prices below what they can be bought at wholesale. Now will be the chance to procure your fall hat at the right price.

THE VOGUE MILLINERY

A short cotton crop and plenty of feed beat a big cotton crop and no feed. The man who has made his living at home and a few bales on the outside is independent, and if he is independent, he will have plenty of livestock coming on for the market.

Subscribers have first call with the Courier. Other patrons are appreciated, but when there is a conflict of interests, the interests of our subscribers have first call. And from the way they are renewing, they appreciate the truthfulness of this statement.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Saunders left Sunday morning for Houston, where Mrs. Saunders will visit relatives for a week or more. Mr. Saunders is now on the road as a travelling representative for the Mutual Film Company. His headquarters will be Houston and Crockett.

H. D. Whitehead of Pennington was here Thursday morning. He sold some cotton seed at a good price and called around to renew his subscription. Mr. Whitehead has some cotton that he has not yet put on the market and the Courier hopes that he may get 18 cents or more for it.

W. V. Meek of Route 2 has had his subscription figures extended to include the year 1917. Mr. Meek is a reasonable man and is convinced that a county newspaper cannot be published under present business conditions at the rate of a dollar a year, but at the same time he is saving 50 cents a year by paying in advance, and he does not want to be without his county newspaper.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Worthington and little son of Dallas are visiting relatives here. They came overland, travelling in an automobile, and met with a serious accident after leaving Grapeland. Their automobile became unmanageable and ran into a post or fence, throwing the child against the wind shield and seriously cutting his face and an arm. A physician was summoned, the wounds dressed and the trip continued in another automobile.

Come to See Us.

Our subscribers have not been slow to appreciate our position in regard to the threatened paper famine and they are sticking to us. As a result the Courier, for the first time in its history, is going to have an actual paid-in-advance subscription list. Nearly every subscriber paying up now is renewing for a year in advance and in some cases two and even three years. There may be a few, however, who may not feel able to take advantage of the present low price on advance payments and we want them to feel that their patronage is appreciated just the same. Come to see us.

Beats Any Metropolitan Daily.

A good friend who formerly lived in Crockett, but who is now living in one of the larger cities of the state, in a personal letter to the Courier editor, under date of September 27, writes among other things: "Enclosed find check for two dollars for two years subscription for the Courier, beginning next month. My subscription is paid up to the 15th of next month, I believe, and this check will extend it two years from that time. In this connection permit me to say that the little home paper, the Courier, holds more interest for me than any metropolitan daily and I eagerly watch for it each week." Personal acknowledgment of a compliment so much appreciated by the editor seems demanded, but the Courier editor, being a busy man, will have to content himself with this public expression of his appreciation. The compliment is appreciated in its truest and deepest sense.

Have You Ever Stopped To Think

That you could get a bigger and better light for less money? Try some of the "Packard Mazda Lights" and note the results.

The McLean Drug Company

Phone Two-Four

Cotton at Sixteen Cents.

The Crockett cotton market reached the 16-cent point Monday and Tuesday. A bale and the seed now bring considerably over a hundred dollars. The high price, the low cost of gathering a small crop, and the splendid feed crop that has been made, are helping the short cotton crop wonderfully.

Go to Church Sunday.

Will you please go to church next Sunday?

Will you please go to church next Sunday and take with you any one you can get to go?

Will you please invite all strangers you see to go also?

Let everybody go to church next Sunday and keep it up by going every Sunday.

We need to go and the church needs us. Let's go.

Protected Against Further Advances.

The increase in the subscription price of a county newspaper from a dollar to a dollar and a half a year is small when compared with the increase in the price of news print paper, which has advanced from \$28 a thousand pounds to \$70 a thousand and is still advancing. The Courier has protected its patrons from further advances by laying in an adequate supply for many months to come.

An Honest Man.

A subscriber came into our office a few days ago and said: "I want to pay you what I owe on the Courier. I am further behind than I ought to be, but it happened this way: I moved away and was gone a year; when I came back I found that the Courier had kept coming to my box. I am going to pay for this year because I failed to do my duty and notify you of my change." And he did. He is an honest man.

Houston County Auto Drivers.

Anybody can be careless. It takes brains to be safe.

Be careful every day all the day, including the night.

Make "Safety First"—your middle name.

When hurry interferes with safety, cut out the hurry.

Be wreckless—not reckless.

A careful auto driver is the best safety device.

Low Rate Subscription Offer.

There is no advance in the Courier's subscription price until December 1 and not then if the subscription is paid in advance. Many subscribers are availing themselves of the opportunity of paying in advance and saving the extra 50 cents a year. There is no limit to the number of years a subscriber may pay at the present low rate of a dollar a year. Unparalleled business conditions compel us to raise the subscription price to \$1.50 a year on and after December 1, 1916. We invite every subscriber on our books to participate in the present low rate subscription offer. New subscriptions are handled on the same basis as are renewals.

Do Facts Count?

Well, we think so. Many customers tell us we saved them money when we filled their prescriptions. We want more economical people coming our way—the kind that don't mind asking the price of a prescription before it is filled. You are entitled to know, whether you pay cash or have it charged. No one ever buys a horse without asking the price. Come to us and ask the price whether you let us fill your prescriptions or not. We don't feel sore because you don't trade with us. Who knows, you may come our way some day. We are looking for you with our close prices and long arm of service.

tf. Crockett Drug Company.

BIG AUCTION SALE

Tuesday, October 10

The entire equipment of O. C. Goodwin's farm will be sold at public auction on the farm, five miles northwest of Crockett, on Tuesday, October 10, 1916.

Sale Begins at 2:30 P. M.

Sale will be made of all teams, tools, cattle, four milch cows, hogs, one 8-H. P. gasoline engine, grist mill and feed grinder, power syrup mill, corn, hay, one cream separator, etc. This is your chance to supply your needs in the above line at a small cost.

Don't forget the date, Tuesday, October 10, 1916, on the farm. I must close out at once in order to engage in other business.

Will Also Sell or Rent the Farm.

O. C. GOODWIN
CROCKETT, TEXAS

The Correct Way to Treat a Cough

A cough is not a distinct disease. It is the result of inflammation caused by a cold. Therefore, the only way to cure a cough is to allay the inflammation which invades the delicate bronchial tubes. All of the narcotics in the world will not correct the conditions which cause a cough—they simply deaden the senses and afford temporary relief.

Nyal's Winter Cough Remedy

will promptly soothe and heal the inflamed membranes and tissues and stop the accumulation of waste matter and overcome the nervous irritation. It is a safe vegetable remedy which cures by removing the cause.

Price 25 Cents

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Bishop Drug Company
THE PROMPT SERVICE STORE

Local News.

Wanted—Peanut hay. See Mrs. A. A. Aldrich. tf.

J. B. Broderick of Lufkin was here Wednesday.

John F. Gilbert was at home from Tyler Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Edmiston announce the arrival of a son.

See our ring display tonight. It. The Rexall Store.

Miss Ruth Ross of Weldon was among the visitors here last week.

Hunting time will soon be here. Let H. G. Patton supply you with shells. It.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Morgan returned Saturday from a visit to Dallas.

Mrs. J. W. Howard and children of Grapeland visited relatives here Friday.

H. G. Patton is sick, but he appreciates past favors and asks for your trade again. It.

R. T. Kent of Grapeland was among the number renewing for the Courier Saturday.

H. G. Patton will still give you the "most of the best for the least." Let us figure on your bill. It.

Mrs. P. D. Austin is attending the meeting of the Grand Chapter of the Eastern Star at Corpus Christi.

Miss Hazel Parker of Lovelady, after a visit to Miss Wilma Shivers, returned home Saturday night.

New styles and new designs in White, Wile & Warner stores. It. The Rexall Store.

I will pay the top prices for your cotton seed. Will also fill your orders for hulls and meal. tf. R. E. Hale.

Triangle Plays

Mae Marsh and Robert Harron

A Child of the Paris Streets

Fine Arts Production

ALSO ALL STAR KEYSTONE COMEDY

Queen, October 14

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Castleberg, two children and Mr. Castleberg's mother have returned from an automobile trip to Arkadelphia, Ark.

A. H. (Doc) Smith, a Crockett boy achieving success in the drug business at Nacogdoches, sends his subscription renewal to the Courier.

Mrs. Becky Stephens of Lovelady sends an appreciated subscription renewal to this paper, as has been her custom for a number of years.

H. J. Laird of Lovelady Rt. 1 was among Monday's callers at this office—calling to renew his subscription and to add another year onto that.

Will Carson of Creek was here Wednesday and renewed his subscription for the Courier. He makes money by mixing livestock with farming.

Hugh Adams of Route 2 was an appreciated visitor at this office Wednesday morning, calling to renew his subscription and to swap farm talk.

Alvin Waller, manager of the coal mine commissary at Wootters, while here Tuesday renewed his subscription to the Courier for another year.

James Kennard, a colored subscriber living on Route 5, called Tuesday and renewed his subscription. He said he would call again before December 1.

Mrs. T. H. McAfee of Rayne, La., who is pleasantly remembered in Crockett as Miss Abrah Cary, has the thanks of this paper for her subscription renewal.

Mrs. John L. Dunwoody of Tucumcari, N. M., will be a reader of the Courier from this issue forward, as the result of a visit of her father, Mr. J. W. Hall, to this office.

George Wilcox and little daughter of Creath were pleasant visitors at this office Friday, and as a result Mr. Wilcox's subscription figures have been extended into 1918.

R. P. Teal of Pennington was here Wednesday to pay his taxes and renew his newspaper subscription. Mr. Teal always pays his taxes early and his subscription in advance.

G. H. Duren of Route 6, Monroe Anderson of Route 1 and A. P. Bolch of Route 6 were among our friends who remembered us Friday with their subscription renewals.

M. J. Parnell and Elmer Sullivan of Percilla, Lee Wagner and Frank Harris are among the number who have remembered the Courier with their subscriptions since last issue.

C. H. Jones was among the number renewing for the Courier Tuesday. Mr. Jones is now living in Crockett, having recently moved here from Denton with his family.

K. J. Smith of Elmendorf, Bexar county, sends three dollars to this office to apply on his subscription, back and forward, but mostly forward. Mr. Smith is now paid into 1918.

Mr. W. A. R. French is sending the Courier to his brother, Arnold French, at Senatobia, Miss. He reports a short cotton crop in Mississippi, from which state he has just returned.

Closing Out.

We are closing out our automobile agency, and will sell at a sacrifice our Baby Grand Chevrolet demonstration car—has been used but very little.

Hall & McLean.

War on Mosquitoes.

No matter what you are using, get a can of Ross' "Dead Quick" Spray. If you do not find it the quickest relief from the pests, go back and get your money. It kills and drives mosquitoes from your home. Sold in Crockett by McLean Drug Co.—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.

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CROCKETT, TEXAS

The Pillory

In Five Parts

A scathing denunciation of bigotry and most effectively portaying types of character such as Hawthorne made immortal in "The Scarlet Letter."

Featuring the favorite Florence La Badie

Queen, October 13

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Auto Registrations.

No. 276, Richard Pennington, Grapeland, a Dodge.
No. 277, O. C. Aldrich, Crockett, a Ford.
No. 278, R. B. Edens, Grapeland, a Dodge.
No. 279, W. F. Melton, Kennard, a Ford.
No. 280, H. F. Craddock, Kennard, a Chevrolet.
No. 281, Hardin Pennington, Grapeland, a Ford.

LODGE DIRECTORY

CROCKETT LODGE, NO. 901, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, meets every Saturday night at 8:00 o'clock. Members urged to attend, visitors welcomed. J. N. Snell, N. G.; Tom Aiken, secretary.

Your Ad. in The Courier, Crockett's foremost newspaper, will bring business to you that now goes to a mail order house.

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