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Railroad from Kennard to Crockett.

On the tenth of this month Representative J. D. Sallas and the secretary of the Commercial Club, accompanied by delegations from Kennard and Ratcliff, motored to Lufkin to attend a meeting of the directors of the East-Texas Railway company. This road extends from Lufkin to Kennard, a distance of thirty miles. Several years ago it was purchased by the Cotton Belt company and has since been operated as a branch of that extensive system. A large share of the revenue has been derived from the mill interests located at Ratcliff, and when the announcement was recently made that the mill was going to permanently shut down about the first of November, the question naturally arose as to what disposition the Cotton Belt would make of this branch, from the viewpoint that without the mill tonnage it would not pay operating expenses. Would they take the track up and abandon the right of way or could they be induced to extend the track to Crockett?

This pilgrimage was made to Lufkin on the tenth with a view of finding an answer. The meeting developed nothing more than the fact that the general officers failed to appear. After discussing the matter with Judge Mantooh, general attorney for the company, it was decided to address the division superintendent at Tyler, and Mr. Fisher was instructed to do this. The day

following a letter was mailed to Mr. Callahan, superintendent, that was promptly acknowledged and forwarded to the general manager. Following is the reply of the general manager:

Tyler, Texas, October 18.
Mr. H. A. Fisher, Secretary,
Crockett Commercial Club,
Crockett, Texas.

I am in receipt of yours October 11, addressed to Superintendent Callahan, which he referred to me, as stated in his letter to you of October 14, regarding the extension of our line from Kennard to Crockett.

Your kind expressions are appreciated, but, in view of present conditions with respect to cost of material, shortage of labor, etc., believe that it would be an inopportune time to consider the suggested extension just now. As you are aware practically no construction work is being done anywhere at this time.

Yours very truly,
J. Russell,
General Manager.

Mr. A. N. Callaway of Tyler, one of the best photographers in Texas, has opened a studio on the north side of the square, opposite the court house, and invites you to call on him and see his work. Mr. Callaway makes as fine photos as can be had in Texas, and is prepared to make photos at your home by electricity, having a 10,000 candle power machine which enables him to make strictly first-class work either by night or day.

Circuses and Automobiles.

Tuesday was circus day and, it seemed, automobile day. The sidewalks and streets were thronged with people and, as the automobile is now the principal mode of travel, the streets were jammed with sputtering and honking motor vehicles. Numerous minor accidents were reported.

The wife of a prominent citizen of a neighboring town lost control of her car at the northwest corner of Public avenue and Houston street with the result that an iron post in front of the Crockett Drug Company was torn down and two or three people slightly injured by being caught between the automobile bumper and the building. One of the men had his leg badly

bruised, but not broken, as was reported.

A more serious accident occurred at the intersection of Public avenue and North street, where Rosie Fobbs, a young negro woman and daughter of Joe Fobbs, living a few miles from town, was knocked down and run over by a "jitney" car driven by Charles Martin, a Crockett young man. The woman was taken to a doctor's office, and it was reported late Tuesday evening that she had died, but a later report Wednesday morning was that she is still alive with a small chance for recovery.

Martin was arrested by the sheriff or deputies and placed under a bond of \$500.

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A box supper will be given at Porter Springs Friday night, October 26, for the benefit of athletics and play-ground equipment. Mr. Barker Tunstall of Crockett, with his talented troupe of musicians, will render a program free. Every one is invited to attend.

J. J. Rice, Principal,
Porter Springs School.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sweetman of Palestine have announced the marriage of their daughter, Emory, to Dr. Elliott H. Converse on Wednesday, October 17, at Palestine. Both the bride and the bridegroom are well known in Crockett, where they have visited on several occasions. They have the best wishes of our people.

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DR. Wm. T. MALONE
OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN

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CROCKETT, TEXAS

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W. W. AIKEN, Editor and Proprietor.

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WHAT'S THE USE OF MONEY, ANYWAY, UNLESS WE WIN THE WAR?

This is the reply to the man who says, "I can do better with my money than buying Liberty Bonds."

He cannot do better. He cannot do as well. He means that he can obtain a higher interest rate.

Let us suppose that everyone, or even a large number of men, talked this way. The loan would

fail. That would mean the defeat of civilization, and the triumph of Germany.

Tried almost beyond human endurance, our allies might "lie down," discouraged, disgusted. "Unlikely," you say, "they will fight on." This raises a point which is not yet thoroughly understood. It is money that is going to win this war. The supply of bravery amongst our own boys and our allies is ample; what they all need, what they must have, is money.

What would be the result of a wavering attitude on the part of our allies? Germany would take heart, possibly would make one supreme effort, and open the way for an invasion of this country, which our own fleet might not be able to frustrate.

Even supposing that as a result of her great effort, Germany was successful enough merely to force a draw, and an inconclusive peace, what would happen? Her every energy would be bent towards the object of invading this country at the earliest moment possible in order to replenish her bankrupted stores of money and supplies.

Let us presume that Germany has been so far successful that the war

is brought to our shores, and our export trade is at a standstill. Do you realize what would be the condition of trade? It would be paralyzed. Markets would fall to pieces, industries would be stopped, there would be country-wide unemployment. Enormous indemnities would have to be paid to Germany to call off her armies; taxes, so enormous that they would stagger the imagination, would have to be imposed, and the man who said, "I can do better with my money than buying Liberty Bonds," would feel himself to be the most foolish and mistaken man on earth. His dollar that he could "do better" with, would be worth maybe twenty-five to fifty cents to him.

Truly, "What's the use of money, anyway, unless we win this war?"

Liberty Bond Loan Suggestion.

Editor Courier:

I ask space in your paper to make the following suggestion in regard to the matter of liberty bonds, viz:

That the creditor classes allow their debtors to pay a portion of their debts in these bonds.

Unless something of this kind is done the great majority of the debtor class cannot buy any of these bonds, because the debts have to be paid, and when this is done no money is left with which to buy bonds.

Of course, objections to the suggestion are patent. It would mean that creditors would have to diminish their cash assets or reserves to the extent that their debtors should pay them in this way. Also, in localities where interest on debts exceeds 4 percent there would be a loss in interest to the extent of the excess.

I take it, therefore, that this privilege could not be extended to debtors to any wholesale amount, but could it not be done in a limited way? For the creditor the bond is

a good, safe investment, and he could use it in his business in paying his own debts or in borrowing money if he cared to do so.

In the South, the great majority of the people are farmers, and farming is the very back-bone of the business interests here. But these farmers were hard hit in 1914 and many of them have not yet been able to pay their debts. These debts must be paid insofar as they are able to pay them. Hence, the debtors can not buy liberty bonds, and thus help the government in this war, as thousands of them would like to do, without the consent of their creditors. But with that consent a two-fold advantage is the result, viz: The debtor pays his debts as far as his liberty bonds will pay them and the government gets the money. It also creates a source of income to the government which it can not hope to get otherwise.

This liberty loan proposition is a great big question. We are in this war and must win it. We can not afford to lose out in it. Money is one of the biggest factors for our success. It is as important as men and guns and munitions. The creditor classes have already made, and are still making, great sacrifices to help the government. They have been exceedingly patriotic. Now will they go just a little further and say to their debtors: "You can pay so much of your indebtedness to us in liberty loan bonds and we will credit you with the amount. It means a loss to us, but we will do it to enable you to buy bonds, knowing that you can not do so otherwise, and thereby help the government to get money to defray the war's expenses. This is better than for the people to have these expenses to pay in taxes, which may have to be done if they do not thus loan their money to the government. Taxes

will never come back, but the bonds will be paid. "Uncle Sam" never repudiates his paper." It is to be hoped this plan can be made to work. I submit it for whatever it is worth.
J. W. Madden.

Drawing Contests Are Lotteries.

Austin, Texas, October 16.—It was held Tuesday by the attorney general's department that any chance scheme, whereby customers are awarded prizes by chance, is a violation of the law. A scheme entered into by merchants proposing that for every dollar's worth of goods purchased, or for every dollar paid on account, a ticket is given that entitles the holder to participate in a drawing in which a number of prizes are distributed to the holders of the tickets, while numbers are drawn as per plan adopted, is a lottery and is prohibited by the penal code. This opinion was given to the county attorney at Bonham.

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CROCKETT, TEXAS

**McLENNAN COUNTY IS
NOW IN DRY COLUMN**

**Prohibitionists Win Election by Majority
Estimated at Nearly
1,500.**

Waco, Texas, Oct. 20.—McLennan County went into the dry column as a result of the election held today. The antis conceded their defeat early tonight when returns from certain city boxes did not come up to expectations. The majority is expected to be somewhere in the neighborhood of 1,500.

This is the first time McLennan County has ever voted in favor of prohibition. The last countywide election was held in 1912, at which time the antis won by a majority of 859. There are seventy saloons in the county, all but five of them being in Waco. There are five wholesale liquor houses in Waco. McLennan County has a population of about 80,000.

Lovely News.

Mr. W. B. Cochran has returned from Mineral Wells where he had accompanied Mrs. Cochran and daughter, Miss Earline. Glad to report Mrs. Cochran's health as improving.

Mrs. Bruner Smith of Longview spent last week with her parents at the Monday home.

Mrs. R. L. Frazier and little Miss Mary Bell are visiting in Dallas and at the same time taking advantage of sight seeing at the fair.

Mrs. W. H. Collins and Mrs. C. R. Rich returned Saturday from Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cooper of Brookshire, accompanied by Miss Mary Helen Bains, motored over in Mr. Cooper's "new Mitchell" and spent several days at the T. B. Perry home.

Mrs. W. O. Phipps and Miss Roberta Gayle and others left Friday night for Dallas, Fort Worth and other points.

Mrs. W. F. Rayburn, Mrs. J. H. Wakefield, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McCullar spent several days last week in Fort Worth, each having sons at Camp Bowie.

Mr. H. C. Marks and son attended the Dallas fair last week.

Mrs. W. H. Brown, Mrs. Stephens and Mrs. Wilkins have just returned from a motor trip over to see the boys at Camp Bowie, and all feel well pleased with the situation of affairs there.

Mrs. Sewell Browder was a visitor here last week.

Mrs. H. M. Barbee spent several days in Crockett.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Finley and Mrs. B. F. Abshier motored over from Liberty and were guests of Mrs. J. H. Jones recently.

Mrs. B. F. Ansley of Grapeland was a guest at the Moore home Sunday, having come to attend conference.

Mrs. C. C. Murray spent a few days with friends in town and also a while in Trinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Patrick motored up and spent Sunday evening with Mrs. J. M. Murray.

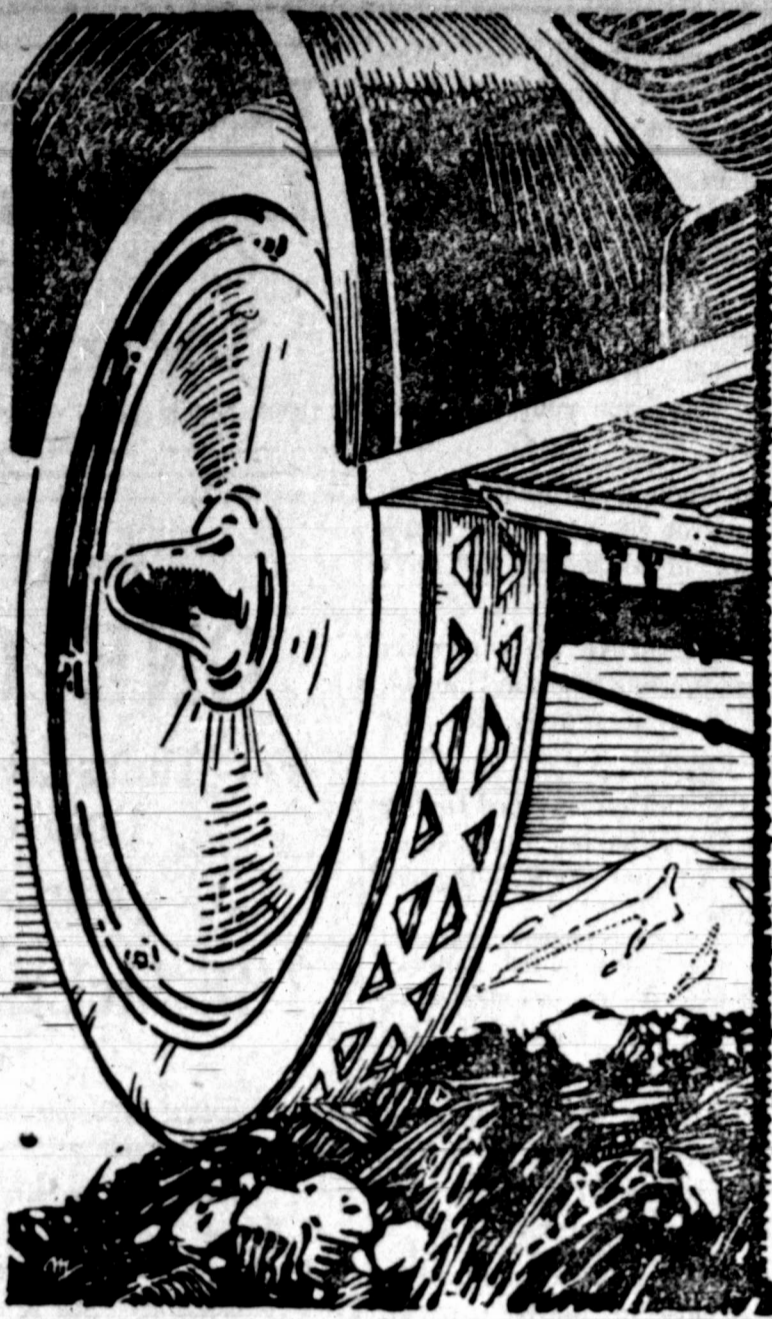
Miss Iva Bell Oates of Weldon was the guest of Mrs. N. A. Gant Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Cliff McDowell of Onalaska is visiting Mrs. W. T. Bruton.

Increased Postage Rates.

Patrons of the Crockett postoffice will take note that on and after November 2nd, 1917, upon all matter of the first class, postage will be charged at the rate of three cents an ounce or fraction thereof, and drop letters should be mailed at the rate of two cents per ounce or fraction thereof. Postal cards shall be transmitted through the mails at a postage charge of two cents each.

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Notice of Election.

The State of Texas, County of Houston.

On this the 9th day of October, A. D. 1917, the commissioners' court of Houston County, Texas, being in regular session, came on to be considered the petition of S. J. Patton and more than fifty other persons praying that bonds be issued by the territory hereinafter described and designated as Road District Number Four of Houston County, Texas, in the sum of Fifty Thousand (\$50,000.00) Dollars, bearing five per cent rate of interest, and maturing at such times as may be fixed by the orders of this court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty years from that date for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof; and it appearing to the court that said petition is signed by more than fifty of the resident property tax paying voters of said Road District Number Four and that the amount of said bonds to be issued will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said Road District Number Four of Houston County, Texas, and which is described by field notes as follows:

Beginning at the Southeast corner of the Antonio Barrazo League on the West bank of the Neches River in said Houston County, Texas. Thence South 45 West with the S B line on the Barrazo League 4200 vrs to the S W corner of same. Thence North 55 West 670 vrs J. G. Minto North corner. Thence North 70 West with A. A. Bain line 210 vrs his North corner, also the East corner of the Wm. Whitely survey, continue same course North 70 West in all 1845 vrs to the North corner of said Wm. Whitely survey. Thence South 18 West 4458 vrs with the Sanchez line to Sanchez S W corner. Thence with the said Sanchez W B line North 45 West 1300 vrs to the Northeast corner of the Ann Porter survey. Thence West with Ann Porter N B line 1015 vrs her N W corner on Wm. Vaughn E B line. Thence North with Vaughn E B line 457 vrs his N E corner. Thence West with the

N B line of the W. Vaughn survey and the S B line of the Robert S. Patton survey 2338 vrs stake on the E B line of the F. B. Conner league also the N W corner of the Chas. Johnson survey. Thence South 1200 vrs to Tom Harris Ell corner, also another corner of the Conner league. Thence South 60 West with Conner line 5310 vrs to another corner of same, also an Ell corner of the S. Pritchard survey. Thence South 80 West 750 vrs to S. Pritchard North corner on the E B line of the R. R. Russell survey. Thence West through said R. R. Russell survey 3846 vrs corner on Russell W B line. Thence South with the line of the J. C. Teague and R. R. Russell surveys 3400 vrs to Russell and Teague corner. Thence West with Teague S B line 2200 vrs corner. Thence South 400 vrs another of Teague's corners. Thence West 2800 vrs to Teague S W corner. Thence North 3898 vrs intersects Jacob Masters Jr. League. Thence North 45 West 750 vrs Jacob Masters Jr. corner. Thence South 45 West with his line 2000 vrs his South corner. Thence North 45 West 3750 vrs Jacob Masters Jr. West corner. Thence North 45 East 5682 5-10 vrs N E corner of said Masters League and N W corner of the J. Strode League, continuing same course with the N W B line of said Strode League 2150 vrs to corner of said Strode League on S B line of Wm. Davis League. Thence West with the S B line of the said Wm. Davis League 1447 vrs to his S W corner. Thence North 2379 vrs to the S E corner of the M. Sallas League and Ell corner of said Davis League. Thence North 38 West with the line of said Davis and Sallas Leagues 2860 vrs to San Pedro Creek, being the N W corner of said Davis League. Thence down said Creek with its meanders to where same crosses the W B line of the Dan McLean League and continuing down said Creek with its meanders through the said Daniel McLean League to the N B line of same on the Joel Young S B line. Thence East 400 vrs to Hardy Ware S W corner. Thence North 25 East with Hardy Ware W B line 4030 vrs stake on the bank of Neches River. Thence down said river to beginning.

It is therefore considered and ordered by the Court that an election

be held in said Road District Number Four of Houston County, Texas, on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1917, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order, to determine whether or not the bonds of said Road District Number Four of Houston County, Texas, shall be issued in the sum of Fifty Thousand (\$50,000.00) Dollars, bearing five per cent rate of interest and maturing at such times as may be fixed by the orders of this Court, serially or otherwise, not to exceed thirty days from their date, and whether or not a tax shall be levied upon the property of said Road District Number Four of Houston County, Texas, subject to taxation for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof at maturity. Notice of said election shall be given by publication in a newspaper published in said county for four consecutive weeks before the date of said election, and in addition thereto there shall be posted notices of such election at three public places in said Road District Number Four for three weeks prior to said election. Said election shall be held at the regular voting box at Weches and at the regular voting box at Belott and at special voting boxes situated in said Road District Number Four of Houston County, Texas, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said election, viz: at Weches, John Lovelady and Ed Smith; at Belott, Tom Duren and Will Creath; at Creath, M. B. Creath and Joe Merriwether. Said election shall be held under the provisions of Road District Act passed at the first called session of the 31st Legislature, and under the Road District Act passed by the regular session of the 35th Legislature, and only

qualified voters who are property tax payers of said Road District Number Four of Houston County, Texas, shall be allowed to vote, and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "For the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax in payment therefor," and those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words "Against the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax in payment therefor." The manner of holding the said election shall be governed by the laws of the State governing general elections, and copy of this order signed by the County Judge of said County shall serve as a proper notice of said election, and the County Judge is directed to cause said notices to be published in a newspaper published in said Houston County or in said Road District Number Four of Houston County, Texas, if there be a newspaper published therein, for four successive weeks next preceding said election, and cause to be posted a notice thereof at three public places in said Road District Number Four of Houston County, Texas, for three weeks prior to said election. E. Winfree, County Judge, Houston County, Texas. 4t.

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This is a straight question. Yet it is the one facing you today. The country which has protected you and your family, may well claim to be considered as your father, and as for the boys who are giving their lives for you, surely they have a right to be considered as your sons. This nation is one big family to-day. This war is a family affair.

Be a good father and a good son. Your sense of justice and fairness, your patriotism, is on trial.

When you remember that you are asked to give nothing, but only to end money by investing in LIBERTY BONDS, you have no choice in the matter. Your heart tells you that you MUST do it.

If you have to go short of some luxury—do it.

Save and invest in Liberty Bonds until it pinches you, and the sacrifice hurts. It is the duty of every real American.

You will lose nothing. The bond is always worth just about what you gave for it. Probably it will be worth more later. You will have saved just that amount of money you invest in Liberty Bonds, and be just so much better off.

A man who will not sacrifice anything for his country, is not a real man. The man who does make a sacrifice, is a real man, and a true American.

You—the man who is reading this, know these statements are fair and true ones. This appeal is not written in vain, because it is going to influence you. You are going to buy a Liberty Bond.

YOU PAY YOUR DEBTS.

Of course you do. Why? You could turn rascal, and possibly "get away with it." You pay your debts because you want the respect of your fellow men.

Have you paid your debt to your Country?

You have been running up a bill with Uncle Sam for years. He has protected you, educated you, guarded you and your property, educated your children, and today he is fighting a death struggle with a fellow who would rob and murder you if only he could get at you.

Now Uncle Sam wants you to dig down and loan him some money.

What are you going to do about it? Tell him you "can do better" with your money than loan it to him? Are you going to tell him you pay your debts to everyone else, but you refuse to pay your debts to him?

No. As an honest man, you are going to say: "Loan you money? Sure I will! Why if you asked me to give it to you, I would do it. But LOAN it, why sure!"

Millions of men are going to feel, and talk, and act, just this way. So are you!

Now, when are you going to do it? Why not today?

Perhaps you have wanted money some time in your life—most of us have. When did you want it? Right away, or in a month's time? Did you want to wait around wondering whether or not you were going to get the money? You did not!

Treat Uncle Sam the same way that you would wish to be treated yourself. Lend him the money now—willingly and quickly—today.

HOW TO SECURE A LIBERTY BOND.

You are satisfied that it is your duty to yourself and to your country to buy a Liberty Bond. Now you want to know just how to secure one. Go to any bank, sign an application form for the bond of the value desired.

The bonds are of the following values: \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000 and \$10,000.

Your banker will take your check for 2 per cent of the amount of the bond you decide to purchase. The remaining payments will be made as follows:

Eighteen per cent on Nov. 15, 1917. Forty per cent on Dec. 15, 1917. Forty per cent on Jan. 15, 1918.

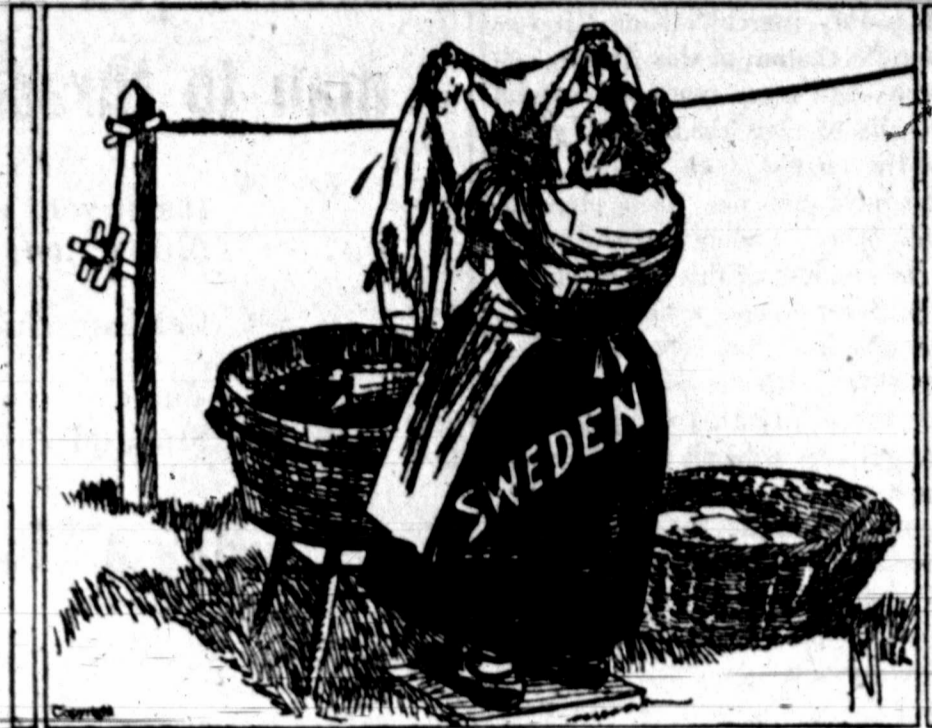
You can pay in full at time of application for any bond up to the value of \$1,000 if you wish.

If you care to pay for your bond in full at the time of application you can have your bond by about Oct. 10. If you pay by installments you will receive your bond as soon as you have finished paying for it.

The bonds are free from Federal, State or local taxes. In the case of wealthy people who pay income taxes, and hold bonds of over \$5,000, there is a small tax, but as far as the average man is concerned they are tax free.

The interest on the bonds is 4 per cent, payable to you on May 15

German Dye



HOW DOES IT CONCERN ME?

A fair question, always. Let us think for a while how the War and the Liberty Loan concerns the farmer.

We went to war with Germany partly because the rulers of that country refused to let us send to Europe our ships laden with grain and cotton. They sunk the ships and

cruelly murdered our sailors. Now suppose we allowed them to stop all our shipping, where would you be? None of your goods would be sold in foreign countries, with the result that you would get nothing like the prices which you get today. It is the enormous demand for what you produce, that is securing you high prices. If this demand were cut off, down would go prices. This war is being waged partly that you may obtain fair prices for your goods.

Farmers have been kept down in the matter of prices quite long enough, and the government and the people of this country, are not going to let a foreign power interfere with their business—which is your business.

Having entered the war in order that we may have the right to send your goods to any part of the world, what is going to happen if we lose the war? Prices of farm produce will "drop"; the Germans will impose taxation upon you which will cripple you for the next twenty years. Worse than that, if the Germans get over here, they will treat you in just the same way as they have the farmers of Northern France and Belgium. In these sections farm houses have been shot to pieces, crops wasted and burned; even fruit trees chopped down, the cattle stolen, the men sent into slavery to work for German masters, their women ill-treated in ways that cannot be talked of in print, their little children have had their hands chopped off in order that they may never fight for their country, or do any more useful work again.

You may say "such things will not happen here." They said this in France and in Belgium. Such things will happen here just as sure as you are alive, unless we smash the Germans so that they are utterly unable to reach the shores of this country. The German fleet and the German army will take just one week to get here if we are beaten. They have made up their minds that America shall pay for this war. They have made up their minds that our wealthy men shall give their money, and that you farmers shall provide the food for their armies and their people at home.

After thinking over these facts, is there a farmer who will stand forward and say "This war does not concern me."

You have money that you do not need until next spring. Loan it to the government at good interest. When you want the money back again, you can borrow on your bond, or sell it for what you gave for it. Uncle Sam will take care of your money until you need it and pay you interest on it, and you will be protecting yourself and your business by loaning him the money.

Go and buy a Liberty Bond tomorrow. Don't put it off—things that are put off often do not get done at all. Tomorrow.

FOR WOMEN.

How does the war concern you? The mothers who have a boy who has gone to fight for his country, will not ask such a question. But if the war has not touched you yet, you may ask this question.

There are feelings that only mothers know, and only women understand. Think of the mothers who

have given their eldest boy to their country. How do they feel today? How would you feel if you were in their place? They have parted with the little fellow that came first, and has always been a little ahead of the others in their love, because he was the first little tiny human form that lay against their breast; his were the first little hands that tugged at their hair. This other mother—the mother who has sent her boy to fight for YOUR protection, feels just the same way that you would about your boy.

She wants that boy back. Won't you help her bring him back? There are thousands of American mothers feeling badly today. Millions of French and English mothers, longing for their boys.

Husbands too, have gone by the million to fight for their Country and yours, for YOUR protection. Don't you sympathize with these women? Your husband is not perfect, sometimes you get "real mad" with him, but you don't want him killed by German brutes. Think, then, how these other wives feel—they want their husbands back. Won't you help them bring their men back?

Yes, of course you would like to help them, "but how can I help?" you say.

Help end the war by buying a Liberty Bond. Save out of the house-keeping money for it, deny yourself something so you can buy it. Do more than this—see that your husband, your friends, your neighbors, buy a Liberty Bond. Show them this little "bit" in the paper, and say, "Let's all buy a Liberty Bond apiece."

"LET THE OTHER FELLOW DO IT."

This is the thing that has caused so many failures, so much misery, so many deaths—"letting the other fellow do it." From the fall of great nations down to the smallest personal accident it is this policy that has been responsible for so many of the troubles of the world. Time after time "the other fellow" does not do it. The Liberty Loan is a case in point. It is absolutely useless to rely upon the other fellow, because the amount to be raised is so enormous that it will take the combined self-denial and effort of every man, woman, and child in this country, to provide the money.

This leads naturally to another thought. It is not enough that we merely subscribe. We must see that our neighbor subscribes, because if he falls down, we ourselves shall suffer, even although we may have done our share.

There are just a few people left in this country who say "let the rich man find the money." When the government has had its needs supplied, the rich man will not be so rich; his taxes will be enormous, and many a wealthy company struggling with the high cost of everything they use in their business, in addition to their taxation, will have a difficulty in securing profits for their shareholders. The profits of those making war supplies will be cut in half, at least, by government action. Again we must remember that our wealthy men invested millions and millions of dollars in the loan last time and will do it again. The average citizen must realize that the wealthy man is doing his share, and that it is to the farmer, the merchant and the working man that the country look for a large share of the subscriptions to the present loan.

"If you say 'let the other fellow do it,' the loan will fail, we shall be disgraced in the eyes of the world, the resistance to Germany of our allies may break down, and the most terrible thing in the world will happen to us—conquest by Germany. This would mean taxation beyond human endurance, national disgrace and having to work for German masters for years to come.

The Germans are not willing "to let the other fellow do it." Their boys of 14 and their old men of 80 are serving in the army, their women and their children are going short of food; they are giving up almost every cent they possess in order to beat this country. Surely we have more patriotism than the Germans, more sense—if not, then we deserve to be beaten.

Call in and see your banker and ask him whether this article contains the truth. He will tell you that it does, and will agree that it is a fatal thing in this great national crisis to "let the other fellow do it."

A high official of the British admiralty declared that more German submarine boats had been sunk during the last three months than any similar period.

In addition to the enormous casualties inflicted on the Germans, the British captured 4,444 prisoners in Thursday's attack in Flanders, among them 114 officers.

HOW TO EASE YOUR TAXES

This is a subject that interests every man. This war is costing a sum of money so great that no man can realize what such an amount means. We have to find eighteen and one-half billion dollars during the first year of the war. Eighteen Thousand Five Hundred Million Dollars. Think of it! But perhaps you had better not; it will only make your head go round, and you will not be any nearer to grasping the meaning of such an amount of money, when you have done thinking.

To get down to something you can understand, it means that every man in this country has to give up nearly half of what he earns this year.

The government is going to get this money, because it has to have it. Of course, it can tax your income, tax everything you eat and drink, your land and your cattle, and raise the money this way. However, this would be too hard on you, so the government has decided to ask you to loan some of the money, with Uncle Sam's own promise that he will pay you back, and pay you interest in the meantime. Uncle Sam's promise to pay is so good that his written promise in the form of a bond can be handed around from man to man, almost like a dollar bill. You don't mind giving a silver dollar in exchange for a bill, and you can feel just the same way about giving a cheque in exchange for a Government Bond.

NOW HERE IS THE POINT: JUST SO MUCH AS THE GOVERNMENT WILL ALLOW YOU TO LOAN TO THEM, SO MUCH LESS WILL THEY HAVE TO TAX YOU.

Looked at fairly and squarely, is it not better to loan money, rather than have it taken from you?

We are a level-headed people, and when things are put up to us in a straight-forward way by straight-forward people, we are ready to fall in line.

You know the facts now, straight from the U. S. Government.

You have money that you do not need until next spring. Lend it to Uncle Sam. If you must have it back next year, borrow on your bond, or sell it.

Your banker is a good man to talk to. You believe in him. Go and ask his opinion. He will tell you that he has bought Liberty Bonds, and he will advise you to do the same.

Eleven Women Arrested for Picketing. Washington.—Silent sentinels of the woman's party resumed picketing the White House Saturday and eleven were arrested.

WAR WORK HELPS MORALE OF MEN

TEXAS ORGANIZED TO AID IN RAISING \$35,000,000 WAR WORK FUND

Greater Good Than Red Cross, Says One Worker, Because Makes Men Better in Spirit

What the Red Cross is to the imperiled bodies of our soldiers the Y. M. C. A. war work is to their endangered morals.

In every training camp, at every post, along the front line trenches, the Young Men's Christian Association has its workers, its buildings, its equipment for varied wholesome amusements and its uplifting spiritual influence.

Texas is being organized to secure its allotment of the \$35,000,000 national war work fund of the association. Under the direction of L. A. Coulter, Dallas, representative men are being secured for departmental conferences to be held in every section of the state, following the state gathering at Dallas on Oct. 22. The campaign will continue through Nov. 15-19, and the budget planned will maintain the war work to July 1st, 1918.

Raising Morale of Men

Napoleon used to say that morale is to other factors in war as three to one. The Y. M. C. A. War Work Council proposes to devote itself exclusively to raising, strengthening and preserving the morale of our men and of the Allied countries.

An outstanding leader of the Red Cross said: "One reason why I believe your Y. M. C. A. work is even more important than ours is that you are not only supplementing what we do here and there for the bodies of men, but you are dealing also with that more vital factor, the morale, the spirit of the troops."

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Not Exempt From Military Service.

The following persons, called for examination for military service October 1, 2, 3 and 4, were not exempted from such service by the local examination board, but certified to the district board for service:

- Jeff Talford, Kennard.
- Sam Johnson, Ratcliff.
- Lee Edgar Smith, Weches.
- Lonnie Jordan, Lovelady.
- R. Lee Steadman, Grapeland.
- Lee Hall, Crockett.
- Lee Butler, Volga.
- Luke Furch, Kennard.
- Marshall Trust, Crockett.
- Simon Johns, Ratcliff.
- Charley Clark, Volga.
- Dennie Roberson, Crockett.
- Arch Gale, Lovelady.
- Cary Clark, Weldon.
- Wm. Bailey Taylor, Crockett.
- Wesley Hicks, Grapeland.
- Isaac Smith, Creek.
- F. L. Hicks, Grapeland.
- Tommy Black, Grapeland.
- Thomas DeWitt Nettles, Creek.
- Jack Wiley, Latexo.
- John Williams, Crockett.
- Sherman Spiller, Lovelady.
- L. C. Yates, Crockett.
- Alfred Conor, Crockett.
- George Norman, Percilla.
- D. Johnson, Grapeland.
- Hugh L. Kirkpatrick, Augusta.
- Rufus Vitto, Ratcliff.
- Henry L. Ellis, Crockett.
- Floyd Lewis, Lovelady.
- Henry Burk Justice, Percilla.
- Henry Evans, Crockett.
- Elijah M. Clay, Creek.
- Johnie Williams, Crockett.
- Wright Sullivan, Percilla.
- Jno. A. Wooten, Fordice.
- Henry B. Maynard, Volga.
- Oscar Geo. Williams, Volga.
- Lewis Smith, Lovelady.
- Thos. W. English, Kennard.
- Tenolia J. Guice, Ratcliff.
- John A. Smith, Creath.
- Herman Bailey, Lovelady.

- Ernest Simpson, Grapeland.
- Daniel Stapleton, Ratcliff.
- Franklin Albright, Crockett.
- Dave Butler, Volga.
- James O. Ritchie, Grapeland.
- Adelbert Byers, Crockett.
- Irvin A. Smith, Grapeland.
- Jim Gilder, Crockett.
- Willie Fletcher, Volga.
- Joe Pecha, Lovelady.
- Houston Chann, Crockett.
- Ellis Gates, Kennard.
- Robert James, Pennington.
- Andrew Gilmore, Grapeland.
- Jim J. Cotton, Ratcliff.
- Luther A. Kleckley, Crockett.
- Louis S. Stevenson, Lovelady.
- Pink Singletery, Ratcliff.
- Preston Maxey, Lovelady.
- Vallard Wiley, Fordice.
- Ike Russell, Crockett.
- Edward K. Capriellan, Crockett.
- Lee Roy Trammell, Ratcliff.
- York Calhoun, Lovelady.
- Frank Davenport, Grapeland.
- Charlie Smith, Grapeland.
- Lee Wright, Percilla.
- Dave Cleveland, Crockett.
- Janon Williams, Crockett.
- Albert Nelms, Kennard.
- Clinton Gaines, Grapeland.
- Louis Ernest Koch, Volga.
- J. C. Scarbrough, Augusta.
- Allen V. Lucor, Augusta.
- Madison York, Ratcliff.
- Mose Willis, Kennard.
- Virgil O. Musick, Grapeland.
- Pink House, Ratcliff.
- John Shepherd, Grapeland.
- John W. Eddy, Crockett.
- James R. Rose, Ratcliff.
- Brit S. Matthews, Grapeland.
- Levi Smith, Lovelady.
- John Gates, Ratcliff.
- Oscar J. Patterson, Crockett.
- Thomas L. Pyle, Weches.
- Clifford A. Dennis, Grapeland.
- Andrew C. Lasiter, Grapeland.

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Failed to Appear for Examination

Following is a list of persons called for examination for military service October 1, 2, 3 and 4, but who failed to appear for such examination:

- William T. Vaden, Jr., Creek.
- B. B. Ainsworth, Kennard.
- Bias McDaniel, Crockett.
- Eugene Christie, Ratcliff.
- Louis Wheeler, Crockett.
- Francisco Gonzales, Crockett.
- Thoir Boodo, Crockett.
- Manuel Guteires, Crockett.
- J. Manuel Dias, Crockett.
- Charlie A. Williams, Lovelady.
- Holecio Arrojo, Lovelady.
- James Smith, Crockett.
- Maximino Garcia, Crockett.
- Elmer N. Oates, Weldon.

- Jewel Carson, Ratcliff.
- John Flow, Crockett.
- Luis Cruz, Crockett.
- Angel Vallezo, Crockett.
- Robt. T. Norvell, Ratcliff.
- George Ford, Kennard.
- Walter James, Ratcliff.
- Ed Anderson, Grapeland.
- Will Harris, Crockett.
- Payne Taylor, Grapeland.
- Robert Cotton, Crockett.
- Daniel Jackson, Grapeland.
- Jesus Caledonio, Crockett.
- Fabustino Gutierrez, Lovelady.
- Anthony Williams, Crockett.
- Pedro Frebino, Crockett.
- Thomas Lopez, Lovelady.

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Farmers Urged to Buy Liberty Bonds.

W. A. Collins, agricultural agent for Houston county, has received the following telegram from Superintendent of Extension Walton of A. & M. College:

"I urge you to make a special effort during this concluding week of the Liberty Loan campaign to bring before the farmers of your county the need of a large national response to the Liberty Loan and of each farmer with available funds doing his part. Emphasize the importance of not falling behind other classes on this contribution to the cause of freedom." Signed, "D. F. Houston, secretary of agriculture."

"I respectfully call your attention to the importance of the Liberty Loan from the farmers' viewpoint. His responsibility in this undertaking is as great as that of any other class of our citizens. The benefits accruing will be equally as advantageous. This office requests that each agent use his influence with his farmer constituents to induce them to purchase liberally of Liberty Bonds." Signed, "Walton."

Last Call for Wheat Subscriptions.

The rain that fell over some portions of the county last week has made it possible for some of the farmers to sow their wheat and they are getting anxious to receive the seed. Enough has not been paid in to warrant ordering a car load, but there is yet time for it to be paid provided the balance of the subscribers will act promptly. It is fair to presume that more rain will come in time, as the seed can be sown up to the last of November, or the first week in December.

In case enough is not paid in to secure a car load, those who wish to plant can get the seed at \$2.60 per bushel, or possibly a little less, delivered at Crockett, and the secretary would like to know as soon as possible the names of those who would still like the seed at this price. Please let us hear from you promptly. H. A. Fisher.

Died at Galveston.

Mr. T. A. Hays, who was operated on some time ago for appendicitis

and who was more recently taken to John Sealy Hospital at Galveston for special treatment, died in the Galveston hospital Thursday morning of last week. The remains were brought to Crockett for interment, arriving on the 4:13 train Friday afternoon. Funeral services were held Saturday morning.

Mr. Hays had lived in Crockett for a number of years and was held in high esteem as a citizen. Being connected with one of the county's largest industries, he came in contact with many people. He was in the enjoyment of a friendship as extensive as his acquaintance was large. As a man of high ideals, he was true to them. As a man of strong ties of friendship, he believed in his friends and his greatest pleasure was in association with them.

Besides his church affiliations, he was a member of the Knights of Pythias lodge and perhaps of other lodges. His fondness for and sympathy with his fellow man was demonstrated in his church and lodge affiliations.

Soon after coming to Crockett he was married to Miss Celia Hallmark, who is left to mourn the loss of a dutiful and loving husband.

District Court Proceedings.

Harmon Smith, theft; set for October 24.

Lonnie Jordon, assault to murder; set for October 26.

John Harris, bootlegging; set for October 27.

Chas. Leonard, Sr. and Jr., hog theft; set for October 29.

Anthony Brazzel, bootlegging; set for October 29.

Sank Hearne, theft of cattle; set for October 30.

Tobe Washington, burglary; set for October 31.

George Washington, arson; set for October 31.

W. T. Ethridge, assault to murder; set for November 1.

J. M. Thornton, assault to murder; set for November 1.

Dick Wilburn, murder; set for November 5.

Luck Smith, murder; set for November 8, and venire of 50 men ordered.

Allen Robinson, murder; set for November 9, and venire of 50 men ordered.

Jesse Warrick, murder; set for November 9 and venire of 50 ordered.

Sherman Nixon, murder; set for November 12 and venire of 50 ordered.

Nick Emaire, murder; set for November 14 and venire of 50 ordered.

H. J. Beachum, rape; set for November 16 and venire of 50 ordered.

Charley Adler, murder; set for November 19 and venire of 75 ordered.

E. A. Anderson, murder; set for November 21 and venire of 50 ordered.

Frank Brown, murder; set for November 23 and venire of 50 ordered.

Cloyed High, forgery; dismissed.

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account defendant being in army.

Cleon McLean, theft over \$50; dismissed on absence of prosecuting witness.

W. C. Hunt, assault to murder; dismissed.

Ernest Townsend, assault to murder; dismissed on motion of district attorney.

Ejustice Price, burglary; dismissed.

Tut Elam, burglary; plea of guilty and verdict of two years.

Won Trip to Dallas Fair.

Following are the club boys of Houston county who won the trip to the Dallas fair:

Gaylon Skidmore, Grapeland.
Joel Sims, Grapeland.
Tom Buchanan, Crockett.
Garrett Luce, Crockett.
Henry Marks, Lovelady.

These boys spent a very profitable week at the Educational Encampment held at Dallas this past week; the trip was educational as well as a pleasure trip and the boys received inspirations that will enable them to do great work during the coming year.

W. A. Collins,
County Agent.

Increased Postage Rates.

Patrons of the Crockett postoffice will take note that on and after November 2nd, 1917, upon all matter of the first class, postage will be charged at the rate of three cents an ounce or fraction thereof, and drop letters should be mailed at the rate of two cents per ounce or fraction thereof. Postal cards shall be transmitted through the mails at a postage charge of two cents each.

Ginners—The Courier has a large supply of cotton wrapping paper and gummed tape. Let us supply your needs in this line.

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Dallas in Dry Column.

Dallas, Tex., Oct. 20.—Quietness, sobriety and good order to a marked degree, considering the occasion, featured the entry of Dallas into the dry column tonight at 9:30 o'clock. At 12 o'clock only a few minor calls had been made upon the police, those being chiefly for drunkenness. The celebration in the nature of a "wake," anticipated by the police and sheriff's department, failed to materialize.

Many of the 200 saloons of Dallas

closed during the week, and several more closed to-day. While 9:30 o'clock was the legal hour for closing the doors, at that hour only a few open bars remained to close, the majority having exhausted their supplies. Sales, since the result of the election became known, have gone far beyond those of any similar period of time in the city's history, dealers said. Whisky and wines were cheaper before the additional revenue tax was imposed, eleven days ago, and many cellars were stacked.

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The Forty-fourth Anniversary Sale of James S. Shivers has been unparalleled in the history of Houston county merchandising. It has been the custom of this firm to celebrate each anniversary with special offerings of merchandise for years, and the success with which these sales have met has been phenomenal. The confidence of the public in the conduct of this old established business house, which was firm from the start, has become steadier, if possible, with the advance of time and the celebration of each anniversary. As a result of such confidence, and as the best things are the most enduring, the Forty-fourth Anniversary Sale of James S. Shivers stands without a parallel in the history of the firm. The large force of salespeople specially employed for this anniversary celebration, while larger than any force heretofore employed, have been busier than any force heretofore employed. The crowds of eager customers who have thronged the store morning and evening have been larger than any of the immense crowds heretofore gathering to help celebrate with their purchases an anniversary of the birth of the firm. The bargains which these crowds have carried away have been of a nature that were surprising in their cheapness of price and meritoriousness of quality. Proof of these assertions may be amply found in the fact that during nine days of the sale 2157 customers were waited on by the large force of salespeople. The reason for the possibility of these assertions may be given as springing from the confidence which the people of Houston county have in the business methods of James S. Shivers. And the fact that James S. Shivers carries many names on his books

Would you allow a man to thrash you?

Insult your wife, ruin your business, illtreat your children?

Germany threatens to do these things.

What are you going to do about it? Stand idly by, or

Buy a Liberty Bond?

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Local News Items

Huntsville High School will come to Crockett Friday to play the Crockett High School a game of football. The game will be called at 3:30 at the fair grounds.

Money! Money! Money!!!

Money to loan on farms anywhere in this section. Money quick, long time and easy terms.—J. S. French, at Earl Adams' Jr. office, Crockett, Texas. tf

Lost—One dark brown mule, about 12 years old; one dark bay colt, about two years old. Finder please notify F. L. Morris, Rt. 3, Box 7, Palestine, Texas, and receive reward. It*

Let me make you a loan on your farm, help you buy a farm or take up the notes you owe on your land and make it easy for you.—J. S. French, Earl Adams' Jr. office, Crockett, Texas. tf

A subscriber, sending us \$1.50 to renew for another year, writes that the Courier is the best county paper he knows of. We would like to have his permission to use his name in this connection, but we haven't.

Residence for Sale.

Nice 5-room cottage, with garden and barn in connection, located on Young street, in south Crockett. For further information and price apply to Mrs. J. T. Clark or W. R. Lewis. *2t.

Red Cross Notes.

A request for knitted articles to be sent to the boys in France has caused the Red Cross Chapter of Crockett to turn much of its attention to the completion of the articles needed. Mrs. Ben Hail, chairman of the knitting units, earnestly requests notification from any one in the county who can and will knit. She will provide such parties with material and necessary instructions. Ten sweaters have been completed in a com-

paratively short time. As a means for raising funds with which to buy the wool for use, mite boxes are to be installed in a number of places in the city, and contributions thus obtained will aid materially in keeping our boys from unnecessary suffering.

Mrs. T. R. Deupree, chairman of work room committees, reports two hundred completed hospital garments ready for packing.

Carload Apples Just Arrived.

This is a car of choice fruit just gathered from the orchards of Arkansas, and can sell you any quantity you may desire, from 5c worth to a carload, and much cheaper than retailers can. Come and look them over. In the Sallas store building opposite old freight depot. It*

D. C. Francis.

Money to Loan.

Money to loan on farms anywhere in this country. See or write me, if you want a loan and want quick service; long time and easy payments. I represent the oldest and largest incorporated company in the southwest.—J. S. French, Crockett, Texas, Earl Adams' Jr. office. tf

Automobiles Collide.

An accident between an automobile driven by Mrs. James Porter and an automobile driven by Ray Baughtman at the corner of Grace and Main streets Sunday night resulted in shake-ups and bruises and damage to both cars by collision.

Another subscriber who does not want his name mentioned says that he would not do without his county paper for several times the price of the Courier. So saying, he paid up all back dues and more than a year in advance.

Purse Lost.

Ladies' black purse, containing grand opera tickets, some change and several visiting cards. Lost near Lone Pine School. Reward if returned to Crockett Grocery and Baking Co. It

A Sale of Samples

Sample Suits, Dresses, Coats
Skirts and Waists

On Sale at Manufacturers' Cost

We were fortunate to purchase from several of the BEST New York manufacturers their entire line of Suits, Dresses and Coats at a

Big Discount

THESE LINES COMPRISE HUNDREDS of the season's newest models and materials, and we are able to offer them to you at NO MORE THAN THE COST OF PRODUCTION.

Sale Starts Friday Morning

No Goods Sold on Approval or Alterations Made

Crockett Dry Goods Company

The Place Where Style, Quality and Women Meet

For all these things Tanlac holds a nation wide record

TANLAC has restored more lost appetites;
Corrected more disordered, upset stomachs;
Made more fat, plump people out of thin, frail ones;
Put the rose tint into more pale, haggard faces;
Taken the pain out of more aching backs;
Set more livers and kidneys to working right;
Stopped more heads from aching and swimming;
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Is the **BIGGEST SELLER** ever put on the market.

TANLAC has absolute "MERIT" and this accounts for its unprecedented success and nation-wide FAME.

It has helped thousands and will help you

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EXCLUSIVE AGENTS
TELEPHONE 47 OR 140

Local News.

Barb wire at T. D. Craddock's. tf
Texas seed oats 92c. bushel, at Patton's. 1t
Bagging and ties at James S. Shivers'. tf
Tin tubs and Wine of Cardui at Patton's. 1t
Buy your blankets from T. D. Craddock. tf
Get your flour in wooden barrels at H. G. Patton's. 1t
E. M. Callier was a visitor at the Dallas fair last week.
Plenty of syrup barrels and kegs at T. D. Craddock's. tf
Wood for small heaters is wanted at the Courier office. tf
Tom Sherman of Conroe visited relatives here this week.
Old newspapers 25 cents a hundred at the Courier office.
Aunt Jemima's pancake flour makes delicious hot cakes. 1t
See James S. Shivers for bagging and ties and save money. tf
Mrs. Mary Hathaway of Palestine is visiting Mrs. J. R. Howard.
Miss Mary Ellis has returned from a visit to relatives in Dallas.
Seed oats, clear of Johnson grass and weeds, at T. D. Craddock's. tf
James S. Shivers has bagging and ties for all of Houston county. tf
Lipscomb Sherman returned Saturday from a visit to Houston.
A complete, up-to-date abstract. tf-adv Aldrich & Crook.
We have everything for man or beast but sugar.—H. G. Patton. 1t
McElree's Wine of Cardui \$1.00 bottles for 85c, at H. G. Patton's. 1t
Misses Violet and Ethel Phillips have returned from a visit to Trinity.
Quaker Oats and Corn Flakes, at Patton's. Also peanut butter in bulk. 1t
Fresh peanut butter in bulk, per lb. 30c.—Crockett Grocery and Baking Co. 1t
Best mill-run bran, \$2.05. We also have shorts for \$3.00.—H. G. Patton. 1t
Money to loan on farms, long time, easy terms, no delays or extra tape.—J. S. French, at Earl Adams' Jr. office, Crockett, Texas. tf

Tom Welch and Homer Callaway returned Sunday from Dallas and the fair.
Wanted—5000 oats, bran and chop sacks, second hand. Edmiston Bros. tf
After a short lapse the Courier is again going to S. H. Kyle at Bisbee, Arizona.
Plenty of ice and frost Monday and Tuesday mornings, but beautiful weather.
Remember the increased postage rate beginning at 12 o'clock to-night (Thursday.)
Mrs. C. L. Edmiston chaperoned a party to hear grand opera in Houston last week.
Fresh shipment of cranberries and grape fruit.—Crockett Grocery and Baking Co. 1t
Mrs. Thos. Self and Mrs. W. C. DuPuy have returned from a visit to Whitewright.
Now is the time to buy Syrup Cans, 1 gal. size. 10000 in stock.—Jas. S. Shivers. tf
Oscar Jones is a colored subscriber on Kennard Route 1 renewing for the Courier.
Get your angel food cakes from Crockett Grocery and Baking Co.—baked every day. 1t
James S. Shivers has enough bagging and ties to supply all needs at the lowest price. tf
Mrs. A. M. Decuir and son, Zenon, returned Saturday from a visit to New Iberia, La.
Fresh Cocoa nuts, Brazil and English walnuts, at Crockett Grocery and Baking Co's. 1t
John D. Friend was called to Houston this week by the death of the wife of a brother.
For Sale.
Syrup cans, 1 gal. size. 10000 in stock.—Jas. S. Shivers. tf
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Frazier and Miss Alline Foster of Lufkin were recent visitors in this city.
Dr. R. W. Dunlap, recently returned from London, was a visitor in this city Monday from Palestine.
Pure sugar cane syrup—this year's make—per gallon, .95c.—Crockett Grocery and Baking Co. 1t
We are never short of hosiery and all sizes in underwear—men's, ladies' and children's.—T. D. Craddock.
Please phone us your next grocery order—we deliver quick.—Crockett Grocery and Baking Co. 1t

T. D. Craddock will save you money on shoes for the family as well as suits of clothes for men and boys. tf

Hon. N. B. Morris of Palestine spoke at the court house Thursday afternoon in the interest of liberty bonds.

Have you tried Pettijohn's breakfast food, 25c—two for 45c, at Crockett Grocery and Baking Company's? 1t

Mrs. J. R. Howard went to Augusta Sunday to see a new grandson—a son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Howard.

Dan Dear of Route 6 and W. J. McClain of Kennard were among subscribers renewing for the Courier Tuesday.

Automobile numbers from 76,500 to 76,715 have been received and are being distributed by the Towery Motor Company.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cook have returned from a visit to their son, Corporal Loch Cook, at Camp Travis, San Antonio.

Our staple stock of dry goods is complete. Will save you money. Can give outings at 15c per yard.—T. D. Craddock. tf

Mrs. R. J. Spence has returned from a visit to her daughter, who is a student of Southern Methodist University, Dallas.

Mrs. E. E. Barlow, Rev. Chas. U. McLarty and Frank Harris are among subscribers who remembered the Courier Tuesday.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to thank my many friends for their kindness to me and my dear husband during his last illness, also for the beautiful floral offerings sent. May God bless each one in my prayer. 1t Mrs. T. A. Hays.

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

Yes--

Our One-Cent Sale was quite a success. We thank you.

THE McLEAN DRUG COMPANY

THE REXALL STORE

James Marshall of Sikeston, Mo., is here to look after his property near Crockett. He made the Courier a call Tuesday afternoon.

If person who lost hat at office of local exemption board will call and pay for this notice he can get same. 1t Local Board.

Martin Scarborough is suffering from a physical breakdown and will leave this week for a recuperative trip to the Brownsville country.

There will be a box supper given at Cooper school house Friday night. Music by Tunstall's orchestra. You are cordially invited. Benefit school.

The Quaker Oats Company know the value of newspaper advertising. Read their big advertisement on the seventh page of this newspaper.

Jacksonville High School football team will come to Crockett Friday to play football. The game will be Friday afternoon at the fair grounds.

For Sale.

One five-passenger Overland automobile, in good running order, \$175.00 cash. Come quick if you want a bargain.—Ike Lansford, Crockett, Texas. 1t*

Let me make you a loan on your farm, help you buy a farm or take up the notes you owe on your land and make it easy for you.—J. S. French, Earl Adams' Jr. office, Crockett, Texas. tf



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