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RECEPTION TO GEO. M. BAILEY

One of those occasions long to be remembered by those who attended was the reception and banquet given in honor of Colonel Geo. M. Bailey on his arrival in Crockett last Saturday evening to fill his engagement to lecture at the Methodist church on Sunday.

The reception committee consisted of fifty of our citizens, including the ladies, who assembled at the Commercial Club rooms at seven o'clock, where they met the Colonel and held an informal reception until notified by Mr. Pratt, next door, that the banquet tables were waiting.

While we have all felt for years that we knew the Colonel from the daily visits we have received through reading his popular department in the Houston Post, many of those present had never before enjoyed the distinction and added pleasure of that hearty handshake and the cordial greeting that accompanies personal contact with this national character who is rendering such valuable service in assisting in the solution of the many complex questions commanding the attention of the nation today.

Community Upbuilding.

After coffee had been served, Mayor Edmiston, the toastmaster, said that Colonel Bailey had offered to make an informal talk on this occasion, and appropriately introduced the speaker, and the Colonel proceeded to tell us what the citizens of Crockett should do to promote the best interests of the community.

The key note of his discourse was closer relations between the merchant and farmer. He advocated a co-operative partnership of such a nature that the farmer would be guaranteed a satisfactory home market for everything that could be grown on the farm. Financial aid from the banks and such other available sources, in assisting the farmers to improve the grade of live stock and especially to import better grades of dairy stock and to get more deeply into the dairy feature of farming. He declared that providing the proper home market would solve the matter of diversification, put the community on a cash basis and introduce a new order of things that, if persistently followed through the civic organizations, would bring the greatest degree of prosperity. In other words he gave the Crockett plan of co-operative effort his unqualified approval. The Colonel mentioned a number of industries that could, with a determined effort on the part of our Commercial Club, properly supported, be created, which in his judgment would help to keep the young folks at home, but the farmer was the one to be kept in mind all the time and his occupation surrounded with more conveniences and comforts, which surely followed a greater degree of prosperity. We must make the occupation of farming so profitable and otherwise attractive that the boys and girls would rather remain on the farm than go to the towns and cities, and he added very impressively that was the most important work of the reconstruction period of the nation.

Colonel Bailey, in the short time available on this occasion, could not tell us all the good

things he has in store for rural sections, and has most generously promised to make our town another visit very soon.

The secretary was asked to respond from a business standpoint, to the Colonel's talk, but he was so overjoyed on account of the hearty endorsement given the efforts of our Club by such eminent authority that this was about all he could think of to give expression to, but Mrs. J. B. Deal, president of the recently organized Ladies' Civic Club, gave a most interesting outline of what the Club had done in the way of perfecting its organization and the program mapped out for active operations. The president surely understands the needs of our city and is determined to make a thorough job of cleaning up, both the business and residential sections, and further proposes to see that the work is promptly done.

A Bad Mile of Road.

Reports come to our office of the impassable condition of a mile of road in the White Rock bottoms that is forcing all the trade beyond that point to other markets. An appeal has been made to Mr. Carson, the county superintendent of highways, for relief, and if he is not able to give it promptly our business men will be called upon to help correct this very important defect on one of our most valuable trade highways.

H. A. Fisher, Secretary.

For County Commissioner.

G. R. (Ross) Murchison announces this week as a candidate for county commissioner in precinct No. 2 of Houston county. It would be useless for the Courier to attempt to tell the voters of commissioners' precinct No. 2 anything about Ross Murchison. He has gone in and out among them for years, has served them in various capacities and, still going in and out among them, is still willing to serve them, and to serve them to the best of his ability. His ability and efficiency are likewise as well known to the people as is his personality. Possessed of a strong personality and of a wide range of knowledge concerning county affairs, he is going to make himself known in the race for county commissioner. When asked by the Courier what his platform is, he said to just tell the people that he proposed to stand on his record of previous service; that they know what that record is, and that he will appreciate the support of all good, democratic men and women in the coming July primary.

JUST A WORD WITH OUR SUBSCRIBERS

The Courier again has a good list of subscription renewals this week. We write these words with no small feeling of pride, for we are indeed grateful for the very liberal patronage that is being accorded us. This list of names, twenty-six in number, is for one week only. We mention this for the reason that some newspapers combine a list of two or more weeks as weekly renewals and publish to make a big showing. We trust that it is with pardonable pride that we refer at all to our list of subscription renewals.

Among the number calling to renew or subscribe or sending in their renewals and subscriptions since last week are the following:

W. E. Robertson, Crockett.
B. F. Wolfley, Crockett Rt. 2.
W. B. Speer, Lovelady.
J. A. Wedemeyer, Creek Rt. 1.
Joe Leathers, Guy's Store.
T. G. Adams, Lovelady Rt. 1.
W. T. Bruton, Lovelady.
J. L. McLain, Crockett Rt. 6.
W. K. Conner, Ratcliff Rt. 1.
Mrs. D. W. Hatcher, Crockett Rt. 3.
J. R. Morrow, Weldon.
G. W. Allbright, Lovelady.
John H. Jones, Lovelady.
C. N. Beazley, Port Arthur.
J. M. James, Weldon.
J. H. Rhoden, Kennard Rt. 1.
Miss H. B. Arledge, Denton.
J. A. Beathard, Crockett Rt. A.
Dr. P. S. Griffith, Houston.
Dr. C. W. Evans, Crockett Rt. A.
Dan P. Craddock, Kennard.
J. B. Fuller, Kennard Rt. 1.
W. G. Creath, Crockett Rt. A.
J. A. O'Neil (col.), Fordice.
Earle LaRue (col.), Crockett Rt. 5.
Lewis Davis (col.), Crockett.

For State Senator.

Hon. J. H. Painter of Houston county has authorized the Courier to this week announce him as a candidate for the office of state senator from this senatorial district. To the people of Houston county he needs no introduction, but the people of the other counties in the district may not have had the opportunity and pleasure of knowing him as do Houston county people, the majority of whom know him only as Harry Painter. Writing his name as he is best known, Harry Painter is a graduate of the law department of the Texas University. Fellow students in the university with him were

Hons. John LeGory and J. W. Young of Crockett. While his home at that time was at Galveston, where he was born and reared and where his mother yet lives, he came to Crockett soon after graduating from the university and immediately engaged in the practice of law. That was many years ago, more than Harry will admit, for he yet prides himself on being a young man. Building up a large practice, he was enabled to serve the city of Crockett for a number of years as its mayor, a position not any too lucrative. Many of the city's improvements were inaugurated during his administration, the city's sewer system being one of the most important. During the world war he served as a member of the Houston county exemption board and at the close of the war was the board's chairman. He has served this district as a member of the state democratic executive committee and has served in other positions of honor and trust. He is a successful lawyer and a good citizen, and one whom all can recommend to their neighbors as a candidate and man worthy of their support and endorsement. He is at present supervisor of the census for the seventh congressional district, a position he received at the hands of his former fellow-townsmen, Congressman Clay Stone Briggs. Soon after coming to Crockett he married Miss Lucia Wootters, a member of one of Crockett's oldest families, and now has a daughter almost grown. He is a member of the Baptist church and is affiliated with other local organizations. His candidacy is subject to the action of the party to which he has held lifelong allegiance—the party of democracy. All Houston county presents Harry Painter as its candidate for state senator from this senatorial district.

For District Clerk.

V. B. (Barker) Tunstall announces this week as a candidate for the office of district clerk of Houston county. Having served only one term, his candidacy is for re-election. Since assuming the duties of this office less than two years ago, the duties of the district clerk have been efficiently discharged in a courteous manner, and he promises a continuance of the same efficiency and courtesy in office if re-elected. When asked by the Courier if there was anything special that he wished to say in his announcement, he said that he only wished to announce for re-election and to thank his friends for their support in the last election, and to further say that he will appreciate any favors shown him in the coming primary, promising a faithful discharge of the duties and requirements of the office of district clerk. His announcement, as are all the others appearing in that column, is subject to the democratic primary in July.

George Washington Sayings.

"Keep an account book and enter therein every farthing of your receipts and expenditures."

"Promote frugality and industry by example, encouraging manufactures and avoiding dissipation."

"Reason, too late perhaps, may convince you of the folly of mispending time."

"There is no proverb in the whole catalogue more true than a penny saved is a penny got."

"Nothing but harmony, honesty, industry and frugality are necessary to make us a great and happy nation."

REPORT OF GEORGE BAILEY'S ADDRESS

Col. Geo. M. Bailey of Houston reached Crockett on schedule time Saturday evening at 7 o'clock and was met by a committee of citizens.

Sunday at 11 o'clock at the Methodist church he delivered his masterful address on the subject of "Christian Citizenship." The church was crowded to its utmost. Splendid music was rendered by the best singers from all the town churches and the same was greatly enjoyed by the vast crowd.

Mr. Bailey's visit was at the instance of "The Houston County Laymen's Association" and he was introduced to the audience by Mr. J. W. Madden, president of the association. He at once launched into his subject and held the crowd with the utmost attention from beginning to close, speaking for more than an hour.

Mr. Bailey is a fine speaker, not that he seeks to display the elements of an orator, but because of his great earnestness and forcefulness and evident sincerity. But while he made no attempt at oratory, he was often lifted to the loftiest eloquence, his beautiful and well chosen words portraying in glowing colors and convincing argument the present "unrest and confusion" of the world as the outgrowth of the European war.

Applying his address to these conditions, he dwelt at length on the importance of "Christian Citizenship," the duty of Christian people in the restoration of the pre-war status, and urged that those people take heed to these conditions and exert themselves with all their power to bring about relief to a stricken world, basing his contention on the idea that it is only in the application of the principles of the Christian religion that such relief can be found.

Particularizing, Mr. Bailey entered into an extended discussion of "labor" troubles, the spirit of "bolshivism," the pending war in Russia and various other evidences of "unrest and terror," and undertook to show that a solution for all these evils rests largely if not wholly with the Christian people of the world and in the exercise on their part of the duty of "Christian citizenship."

He paid his respects to "John Barleycorn," recounting the fact of his death and the causes that produced it, and showed in forceful terms the deep-seated "lament" of his friends and followers and their mournful efforts to inject new life into "the corpse," emphasizing the deceptive and insidious efforts of the "resuscitators" to again hoist into existence the evils which he had brought about.

His arraignment of the liquor traffic and his glowing tribute to the American people for their lead in all the great reforms of the world, and his eulogy of the "women of this country" for their activity in all that seeks to make the world better and a more fitting place in which to live, held his audience spellbound by the beauty of expression and the pathos of his eloquence. And his closing words, wherein, with solemn but profound language, he spoke of the "Christ, the Redeemer of the world," His life, His death, His resurrection, he passed beyond

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Mebane Cotton Seed

I have about 2000 bushels Mebane seed, raised in Oklahoma, absolutely sound. Am located with Arledge & Arledge, just across the track from Depot. Price, \$2.00 per bushel. Why pay more?

W. E. HAZLETT

Establishing Health For the Year

The blood is a medium through which life and energy is maintained.

At this season the blood is apt to be in bad condition and cause all the organs to become sluggish and to lower vitality.

If you feel dull or lack energy, if you have indigestion, biliousness, skin eruptions or other signs of impure blood, take our

Nyal's Sarsaparilla Compound

This is a safe and reliable remedy for purifying the blood. It also has a general tonic effect on the entire system. Use it now; don't wait until spring days emphasize its need.

Goolsby-Sherman Drug Co.

Successors to Bishop Drug Company
Two Phones: 47 and 140 Prompt Service

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Dan Julian of Palestine was here Sunday.

We need all kinds of poultry at top prices. Bayne & Co. 1t.

A full blood Poland China male hog for sale. See Leroy L. Moore. tf.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan P. Craddock of Kennard were visitors here this week.

For Sale—A good cow, fresh in milk. See L. A. Hollis, Route 3, Crockett, Texas. tf.

666 quickly relieves colds and la-grippe, constipation, biliousness, loss of appetite and headaches. 10t.

See us for clocks. We have both small and large. Dickson Jewelry & Optical Store. tf.

Rub-My-Tism is a great pain killer. It relieves pain and soreness caused by rheumatism, neuralgia, sprains, etc.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Shivers announce the arrival of a daughter, born Thursday, February 12.

More than fifty beautiful spring hats at reduced prices this week at Mrs. Bricker's. 1t.

We have a complete stock of face, fire and common brick, lime and cement. Arledge & Arledge. tf.

Drag harrows, steel, cast, and chilled turning plows, planters and cultivators at Moore & Shivers'. tf.

Have your glasses fitted by a graduate optician. It costs no more. Dickson Jewelry & Optical Store. tf.

County Judge Nat Patton and Sheriff R. J. Spence returned last week from an official visit to Houston.

Coffee that's all coffee—high quality coffee—Chase & Sanmorn's coffee, on sale only at Caprielian Brothers'. 1t.

For sale or trade—Registered Jersey bull calf, 4½ months old, one of the best in the county. tf. J. W. Shivers.

We buy hides, green or dry, and pay top price. See us before you sell. tf. Arnold Brothers.

Mrs. Bricker will offer over fifty beautiful up-to-date, small spring hats at greatly reduced prices Thursday, Friday and Saturday. 1t.

Misses Donna and Chassie Buford of Henderson will arrive at the end of this week, following visits in Austin and Houston, to visit their cousin, Mrs. J. B. Deal.

Be not deceived. The J. J. Case implements are in a class by themselves. They save time, labor, team, feed, and protect your religion at the same time. Moore & Shivers have them. tf.

For Sale.

No. 3 Sharples Cream Separator. Used only one month. Good condition. Sell at a bargain. tf. Leroy L. Moore.

Porto Rica Yams and Nancy Hall potatoes for planting or eating. Will have slips for sale. Give me your order for slips. G. S. A. Rosser, 1½ miles east from Crockett, on San Antonio road. 2t.

Notice.

All those who have claims of any character against the Houston County Warehouse Co. will please file same with the undersigned by March 1, 1920. 2t. W. E. Hail, Manager.

Notice.

I have for sale twelve bales of Mebane cotton seed, saved before the rainy season commenced, at \$2.00 per bushel. Call at my place two miles southeast of Crockett on Pennington road. tf. N. O. Routledge.

Mr. and Mrs. Haden Campbell of Los Angeles, Cal., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Beasley. Born and reared in Crockett, Haden's success in the commercial world is the pride of our people. Haden was once an employe of the Courier, but that explains nothing.

Cotton Seed.

We have arranged to supply the farmers at very low prices, best planting seed as long as supply lasts. We will discontinue buying seed in a few days. Bring in what you want to sell. Houston County Oil Mill & Mfg. Company. 2t.

Saves Waste and Worry.

Women who are using it know that it is almost impossible to burn food cooked in Pyrex! This is because it heats so evenly. By cooking in Pyrex women are conserving fuel, food and labor. Learn about saving waste and worry at Harris' Racket Store. 1t.

Life Insurance.

I am the only authorized representative of the Bankers' Life Insurance Company of Des Moines, Iowa, in this territory. If interested in an old line policy call on me at my office in the Page building, or write or telephone me and I will be glad to call and explain my policies to you. 1t. Jack Barbee.

Save Fuel.

Pyrex cuts down your bills and helps the cause of thrift. You can save about one-half of the heat you ordinarily use in the oven! Pyrex requires only about half as much as an ordinary pan. Yet the food inside cooks just as quickly and much more deliciously. Still more fuel is saved because Pyrex continues to cook long after all the heat has been turned off. Ask about Pyrex at Harris' Racket Store. 1t.

National Advertising.

The Courier is carrying an increased amount of national advertising this week. National advertisers are recognizing the Courier as one of the country's best advertising mediums, due in a large measure to the paper's splendid subscription support. The more subscribers we get the more advertising we have, and the more advertising we have the better the paper we get out, and the better the paper we get out the more subscribers we have. It is an endless chain.

Saves Food.

You can leave out one-half the shortening of cake, pies, pastry, etc., when you bake in Pyrex. Think what a big saving in expense! Left-overs cooked in Pyrex are so delicious that all temptation to waste is gone. In the Pyrex casserole meats cook so thoroughly, so evenly, retaining every bit of savory juice, that you can buy the cheaper cuts—cuts that you never thought of buying before. You will be proud to serve them—Pyrex makes them so much more delicious. Ask about Pyrex at Harris' Racket Store. 1t.

Grand Jurors.

Following is a list of the grand jurors who are to appear at 10 o'clock Monday morning, March 22, to serve for the spring term of the Houston county district court:

- H. C. Rich, Lovelady.
- John LeGory, Crockett.
- J. W. Shivers, Crockett.
- J. E. Harrison, Kennard.
- J. R. Conner, Ratcliff.
- H. Long, Augusta.
- C. W. Kennedy, Grapeland.
- Lyman Knox, Ash.
- Lee Taylor, Porter Springs.
- J. L. Carroll, Weldon.
- Claud Haddox, Crockett.
- Lee Perry, Lovelady.
- W. N. Blair, Crockett.
- Will Parker, Crockett.
- Dan Hill, Daly.
- L. L. Moore, Crockett.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To T. J. and Lou Jackson, who reside or one time resided in Houston County, Texas, the heirs and legal representatives of each of these deceased; Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

60 acres of the M. Gregg survey, abstract No. 36 in and of Houston County, Texas, being the specific 60 acre tract of said survey which the said T. J. Jackson in 1917 and the said Lou Jackson in 1918 owned, claimed and rendered for taxes, and being all the right, title and interest which the said T. J. Jackson and the said Lou Jackson then had in the said M. Gregg survey and all that they,

MONEY TO LOAN

BUY VENDOR LEIN NOTES.
AETNA LIFE INSURANCE.

B. B. WARFIELD

CROCKETT, TEXAS.

their assigns, heirs and legal representatives now have in and to the same, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$14.13, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 975 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this the 25th day of February, A. D. 1920. (Seal) V. B. Tunstall, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

3t. By J. B. Stanton, Deputy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

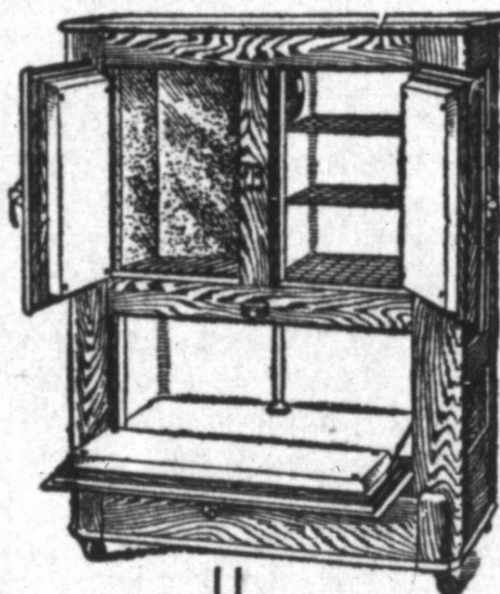
The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To E. L. Lockett, whose place of residence is unknown; Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

25 acres of the Jas. W. Harvey survey, abstract No. 1211, being block No. 2 of A. O. Harper & Co's. plat and subdivision of said J. W. Harvey survey, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the years 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, in the sum of \$18.25, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1567 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this the 24th day of February, A. D. 1920. (Seal) V. B. Tunstall, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

3t. By J. B. Stanton, Deputy.



The New Blugray Refrigerator

WITH genuine Porcelain Lining all in one piece, with rounded corners and without crack or seam, is sold at a price which puts them within the reach of everybody.

Don't bother any longer with cheap paint lined or rough galvanized iron lined Refrigerators, but get one of these beautiful, smooth lined, easy to clean, sanitary

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Has free circulation of cold, dry air; "L" shaped provision chamber with convenient drop door. Is scientifically constructed to keep cold air in and heat out. Will not leak. Is odorless—requires little attention and will last a lifetime. Beautiful golden oak finish, stylish design. Made in sizes to suit. Come in and let us show them to you.

WALLER & GREEN

About Food

Good food is easily digested.

A good digestion increases your vitality.

Vitality creates wealth.

Wealth brings happiness.

Happiness prolongs age.

That's why you should buy food from us—

IT'S GOOD.

Crockett Grocery & Baking Co.

The Home of Sanitary Products

FORMER SENATOR BAILEY INELIGIBLE

Constitution Says Candidate Shall
Have Resided in State Five
Years.

San Antonio, Tex., Feb. 19.—Former Senator J. W. Bailey is ineligible to become governor under the well-known status of his residence, in the opinion of former Senator Marshall Hicks.

Acting in behalf of Captain Charles H. Dickson, it was Mr. Hicks who established before Judge W. T. Sluder the right of returned soldiers to vote without poll tax payment. At that time he made an exhaustive study of the residence feature as applied to elections. This study has been supplemented by further investigation since it became apparent that Mr. Bailey would announce as a candidate for governor.

Legal steps to prevent Bailey's name going upon the ballot may be taken in every county of the state in the form of an injunction against the use of his name by the county executive committees in preparing the ballots.

Mr. Hicks gave his opinion on the question today. He said:

"It is the general understanding that when Mr. Bailey resigned from the United States senate he opened law offices in Washington, his family already being in that city, and that since that time his family has continued to live in Washington and Mr. Bailey has pursued his profession there, with only occasional visits to Texas. If this general understanding is correct, it seems certain that Mr. Bailey does not possess the constitutional qualifications to hold the office of governor of Texas.

Qualifications Set Forth.

"The qualifications of a person seeking the office of governor are specifically and clearly set forth in section 4 of article 4 of the state constitution, which provides that the candidate shall have resided in this state at least five years immediately preceding his election." The legal question involved, as regards Mr. Bailey's qualifications, is determined by the meaning of the phrase quoted. According to the authorities a person is held to reside at the place where he has his fixed abode and where he dwells with his family. Webster's dictionary defines reside to live, to dwell to be present.

"Residence" implies an established abode, fixed permanently for a time, for business or for other purposes, though there may be an intent in the future, at some time or other, to return to the original domicile. Morgan vs. Nunes, 54 Miss. 308. Occasion has never arisen for any of the courts of

this state to specifically construe the section of the constitution relating to the qualifications of a candidate for governor, but in many cases the courts have been called upon to decide the meaning of the phrase, shall have resided in, which is the exact language used in the constitution with reference to the qualification of a candidate for governor. In a case decided by the fourth court of civil appeals in 1904, reported in the Southwestern Reporter, volume 79, page 74, that court was called upon to declare the legal meaning of the phrase 'shall have resided in,' and the court, in its opinion by Chief Justice Fly, says: The word "reside" in its ordinary sense carries with it the idea of permanence as well as continuity. It does not mean living in one place and claiming a home in another. It does not mean a constructive or imaginary residence in Texas while actually living in Illinois. There are many other authorities to the same effect."

Constitutional Expression.

"It is evident from the constitution itself that its framers believed that such a provision as above quoted would make United States senators, congressmen and other persons absent from the state ineligible for certain state offices unless express provision was made to cover such cases and accordingly the framers of the constitution inserted therein section 9 of article 16, which reads as follows:

"Forfeiture of Residence—Absence on business of the state, or of the United States, shall not forfeit a residence obtained, so as to deprive any one of the right of being elected or appointed to any office under the exception contained in this constitution."

"If absence from the state, except on business of the state or of the United States, would not forfeit one's residence so as to deprive him of the right of being elected to an office, then the question naturally arises, why did the framers of the constitution insert the above provision?"

"If it is true, as reported, that during the last five years and longer Mr. Bailey has maintained law offices in Washington and pursued his profession in that city, his family living there, he returning to Texas only occasionally on a visit, then there does not appear to be any doubt but that Mr. Bailey has not resided within the state of Texas during the past five years, as required by the constitution, and is therefore disqualified to hold the office of governor."

News Ink Then and Now.

In July, 1895, a well known brand of news ink, then at the present time handled by several Kansas City supply houses, sold for eight cents per pound in twenty-five pound containers and \$7.50 for a 100 pound keg. Today that same brand of ink is costing the consumer twenty cents per pound for the smaller container and \$18.00 for the 100 pound keg.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon John H. Davis by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four 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 7th Monday after the 1st Monday in February, A. D. 1920, the same being the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 9th day of February, A. D. 1920, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 7950, wherein Ella Davis is Plaintiff, and John H. Davis is Defendant, and said petition alleging that plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married in Coleman county October 15th, 1910, and lived together until the 15th day of May, 1911, when the defendant without cause voluntarily left the bed and board of plaintiff with the intention of abandonment, and has neither lived nor cohabited with her since. That more than three years have elapsed since his said abandonment, and she prays for divorce, special and general 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, V. B. Tunstall, Clerk of the District Court of Houston County.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, this 9th day of February, A. D. 1920.

(Seal) V. B. Tunstall, Clerk,
District Court, Houston County.

Attest: By J. B. Stanton, Deputy.



Give Me a Friendly, Natural Hand-shake

an' a friendly natural tobacco. Keep yo' put-on airs an' "sauces-up" tobaccos for the fellow that likes nut sundaes better than home made pie—

So says a friend of ours named Velvet Joe. And he just about hits the nail on the head.

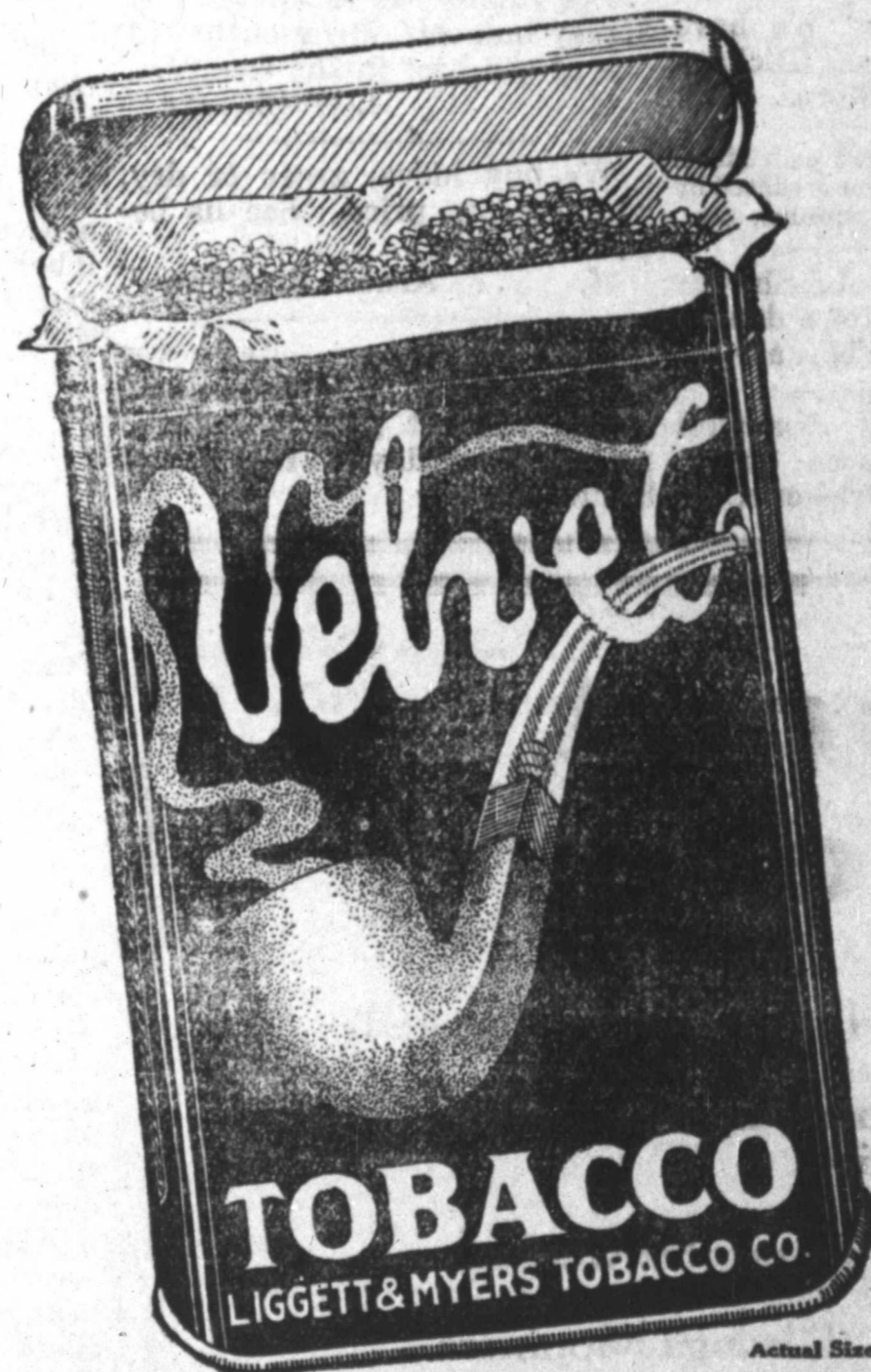
Velvet is made for men who think there's no smoke like real tobacco. If you are that sort of man, listen:

Velvet was born in old Kentucky, where more than one good thing comes from. It was raised as carefully as any other Kentucky thoroughbred. But the real secret of Velvet's friendly qualities is its slow natural ageing in wooden hogsheads. Ageing in the wood never hurt anything—and least of all, tobacco.

And so we say, Velvet is good tobacco—nothing more or less. It runs second to none.

The picture of the pipe on the tin needn't keep you from rolling a jim-dandy cigarette with Velvet.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.



-the friendly tobacco

A FAMILY MEDICINE

In Her Mother's Home, Says This
Georgia Lady, Regarding Black-
draught, Relief From Head-
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Ringgold, Ga.—Mrs. Chas. Gaston, of this place, writes: "I am a user of Theford's Black-Draught; in fact, it was one of our family medicines. Also in my mother's home, when I was a child. When any of us children complained of headache, usually caused by constipation, she gave us a dose of Black-Draught, which would rectify the trouble. Often in the Spring, we would have malaria and chills, or troubles of this kind, we would take Black-Draught pretty regular until the liver acted well, and we would soon be up and around again. We would not be without it, for it certainly has saved us lots of doctor bills. Just a dose of Black-Draught when not so well saves a lot of days in bed."

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Theford's Black-Draught has been found a valuable remedy for these troubles. It is purely vegetable, and acts in a prompt and natural way, regulating the liver to its proper functions and cleansing the bowels of impurities. Try it. Insist on Theford's the original and genuine. 279

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of
Houston:

To Raymond de la Garza, the unknown heirs and legal representatives of Raymond de la Garza, deceased, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:
Lot or block No. 43 of A. O. Har-

per & Co's. subdivision of said Raymond de la Garza survey, abstract No. 33 in and of Houston County, Texas, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$11.10, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is

the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1714 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 18 day of February, A. D. 1920.
(Seal) V. B. Tunstall,
Clerk District Court, Houston County,
Texas. 3t.

REVISION OF LAWS AFTER ELECTION

Democrats Say Republicans Have
Broken Pledge Made to the
Country.

Washington, Feb. 14.—As indicated by Representative Garner of Texas, member of the ways and means committee, some months ago, the republican party has passed the matter of revision of the tax laws to congress after the presidential election. This has been recently verified by the refusal of the senate committee to consider anything with reference to tariff, save in the bills already passed by the house, or to deal with the revenue laws with a view to reducing the burden upon the people. Chairman Fordney of the ways and means committee stated a few days ago there would be no revision of the revenue laws, particularly the much talked of excess profit section. Some of the administrative features of the law probably will be considered.

Both houses of congress are working to adjourn the session by the first of June, and it is suggested that a hearing on application for repeal of excess profits would require months. Republicans admit that they would not know where to spread the taxes to gather an amount approximately equal that now coming on excess profits, and that any attempt to disturb the tax scheme would create new troubles in the campaign. Rather, they say, the taxes be left as they are and properly attributable to the war.

The party will be met in the campaign by the charge made by democrats that republicans have wasted a great deal of time in this congress. Early in last year a campaign started to relieve the business world of what has been characterized as the unfair excess profits tax, and declared to be somewhat responsible for the high cost of living. This position has had the support of the federal trade commission. Immediately after republicans won the congress, based partially upon the promise to remove and revise some tax burdens, the leaders began contending before the people that a special session of congress ought to be called so that they could get to work in cleaning up the excess prof-

its tax and other features of the law. The session was called ten months ago, and President Wilson went before congress recommending that one of the efforts be to revise the revenue laws, laying stress upon what he called the injustice to business through the excess profits tax.

The fact that the republican majority has broken its pledge to the country, and the recent admission of the leaders that nothing is to be attempted until after the election, affords an additional opportunity, democrats declare, to press the charge that republicans have wasted the time of the session.

During consideration of the appropriation bills house democrats have taken occasion to challenge the sincerity of republicans in their campaign of saving by reducing appropriations. While it is admitted, and to the credit of the republican leaders, that millions of money has been cut from appropriation bills, and a further saving in rejustment of appropriations, democrats charge that the pruning has been only in such places as the republicans selected in order to make a political record. Active in the fight against some appropriations are Representatives Garner, Blanton and Connally of the Texas delegation. Blanton is almost constantly on the floor with points of order against appropriations or offering amendments to reduce the allowed amounts.

"We are piling up the record against the majority in this congress," said Mr. Garner, "and when they claim that they have been economizing we will be able to show that it had only been in certain directions."

Print Paper in Canada.

Owing to the shortage of print paper in Western Canada, the three daily papers at Winnipeg have suspended publication and will combine in publishing a one page bulletin, which will be posted about the city.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To Walter L. Selby, who resides in the State of Nebraska, County of Douglas, City of Omaha, and whose place of business is in the Keeline building, said city, and to James G. Allen, whose place of residence is unknown, and to the heirs and legal representatives of each of these, deceased; Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described, situated in Houston County, Texas, delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

1213 acres of land out of the F. del Valle 11 league grant, abstract No. 88 of Houston County, being the specific tracts, portions, interest and parts of the same owned, claimed and personally rendered by the said W. L. Selby for taxes in Houston County, Texas, for the year 1913 and more particularly described as follows:

First tract: 287 acres, block No. 8 on Harper & Co's. plat No. 19 on W. L. Selby's plat.

Second tract: 181 7-10 acres, block No. 10 on Harper & Co's. plat, No. 20 on W. L. Selby's plat.

Third tract: 93 1-10 acres, block No. 39 on Harper & Co's. plat, No. 10 on W. L. Selby's plat.

Fourth tract: 161 5-10 acres, block No. 11 on Harper & Co's. plat, No. 21 on W. L. Selby's plat.

Fifth tract: 82 2-10 acres, block No. 24 on Harper & Co's. plat, No. 25 on W. L. Selby's plat.

Sixth tract: 79 5-10 acres, block No. 55 on Harper & Co's. plat, No. 26 on W. L. Selby's plat, less 100 acres in the form of a rectangle out of the most southerly part of said block.

Seventh tract: 80 3-10 acres, block No. 61 on Harper & Co's. plat, No. 29 on W. L. Selby's plat.

Eighth tract: 203 4-10 acres being shown on Harper & Co's. plat as block Nos. 22 and 23 and W. L. Selby's plat as lot No. 32.

Ninth tract: 44 3-10 acres a more particular description of which is not obtainable except to say that the same is all the remaining right, title, interest and the claim of the said W. L. Selby and of the said James G. Allen in and to the said F. del Valle 11 league grant in Houston County.

Which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the years 1894 to 1918 inclusive in the sum of \$1496.03, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1709 on the Tax Docket

of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this the 31st day of January, A. D. 1920.

(Seal) V. B. Tunstall,
Clerk District Court, Houston County,
Texas.

By E. M. Callier, Deputy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To Frank Calhoun, Frank Anderson, Addie Henderson, Harrison Love, Amy Love, Henderson Denman, and Lou Denman, all of whom reside in Houston County, Texas, Fred Calhoun, whose last known place of residence is in the State of Oklahoma, Ophelia Calhoun who now resides or one time resided in the State of Alabama, and Minnie Calhoun who one time resided in Anderson County, Texas, the heirs and legal representatives of each of these deceased, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter describ-

ed delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

The F. Calhoun 160 acre survey, abstract No. 312 in and of Houston County, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$21.17, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1238 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this the 17th day of February, A. D. 1920.

(Seal) V. B. Tunstall,
Clerk District Court, Houston County,
Texas.

By J. B. Stanton, Deputy.

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BAILEY ANNOUNCES HIS CANDIDACY

Former United States Senator Will Make the Race for Governor of Texas.

Gainesville, Tex., Feb. 18.—Former United States Senator Joseph W. Bailey is candidate for governor of Texas. Speaking in his home town this afternoon to about four thousand people, the audience including many of his friends who journeyed here from widespread parts of the state, he formally announced his candidacy, and added that he would not have made the race if he had not been forced to do so by the attack made upon him at the recent meeting of the state democratic executive committee at Dallas. Also Mr. Bailey received a telegram from former Congressman R. L. Henry of Waco, heretofore a gubernatorial candidate, pledging Mr. Henry's support of Mr. Bailey for governor.

Mr. Bailey's announcement as a candidate for governor was hailed with very great enthusiasm. Men mounted their seats, yelling and tossing their hats in the air. The audience included a liberal proportion of women, and of these practically all wore "Bailey for Governor" badges, these badges abounding everywhere in Gainesville today—and were demonstrative at the announcement. After the speech the former senator was for a long time the center of a clamorous crowd, swarming to the platform, and later around him at the hotel and expressing delight at his decision and extending pledges of support.

Legislature of Right Kind.

In his gubernatorial announcement Mr. Bailey urged that it is just as important to "elect a legislature of the right kind" as it is to elect a "governor of the right kind." In every legislative and senatorial district a "Bailey principles" candidate will be put in the field, it is planned.

Friends of Mr. Bailey were here from Dallas, Fort Worth, Waco, Austin, Houston and San Antonio, and from many of the towns of North and Central Texas. Some of his admirers who now live in Oklahoma and New Mexico journeyed to the state of their former residence to meet him today, and one man, Napoleon B. Cults, who is 80 years of age, says he rode bare-back seventy-five miles

from his home in Jack County to hear this speech. To enumerate all the outside attendance here today would be merely to list many of the men from a number of sections of North, Central and South Texas who have heretofore been outstandingly identified as Bailey partisans. In addition Senator Bailey and his friends cite the names of a considerable number of men who formerly have opposed Mr. Bailey, but who, it is said, have recently assured either Mr. Bailey or some of his friends that they intend to support him in this campaign.

In his address today Mr. Bailey referred to the remarks of former Attorney General B. F. Looney of Greenville, now a gubernatorial candidate, at the Dallas state democratic executive committee meeting.

Mr. Looney, in past years a strong Bailey partisan, criticized at that meeting the present utterances of Mr. Bailey, and Mr. Bailey said today that Mr. Looney is a "good man—I would trust him with anything I have. I would trust him with my life. But I would not trust him with our government." Mr. Bailey predicted that in his Dallas speech he will make "them wish they had attended to the business of the state democratic executive committee at that meeting, instead of having tried to attend to my business."

"If it had not been for that state committee meeting I'd never have been compelled to have become a candidate for governor," he said. (Cheers and prolonged applause, with hats thrown in air.)

"They did not want me to run, but, knowing I did not want to run, they thought they could challenge me with impunity."

Wireless Telephones General Within Year.

Rome, Wednesday, Feb. 11.—The newspapers today publish an article by Guglielmo Marconi, the inventor of wireless telegraphy, which says the United States heads the list of all countries in wireless inventions, her inventions having surpassed all others in producing practical apparatus for the transmission of the human voice through electric waves.

"Within this year wireless telephones will substitute the present clumsy system with great economic advantage, suppressing the cost of the telephone lines and their upkeep. They will also do away with the interruptions due to atmospheric causes," he said.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To W. F. May, T. A. Scurlock, Steve McKinney, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit: 100 acres of the L. Sides survey, abstract No. 1000, being blocks Nos. 1, 2 and 3 of A. O. Harper & Co's. plat of said survey and being all of said survey, except block No. 4 now owned by J. W. McKinney, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$14.08, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1715 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this the 17th day of February, A. D. 1920. V. B. Tunstall, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas. By J. B. Stanton, Deputy.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To B. B. Anderson, and B. L. Anderson who reside in Houston County, Texas, The Louisiana and Texas Lumber Company, a private corporation with an office and an agent, W. H. McGregor, at Conroe, in Montgomery County, Texas, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit: 100 acres being an undivided 1/2 interest in block No. 8 of A. O. Harper

ing and claiming any interest in the hereinafter described land are Defendants. Plaintiff alleging in his petition that he is the owner in fee-simple of the following lands and premises, situated in Houston County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee-simple, to-wit:

Beginning at a point where a small ravine or branch runs into the Neches river from the west and where the ferry boat lands on the west bank of the river at what is known as the Bates ferry. Thence in a S W direction to the most northerly corner of the B. Easley 320 acre survey. Thence S 60 E with the Easley line far enough so that by running N 30 E to the Neches river and up said river with its meanders to the place of beginning will contain 100 acres of land. Which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the years 1889 to 1918 inclusive in the sum of \$137.39, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1715 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this the 18th day of February, A. D. 1920. (Seal) V. B. Tunstall, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas. By J. B. Stanton, Deputy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:



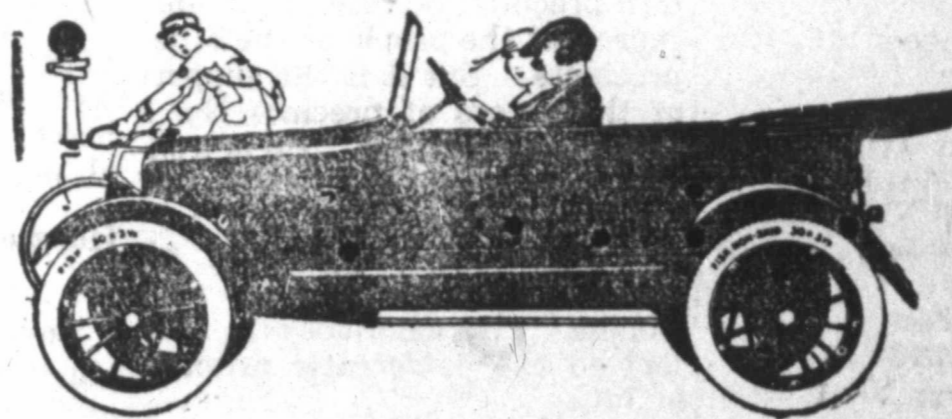
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& Co's. subdivision of said McDaniel survey and described in the alternative as a specific tract of 100 acres of land conveyed to Ben Green by M. A. Long and wife on the 23rd day of July 1907 out of said McDaniel survey and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point where a small ravine or branch runs into the Neches river from the west and where the ferry boat lands on the west bank of the river at what is known as the Bates ferry.

Thence in a S W direction to the most northerly corner of the B. Easley 320 acre survey. Thence S 60 E with the Easley line far enough so that by running N 30 E to the Neches river and up said river with its meanders to the place of beginning will contain 100 acres of land.

Which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the years 1889 to 1918 inclusive in the sum of \$137.39, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1715 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this the 18th day of February, A. D. 1920. (Seal) V. B. Tunstall, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas. By J. B. Stanton, Deputy.

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 John Edens, deceased, the unknown heirs of James Kyle, deceased, the unknown heirs of Nathaniel Parton, deceased, and all persons asserting and claiming any interest in the land hereinafter described by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks, previous to the return date 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 thereof in Crockett, Texas, on the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 2nd day of February, A. D. 1920, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 5842, wherein W. L. Moody is Plaintiff and the unknown heirs of John Edens, deceased, the unknown heirs of James Kyle, deceased, the unknown heirs of Nathaniel Parton, deceased, and all persons assert-

ing and claiming any interest in the hereinafter described land are Defendants. Plaintiff alleging in his petition that he is the owner in fee-simple of the following lands and premises, situated in Houston County, Texas, holding and claiming the same in fee-simple, to-wit:

Being 886 83-100 acres, more or less, consisting of 473 3-4 acres of the John Edens League, 193 3-4 acres of Nathaniel Parton Survey, and the James Kyle Survey of 211 1-3 acres, about 16 miles North West from the town of Crockett, and described by field notes as follows: Beginning at the N E corner of the Greenwood league, a S G 24 in brs S 31 1-2 W 4 8-10 vrs a Do 24 in brs N 63 1-2 W 8 2-10 vrs, both mkd X—Thence N 60 W 3010 vrs (va. 7-39 deg. East) a corner on the W. B. line of said Edens league, a P. O. stump brs N 30 E 2 vrs—Thence S 30 W with said line 962 vrs, the Edens S W corner, an Elm 10 in brs S 60 E 25 3-10 vrs mkd—Thence S 60 E with Edens S B line 640 7-10 vrs James and Jas. Kyles corner, a B J stump 18 in brs N 50 W 6 vrs two R O mkd X—Thence S 30 W (va. 7-53 E) with Kyles W B line (at 866 vrs pass Jas. Kyle and Edens corner) 1348 6-10 vrs Kyles and Edens corner a R O 36 in brs S 15 W 1 7-10 vrs mkd X X a Do 20 in brs S 31 E 4 1-2 vrs mkd X a P O stump brs N 26 W 2 6-10 vrs (the first R O is now dead)—Thence S 60 E (va. 7-53 East) 240 7-10 vrs Kyles corner on the N B line of the N Parton survey, a P O 6 in brs S 72 1-4 W 7 4-10 vrs a R O 36 in brs N 17 W 10 1-2 vrs both mkd X—Thence N 55 with Partons N B line 56 4-10 vrs a corner in Moody Field a R O 8 in brs S 40 1-2 W 21 7-10 vrs a Do 12 in brs S 43 3-4 W 28 1-10 vrs both mkd X—Thence S 35 E 955 3-10 vrs a corner on the N B line of the Garrison Greenwood league a Lynn 20 in brs N 60 W 4 1-10 vrs mkd X—Thence N 55 E with Greenwood line (1145 vrs pass Parton and Kyle corner 1880 vrs pass Kyle and Edens corner) 2936 vrs to the place of beginning.

That one league of land was titled to John Edens, 211 1-3 acres of land was patented to James Kyle, and 320 acres of land was patented to Nathaniel Parton by the State of Texas, situated in Houston County, Texas, of which the land herein described are parts, and on account of the destruction of the deed records of Houston County, Texas, twice by fire, a great many deeds and links in chains of title have been destroyed and are now missing, and there does not appear of record any conveyances of these lands by John Edens, James Kyle, and Nathaniel Parton, during their lifetime and no evidence of any conveyance of same by their heirs since their death, which occurred long years ago, and on account thereof, there are clouds cast upon Plaintiff's title, the original deeds having been

lost and cannot now be produced and the missing records supplied by recording same.

That the Plaintiff, W. L. Moody, dereigns title to the lands claimed by him and herein sued for as follows:

Original title to John Edens granting by field notes, one league of land situated in Houston County, Texas;

Patent from the State of Texas to James Kyle, granting by field notes, 211 1-3 acres of land;

Patent from the State of Texas to Nathaniel Parton, granting by field notes, 320 acres of land;

Deed of Edna Edens to Luna Hollingsworth;

Deed of Gail Clinton and wife to Luna Hollingsworth;

Deed of J. E. Hollingsworth and wife, Luna Hollingsworth, to Eliza Kempner.

Deed of Eliza Kempner to W. L. Moody & Company.

Deed of J. E. Hollingsworth and wife, Luna Hollingsworth, to W. L. Moody & Company;

Deed of W. R. Kyle and J. L. Kyle to B. F. Edens;

Deed of Fred Stewart, Sr., Fred Stewart Jr., Ella Stewart and George M. Pippit to B. F. Edens;

Deed of Nathaniel Parton, by Administrator Robert Burton, to S. A. Miller;

Deed of S. A. Miller to B. F. Edens;

Deed of W. L. Moody Jr. and Frank B. Moody to W. L. Moody.

That the Plaintiff, and those under whom he claims, have had and held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession, under title and color of title, from and under the sovereignty of the soil, the land claimed and described in his petition, for more than three years, and for more than five years, and for more than ten years, after Defendants' cause of action accrued, if any ever accrued, and before the commencement of this suit, claiming the same under deed and deeds duly recorded, cultivating, using and enjoying the same each and every year and paying the taxes thereon for a period of more than five years and for more than ten years before the commencement of this suit, and pleading the three, five and ten years Statutes of Limitation.

That the Defendants are asserting and claiming an interest in said land which clouds the title of Plaintiff and prays that on proof being heard, he have judgment for the land sued for, quieting the title thereto and removing all clouds therefrom, and for such other orders and decrees as may be equitable.

Herein fail not, but have before said court on said first day of next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed same.

Witness V. B. Tunstall, clerk of District Court, Houston County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, in the city of Crockett, the 2nd day of February, A. D. 1920.

(Seal) V. B. Tunstall, Clerk, District Court Houston County, Texas.

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SENATOR CAPPER'S WASHINGTON COMMENT.

Speaking of the "World's Greatest Spending Machine in Action," Senator Capper said:

Washington is in as ridiculous a position as ever a government got into. It is preaching thrift, conservation and economy to the people. It is urging them like an auctioneer to buy War Saving Stamps. But all the time it continues to live far beyond its means itself and to throw millions and billions out of the window. It doesn't even stop to say do as I say and not as I do.

In 1891 a billion dollar income was ample for Uncle Sam. Now his bare living expenses are about 10 times that much.

From 1866 to 1893 he always had a comfortable surplus, much of it coming from indirect taxation. But it is much easier to spend money than to save or keep it, especially if it comes to you by the wagon load. Gradually Uncle Sam got the American disease, nervous prosperity. His river and harbor bills, his public building bills, a multitude of army posts and other forms of pork, grew and grew and ate deeper and deeper into his income. He has spent more than 900 million dollars on creeks and rivers alone and has little to show for it.

This great annual wasting of money has been and is amazingly helped along by the branching out and extension of government departments and in all directions and by the mushroom growth of government boards and commissions.

It soon became necessary to pile on more and more direct, or corporation taxes. These direct taxes were an expense to the corporations so they regularly added this expense to their other expenses as they now have their excess profits tax to the price of their products, and let the people pay the total. And this is how the high cost of living got started and came to live among us. So far as the corporations are concerned they merely act as toll-takers, getting all they can from the people.

There are figures here in Washington to show the growth of these corporation taxes. In 1910, when the H. C. L. first began to make its presence known, they amounted nearly to 21 million dollars a year.

By 1913—three years later—they had risen to 35 millions. Now, with income and profit taxes included, they come to well over 2 1-2 billion dollars a year. And this huge mountain of wealth, with our enormous indirect revenues added, is far short of being enough to keep Uncle Sam even in pocket money.

Between 8 and 9 billion dollars of revenue will be needed for the coming fiscal year to meet the estimated expenses of government. Besides this there will be a huge deficit—something like 3 1-2 billions. This whole stupendous amount must come out of the pockets of less than 100 million people for the reason that the burden largely will be passed to the consuming public in high priced goods.

The big cause of the big boost in the high cost of living is the big boost in the high cost of government.

This huge load of taxes will fall heaviest upon the poor, less heavy on the well-to-do, lightest on the rich, the best able to bear it, despite an income tax which is graduated steeply upward. So long as those who have little must supply their wants from

DEMOCRATIC AS MARSHALL DEFINES

Vice President Would be Delegate From Indiana to San Francisco Convention.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Vice President Marshall, in a letter to E. G. Hoffman of Fort Wayne, Ind., secretary of the democratic national committee, made public tonight, announced his candidacy as a delegate at large from Indiana to the coming San Francisco convention upon an "old-time, democratic platform."

"I have watched in other countries the effects of so-called unbridled democracy," the vice president wrote, "and I have seen its menace in this country until I am quite convinced that the peace, prosperity and perpetuity of the American republic must rest finally upon a few ancient and time-honored democratic doctrines."

In view of political gossip that Vice President Marshall is slated to become chairman of the democratic platform committee, his letter was read with special interest by officials here.

"Another presidential campaign impends," Mr. Marshall wrote. "Thus far, the president, who is the chief of our party, has not deemed it expedient to express his opinion as to what the issues will be. As I am desirous of being a delegate at large from the state of Indiana, I wish, in consonance with what I hope has been my entire public career, to state the substance of what I think the democratic party should stand for."

"We were in the war from the very moment of its European beginning because it affected our internal affairs. All of the methods and measures adopted for the preservation of the peace of our country and the winning of the war met with my approval, and I am ready to defend them."

"The war now is over and the rehabilitation of America, as well as the rest of the world, is taking place. It is not possible to accomplish our rehabilitation other than through the instrumentalities of political parties. How shall the democratic party propose to rehabilitate the political system of America, if intrusted with power, is the question."

"I have watched in other countries the effects of so-called unbridled democracy," those who have more or who have much, it is easy for the haves to shift this burden to the havenots.

It means that the men and women who constitute the great common people must pay the cost of our wasteful and extravagant system of government. It is true that buying War Saving Stamps will help them save what groceries, rent, fuel and other necessities do not take from them, but War Saving Stamps by the hay wagon load won't lessen Uncle Sam's demands upon them by as much as 1 cent. He is asking us to save that he may spend more. The only thing that will reduce his demands will be a drastic application of his own advice to save and economize and live within his income, nor will this be done until the people compel it by bringing strong pressure to bear on Washington.

The war is over but we have more clerks in Washington instead of fewer. Streets and buildings are filled with them.

The War Department wants a billion-dollar army.

The army wants its pay raised.

The navy wants its pay raised.

All departments regularly are asking for more money than they expect to get.

If funds run out deficiency appropriations are resorted to to supply more.

We are wasting millions of dollars on a civil service that has been rendered harmless to place hunters and of little service to the people.

In fact we have built up such a huge money-wasting machine here in Washington that it will bankrupt the country if not brought under control.

I am for cutting off every item of expense—down to and including the franking privilege—that is not absolutely and vitally essential to the maintenance of government or the welfare of the people. That means reducing expenses fully one-third. The greatest reduction that can be made in the cost of living—can and should be made right here in Washington.

mocracy and I have seen its menace in this country, until I am quite convinced that the peace, prosperity and perpetuity of the American republic must rest finally upon a few ancient and time-honored democratic doctrines.

"No one save God can remove the individual as the unit of good government. Legislative efforts to produce justice and good order in society by listening and acceding to the demands of persons and classes will in the hour of peace produce failure. The only sure foundation for a stable republic must rest upon the Jeffersonian right to life, to liberty and the pursuit of happiness."

"The democratic party should stand for this and pledge itself to rebuild the American political structure along this line by clearly dividing its citizens into the law-abiding and law-breaking; making its law rest equally upon all men; permitting the individual citizen who is honest to succeed by honest methods; giving to no citizen legislative advantage; speedily punishing anyone who unjustly obtains success by crooked and dishonest means; recognizing that this is still a federation of states; demanding that the states discharge the duties of local self-government; resisting the usurpations of the general government; removing corrupt and biased judges, but standing always for obedience to the decrees of court and to constituted authority; insisting that the legislative branch of the government shall be responsible for the discharge of its duty and serving notice upon it that it can not skulk behind an alleged interference upon the part of the executive branch; electing an executive pledged to discharge the countless officials and innumerable agents made necessary by the war and to administer public affairs along economic lines."

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To C. H. Raguet and L. M. Thorne who reside in Harrison County, Texas, the heirs and legal representatives of each of these deceased; Unknown Owner and all persons owning having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

Lots or blocks Nos. 7, 8, 11, 19, 26, 29, 30 and 31 of A. O. Harper & Co's. plat or subdivision of the H. Raguet survey, abstract No. 72 of Houston County, containing in the aggregate 917 acres of land, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$128.45, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1716 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this the 18th day of February, A. D. 1920.

(Seal) V. B. Tunstall, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

By J. B. Stanton, Deputy.

FAMOUS OLD TONIC BREAKS UP MALARIA CHILLS IN 3 DAYS

So Good That Prominent Physicians Everywhere are Prescribing It.

The next time you get an attack of malaria, ague, etc., go to your dealer and get a bottle of Swamp Chill and Fever Tonic. It will break up the chills in three or four days, and give you relief as you've never had before.

Swamp Chill Tonic does its work quickly and surely, without any unpleasant effects. It contains no calomel, and is tasteless. It is made of purely vegetable ingredients and iron—exactly the combination for the effective relief of malaria, ague, chills, fever, colds, grippe, etc.

Hundreds of people write letters about Swamp Chill Tonic like J. T. Nelson of Bivens, Texas, who says, "Swamp Chill and Fever Tonic has always cured the chills for me and I know it is the best chill tonic on the market."

You, too, will say the same, once you have tried this famous old remedy. At your dealer's—60c a bottle. Get one today.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon A. M. Box and wife, Cora Box, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if there be no newspaper published in said Houston County, then in a newspaper in the nearest County to said Houston County, to appear at the next regular term of the Justice Court of Precinct No. One of Houston County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Crockett, on the last Monday in February, A. D. 1920, the same being the 23rd day of February, A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 16th day of February, A. D. 1920, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 6536, wherein Kennedy Bros. are Plaintiffs, and A. M. Box and wife, Cora Box, are Defendants, and said petition alleging:

That beginning on or about the 11th day of January, 1919, and on divers dates thereafter during said year, as shown by itemized account filed, the plaintiffs at the special instance and request of defendants sold and delivered to defendants certain goods, wares and merchandise amounting to the sum of One Hundred Ninety-six and 39-100 Dollars whereby defendants became indebted to and promised to pay plaintiffs said sum; that said goods, wares and merchandise were reasonably worth the several sums charged

therefor; that said account is past due and unpaid, and defendants have failed and refused to pay the same.

Plaintiffs pray judgment for the amount due on said account with legal interest and for all costs of suit.

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

Given under my hand at office in Crockett, Texas, this the 16th day of February, A. D. 1920.

(Seal) C. R. Stephenson, Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. One, Houston County, Texas. 4t.

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Freight rates have played a very small part in the rising cost of living.

Other causes—the waste of war, under-production, credit inflation—have added dollars to the cost of the necessities of life, while freight charges have added only cents.

The average charge for hauling a ton of freight a mile is less than a cent.

A suit of clothing that sold for \$30 before the war was carried 2,265 miles by rail from Chicago to Los Angeles for 16 1/2 cents.

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The cost of the suit has increased 20 dollars.

The freight on it has increased only 5 1/2 cents.

Other transportation charges enter into the cost of the finished article—carrying the wool to the mills and the cloth to the tailors—but these other charges amount to but a few cents more.

The \$10 pair of shoes that used to sell for \$5 goes from the New England factory to the Florida dealer for a freight charge of 5 2/3 cents—only one cent more than the pre-war rate.

Beef pays only two-thirds of a cent a pound freight from Chicago to New York.

American freight rates are the lowest in the world.

This advertisement is published by the Association of Railway Executives

Those desiring information concerning the railroad situation may obtain literature by writing to The Association of Railway Executives, 61 Broadway, New York.

Our Bargain Counter

Will be continued a short time longer in order that our friends who have not had a chance to see and save money by taking advantage of the many useful bargains that we have to offer in our line of toilet articles and staple patent medicines may do so.

It will pay you to see what we have to offer.

Don't forget our 20 per cent discount on our entire line of auto tubes.

Crockett Drug Company

THE HOUSE OF SERVICE

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

We want hides and beeswax. It. Bayne & Co.

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

John LeGory was a business visitor at Dallas and Houston last week.

666 has proven it will cure Malaria, Chills and Fever, Bilious Fever, Colds and LaGrippe. 10t.

Mrs. Bettie Earnest has returned from a visit to relatives and friends in Dallas.

For Sale Cheap—An iron wheel wagon in splendid condition. Moore & Shivers. tf.

Mrs. J. E. Webb of Humble was recently the guest of Mrs. W. B. Page for a few days.

Wanted—A few good, reliable laborers. Apply to Smith Brothers' office, Crockett, Texas. 3t.

We have a complete stock of face, fire and common brick, lime and cement. Arledge & Arledge. tf.

John Wootters from the state medical college at Galveston and Frank Wootters from the state university at Austin were at home for a brief vacation this week.

We have a complete stock of face, fire and common brick, lime and cement. Arledge & Arledge. tf.

Leave your order with Moore & Shivers for sound high germinating Panhandle Mebane cotton seed. tf.

Mr. Fred Long of Kingston, Ohio, has been spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. S. L. Murchison.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ellis announce the arrival of a baby boy which came to their home Saturday evening.

Rooms for Rent.
A suite of excellent rooms, with bath in connection, for rent by Mrs. Thomas Self. tf.

See us for Jewelry. We will save you money. Dickson Jewelry & Optical Store. tf.

Frost proof cabbage plants, postpaid, thirty-five cents per hundred, three hundred for one dollar. For sale by Jesse Barnes, Trinity, Texas. 4t*.

For Pure Protection
For wife and children take out a life insurance policy with the Illinois Bankers' Life Association, represented in Houston county by C. W. Jones of Crockett. Can be found at the Rexall drug store on Saturdays. tf.

Cultivator for Sale.
A good walking cultivator for sale cheap for cash or will trade for corn. Can be seen at High's blacksmith shop. Also a set of sweeps. 2t*.

Security.
Let me WRITE that Fire Insurance Policy for you and it will be RIGHT. "The Agency of Good Service." Thos. B. Collins, Agent. tf.

Truck for Sale.
A Ford truck, with motor and rear gear in first-class condition, will sell for cash at a bargain. T. J. Hackett, Phone 80 or 294. tf.

Miss Sarah Mac Crook and her guest, Miss Myrtle Andrews of Eastland, who were here last week to attend the Darsey-Anderson wedding at Grapeland, have returned to Baylor College, Belton.

Porto Rica Yams and Nancy Hall potatoes for planting or eating. Will have slips for sale. Give me your order for slips. G. S. A. Rosser, 1 1/2 miles east from Crockett, on San Antonio road. 2t.

Key Found.
A large folding key, with the number 17 stamped on it, has been found in Crockett and left at the Courier office. Owner can get same by calling and paying for this advertisement. tf.

Strayed or Stolen.
From my pasture 2 miles northwest from Crockett, about the first of February, one black milk cow, branded with a heart on left side. Reward for her return or information leading to her recovery. Mrs. Byrde E. Wootters. tf.

Cotton Seed.
We have arranged to supply the farmers at very low prices, best planting seed as long as supply lasts. We will discontinue buying seed in a few days. Bring in what you want to sell. Houston County Oil Mill & Mfg. Company. 2t.

The young people of the Methodist church will send a delegate to the annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Texas Conference, which is to be held at Huntsville, March 2nd to 5th. Miss Helen Guinn has been elected delegate and Miss Virginia Powell alternate.

Saves Time.
You need no longer waste time and energy scrubbing black pots and pans. Pyrex is easily washed. Moreover, you can cook your meals in much less time when you use Pyrex. It makes food cook so much more quickly and thoroughly. It saves the number of dishes to be washed, too, as you bake and serve food in the same Pyrex dish. Find out about Pyrex at Harris' Racket Store. It.

Memorial Services.
Sunday afternoon, March 7, at the Methodist church, the Thomas R. Brailsford Post of the American Legion will hold memorial services for Houston county men who lost their lives in the U. S. service. At the same time the French Memorial Diplomas will be given to the nearest of kin of those who were killed in the A. E. F. All ex-service men are requested to attend in full uniform.

To the Public.
We take this method to thank our friends and customers for their patronage and good will during the last season at our gin. We solicit your patronage and good will for the future, promising you quick service, polite attention and good ginning, and any other accommodation within our power to give. Our motto shall ever be to "Serve the public and serve it rightly." We beg to remain, as ever, yours to serve, J. M. Satterwhite & Son, 4t. Lovelady, Texas.

Spring Is Coming Our Millinery Is Here

There are many beautiful and stylish creations in the spring millinery this year, and we have now on exhibition some of the choicest of them all.

Hats for all ages, for all complexions, and for all occasions—and at all prices. Any member of the family can be quickly suited from this attractive stock.

Hail's Millinery Parlors

Frieda Hempel Will Sing in Palestine.

Frieda Hempel, the world-famous soprano of the Metropolitan Opera Company, will sing in Palestine, March 5, at the High School Auditorium, 8 o'clock p. m. She comes direct to Palestine from New Orleans, and has her own Steinway piano, and also has a flutist, Mr. August Rodemann, and Mr. Conrad V. Boss at the piano. Music lovers cannot afford to miss this chance of hearing this wonderful singer when so close by. She comes under the auspices of the Palestine Rotary Club, and seats are now on sale for this wonderful music event at P. A. Kolstad & Son's Jewelry Store at following rates: Lower floor, \$2.20, including war tax; balcony, \$1.65, including tax. Send orders to President or Secretary of Rotary Club, Palestine, and seats will be reserved for you. 2t. Palestine Rotary Club.

Residential Unit.

Following is the report of the residential unit of the Crockett Civic Club of which Mrs. G. Q. King is chairman: Since last report the following names have been added as

members of the residential unit: Mrs. R. L. Shivers, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Dent, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thompson, D. F. Arledge.

Also the following committees were appointed:

Committee on drainage sanitation—C. D. Towery, chairman; C. P. O'Bannon, C. L. Edmiston, Dr. J. B. Deal, D. F. Arledge, Dr. W. W. Latham, J. M. Ellis, Dr. R. E. Dillard, Bill Austin.

Sanitary inspection committees:

East Crockett—Mrs. J. D. Woodson, chairman; Mrs. J. G. Beasley, Mrs. J. W. Young, Mrs. John LeGory, Mrs. W. G. Cartwright.

West Crockett—Mrs. John S. Arrington, chairman; Mrs. I. W. Sweet, Mrs. A. M. Decuir, Mrs. T. B. Monk, Mrs. B. F. Dent.

North Crockett—Mrs. J. C. Millar, chairman; Mrs. J. H. Smith, Miss Fannie Goolsbee, Mrs. J. A. Brinkman, Mrs. Willie Lovell.

South Crockett—Mrs. W. H. Denny, chairman; Mrs. F. G. Edmiston, Mrs. E. M. Burke, Mrs. Syd Johnson, Mrs. C. W. LeGory.

This unit will meet again Tuesday, March 2, at 3 p. m., when all committees are requested to be present.

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The Home of Satisfied Customers.

NEFF CRITICISES BAILEY IN ADDRESS

Says Former Senator is Disqualified
for Governor of
Texas.

Hillsboro, Tex., Feb. 21.—In a vigorous and frequently applauded speech to about 500 citizens in the Hill county courthouse this afternoon, Pat M. Neff of Waco, gubernatorial candidate, asserted that former Senator J. W. Bailey is, under the Texas constitution, disqualified to serve as governor of Texas because he is not a citizen of Texas. Furthermore, said Mr. Neff, Mr. Bailey's long residence outside Texas has put him out of touch with the thought and spirit and purposes of Texas, even if no constitutional objection to his being governor existed. He declared that Mr. Bailey is "representing his liquor clients in the political forum;" that he is an enemy of the democratic party, and "would today join any party that would offer him power, place or pelf;" that he never did anything to help win the war, and now that it is won, has only criticised; that he is a negative, not an affirmative personality and never in his congressional career produced a single constructive measure, but has always been a "knocker" and "opposed to everything." Mr. Neff predicted that before May "the unbluffed and unbought democracy of Texas will have his political coat-tail whipped to a frazzle" and that he will be out of the race and in some unknown political party long before the July primary. Mr. Neff said Mr. Bailey threatens to run the preachers out of the country because they do not believe in him, and have the courage to say they do not. He (Neff) preferred to take his stand with the preachers who pray for the people than "with Joe Bailey who for twenty years has preyed on the people."

"A well known and distinguished citizen of Washington has announced his candidacy for governor of Texas," said Mr. Neff, to laughter, in introducing his Bailey observations—which were prepared in advance and read by him from the manuscript. At another point he referred to Mr. Bailey as "an alien citizen of Texas running for state office on a federal platform." This was followed by both laughter and applause, a voice, "We don't want him," and another, "Skin him!" There were rather frequent cries, such as "give it to him!" "Who op-ee! That's the stuff!" etc. The applause ranged, at different times, from the handclapping of three or four men to that of practically the entire audience, and the evidence of merriment at one point or another ran the gamut from a few titters to gen-

eral chuckling and gusts of uproarious general laughter. The crowd was composed principally of men; mostly very serious in the hearing given; and, apparently, a goodly number of them were farmers.

This is Mr. Neff's seventy-fourth speech in this campaign. He has been "shelling the woods" in parts of the state, where, he says, a gubernatorial candidate has never been before, and he expresses himself as very greatly encouraged by the encouragement given him by the voters wherever he has been. In the Panhandle he made an airplane trip in order to fulfill a certain engagement. Today Editor L. B. Williams of the Temple Telegram (the only newspaper man in Texas who owns a flying machine) was scheduled to come in his plane to Hillsboro for the Neff speech. Mr. Neff pointed to these things as evidence of the "change of the times," as representatives of the rapid civilization in which we live. "We've got to keep up in legislative and government affairs with this rapid civilization we are living in," he said. "I am not running for governor on the activities of other generations or on what happened a hundred years ago."

Mr. Neff explained that he selected Hillsboro as the place for this speech because Hill county is supposed to contain more Bailey men than any county except Cooke; because "Bailey has made more speeches here during the last ten years than anywhere else in Texas, and because he boasts that he carries the Hill county vote in his vest pocket."

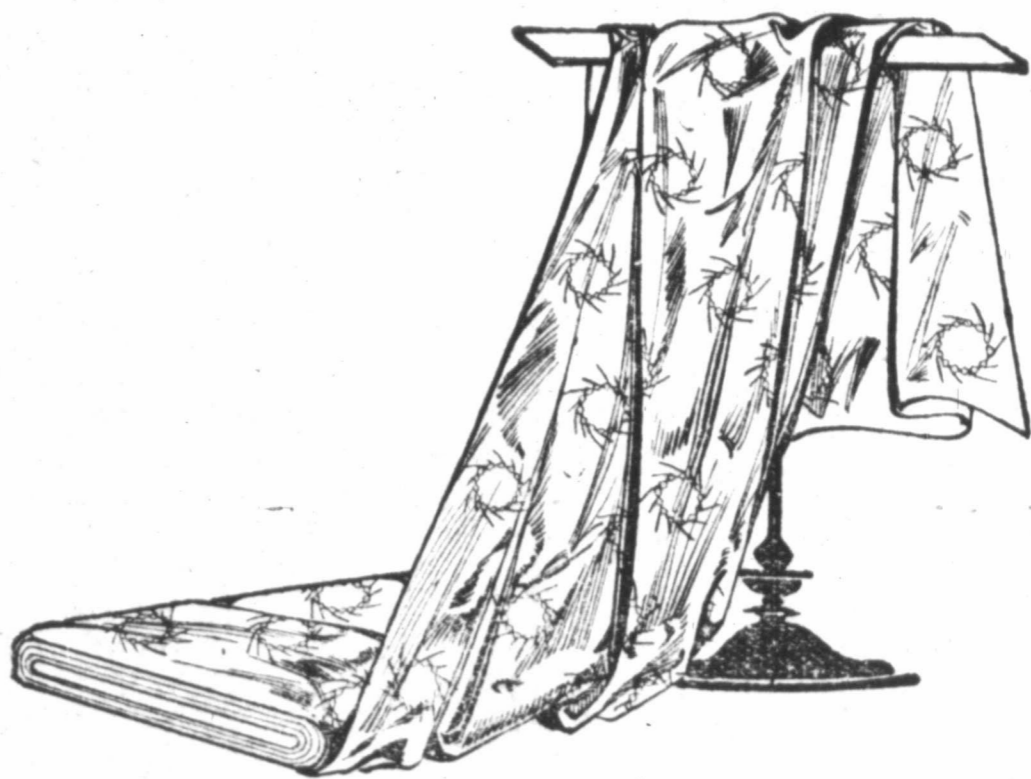
"Bailey is legally disqualified by the constitution to become governor of Texas," said Mr. Neff. "The constitution of Texas clearly provides that the candidate for governor shall have resided in this state for at least the five years preceding his election. Bailey has lived, as a private citizen, for the last ten years, in Washington. He owns his home in Washington, and all his interests are outside of Texas, with one exception—he is the proud owner of a cemetery lot in this state."

"Not only does the constitution disqualify him, but the fact that he has not lived in Texas for thirty years absolutely unfits him to discharge the duties of governor. He is out of touch and sympathy with Texas institutions and enterprises. No wonder he announces for governor and refuses to discuss even one Texas legislative problem. He thinks of Washington, not Austin; of congress, not our legislature; of Wall street, not the people."

The Republicans in Congress are not reducing taxes any, although they have a majority in both houses. There was never a better opportunity for a party to make a popular strike with the people than right now. The Republicans, however, may think that taxes are too low.

Rub-My-Tism is a powerful antiseptic; it kills the poison caused from infected cuts, cures old sores, tetter, etc.

Beautiful Silks That Reflect Spring



The art of the painter is scarcely greater than that of the silk manufacturers who have produced exquisite textures, luxurious colorings and beautiful patterns shown in our present display of new silks.

Taffetas, Foulards, Tricolettes, Satin and others in all the best liked colorings—and all of excellent wearing quality.

JAMES S. SHIVERS

CROCKETT'S BIG STORE

LINCOLN TRIBUTE TO WASHINGTON

Long Lost Eulogy Unearthed on Eve
Another Birthday of First
President.

New York, Feb. 21.—Seventy-eight years ago tomorrow in Springfield, Ill., where his tomb is now a shrine before which a nation bows in reverence, young Abraham Lincoln paid tribute to George Washington. The words he uttered there, perhaps as eloquent as his world-famed Gettysburg address, have been lost for three-quarters of a century in the pages of a country newspaper hidden away in the files of the Congressional Library. They were brought to light to be given to the world for the first time almost on the eve of another birthday of the first president.

"This is the one hundred and tenth anniversary of the birthday of Washington," he said. "We are met to celebrate this day. Washington is the mightiest name on earth—long since mightiest in the cause of civil liberty; still mightiest in moral reformation. On that name an eulogy is expected. It can not be. To add brightness to the sun or glory to the name of Washington is alike impossible. Let none attempt it. In solemn awe pronounce the name and in its naked, deathless splendor leave it shining on."

The text of this unknown example of Lincoln's eloquence was found in Washington by Lucien High Alexander of Philadelphia, who gave it to the Associated Press today. An account of the ceremony at which Lincoln spoke was contained in the copy of the Sangamon Journal, published at Springfield Feb. 25, 1842. The tribute to Washington was the final paragraph of an address on another subject and the address in full was published in the Journal of March 25. Mr. Alexander, a student of Lincoln, came upon the unknown address while on historical research work.

He declared that in his judgment it is destined in the years to come to be read or recorded at virtually every celebration of Washington's Birthday the country over.

Bailey Says Will Refer to Texans His
"Eligibility."

Gainesville, Tex., Feb. 19.—In answer this morning to questions regarding his ownership of property in Gainesville, Joseph Weldon Bailey stated that about a year ago, following his decision to move to Fort Worth and establish his sons in the practice of law, he sold his residence in Gainesville. The change in political affairs in Texas having made it advisable that he make the race for governor he will return to Gainesville.

Mr. Bailey said, in answer to those who are questioning his eligibility to hold office in Texas, that he will refer that question to the people of this state. He has always attended and participated in the precinct, county and state conventions and was never challenged as to his eligibility.

Mr. Bailey incidentally mentioned

that he owns a lot in Fairview Cemetery here and expects to be buried in it.

An English writer is now advocating one government for England and the United States. He says that the United States could still have a President, but he should be subordinate to the King of England. He seems to think that the cordial manner in which the Americans welcomed the Prince of Wales that they are ready to be governed by royalty. There have always been a few Americans (so-called Americans) who believed very strongly in royalty. But the number is so small now that it is not entitled to be called respectable.

Do not run over the benches to declare your preference for any candidate whose election will place him in a position to cut down public expenses, until you have convinced yourself that he is a real, genuine, dyed-in-the-wool reducer. Make him put his finger on the items that he intends to cut out. Generalities and platitudes will not suffice.

Plow Time Is Here

And you are going to need some new plows and other implements. It will be to your interest to come in and look over our line of

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Good Cotton Seed

The boll worm and weevil, also continued wet weather, have made good planting seed extremely scarce, but by buying early and in sections not affected I have accumulated a lot of good, sound, dry seed which will be sold by me in three-bushel sacks at not exceeding \$2.50 per bushel.

We have more than fifteen hundred bushels of Mebane seed that the cotton out of same sold for 48 to 51 cents per pound. These seed will be sold at a price not exceeding \$2.50, so that all who want to raise cotton and plant good seed will have an opportunity to get them from a man he knows.

We will sell this seed and hold them until spring, you to pay cash at the time of booking your order.

JAMES S. SHIVERS

A PROLETARIAT PROCLAMATION

One-Day Walkout of Workmen in all Countries Urged to Show Strength.

Galveston, Texas, Feb. 21.—Activities of the Russian bolshevik, or communist party, is revealed in an order for a general one-day strike all over the world of members of the communist party sent to Galveston by Warren W. Peters, Young Men's Christian Association worker in charge of army and navy work in Vladivostok. The proclamation states that the Russian communists are not strong enough to combat the allied powers, but that a general strike for one day would show the organization of the proletariat. It will be noted that the strike was called for January 3.

The proclamation addressed "to the proletariat of all countries together," but more particularly to the "comrade workmen of Vladivostok," follows:

"The Far Eastern committee of the Russian communistic party hereby calls the workmen and employes of all shops, factories, business houses of the city and the railroads to make a one-day strike as protest against the execution of your comrades by order of General Rozanoff, and against the intervention of the allies.

"Bankrupt governments, the bourgeoisie and militarists continue their evil courses, ever taking out fresh victims from the lines of the revolutionary proletariat.

Tramples Down Populace.

"Having no strength to stand against the red soviet army, and not being in force to stand against partisan developments, this government successfully tramples down the helpless prisoners (the population of Vladivostok,) being under the protection of the Japanese and American bayonet.

"We are protesting against the armed intervention of Japan and the United States, which prevents any attempt on the part of the majority of the population of our country—workmen and peasants—from organizing any real government, and is only an obstacle to the installation in power of the soviet government.

"In taking part in this one-day strike, comrade workmen, you must understand that such a strike is not an act of war against our enemies; it is just a census of our force—a demonstration of our discipline and good organization.

"The most important act of war was, and will be only an armed revolution, and as at the present time, because of the intervention and presence of the allied troops, who are ready to stop any revolutionary movement, the armed revolution is of no use. It is premature. From time to time by organizing peaceful demonstrations the proletariat must show to their enemies that they are always ready, that they observe closely the civil war on the part of the red and black international workmen, and are ready at any moment to put all their forces in this war.

Date for Strike Set.

"The date of the appointed strike is Saturday, January 3, at 10 a. m. On that day all shops, factories, business houses and railroads must be closed.

"Away with the dictatorial power of Russian and international bourgeoisie!

"Away with the intervention of the allies!

"Hurrah for the Third International Workmen Union!

"Hurrah for the soviet government!

"Remember forever the fallen in this struggle!

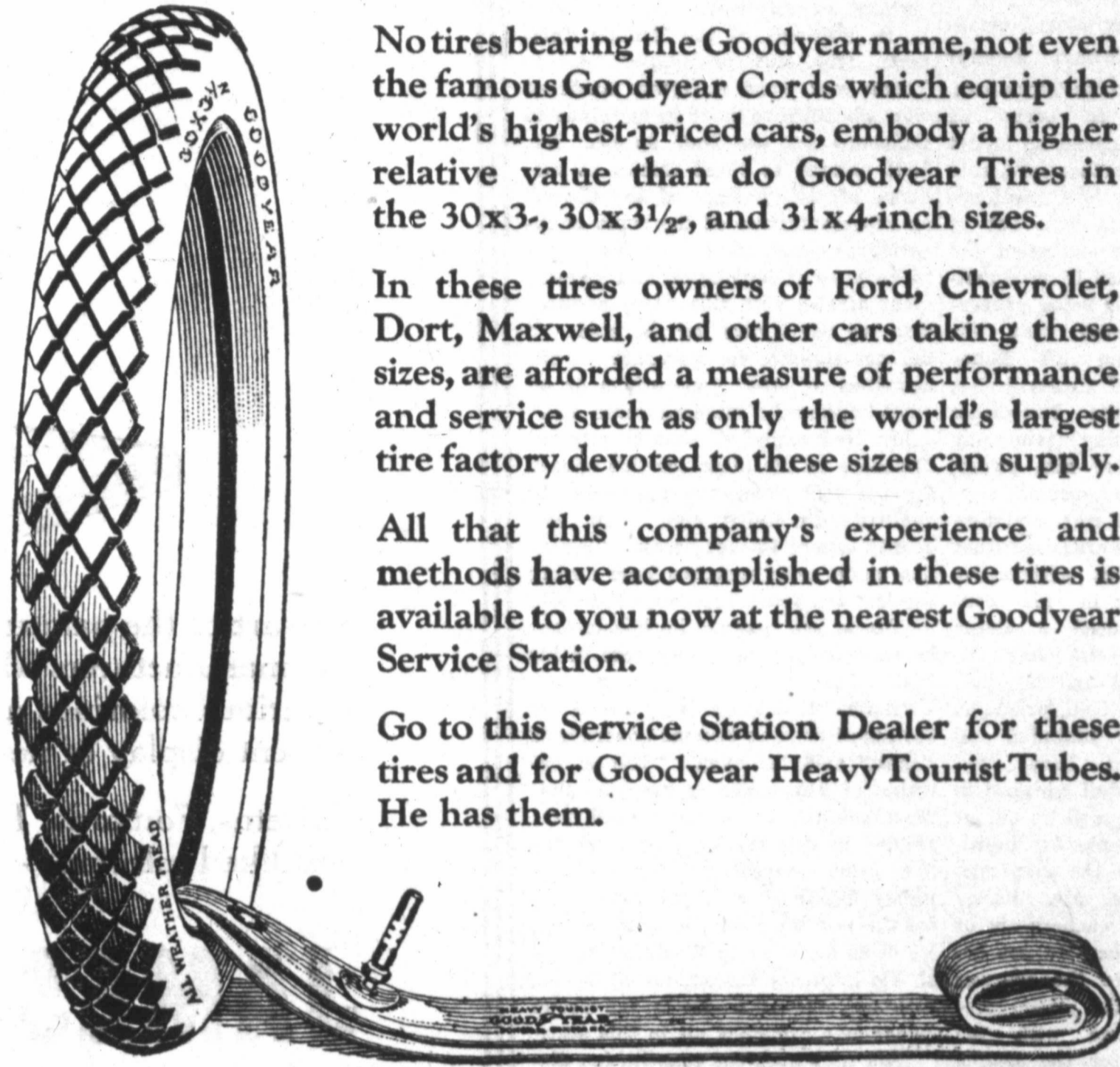
"The Far Eastern Committee of the Russian Communistic Party (Bolshevik.)

Reflection on a Head.

Professor: "If the gentleman in the back row will remove his hat I will continue and point out a concrete example."

In Hawaii it has been found that weeds can be kept down in sugar plantations by covering the fields with paper, which is easily penetrated by the sharp sugar cane shoots.

The Smaller Cars—and the World's Most Popular Tires



No tires bearing the Goodyear name, not even the famous Goodyear Cords which equip the world's highest-priced cars, embody a higher relative value than do Goodyear Tires in the 30x3-, 30x3½, and 31x4-inch sizes.

In these tires owners of Ford, Chevrolet, Dort, Maxwell, and other cars taking these sizes, are afforded a measure of performance and service such as only the world's largest tire factory devoted to these sizes can supply.

All that this company's experience and methods have accomplished in these tires is available to you now at the nearest Goodyear Service Station.

Go to this Service Station Dealer for these tires and for Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes. He has them.

30x3½ Goodyear Double-Cure Fabric, All-Weather Tread..... \$20.00
30x3½ Goodyear Single-Cure Fabric, Anti-Skid Tread..... \$17.65

Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes are thick, strong tubes that reinforce casings properly. Why risk a good casing with a cheap tube? Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes cost little more than tubes of less merit. 30x3½ size in water-proof bag..... \$3.90

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GOOD YEAR AUTOMOBILE TIRES

TUBES AND ACCESSORIES

Smith-Murchison Hardware Company, Crockett

R. E. Parker, Hardware, Lovelady

Keeland Brothers, Grapeland

EDITORIALS BY DR. R. T. MILNER

WHAT THE FORMER A. & M. PRESIDENT WRITES IN THE RUSK COUNTY NEWS.

CHANGE OF MIND.

President Wilson said at the dedication of the monument of Commodore John Barry, Washington, D. C., Saturday, May 16, 1914:

"What does the United States stand for, then, that our hearts should be stirred up by the memory of the men who set her Constitution up? John Barry fought, like every other man in the Revolution, in order that America might be free to make her own life without interruption or disturbance from any other quarter.

You can sum the whole thing up in that, that America had a right to her own self-determined life; and what are our corollaries from that? You do not have to go back to stir your thoughts again with the issues of the Revolution. Some of the issues of the Revolution were not the cause of it, but merely the occasion for it. There are just as vital things stirring now that concern the existence of the Nation as were stirring then, and every man who worthily stands in this presence should examine himself and see whether he has the full conception of what it means that America should live her own life. Washington saw it when he wrote his Farewell Address. It was not merely because of passing and transient circumstances that Washington said that we must keep from entangling alliances. It was because he saw that no country had yet set its face in the same direction in which America had set her face. We can not form alliances with

those who are not going our way; and in our might and majesty and in the confidence and definiteness of our own purpose we need not, and we should not, form alliances with any nation in the world. Those who are right, those who study their consciences in determining their policies, those who hold their honor higher than their advantage, do not need alliances. You need alliances when you are not strong, and you are weak only when you are not true to yourself. You are weak only when you are in the wrong; you are weak only when you are afraid to do the right; you are weak only when you doubt your cause and the majesty of a nation's might asserted."

A REPRESENTATIVE GOVERNMENT.

Mr. President, in the first place there never was a government by the people—there never has been and there never will be. There is a gov-

ernment by the representatives of the people, and the people are trusted to choose representatives. Outside of the remote Greek and Italian cities—the Greek cities in ancient times and the Italian cities in the Middle Ages—there never was any government that pretended to be a government by the people. There have been governments for the people and of the people by the representatives of the people, and that is the sort of government we are. All the faldrald talk about a government by the people—by Jim and Sam and Dick and Peter and John—is absolutely foolishness. It never occurred outside of a little city, and it never will occur, even inside of an American State—not even in Delaware or Rhode Island, where you can cross the border in three jumps.—John Sharp Williams in Congressional Record.

Brazil is estimated to have 11,000,000 head of sheep and goats.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Courier is authorized to make the following announcements for office, subject to the action of the democratic primary in July:

- For District Judge
JOHN S. PRINCE
of Henderson county
W. R. (JACK) BISHOP
of Henderson county
- For State Senator
J. H. PAINTER
of Houston county
- For Representative
CHARLES CULBERSON RICE
- For County Judge
J. P. O'KEEFE
NAT. PATTON
- For County Attorney
EARLE P. ADAMS
- For County Clerk
W. D. (DENNY) COLLINS
HARRY BREWTON
- For District Clerk
V. B. (BARKER) TUNSTALL
- For Tax Assessor
WILL McLEAN
H. P. (HUGH) ENGLISH
- For Tax Collector
C. W. BUTLER JR.
- For County Treasurer
WILLIE ROBISON
- For Sheriff
W. A. (WILL) HOOPER
P. D. (DOUG) AUSTIN
O. B. (DEB) HALE
P. T. (PRESTON) LIVELY
- For County Superintendent
J. H. ROSSER
- For Road Superintendent
W. A. MANNING
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 1
J. S. LONG
J. K. JONES
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2
J. C. ESTES
G. R. (ROSS) MURCHISON
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 3
AARON SPEER
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4
J. A. (AB) BEATHARD
J. M. CREASY
- For Justice Peace, Prec. No. 1
C. R. STEPHENSON

The time of the season has arrived when all newspaper men will be freely advised as to how they should conduct their newspapers during the coming political campaign. The Courier can only speak for itself, but as far as it is concerned all such advice will be wasted. The proprietor of this paper is solely responsible for the failure or success of this paper, and acting under that burden of responsibility he cannot allow any person or persons to dictate to him any other policy of conduct than that worked out by himself. We say this under a full realization and understanding of our responsibilities and obligations to the community at large.

The Courier has been making an effort for years to get its business on a cash basis and has at last succeeded, thanks to the co-operation of our patrons. All announcements are now paid at the time the announcement is made, thus saving future trouble and lost time in making the collection. Courier subscriptions are handled on as nearly a cash basis as seems possible to handle them. All accounts with regular advertisers are collected monthly and the advertisement of others are collected when the advertisement is placed. Our job printing department is handled the same way. The Courier finds that the majority of people want to pay their way and that they prefer paying as they go. Without their co-operation we would not have been able to get our business on so nearly a cash basis as it is, and for their cooperation we thank them.

Wedding Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Darsey of Grapeland have issued cards announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mary Lou, to Mr. Leon L. Anderson of Paris, Texas, which happy event occurred on Wednesday afternoon, February 18, at the home of the bride's parents in Grape-

land. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson left on the northbound evening train for St. Louis and will make their home at Paris, Texas. Both are well known and popular young people, and come of families prominent in social, religious and business affairs. They begin their married life with an abundance of congratulations and best wishes.

For County Commissioner.

Mr. J. K. Jones, better known to his friends as "K" Jones, announces in the Courier this week as a candidate for the office of county commissioner in precinct No. 1. Precinct No. 1 lies north of the San Antonio road and east of the I. & G. N. railroad. Mr. Jones lives on his farm east of Latexo, which is not far from the center of his precinct. He is now living in the community in which he was born and raised, and not far from the house in which he was born. Being so situated he is in close touch with the needs of the people of his precinct, and the needs of the people of his precinct are not far different from the needs of the people in the other precincts of Houston county. So if he represents well the people of his own precinct, he cannot far misrepresent the people of the other precincts. But it is the support of the voters of precinct No. 1 that he is soliciting. He is well-equipped to fill the office of county commissioner and will appreciate the support of all good citizens, both men and women. His candidacy is subject to the democratic primary in July.

Mother, Daughter and Son.

It is seldom that so full a measure of sadness comes to a home in so brief a time as has come to the home of Mr. L. A. Hollis, living a short distance west of Crockett. Within the brief period of two days death thrice visited his home, taking away three members of the immediate family and leaving a pall of gloom and sorrow whose counterpart would be hard to find. Two or three weeks ago the Hollis family—father, mother and children—were apparently in the full enjoyment of life and health. Attacked with influenza, four members of the family soon developed pneumonia of the most serious type. Saturday afternoon Mrs. R. J. Cook, the daughter and a bride of only a few months, passed to her reward. Without knowing of her daughter's death, Mrs. Hollis, the mother, died at an early hour Sunday morning. Sunday evening the life of the oldest son passed away, all within the brief period of less than two days.

Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock funeral services, under the direction of C. H. Callaway, undertaker, were held in Glenwood cemetery, Rev. E. A. Leediker, the Christian minister, conducting the religious services. Two newly-made graves, side by side and each tenderly filled by the same hands, were banked with flowers in memory of the departed. On Monday afternoon the third grave was added and the son was laid to rest with his mother and his sister, Rev. E. A. Leediker again conducting the religious service. Three newly-made graves are now fresh with flowers as a token of respect for the dead.

Mrs. Hollis was well-known to the writer. When a girl in Kansas she had learned the art of type-setting and had done other newspaper work. Since living near Crockett she had been frequently called upon by the editor to assist in printing the paper, and she always cheerfully and gladly rendered a most valuable service. At the beginning of the war, when two of our compositors enlisted in their country's service, Mrs. Hollis came cheerfully and patriotically to our rescue and rendered a most valuable service, not only to the Courier, but to the country as well, because much of the war work was done through the newspapers at that time. As expressed by her, it was not for the

money consideration that she came to help us, but to render whatever assistance was in her power at a time when her help was direly needed to keep the Courier going. Therefore we came to know her well—to know of her many exceptional qualities of mind and heart and of her unswerving devotion to duty, and especially of her devotion when the interests of others were at stake. It is as little as can be said of Mrs. Hollis that she was a good woman—a loving and devoted mother and wife. In life she cherished a special fondness for the daughter who now sleeps by her side. Mrs. Hollis was 42 years old and had been living near Crockett for a number of years, coming with her family from Oklahoma. She leaves a husband and four children, one of whom is dangerously ill of pneumonia.

The daughter, Mrs. R. J. Cook, was twenty years of age and was married to Mr. Cook late last year. She was a favorite in the community and the idol of her family. The son, E. D. Hollis, whose funeral occurred Monday afternoon, was 22 years old and was rendering valuable assistance in getting the crops started for the year. The family resided on the farm of Mr. L. A. Hollis a mile or two west of the city limits. The bereaved have the sympathy of all our people.

Houston County Laymen's Association Organized.

Sunday, February 22, at a meeting called for such purpose at the First Baptist church in Crockett at 2:30 p. m., which was attended by a large and representative body of the men of all churches in this city, there was organized what is to be known as "The Houston County Laymen's Association." At such meeting there were elected as directors of such association the following members to-wit: I. A. Daniel, C. L. Edmiston, J. W. Madden, A. A. Aldrich and J. H. Painter. J. W. Madden was elected as president, A. A. Aldrich as vice-president and J. H. Painter as secretary and treasurer.

The organization is nonsectarian and for the purpose of assisting all churches in general work throughout the county and all ministers of the county are eligible to become honorary members thereof and are earnestly requested to join said association and assist with their advice and counsel in its workings. The organization stands ready and willing at any and all times to assist any community or church in the county in any way within its power, either in furnishing speakers on any Sunday or special occasion, assisting in Sunday school or other church work and in all things that will have a tendency toward the uplift of the county in general.

The work of this organization is directly in line with the nationwide movement and this association will follow along the same lines as that pursued by the one of which the Hon. Geo. M. Bailey, who addressed the churches of Crockett at the Methodist church on last Sunday. It is a movement which should receive the hearty endorsement and cooperation of every right thinking christian man and woman in this county, as it is non-denominational in its workings and has only the welfare of humanity at heart and the betterment of the citizenry of this county for its goal.

Secretary.

Second Week Petit Jurors.

- Following is a list of the petit jurors for the second week of the spring term of the Houston county district court who are to appear at 10 o'clock Monday morning, March 29:
- Joe Shupak, Lovelady.
 - Jim Sanders, Lovelady.
 - R. V. Harrelson, Lovelady.
 - J. M. Collins, Grapeland.
 - Ed Brown, Grapeland.
 - Cecil Allen, Lovelady.
 - R. Ross, Weldon.
 - C. C. Willingham, Grapeland.
 - E. A. Hester, Creek.
 - H. P. Cutler, Augusta.

Play Ball!

A new line of baseball and tennis goods just received, and no more need to be said than that they are Spaulding's.

John F. Baker

Prescription Druggist. The Rexall Store.

We Buy Eggs

Chickens, turkeys, geese, guineas, ducks, hides and beeswax every day and on Wednesdays and Saturdays we buy sour cream. Patronize your home produce market.

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REPORT OF GEORGE BAILEY'S ADDRESS

(Continued from page one.)

the power of mere words to fitly describe and left an impression which no one could understand except those who heard him.

All told Geo. Bailey's coming to Crockett was but a series of successes, and he went away carrying the plaudits and best wishes of all Crockett with him, nothing but "pleasant memories" remaining and regret at his departure, the latter being ameliorated by his faithful promise to "come again."

Tell him that you saw his ad in the Courier.

Spring Suits

For Women and Girls

We want to sell you one of these splendid suits for women and girls NOW, so you will get the full benefit of it all through the spring. We know there is only one sure way of doing this—make the price sell them. If you are looking for something just a little better, and a little more reasonable in price, we have it. We can furnish any style, satisfy any taste, and accommodate any pocketbook. Ladies will find it greatly to their interest to look over our stock now. If you look, we feel sure you will buy, as the offerings are exceptional in value.

WE OFFER YOU SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS TO BUY NOW, OR AT LEAST TO BUY EARLY. OUR STOCK IS SO ATTRACTIVE YOU CANNOT MAKE A MISTAKE.

THOMPSON'S

Crockett's Newest Woman's Store

BAILEY ANNOUNCES HIS CANDIDACY

Former United States Senator Will Make the Race for Governor of Texas.

Gainesville, Tex., Feb. 18.—Former United States Senator Joseph W. Bailey is candidate for governor of Texas. Speaking in his home town this afternoon to about four thousand people, the audience including many of his friends who journeyed here from widespread parts of the state, he formally announced his candidacy, and added that he would not have made the race if he had not been forced to do so by the attack made upon him at the recent meeting of the state democratic executive committee at Dallas. Also Mr. Bailey received a telegram from former Congressman R. L. Henry of Waco, heretofore a gubernatorial candidate, pledging Mr. Henry's support of Mr. Bailey for governor.

Mr. Bailey's announcement as a candidate for governor was hailed with very great enthusiasm. Men mounted their seats, yelling and tossing their hats in the air. The audience included a liberal proportion of women, and of these practically all wore "Bailey for Governor" badges, these badges abounding everywhere in Gainesville today—and were demonstrative at the announcement. After the speech the former senator was for a long time the center of a clamorous crowd, swarming to the platform, and later around him at the hotel and expressing delight at his decision and extending pledges of support.

Legislature of Right Kind.

In his gubernatorial announcement Mr. Bailey urged that it is just as important to "elect a legislature of the right kind" as it is to elect a "governor of the right kind." In every legislative and senatorial district a "Bailey principles" candidate will be put in the field, it is planned.

Friends of Mr. Bailey were here from Dallas, Fort Worth, Waco, Austin, Houston and San Antonio, and from many of the towns of North and Central Texas. Some of his admirers who now live in Oklahoma and New Mexico journeyed to the state of their former residence to meet him today, and one man, Napoleon B. Cults, who is 80 years of age, says he rode bare-back seventy-five miles

from his home in Jack County to hear this speech. To enumerate all the outside attendance here today would be merely to list many of the men from a number of sections of North, Central and South Texas who have heretofore been outstandingly identified as Bailey partisans. In addition Senator Bailey and his friends cite the names of a considerable number of men who formerly have opposed Mr. Bailey, but who, it is said, have recently assured either Mr. Bailey or some of his friends that they intend to support him in this campaign.

In his address today Mr. Bailey referred to the remarks of former Attorney General B. F. Looney of Greenville, now a gubernatorial candidate, at the Dallas state democratic executive committee meeting.

Mr. Looney, in past years a strong Bailey partisan, criticised at that meeting the present utterances of Mr. Bailey, and Mr. Bailey said today that Mr. Looney is a "good man—I would trust him with anything I have. I would trust him with my life. But I would not trust him with our government." Mr. Bailey predicted that in his Dallas speech he will make "them wish they had attended to the business of the state democratic executive committee at that meeting, instead of having tried to attend to my business."

"If it had not been for that state committee meeting I'd never have been compelled to have become a candidate for governor," he said. (Cheers and prolonged applause, with hats thrown in air.)

"They did not want me to run, but, knowing I did not want to run, they thought they could challenge me with impunity."

Wireless Telephones General Within Year.

Rome, Wednesday, Feb. 11.—The newspapers today publish an article by Guglielmo Marconi, the inventor of wireless telegraphy, which says the United States heads the list of all countries in wireless inventions, her inventions having surpassed all others in producing practical apparatus for the transmission of the human voice through electric waves.

"Within this year wireless telephones will substitute the present clumsy system with great economic advantage, suppressing the cost of the telephone lines and their upkeep. They will also do away with the interruptions due to atmospheric causes," he said.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To W. F. May, T. A. Scurlock, Steve McKinney, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

100 acres of the L. Sides survey, abstract No. 1000, being blocks Nos. 1, 2 and 3 of A. O. Harper & Co's. plat of said survey and being all of said survey, except block No. 4 now owned by J. W. McKinney, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$14.08, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1382 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 17th day of February, A. D. 1920.

(Seal) V. B. Tunstall, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To B. B. Anderson, and B. L. Anderson who reside in Houston County, Texas, The Louisiana and Texas Lumber Company, a private corporation with an office and an agent, W. H. McGregor, at Conroe, in Montgomery County, Texas, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit: 100 acres being an undivided 1/2 interest in block No. 8 of A. O. Harper

& Co's. subdivision of said McDaniel survey and described in the alternative as a specific tract of 100 acres of land conveyed to Ben Green by M. A. Long and wife on the 23rd day of July 1907 out of said McDaniel survey and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point where a small ravine or branch runs into the Neches river from the west and where the ferry boat lands on the west bank of the river at what is known as the Bates ferry.

Thence in a S W direction to the most northerly corner of the B. Easley 320 acre survey.

Thence S 60 E with the Easley line far enough so that by running N 30 E to the Neches river and up said river with its meanders to the place of beginning will contain 100 acres of land.

Which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the years 1889 to 1918 inclusive in the sum of \$137.39, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1715 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 18 day of February, A. D. 1920. (Seal) V. B. Tunstall, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

By J. B. Stanton, Deputy.

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 John Edens, deceased, the unknown heirs of James Kyle, deceased, the unknown heirs of Nathaniel Parton, deceased, and all persons asserting and claiming any interest in the land hereinafter described by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks, previous to the return date 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 thereof in Crockett, Texas, on the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 2nd day of February, A. D. 1920, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 5842, wherein W. L. Moody is Plaintiff and the unknown heirs of John Edens, deceased, the unknown heirs of James Kyle, deceased, the unknown heirs of Nathaniel Parton, deceased, and all persons assert-



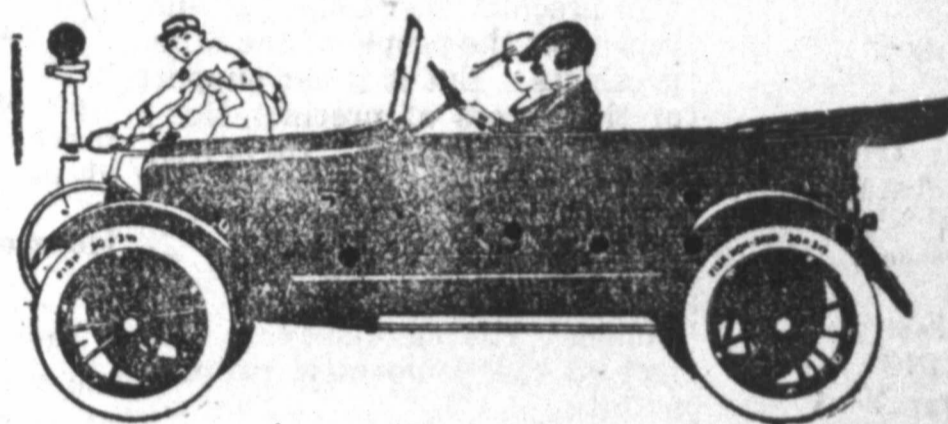
Roads Seem Pressed Flat By Wonderful New Triplex Springs

THE wonderful Triplex Springs of Overland 4 effect such a change in riding comfort that bad roads now seem to ride like good roads.

Overland 4 has the steadiness of larger cars of long wheelbase, with the light weight,

ease of control and low fuel and tire expense of 100-inch wheelbase.

Equipment, including Auto-Lite starting and lighting and three-speed transmission, is high class, in keeping with the general character of the car.



J. E. TOWERY

GET READY FOR "FLU"

Keep Your Liver Active, Your System Purified and Free From Colds by Taking Calotabs, the Nauseless Calomel Tablets, that are Delightful, Safe and Sure.

Physicians and Druggists are advising their friends to keep their systems purified and their organs in perfect working order as a protection against the return of influenza. They know that a clogged up system and a lazy liver favor colds, influenza and serious complications.

To cut short a cold overnight and to prevent serious complications take one Calotab at bedtime with a swallow of water—that's all. No salts, no nausea, no griping, no sickening after effects. Next morning your cold has vanished, your liver is active, your system is purified and refreshed and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you please—no danger.

Calotabs are sold only in original sealed packages, price thirty-five cents. Every druggist is authorized to refund your money if you are not perfectly delighted with Calotabs.—(Adv.)

INFLUENZA starts with a Cold

Kill the Cold. At the first sneeze take

HILL'S CASCARA QUININE BROMIDE

Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture.

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lost and cannot now be produced and the missing records supplied by recording same.

That the Plaintiff, W. L. Moody, deigns title to the lands claimed by him and herein sued for as follows:

Original title to John Edens granted by field notes, one league of land situated in Houston County, Texas;

Patent from the State of Texas to James Kyle, granting by field notes, 211 1-3 acres of land;

Patent from the State of Texas to Nathaniel Parton, granting by field notes, 320 acres of land;

Deed of Edna Edens to Luna Hollingsworth;

Deed of Gail Clinton and wife to Luna Hollingsworth;

Deed of J. E. Hollingsworth and wife, Luna Hollingsworth, to Eliza Kempner.

Deed of Eliza Kempner to W. L. Moody & Company.

Deed of J. E. Hollingsworth and wife, Luna Hollingsworth, to W. L. Moody & Company;

Deed of W. R. Kyle and J. L. Kyle to B. F. Edens;

Deed of Fred Stewart, Sr., Fred Stewart Jr., Ella Stewart and George M. Pippit to B. F. Edens;

Deed of Nathaniel Parton, by Administrator Robert Burton, to S. A. Miller;

Deed of S. A. Miller to B. F. Edens;

Deed of W. L. Moody Jr. and Frank B. Moody to W. L. Moody.

That the Plaintiff, and those under whom he claims, have had and held peaceable, continuous and adverse possession, under title and color of title, from and under the sovereignty of the soil, the land claimed and described in his petition, for more than three years, and for more than five years, and for more than ten years, after Defendants' cause of action accrued, if any ever accrued, and before the commencement of this suit, claiming the same under deed and deeds duly recorded, cultivating, using and enjoying the same each and every year and paying the taxes thereon for a period of more than five years and for more than ten years before the commencement of this suit, and pleading the three, five and ten years Statutes of Limitation.

That the Defendants are asserting and claiming an interest in said land which clouds the title of Plaintiff and prays that on proof being heard, he have judgment for the land sued for, quieting the title thereto and removing all clouds therefrom, and for such other orders and decrees as may be equitable.

Herein fail not, but have before said court on said first day of next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed same.

Witness V. B. Tunstall, clerk of District Court, Houston County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, in the city of Crockett, the 2nd day of February, A. D. 1920. (Seal) V. B. Tunstall, Clerk, District Court Houston County, Texas.

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SENATOR CAPPER'S WASHINGTON COMMENT.

Speaking of the "World's Greatest Spending Machine in Action," Senator Capper said:

Washington is in as ridiculous a position as ever a government got into. It is preaching thrift, conservation and economy to the people. It is urging them like an auctioneer to buy War Saving Stamps. But all the time it continues to live far beyond its means itself and to throw millions and billions out of the window. It doesn't even stop to say do as I say and not as I do.

In 1891 a billion dollar income was ample for Uncle Sam. Now his bare living expenses are about 10 times that much.

From 1866 to 1893 he always had a comfortable surplus, much of it coming from indirect taxation. But it is much easier to spend money than to save or keep it, especially if it comes to you by the wagon load. Gradually Uncle Sam got the Americanitis disease, nervous prosperity. His river and harbor bills, his public building bills, a multitude of army posts and other forms of pork, grew and grew and ate deeper and deeper into his income. He has spent more than 900 million dollars on creeks and rivers alone and has little to show for it.

This great annual wasting of money has been and is amazingly helped along by the branching out and extension of government departments and in all directions and by the mushroom growth of government boards and commissions.

It soon became necessary to pile on more and more direct, or corporation taxes. These direct taxes were an expense to the corporations so they regularly added this expense to their other expenses as they now have their excess profits tax to the price of their products, and let the people pay the total. And this is how the high cost of living got started and came to live among us. So far as the corporations are concerned they merely act as toll-takers, getting all they can from the people.

There are figures here in Washington to show the growth of these corporation taxes. In 1910, when the H. C. L. first began to make its presence known, they amounted nearly to 21 million dollars a year.

By 1913—three years later—they had risen to 35 millions. Now, with income and profit taxes included, they come to well over 2 1-2 billion dollars a year. And this huge mountain of wealth, with our enormous indirect revenues added, is far short of being enough to keep Uncle Sam even in pocket money.

Between 8 and 9 billion dollars of revenue will be needed for the coming fiscal year to meet the estimated expenses of government. Besides this there will be a huge deficit—something like 3 1-2 billions. This whole stupendous amount must come out of the pockets of less than 100 million people for the reason that the burden largely will be passed to the consuming public in high priced goods.

The big cause of the big boost in the high cost of living is the big boost in the high cost of government.

This huge load of taxes will fall heaviest upon the poor, less heavy on the well-to-do, lightest on the rich, the best able to bear it, despite an income tax which is graduated steeply upward. So long as those who have little must supply their wants from

DEMOCRATIC AS MARSHALL DEFINES

Vice President Would be Delegate From Indiana to San Francisco Convention.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Vice President Marshall, in a letter to E. G. Hoffman of Fort Wayne, Ind., secretary of the democratic national committee, made public tonight, announced his candidacy as a delegate at large from Indiana to the coming San Francisco convention upon an "old-time, democratic platform."

"I have watched in other countries the effects of so-called unbridled democracy," the vice president wrote, "and I have seen its menace in this country until I am quite convinced that the peace, prosperity and perpetuity of the American republic must rest finally upon a few ancient and time-honored democratic doctrines."

In view of political gossip that Vice President Marshall is slated to become chairman of the democratic platform committee, his letter was read with especial interest by officials here.

"Another presidential campaign impends," Mr. Marshall wrote. "Thus far, the president, who is the chief of our party, has not deemed it expedient to express his opinion as to what the issues will be. As I am desirous of being a delegate at large from the state of Indiana, I wish, in consonance with what I hope has been my entire public career, to state the substance of what I think the democratic party should stand for."

"We were in the war from the very moment of its European beginning because it affected our internal affairs. All of the methods and measures adopted for the preservation of the peace of our country and the winning of the war met with my approval, and I am ready to defend them."

"The war now is over and the rehabilitation of America, as well as the rest of the world, is taking place. It is not possible to accomplish our rehabilitation other than through the instrumentalities of political parties. How shall the democratic party propose to rehabilitate the political system of America, if intrusted with power, is the question."

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those who have more or who have much, it is easy for the haves to shift this burden to the havenots.

It means that the men and women who constitute the great common people must pay the cost of our wasteful and extravagant system of government. It is true that buying War Saving Stamps will help them save what groceries, rent, fuel and other necessities do not take from them, but War Saving Stamps by the hay wagon load won't lessen Uncle Sam's demands upon them by as much as 1 cent. He is asking us to save that he may spend more. The only thing that will reduce his demands will be a drastic application of his own advice to save and economize and live within his income, nor will this be done until the people compel it by bringing strong pressure to bear on Washington.

The war is over but we have more clerks in Washington instead of fewer. Streets and buildings are filled with them.

The War Department wants a billion-dollar army.

The army wants its pay raised.

The navy wants its pay raised.

All departments regularly are asking for more money than they expect to get.

If funds run out deficiency appropriations are resorted to to supply more.

We are wasting millions of dollars on a civil service that has been rendered harmless to place hunters and of little service to the people.

In fact we have built up such a huge money-wasting machine here in Washington that it will bankrupt the country if not brought under control. I am for cutting off every item of expense—down to and including the franking privilege—that is not absolutely and vitally essential to the maintenance of government or the welfare of the people. That means reducing expenses fully one-third. The greatest reduction that can be made in the cost of living—can and should be made right here in Washington.

mocracy and I have seen its menace in this country, until I am quite convinced that the peace, prosperity and perpetuity of the American republic must rest finally upon a few ancient and time-honored democratic doctrines.

"No one save God can remove the individual as the unit of good government. Legislative efforts to produce justice and good order in society by listening and acceding to the demands of persons and classes will in the hour of peace produce failure. The only sure foundation for a stable republic must rest upon the Jeffersonian right to life, to liberty and the pursuit of happiness."

"The democratic party should stand for this and pledge itself to rebuild the American political structure along this line by clearly dividing its citizens into the law-abiding and law-breaking; making its law rest equally upon all men; permitting the individual citizen who is honest to succeed by honest methods; giving to no citizen legislative advantage; speedily punishing anyone who unjustly obtains success by crooked and dishonest means; recognizing that this is still a federation of states; demanding that the states discharge the duties of local self-government; resisting the usurpations of the general government; removing corrupt and biased judges, but standing always for obedience to the decrees of court and to constituted authority; insisting that the legislative branch of the government shall be responsible for the discharge of its duty and serving notice upon it that it can not skulk behind an alleged interference upon the part of the executive branch; electing an executive pledged to discharge the countless officials and innumerable agents made necessary by the war and to administer public affairs along economic lines."

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To C. H. Raguet and L. M. Thorne who reside in Harrison County, Texas, the heirs and legal representatives of each of these deceased; Unknown Owner and all persons owning having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

Lots or blocks Nos. 7, 8, 11, 19, 26, 29, 30 and 31 of A. O. Harper & Co's. plat or subdivision of the H. Raguet survey, abstract No. 72 of Houston County, containing in the aggregate 917 acres of land, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$128.45, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1716 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 18th day of February, A. D. 1920.

(Seal) V. B. Tunstall, Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

3t. By J. B. Stanton, Deputy.

FAMOUS OLD TONIC BREAKS UP MALARIA CHILLS IN 3 DAYS

So Good That Prominent Physicians Everywhere are Prescribing It.

The next time you get an attack of malaria, ague, etc., go to your dealer and get a bottle of Swamp Chill and Fever Tonic. It will break up the chills in three or four days, and give you relief as you've never had before. Swamp Chill Tonic does its work quickly and surely, without any unpleasant effects. It contains no calomel, and is tasteless. It is made of purely vegetable ingredients and iron—exactly the combination for the effective relief of malaria, ague, chills, fever, colds, grippe, etc.

Hundreds of people write letters about Swamp Chill Tonic like J. T. Nelson of Bivens, Texas, who says, "Swamp Chill and Fever Tonic has always cured the chills for me and I know it is the best chill tonic on the market."

You, too, will say the same, once you have tried this famous old remedy. At your dealer's—60c a bottle. Get one today.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS.

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

You are hereby commanded to summon A. M. Box and wife, Cora Box, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if there be no newspaper published in said Houston County, then in a newspaper in the nearest County to said Houston County, to appear at the next regular term of the Justice Court of Precinct No. One of Houston County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Crockett, on the last Monday in February, A. D. 1920, the same being the 23rd day of February, A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 16th day of February, A. D. 1920, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 6536, wherein Kennedy Bros. are Plaintiffs, and A. M. Box and wife, Cora Box, are Defendants, and said petition alleging:

That beginning on or about the 11th day of January, 1919, and on divers dates thereafter during said year, as shown by itemized account filed, the plaintiffs at the special instance and request of defendants sold and delivered to defendants certain goods, wares and merchandise amounting to the sum of One Hundred Ninety-six and 39-100 Dollars whereby defendants became indebted to and promised to pay plaintiffs said sum; that said goods, wares and merchandise were reasonably worth the several sums charged

therefor; that said account is past due and unpaid, and defendants have failed and refused to pay the same.

Plaintiffs pray judgment for the amount due on said account with legal interest and for all costs of suit.

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

Given under my hand at office in Crockett, Texas, this 16th day of February, A. D. 1920.

(Seal) C. R. Stephenson, Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. One, Houston County, Texas. 4t.

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A suit of clothing that sold for \$30 before the war was carried 2,265 miles by rail from Chicago to Los Angeles for 16 1/2 cents.

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The cost of the suit has increased 20 dollars.

The freight on it has increased only 5 1/2 cents.

Other transportation charges enter into the cost of the finished article—carrying the wool to the mills and the cloth to the tailors—but these other charges amount to but a few cents more.

The \$10 pair of shoes that used to sell for \$5 goes from the New England factory to the Florida dealer for a freight charge of 5 3/8 cents—only one cent more than the pre-war rate.

Beef pays only two-thirds of a cent a pound freight from Chicago to New York.

American freight rates are the lowest in the world.

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