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## VICTORY GENERAL LEAD MAINTAINED

Davidson is Assured of Nomination for Lieutenant Governor; Pierson Has Lead.

Galveston, Texas, Aug. 29.—After the bitterest political campaign Texas has known for many years, and one of the bitterest, old-timers say, that the state has ever known, Pat M. Neff of Waco won the democratic nomination for governor over former United States Senator Joseph Weldon Bailey in yesterday's primary election.

Mr. Neff's majority may run around 100,000. At this time he has a lead of 72,932 votes, according to the Texas election bureau, which reports returns from 207 counties out of 249 in the state as follows: Bailey 156,941, Neff 229,880.

This accounts for more than half the votes, it being indicated that the total vote in the second primary will be from 425,000 to 475,000. The total vote in the first primary was 449,800, but, as The News estimated some months ago, the total number of qualified voters in Texas this year is about 1,000,000. Thus in both the first and second democratic primary elections more than half the potential voters of Texas did not go to the polls.

Mr. Neff ran strong all over Texas, except in the so-called German counties, some of the border counties and a few scattering counties elsewhere.

Mr. Bailey failed to carry the "old Fifth District," which first sent him to congress; he did not run strong in the black land belt. He did not do well in North Central, East or West Texas, and in South Texas he failed to show anything like the strength it had been predicted he would show.

Incomplete returns from Cooke County indicate that Mr. Neff carried that county.

The South Texas vote that remained out of the first primary election did not "come out" for yesterday's election to the extent that had been predicted by Mr. Bailey's supporters. For instance, even in Bexar County, where some had said he would have a lead of 5,000 or 6,000, he only had a lead of about 1,000 on present returns, which, while incomplete, account for the bulk of the vote there.

Mr. Neff carried every large city and every large county in Texas, with the exception of San Antonio and Bexar County and El Paso County.

In short, Mr. Neff's victory was overwhelming in many parts of Texas, decisive in most of Texas, and in only a very small number of the counties that he did lose was he far behind Mr. Bailey—and these were mostly border or so-called German counties.

Mr. Neff gave out a statement last night before he knew the election results, admitting that he has been mistaken most of his life about his actual age and saying he had not deemed it wise to "lose sight of the main issues by defensive explanations" before, and accordingly waited until the polls closed before making the statement.

In the race for lieutenant governor Senator Lynch Davidson of Houston wins the nomination over the present incumbent, W. A. Johnson of Hall County, and in the race for associate justice

of the supreme court Judge William Pierson of Greenville wins over Judge William E. Hawkins, who now holds the office. The count so far is: Davidson 167,000, Johnson 145,088; Pierson 173,588, Hawkins 128,998.

Returns began coming in early from all parts of Texas last night, and with the very first reports Mr. Neff took the lead over Mr. Bailey, and throughout the night, as additional reports arrived, he steadily increased that lead. At no time after the first hour following the closing of the polls was there any uncertainly whatever of the outcome. A small crowd gathered in front of The News building—perhaps the smallest election night crowd ever assembled there—following the bulletins with languid interest and with no demonstrations.

Mr. Bailey was first elected to congress in 1890, and the Fifth Congressional District, according to the act of 1882, consisted of Grayson, Collin, Cooke, Denton, Wise, Montague, Clay, Rockwall, Wichita, Wilbarger, Archer and Baylor counties. According to the act of 1891 it consisted of Fannin, Collin, Grayson, Cooke, Denton and Montague counties. Incomplete reports last night showed Mr. Neff carrying all these counties. Complete returns might give some of the counties to Mr. Bailey, but it would not be possible for him to carry the district.

Incomplete returns from El Paso gave Mr. Bailey 2,592 to Mr. Neff's 1,642. On incomplete returns, which seemed indicative of the final result, however, Mr. Bailey lost Atlanta, where he made the opening speech of the run-off campaign.

On incomplete returns, Mr. Neff carried Coleman, where the two candidates spoke the same afternoon, Mr. Neff following Mr. Bailey. Mr. Neff carried Palestine and Anderson County, a strong union labor town and the home of former Governor Thomas M. Campbell. He carried Jefferson County, the home of Governor W. P. Hobby. Bell County, the home of former Governor J. E. Ferguson, now of the American party, went for Neff strong. Rockwall County, where Mr. Bailey made one of his last day speeches, went for Neff. Hill County, the former home of Luther Nickels, Bailey campaign manager, went for Neff, as did Hunt County, the home of former Attorney General B. F. Looney, who was a gubernatorial candidate in the first campaign and a Neff supporter in the run-off, although in past years a warm personal and political friend of Mr. Bailey.

### City Schools.

Attention is called to the fact that the Crockett city schools will open on Monday, September 20, instead of September 30, as published in the Courier last week. The Crockett teachers will join with the teachers of the county in the institute beginning on the 13th.

The new teachers added to the faculty this year are: Miss Nell Beasley, Miss Emma Craddock, Mrs. Frank Driskell and Mrs. Ruth Maxwell.

### Body Sent to Lovelady.

The body of Mrs. J. C. Robinson, 38, who died in a local hospital at 10 a. m. Monday, was sent at 11:30 p. m. Monday by Earthman & McCarty Undertaking company to Lovelady, her former home, for burial. Funeral services will be held there Tuesday. She is survived by her husband, two sons and two daughters.—Houston Post.

## THE ELECTION IN HOUSTON COUNTY

Incomplete returns from the second primary, held in Houston county Saturday, give Neff a majority better than two to one. Only partial official returns have been received at the county clerk's office, and for that reason the returns herewith given are unofficial. The Courier is indebted to Mr. George W. Crook, secretary of the Crockett Neff club, for the vote herewith produced in the governor's race. Mr. Crook secured his returns largely by means of the telephone and there may be some inaccuracies, but they are approximately correct. While only the figures in the governor's race are given, it is known that W. R. Bishop of Athens has received the nomination for district judge. Bishop carried both Henderson and Anderson counties and it is said that the race was close in Houston county.

The governor's race in Houston county was approximately as follows:

Crockett Box 1, Neff 149, Bailey 55.  
Crockett Box 2, Neff 105, Bailey 41.  
Crockett Box 3, Neff 89, Bailey 45.  
Crockett Box 4, Neff 122, Bailey 41.  
Grapeland, Neff 245, Bailey 149.  
Daly, Neff 18, Bailey 11.  
Ratcliff, Neff 68, Bailey 21.  
Kennard, Neff 79, Bailey 25.  
Lovelady, Neff 163, Bailey 30.  
Porter Springs, Neff 23, Bailey 16.  
Arbor, Neff 34, Bailey 6.  
Percilla, Neff 21, Bailey 10.  
Dodson, Neff 2, Bailey 5.  
Ash, Neff 2, Bailey 5.  
Daniel, Neff 19, Bailey 3.  
Creath, Neff 15, Bailey 2.  
Weldon, Neff 60, Bailey 50.  
Augusta, Neff 74, Bailey 48.  
Belott, Neff 19, Bailey 17.  
Volga, Neff 20, Bailey 2.  
Tyler's Store, Neff, 12, Bailey 13.  
Creek, Neff 13, Bailey 0.  
Antioch, Neff 5, Bailey 8.  
Tadmor, Neff 8, Bailey 1.  
Totals, Neff 1365, Bailey 605.  
The boxes not included in the above report are Shiloh, Holly, Freeman and Weches.

### Announcement Luncheon.

Announcement of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Esther McConnell Burton to Mr. Edwin Yerger of Clarksdale, Miss., was made at a beautiful luncheon given by Mrs. Henry Ellis, at one o'clock Wednesday.

A wealth of midsummer blossoms and ferns artistically arranged adorned the hall and living room.

In the dining room where an elegant four course luncheon was served, a color motif of pink and white was effected with a profusion of white star clematis, pink roses and ferns, which were clustered in pink tulle-tied crystal baskets and vases, with pink tapers shedding a soft glow over all. Place cards were hand-painted brides with tulle veil and wreaths of orange blossoms. Favors for each guest were pink rose corsage bouquets. The centerpiece, a miniature bride gowned in white georgette crepe, white satin court train and tulle veil, carrying a shower bouquet, was surrounded with pink roses, strands of white clematis vine and lacy ferns. Above the bride's head a shower of pink satin ribbon extended to each cover, on

which a golden wish bone was tied. At a signal, each guest pulled the wish bone, and drew dainty white missives, embossed with gold hearts. On opening, the interesting announcement was made in the following lines:

On October sixth, of the present year,

Wedding bells will greet the ear. A lover's knot will then be tied, Edwin the groom, and Mack the bride.

Of all the girls in all the world, This golden girl is his heart's pearl.

Life's paths seem stretching fair and sweet,

And waiting for their eager feet. Together till the stars grow dim, Together till their world shall end,

Their mated souls, in love bonds tied, Shall walk the ages, side by side.

The personnel included Miss Burton and the hostess, Misses Ruth Warfield, Alice Foster, Lucille Millar, Clarite Elliott, Leita Cunyus, Nodelle Jordan, Bitsy Arledge and Mrs. Harvey Bayne.

Mrs. Ellis was assisted in entertaining by her mother, Mrs. R. E. McConnell, her sister, Miss Otice McConnell, and Mesdames A. C. Collins, Albert Thompson and J. S. Oldham. X.

## JUST A WORD WITH OUR SUBSCRIBERS

There are twelve subscription renewals this week—just double the number of last week. So much for a few clear days! We look for a further increased number next week, but two a day is not bad.

Farmers say that the rains have seriously damaged their cotton and that the crop will fall far short of what was expected a few weeks since.

Among subscribers calling to renew or sending in their renewals and subscriptions since last issue are the following:

Donald McDonald, Crockett.  
Mrs. T. H. Phipps, Lovelady.  
Mrs. L. H. Adams, Grand Rapids, Mich.  
John Norton, Creek Rt. 1.  
Dr. M. A. Thomas, Crockett.  
W. A. Andrews, Weldon.  
J. M. Walker, Latexo.  
Sam Thompson, Crockett Rt. A.  
J. F. Lively, Grapeland.  
Aaron Speer, Lovelady Rt. 1.  
H. H. Long, Crockett Rt. 6.  
W. H. Henry, Creek Rt. 1.

### Bailey Accepts Vote as Final Conclusion.

Dallas, Texas, Aug. 29.—Joseph Weldon Bailey was in Dallas today. He declined to make a statement regarding the result of the second democratic primary election. In a statement attributed to Mr. Bailey and published today in Fort Worth, Mr. Bailey is quoted as follows:

"The returns received up to this hour indicate a decisive majority for Mr. Neff. I made the campaign for the principles of democracy as they have been accepted and cherished for more than 100 years, but the result convinces me that our party in this state will no longer support those principles. The people have spoken and I accept their verdict as a final conclusion of the matter, so far as I am concerned."

Bailey campaign headquarters here will be vacated by Wednesday, according to the plans of Luther Nickels.

## BOLD, BRAZEN AND FOOLISH, SAYS COX

Republican Leaders "Gone Mad," Declares Democratic Nominee.

New York, Aug. 28.—Governor Cox spent Saturday hustling through a crammed program of events.

Speeches, parades, receptions, luncheon at a prominent hotel, a view of police field day games at Gravesend race track, where a crowd estimated at 200,000 was addressed, and a dinner with party leaders Saturday night gave the democratic candidate the busiest day of his campaign. Thousands of persons saw and heard the nominee as he was shunted about in the turmoil of events before a constant battery of motion picture and other photographers.

The governor's principal address was at the democratic luncheon, attended by hundreds of party notables.

At Gravesend Saturday afternoon the governor was compelled, for several reasons, to cut short his remarks after a 15-minute speech, cordially received. Another brief address was delivered to a crowd at the public library, where he stopped en route to Gravesend.

In his luncheon address Governor Cox reiterated his charges that contributions were being collected by republican leaders toward a \$15,000,000 "corruption fund" and promised further revelations, but did not give any additional information Saturday. World peace by America's entrance into the league of nations, industrial problems and pleas for Americanization of foreign-born citizens also featured the candidate's address. In all he predicted democratic victory next fall.

He said the republican leaders, whom he denounced as bold, brazen and foolish, had "gone mad."

### With 401,673 Votes Counted Neff's Lead is 72,657.

Dallas, Texas, Aug. 29.—With 401,673 votes accounted for by the Texas election bureau Neff has a lead of 72,657 votes over Bailey in Saturday's primary. Returns have been received from 220 counties, including 26 complete.

Totals follow:  
Bailey 164,508; Neff 237,165.  
Davidson 174,096; Johnson 152,176.  
Hawkins 134,954; Pierson 181,644.

Bailey gained 1260 votes when it was found that the telegraphic report from Cass county had dropped the naught in 1408, giving Bailey 148. Neff received 1423 votes in Cass county, Bailey 1482.

It is difficult to predict the total vote at this time, but it will probably run between 425,000 and 475,000, or, approximately, as large as the first primary when the total vote for governor was in round number 450,000.

### Figures From 229 Counties

Dallas, Texas, Aug. 30.—Complete returns from 229 counties compiled by the Texas election bureau Monday give the following figures: For governor: Neff 241,968, Bailey 163,365; for lieutenant governor: Davidson 179,229, Johnson 155,330; for supreme court: Hawkins 137,685, Pierson 187,050.

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### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

John Cook has returned from Galveston.  
 T. D. Craddock will sell you Dry Goods cheaper. 2t.  
 Mr. Arch Baker is spending his vacation at Hot Springs.  
 Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Abbey spent last week in Galveston.  
 Jim Tom Box of San Angelo is visiting relatives in Crockett.  
 Miss Hattie Stokes returned Monday afternoon from Colorado.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Brinson Lundy are here from Douglass, Arizona.  
 Mrs. E. T. Ozier and daughters are visiting relatives at Bessmay.  
 Misses Sue Powers and Bly Leediker are visiting friends in Huntsville.  
 J. C. Scarborough left Wednesday for Austwell, south Texas, where he will teach in the public schools during the coming term.

Miss Lucia Painter returned Monday from a visit with friends in Grapeland.  
 Best cook stove or heater today. The Darling line, sold by Jas. S. Shivers. tf.  
 Miss Pauline Durst of Leona is spending the week with friends in Crockett.  
 Mrs. Milton Thomas of Beaumont is visiting relatives and friends in Crockett.  
**For Sale.**  
 One good second-hand wagon. Apply to Moore & Shivers. tf.  
 Let us sell you your next bill of groceries and notice the saving. tf. Jas. S. Shivers.  
 Mrs. E. F. Archibald has returned from Kalamazoo, Mich., where she spent the summer.  
 Burton Goodrum of Ashwood, Matagorda county, was a visitor at Crockett and Weldon this week.  
**3 Per Cent Real Estate Loans**  
**United Home Builders of America**  
 A National Loan, Savings, Protection and Investment Society.  
**THOS. B. COLLINS, AGENT**

Mrs. Johnson, Arledge will take six boarders during the week of the county teachers' institute. 1t.  
 Mrs. J. E. Towery and Miss Jean Towery have returned from their visit to Houston and Galveston.  
 Misses Virginia Foster and Lucile and Lois Millar have returned from their visit to Fullerton, La.  
 Miss Margaret Phillips will leave Tuesday for Badge, Texas, where she will teach during the coming term.  
 The patent construction of a Charter Oak stove retains heat and saves fuel. Sold by Burton Hardware Co. tf.  
 Messrs. Braxton, Will and Luther Eastham of Huntsville were guests of Mrs. Byrde E. Wootters this week.  
 Attention, tie makers—Barton Bros. Broad Axes, Simond saws, tie wedges, axes and files, a little cheaper at Jas. S. Shivers.' tf.  
**Smooth Shingles**  
 For sale—immediate delivery. Smith-Murchison Hardware Co. 1t.

**Room for Rent.**  
 Will have a room, with bath connected and lavatory in room, for rent after September 1. Telephone 193. 2t.  
**Your Shingles.**  
 We have a car of shingles to arrive within the next few days. Place your orders now. 3t. Arledge & Arledge.  
**Shingles.**  
 Nice, smooth, sawed shingles. Let us fill your bill. Smith-Murchison Hardware Co. 1t.  
**Jersey Cows Wanted.**  
 I am in the market for six Jersey cows. See me or address me at Crockett, Route A. 1t\*. S. M. Thompson.  
 The Charter Oak Stove has given such good cooking and baking service that it has been called the "Perfect Cooking Machine." Sold only at Burton Hardware Co's. tf.  
**Residence for Sale.**  
 My residence, located close in, is for sale. For particulars see me or Will English at the City Shaving Parlor. G. R. Tindall. tf.

**MONEY TO LOAN**  
 BUY VENDOR LEIN NOTES.  
 AETNA LIFE INSURANCE.  
**B. B. WARFIELD**  
 CROCKETT, TEXAS.  
**Your Shingles.**  
 We have a car of shingles to arrive within the next few days. Place your orders now. 3t. Arledge & Arledge.  
**Pianos, Pianos.**  
 Now is the time to buy that piano, as school starts in a few days. I have some bargains in new and second hand instruments, cash or terms. 1t\*. V. B. Tunstall.  
**Lost Mule.**  
 A brown horse mule, weight between 900 and 1000 pounds, brand not known, knot on one of fore legs, about 10 years old. If taken up, notify E. B. Goodrum, Lovelady, Texas, and receive reward of \$10.00. 2t\*.  
**'AGENCY OF GOOD SERVICE'**  
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**THOS. B. COLLINS, AGENT**  
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Heavy Cheviots, 3½ yards for.....	\$1.00
Four yards No. 80 Satin Ribbon for.....	\$1.00
Four child's Union Suits for.....	\$1.00
Four pairs canvas Gloves for.....	\$1.00
Ten yards French Lace for.....	\$1.00
Four yards figured Voile for.....	\$1.00
Four pairs 50c value Sox for.....	\$1.00
Two pairs 36-inch Towels for.....	\$1.00
Two pairs bath Towels for.....	\$1.00
Four boy's Belts for.....	\$1.00
One boy's blue Shirt for.....	\$1.00
Two yards colored Sateen for.....	\$1.00
Four yards fancy Curtain Scrim for.....	\$1.00
Two 36-inch Pillow Cases for.....	\$1.00
Six pairs misses' white Hose for.....	\$1.00
One pair ladies' white silk Hose for.....	\$1.00

Our store is teeming with tempting bargains. Make your dollar go farther by buying more dry goods and shoes for less money at

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## ARNOLD BROTHERS

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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 Durst, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Sim Hopkins, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of D. O. Warren, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Warren Stone, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Malvina D. Stone, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Barton Clark, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Martha Woods, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Daniel Clark, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Mary J. Silva, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of John F. Butts, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Amanda E. Butts, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of A. D. McBryde, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Mary S. McBryde, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Chauncey Stone, deceased, 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 not, then in any newspaper published in the Third Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said Third Judicial District, 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 second Monday in October, A. D. 1920, the same being the 11th day of October, A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 21st day of October, A. D. 1920, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 5869, wherein G. L. Murray is Plaintiff, and the Unknown Heirs of John Durst, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Sim Hopkins, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of D. O. Warren, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Warren Stone, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Malvina D. Stone, deceased, Lee Warren, the Unknown Heirs of Barton Clark, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Martha Woods, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Daniel Clark, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Mary J. Silva, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of John F. Butts, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Amanda E. Butts, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of A. D. McBryde, deceased, and the Unknown Heirs of Chauncey Stone, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging:

That the plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of those certain tracts or parcels of land lying and being situated in Houston County, Texas, same being 485 acres out of the John Durst Three Leagues and Eighteen Labors and 400 acres out of the Barton Clark League described as follows:

First Tract: Beginning on the Barton Clark and Ignacio Lopez League line where same cross Logiston branch same being the North East corner of the Martha Woods one hundred and nine acre tract, a Sweet Gum 30 in dia brs N 19 E 6 1-2 varas mkd E and another Sweet Gum 10 in dia brs S 73 E 8 1-2 varas mkd X.

Thence West with said league line 1028 varas to the North West corner of said Martha Woods tract a Post Oak 24 in dia brs S 55 E 7 8-10 varas mkd X.

Thence South 411 8-10 varas to the North East corner of the Robinson and Douglass 100 acre tract a Post Oak 16 in dia brs N 41 1-2 E 3 1-2 varas mkd X.

Thence West with the North line of said tract 2311 varas corner on Big Creek an Ash 10 in dia brs S 73 E 1 1-2 varas and a Pecan 30 in dia brs N 50 E 21 6-10 varas both mkd X.

Thence up said Creek North 6 East 98 varas to the North East corner of the Douglass 370 acre tract on the John Durst Grant.

Thence West with the North line of said 370 acre tract 580 varas to the North West corner of same, a stake in Lovelady and Clapp's Ferry Public road.

Thence South 24 West with Murray and Douglass line 920 1-2 varas their corner on the top bank of Trinity River 202 1-2 varas South 24 West from a point from which a Spanish Oak 14 in dia brs N 75 W 5 2-10 varas and an Ash 14 in dia brs S 29 3-4 E 5 3-10 varas both mkd X.

Thence down said River with its meanders as follows: South 45 East 340 varas, South 25 East 440 varas, South 5 East 300 varas, South 36 East 320 varas, South 65 East 400 varas, South 48 1-2 East 120 varas to the corner of a 3 acre tract sold by Richard Douglass to Jeff Rickard, a hackberry 24 in dia brs N 66 E 3 8-10 varas mkd X.

Thence North 66 East 156 varas to the top bank of Big Creek a Pin Oak 36 in dia brs S 24 E 3 10-14 varas and another Pin Oak 36 in dia brs N 5 6-10 varas both mkd X.

Thence up said Creek with its meanders as follows: North 19 West 600 varas, North 45 East 60 varas, North 10 East 340 varas, North 70 1-2 East 200 varas, South 41 1-2 East 200 varas, North 51 East 340 varas, North 22 1-2 East 200 varas, North 31 3-4 East 80 varas to Bruton and Douglass corner on the East Bank of said Creek an Elm 18 in dia brs S 37 1-2 E 5 varas mkd X.

Thence East with Douglass and Bruton line 1409 1-2 varas to Douglass' South East corner a Post Oak 16 in dia brs N 3 1-2 W 9 2-10 varas mkd X.

Thence North with Douglass and Murray's line 526 7-10 varas to their corner, same being the South West corner of the Martha Woods tract a Red Oak 14 in dia brs S 76 1-2 E

13 2-10 varas and a Post Oak 30 in dia brs S 57 E 17 1-10 varas both mkd X.

Thence East with Murray and Douglass' line 1150 varas their corner in Logiston Branch an Ash 36 in dia brs S 80 W 6 varas mkd X.

Thence up said branch with its meanders as follows: North 80 varas, South 80 West 170 varas, North 35 West 100 varas, North 15 West 120 varas, North 10 East 200 varas, North 52 1-2 East 116 varas, North 25 West 80 varas, North 17 East 140 varas to the place of beginning, containing 782 acres.

Second Tract: Being 103 acres out of said John Durst Grant, and beginning at the South East corner of a 112 3-5 acre survey on the bank of Rickard Creek.

Thence down the North bank of said creek with its meanders 877 varas to J. E. and R. B. Douglass corner.

Thence with said Douglass North line 540 varas to Douglass North West corner.

Thence North 72 West 700 varas to the South West corner of the said 112 3-5 acre tract.

Thence North 55 1-2 East and with the South line of the said 112 3-5 acre tract 1064 varas to the place of beginning.

Plaintiff sets out in his original petition all of the deeds and instruments under and by virtue of which plaintiff claims title to said land.

Plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof under deeds duly registered, paying all taxes due thereon for periods of five and ten years, respectively, before the filing of this suit, and plaintiff specially pleads the five and ten years' statutes of limitation in bar of any claim asserted by defendants.

Plaintiff further alleges that John Durst, the original grantee of said land, conveyed same to Wm. Richardson on January 16th, 1837, and plaintiff's title is derived through Wm. Richardson, but on the 29th of January, 1861, Harriet M. Durst, purporting to act as the Administratrix of John Durst, sold all of said land to Sim Hopkins and D. O. Warren; that 2500 acres of said land was sold to Lee Warren under the judgment against W. H. Cundiff.

Plaintiff further alleges that there is no title out of Barton Clark, the original grantee of the Barton Clark League.

Plaintiff further alleges that any other and further claims of the defendants are unknown.

Plaintiff prays judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom.

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 and the Seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, Texas, this the 21st day of August, A. D. 1920.

V. B. Tunstall, Clerk, District Court, Houston County. By J. B. Stanton, Deputy.

Notice to Debtors and Creditors.

The State of Texas, County of Houston.

To those indebted to, or holding claims against, the estate of Arrena Satterwhite, deceased.

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Arrena Satterwhite, deceased, late of Houston County, Texas, by Nat Patton, Judge of the county court of said county, on the 2nd day of August, 1920, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him at his residence, Lovelady, Houston County, Texas, where he receives his mail, this 23rd day of August, A. D. 1920.

J. M. Satterwhite, Administrator of the estate of Arrena Satterwhite, deceased. 4t.

Notice to Debtors and Creditors.

The State of Texas, County of Houston.

To those indebted to, or holding claims against, the estate of William B. Smith, deceased.

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of William B. Smith, deceased, late of Houston County, Texas, by Nat Patton, Judge of the county court of said county, on the 2nd day of August, 1920, during a regular term thereof, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him at his residence, Crockett, Houston County, Texas, where he receives his mail, this 23rd day of August, A. D. 1920.

R. K. Smith, Administrator of the estate of William B. Smith, deceased. 4t.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS.

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

You are hereby commanded to summon the Unknown Heirs of Gordiana Bodilla, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Edwin O. LeGrand, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Robert Kelley, deceased, 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 not, then in any newspaper published in the Third Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said Third Judicial District, 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 second Monday in October, A. D. 1920, the same being the 11th day of October, A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 21st day of August, A. D. 1920, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 5870, wherein W. T. Pridgen, Mrs. Lula Sheridan and Z. C. Sheridan are Plaintiffs, and the Unknown Heirs of Gordiana Bodilla, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Edwin O. LeGrand, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Robert Kelley, deceased, Mrs. Annie Durst, Mrs. Zeffie Long and husband, Dr. —Long, Louis Durst, Azalea Bonner and husband, Tom Bonner, Benigo Durst, Juan Durst and Paul Durst are defendants, and said petition alleging:

That plaintiffs are the owner in fee simple of those certain tracts of land lying and being situated in Houston County, Texas, same being a part of the Gordiana Bodilla One League Grant, and described as follows:

First tract: Being 190 4-10 acres and beginning at the corner of the McLean and Pridgen Land on the North Boundary line of the said Gordiana Bodilla League Survey (3 varas North 30 West from where a Post Oak 18 in dia brs N 69 1-2 E 3 7-10 varas and a Hickory stump 20 in dia brs S 75 E 3 7-10 varas, both mkd X) a Post Oak 18 in dia brs S 60 E 2 2-10 varas mkd X and blazed with hacks above and below.

Thence South 30 West with the McLean and Pridgen line 1035 varas cross the "old sinners road" 1095 varas to a corner in said line a hickory 16 in dia brs N 50 W 6 2-10 varas and another Hickory 14 in dia brs S 16 1-2 E 5 3-10 varas both mkd X.

Thence North 60 West 950 varas to corner on Sheridan Branch a Hickory 14 in dia brs N 40 W 8 6-10 varas and a Walnut 16 in dia brs S 56 E 4 varas both mkd X.

Thence up said branch with its meanders as follows: North 10 East 41 varas, North 30 East 270 varas, North 19 East 360 varas, North 65 East 200 varas, North 30 East 240 varas, North 73 East 40 varas to the North Boundary line of said League, a Sweet Gum 18 in dia brs N 26 W 3 varas, mkd X and blazed on East and West sides (dead) and another Sweet Gum 18 in dia brs S 10 1-2 W 11 1-2 varas mkd X.

Thence South 60 East with the said Bodilla League line 897 varas to the place of beginning.

Second tract: Being 102 acres and beginning on the Pridgen and McLean line South 30 West 163 1-2 varas from their corner on the North Boundary line of said League a Hickory 14 in dia brs S 87 1-2 W 11 3-10 varas, Sweet Gum 8 in brs N 24 1-2 E 3 2-10 varas both mkd X.

Thence South 30 West with the McLean and Pridgen line 1233 1-2 varas to the North West corner of the Pridgen homestead tract a stake for corner in the Pridgen and McLean field.

Thence South 89-37 East with said homestead North Boundary line 1140 6-10 varas to the North West corner of W. T. Pridgen's 13 44-100 acre tract, which came out of the said Pridgen homestead tract, a stake in Dugout branch.

Thence up said branch with its meanders as follows: North 32 1-2 West 90 varas, North 21 West 140 varas, North 44 West 190 varas, North 33 1-2 West 160 varas (water falls) North 14 1-2 West 330 varas, the intersection of another small spring branch, North 15 East 60 varas, North 10 West 70 varas, North 37 West 189 4-10 varas to the place of beginning at the head of said branch.

Third tract: Being 123 6-10 acres and beginning on the North Boundary line of said homestead tract of land at North East corner of the West one-half of said homestead South 89-37 East 692 7-10 varas from the North West corner of same, a bending P O brs N 89-37 W 21 1-2 varas a P O 10 in brs S 58 E 6 1-2 varas, both mkd X.

Thence South 89 1-2 East with said North Boundary line 448 varas to the North West corner of the W. T. Pridgen 13 44-100 acres in Dugout branch.

Thence down and with the meanders of said branch South 4 West 65 varas, South 37 East 90 varas to where the said road crosses the same and thence with the meanders of said road as follows: South 68 East 60 varas, South 39 East 150 varas, South 4 West 130 varas to where the East Boundary line of said Bodilla league crosses said road.

Thence South 29 West with said league line 360 varas to a corner on the South bank of Elkhart Creek a Sweet Gum 24 in brs N 48 1-2 E 1 2-10 varas mkd X.

Thence down and with the meanders of said Creek as follows: South 60 West 55 varas, South 30 West 30 varas, South 54 1-2 West 100 varas,

South 31 West 140 varas, South 80 West 110 varas, North 70 West 60 varas, North 40 West 160 varas, South 43 West 150 varas, South 85 West 120 varas, South 67 1-2 West 180 varas, North 87 West 60 varas, North 71 1-2 West 99 varas to the South East corner of the West half of said homestead tract, a Sweet Gum 14 in brs N 60 E 5 varas mkd X.

Thence North 30 East with the division line 1097 varas to the place of beginning.

Plaintiffs set out in their original petition all of the deeds and instruments under and by virtue of which plaintiffs claim title to said land.

Plaintiffs allege that they and those under whom they claim title to said land have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof under deeds duly registered, paying all taxes due thereon for periods of five and ten years, respectively, before the filing of this suit, and plaintiffs specially plead the five and ten years' statutes of limitation in bar of any claim asserted by defendants.

Plaintiffs allege that there is no title out of the original grantee, Gordiana Bodilla, conveying said land, which casts a cloud on plaintiffs' title, and that any other and further claims of the defendants are unknown.

Plaintiffs pray judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom.

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 and the Seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, Texas, this the 21st day of August, A. D. 1920.

V. B. Tunstall, Clerk, District Court, Houston County. 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 Ignacio Lopez, deceased, 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 not, then in any newspaper published in the Third Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said Third Judicial District, 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 second Monday in October, A. D. 1920, the same being the 11th day of October, A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 20th day of August, A. D. 1920, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 5868, wherein G. L. Murray is Plaintiff, and the Unknown Heirs of Ignacio Lopez, deceased, are Defendants, and said petition alleging:

That the plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in Houston County, Texas, same being 87 8-10 acres out of the Ignacio Lopez League described as follows:

Beginning on the East Boundary line of the Lewin Smith tract South 341 varas from the North East corner of same an iron stake for corner.

Thence West 390 varas a stake for corner in the edge of bottom a Pin Oak 16 in dia brs N 26 1-2 W 7 4-10 varas, an Over Cup 14 in dia brs N 85 3-4 W 11 1-2 varas, both mkd X.

Thence South 223 1-2 varas corner, a Pin Oak 8 in dia brs N 84 1-2 W 7 8-10 varas, a double Do 30 in dia brs S 9 E 8 varas, both mkd X.

Thence West 240 varas to a corner on Big Creek an Over Cup 6 in dia brs N 19 W 3 6-10 varas, a Pin Oak 20 in dia brs N 19 E 4 2-10 varas, both mkd X.

Thence down said Creek with its meanders as follows: South 50 1-2 West 37 varas, South 20 East 210 varas, South 38 East 120 varas, South 11 East 240 varas, South 28 East 170 varas, South 16 1-2 East 180 varas, South 51 1-2 East 280 varas, South 70 East 60 varas to the South East corner of said Lewin Smith tract on said Creek, a H B 12 in dia brs N 68 1-2 W, an Over Cup 30 in dia brs S 77 E 23 1-2 varas, both mkd X.

Thence North with the East Boundary line of said tract 1290 varas to the place of beginning.

Plaintiff sets out in his original petition all of the deeds and instruments under and by virtue of which plaintiff claims title to said land.

Plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof under deeds duly registered, paying all taxes due thereon for periods of five and ten years, respectively, before the filing of this suit, and plaintiff specially pleads the five and ten years' statutes of limitation in bar of any claim asserted by defendants.

Plaintiff alleges there is no title out of the original grantee, Ignacio Lopez, and that any other and further claims of the defendants are unknown, all of which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title.

Plaintiff prays judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom, and for general and special relief.

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 and the Seal of said Court, at office in Crockett,

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 Beatty, deceased, and the Unknown Heirs of Mrs. John Beatty, deceased, 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 not, then in any newspaper published in the Third Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said Third Judicial District, 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 second Monday in October, A. D. 1920, the same being the 11th day of October, A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 20th day of August, A. D. 1920, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 5866, wherein D. P. Long is Plaintiff, and the Unknown Heirs of John Beatty, deceased, and the Unknown Heirs of Mrs. John Beatty, deceased, are Defendants, and said petition alleging:

That the plaintiff is the owner in fee simple, being lawfully seized and possessed of that certain tract of land situated in Houston County, Texas, same being 396 acres out of the John Beatty League described as follows:

Beginning at a stake on the South Bank of Hurricane Bayou at the North East corner of the Hinds or R. H. Wootters tract, a Hickory 10 in mkd X brs S 48 E 5 varas, an Elm 6 in mkd X brs S 86 E 6 varas.

Thence South with the East Boundary of said Wootters tract 2700 varas to stake on the South Boundary of said Beatty League, a Post Oak 10 in mkd X brs N 41 W 1-2 varas, Post Oak 9 in mkd X brs S 5 W 1 vara.

Thence East with the South Boundary of said League 630 varas to the South East corner of same.

Thence North with the East Boundary line of said Beatty League 3900 varas to stake on the South Bank of said Hurricane Bayou.

Thence with the meanders of said Bayou to the place of beginning.

That the plaintiff and those under whom plaintiff claims title to said land has been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof under deeds duly registered, paying all taxes due thereon for periods of five and ten years' respectively, before the filing of this suit, and plaintiff specially pleads the five and ten years' statutes of limitation.

Plaintiff sets out in his original petition all of the deeds and other muments of title under and by virtue of which he claims title to said land.

Plaintiff alleges there is no title out of John Beatty, the original grantee thereof, which casts a cloud on his title.

Plaintiff prays judgment for said land removing all clouds therefrom.

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 and the Seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, Texas, this the 20th day of August, A. D. 1920.

(Seal) V. B. Tunstall, Clerk, District Court, Houston County. By J. B. Stanton, Deputy.

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## "PLAN APPROVED BY SEN. HARDING"

Reports From Party Workers Produced to Bear Out Assertions.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 26.—Information to support his charges that a republican campaign fund exceeding \$15,000,000 was being raised in "a conspiracy to buy the presidency" was presented by Governor Cox, democratic presidential candidate, in addressing a public meeting here tonight.

Governor Cox's data consisted almost entirely of matter taken from the "official bulletin" of Fred W. Upham of Chicago, treasurer of the republican national committee, but his chief exhibit was a typewritten list purporting to show republican campaign quotas imposed on fifty-one principal cities in twenty-seven states and aggregating \$8,145,000.

Names of local subscribers, Governor Cox said, were ordered kept secret. These quotas, given as \$2,000,000 for New York City, \$750,000 for Chicago, \$500,000 for Philadelphia and ranging down to \$25,000 for smaller cities like Albany, N. Y., were said by Governor Cox to have been announced about the middle of July.

### "Harding Knows of Plan."

That Senator Harding, his republican opponent, "was acquainted with the details" of the quota plan, and that it was also approved by Will H. Mays, chairman of the republican national committee, was charged by the democratic candidate.

From subsequent issues of the official bulletin Governor Cox quoted many reports from republican workers throughout the country reporting "going over the top" and in excess of the alleged quotas.

Announcement of the \$8,145,000 metropolitan quotas, Governor Cox said, was made by Harry M. Blair, as assistant to the treasurer, Upham. A meeting was held in Chicago, Governor Cox said, at which Will H. Mays, chairman of the republican national committee, spoke his blessings.

The governor charged that typewritten sheets bearing the fifty-one cities in quotas were "distributed to those assembled," and he produced one of the alleged quota lists, but did not state how or where it was acquired. The quota plan, he said, was carried out like that of the liberty loan campaigns.

### On Business Basis.

That the reputed attempt to raise \$8,145,000 from fifty-one cities in twenty-seven of the forty-eight states is fair evidence that the total national fund will be much larger was declared by Governor Cox, who said big business men were prominent on the republican ways and means committee and that the raising of the funds was on a business, "salesmanship" basis.

Contrary to an intention announced previously, Governor Cox added that he "intended to pass this evidence" to the senate campaign investigating committee.

Governor Cox also quoted from statements in the republican "bulletin" that state and county organizations were not to be "disturbed or retarded in their activities."

Calling attention to Chairman Hays' statement that \$3,000,000 was being raised, Governor Cox said today's papers carried a statement from Treasurer Upham that the republican total would be about \$7,500,000.

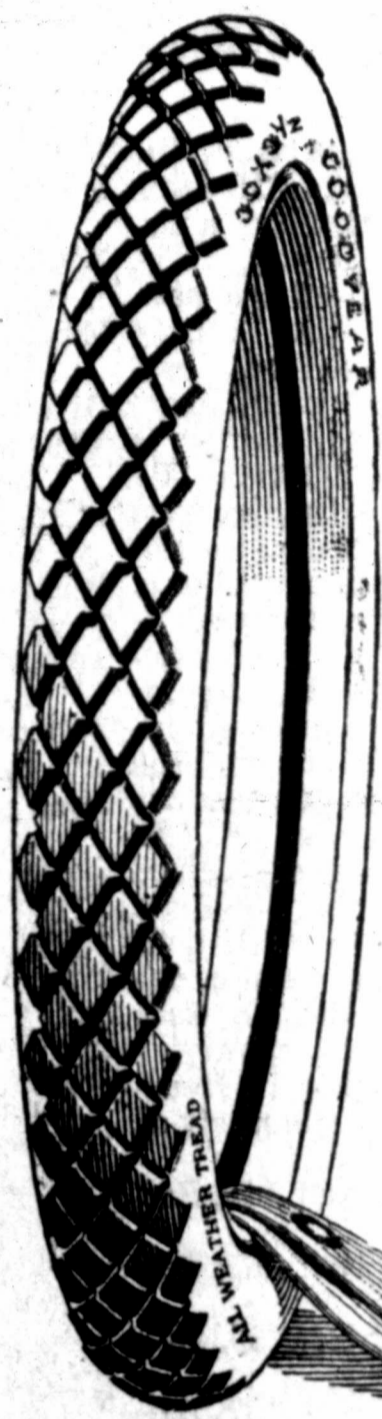
"From the evidence which we shall submit," he added, "I think you will agree we are justified in multiplying Mr. Upham's figures by two."

Governor Cox, standing stanchly by his charges that an attempt to purchase the presidency was being made, declared that "the senatorial oligarchy and their friends are harking back to the days of Mark Hanna," stating that in the 1896 campaign, which Mr. Hanna managed, \$16,500,000 was spent.

### Teach in Kentucky.

Mrs. Ben Hatchell is on a visit to her son and his family in New Orleans. Her daughters, Miss Rita and Miss Nita, accompanied her to New Orleans. From there the daughters expect to go to Heidelberg, Kentucky, where they are to teach in a home mission school.

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

You are hereby commanded to summon the Unknown Heirs of Henry Orender, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Mrs. Henry Orender, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of John G. Pettitt, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Patrick H. Hayes, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Jas. Hyde, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of John H. Burnett, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of John Oliver, deceased, and the Unknown Heirs of C. D. Skidmore, deceased, 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 not, then in any newspaper published in the Third Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said Third Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Crockett, Texas, on the second Monday in October, A. D. 1920, the same being the 11th day of October, A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 20th day of August, A. D. 1920, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 5867, wherein M. D. Murchison is Plaintiff, and the Unknown Heirs of Henry Orender, deceased, the Un-

known Heirs of John G. Pettitt, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Patrick H. Hayes, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Jas. Hyde, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of John H. Burnett, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of John Oliver, deceased, and the Unknown Heirs of C. D. Skidmore, deceased, are Defendants, and said petition alleging:

That the plaintiff is the owner in fee simple, being lawfully seized and possessed of that certain tract of land situated in Houston County, Texas, same being 841 3-10 acres consisting of a tract of 650 acres out of the Henry Orender Survey, Abstract No. 799, and 191 3-10 acres out of the Henry Orender Survey, Abstract No. 798, described as follows:

Beginning at the South West corner of the lower Orender Survey, Abst. No. 799, set stake in an old field.

Thence North 75 East 2185 varas set stake at the South East corner of the said Orender Survey, a P O 10 in dia mkd X brs S 56 E 6 1-2 varas, a small R O mkd X brs N 29 W 8 varas.

Thence North 15 West at 1452 varas set stake in lane, a Pecan mkd X brs S 5 W 12 varas, Do 6 in mkd X brs S 50 E 13 1-2 varas.

Thence North 75 East 597 varas set stake at E. H. Darsey's South West corner, a R O mkd X brs S 55 E 4 1-2 varas.

Thence with Darsey's line North 15 West 563 varas corner on a White Oak on bank of Creek.

Thence down said Creek on a general course South 82 3-4 West 604 varas to corner on Bank of Creek, an Iron

wood 6 in mkd X brs N 41 W 2 varas.

Thence continue down said Creek South 89 West 29 varas, North 49 1-2 West 44 varas, North 86 1-2 West 82 varas, South 70 1-2 West 113 varas stake at mouth of ditch.

Thence North 81 West 47 varas set stake for corner in old Creek bed (now filled up), a Gum 8 in mkd X brs N 42 1-2 E 2 varas.

Thence North 15 West 381 varas set stake on the Moody line a Hickory mkd X brs N 7 1-2 W 6 1-2 varas, R. O mkd X brs N 61 E 2 varas.

Thence South 75 West 290 varas set stake on right-of-way of the I. & G. N. Railway, two Pines mkd X for witness trees.

Thence with said right-of-way South 10 West 201 varas, South 8 West 291 varas, South 14 1-2 West 493 varas to stake on the line of the two Orender Surveys, a Sweet Gum mkd X for witness tree.

Thence with the Orender line South 75 West 1163 varas to the North West corner of the Lower Orender survey, stake in road.

Thence South 15 East 1680 varas to place of beginning, less about 18 acres used by the I. & G. N. Railway for its right-of-way.

That the plaintiff and those under whom plaintiff claims title to said land has been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof under deeds duly registered, paying all taxes due thereon for periods of five and ten years, respectively, before the filing of this suit, and plaintiff specially pleads the five and ten years' statutes of limitation.

Plaintiff sets out in his original pe-

tion all of the deeds and other muniments of title under and by virtue of which he claims title to said land.

Plaintiff alleges there is no title either out of the said Henry Orender, deceased, the said J. G. Pettitt, deceased, the said Patrick H. Hayes, deceased, or the said John H. Burnett, deceased, all of which cast a cloud on plaintiff's title.

Plaintiff prays judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom.

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 and the Seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, Texas, this the 20th day of August, A. D. 1920.

(Seal) V. B. Tunstall, Clerk,  
District Court, Houston County.  
4t. By J. B. Stanton, Deputy.

### CROCKETT TRAIN SCHEDULE.

#### South Bound

No. 3, Houston Express...10:21 A. M.  
No. 1, Sunshine Special...3:09 P. M.  
No. 5, Houston Limited...1:33 A. M.

#### North Bound

No. 4, Local Passenger...11:46 A. M.  
No. 2, Sunshine Special...2:40 P. M.  
No. 8, St. Louis Limited...3:44 A. M.

Tell him that you saw his ad in the Courier.

## DEFEAT OF ANTIS IS CONCLUSIVE

Action Culminated Half Century  
Struggle For Political  
Equality.

Washington, Aug. 26.—The crowning glory for the women of America who led the bitter struggle for suffrage came at 8 o'clock Thursday morning when Secretary of State Colby signed the proclamation officially announcing ratification of the nineteenth amendment to the constitution. The secretary performed this official act at his home without ceremony and thus brought disappointment to members of the national woman's party who had planned to be present at the important function and to have the scene preserved for all time in camera and moving picture film.

### Excludes Women.

While the secretary of state was moved to act so early in the morning chiefly by a desire to proclaim the amendment before threatened court proceedings to restrain him could ensue, he was influenced to exclude representatives of the suffrage organizations from the actual scene of action by a recurrence of the old fight between the national women's party, the Militants of America, headed by Alice Paul, and the National American Woman Suffrage association, of which Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt is president. The former thought that they had it fixed for the proclamation to be signed in the presence of their representatives, when women of the national association induced Secretary Colby to change his plans.

### Eliminates Ceremony.

In a formal statement announcing his action, the secretary said:

"It was decided not to accompany this simple ministerial action on my part with any ceremony or setting. The secondary aspect of the subject has, regretfully, been the source of considerable contention as to who shall

participate in it and who shall not. Inasmuch as I am not interested in the aftermath of any of the frictions or collisions which may have developed in the long struggle I have contented myself with the performance in the simplest manner of the duty involved upon me under the law."

The "contention" referred to by Secretary Colby was the vehement objection voiced on behalf of the National American Woman Suffrage association by Mrs. Helen H. Gardner, one of its vice presidents, to the presence at the ceremony of Miss Alice Paul and other officers of the national woman's party.

### Prison or Clear Civil War Record, Plea of Veteran.

Leavenworth, Kan., Aug. 19.—Samuel T. King, 74 years old, a resident of Joplin, Mo., appeared today at the United States disciplinary barracks at Fort Leavenworth and asked that he be locked up as a deserter, or else that his civil war record be cleared. King wept while telling his story to Lieutenant Colonel Otho Rosenbaum, assistant commandant of the prison. Colonel Rosenbaum refused to hold the aged veteran and said the matter would be investigated.

King had documents which showed that he was honorably discharged Feb. 10, 1865, on a surgeon's certificate of disability, issued by the adjutant general of Missouri. He also showed papers from the bureau of records and pensions in Washington, D. C., which stated that he had twice deserted in 1864, being convicted of desertion by court-martial between the time of the two alleged offenses. King told the assistant commandant that if he is a deserter he wanted to be locked up to clear his record. Should King's record be cleared, army officers declared he would be entitled to more than \$20,000 in back pensions.

### Chicago Evening Post to Advance Price.

Chicago, Aug. 25.—The Chicago Evening Post announced that beginning Monday, August 30, its price will be advanced.

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## GALVESTON CENSUS ANNOUNCED 44,255

Increase is 7,274 or 19.7 Per Cent in  
Population Over 1910  
Returns.

Galveston, Texas, Aug. 26.—An increase of 7,274; or 19.7 per cent, over the 1910 census for Galveston is shown in the announcement made yesterday by the United States census giving a population of 44,255 to Galveston for the year 1920. The statistics were compiled from data obtained in the recent census, taken several months ago. Although the gain is not as great as that attained by a number of other Texas cities, it is nearly twice as great as the estimated average increase for the country at large, it was announced.

Considerable conjecture on the part of Galvestonians ensued following the announcement that the statistics would be available yesterday and varied estimates were made by members of the community in general. That there was considerable approval registered at the figures announced was evident everywhere.

From comparative statements announced in other Texas cities, Galveston is the fifth largest in the state. However, up to a late hour last night, no reports for Fort Worth were available, but it is thought that when these are made public Galveston will probably rank sixth for Texas towns. The following state census returns have been given: San Antonio, 161,308; Dallas, 158,976; Houston, 138,076; El Paso, 83,836; Galveston, 44,255; Beaumont, 40,422; Wichita Falls, 40,078; Waco, 38,500; Austin, 34,876.

In the census taken in 1910 Galveston registered 36,981, with a decrease of 808, or 2.1 per cent. In 1900 the population was recorded at 37,789, an increase of 8,705, or 29.9 per cent over 1890.

That Galveston has made rapid strides in population, considering its many adversities, is indicated by the census of 1850, when its total population was 4,177. It was at this time that it was the acknowledged leader of the state in point of inhabitants, maintaining its lead until 1890.

### 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 S. C. Collison, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Mrs. S. C. Collison, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of G. W. Givins, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Mrs. G. W. Givins, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of S. W. Scroggins, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Mrs. S. W. Scroggins, deceased, 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 not, then in any newspaper published in the Third Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said Third Judicial District, 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 second Monday in October, A. D. 1920, the same being the 11th day of October, A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 30th day of August, A. D. 1920, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 5874, wherein R. M. Weisinger is Plaintiff, and the Unknown Heirs of S. C. Collison, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Mrs. S. C. Collison, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of G. W. Givins, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of S. W. Scroggins, deceased, and the Unknown Heirs of Mrs. S. W. Scroggins, deceased, are Defendants, and said petition alleging:

That the plaintiff is the owner in fee simple, being lawfully seized and possessed of that certain tract of land situated in Houston County, Texas, same being 168 8-10 acres out of the Samuel C. Collison League, described as follows:

Beginning at the South East corner of — Brinson tract in the West line of — Durnell land in field.  
Thence South 29 West with Durnell West line at 392 varas his South West corner and North West corner of — Moody tract in branch 1090 varas an inner corner of Moody land a Hickory 14 in dia brs N 43 E 8 varas.  
Thence North 61 West with North line of Moody land at 360 varas passes Moody's corner and Kyle's North East corner 875 varas a Hickory 16 in dia from which a Post Oak 10 in dia brs N 5 W 5 varas another 8 in dia brs N 5 W 6 1-2 varas.  
Thence North 29 East 1090 varas to

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## DALLAS SHERIFFS INVESTIGATE DEATH

Dallas, Texas, Aug. 19.—Deputy sheriffs here were endeavoring Thursday night to unravel the mystery of J. E. Bufkin, 24, son of a prominent farmer at Goldthwaite, Texas, whose body was found Thursday by employes of the Texas company in the bottom of an empty gasoline tank car.

Bufkin, the officers say, probably was murdered and his body thrown into the car through the 18-inch opening in the dome. He had a large bruise on his forehead and a severe wound at the base of the brain, apparently where his head had been crushed by a bludgeon.

The car, according to officials of the oil company, was one of a string which arrived Wednesday at the refinery, coming direct from Atlanta, Ga. It stood on a siding several days at Longview en route, and officers believe it was possibly there that Bufkin's body was thrown into the car. The iron cap to the dome was screwed back into place after the body was put in the car.

The theory that Bufkin might have climbed into the car seeking a ride and became asphyxiated by gasoline is discounted by the officers because of his bruised condition and the fact that the top of the car was screwed in place after he had entered it.

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS.**

The Courier is authorized to make the following announcements for office, subject to the action of the democratic primary August 28:

**For District Judge**  
JOHN S. PRINCE  
of Henderson county  
W. R. (JACK) BISHOP  
of Henderson county

**NOMINEES**

Following are the nominees of the democratic party to be voted for at the general election in November:

- For State Senator**  
I. D. FAIRCHILD  
of Angelina county
- For Representative**  
CHARLES CULBERSON RICE
- For County Judge**  
NAT PATTON
- For County Attorney**  
EARLE P. ADAMS
- For County Clerk**  
W. D. (DENNY) COLLINS
- For District Clerk**  
V. B. (BARKER) TUNSTALL
- For Tax Assessor**  
WILL McLEAN
- For Tax Collector**  
C. W. BUTLER JR.
- For County Treasurer**  
WILLIE ROBISON
- For Sheriff**  
P. T. (PRESTON) LIVELY
- For County Superintendent**  
J. H. ROSSER
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 1**  
ED DOUGLASS
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2**  
G. R. (ROSS) MURCHISON
- For Commissioner Prec. No. 3**  
AARON SPEER
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4**  
J. A. (AB) BEATHARD
- For Justice Peace, Prec. No. 1**  
E. M. CALLIER
- Public Cotton Weigher, J. P. Prec. 4**  
J. A. (ALEX) HUTCHINGS

**NOMINEES.**

Following are the nominees of the American party to be voted for at the general election in November:

- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 3**  
E. C. (ED) THOMPSON

**ADVISES THE HOLDING OF COTTON.**

The following is given out by the State Agricultural Department:

The cotton market is going down, the cause being that cotton is being sold at the decline. Immediate steps should be taken by the growers, to stop the decline and advance the price.

We note in the press that merchants are not placing orders for cloth, and for this reason that mills are refusing to buy cotton, which accounts for a declining market.

If the farmers continue to sell cotton on the decline, how can they expect those gambling in the price on the exchanges, to bet it higher than the farmers are willing to take for cotton? So long as they are willing to sell cotton at a decline, how can the mills be expected to buy cotton, or the merchants to buy cloth? Would you buy an article this week which you expected would be cheaper next week? Those picking cotton have it in their power to advance the price and save themselves from undue loss. Why not do it? Why lose \$75 to \$100 per bale on their cotton, and make it that much harder for the central and northern belt farmers to advance the market?

Those now picking are the only ones who can offer resistance to a decline, or encourage a decline. They

are the only ones who can offer encouragement to the bulls to bet the price up or to the bears to bet it down. Which will they do? It is up to them. It is in their power to name the price of their cotton. No one will offer more or bet the price higher, for any article, than the party having it for sale is willing to take for it. This is as true of cotton as any thing else. The only way to hold up or maintain price, is to refuse to sell for less. To do this with cotton, those to whom the farmers are in debt should mobilize their credit and influence behind the farmer, and aid and encourage him not to sell on a declining market, or at a price that is not profitable.

Since every man has a different guess as to what a profitable price is, the State Agricultural Department has farmers in all sections of the State keeping record of cost of production. In this way the average cost, based upon the estimated yield per acre by the government, September first, is found, and to cost a reasonable profit is added. This will be given out at the State Farmers Institute meeting to be held in Austin September 8th, 9th and 10th. It is a State Agricultural Department meeting, and everybody is welcome.

Call your people together, talk things over and take action. If the sale of cotton stops a few weeks and then sells as the demand is hungry for it, no one will be hurt. Such action will produce results and should not be delayed. Give notice of your action to the press. Remember this is a State and Nation-wide movement. Immediate action for self protection is the duty of all farmers, and all friends of the farmers.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION.**

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

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That plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being situated in Houston County, Texas, same being a tract of 859 acres consisting of 589 acres out of the J. D. J. Procella League, 131 acres out of the Gordiana Bodilla League and 139 acres out of the N. D. Sheptrine Survey described by field notes as follows:

Beginning at the South West corner of what is known as the Strother 320 acre tract, said corner is situated on the West line of the Procella League and the East line of the Bodilla League, 1400 varas North 30 East of the South West corner of said Procella League.

Thence North 30 East 100 varas to a corner of the 14 acre Pridgen residence tract, said corner on road where said road crosses the West line of said Procella League.

Thence with said road as follows: North 4 East 130 varas, North 39 West 150 varas, North 68 West 60 varas to a point on branch where said road crosses.

North 33 1-2 West 160 varas, North 14 1-2 West 330 varas, North 16 East 60 varas, North 10 West 70 varas, North 37 West 189 varas corner.

Thence North 30 East 163 varas to a corner on the North line of the Bodilla League.

Thence South 60 East with said League line 284 varas to the South West corner of the Sheptrine 320 acre survey.

Thence North 30 East with said Sheptrine West line 795 varas corner. Thence East with Finch South line 40 varas corner on a small branch.

Thence with the meanderings of said branch North 60 East 60 varas, South 83 East 120 varas, South 69 East 36 varas, South 47 East 150 varas, South 52 East 75 varas, South 34 East 80 varas, South 50 East 120 varas to a point of intersection of branch, a corner from which two Sweet Gums are mkd X, the South corner of Finch tract.

Thence with fence line between said Finch and Pridgen as follows: North 81 East 340 varas cross Sheptrine East line at 370 varas point.

Thence North 70 East 320 varas corner on Baker branch also the South West corner of the Ford Newman tract.

Thence down said Baker branch as follows: South 35 East 144 varas, South 10 East 100 varas, South 10 West 73 varas, South 30 East 210 varas, North 60 East 170 varas to a corner in center of Elkhart Creek, the South East corner of said Newman tract.

Thence up said Creek (General Course) North 30 East about 500 varas to the North West corner of 109 acre tract known as the Mitchell tract.

Thence South 60 East 860 varas to the North East corner of said 109 acre tract.

Thence South 30 West passing the South East corner of said 109 acre tract and at 1135 varas.

Thence North 60 West 566 varas to the North East corner of what is known as the Strother 320 acre tract.

Thence South 30 West with said East line 1505 varas to the South East corner of same.

Thence North 60 West with the South line of said Strother tract, crossing road and Elkhart Creek, and at 1200 varas to the place of beginning.

Plaintiff sets out in his original petition all of the deeds and other instruments under which he claims title.

Plaintiff alleges that he and those under he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof under deeds duly registered, paying all taxes due thereon for periods of five and ten years, and plaintiff specially pleads the five and ten years' statutes of limitation.

Plaintiff alleges that there is no title out of the original grantees, J. D. J. Procella, N. D. Sheptrine and Gordiana Bodilla, which casts a cloud on his title.

That any other and further claims of the defendants are unknown. Plaintiff prays judgment for said

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land, removing all clouds therefrom, and for general and special relief.

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 and the Seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, Texas, this 24th day of August, A. D. 1920.

V. B. Tunstall, Clerk,  
District Court, Houston County.  
By J. B. Stanton, Deputy.

**Given Four Years at Hard Labor at Fort Leavenworth.**

New York, Aug. 19.—Erwin R. Bergdoll of Philadelphia has been found guilty of desertion from the army by evading the draft and sentenced to four years' hard labor at Fort Leavenworth, it was announced today at Governors Island.

Lieutenant Colonel C. C. Cresson, trial judge advocate in the Bergdoll case, said that Bergdoll was also given a dishonorable discharge from the army and forfeited all pay and allowances.

The court-martial which tried Bergdoll reported its findings to Major General Bullard, commander of the

Eastern department, last Thursday, and they were approved here today.

Bergdoll received his sentence calmly, it was stated at the island, and made no comment. He will be taken to Fort Leavenworth in a few days under heavy guard, army authorities said. Erwin and his brother, Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, were known as the "millionaire draft dodgers."

Grover is now being sought by the military authorities, having escaped from an armed guard at Philadelphia after being convicted by an army court-martial for draft evasion.

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J. G. Beasley made a business trip to San Antonio and Laredo this week.

Mr. J. H. Smith and Dr. E. B. Stokes are spending a vacation at Galveston.

Edwin Yerger of Clarksdale, Miss., is visiting in the home of A. B. Burton.



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Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Maxwell have returned from a vacation spent in Galveston.

Miss Leita Cunyus has returned from an extended visit with friends at Lubbock.

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Mr. Leonard Schmidt of Wichita Falls visited friends and relatives in Crockett this week.

Misses Angie, Vera and Ina Quarles of Elkhart are being entertained by Mrs. T. B. Monk.

Misses Nell Ferguson and Melba Brock of Grapeland were visitors in Crockett this week.

Mrs. Daisy Minter and family, who have been living east of Crockett, have moved to Oletha, Texas.

Hot pies, hot bread, hot rolls, lots of good things to eat at the Crockett Grocery & Baking Company's. 1t.

Mrs. Jerre M. Crook and daughter of Oklahoma City are visiting relatives and friends in Crockett.

Mrs. A. W. Phillips will leave Tuesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Wickard Jr., in Little Rock, Ark.

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We sell the Jumbo line of horse collars, breeching, lines, bridles, pole straps, complete sets of Harness; in fact, everything for the mule or horse. tf. Jas. S. Shivers.

Miss Ellen Hughes, who was visiting relatives in Crockett, returned Sunday afternoon to her home in Palestine.

There is no doubt but what we have the largest assortment of Guns and ammunition in Crockett. tf. Jas. S. Shivers.

Ford Truck for Sale.

A Ford truck, in first-class condition, for sale at a bargain. See John B. Satterwhite at Crockett. 2t\*.

Notice.

Trustees desiring to employ a teacher of experience and ability call on Mrs. E. M. Torrence, Crockett. 1t\*.

The Dove season opens September 1st. Limit 15 per day. We have all shells in different loads. Also the proper Gun. tf. Jas. S. Shivers.

Singer Sewing Machines.

I have the agency for the Singer Sewing Machine Co. at Lovelady and will be pleased to demonstrate the machine at any time, either at Lovelady or in your home. Also have a complete assortment of parts. 3t\*.

West LaRue.

Miss Corinne and William Schmidt have returned from Boonville, Mo., where they have been visiting relatives and friends for the last seven weeks. They were accompanied home by Mr. Schmidt's s'ister, who will spend several weeks visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Schmidt.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brewer and children motored over from Nacogdoches Sunday, August 22, and visited in the home of their brother, Mr. Robert Allen. Mr. Brewer took the car back to Nacogdoches and Mrs. Brewer and children remained over for a week, Mr. Brewer returning for them on Sunday, August 29.

Executive Committee.

A meeting of the County Democratic Executive Committee is called for Friday, September 3rd, at 1:30 p. m., in the court house. Purpose of the meeting to certify returns of Saturday's primary to the State Convention, also a nominee for sheriff will likely be named at the time.

Notice.

To our Customers and Friends: We desire to express our thanks and appreciation for the nice volume of business you have given us in the past, and take this means of informing you that there will be a slight change made in prices of barber work in your town, beginning the first of September. Again thanking you we beg to remain as ever your friends, G. D. McClain, W. R. English.

Shiloh Singing.

On Sunday, September 5, and Saturday night before, the semi-annual singing convention of our county meets at old Shiloh camp ground. We have secured the services of the Vaughn quartet, which is one of the best in the south. We have also sent invitations to many other good singers who will be with us. We want everybody in Houston county to feel that they are a part of this singing convention, and help us have a big time. The Vaughn quartet is from Lawrenceburg, Tenn., but comes to us from Timpson, Texas. They are artists in a style of singing that you probably have not heard. Their songs are written for mixed voices of soprano, alto, tenor and bass, one voice taking the alto part in the same register of the female voice. The Atlanta, Ga., Daily Journal says of them: "The Vaughn quartet was the high hit of the evening. They sang negro songs and popular songs, and then the crowd made them sing them all over." Come, bring your lunch baskets, well filled with good things to eat, and enjoy the day with us. Mrs. Karl Leediker, Secretary.

## Get 'Em While They're Hot

We wish to state to the public that you can get at our store every day, from 11 o'clock until 1 o'clock, hot bread, hot rolls, hot pies, and on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays, Raisin and Graham bread, and on Tuesdays and Thursdays hot cinnamon rolls. These are only a few of the many good things to eat that we have to offer you. Let us help you prepare your lunch. We can save you lots of worry for a very little expense.

We also carry a complete line of fancy and staple groceries which we can sell as cheap as any grocery man. Give us a chance to fill your next order. It pleases us to please you.

## Crockett Grocery & Baking Company

For Rent.

My home in Crockett is for rent by the year. House has five rooms and bath, all modern conveniences. Half acre of land and one of the best garden spots in town. Place is situated on North street, next to Mr. C. W. LeGory. For information address Mrs. W. A. Cone, 1865 Park street, Beaumont, Texas. 3t.

Want Magazines.

Captain A. E. Owens advises that the men of the local cavalry organization who are doing police duty at Galveston during military occupation of that city, due to the strike of the longshoremen, are in need of magazines and other reading matter. Those who have magazines which they would like to send the boys should leave them with John Spence in Crockett, who will forward them to Galveston without delay.

Reception.

On Saturday afternoon, August 28, Mrs. Robert Allen entertained in honor of her sister, Mrs. Albert Brewer of Nacogdoches.

The guests were greeted by Mrs. Bailsford, who introduced them to the honoree. Delectable refreshments were served by

Misses Hattie Belle Arledge and Amy Willingham, assisted by Miss Willie Adelaide Meriwether at the punch bowl.

Mrs. Allen is an attractive hostess and her pretty new home was tastefully decorated for the occasion. Mrs. Brewer with her pleasing personality won for herself a host of friends.

A unique feature of the social was the presence of representatives of four generations. The young-old great grandmother, Mrs. M. E. Horton, is intellectual and well read. She is an interested listener and an interesting talker. Mrs. Bailsford scarcely looked the part of grandmother as she passed from guest to guest with smiles and a merry jest for all. Mrs. Allen in the role of mother, and Robert Allen Jr. and his little sister, Willie Merle, make a chain of unbroken links in this genealogy.

The social was intended for a "come and go" affair, but we were so well entertained we made it appear rather more like a come early and stay late party. Thanks, Madam Hostess. A Guest.

A species of spider in Ceylon spins webs five feet in diameter and with supporting lines ten or more feet long, strong enough to trap birds for food.

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**Neff Makes Explanation of Question of His Birthday.**

Waco, Texas, Aug 28.—At 7 o'clock tonight Pat M. Neff gave out the following statement:

"Now that the polls are closed and the voting is done, I feel, regardless of what the results of today's election may be, that my friends, not my enemies, are entitled to know the truth about my age record. I would have been glad to have explained this matter to my friends before now, but I did not deem it wise on the eve of an election to lose sight of the main issues by defensive explanations.

"The truth is, I have for the major part of my life lived under an erroneous impression as to my correct age. Just when, how or why I became confused on this point I do not know. I do not recall even having named, either in a public or private way, prior to 1918, my birth year as being 1871. All my enrollments as a student, all my life insurance policies and every other thing of that nature, as far as I can recall, show my birth as 1872. I thought the date of my birth was 1872 until some time in the year 1918, when my mother, on her own initiative, in conversation about the war and the registration law, stated my age, which made me one year older than I thought I was. When this statement was called in question by me, she contended that she was correct, giving as the year of my birth 1871. Upon investigation I found, to my surprise, she was correct.

"In regard to my age as stated in my poll tax receipt for the year 1919, I desire to say that was an unintentional and harmless error on my part.

"On some of my campaign cards my age was given as 47 years. The cards that contained that statement were the first ones I had printed. I have in my possession a sworn statement from the printer who made them that the cards were printed in August, which was before my forty-eight birthday, and therefore correctly gave my age as 47.

"As to the sworn application to have my name placed upon the official ballot, this application was drawn up by my secretary, and he tells me that he placed my age in this application as 47 because he had seen this age stated on the campaign cards above referred to. At the time this application was drawn up I was busy carrying on my speaking campaign and was at my office only one day in the week. I did not read the application. Of course I should have read the application very carefully before signing it, but as the form was prescribed by statute, and as I had implicit confidence in my secretary, I did not examine the application at all. I know I should have done so, but the truth is I did not.

"I make this statement and hand it to the press without regard to what the fickle wheel of fortune may hold in store for me as the returns come in."

**Harris County Chairman of Neff Club Makes Statement.**

Houston, Texas, Aug. 28.—Jesse E. Moseley, chairman of the Harris County Pat M. Neff for Governor Club, gave out the following statement tonight:

"This is a glorious and sweeping victory for clean-cut progressive democracy and a clarion message to the world that Texas is standing solidly in the democratic column. The eyes of the nation have been upon Texas in this bitter contest and it was the hope of the republicans that by nominating Joe Bailey our citizenship would repudiate the democratic administration and its wholesome accomplishments.

"A splendid majority has unmistakably shown that they endorse the democratic party and its accomplishments during the

last seven years, and, logically enough, Texas has administered to Bailey the same bitter medicine that Georgia administered to Hoke Smith, Missouri to Reed, Arkansas to Kirby and Oklahoma to Gore.

"One by one the men who opposed the conduct of the war and deserted the president in the hour of national peril are being repudiated and condemned as soon as the people have an opportunity to express themselves. In behalf of the Harris County Pat M. Neff Club I wish to cordially thank the good women whose generous and enthusiastic work has contributed so materially to this victory and also the press whose constant and courteous co-operation has been indispensable as well as the rank and file of loyal democrats everywhere who have made Mr. Neff's overwhelming victory possible."

Mrs. T. M. Ransom, leader of the woman suffrage forces in Harris County, said tonight:

"It has been a glorious victory for the women of Texas, and I am proud of the achievements of the women of Harris County in the work done here. Of the ninety-four precincts in the county fifty-five were well organized with a chairman and assistants of precinct organizations and in the remaining precincts there were one or more to represent our cause.

"Throughout the day the women were busy in the vicinity of the polls of many precincts and numerous cases were noticeable where a man and his wife were going to the polls to vote and the woman called aside and appealed to vote for Neff when it was known that her husband was a Bailey man and the gratifying part of this is that many women votes were changed. Not only so, but the women also changed many votes of men in the same way."

**Some Interesting Facts About August Rains.**

Anent the great amount of rain that has fallen in August of this year the records of the weather bureau show that for the first twenty-four days of this month a total of 6.11 inches of rain has fallen. Normally for these twenty-four days of August we should get, or are entitled to receive, but 1.67 inches, and for the entire month 2.22 inches. To date the excess, which is 4.44 inches, is greater than the nor-

**WASHINGTON GIVES FT. WORTH 106,482**

City is Eighteenth to Come Into 100,000 Class in Last Decade.

Washington, Aug. 26.—Fort Worth, Texas, with a population announced Thursday night as 106,482, has joined the list of cities having a population of 100,000 or more. Since 1910 Fort Worth has increased 33,170, or 45.2 per cent.

The Texas city is the eighteenth to come into the 100,000 class since the last census and increases the total number of cities in that class to 68.


Neither numerically nor in point of percentage, however, did Fort Worth show as great an increase in the past decade as between 1900 and 1910, when the city had increased 46,624, or 174.7 per cent. Between 1880 and 1890 the city more than doubled its population, showing a percentage increase of 246.3. The following decade the city showed its smallest growth, only 3612 being added to its population, or 15.7 per cent over the preceding decade.

Crane county, Texas, supplants its neighbor, Cochrane county, as the least populous county in the United States, so far as the 1920 census has yet shown. Figures announced Thursday night give Crane county a total of 37 inhabitants, or 30 less than Cochrane, having sustained a decrease of approximately 88 per cent from its population of 331 in 1910.

mal rainfall for any month of the year excepting May, when the total rainfall of the month equals only 4.89 inches.

During the past thirty-nine years of record the heaviest rainfall for any August month was 9.81 inches, in August, 1915, and the least was a trace (less than 0.01 inch) in August, 1902.

As for the heaviest rainfall for any month during this period of time the records show that during the month of May, 1884, a total of 17.25 inches fell, an average of 0.56 inch per day, and the least amount for any month was in August, 1902.



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One lot Ladies' Black and White Hose, all sizes, per pair **20c**

\$15.00 Georgette Waists, special **\$12.50**

One table of Ladies' Pumps and Oxfords, worth \$6.00 to \$7.50, our special price **\$3.50**

One table Ladies' Tan and Black Pumps and Oxfords, in satin and tan buttons, values up to \$6.00, special price **\$1.98**

\$10.00 Georgette Waists, in all colors, special price **\$7.95**

\$12.50 Georgette Waists, in all sizes and colors, most desirable styles; special price **\$9.95**

Several hundred yards of silk in plaids and stripes; 36-inch material; values up to \$3.50 a yard; your choice of this lot at per yard **\$1.79**

Cotton Checks and Stripes, medium weight, attractive patterns, per yard **20c**

F. and M. Cotton Checks, extra heavy grade, plaids, checks and stripes; very strong material; special, per yard **25c**

One table Pumps and Oxfords for ladies, in plain and cap toes, values up to \$5.00, your choice, per pair **\$2.98**

Good, heavy book fold Shirting, in stripes and checks, at per yard **35c**

Light Percalé, in stripes and checks, at per yard **35c**

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