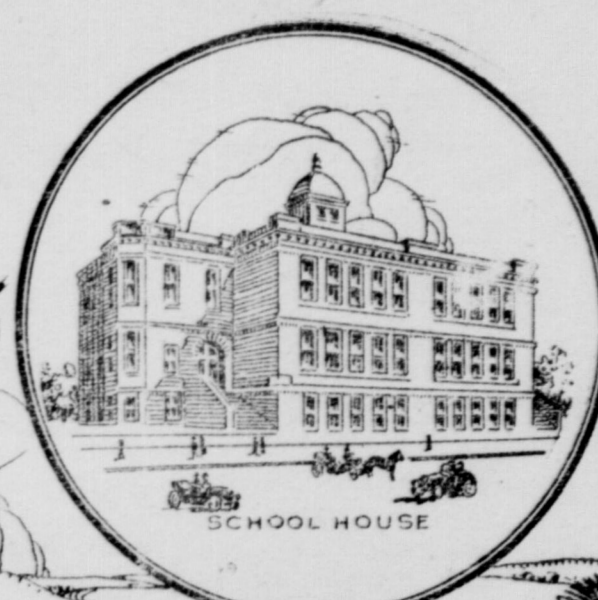




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DIPPING PROMOTES CLIP AND HEALTH

(By George M. Algeft, Bandera.)
"Better sires, better stock," is the slogan adopted for the National Campaign to decrease the number of scrub sires in our flocks and herds, and to increase the number of good registered sires used. Perhaps better lambs and wool would be a good slogan which would bring the campaign a little nearer to the heart of the sheep raiser. Certainly it is a slogan that every sheep raiser in this State should set up for a motto in sheep breeding.

Visits to many of the range and farm flocks make it very evident to anyone that the quality of the sheep kept should be greatly improved. The range man who is producing fine wool sheep and who has flocks averaging 6, 7, 8, or 9 pounds of wool per head per year, should not be satisfied but should strive to follow the example set by some of our best sheep raisers and increase the average up to 10 or 12 pounds, or even more than that.

The farm flock owners whose flocks are not producing the highest type of lambs for market and only a light clip of wool, should strive for a better mutton type and better wool qualities also. It is possible to obtain a high degree of excellence

in both wool and mutton in some of the breeds common to our farms and ranches.

The quickest and surest way of increasing the grade flock is by constant use of good pure sires of the desired breed. The old adage that "the sire is half the flock" may grow tiresome, but its truth cannot be denied.

The ewe will be the mother of only one or two lambs and will add to, or detract from, the quality of those lambs alone. The average ram will be the sire of 50 lambs and will stamp every one of these lambs with either desirable or undesirable characteristics. It is impossible to estimate the real value of a ram which will increase the average wool clip of his offspring 10 or 20 per cent, or that will increase the mutton qualities of his offspring in the same manner. Certainly money should not be withheld when it is possible to get a good pure-bred ram with which to head the flock, since the money will be replaced many times in the increased value of his offspring.

The sheep breeders of the State should decide upon the breeds that they like best and that are best adapted to their conditions, and then buy pure bred rams to use.

Join in the campaign for better sires.

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PURE BRED SHEEP AND BETTER SIRES

(By W. M. COLL, Sheep Specialist.)
Goat breeders like all other practical business men must be convinced that dipping their flock will put dollars into their pockets before they will listen to scientific reasoning on the subject. Once the virtue of the practice is demonstrated to them they will adopt it without further argument. The following example of thrifty dipping came to my attention recently.

Mr. Batt of Bandera, reports the following successful experience with a dipping vat he constructed on his home ranch last fall: Before the vat was used his clipping averaged 3 1/2 lbs. Since using the vat it has averaged 3 5/8 lbs. of mohair.

There is a considerable difference between the clips. In fact, there is an increase after dipping of more than 11 per cent.

The winter season has been more favorable it is true than was the summer season, but to counteract that, each nannie in the herd has been caring for a kid. It is a well established fact that the spring doe clip never equals the fall clip when kids are reared in the spring.

Before dipping, the goats had a normal infection of lice. There were 47 goats in this herd, and the vat (a substantial one) costs about \$20.00. The saving in increased production of mohair will more than pay for the vat in one year with this small herd of goats. The investment in the vat itself will return 135 per cent. So much for figures.

Mr Batt used commercial arsenical dip in a vat which was recommended by the Extension Service. The goats were dipped three times after shearing at intervals of about two weeks according to the weather. Mohair was not in the least injured and no goats suffered ill effect from the dipping. He reports that one particular nannie after being turned loose near the vat for the first time, helped herself to a drink of the solution before he had time to divert her attention to other water near by. Thinking the nannie would die, he left her to live the next few minutes of her life in peace, but was very much surprised the next afternoon to see her return and drink again from the vat. She is still alive and healthy but it must be remembered that this dip is poisonous and goats should not be dipped when thirsty, nor should they be allowed to suck the vat. Besides this a few mangy goats which he had before the vat was built, lost their mangy appearance after dipping and have remained free ever since.

Without lice, the goats have become more quiet and are not continually scratching with their feet and horns or rubbing against fences. Mohair is scarce in the droppings of the bedding grounds, and the goats are in better physical condition.

Another interesting and advantageous feature brought out by dipping, is that the dipped goats held their hair tight three weeks longer this spring than did the undipped goats. Likewise all ticks were removed from the goats which is quite an item on many ranges. Mrs. Batt reports that after dipping her chickens in the vat this spring, they began laying and

their young son says he expects to get good results from dipping one of their neighbors children. Among the goat breeders building vats for their flocks at present are R. H. Thompson, L. Heagelein, R. N. Padgett and C. L. Farrer. I have ample literature on the subject and will gladly assist those who wish to build dipping vats. Dipping is a thrifty practice that nets attractive returns on the investment.

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DISCUSSION OF THE SCREW WORM FLY

Through the interest of Mr. S. S. Bundy, of Patterson & Bundy, Roosevelt, Texas, Prof. Bishop has favored The Stockman with some valuable articles on this vital question, which is agitating the minds of members of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association, as well as of other ranchmen.

It is unnecessary to comment on the seriousness of the screw worm as a pest of live stock on the ranges of the Southwest. It may be stated, however, that an increasing interest is being shown by stockmen in all quarters in the question of the prevention of this loss which until recently has been looked upon as a matter of necessity.

The Bureau of Entomology of the United States Department of Agriculture has been carrying on experiments and studying the habits of the screw worm in all stages with a view to finding some adequate method of control. While there is yet much to be learned about these insects and how to prevent their ravages, there is no doubt that with the general adoption of certain measures the losses may be greatly reduced.

There is much difference of opinion as to just what fly produces screw worms. This point has been definitely determined by collecting worms from large numbers of cases and breeding out the flies. In this work it was found that nearly all infestations occurring during the late spring, summer and fall months are produced by the same fly. This insect should, of course, be known as the screw worm fly. It is a blow fly, dark bluish green in color with three black stripes on the back between the wings, and a redish yellow head. Some stockmen speak of it as the "red head." Another point which has been generally debated is in regard to the places where this fly breeds. Many stockmen think they breed exclusively in living animals. Our work clearly shows, however, that the vast majority of them develop in carcasses, and only after they have become fairly numerous do they attack living animals. By placing screened cages over a fresh carcass after flies have laid eggs upon it it has been estimated that approximately a million of these screw worm flies will breed out of it.

In order that we may proceed intelligently with control measures it is necessary that a general idea of the life history and habits of the insect be known by all. The mature fly lays clusters of whitish eggs either on wounds or carcasses and these hatch in warm weather in a few hours and the young worms begin to work into the tissue. In living animals development is rather faster than in carcasses. Frequently the worms become full grown and drop out in three days. In carcasses six days or longer are necessary. The maggots then burrow into the ground and in three to seven days the flies emerge and after a few days they are again ready to lay eggs. The life of the adult fly ranges from two to six weeks and during this period several hatches of eggs, sometimes amounting to over twelve hundred, may be deposited.

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THE HOLY BIBLE IS OUR GUIDE.

The following editorial is republished by request of a number of Stockman readers. Categorical answers will soon be made in these columns to objections to the plain-earth (or Bible-taught) cosmogony, made by some friendly exchanges:

We once knew a man who had doubts about the world being round. He belonged to the same class as the man who doubted that prohibition prohibits.—Winfield (Iowa) Beacon.

I, too, knew the man. As a matter of fact, I am the man.

Editor Hinkle, however, has it a little twisted. I never have doubted that prohibition prohibits the poor man from doing what he wants to do, and has a moral right to do. I know very well, however, and so does Editor Hinkle, that no laws ever made, or that ever shall be made, prohibit the rich man doing and having exactly what he wants, and all that he wants. The prohibitionists in Congress and the State legislatures have made no effort to prohibit the rich man doing and having what he wants. Every suggestion made in every legislative assembly to take away a rich man's booze, or anything else belonging to the rich man, was promptly voted down. It is the poor man they were after.

So far as the earth being round like a ball, whirling through space at the rate of sixty miles a second and flopping over every night, that is so utterly ridiculous that Carlyle expressed it in these words: "It appears to be a universal eruption of insanity." St. Peter said, about that sort of mad teaching in the "latter days" this: "For this they willingly are ignorant of, that by the word of God the heavens were of old, and the earth standing in and out of the water."

The Bible from Genesis to Revelations is a contradiction emphatic and definite of the modern idiotic conception of cosmogony—or cosmology—the Copernican theory, if you will.

Let all men prove liars, but God and His prophets true.

The Egyptians understood the world as it is, the center of the universe.

The ancient Chaldeans predicted eclipses and

read the stars. None of them ever heard of a world that you are now trying to drill into the earth. The unfortunate children, whose comings and goings are against being on the bottom side of the earth every night with their heads hanging down. No child ever believes such stuff. He is a fool. God gives him enough brains to understand something reasonable.

"How, then, can we circumnavigate the globe?" you say.

Is something "round like a ball" that you can "circumnavigate"?

Can't you go around a dinner table and get back to the same place? Can't you go around a house and return to the same place?

"How is it that a ship at sea descends into the water only can see the tops of its masts?" you say.

It is solely on account of the well-known laws of perspective. If the earth were a flat plain, you could see the whole ship? You would see the hull, the masts, and the rigging.

It is the same with a glass would enable you to see the whole ship? You would see the hull, the masts, and the rigging.

Now, when you look down a hill, you see the rails in the distance seem to come together. They do not. Look down a long lighted street at night. The lights on each side seem to come together in the distance. Of course you know that they are the same distance apart.

The earth is the center of the universe. Sun, moon and stars revolve above and around it, just as the Bible tells you, to give us light by day and by night. The Arctic circle is the center of the earth, the magnetic center. Every other direction is south. When you steer by the mariner's needle you make a circle around the northern center, the needle deflecting toward the north, just as if you put a magnet in the center of a plate and move a compass around it, the needle always points to the magnet. You can't help going in a circle. Surveyors know that, and have to make due allowance.

The sun, moon and stars revolve around and above the earth in a concentric circle. Eclipses come and go in regular cycles.

"Modern Science," so-called, will never be able to shake our absolute faith in the scriptures.

To me, now, henceforth and forever, the Bible is absolutely and altogether TRUE!

Question of the Hour: "Have you HAD IT?"

Text for Today: "A feast is made for laughter, and wine maketh merry; but money answereth all things." Ecclesiastes 10: 19.

Bully for Claud! Read his telegram on this page to The Stockman editor. You can continue bringing over Mexican laborers 'til further notice.

The dumquashed PHLEW has hit many of us a cowardly welt below the belt, and The Stockman has not entirely escaped. So if we don't get to you as soon and as bright and chipper this week as usual, you will, we are sure, make all due allowances. Thank you.

Without a doubt, the ranchman, and it is a pleasure of enjoyment, for me, and it is a pleasure, over and over and over, price I have to

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C. B. HUDSPETH, M. C. BULLY FOR CLAUD!

Owing to the rotten FLU and numerous other rotten troubles, the Crockett County delegation, including the secretary, failed to reach Del Rio for the executive committee meeting of the Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association. The Stockman editor made strenuous efforts to get there, but failed. He has tried to use the phone, but the line was out of commission—so we give it up.

The most important deal made in this section during the past week, and, indeed, for several weeks, was the sale by the present owner, big and jolly Roy Hudspeth, of "The Old Odum ranch," in the edge of Crockett and Sutton counties, to Aker Brothers. There are about nine or ten sections. The price paid was twelve dollars an acre, which is a remarkable evidence of the phenomenal increase of land values in this section during the past few years. In the deal also went 650 head of cattle at \$65.00 per head.

There have been some stock transactions during the week; the particulars of which could not be secured in time for publication, on account of the generally upset condition of things consequent upon the flu epidemic.

Val Verde County Herald reports the sale of the Kickapoo Ranch, or "Silver Cliffs" ranch, a beautiful property in Kinney county, by the owner, W. K. Shipman, to Eugene Mays, together with about twenty-five hundred head of mixed stuff, sheep, goats and hogs. Price for all, sixty-six thousand dollars. It is about a ten-section ranch, well improved.

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The State of Texas.
In the District Court of Crockett County, Texas, March Term, A. D. 1920.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Crockett County,
GREETING:
You are hereby commanded, that by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Crockett, four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon Martin McFarland, whose residence is unknown, and the heirs of said Martin McFarland, to be and appear before the District Court to be held in and for the County of Crockett, at the Court House thereof, in the town of Ozona, on the 15th day of said month, then and there to answer the petition of William E. Friend, Jr., plaintiff, filed in said Court on the 9th day of February, A. D. 1920.

against Martin McFarland, and the heirs of Martin McFarland, as defendants, said suit being numbered 297, the nature of which demand is as follows, to-wit:

Trespass to Try Title and for Damages; Plaintiff alleging that he is the owner in fee and entitled to possession of all that certain tract of land situate, lying and being in the County of Crockett, State of Texas, and being all of the North half of Survey No. 1, originally surveyed by virtue of Land Certificate No. 150, originally granted to the E. L. & R. R. Ry. Co., and patented to Martin McFarland on the 5th day of November, 1880, the said North half containing by estimation 320 acres; Plaintiff alleging that on or about the 1st day of January, A. D. 1920, he was lawfully seized and possessed of the land aforesaid, holding and claiming the same in fee simple; that on last said date defendants unlawfully entered upon said lands and premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and unlawfully withheld from plaintiff the possession thereof, to plaintiff's damage one hundred dollars, and that the reasonable rental value of said land and premises is one hundred dollars, plaintiff alleging that he has had and held said land continuously for more than five years last passed in possession, peaceable and adverse, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, and paying taxes thereon, and claiming same under deeds duly registered.

Wherefore plaintiff prays judgment against the defendants for title and possession of said land and premises, and that writ of restitution issue, and for rent, damages and costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, special and general in law and in equity, that he may be justly entitled to.

Herein fail not, but have you then and there before said Court this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Tom Nolen, Clerk of the District Court of Crockett County, Texas.
Given under my hand and Seal of said Court in Ozona, Texas, this 9th day of Feb., A. D. 1920.
(SEAL) **TOM NOLEN**,
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The Crescent Literary Society, composed of energetic High School boys and a few grade pupils, has been meeting every Wednesday night since the first of the school year, debating, declaiming, studying the religious and political questions of the time and meddling in everything in general. The program always includes subjects of general interest and local importance, stimulating an interest which is not noticeable in other organizations of its kind.

To Mr. Grissom is due the credit of the Society. He suggested that we organize and has supported and guided us every since. He has been present at every meeting, walking from his home across the draw regardless of the weather and for his interest we offer our sincere gratitude. As soon as the "flu" is over we are going to offer to the public a program consisting of debating, declaiming and extemporaneous speaking by our various members.

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Prof. E. W. Martin was here during the past week on business.

Tom Owers and wife were here from their ranch near Rankin on a business and pleasure visit.

BIG Slaughter to get the CASH for All Winter Goods. A Saving of twenty-five per cent. Flowers & Adams.

Mrs. Tom Williams was called to San Angelo on account of the serious illness of her son Lyman, in that city.

Buy Your VALENTINES NOW from Flowers & Adams.

Kuzn Klem had to leave last Friday for Alpine on account of her mother, Mrs. Dodson, having flu. The sick mother began to improve immediately upon her arrival.

All Winter Goods are being Sacrificed for Cash. A Saving to You of about twenty-five per cent. Flowers & Adams.

Mrs. R. L. Carruthers, one of Crockett county's largest ranch owners, was here enroute from her San Angelo home to her ranch in this county. She was accompanied by her son-in-law, Ed C. Lewis.

Slickers! The good kind. The old standard Fish Brand. Flowers & Adams have them.

Clark Barton was one of the seriously ill of flu, and developed pneumonia, but is now convalescing.

On Display Now, these VALENTINES FLOWERS & ADAMS.

Dick Baker took a trip to Fort Worth. Mrs. Baker visited her parents at Mertzon during his absence.

One Quarter Off to regular price for Cash, on Winter Goods at Flowers & Adams.

Supt. Williams, of the Ozona Telephone Co., went to Sonora in his car and brought back Mrs. Logan Russell and baby, who will be residents of Ozona in future. Mrs. Russell will assist on the hello board. This will be welcome news to many old friends.

Steamer trunks just arrived. Call on Flowers & Adams.

Loud as you want them, but the swellest things in the way of Silk Shirts you ever saw in your whole put-together, at Roy Parker's Gents' furnishings establishment in Ozona. Send in a mail order if you can't come and look. Also have on display for birthdays, and all other needs and occasions, handsome ties, gloves, handkerchiefs, etc., etc.

Flu Precautions.

Breathe deeply whenever in fresh air. Avoid drafts. Avoid sudden extremes of temperature. Keep away from contaminated atmosphere. Don't breathe other people's second-hand breath. Keep dry sulphur sprinkled in your shoes. Wear five cents worth of asafetida in a cloth bag on your chest. Exercise moderately, but never violently. Regulate your eating, sleeping and every other necessary act as nearly to the minute as possible. If you will follow these simple rules in your daily life, you may almost certainly remain healthy.

Notice Sheep and Goat Men.
For sale cheap, 1000 bred-nannies, three to five years of age. Will shear two pounds of wool this Spring. Also 800 head of muttons, one and two years of age. If you want a bargain, address
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Olney Smith for Assessor.
Directing your attention to the announcement in this issue of The Stockman, of Olney Smith, who seeks your vote and support for the office of Tax Assessor of Crockett county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July, there is little need of adding anything further.

You all know Olney.
A native born Texan, he has been a resident of Ozona for more than thirty years. He has always borne himself honorably and uprightly and will do to depend upon. He is also well qualified to attend to the duties of this important office.

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FOR SALE—Three fine young Plymouth Rock ringlet roosters for sale. Telephone Kirby Ranch.

Conklin's Fountain Pens are handled at Flowers & Adams.

B. C. Burchett struck a clear-flowing stream of water at 285 feet in the well he was drilling for Mrs. Kirkpatrick at her home on Avenue G and 10th St. Mrs. Kirkpatrick will erect windmill, tower and tank immediately.

TRUNKS! TRUNKS!
New trunks at Flowers and Adams.

John Hoy, of Stonewall county, an old friend of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schauer, who was in their employ when he was a boy and whom they have not before seen for twenty years, was here on a visit to them.

The B. Y. P. U. social for celebrating St. Valentine's Day has been indefinitely postponed, on account of—O, you know.

Most of the Flu patients from whom the paper could hear up to the hour of going to press, were doing "tolerably well."

The distressing news comes from Big Lake that our good friend J. D. Nairn is very ill of pneumonia, following an attack of influenza.

Stockman editor's daughter, Mrs. William E. Gramis, arrived with her baby girl from Denver last Friday on a visit. Her husband may come on later and locate either here or at Del Rio.

The entire postoffice force came down with IT. Rev. Carson came to the rescue, assisted by John Barton, then John got it. Then Pink Sherrod helped some. The parson sure is a humdinger. The community would better pay him to stay on with us.

Saturday will come St. Valentines Day again. The Stockman feller has already received a lovely Valentine. Sent our great good friend, Col. George Richardson, of San Angelo, a bill for one year's subscription. He changed the bill to read five years and sent a check for ten dollars—prettiest check we ever saw. That's the West Texas way.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

The State of Texas.
In the District Court of Crockett County, Texas, March Term, A. D. 1920.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Crockett County,
GREETING:
You are hereby commanded that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Crockett four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof you summon Buffalo Bayou, Brazos and Colorado Railway Company, its successors, assigns, creditors, and stockholders thereof, and all Officers and legal representatives of same, all of whose residences are unknown and whose names (except said Railway Company) are unknown, to be and appear before the District Court to be held in and for the County of Crockett at the Court House thereof in the town of Ozona on the third Monday in March, A. D. 1920, the same being 15th day of said Month, then and there to answer the petition of W. A. Kay, Thomas M. Kay, Beulah Kay Baggett and husband E. G. Baggett, plaintiffs, filed in said Court on the 10th day of February, A. D. 1920, against the Buffalo Bayou, Brazos and Colorado Railway Company, its successors, assigns, creditors, stockholders and Officers, as defendants, said suit being numbered 298, the nature of which demand is as follows, to-wit:

Trespass to Try Title and for Damages, plaintiffs alleging they are the owners in fee and entitled to possession of all of those certain two tracts of land situate in Crockett County, Texas, and being all of Survey No. 7 of 640 acres originally surveyed by virtue of land certificate 32-151 originally granted to the Buffalo Bayou, Brazos and Colorado Railway Company and patented to said Railroad Company June 3rd, 1881, by patent No. 407, Volume 15, and all of Survey No. 8 of 640 acres originally surveyed by virtue of land certificate No. 32-152 originally granted to said Rail Road Company and patented to said Railroad Company June 3rd, 1881, in patent No. 406, Volume 15, holding and claiming said lands and premises in fee simple, and that defendants on said date unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom and unlawfully withheld from plaintiffs the possession thereof to plaintiffs damage one hundred dollars; that the reasonable rental value of same is one hundred dollars; that for more than six years last passed plaintiffs and their Vendors have had and held continuously peaceable and adverse possession of said land cultivating using and enjoying the same and paying taxes thereon and claiming same under deeds duly registered and having same enclosed by a fence. Plaintiffs pray judgment against the defendants for title and possession of the lands and premises and that writ of restitution issue, and for rent, damages and costs of suit, and for such other and further reliefs, special and general in law and in equity that they may be justly entitled to.

Herein Fail Not, but have you then and there before said Court this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Tom Nolen, clerk of the District Court of Crockett County.
Given under my hand and Seal of said Court, in Ozona, Texas, this 10th day of Feb., A. D. 1920.
(SEAL) **TOM NOLEN**,
Clerk of the District Court of Crockett County, Texas.
By Pearl Bosworth, Deputy.

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Plaintiffs alleging that they and their grantors have had and held said land continuously for more than six years last past in possession peaceable and adverse, cultivating, using and enjoying the same and paying taxes thereon and claiming same under deeds duly registered.

Wherefore plaintiffs pray judgment against the defendants for the title and possession of said above described land and premises, and that writ of restitution issue, and for the rents, damages and costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, special and general in law and in equity, that they may be justly entitled to.

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Fourth Class Postmaster Examinations

The United States Civil Service Commission announces an examination to be held at Big Lake, Texas, Saturday, February 14th, 1920, to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth-class postmaster at Big Lake, Texas, and such other vacancies as may occur at that office.

The compensation of the postmaster at Big Lake for the last fiscal year was \$320.00.

Applicants must be twenty-one years of age, of either sex, and reside in the delivery limits of the Big Lake office.

Application blanks may be secured from the postmaster, J. D. Nairn, at Big Lake, or from the United States Civil Service Commission at Washington. All applications should be filed as early as possible with the Commission.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF CROCKETT

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You are hereby commanded to summons Charlie Robertson by making publication of this Citation once each week for four consecutive weeks, previous to the return date hereof, in some newspaper of general circulation, published in your County continuously for at least twelve months, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then, in any newspaper published in the 83rd Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Crockett County, to be holden at the Court house thereof, in Ozona, on the 3rd Monday in March, A. D. 1920, the same being the 15th day of March, A. D. 1920, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 30th day of January, A. D. 1920, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 295, wherein Eliza Robertson is Plaintiff, and Charlie Robertson is defendant, the nature of plaintiff's cause of action being a suit for divorce to dissolve the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant, the petition alleging that on or about the 21st day of March, A. D. 1912, in Harris County, Texas, plaintiff was lawfully married to defendant, and that they continued to live together as husband and wife until on or about the 19th day of Dec., A. D. 1916, at which time defendant permanently abandoned plaintiff since which time they have not lived together as husband and wife, and plaintiff prays that upon the final hearing she have judgment dissolving said marriage relations, and for cost of suit.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the 1st day of the next regular term thereof, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal (SEAL) of said Court, in the town of Ozona, Texas, this the 30th day of January, A. D. 1920

TOM NOLEN,
District Clerk, Crockett County Texas.
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