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THEODORE ROOSEVELT'S AFRICAN BOOK READY.

World-wide Publication on August
Twenty-fourth.

After months of preparation, and careful supervision since his return by Mr. Roosevelt, his great book, "African Game Trails," appears all over the United States, in England, France, Germany, and Sweden, on Wednesday, August 24th. In order that the tremendous initial demand might be promptly met, Messrs. Charles Scribner's Sons have printed the book both in the East and in the West, and every effort is making to distribute the book with equal celerity through the dozen or more central agencies of Messrs. Scribner in the great cities from New York to San Francisco. Owing to the railway strike several carloads of paper were delayed on the Grand trunk, and for this reason it is possible that some persons may not receive their copies as promptly as others.

This volume is a large octavo of more than five hundred pages printed from beautiful type and elaborately illustrated. It contains more than forty thousand words that did not appear during the serial publication, and in addition numerous pictures made especially for the volume. The subjects for the original drawings were selected by Mr. Roosevelt and they were made under his advice. More than a thousand agents have been at work for some time selling this book by means of an elaborate prospectus, and new applications are being received at the rate of about one hundred a day for territory, so that every corner of this country will soon be reached, and, with the large facilities of the publishers, it is believed that even the unprecedented demand will be promptly filled. It is doubtful whether any volume has attracted the world-wide attention of this and has so large an audience ready and eager to secure the finished work of the most distinguished American at the present day and the one best known to all civilized nations.

Mosquito Legally Convicted.

There comes to our desk a report of a very interesting legal proceeding in Hillsboro.

It seems that there is a breeding place for mosquitos behind one of the drug stores in this place and that the owner of said drug store has refused, or at least failed to prevent the propagation of the mosquito there. Now comes a lady whose residence is nearby and complains against the owner of the drug store and files suit for \$500 damages, alleging that the mosquitoes, which have resulted from this breeding place, have infected her with malaria.

This case has been tried in the courts there and upon hearing the evidence judgment was rendered in favor of the plaintiff in the sum of \$500.

In so far as we know, this is the first time that our scientific knowledge of the fact that the mosquito is a carrier of malaria has ever figured in the courts of the land, and it is gratifying to know that this scientific fact has been found

to have the weight that this case has shown it to have.

There is no doubt of the fact that there are thousands of such breeding places for the mosquito in the State, which should be abated, and, while we are not too anxious to have the people of the State go to law in order to enforce their sanitary rights, yet we would call attention to the above as a precedent, and in some cases, the worst ones, would advise the sufferers to take similar proceedings in order to get relief.

We have again and again appealed to the humanitarian side and to the sense of justice and right of many of the business men of Texas in the cause of mosquito extermination, but sad to say, have failed in many instances to get any response from them. Now comes this other weapon into our hands and we welcome it. There is no doubt but that when you begin to approach the pocket-book of many a business man and property owner in the State you are getting very near to his innermost feelings, and so we are especially glad that this decision opens up another method of attack upon those who are not amenable to the ordinary methods.

We hope that in the future those who are forced to suffer from the pestilence of mosquitoes, which are allowed to propagate on account of the negligence on the part of property owners, or the willful maintenance of such breeding places, will not hesitate to follow the good example set by this instance.—Health Bulletin.

Twentieth Century Towns.

Denison Herald: The town that sits still and wonders why the people do not know more about it is a good deal like the man who opens a store without advertising or any effort to push the business wonders why it is that people do not flock to his store and keep his clerks as busy as they do the fellow in the next block who makes such a noise about his business. This is a day when every man has to blow his own horn, and the same thing is true of towns. A toot now and then may attract a little attention, but it is the continuous toot that gets the results.

There is a great deal more competition between towns and between merchants now than formerly. In the good old simple, slipshod times, a town could better afford to stagnate and a merchant could more safely drowse behind his counters than in these go-ahead days. This is the twentieth century, and those who try to live or carry on business as in the eighteenth or early nineteenth centuries will soon find themselves relegated to the scrap pile.—Galveston News.

"It Beats All."

This is quoted from a letter of M. Stockwell, Hannibal, Mo. "I recently used Foley's Honey and Tar for the first time. To say I am pleased does not half express my feelings. It beats all the remedies I ever used. I contracted a bad cold and was threatened with pneumonia. The first doses gave great relief and one bottle completely cured me." Contains no opiates. Will McLean.

Itch relieved in 30 minutes by Woolford's Sanitary Lotion. Never fails. Sold by Murchison & Beasley, Druggists.

The Cost of Bad Roads.

What do bad roads cost?

The usual question is, "What do good roads cost?" Statistics show that they call for an expenditure of from \$400 to \$4000, depending on circumstances and conditions.

What do bad roads cost? The Times-Dispatch of Richmond suggests that in looking at the problem from the other end, they cost this country more than one billion dollars annually. This loss constitutes a tremendous economic question, and the conservation of such an amount of money is one of the most important matters before the people today.

The average cost to haul one ton of farm produce one mile in the United States is 23 cents. In France it is just 8 cents. If our roads were good roads like those of Europe the saving in transportation of farm produce in the United States would amount to \$250,000,000 each year.

It costs 3.8 cents per bushel to transport wheat from New York to Liverpool, but it costs the farmer 5.4 cents per bushel to haul the average of 9.4 miles from his farm to the railroad shipping point nearest him. The agricultural production alone of the United States for the past eleven years amounted to \$70,000,000,000, but it cost more to take this product from the farms to the railroad stations than from the same railroad stations to the American and European markets. The saving in moving this produce over good highways instead of bad ones would have yielded enough money to build a million miles of good roads, according to official estimate.

The waste caused by bad roads is incalculable. There are many considerations and savings that cannot be estimated in figures. To spend money on bad roads is to sink it so that no return can come from it; to spend money on good roads is to get results and to secure a permanent investment.

Good roads are the cheapest in the long run. Look at the question from both sides and no other conclusion can be reached.

Value of Fairs.

According to the exchanges that reach the Herald table daily and weekly, almost every county in Eastern Texas is preparing to hold some kind of county exhibit or fair, or is getting an exhibit ready for the state fairs. Anderson county should get busy along the same line. No county in the state has better propositions to make the man hunting a new home, but people cannot find this out very well unless the people here take the trouble to tell them. If we do nothing else this fall we should send a good exhibit to the big fairs. And right now is the time to get busy. If a call was made on the county people for exhibits there would be some surprises as to the quality and quantity forthcoming.—Palestine Herald.

There were many such surprises when the first trades day was held in Tyler last month, and the second one held yesterday also brought in many exhibits of farm products which were surprising to those who are not already familiar with

the diversified crops of Smith county. And the East Texar Fair, which will be held next week, will bring out even more exhibits, which will eclipse anything of the kind ever shown. The advertising value of such a show of products cannot be estimated, as its results are too far-reaching to be calculated. Telling the outside world that we raise certain things at certain times is one thing, and showing them those very things is another; and for results, the latter is undeniably the better of the two. This year's move on the part of the people of Tyler and Smith county in getting up and organizing fairs and trades days will mean more for the future prosperity of the town and county than anything that has been done since the railroads were built into this section.—Tyler Daily Post.

A Twenty Year Paint

Would you like to hear of a twenty-year paint?

Mr. James A. O'Neil's house, Henderson, N. C. was painted 20 years ago with Devoe and never painted again till last year; it then looked better than common paint in half that time.

The reason is: Devoe is all paint and true paint; while the common paints are part true and part false. Don't pay to monkey with paint.

And Devoe costs less than any of 'em; not by the gallon, of course; by the house and year. That's how to reckon it. Go by the name.

The Murchison-Beasley Drug Co.

Capt. Bogardus again hits the Bull's Eye.

This world famous rifle shot who holds the championship record of 100 pigeons in 100 consecutive shots is living at Lincoln, Ill. Recently interviewed, he says:—"I suffered a long time with kidney and bladder trouble and used several well known kidney medicines, all of which gave me no relief until I started taking Foley Kidney Pills. Before I used Foley Kidney Pills I had severe backaches and pains in my kidneys with suppression and a cloudy voiding. On arising in the morning I would get dull headaches. Now I have taken three bottles of Foley Kidney Pills and feel 100 per cent better. I am never bothered with my kidneys or bladder and again feel like my own self." Will McLean.

A Reliable Medicine—Not a Narcotic.

Get the genuine Foley's Honey and tar in the yellow package. It is safe and effective. Contains no opiates. Refuse substitutes. Will McLean.

An Injustice.

It was perhaps unintentional, but a remark was made in the presence of the editor of the Review one day this week that was a very unjust criticism. It was to the effect that the people of Henderson county would pay \$1500 to the editor of the paper at a certain western town if he would come to Athens and boom this country as he did that country.

Now, in the first place, the people of that town co-operate with the newspaper man both with their presence and their MONEY. The towns in West Texas have commercial clubs with active secretaries, paid thousands of dollars salary to devote their whole time to booming the country. The entire citizenship of those towns are active members of these commercial clubs and the meetings are attended by them. How is it in Athens? The Review, with columns of arguments, dodgers, etc., and the co-operation of half a dozen helpers, can't get out a crowd at a meeting of the citizens of Athens at all—not a "corporal's guard" as the saying is. And all the newspaper booming on earth, not backed by the business men and citizens and by MONEY would be ineffectual.

In the second place, seldom an issue of the Review goes out that does not contain matter singing the praises of East Texas and Henderson county. If any one doubts this, just come to the Review office and the proof of it can be abundantly furnished.

Now if this citizen and others will raise \$1500 a year to run a commercial club, the Review will get in behind and push it for all it is worth and will not ask nor accept a single dollar of the said \$1500 for its services.

It is a great injustice to speak of the Review in the presence of strangers and especially in the presence of the editor himself. The Review challenges the closest examination of its columns as proof of its loyalty to and efforts in behalf of its city and county; and believes it can safely appeal to every close reader of its columns for verification of this fact.

Now come up with your \$1500, not for the Review, but for such legitimate expenses as are absolutely essential to accomplish anything by booming the town and county.—Athens Review.

FACTORY SALE OF PIANOS

For 20 Days Only at Crockett, Texas

The Crown Piano Company will sell as follows:

\$385.00 PIANOS FOR \$249.00

\$425.00 PIANOS FOR \$279.00

\$475.00 PIANOS FOR \$349.00

One Piano, (Self Player) Price \$750.00 for \$549.00

Will pay railroad fare to any one coming 75 miles or less to buy a piano while this sale is on.

Sale Opens October the 8th

G. A. BERRY,

Manager

Announcement

Our Sixth Great Annual Emory Mill Remnant Sale

Will begin Saturday morning, October 15, 1910, at "nine o'clock," and will continue for thirteen full business days, closing with the close of business on Saturday night, October 29.

For months we have been making preparations for this great money-saving event, and truly we expect to make this the greatest sale of the kind ever held in East Texas. We believe we have done our full duty in making these great preparations, "which are for you," and now if you will take advantage of the great gathering of good things we have prepared for you we feel sure we can make this

The Greatest Event of the Season.

We cannot begin to enumerate the many bargains we have in store for you, but come and bring your circular with you and we will see that you get every item just as advertised. And now in conclusion permit us to say we will be looking for you, as we know you are coming, and thanking you in advance for your business, we are

VERY TRULY

Jas. S. Shivers & Company

DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

- For Congress, 7th District
A. W. Gregg
- For State Senator, 13th District
W. J. Townsend, Jr.,
- For Representative
Dr. J. B. Smith
- For County Attorney
B. E. Dent
- For County Judge
E. Winfree
- For County Clerk
O. C. Goodwin
- For District Clerk
Joe Brown Stanton
- For Tax Assessor
John H. Ellis
- For Tax Collector
A. L. (Gus) Goolsby
- For County Treasurer
W. H. Bayne
- For Sheriff
A. W. Phillips
- County Superintendent of Schools
J. F. Mangum
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1
S. H. Lively
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2
G. R. (Ross) Murchison
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3
J. A. Harrelson
- For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4
J. M. Creasy
- For Justice of the Peace, Prec't 1
E. M. Callier
- For Justice of the Peace, Prec't 6
J. G. Webb
- For Constable, Precinct No. 1
R. J. (Bob) Spence
- For Constable, Precinct No. 4
R. J. (Bob) Wills

Hoarseness in a child subject to croup is a sure indication of the approach of the disease. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given at once or even after the croupy cough has appeared, it will prevent the attack. Contains no poison. Sold by Murchison-Beasley Drug Co.

No Promiscuous Shooting by Police.

"A police officer has no more right to fire a gun on the public highway of this county than has any other citizen, and the promiscuous shooting of firearms on the streets of this city by officers of the law must stop," said Judge Tom Simmons of the Sixty-seventh district court when charging his grand jury which began work Monday morning.

Judge Simmons called the attention of the present grand jury to the fact that he had charged a previous grand jury to investigate this matter and return indictments where evidence warranted it, but that the grand jury had failed to do so, and he felt that the recent occurrence in this city where a young man was shot by a policeman would have been prevented if previous grand juries had returned indictments into court for similar offenses.

"The law and the officers who enforce it must be respected," declared the court, "but it is not necessary to fire a six-shooter to arrest 999 men out of 1000, and besides the danger to innocent bystanders, it is a bad practice, and one not condoned by the law. I want this grand jury to thoroughly investigate all matters of this kind that come under their notice, and I charge you that it is your duty to return indictments where the evidence warrants them under the law. Officers of the law are given authority for the purpose of protecting the citizens of the state, and they are permitted to carry firearms for the protection of their own person in performing their duty, and not for the purpose of inflicting bodily injury on the citizens of the state. The statutes of this state prescribe the punishment for various crimes,

and nowhere in our statutes have I ever seen a punishment for crime prescribed in the shape of being shot by an officer of the law; the law may hang a man, but civil law does not shoot him. The practice of over-zealous officers firing their revolvers on the streets to stop men who are charged with petty crimes can be stopped by this grand jury, and it is your duty to return indictments where the evidence warrants them."—Fort Worth Record.

A GOOD REASON.

Crockett People Can Tell You Why It Is So.

Doan's Kidney Pills cure the cause of disease, and that is why the cures are always lasting. This remedy strengthens and tones up the kidneys, helping them to drive out of the body the liquid poisons that cause backache, headache and distressing kidney and urinary complaints. Crockett people testify to permanent cures.

E. L. Simpson, of Crockett, Texas, says: "A few months ago my back became so lame and painful that I could not stand, and often had to go around with my hands pressed tightly against my loins. I was also annoyed by a frequent desire to pass the kidney secretions. When a friend advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills, I procured a box from I. W. Sweet's Drug Store and they helped me so much that I obtained a further supply. Since using the second box I am feeling like my former self. It gives me pleasure to endorse such a splendid remedy as Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY PILLS
FOR BACKACHE, KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

Danger in Dust.

Medical and Sanitary authorities say that dry sweeping is worse than none at all and that if sprinkling can not be done before the broom is applied it would be better to leave the dust and dirt undisturbed.

Dust on the pavements, it is declared, is less menacing to life and health than the dust vigorously raised and circulated in the encompassing air. When the dust is flying the pathogenic germs always present in dust and filth are forced into the human system, into the throat, mouth and lungs.

Dust is now generally credited with being one of the most prolific sources of disease, and persons who understand it is laden with germs are less inclined to inhale it by reason of that fact, though it is sufficiently disagreeable independent of any danger of infection. In such a dry season as that through which we have been passing for some time the dust is always very annoying and street sprinkling must be very persistent to keep it down, but it can be done in the business district of the city if the streets are thoroughly swept at night when they are comparatively deserted and few people abroad to inhale the dust.

But the sweeping of streets or sidewalks during the day, unless they have first been sprinkled, should not be encouraged. Even in the house it would be better to use a damp cloth to remove the dust from the furniture than to use a duster that will send the dust particles floating in the air. We ought to get rid of the dust as nearly as possible, but we ought to do it rationally.—San Antonio Express.

It is in time of sudden mishap or accident that Chamberlain's Liniment can be relied upon to take the place of the family doctor, who cannot always be found at the moment. Then it is that Chamberlain's Liniment is never found wanting. In cases of sprains, cuts, wounds and bruises Chamberlain's Liniment takes out the soreness and drives away the pain. Sold by Murchison-Beasley Drug Co.

A Generous and Charitable Wish.

"I wish that all might know of the benefit I received from your Foley's Kidney Remedy," says J. N. Regan, Farmer, Mo. His kidneys and bladder gave him so much pain, misery and annoyance, he could not work, nor sleep. He says Foley's Kidney Remedy completely cured him. Will McLean.

Your cough annoys you. Keep on hacking and tearing the delicate membranes of your throat if you want to be annoyed. But if you want relief, want to be cured, take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Sold by Murchison-Beasley Drug Co.

Good results always follow the use of Foley Kidney Pills. They contain just the ingredients necessary to tone, strengthen and regulate the kidneys and bladder, and to cure backache.

Will McLean.



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FOLEY'S KIDNEY PILLS
FOR BACKACHE, KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

GIGANTIC AMAZON

It Is the Greatest as Well as the Strangest of Rivers.

ITS UPPER PART A MYSTERY

Shrouded in Impenetrable Forests. Vine Growths Through Which Gleam of Sunlight Never Shows. Curious Woodland Tangle.

While the Amazon is the world's greatest river, if not in length at least in the volume of water which flows through it, it is the world's strangest river as well.

The few travelers and explorers who have journeyed up this water course to its many sources in the glaciers of the South American mountains tell stories which are almost incredible about the literal maze of streams which unite to form it, each stream having its birth in one of the great ice masses. Yet a few hundred miles below, where they merge and create the river, the temperature is such that it works its way through a perfect labyrinth of tropical vegetation.

Only the mariner can tell the place where the Amazon really has its mouth, because the opening it has made on the eastern coast of South America is so wide that it extends over 100 miles. A long distance before one comes to the mouth of the river, however, one is really sailing on the waters of the Amazon, because they force their way so far out into the ocean. They say that 300 miles out at sea off the mouth of the Amazon you can hoist a bucketful of fresh water out of the ocean from the deck of a ship, such is the quantity of its water that flows from that gigantic basin.

Long after you have entered the actual river and have its banks north and south of you if you are in mid-stream you will still be out of sight of land, such is the breadth of the vast channel. The river stretches far into the ocean and far up the country. Take a map of South America and look up a place called Iquitos. It lies four-fifths of the way across the continent from east to west. Yet from Iquitos there is a fortnightly service of ocean going steamers to Europe which descend some 3,000 miles of the river before they reach the sea.

It is not only one branch of the Amazon, but many, that are thus to be regarded as the same as ocean highways. The southern branches of the Amazon are broken by rapids along a line where a low continental shelf exists. Above these rapids, however, there is again deep water. Thus beyond the falls of the Madeira there are over 10,000 miles of navigable water on that river and its branches.

Not only Sir Martin Conday, but other travelers who have ventured along the upper river and its tributaries, say that here a curious woodland tangle exists. To the surface of the water the sun's rays seldom reach, and one may go many miles along waterways where it is well nigh as dark as night because the sky is almost completely shut out by the mass of vines which interlace the trees and are so thick with leaves. Deprived of the sunlight, all is dark and rank. The damp air is laden with unhealthy vapor. The surface of the water in places where the current is too sluggish to carry it away is covered with scum and weed.

It requires no little courage to explore these fastnesses, for a man really takes his life in his hands, so unhealthy are they. Occasionally, however, one can see the upper portion of the forest where there is a little crevice in its roof of vines. Above this is really a scene of life and beauty. Birds and butterflies and other gorgeous insects are flying from place to place; flowers of hundreds of hues and shapes are blooming from the plants attached to tree, branch and trunk. While below all may be lifeless and silent, above the height where the mass of vines overshadow the river nature has created a world of brightness and animation; but, as already stated, it is almost entirely shut out from the human eye.

To attempt to break through this canopy of vines which hide it from the lower world is almost impossible because the vines grow so thickly, but some naturalists have penetrated it and say that the forests really have two surfaces, the one above this artificial roof and the one below. That which is above is barred from human entrance. Its inhabitants are mostly birds and insects that are radiant with beauty unequalled in the world.

Whatever grows in the Amazon mud strives with desperate interminable struggle to reach this sky exposed surface and there blossoms. Beneath, where man can walk or float, all is dark. Only here and there a fitful ray of sunlight struggles through. Orchids blossom within this shadowy region.

You can see these bright creatures fitfully in the cavern below, but not in all their glory, as they must behold one another above. Sometimes as they fit about beneath they will chance to cross a sunbeam slanting through a

hole in the vegetation; then for an instant they flash into view like an explosion of burning color. It is thus that the great butterflies are seen to the best effect. No one can imagine what a picture they produce in their native haunts as their wings flash out close and flash again in the sunlight as they fly.

No; this upper world of the Amazon forests has been closed to human beings and promises to remain a perpetual mystery unless with the aid of some aerial craft one may be able to visit it.—Chambers' Journal.

A Ban on Patterns.

"There is one kind of correspondence sometimes received by women clerks that makes heads of firms hopping mad," said the pretty stenographer. "That is dress patterns. They don't mind letters and magazines, but if a girl wants to keep on good terms with her employer and maybe keep her job, she had better advise pattern companies to send their communications to some other address. I know one employer of about 100 girls who has put up notices in the workroom to the effect that no patterns can be received at that office. Not many men go that far, but all hold the same grudge against patterns. A girl who has a new dress to make up can't help spreading the pattern out the minute she gets it. Then every other woman in the office becomes interested. Nothing is so disorganizing to women clerks as patterns. Nothing takes up more time that belongs to the firm so you really can't blame the bosses for putting a ban on patterns."—New York Press.

A Beautiful Lake.

Perhaps the most striking instance to be seen in the whole world of the wonderful apparent coloring of bodies of water is the marvelously beautiful Blue lake in Switzerland. Enclosed on all sides by lofty mountains their lower ranges luxuriantly clothed with verdure down to the edge of the water and adorned with many fine forest trees, while their higher acclivities are garbed in a mantle of eternal snow, the little lake, nestling in its deep hollow basin and protected from winds and storms, is quite startling in its singular and strange beauty. The water, although really pure and colorless, appears to be of a most vivid and intense sky blue. And its transparency is so remarkable that a small nickel coin dropped into the water in the center of the lake can be seen gyrating downward until it reaches the bottom, apparently more than a hundred feet beneath.

Japan's National Beverage.

Sake is the national beverage of Japan. It has a peculiar flavor not comparable to any European drink, is made from fermented rice by an intricate process in winter time and contains from 11 to 14 per cent of alcohol. It is a necessary constituent of every ceremonial Japanese dinner, is served in little, ampulla-like jars and drunk with much formality from squat, earless sake cups containing approximately about two ounces. To the European palate it tastes sour at first, but a preference for it is readily acquired. Curiously enough, it has a much more powerful effect on the Japanese than on Europeans. A stronger variety, shochu, contains from 20 to 50 per cent of alcohol. Another form, mirin, is more or less a liqueur.—London Lancet.

The Peanut.

The common peanut, beloved of the small boy, grows in a way that is distinctly original. The little plant sends up its shoots, with the fruit on the end of a somewhat stiff stalk, and then before it ripens the stem bends over and carefully pushes the fruit underground. As pigs are said to be especially fond of these, it has been suggested that the plant does this to hide its nuts from the porker's too inquisitive investigations.

System Required.

Clerk—May I have a day's leave tomorrow, sir? It is my mother-in-law's funeral. Employer—My dear Huber, this mustn't occur again. Last week your wife died, and now your mother-in-law's going to be buried. You must arrange things better in your family and see that they happen in the holidays.—Lustige Blatter.

Unkind.

Medical Man—Johnson has done the meanest thing I ever heard of. He came to my house the other night, ate a big dinner, got indigestion and then went to another doctor to be cured.

Cheering Him Up.

New Boarder—How's the fare here? Old Boarder—Well, we have chicken every morning. "That's first rate. How is it served?" "In the shell."

The Way of It.

Knicker—Life is an irony. Bocker—Yes. By the time you have the money for a grand stand seat your home team no longer wins.—New York Sun.

We make our fortunes; we call them fate.—Alroy.

TO SWAMP THE LORDS.

A Threat That Always Brings England's Upper House to Terms.

To override the veto of the house of lords by a wholesale creation of peers is a plan that has been often threatened, but hardly ever put into practice. It certainly places the king in a very unenviable predicament—so much so that in 1719, after a crisis of the kind, George I. caused to be introduced into the lords a bill for limiting the power of the sovereign to create peers, a sort of royal self-denying ordinance.

The measure was twice passed in the lords, but twice rejected by the commons, which was lucky, for had it been carried it would have made the house of lords an almost unchangeable body, entirely beyond the control of king or minister or commons.

The nearest approach that was ever made to "swamping the lords" was in 1832, when the fate of the great reform bill trembled in the balance. Over and over again the measure had been passed by the commons, only to be rejected by the lords. The country was furious. Payment of taxes was refused. Riots broke out everywhere.

The prime minister, Lord Grey, went to the king and begged him to create new peers to carry the bill. His majesty refused, and the ministry resigned. The king, however, presently changed his mind and, fearing a revolution, agreed to the creation of a hundred new peers, "or more if necessary." Then, very reluctantly, the upper house gave way, and the bill became law.—London Family Herald.

THE DEATH DICE.

A Murder Case in Which They Returned a Just Verdict.

The German emperor some time ago presented to the Hohenzollern museum the "death dice" with which one of his ancestors decided a difficult case in the seventeenth century. The history of these dice is generally given as follows:

A young girl had been murdered. Suspicion fell upon two young soldiers, Ralph and Alfred, who were suitors for her hand. They both denied their guilt, and even torture failed to extract a confession from either.

Then Elector Frederick William decided to cut the knot by means of the dice box. The two soldiers should throw for their lives and the loser should be executed as the murderer.

The event was celebrated with great solemnity. Ralph had the first chance and threw sixes, the highest possible number. The dice box was then given to Alfred. He fell on his knees and prayed. Then he rose to his feet and threw the dice with such force that one of them was broken. The whole one showed six, the broken one also gave six on the larger portion, and the fragment split off showed one. This was a total of thirteen, one beyond Ralph's throw. The audience held its breath in amazement.

"God has spoken!" cried the prince. Ralph, appalled by what he regarded as a sign from heaven, confessed his guilt and was sentenced to death.—Chicago Record-Herald.

POWDER AND GUNS.

Evidence That They Were Used Long Before the Christian Era.

There is abundant evidence that the origin of gunpowder and artillery goes far back in the dim ages of the past.

The Hindoo code, compiled long before the Christian era, prohibited the making of war with cannon and guns or any kind of firearms. Quiliter Curtius informs us that Alexander the Great met with fire weapons in Asia, and Philostratus says that Alexander's conquests were arrested by the use of gunpowder. It is also written that those wise men who lived in the cities of the Ganges "overthrew their enemies with tempests and thunderbolts shot from the walls." Julius Africanus mentions shooting powder in the year 275. It was used in the siege of Constantinople in 668, by the Arabs in 690, at Thessalonica in 904, at the siege of Belgrade in 1073, by the Greeks in naval battle in 1008, by the Arabs against the Iberians in 1147 and at Toulouse in 1218.

It appears to have been generally known throughout civilized Europe early as 1300, and soon thereafter it made its way into England, where it was manufactured during the reign of Elizabeth, and we learn that a few arms were possessed by the English in 1310 and that they were used at the battle of Crecy in 1346.—Cassier's Magazine.

SHERIDAN'S RUSE.

It Settled the Dramatist's Account With His Wine Merchant.

It is related of Richard Brinsley Sheridan, the dramatist and statesman, that, always in debt, he had among his creditors the brothers Challe, who were the partners in a wine firm in 1775.

One day when he was giving a dinner party to some distinguished people Sheridan sent for one of the brothers,

told him he was now able to settle his account and invited him to the dinner party, asking him to come before the hour for some private conversation.

Challe arrived early, and he was sooner in the house than Sheridan sent off a servant with a note to the clerk, desiring him, as Mr. Challe was favoring him with his company, to send as soon as possible three dozen of burgundy, two dozen of claret and two dozen of port, with a dozen of old hock.

The unsuspecting clerk sent the wine, with which the guests were so pleased that they asked where it came from. Sheridan, turning toward Challe, said, "I am indebted to my friend here for all the wine you have tasted and am always proud to recommend him."

It was not until the following morning that Challe realized the double meaning in Sheridan's words. The debt was canceled.

A Queer Fish.

A male fish which hatches the young of its mate is the Chromis paterfamilias. It is found in the Lake of Tiberias, Palestine. Strange to say, this industrious fish hatches its young in its mouth. When the female has spawned in the sand, the male approaches and draws the eggs into his gills, where they remain until hatched, when they struggle out of their confinement into the parent's mouth. As many as 200 perfect young are sometimes found in the mouth of an adult male. How the fish manages to feed itself without swallowing the young is a mystery. The grown fish is about seven inches long and one and three-quarters wide. Its back is olive green, shot with blue, and the belly is silver white, marked with green and blue. Near ancient Capernaum some hot springs form a small stream which runs into the lake, and it is in these warm waters that the chromis abounds.

No Common Dog.

Gentleman (to dog dealer)—I gave you a high price for this dog last week because you warranted it to be a good house dog. My house was broken into last night, and the dog never even barked.

Dog Dealer—No, sir; I quite believe, yer. He was too busy lookin' for the burglars, so as to be able to identify 'em, to even think of barkin'. If you was out with this 'ere dog and was to meet 'em burglars he'd know 'em in a minute. He ain't no common barkin' dog; he's a reg'lar 'tective an' worth 'is weight in gold, he is.—London Answers.

Not Her Fault.

Mrs. Lapsing was expressing her regret that she had been unable on account of illness to be present at the funeral of a neighbor.

"I always feel," she said, "that I ought to attend the obsequies of a friend, but I just couldn't go."—Chicago Tribune.

Inherited.

"And now," said Professor Longhunter as he greeted Henry Peck, "what shall we make of your little boy—a lecturer? He has a sincere taste for it."

"I know he has," replied the male parent. "He inherits it from his mother."

Dividing Her Weight.

"Don't stand on that delicate table to hang the picture, Martha. It'll break. You're too heavy."

"Oh, no, I'm not, mum. It'll bear me. I'm standing only on one foot."

We are inclined to believe in those whom we do not know because they have never deceived us.—Johnson.

Got What She Wanted.

"I can stand for some things, but not for everything," said the clerk as he watched a stylishly dressed young woman leave the store.

"What is the matter?" asked the proprietor, who had walked up unobserved.

"That woman who just left hustled up to the counter and asked to see men's shirts. I showed her every style and color we carry. After inspecting the entire stock she rose and thanked me sweetly, adding: 'I didn't wish to purchase any. You see, I am making my husband some shirts, and I wanted to be sure I was doing them right. My husband is very particular about the finish of his shirts.' And they say married women are so considerate."

The boss smiled and walked away.—Boston Traveler.

The Sun.

It is computed that the temperature of the sun would be expressed by 18,000 degrees of Fahrenheit's thermometer, or about ninety times the temperature of boiling water. This is about five times the temperature that man is able to produce by artificial means. The light given off from the surface of the sun is reckoned as being 5,200 times more intense than that of the molten metal in a Bessemer converter, though that is of an almost blinding brilliancy, or, if we compare it with the oxyhydrogen flame, the sun sheds a light equal in brilliancy to 146 times the intensity of the limelight.

GIGANTIC TREE STUMPS.

Big Enough to Be Hollowed Out and Used For Houses.

The fine firs of the Pacific northwest are so colossal that after the trees are hewed down the stumps are used for children's playgrounds, houses for families to live in or for dancing platforms.

To make a stump house the material from the interior is removed, leaving only enough to form walls of suitable thickness. A roof of boards or shingles is put over the top of the stump, holes are cut for windows and doors, and a family of five can and often does make it their dwelling. The stump houses are sometimes used by settlers until they can build larger and more convenient homes.

After the stump home has been vacated it is turned into a stable for the horses or sometimes into an inclosure for chickens or hogs.

Next to the big tree of California the fir or sequoia of Washington and Oregon has the largest diameter. As they decay rapidly, the hollowing out is easy. Sometimes they are used for dance platforms, some of them accommodating as many as four couples.

Another custom is to turn the big stumps into playgrounds for the children. The children reach the top by pieces of wood nailed against the sides or by ladders. A beautiful use of the large stumps is making them into flower beds and covering them with trailing vines.—Chicago Tribune.

THE WAISTCOAT.

It Became Popular by the Patronage of Charles II.

Few men realize how much they are being influenced in their dress by King Charles II, and yet it is to that monarch we owe the adoption of the waistcoat as a regular article of gentleman's dress, says London M. A. P. At least that is so if we are to accept the statement of Pepys, who in his diary under date of Oct. 16, 1661, states: "The king has declared his resolution to set a fashion which he would never alter," and "This day King Charles II. began to put on his vest. It is a very fine and handsome garment."

Prior to this date they were exceptional garments, and there is even some doubt whether they were originally worn by ladies or gentlemen, though there is good reason to believe they superseded the doublet, such as was worn by Raleigh, Essex and other notables of the Elizabethan age.

A neat waistcoat "wrought in silk and gold" is mentioned in "Patient Griswell," 1602, and there is a painting in distemper of a vest on the walls of Winchester cathedral, dated 1480, so that what Charles II. took was merely an existing garment, which he remodeled, and by his patronage so popularized it that it became a standard article of gentleman's dress.

Clever Reasoning.

Rather an original lesson in political economy was that once taught by the Japanese nobleman Awoto and thus translated by Sir Edwin Arnold in "Seas and Lands."

One evening as he was going to the palace to take his turn in keeping the night watch he let ten cash drop out of his hinder case into the stream and then bought fifty cash worth of torches to search for the lost coin. His friends laughed at him for spending so much in order to recover so little, and he replied, with a frown:

"Sir, you are foolish and ignorant of economics. Had I not sought for these ten cash they would have been lost forever—sunk in the bottom of the Namerigawa. The fifty cash which I have expended on torches will remain in the hands of the tradesman. Whether he has them or I is no matter, but not a single one of the sixty has been lost, and that is a clear gain to the country."

Wedding Ring Mottos.

When posies or mottoes inscribed inside wedding rings were first introduced does not seem to be known, but from the sixteenth century until the middle of the eighteenth it was customary to have them engraved on rings. These mottoes seldom consisted of more than two lines of a verse, often of only one, but there are a few instances known where three lines were used. Some of these posies are very quaint and curious, and a few reach a high standard of poetic beauty. The South Kensington museum has a good collection of posy rings, and among them are the following inscriptions: "United hearts death only parts;" "Let us share in joy and care;" "Love and live happily."—London Standard.

The Real Grievance.

"You are always complaining. You ought to be satisfied with the money you've got."

"I am. It's with that which I haven't got that I am not satisfied."

A Reminder.

"Since I've come back I find that I'm forgotten by all my friends."

"Why didn't you borrow money of them before you went away?"—Judge's Library.

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W. W. AIKEN, Editor and Proprietor.

PUBLISHER'S NOTICE.

Obituaries, resolutions, cards of thanks and other matter not "news" will be charged for at the rate of 5c per line. Parties ordering advertising or printing for societies, churches, committees or organizations of any kind will, in all cases, be held personally responsible for the payment of the bill.

If your man did not receive the nomination, there is no occasion for feeling "sore" about it. Remember that you may have been in the saddle at the last election.

The country is progressive in every way except as to its roads. With better roads greater progress will be ours. Now is the time to grapple with the hard roads problem. Next year the country is likely to be torn asunder by the prohibition question.

The senatorial campaign should have ended Saturday. If you had any political grievances and failed to air them before Saturday, please put them in cold storage until the next political campaign. If you did air them, you got your answer on election day and that should settle it. Let's let the political campaign end for a season and take up a campaign for better roads and the industrial upbuilding of the country.

Now that the senatorial election is over, let's get together and work for the material advancement of Houston county. There is one subject on which all can stand without division and that subject is worth more to our people as a means of material advancement than all the political

questions that have divided us for many years. We have reference to the subject of hard roads. Grapeland has taken the initiative in solving the problem of better roads and, if the Courier is correct, an election is soon to be held there on the question of a bond issue. Let Crockett, Lovelady and the other towns of the county fall in line.

We will never have good roads under our present methods of acquiring them. New methods will have to be adopted. It is needless to say that Houston county roads are not in keeping with the general progress of the country. While we are progressive in other matters, let's show the same degree of progressiveness in our public highways. It will take a bond issue to get better roads in Houston county. This can be done by precepts. Let the Crockett precinct get busy.

Every enterprise secured adds to the number of laborers and the length of a town's pay roll. Because of this every laboring man should encourage enterprises—advancement and progress, because of the added opportunity for him. The business man is equally, or should be equally, interested in securing new enterprises because of the additional laborers given work. From a selfish standpoint the laborers and the business men are especially, or should be, interested in the securing of additional smokestacks. If from no other cause should they combine their efforts in the campaign for larger and longer pay rolls. This can be attained thru the encouragement and securing of new institutions—factories, large and small. They are also interested, equally interested, in retaining and encouraging the ones already gained. This

is as essential as to win new ones. The work of securing and retaining factories, any enterprise, which builds up, which gives work to the laborer and thus increases the wealth of the community, at least the purchasing ability of the laborer, is a great work, a potential factor in building cities.—Abilene Reporter.

News from Austin is to the effect that Ellis County is preparing to place \$550,000 worth of good roads bonds. More will be issued later, to bring the total to \$1,000,000. One hundred miles of good roads are to be built. This kind of information, though usually the figures are somewhat smaller, comes every few days from some section of Texas. While some counties may be lagging a little, a general view of this state shows wonders being accomplished in the matter of road construction, in spite of the fact that the state is sparsely settled and distances are correspondingly long.—San Antonio Express.

Ellis county has always been equivalent to a gold mine, but it has been advantaged over gold mines in that it is located in the heart of civilization instead of among almost inaccessible moun-

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tains and desert places. There is nothing old Ellis could do to win more respect from enlightened men than what she is doing—building enlightened roads to serve an enlightened people.—Galveston News.

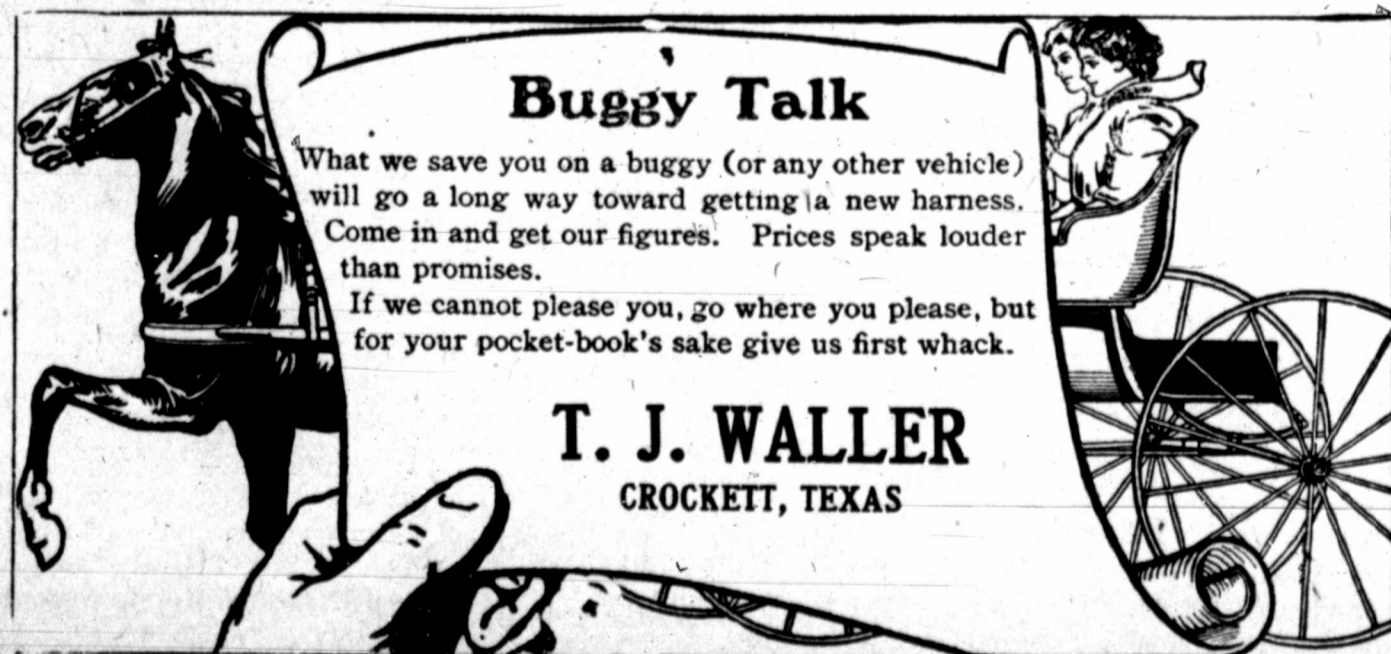
Bars All Guns.

Brownsville, Tex., Oct. 10.—In the district court today District Judge W. B. Hopkins instructed the sheriff not to allow any customs officers, rangers, deputy sheriffs, policemen, constables or citizen in the courtroom with a gun upon him. "If they must attend court," he said, "they must leave their guns some place before entering the courtroom."

Fire at Lovelady.

Lovelady, Tex., Oct. 7.—This morning at about 5 o'clock, the big barn owned by Lang Smith, in north Lovelady, was totally destroyed by fire. Loss of barn and feedstuffs about \$1,100. A new wagon, loaded with a bale of seed cotton, a buggy and harness, new saddle, some lumber, several hogs and one horse were lost. The total loss is about \$1,500. No insurance.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has become famous for its cures of coughs, colds, croup and influenza. Try it when in need. It contains no harmful substance and always gives prompt relief. Sold by Murchison-Beasley Drug Co.



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What we save you on a buggy (or any other vehicle) will go a long way toward getting a new harness. Come in and get our figures. Prices speak louder than promises.

If we cannot please you, go where you please, but for your pocket-book's sake give us first whack.

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Local News.

Graham Flour at Billy Lewis'.
See Daniel & Burton for Albatross flour.

Plenty of home ground meal at Billy Lewis'.

A complete, up to date abstract of Aldrich & Crook.

Nice, white, fine home ground meal at Billy Lewis'.

F. M. Patton of Creath was a caller at the Courier office Friday.

Albatross, the best flour on earth, sold and guaranteed by Daniel & Burton.

John Goodwin of Lovelady is among those remembering the Courier since last issue.

See Billy Lewis about a Rayo Lamp, Rayo Lamp chimneys, Rayo Lamp wicks and burners.

For bed springs, mattresses, rugs and art squares, see Deupree & Waller.

For bath or shave go to Friend. Best equipped shop in Houston county. Cleanliness our hobby.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Miller, who came to Crockett recently from New York, will leave soon for Kansas City.

We carry everything in dry goods, notions, shoes, hats, groceries and hardware.

Daniel & Burton.

Mr. W. E. Mayes has returned from Mineral Wells. Mrs. Mayes did not return with him, her health not permitting the trip home at this time.

The Big Store will be closed all day Friday, Oct. 14th, getting ready for the great Emory Sale, which begins Saturday morning, Oct. 15th, at 9 o'clock.

The ladies of the Crockett Shakespeare club will have a handkerchief sale Friday, October 28, at the home of Mrs. J. W. Hail for the benefit of the public library fund.

Insure Your Property.

We are prepared to insure your residence or business of any kind, horses and cattle against fire, lightning and tornadoes, in the country or any town in Houston county, in as good companies as there are in the United States, at as low rate as the lowest. Call and see us or write. Yours truly, J. W. Hail & Son.

Graham Flour at Billy Lewis'.

J. D. Freeman of Lovelady was here Monday.

Plenty of home ground meal at Billy Lewis'.

Knit goods of all kinds, scarfs and cloaks, at Daniel & Burton's.

Nice, white, fine, home ground meal at Billy Lewis'.

A new shipment of Lowney's candy just received at Sweet's drug store.

A. J. Dauphin of Lovelady was in Crockett Tuesday and remembered the Courier.

Mr. W. J. Crow of Henderson was a business visitor in Crockett Friday and Saturday.

See Billy Lewis about a Rayo Lamp, Rayo Lamp chimneys, Rayo Lamp wicks and burners.

Better goods for less money—that is what our customers say. Deupree & Waller.

We can save you money on your entire bill. See us before buying. Daniel & Burton.

Miss Lena Bromberg has accepted a position in the Atlanta schools and left last week to take up the work.

Be sure to attend the Great Emory Mill Remnant Sale at the Big Store, beginning Saturday morning, Oct. 15, at 9 o'clock.

Ike Lansford is recovering from a very sore foot, caused by stepping on a nail. After being laid up for more than a week, he was able to be down town Tuesday.

The show windows at the Big Store reflect great credit on the store's window dresser, Mr. Hugh Morrison. Their neatness of display attracts the attention of all who pass that way.

Mrs. I. A. Taylor, Crockett's most beloved citizen, left Tuesday morning to visit relatives and friends in Houston and Galveston. Although past eighty, Mrs. Taylor travels alone and enjoys her trips.

For Sale.

"Campbell House," two stories high, has eleven rooms and two halls, fine location, size of lot 50x100 feet. In the same block with Jas. S. Shivers & Co., post-office and a number of other business houses. This is very valuable property and a bargain at \$2,000 on easy terms. Call on or write Crockett Land Co.

Graham Flour at Billy Lewis'.

Plenty of home ground meal at Billy Lewis'.

Linoleum in latest designs at the New Furniture Store.

Nice, white, fine, home ground meal at Billy Lewis'.

Mrs. Thos. Self has returned from an extended visit to White-wright.

Judge F. A. Williams of Austin was visiting relatives and friends in Crockett last week.

Dr. R. E. Dillard of Weches was a visitor at the Courier office Wednesday morning.

See Billy Lewis about a Rayo Lamp, Rayo Lamp chimneys, Rayo Lamp wicks and burners.

Call and inspect our line of iron beds—Latest styles, lowest prices. Deupree & Waller.

Just received a car of Ellwood hog fencing, barbed wire and nails. Daniel & Burton.

J. R. Hairston of Route 4 and A. E. Buffington of Pennington are among those remembering the Courier since last issue.

We are undertakers—a full and complete line. Phones, store 75, residence 167. Deupree & Waller.

All goods marked in plain figures during the Great Mill Remnant Sale at the Big Store, and each article means a saving to the purchaser.

Removal Notice.

I have moved my dental office to the First National Bank building. Parties desiring dental work will please take notice. T. R. Atmar, Dentist.

The Courier learns of the marriage of Miss Ora Driskill to Mr. John W. Baker of Kennard. Both are popular young people and have the best wishes of their many friends, among whom we are glad to say is the Courier.

Jack for Sale.

A black jack, four years old July 25, 1910, between 13½ and 14 hands high, big bone, quick server and good foaler. For price and terms apply to S. H. Higginbotham, Lovelady, Texas. 4m*

Notice.

To those of our friends who still owe us we wish to say that on account of our absence from town a great deal, we are unable to look after the accounts properly, and were obliged to let some one else look after them for us. We therefore turned all such accounts over to Mr. T. B. Satterwhite and will ask that you pay him. Shupak Tailoring Co.

Jones Brothers' wild west show, exhibiting here Monday, was a good show of its kind and did a big business, the tent being filled to its seating capacity. The high tax prohibits the circuses from showing in any but the big cities of Texas. A wild west show does not come under the head of a circus and therefore gets off with a lighter tax. Our people will not see any circuses in Crockett until the law is changed.

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Nice, white, fine, home ground meal at Billy Lewis'.

The New Furniture Store has everything to furnish the house for less money.

Dr. McCarty of Grapeland was among the number remembering the Courier Monday.

Everett Clark has returned to Crockett and resumed his former position in the postoffice.

We guarantee to save you money on all your purchases. Daniel & Burton.

See Billy Lewis about a Rayo Lamp, Rayo Lamp chimneys, Rayo Lamp wicks and burners.

For Rent—After October 14, office now occupied by Dr. Atmar. Mrs. Hattie Cunyus.

G. W. Allbright of Route 2, A. D. Grounds of Grapeland and A. N. Leediker of Cut were visitors at the Courier office Saturday.

The smoothest, quickest, oldest and up-to-date artist with the scissors and razor in the city. Stanton the barber.

Lumber for Sale.

I am prepared to fill orders for rough lumber. For prices or other information call on or write O. W. Ellisor, Crockett, Texas.

We cannot be responsible for packages during the Great Emory Mill Remnant Sale at the Big Store, therefore our customers will be asked to take care of their own bundles.

Notice to Public.

All parties having deeds or other instruments in the County Clerk's office that can be withdrawn will please call for same before I retire, that I may be able to deliver in person the work I have done and get proper credit for same. N. E. Allbright, County Clerk.

The general conditions in Houston county are better at this time than the present editor of the Courier has ever seen them before. The people have more of everything and more money than they have ever before had during the time this editor has known them. There is less complaint of hard times than ever before and all channels of trade are flushed with business.

As a vaudeville feature last week the Lyceum theatre presented Lacy High as a crack rifle and pistol shot. It was Mr. High's first appearance before an audience, and his skill as a marksman surpassed the expectations of his friends and surprised those who did not know of his marksmanship. The Courier has not the space to go into details, but it must say that as an expert with the rifle and revolver Mr. High does some of the cleverest work ever seen here.

For More Than Three Decades

Foley's Honey and Tar has been a household favorite for coughs, colds, and ailments of the throat, chest and lungs. Contains no opiates. Will McLean.



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and fill correctly and intelligently every prescription entrusted with us. That's why we do such a large prescription business. Not only do we give the most minute attention to prescriptions but to every other department as well. We exercise the greatest care in the selection of our stock which enables us to guarantee everything we sell. Let's try doing business together. You will be pleased with what we sell you and we will be pleased with your favors.

McLean's Drug Store.

Hugh Cain of Huntsville was in Crockett the first of the week. Mr. Cain once lived near the Trinity river west of Crockett, but left here several years ago to return to his old home in eastern Tennessee. However, he liked Texas so well that he has again moved here and located for the present at Huntsville.

H. L. Brannen of Aspermont, Stonewall county, was a visitor at the Courier office Monday morning. Mr. Brannen has an East Texas farm in Houston county and a West Texas farm in Stonewall county. He said that farming land in West Texas is worth forty and fifty dollars an acre and that just as good land in East Texas can be bought at ten and twelve dollars. In fact, Houston county soil has produced more to the acre during the past two years than has Stonewall county soil. He said that many people were leaving the west and returning east on account of the two years' drought. Mr. Brannen will remain in Houston county for several days before returning to his western home.

Notice to Tax Payers.

I now have the tax rolls for the year 1910, and will be at the following places on date opposite each place for the purpose of collecting 1910 taxes:

Pennington, Wednesday, Nov. 2.
Lovelady, Saturday, Nov. 5.
Weches, Wednesday, Nov. 9.
Augusta, Thursday, Nov. 10.
Percilla, Friday, Nov. 11.
Grapeland, Saturday, Nov. 12.
Creek, Tuesday, Nov. 15.
Weldon, Wednesday, Nov. 16.
Antioch, Thursday, Nov. 17.
Holly, Friday, Nov. 18.
Kennard, Monday, Nov. 21.
Ratcliff, Tuesday, Nov. 22.
P. S.—Young men attaining the age of 21 during 1910 or 1911 must secure exemption certificate from tax collector in order to vote during 1911. No cost for certificates. A. L. Goolsby, Tax Collector, Houston County.

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Townsend the Nominee.

The following are the election returns from last Saturday's primary in Houston county:

VOTING BOX	Fowler	Townsend
Augusta	38	23
Antioch	10	37
Ash	11	9
Crockett No. 1	93	115
Crockett No. 2	105	100
Ratcliff	56	39
Creek	13	5
Daly	6	2
Daniel	25	19
Dodson	1	9
Freeman	1	9
Grapeland	72	138
Holly	21	7
Kennard	33	53
Lovelady	15	90
Percilla	9	20
Arbor	17	18
Porter Springs	20	9
Shiloh	9	2
Patterson Lake	3	9
Tadmor	30	4
Weches	3	4
Warren	6	9
Weldon	4	16
Tyer's Store	5	7
Concord	5	7
Total	602	740

District Court.

District court for the regular fall term was convened Monday, Judge Gardner presiding.

The grand jury was empaneled as follows: P. D. Austin, F. H. Bayne, A. P. Bolch, Geo. E. Darsey, B. H. Rosamond, W. H. Wall, I. A. Daniel, J. E. Monk, Roy Denpree, J. C. Estes, E. D. Smith and J. B. Ellis. The regularly drawn jury list having been exhausted, the last six names were accepted as talesmen. F. H. Bayne was appointed foreman and E. L. Simpson door bailiff, with the following riding bailiffs: J. H. Barnes, Arthur Holcomb, Henry Haltom, Sam Sims, I. W. Williams and T. B. Payne.

The first three weeks of the court will be given over to civil business.

Referee in Bankruptcy.

At 10 o'clock Thursday morning Hon. Hampson Gary took the oath of office as Referee in Bankruptcy, United States Judge Russell administering the oath. Mr. Gary as Judge of the Bankruptcy Court will have exclusive jurisdiction in the Tyler, Palestine, Marshall, Jefferson, and Texarkana divisions of the Federal Court comprising about twenty-five counties.

Mr. Gary is one of the best known lawyers at the Tyler bar, has been Captain of the United States Army, Representative in the Texas Legislature and a delegate to the last National Democratic convention at Denver. He has for several years been a regent of the University of Texas, an office he relinquished yesterday, as under the law he could not hold both posts.—Tyler Paper.

A Generous and Charitable Wish.

"I wish that all might know of the benefit I received from your Foley's Kidney Remedy," says I. N. Regan, Farmer, Mo. His kidneys and bladder gave him so much pain, misery and annoyance, he could not work, nor sleep. He says Foley's Kidney Remedy completely cured him. Will McLean.

Quality.

By Elbert Hubbard.

Every little while some fellow who wants the real goods writes to me for printing. Maybe he is away off in San Francisco or San Antonio or Boston; he may have a printer doing business right next door; but still he writes to me.

If he has ever had work done here before, he doesn't say anything about prices—just sends along the job.

But the new customer generally wants some figures, and when he gets them his next letter probably tells us that he knows a printer who will do the job for "just about half that."

Does he send the job to the other fellow—the Cut-Price Jahberwok? On your life he does not!—and I will tell you why, Algernon: it is because he wants Quality.

Quality pays, and pays big dividends. It is not much harder to turn out a fine piece of printing than it is a bum job—just a little more care, just a little more patience and a little better typography.

It is popularly supposed that women possess a more highly developed color sense than men. In a recent number of the University of Colorado Studies, Mr. V. A. C. Henmon shows that the experimental evidence in support of the theory is unsatisfactory and inconclusive. Experiments undertaken by Nichols showed that men were decidedly more sensitive in the recognition of red, yellow, and green, while women were more sensitive to blue. Yet, on the other hand, Miss Helen B. Thompson found that men were better with blue and yellow on a white background, and that women were better in red and in green. Miss Nelson finds that women in general are less keen in the recognition of colors than men. Tests on the discrimination of differences in color, the threshold of difference, show greater agreement. Women are in general superior to men in the discriminative sensibility, and as Mr. Henmon shows, particularly in their discriminative sensibility to reds and greens; for he too believes that men show a decidedly greater sensibility in discriminating reds. He finds that in school children between the ages of eleven and fifteen, there is no significant difference in the perception of difference in red, and that the variability and range are slightly greater in girls.—Scientific American.

Townsend's Nomination Conceded.

Lufkin, Tex., Oct. 10.—Judge W. J. Townsend Jr. of this place is unquestionably nominated for state senator of the Thirteenth Senatorial District. His majority in the district will be not less than 500 votes. Hon. Adam Cone of Palestine, Fowler's campaign manager, concedes Townsend's election, and this morning telephoned Mr. Townsend his congratulations. Mr. Townsend's friends at Lufkin are very jubilant over his nomination, and they believe that "Little Jim" will make good. Judge Townsend is a strong prohibitionist and an anti-Bailey man.

SENATORIAL ELECTION.

Partial Returns From All Counties Indicate the Nomination of Townsend.

Palestine, Tex., Oct. 8.—Fifteen out of nineteen boxes in Anderson County give Fowler 788 votes and Townsend 350.

Reports received here at 11 o'clock are to the effect that Townsend carried Cherokee and Angelina counties, the latter being Townsend's home county.

Late reports indicate that he is also leading in Houston County.

From reports received at a late hour, Fowler was leading in Trinity County.

Up to midnight all indications pointed toward Townsend's nomination.

Palestine, Tex., Oct. 8.—Indications from over the Thirteenth Senatorial District point to the nomination of W. J. Townsend of Angelina County for senator over G. R. Fowler of Anderson county. Townsend has carried Angelina and Cherokee counties and is leading in Houston county. Fowler carried Anderson county and is leading in Trinity county.

Lufkin, Tex., Oct. 8.—Complete returns from eight out of seventeen boxes in Angelina county give W. J. Townsend Jr. 446 majority. Townsend will carry Angelina county by 600 majority.

Partial returns from Cherokee County give Fowler 379 and Townsend 765. Indications are that Townsend will carry Cherokee County by 400 majority.

Fowler has carried Trinity County by 150 majority.

Indications are that Townsend is elected by not less than 400 majority.

Jacksonville, Tex., Oct. 8.—Ten of the principal voting boxes in Cherokee County give Townsend a majority of 364. Conservative estimates place Cherokee County for Townsend by a majority of at least 400.

Capt. Bogardus again hits the Bull's Eye.

This world famous rifle shot who holds the championship record of 100 pigeons in 100 consecutive shots is living at Lincoln, Ill. Recently interviewed, he says:—"I suffered a long time with kidney and bladder trouble and used several well known kidney medicines, all of which gave me no relief until I started taking Foley Kidney Pills. Before I used Foley Kidney Pills I had severe backaches and pains in my kidneys with suppression and a cloudy voiding. On arising in the morning I would get dull headaches. Now I have taken three bottles of Foley Kidney Pills and feel 100 per cent better. I am never bothered with my kidneys or bladder and again feel like my own self." Will McLean.

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For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

It is in time of sudden mishap or accident that Chamberlain's Liniment can be relied upon to take the place of the family doctor, who cannot always be found at the moment. Then it is that Chamberlain's Liniment is never found wanting. In cases of sprains, cuts, wounds and bruises Chamberlain's Liniment takes out the soreness and drives away the pain. Sold by Murchison-Beasley Drug Co.

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 Good quality staple check gingham, per yd. 6c
 Very best Amoskeag apron check gingham. 7c
 Best Diamond Hill yard-wide cambric finish 9c
 Very best standard table oil cloth, worth 25c, per yd. . . 18c

Men's Wool Overshirts.
 Sample lot men's \$2.00 quality wool overshirts, medium weight, all colors, size 14 1/2 to 17, at each. \$1.50
 One lot men's \$2.50 and \$3.50 quality wool overshirts, all colors, sizes 14 1/2 to 17, during this sale at. 2.00

Hosiery.
 Ladies' fast black cotton hose, all sizes, worth 15c. 8c
 Men's fast black cotton half hose, all sizes, worth 15c. . . . 8c
 Boys and misses' heavy ribbed black cotton hose, sizes 5 to 9 1/2, worth 15c per pair. 8c
 One lot boys and misses' extra heavy ribbed black cotton hose, size 6 to 7, worth 25c per pair. 10c
 Infant's ribbed cotton hose, size 4 to 5 1/2, in both black and white, worth 15c per pair. 8c
 45 dozen men's fancy half hose, all sizes, worth 35c to 50c per pair, your choice for. 25c
 30 dozen men's fancy and black half hose, regular 25c values for per pair. 12c
 Very best and heaviest ladies and men's grey mixed cotton hose, all sizes, per pair. 8c
 Our entire stock of mens and ladies' 50c quality lace hose, per pair. 25c
 15 dozen ladies' 50c quality silk lisle tan hose, pair. . . . 33c

Gloves.
 275 pairs ladies kid gloves all colors and sizes, worth \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50, during this sale at per pair. 75c
 Men's heavy canton gloves per pair. 8c
 Men's heavy drill gauntlet gloves with leather band, per pair. 25c
 Men's extra quality leather gauntlet gloves worth 75c, at per pair. 45c
 All of our regular \$1.25 men's work gloves, with or without gauntlet, at per pair. \$1.00
 Boys extra quality gauntlet gloves with or without fringe, worth 75c, our price. 50c
 Complete line ladies, misses' and children's wool and jersey gloves at per pair. 10c to 50c

Ladies' and Children's Coats.

To every lover of fashion, the first view of these matchless values will be a revelation and delight. No matter what your own ideas are, you can attend this sale with absolute assurance of finding exactly what you want, at a price lower than you expect to pay.
 Two dollar quality children's coats nicely finished, sizes 4 to 6, this sale. \$1.50
 Child's extra quality blue and white bear skin coats, regular \$2.50 value, this sale. \$2.00
 Ten dozen misses coats, sizes 8 to 14, all colors, neatly trimmed, worth \$2.00, sale price. \$1.25
 One lot of 7 dozen misses coats, sizes 8 to 14, all colors, regular \$3.50 seller, this sale. \$2.00
 Misses heavy beaver coat, size 8 to 14, nice assortment colors, during this sale at. \$2.50
 Five dozen misses coats, all colors, size 8 to 14, regular \$5.00 kind, sale price. \$3.50
 150 ladies beaver coats, velvet and braid trimmed, quarter lined, sizes 32 to 44, worth \$5.00, at only. \$3.50
 One lot ladies coats, colors black, tan, green and navy, size 32 to 44, a splendid value at \$7.50, our price during this sale. 5.00
 One lot of ladies coats, all colors and sizes, worth and sold at 8.50, our price during this sale at each. 6.50
 \$8.50 quality ladies capes, size 34 to 38, colors tan and navy, sale price. 6.50
 \$10.00 quality ladies coat, all sizes, colors black, green, tan, grey and navy, at. 8.50
 One lot ladies \$12.50 quality Melton coat, all colors and sizes, satin lined, at. 9.75
 \$15.00 quality ladies coats, satin lined throughout, all sizes, at. 11.00
 \$12.50 quality ladies capes, colors grey, green and mulberry, 34 to 38, at. 10.00

75c quality solid color ornaments, all colors, worth 45c each. 45c
 Complete line of colors in changeable silks, worth 75c, at per yard. 40c
 50c quality light weight, soft finish wash silks at. . . . 35c
 52-inch storm serges, all colors, per yard. 35c
 All the new and staple shades in solid and fancy striped poplins at per yard. 29c and 15c
 1000 yards 36-inch wash suitings, all colors, worth 25c per yard, at. 15c
 15c quality fancy Scotch coverts, per yard. 10c
 All the very best Amoskeag and Red Seal dress style gingham, worth 12c and 15c per yard. 10c

Embroideries and Laces.
 300 dozen Valenciennes laces and insertions, the regular nickel-a-yard kind, per dozen. 25c
 Our entire stock of cotton torchon laces, from one to five inches wide, during this sale per yard. 5c
 4500 yards embroidery edges and insertions, two to five inches wide, per yard. 5c
 6000 yards of Hamburg and Swiss embroidery edges and insertions, our regular 10, 12 1/2 and 15c kind, per yd. . . 9c

Notions.

Iron pins, paper. 1c
 Best brass pins. 4c
 Best safety pins. 4c
 Wire hair pins, per package. 1c
 Clear pearl buttons, per dozen. 2c
 Clear pearl buttons, per dozen. 5c
 8-inch rubber dressing combs, each. 5c
 Good ink tablet. 4c
 Extra large pencil tablet. 4c
 Rubber tipped cedar pencils, per dozen. 10c
 Extra good talcum powder, per box. 5c
 Best black and white darning cotton, per spool. 3c
 25 dozen colored seam braid, red and blue, 6-yd bunches, each. 8c
 144 agate buttons for. 5c
 Ladies' pure linen handkerchiefs, each. 4c
 Ladies' cross bar cotton handkerchiefs, each. 4c
 Whittemore's shoe polish, very best, per box. 7c
 Very best nickel alarm clocks, worth 1.00 and 1.25. . . . 75c
 Extra good toilet soap, per cake. 4c
 Pear's unscented transparent soap, per dozen. 12c
 Superior black pants buttons, per dozen. 2c
 Best quality black bone pants buttons, per dozen. . . . 2c
 Ladies' extra large hand bags, each. 25c
 Best ball sewing thread, per box of 30 balls. 22c
 Tallow's Complexion Powder, per box. 5c



Trunks.
 26-inch, iron bound, square top, sheet iron bottom, zinc trunks with brass locks, each. 1.45
 30-inch, square top, iron bound, sheet iron bottom, zinc trunks, worth 3.00, at. 2.50
 34 inch linen canvas trunk, iron bound, sheet iron bottom, brass lock, two keys, worth 5.00, at. 3.50
 36-inch, oval top, linen canvas trunks, brass bound, with brass bumpers, worth 12.50, at. 10.00

Curtain Poles.
 Best white enamelled curtain poles, with silver fixtures, at each. 84c

Entire stock of Crossett and Crawford \$3.50 high grade shoes for men during this sale at, per pair. 2.95
 One lot men's patent colt blucher, sizes 6 to 11, genuine worth \$3.50, per pair. 2.50
 Complete line men's vici and box calf shoes, as good as any \$3.00 goods, per pair. 2.50
 Men's vici kid shoes, cap toe blucher, sizes 6 to 11, worth \$2.50, per pair. 2.00
 Men's genuine box calf shoes, cap toe blucher, sizes 6 to 11, worth \$2.50, per pair. 2.00
 Men's satin calf shoes, plain or cap toe, blucher, sizes 6 to 11, worth \$1.75 to \$2.00, per pair. 1.50
 Ladies' genuine box calf welt shoes, blucher, sizes 3 to 8, a good \$2.50 value, per pair. 1.75
 Ladies' genuine calf shoes, light or heavy soles, plain or cap toe, blucher, sizes 3 to 8, worth \$1.75 to \$2.00. . . 1.50
 Ladies' patent blucher, welt sole, sizes 3 to 8, worth \$2.00, per pair. 1.75
 Ladies' genuine vici kid shoes, mat top, welt, blucher, sizes 3 to 8, a good \$2.50 value, per pair. 2.00
 Ladies' vici kid shoes, turn or welt sole, plain or cap toe, sizes 3 to 8, worth \$1.75, per pair. 1.50
 Ladies' vici kid shoes, welt, blucher, sizes 3 to 8, worth \$1.50, per pair. 1.25
 Youth's genuine box calf shoes, welt sole, blucher, sizes 2 1/2 to 7, worth \$2.00, per pair. 1.50
 Little girls' kid shoes, welt sole, for school wear, sizes 8 1/2 to 9, worth \$1.75, per pair. 1.25
 Boys' and youth's vici kid shoes, welt sole, blucher, sizes 2 1/2 to 7, worth \$2.00, per pair. 1.50
 Boys' and youth's box calf shoes, welt sole, blucher, sizes 13 to 2, worth \$1.75, per pair. 1.25
 Misses' genuine box calf shoes, welt sole, blucher, sizes 12 to 2, worth \$1.75, per pair. 1.50
 Misses' genuine vici kid shoes, 12 to 2, worth \$1.50. . . 1.25
 Child's genuine vici kid shoes, sizes 8 1/2 to 11 1/2, worth \$1.25, per pair. 1.00
 Six cases child's genuine vici kid shoes, sizes 5 to 8, worth \$1.00, per pair. 75c

Ladies' and Children's Underwear.
 Ladies' extra heavy fleeced ribbed vest, worth 85c. . . . 22c
 Ladies' extra heavy fleeced ribbed pants, worth 35c. . . . 22c
 Misses' extra heavy fleeced union suits, all sizes. . . . 22c
 Misses' extra heavy jersey ribbed vests, all sizes. . . . 22c
 Infant's fine ribbed fleeced vest, all sizes, each. . . . 12c
 Extra quality ladies' domst gowns, all sizes, 75c value. . 50c
 Extra heavy, best finished ladies' domst gowns, worth \$1.25 and \$1.50, sale price. 1.00
 One lot ladies' muslin gowns, worth 75c, each. 50c

Men and Boys' Hats.
 Complete line of men's hats, all colors and sizes in all the newest and staple shapes from the best Stetson to. 1.00
 Complete line of boys' felt hats in all the late shapes and colors from \$2.00 to. 35c



Blankets and Comforts.
 Complete line of cotton and wool blankets from the very best down to, a pair. 50c
 Complete line of cotton padded comforts at \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.25 and. 1.00

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One lot men's wool suits, new nobby patterns, all sizes, regular \$10.00 values, each. 8.50
 Complete line sizes and colors men's all wool suits, worth \$8.50, for. 6.50
 One lot men's all wool regular \$7.50 suits for. 5.00
 A few sizes in men's all wool regular \$6.50 suits for. . . 3.85
 Four lots youth's all wool suits, nice new up-to-date patterns, sizes 33 to 36, worth \$15.00 and \$16.50, at. . . 12.50
 Three lots youth's all wool suits, both heavy and medium weights, sizes 33 to 36, new styles, worth \$12.50. . . 8.50
 Youth's all wool brown stripe suits, all sizes, worth \$8.50, at. 6.50
 Youth's extra heavy brown wool suits, worth \$7.50, during this sale at. 5.00
 One lot boys wool knee suits, sizes 8 to 15 years, worth \$1.50 and \$1.75 at. 1.25
 Complete line boys knickerbocker knee suits, worth \$2.00, at. 1.50
 Boys all wool knee suits, knickerbocker styles, worth \$3.50, sale price. 2.50
 Boys all wool knickerbocker knee suits, worth and sold at \$5.00, our price. 3.50
 One lot boys all wool knee suits, new snappy patterns, worth \$7.50 at. 5.00
 Complete line, sizes and colors in boys knee pants, knickerbocker styles, sizes 3 to 17, at from. 50c to 1.50

Ladies' Tailored Skirts.
 One lot first quality Voile and Panama tailored skirts, both plain and trimmed, very newest styles, colors black and navy, regular \$5.00 kind, all sizes, sale price. . . . 3.50
 One lot very best quality Voile and Panama tailored skirts, colors black, blue and brown, all sizes, as good as any \$7.50 skirt, our price. 5.00
 One lot very finest quality Voile and Panama tailored skirts, beautiful braided designs, also plain black, all sizes worth \$8.50 and \$10.00, our price only. . . . 6.50

Sweaters and Knit Goods.
 75c quality men's and boys' sweaters in grey, brown, white and blue trimmed, all sizes at each. 45c
 Complete line of misses' and children's sweaters, all colors, at from. 45c to 1.75
 Complete line men's wool sweaters, all colors and sizes at from. \$1.35 to \$2.50
 \$1.50 quality misses' wool sweaters, size 28 to 34, colors red and white, at each. \$1.95
 \$2.50 quality misses' wool sweaters, size 30, 32 and 34, at each. \$1.50 and \$1.75
 \$3.50 quality ladies' wool sweaters, white and red, @. . . 1.75
 50c quality child's toboggans in both light and dark colors, at each. 2.45
 25 dozen knit shawls and scarfs worth 75c to 1.00, @. . . 45c
 38 dozen ladies knit scarfs and shawls worth 50c, @. . . 25c
 Complete line silk and fancy scarfs at. 45c to \$3.50

Counterpanes, Towels, Linens.
 39-inch pure linen towels, fringed and plain, each. . . . 25c
 Extra quality 40 inch bleached cotton towels. 12 1-2c
 Extra heavy 38-inch Turkish towels, each. 12 1-2c
 Extra quality 40-inch mercerized cotton towels. 17 1-2c
 Extra quality 28-inch cotton towels, each. 7 1-2c
 Extra good 24-inch cotton towels, each. 5c
 58-inch mercerized table damask, per yard. 25c
 64-inch all pure linen table damask, worth 75c, yd. . . . 45c
 72-inch all pure linen table damask, worth \$1.00, yd. . . 75c
 Extra size bleached cotton napkins, per dozen. 45c
 19x19 bleached linen napkins, worth 1.00, per doz. . . . 75c
 22x22 bleached linen napkins, worth 1.75, per doz. . . . 1.25
 Extra quality 81-inch counterpane, worth 1.00, each. . . 75c
 Full size and weight counterpane, worth 1.35, each. . . 1.00
 Extra quality fringed counterpane, cut corners, full size, worth 2.00, each. 1.50
 11-4 fringed counterpane, cut corners, worth 3.50. . . . 2.50

A Talk to the Live Ones

If you are one of those people who are alive to their own interests, if you believe that these are times when every one should save a part of his income, we are in a position to interest you and you should attend this

GREAT ANNUAL FALL SALE

Which has become an established feature of our business, eagerly anticipated by our many friends and patrons.

Beginning Oct. 8th and Continuing Until Nov. 12th

Our buyer has returned from the principal markets of the East, where for thirty days he was engaged in selecting our fall and winter stocks. Our purchases were larger than usual and were selected with extraordinary care from the best and most exclusive lines shown by the big Eastern wholesalers. They are better than ever before, because the offerings were better and larger, and our mammoth purchases represent all that is latest and best in the new things for the coming season. Every item is strictly right in quality, correct in style, perfect in workmanship and bought at a figure that enables us to show you a *clean cut saving on every purchase you make.*

The items and prices quoted on this page will give you an idea of the many money-saving opportunities offered in this great sale. We invite you to inspect our goods and compare our goods and prices with those offered you elsewhere and then you can fully appreciate the magnitude of these offerings.

All the Very Best Standard Calicoes, per yard - - - 5 Cents

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- Extra heavy yard wide brown domestic, per yd.6c
- Very best, heaviest yard wide brown domestic.7c
- Good quality bleached domestic, free of starch.5c
- Better quality bleached domestic, free of starch.7c
- Very best Lonsdale yard wide bleached domestic.10c
- Extra quality fancy mattress tick, per yd.7c
- Very best quality mattress tick, per yd.9c
- Very best quality Amoskeag A. C. A. feather tick.14c
- Good heavy round thread cotton checks, per yd.7c
- Very best quality chevot checks, per yd.7c
- Best pepperell 10-4 unbleached sheeting, per yd.29c
- Best pepperell 10-4 bleached sheeting, per yd.25c
- Good quality unbleached cotton flannel, per yd.6c
- Very best heaviest unbleached cotton flannel, worth 12c per yard.9c
- Extra quality bleached cotton flannel, per yd.10c
- All the very best and heaviest Amoskeag dress style outtings, per yard.8c
- Good quality staple check gingham, per yd.6c
- Very best Amoskeag apron check gingham.7c
- Best Diamond Hill yard-wide cambric finish.9c
- Very best standard table oil cloth, worth 25c, per yd.18c

Men's Wool Overshirts.

Sample lot men's \$2.00 quality wool overshirts, medium weight, all colors, size 14 to 17, at each. \$1.50

Dress Goods.

This section of our store given over to the display of fall dress goods is replete with suggestions. It abounds with fresh, attractive, captivating fabrics with rich colorings and weaves that you will appreciate and ought to see. Novelty colors in a wide variety of rich effects are here, also stunning weaves in worsteds, fine diagonals, whip cords, etc., for two and three piece suits and dressy costumes.

A complete line of imported French serges, French tafeta poplins, whip cords and Scotch effects in all the leading shades, worth \$1.25 to \$1.50 per yard. \$1.00

\$1.50 quality 54-inch broad cloth, all colors, during this sale at, per yard. \$1.00

38-inch black taffeta silk, every yard guaranteed, worth \$1.25 per yard, sale price. 85c

\$1.00 quality 27-inch heavy black satin at per yd. 85c

75c quality fancy striped mohair, 38-inch, all colors. 50c

38-inch fancy striped batiste in light blue, white and tan, worth 75c per yard, at. 50c

75c quality solid color brillantines, full 38 inches wide, colors: black, brown, navy and white, per yd. 45c

Complete line of colors in changeable silks, worth 75c, at per yard. 40c

50c quality light weight, soft finish wash silks at. 35c

52 inch storm serges, all colors, per yard. 35c

All the new and staple shades in solid and fancy striped poplins at per yard. 25c

1000 yards 36-inch wash suitings, all colors, worth 25c per yard, at. 22c and 15c

15c quality fancy Scotch corsets, per yard. 10c

Men and Boys' Furnishings.

100 dozen men's negligee shirts, in sizes 14 to 17, all nice, snappy patterns, new goods, equal to any 75c shirt on the market, our price during this sale. 45c

Men's heavy ribbed undershirts. 25c

50c quality men's extra heavy fleeced undershirts. 2.00

Shoes.

Do you buy shoes on their looks alone or on their merit as well? When you buy our shoes you get both looks and merit. Our shoes are shoes with a conscience—honest all through. You don't have to take our word for it, you can find out by actual experience. We handle none but the very best—shoes that have a splendid past, a splendid present and a splendid future.

Note below a few of our many specials:

Complete line sizes and styles in Edwin Clapp shoes for men and Selby shoes for ladies in both button and lace.

Entire stock Crossett \$4.00 and \$5.00 high grade shoes for men during this sale at, per pair. 3.50

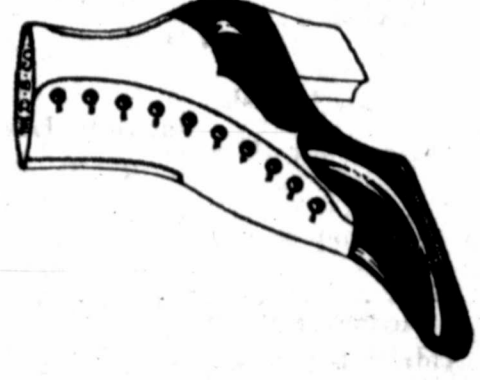
Entire stock of Crossett and Crawford \$3.50 high grade shoes for men during this sale at, per pair. 2.95

One lot men's patent coil blucher, sizes 6 to 11, genuine welts, worth \$3.50, per pair. 2.50

Complete line men's vici and box calf shoes, as good as any \$3.00 goods, per pair. 2.50

Men's vici kid shoes, cap toe blucher, sizes 6 to 11, worth \$2.50, per pair. 2.00

Men's genuine box calf shoes, cap toe blucher, sizes 6 to 11, worth \$2.50, per pair. 2.00



Clothing—New Fall Models.

The correct clothes as will be worn by the best-dressed gentlemen of the social and business world are here, new fall models designed by master tailors. We cordially invite you to see this immense line, for we know you will be interested because it means to you HIGH GRADE CLOTHES AT MODERATE PRICES. We have models for every form and figure and every man's pocket book.

125 Schloss Bros. suits for men, sizes 33 to 46, in all the new up-to-date patterns and styles for slim, medium or stout figures, worth \$18.50 to \$25.00, your choice during this sale for. 15.00

Men's blue serge suits, both slims and stouts, sizes 34 to 42, worth \$15.00, for. 12.50

Men's heavy black worsted suits with dainty stripes, all sizes, regular \$15.00 values, at. 12.50

Men's heavy gray all wool suits, 1910 models, all sizes, regular \$15.00 goods, at. 12.50

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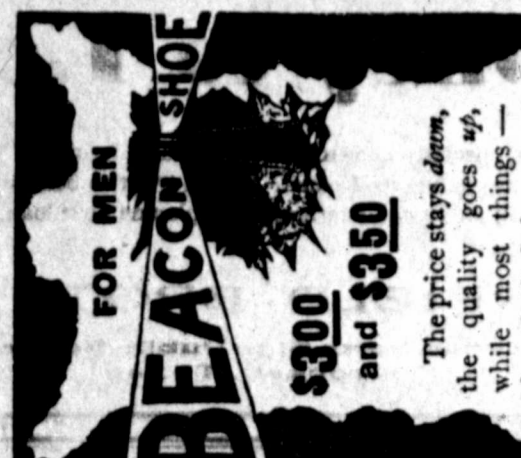
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