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## JAPANESE PAY LESS FOR STEEL

GOVERNOR MARSHALL, AT SPRINGFIELD, ILL., SAYS DIFFERENCE IS 50 PER CENT.

Democratic Candidate for Vice President Asserts Present Schedules Have Produced Monopolies.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 18.—Here, in the early home of Abraham Lincoln, Governor Thomas Marshall of Indiana, democratic vice presidential candidate, in a speech in the armory declared that the martyred president was a democrat at heart.

"In every heart throb Abraham Lincoln was a democrat, although he may never have voted the democratic ticket," said Governor Marshall, who declared that it was not a man's station in life that determined his politics, but his attitude toward his fellowman.

"Lincoln was essentially a lover of his fellows," the governor said, "and he preached the doctrine of the brotherhood of man."

He said this government as now conducted was not a government founded on the doctrine of the brotherhood of man, but was government for the benefit of the few. He then gave his views of government for the benefit of the special interests, saying in part:

"The tariff schedules of this country, which produced the trusts and monopolies, have been enacted by a species of log rolling and the never-ending changes in these schedules are helping one man and harming another without right. This produces the real cause of unrest in business conditions.

The manufacturer is coming to realize that it is his interest to have peace and certainty and to have his business divorced from the tinkering of government; that the sum of the benefit to one man has been equaled by the sum of injury to others; that the legislation has been local in its character.

"People have laughed over the article in a September magazine on an industry wherein a trust magnate procured a tariff duty of 32c on single bananas in order that Jimmie might build glass houses on the barren farms of New England and raise bananas.

"But the exaggeration was not so ridiculous after all. Very much the same thing has been done. An Indian got under the Payne-Aldrich umbrella because he could not raise pineapples without assistance. Every fever-stricken child must pay more for a pineapple than this man may be enabled to raise them. The lemon growers of California obtained 1/2c per pound tariff on lemons and thereby closed the mills at Bangor, Maine, which turned out the material for lemon boxes, as the Italian lemon grower retaliated on the box manufacturers. A boost for a big man under this system has always been a knock for the little fellow.

"Once inoculate man with the right of special privilege and it goes into every drop of his blood. He thinks he is perfectly justified in taking it wherever he can get it

and legislators think they are equally justified in giving it whenever it is asked. Take this example, if you please, of the virtue that is in our system: Under republican rule in the state of Maine the Bangor & Aroostook railroad paid \$100,000 a year taxes. By legislative authority \$95,000 of this money was rebated to the railroad under condition that the railroad should haul the troops of Maine free of charge in the event of war with Canada. Under the democratic administration this graft stopped and the railroad was told that in the event of war regular rates would be paid for the transportation of troops.

"Special privilege will not treat its own people as decently as it treats others. The United States Steel Corporation sold its armor plate at Portsmouth, England, for the Japanese navy at 50 per cent of the price it charged the United States government and I don't blame it for doing so. A government that hands an industry a bludgeon with which to knock down its own citizens ought, itself, to be knocked down. This is one bit of easy money that I do not begrudge the United States Steel Corporation.

"The control of the trusts by standpatter and progressive, as proposed by their platforms, is practically the same. From the text of their platforms no sermon can be preached that does not praise the protective system, which is responsible, in large part, for the high cost of living, for the levying of a tribute of \$100 a year off of every man, woman and child in America for the benefit of the trust magnate and for the destitution and hopelessness of the working man's condition.

"The real fight between the standpatter and progressive is not at Armageddon—it is here and now; the real fight is to determine which shall be the scapegoat to carry the sins of the party into the wilderness of forgetfulness."

Governor Marshall ended his first campaign tour here and will return to Indiana.

## BIG CROWDS AT EAST TEXAS FAIR.

Day Opened at Nacogdoches With Street Parade—Exhibits Better than Ever.

Nacogdoches, Texas, Sept. 18.—The third annual fair of the East Texas Fair association opened today with a big street parade and very large attendance. Exhibits much larger and more varied than ever before, several new features being added. The agricultural exhibits were especially fine. The race program consists of five races each day.

Results this afternoon: 2:20 pace, half mile, best three in five—Springdale won, Hal Geers second, Major Mack third. Time, 1:05.

2:30 trot, half mile—Jim Motley won, Richard Coke second, Senator Hanger third. Time, 1:13 1/4.

Five-eighths of a mile, running—Lucile Cayuca won, Novgroh second, Wise Hand third. Time, 1:01.

Half mile, running—Bird won, Abrupt second, Quick third. Time, :52.

Quarter mile, running—Mamie D. won, Rat second, Billie third. Time, :24.

## U. C. V. REUNION MEETS IN CLEBURNE

CITY MAKING EXTENSIVE PREPARATIONS TO ENTERTAIN VISITORS.

One of the Features to Be a Big Sham Battle Between Regulars and Ex-Confederates.

The annual state reunion of the United Confederate Veterans will be held at Cleburne on the 3rd and 4th of October, and that city is making very extensive preparations to entertain a large number of the Confederates, their families and friends. Many thousands of visitors are expected on this occasion.

One of the principal features of the program will be a big sham battle between the ex-Confederates and regulars. Arrangements have already been made for this, and the details are being worked out. It is proposed to give a vivid exhibition of a real battle.

The two days program will be carried out at the beautiful Lovelady Park, and the Cleburne Street Railway System has agreed to give special car service in order to accommodate the crowds. Plenty of water, shade and ample grounds will be found at the park for the old soldiers.

They will also be given free entertainment while in the city and cared for in every particular as befits a gallant Confederate soldier. Everything is being done to make their stay pleasant and comfortable in Cleburne.

Cleburne is very easily reached by rail, and all railroads in Texas will give low rates for this event. Cleburne can be reached by the Santa Fe, M. K. & T., T. & B. V. and Fort Worth-Cleburne interurban, cars of the latter running back and forth every hour.

Any information will be gladly furnished by the entertainment committee, and parties desiring such should address Reunion Entertainment Committee, Cleburne, Texas.

## COTTON SELLS FOR 25 CENTS.

Long Staple Brings Fancy Price on the Streets of Clarksville—Another Bale for 24 Cents.

Clarksville, Texas, Sept. 20.—For the first time during the present season long staple cotton sold today on the streets of Clarksville for 25c per pound. One bale today sold at 24c by John McLennon, making the fourth bale to sell at that price here during the past week.

## Rally Day.

Next Sunday has been set aside as rally day for Sunday schools of every denomination in Texas. In order that we may hold in commemoration this day special union services for all Sunday schools are to be held at the Methodist church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Dr. P. W. Horn of Houston, superintendent of the Houston public schools, will deliver an instructive address upon some phase of Sunday school work. A pleasing musical program will be a special feature of the evening's service.

Form your plans now to make

next Sunday the best rally day ever known in Crockett. Rally day will be observed also in the Sunday school and at the morning services.

Lend a hand and help, Rally Day!

Make your influence felt, Rally Day!

Ask your parents to come out, And see what it's all about, Rally Day!

Teachers, hunt up absentees, Rally Day!

Hustle like the busy bees, Rally Day!

Let your record be complete, And your motto, "No retreat," Rally Day!

So we urge you all to come, Rally Day!

Parents, friends and everyone, Rally Day!

Though weather be foul or fair, Resolve that you'll be there, Rally Day!

L. Meriwether,  
Sup't Christian S. School.  
J. A. Bricker,  
Sup't Baptist Sunday School.  
A. A. Aldrich,  
Sup't Presbyterian S. School.  
Leroy L. Moore,  
Sup't Methodist S. School.

## Stole Some Harness.

Charged with burglary, Gent Riley, a negro well known about town, was arrested by Sheriff Phillips Monday morning. Gent is accused of stealing and disposing of a set of carriage harness belonging to H. L. Morrison, the theft constituting burglary because a house was entered. The harness was sold to George Washington, a colored preacher. Monday morning George drove his horse to town rigged in Mr. Morrison's harness when the harness, which had been missing for several days, was discovered and identified. Washington said he bought the harness from Riley and the arrest followed. It is said that other harness has been missing about town.

To prevent pneumonia, a cold settled in the lungs should be attended to at once. Put a Herrick's red pepper porous plaster on the chest and take Ballard's Horehound Syrup internally. It's a winning combination. Buy the dollar size Horehound Syrup; you get a porous plaster free with each bottle. Sold by I. W. Sweet.

## FRATERNAL DAY AT

NACOGDOCHES FAIR.

Program at East Texas Gathering Opened With Big Parade of Floats—Good Racing Cards.

Nacogdoches, Texas, Sept. 19.—The second day of the East Texas fair was fraternal day and the biggest crowd of the fair was in town. The program opened with a parade of decorated floats of fraternal orders. A special program was carried out at the fair grounds. The judges of the several departments have been busy all day making the awards. The exhibits are more than twice as large as last year in every department.

Results of the races this afternoon:

First race, free-for-all pace, best three in five, half-mile heats—Bobby Good, Foote Star, Lucy T. V. Time, 1:06.

Free legged pace, best two in three, mile heats—General Alcyon, Charles Bowers, Twinkle Light. Time, 2:28.

Five-eighths mile, running—Lucile Cayuca, Novgroh, Wise Hand. Time, 1 minute flat.

Half mile, running—Bird, Abrupt, Little Broom. Time, :51.

One-fourth mile, running—Rat, Lola Willis, Charles Bird. Time, :25.

Three-eighths mile, running; special match by owners—George Washington, Mamie D. Time, :25.

## Record Crowd Attended Fair.

Nacogdoches, Texas, Sept. 20.—Today was Nacogdoches day at the fair. Stores in the city closed for the afternoon and a record crowd was out. Results of the races:

Free for all trot, three in five heats—Frank Parsons won; Loom-Up, second; Jim Motley, third. Time, 1:07.

2:25 pace, three in five heats—Kentucky Rosewood won; Dr. Al, Major Mack, Bell Tod, tied for second. Time, 1:05.

Five-eighths of a mile, running—Lucile K. won; Kansas Ida, second; Moselle, third. Time, 1:02.

Half-mile, running—Abrupt won; Bird, second, Quick, third. Time, :52.

Two-year-old, running, quarter mile—Pickpocket won; Anna, second; Ben Bolt, third. Time, :28.

Special, one-fourth mile, running—Mamie D. won; Miss Lola, second; Billie, third.

### MRS. BRICKER

WILL HAVE HER

## Fall Opening September 26 and 27



Every lady is cordially invited to attend this opening

### JAPANESE BOOK PAPER.

This Wonderful Product is Made by Hand From Plant Fibers.

The Japanese paper which has been found so useful in the making of books that would, if ordinary book paper were used, be too bulky for convenient handling is a distinct variety, having little in common with the American made product. It has a strength of fiber that cannot be produced here, and, as it is handmade, it is more costly than any other kind. This paper is made from the bark of certain Japanese plants, which is cut up into strips, some of which may be a yard long. These strips are then tied up into bundles and put to soak in a weak solution of lye, by which they are softened sufficiently to be worked without breaking.

The real work of making the paper then begins. The strips of bark are laid flat and separated into fine fibers with a special form of mallet, and this step in the process is so carefully done that the fibers obtained are much longer than those produced in a pulpmaking machine. When the fibers have been separated they are spread out on a sieve. By shaking the mass in the sieve the fibers are swelled out and drained of lye. The Japanese do not use the animal glue found in American papers and which has such a rank odor, but employ instead a cement obtained from the roots of one of their native plants.

When the fibers have been drained and settled down in the sieve and the cement is introduced the pulp is spread on a board with a soft instrument and rubbed down and to the desired thickness perhaps thinness would be word. The board with its pulp is then put out to dry, and when this has been accomplished the sheet of paper peels off the board as a sheet of remarkably tough paper. The Japanese use this sort of paper instead of window glass. It is also twisted into threads of great strength, which are used in embroidery and other kinds of ornamentation. The native painters, owing to its porosity, find it specially adapted to their colors, and it is unsurpassed for writing on with india ink.—New York Sun.

#### A Vicious Letter Writer.

The famous Dr. Andrew Bell had a wife who, after exhausting all her ingenuity in making him miserable, finally left him. She then began writing him long letters filled with personal abuse and when she found he did not take the trouble to open them took to abusing him on the envelope. One she addressed, "To that supreme of rogues, who looks the hangdog that he is, Dr. (such a doctor!) Andrew Bell." Another was thus pleasingly inscribed: "To that ape of apes and knave of knaves, Dr. Andrew Bell, who is recorded to have once paid a debt, but a small one you may be sure it was that he selected for this wonderful experiment—in fact, it was fourpence ha'penny. Had it been on the other side of sixpence he must have died before he could achieve so dreadful a sacrifice."—London Tatler.

#### A Soft Answer.

Sir Patrick Talbot was at one time sergeant-at-arms in the house of lords. He had been private secretary to the great Lord Derby when prime minister and afterward married one of his daughters. One day when a large party was present at Knowlsey Lord Derby burst out at table with the remark, "It's a curious thing one never knows what a lot of fools there are in England until one becomes prime minister." Thereupon Talbot, at the other end of the table, said, "Yes, and one never knows what a fool a prime minister may be until one becomes his private secretary." Lord Derby's reply was, "Thank you, Pat."—Dundee Advertiser.

#### Measuring Distance by the Pipe.

In the rural parts of Schleswig-Holstein people do not measure distance by miles, as we do, or by hours, as in other parts of Germany. They say that a place is a pipe, or two pipes, or three pipes off, according to the number of pipes one could smoke while walking there. Shorter distances are reckoned by dogs' barks. A village under a mile away would be "Zwei oder drei hunds' blaef"—"Two or three dogs' barks."—London Chronicle.

#### Sheridan's Trap.

An interruption while he was making a speech always caused Richard Brinsley Sheridan considerable annoyance. On one occasion the dramatist showed his displeasure of a fellow member of the house of commons who kept crying out "Hear, hear" every few minutes. During a certain debate Sheridan took occasion to describe a political contemporary who wished to play a rogue, but had only sense enough to act fool. "Where," exclaimed he, with great emphasis—"where shall we find a more foolish knave or a more knavish fool than he?" "Hear, hear," was shouted by the troublesome member.

Sheridan turned and, thanking the honorable member for the prompt information, sat down amid a general roar of laughter.

#### A Bit of a Blow.

"I suppose you have encountered worse gales than this?" asked an inquisitive passenger of the sailor man during a very moderate bit of a blow.

"This yere ain't a gale," responded the salt. "Why, I was onct in the bay o' Biscay when the wind blew all the paint off the bulwarks. It took four on us to 'old the captain's 'at on 'is 'ead, and even then all the ankers was blown off 'is buttons. That was a blow for yer. Why, even?"

But by this time the curious passenger realized that he was being gayed, and he did not give the imaginative tar the chance of finishing his interesting narrative.

#### Origin of Texts.

The custom of taking a text as the basis of a sermon originated with Ezra, who, accompanied by several Levites in a public congregation of men and women, ascended a pulpit, opened the book of the law and, after a prayer, "read in the book in the law of God distinctly and gave the sense and caused them to understand the reading." Previous to the time of Ezra the patriarchs delivered in public assemblies either prophecies or moral instructions, and it was not until the return of the Jews from the Babylonish captivity, during which they had almost lost the language in which the Pentateuch was written, that it became necessary to explain as well as to read the Scriptures to them.

#### Hats in Mexico.

In Mexico and other Spanish speaking countries the hat has for centuries been the object of man's vanity. The custom found its origin in the days when the Hapsburg power was supreme. One of the most cherished privileges that the old grandees enjoyed was that of wearing their hats in the presence of royalty. The absolute power of the monarch left them little else to do but enter into rivalry with one another in regard to the splendor of their head coverings. The gay conceit spread rapidly throughout the Spanish dominions, and even today characteristic sugarloaf hats may be found in Mexico for sale at the astounding price of from \$500 to \$1,000 for a single hat.

#### Genesis of the Lightning Rod.

The first lightning rod was not constructed by Franklin nor set up in America, but by a monk at Seuttenberg, Bohemia, named Prohop Dilwisch. His apparatus was made and put together during the spring and summer of the year 1754 and was first set up in the garden of the cure of Prenditz, Moravia, on June 15 of the year above named. The rod attained as much distinction as that later made by Franklin and was the cause of the inventor being presented with much money and large estates. His enemies claimed that the rod was the cause of the great drought of 1757, 1758 and 1759, and upon the matter being reported to Vienna it was ordered to be taken down.

#### Wooden Shoes in Holland.

"The wooden shoe," said a native of Holland, "is worn almost exclusively by the peasantry, and they find them more comfortable than the leather shoes that are worn in America. The foot is clad in a heavy woolen stocking and then slipped into the shoe without fastening. They never fall off because the people are used to wearing them. They would not exchange, because any other kind would not be comfortable. The shoes are of elm wood and cost from 10 to 15 cents of American money. Two pairs will last a year."

#### She Paid the Price—a Lesson.

There was something more than the mere passing of a human soul into the great beyond involved in the death by her own hand of the white wife of Jack Johnson, the negro pugilist.

The whole affair—the marriage, the living together, the association in such a relation of a white woman and a negro, especially such a negro, the ending of the life of the woman—was all a dire, deep, dark, revolting tragedy, and from which there is a lesson to be learned.

The woman seems to have had some education and to have been once married to a white man of some measure of respectability. She seems to have had sufficient sensibility left to realize the sense of her own degradation—and it is surprising, astounding, that she ever even permitted the negro to approach her in such a way.

When she married Johnson she crossed a line she could never again recross. She placed herself in a position from which escape was impossible. She took a step she could never retrace. She descended into depths from which she could never rise.

Ostracized by her own race, despised by her husband's race, no wonder that her transgression of a heaven-ordained law and of the unwritten law of a long-established social system found its expiation in death as the only deliverance from a position of degradation and humiliation too deep to be fathomed, too fearful to be borne.

It is to be hoped that the tragedy will teach the people in every state in which intermarriages between negroes and whites is permitted a lesson.

It is one sorely needed to be taught. Tariffs, trusts, combinations in restraint of trade, reactionaries and progressives and the currency reform all dwindle into insignificance when compared with the importance of keeping pure the blood of the Anglo-Saxon and preventing the breeding of a hybrid race—with the vices of both sides of the progenitors and the virtues of neither.

There have been many such fools as was she who married Johnson, but the record has not revealed that any of them have had sufficient perception of the social instinct or sufficient appreciation of the infamy of their action to lead them to deliver themselves from the bondage of so gross and great a sin.

That Johnson's wife did possess such measure of sensitiveness and sensibility shows that she deserved a better fate. She paid the price. The wages of sin is death. If her death arouses public sentiment to such an extent as to make such marriages impossible she will not have died in vain.—Houston Chronicle.

#### \$80,000,000.00 Lost Annually By Wage Earners.

Dr. Sadler estimates that about \$80,000,000.00 in wages is lost annually to the American people as a direct result of colds. Lost time means lost wages and doctoring is expensive. Use Foley's Honey and Tar Compound promptly. It will stop the cough, and heal and soothe the sore and inflamed air passages. I. W. Sweet.

#### Digestion and Assimilation.

It is not the quantity of food taken but the amount digested and assimilated that gives strength and vitality to the system. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and enable them to perform their functions naturally.—For sale by all dealers.

"I have a world of confidence in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for I have used it with perfect success," writes Mrs. M. I. Basford, Poolesville, Md. For sale by all dealers.

# E. D. Lockey's Gin Now Ready

I HAVE bought the Round Bale Gin plant in Crockett, and have thoroughly overhauled the same, putting in much new machinery, including air-blast instead of brushes, which is the latest method of handling cotton. It prevents knapping and increases sample very materially. My cleaning machinery is second to none in the state. I have installed an

### Up-to-Date Square Bale Press

and am now ready to put your cotton up in square bales. In a few days will have the round bale press ready for operation, and then can give you a round or square bale either, and, most assuredly, at all times a square deal. It will not harm you to investigate my methods and give me a trial. This is all the business I have to attend to and expect to give it my personal attention. Have had twenty years' experience in the gin business. I will pay the highest price for cotton seed at all times, and in a few days will be prepared to buy any cotton you may desire to put up in round bales, and hope to offer you some attractive prices.

### Come to See Me

# E. D. LOCKEY

# H. Asher

wishes to announce that he has the finest and cheapest line of

### Shoes and Clothing

that he has ever had, including ladies and children's shoes, both lace and button. He can save you money.

Store closed from 5:30 p. m. Friday to 5:30 p. m. Saturday, account of Jewish New Year.

Try buying advertised things and see how much your shopping gains in zest, interest and profit.

"One step won't take you very far—  
You got to keep on walking;  
One word won't tell folks what you are—  
You've got to keep on talking;  
One inch won't make you very tall—  
You've got to keep on growing;  
One little ad won't do it all—  
You've got to keep 'em going."

**FOLEY'S KIDNEY PILLS** **FOLEY'S KIDNEY PILLS**  
FOR BACKACHE, RHEUMATISM AND BLADDER

## 13 AVIATORS KILLED IN 21 DAYS.

RECORD TO DATE FOR 1912 SHOWS 78 DEATHS AGAINST 73 FOR 1911.

Statistics Show Further That Science of Aerial Navigation Has so Far Claimed 188 Souls.

Paris, September 21.—A brilliant month in aviation, but the most tragic since the heavier-than-air craft were discovered, was the verdict of the Aero Club tonight, summing up the events thus far in September.

Since September 1 13 aviators have been killed and three records have been broken. Military men have acknowledged that war has been revolutionized by the aeroplane.

The record of deaths is as follows:

September 6—Captain Patrick Hamilton and Lieutenant Stewart killed by the fall of an aeroplane at St. Eves, during the British army maneuvers.

September 10—Lieutenant C. A. Bettington and E. Hotchkiss killed by fall of aeroplane at Wolvercote.

Colonel Stever killed by fall of his aeroplane near Munich during Bavarian army maneuvers. Probably caught in air-pocket.

September 11—Lieutenant Seibert killed by aeroplane near Dresden during the imperial German army maneuvers. Machine buckled in the wind.

Paul Peck killed at Cicero Field, Chicago, by fall of aeroplane during an exhibition flight.

M. Nikaramanlak is drowned by fall of his hydroplane into the sea during a flight from Athens to Patras.

September 14—Howard W. Gill killed in collision of aeroplane with George Mestach at Cicero Field, Chicago, during exhibition flight.

September 20—Russell Blair killed by fall of aeroplane during exhibition flight at Shenandoah, Iowa.

Today Lieutenants Berger and Junghaus killed by an aeroplane fall near Freiburg, during cross-country flight at Berlin.

J. D. Astley killed by aeroplane fall at Belfast, Ireland, during exhibition flight.

The Aero Club's records show that 78 aviators have been killed this year as compared with 73 for all of 1911. Since aviation began 188 have been killed.

### BRYAN SLAPS PRESIDENT.

Says He Is Aristocrat by Birth and Early Environment.

Pueblo, Col., Sept. 17.—W. J. Bryan, speaking here today, referred to President Taft as "an aristocrat by birth and early environment" and said that later associations with the interests had "developed his aristocracy."

Colonel Roosevelt's plan to regulate the corporations, Mr. Bryan said, "is a step toward socialism" and "would give the predatory interests still more powerful incentive to enter politics."

### Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of D. O. Warren, deceased, Unknown heirs of John McIver, deceased, unknown heirs of Sim Hopkins, deceased, and John F. Butts, Amanda E. Butts, A. D. McBryde, Mary S. McBryde and Chancey Stone, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county to your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston county, to be held at the Court House of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1912, the same being the 7th day of October, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of July, A. D. 1912, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court 5401, wherein W. B. Cochran is plaintiff, and Lee Warren, J. D. McIver, Bruno Durst, and the unknown heirs of D. O. Warren, deceased, unknown heirs of John McIver, deceased, unknown heirs of Sim Hopkins, deceased, John F. Butts, Amanda E. Butts, A. D. McBryde, Mary S. McBryde and Chancey Stone are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the following described tract of land, situated in Houston county, Texas, same being 112 3-5 acres, more or less, of the John Durst grant of three leagues and eighteen labors, on Trinity river, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a corner made for R. A. Calhoun on the north bank of Rackards' creek, stake from which a P O 30 in. brs —41 E 10 2-5 vrs, a burr oak 18 in. brs—5 2-5 vrs. Thence down the north bank of said creek 547 vrs to N E corner of Nelson's survey. Thence with north line of Nelson's survey S 55 1/2 W 1064 vrs. Thence N. 72 W 500 vrs to stake, locust 6 in. brs S 62 W 4 1/2 vrs. Thence N 73 W 137 vrs to stake at Calhoun's corner, locust 10 in. brs S 87 E 4 2-5 vrs, mckd X. Thence N 52 E 1524 vrs to place of beginning. Plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, under title, color of title and deeds duly registered for periods of three, five and ten years, respectively, and specially pleads the three, five and ten years Statutes of Limitation in bar of any adverse claim to said land. Plaintiff further alleges the defendant, Bruno Durst, claims an interest in said land through a conveyance alleged to have been executed by D. O. Warren; that J. D. McIver claims an interest in said land by virtue of a conveyance from J. H. Park; that D. O. Warren claims an interest in said land by virtue of a conveyance from Harriet Durst, as administratrix of the estate of John Durst, to Sim Hopkins and D. O. Warren; that defendants, John F. Butts, Amanda E. Butts, A. D. McBryde, Mary S. McBryde and Chancey Stone claim an interest in said land by reason of the fact that vendor's lien was retained on said land in deed from said defendants to J. R. McIver and failure of record to show the payment of said notes; that any other and further claims of any of said defendants in and to said property are unknown to plaintiff. Plaintiff prays that citation issue and for judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom, substituting any and all missing instruments and for such other and further orders and decrees as plaintiff may be entitled to and for general and special relief.

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

Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the District Court of Houston county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, this the 29th day of July, A. D. 1912.

J. B. STANTON,  
Clerk District Court, Houston county.

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The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Roman de la Garza, deceased, the unknown heirs of Samuel Williams, deceased, unknown heirs of J. J. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of Mahala L. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of John L. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of Virginia A. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of Joseph N. Craddock, deceased; and T. B. Tunstall, R. L. Haynes, T. J. Clark, W. D. Grimes, B. F. Temple and J. H. Leaverton, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county to your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston county, to be held at the Court House of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1912, the same being the 7th day of October, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of July, A. D. 1912, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 5399, wherein Geo. E. Calhoun is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of Roman de la Garza, deceased, unknown heirs of Samuel Williams, deceased, unknown heirs of J. J. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of Mahala L. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of John L. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of Virginia A. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of Joseph N. Craddock, deceased; and T. B. Tunstall, R. L. Haynes, T. J. Clark, W. D. Grimes, B. F. Temple and J. H. Leaverton are defendants, and said petition alleging that the plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the following described tract or parcel of land, situated in Houston county, Texas, on Elkhart Creek, about 12 miles N W from Crockett, same being a part of the Roman de la Garza 1 1/2 league grant, and being out of sections Nos. two, three, eighteen, nineteen and twenty, according to the subdivision plan of said grant, and containing 1102 1/2 acres, more or less, and bounded as follows: Beginning on the S B line of section No. 1, which is the N B line of section No. 20, 594 vrs from the S W corner of section No. 1 and the N W corner of section No. 20. Thence S 55 W 1657 vrs to corner in the north line of section 19; thence north 35 west 531 vrs to corner. Thence N 55 E 531 vrs to corner in Nat Walker's line. Thence N 35 W 153 vrs to corner. Thence N. E. corner. Thence S 55 W 1368 vrs to stake in W B line of section 2, two black jacks mckd X, containing same course 950 vrs, in all 2318 vrs to corner, 2 black jacks mckd X. Thence S 35 E 617 vrs to corner in the S B line of section 3, a R O 10 in. mckd X brs N 63 W 6 vrs, a P O 6 in. brs N 42 E 3 vrs. Thence N 55 E 164 vrs to corner 2 black jacks mckd X. Thence S 33 1/2 E 1006 vrs to corner in the north bank of little Elkhart creek at the old gin ford. Thence up said creek with its meanders S 74 E 280 vrs, N 85 E 140 vrs, N 86 1/2 E 467 vrs to a stake in the east boundary line of section 18 where Elkhart creek crosses same. Thence N 35 E 448 vrs to corner in the division line between sections 18 and 19. Thence N 55 E 1100 1/2 vrs to corner. Thence S 35 E 778 vrs to corner in the S B line of section No. 19. Thence N 55 E with the S B line of sections Nos. 19 and 20 1472 vrs to a corner in the S B line of section 20. Thence N 35 W 1900 vrs to the place of beginning; plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for periods of five and ten years, respectively, and the plaintiff specially pleads the five and ten years Statutes of Limitation in bar of any claims asserted by the defendants, and the plaintiff sets out in his original petition all the deeds and other instruments under and by virtue of which he claims title to said land. Plaintiff alleges that there is no deed now of record out of said R. de la Garza conveying said property to any one, but that said property was conveyed by said R. de la Garza to J. J. Hall; that both said deed and the record thereof have been destroyed by fire and upon trial secondary evidence will be offered of the contents and existence of said deed; plaintiff further alleges that there is no deed on record to E. F. Tubb conveying said property, nor to J. H. Mills, conveying said property, which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title; that the defendant, T. J. Clark, conveyed a part of said property to plaintiff and retained the vendor's lien to secure the payment of note which has been fully paid; that the defendant, H. M. Walker, conveyed a part of said property to plaintiff and retained a lien to secure the payment of notes which have been paid; that the defendant, W. D. Grimes, conveyed a part of said property to plaintiff and retained a lien to said notes which have been paid; that R. H. Berry executed a deed of trust on a part of said property to secure the payment of one note which has been paid; that the defendant, B. F. Temple, conveyed a part of said property to T. J. Temple and that T. J. Temple conveyed a part of same to D. W. Zimmerman in both of which deeds liens were retained to secure the payment of notes which have been paid, and that the defendant, J. H. Leaverton conveyed a part of said property to James and W. H. O'Connell, and that the lien was retained to secure the payment of notes therein specified which have been long paid off and discharged, and by reason of the fact that no releases of any of said liens have been executed a cloud is cast on plaintiff's title and plaintiff prays that citation issue, removing all clouds and for general and special relief.

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

Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the District Court of Houston county.

Given under my hand and the seal of

"One step won't take you very far—

You got to keep on walking;

One word won't tell folks what you are—

You've got to keep on talking;

One inch won't make you very tall—

You've got to keep on growing;

One little ad won't do it all—

You've got to keep 'em going."

said Court, at office in Crockett, this the 29th day of July, A. D. 1912.

J. B. STANTON,  
Clerk District Court, Houston County.

### Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of John Edens, deceased, unknown heirs of Alford Edens, deceased, unknown heirs of W. W. Taylor, deceased, and unknown heirs of Ellen Taylor, deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks, previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county to your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston county, to be held at the Court House of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1912, the same being the 7th day of October, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of July, A. D. 1912, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 5398, wherein G. C. Little, is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of John Edens, deceased, unknown heirs of Alford Edens, deceased, unknown heirs of W. W. Taylor, deceased, and unknown heirs of Ellen L. Taylor, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the following described tract or parcel of land, situated in Houston county, Texas, same being 331 acres, more or less, and known as Lot No. Eleven out of the subdivision of the John Edens league, on Elkhart creek, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the N W corner of said league, Thence S 60 E with stake N B line of the league 1687 vrs to stake, the N W corner of lot No. 4, from which a post oak 13 in. brs S 55 E 9 vrs and a hickory 10 in. brs S 74 1/2 W 6 1/2 vrs. Thence S 30 W 1110 vrs to stake in the N E corner of lot No. 10, from which a hickory 3 in. brs S 63 E 1 vara. Thence N 6 W with the N B line of said lot 1887 vrs to a stake in the west boundary of the league from which a hickory brs N 45 E 14 vrs. Thence N 30 E to place of beginning; plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same under deeds duly registered, paying all taxes thereon for a period of five years immediately preceding filing of this suit, and that plaintiff and those under whom he claims title to said land have held such possession for a period of more than ten years immediately preceding the filing of this suit; and plaintiff specially pleads the five and ten years Statutes of Limitation in bar of any adverse claims to said land. Plaintiff further alleges that there is no deed of record out of the said John Edens, original grantee, to any one, conveying said land, but alleges a partition thereof between the heirs of John Edens after his death and that above land was set apart in such partition to said Alford Edens, and that now there is nothing of record to show title into or out of said Alford Edens; plaintiff would further show that said land was conveyed by F. M. Jones to Ellen L. Taylor, wife of said W. W. Taylor, in year 1865, and that in 1879 said Ellen L. Taylor conveyed same to Dan P. Little, and alleges that if the said W. W. Taylor was living at the time of the execution of said deed, then same is defective, and all of which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title; that any other or further claims of any of said defendants in and to said property are unknown to plaintiff; plaintiff prays that citation issue, that he have judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom, and for such other and further orders and decrees in and to which he may be entitled.

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

Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the District Court of Houston county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, this the 29th day of July, A. D. 1912.

J. B. STANTON,  
Clerk District Court, Houston County.

### Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Elisha Clapp, and unknown heirs of J. R. Simpson, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county to your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston county, to be held at the Court House of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1912, the same being the 7th day of October, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1912, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 5403, wherein W. W. Latham is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of Elisha Clapp and unknown heirs of J. R. Simpson, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the following described tract of land, lying and being situated in Houston County, Texas, and being a part of the Elisha Clapp league, and also a part of the G. W. Rhone's 50 1/2 acre tract on said league, and described by field notes as follows: Beginning at a stake in the S. W. boundary line of said Clapp league S 35 E 1386 vrs from the N W corner of said league 30 vrs south of the Alabama road, a hickory 14 in. brs S 18 E 2 vrs. Thence N 55 E 625 vrs to stake on Geo. W. Rhone's N E boundary, a B J 6 in. brs S 48 E 1 vara; Do, 4 in. brs B 7 W 2 vrs. Thence S 35 E with Rhone's N E boundary line 2709 6-10 vrs to James Bynum's N E corner. Thence S 55 W with Bynum's line 625 vrs to his N W corner on J. H. Cummings' N E boundary. Thence N 55 W with Cummings' and Gossett's league line at 2709 6-10 vrs, the place of beginning, bearings marked X, and containing Three Hundred acres, more or less, less Sixty sold to Mac Elliott off the south end of said tract on the 28th of December, 1892, said sixty acres bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the N E corner of James Bynum's survey, Thence N 35 W at 942 vrs set stake for corner in prairie. Thence S 55 W 625 vrs set stake for corner. Thence S 35 E at 542 vrs stake for corner. Thence N 55 E at 625 vrs, set stake for corner, the place of beginning.

Plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, under deeds duly registered, paying all taxes due thereon, for a period of five years, between the years of 1865 and 1890; that plaintiff and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for a period of ten years between the said years of 1868 and 1890, and before the filing of this suit, and plaintiff specially pleads the five and ten years Statutes of Limitation in bar of any claim asserted by the defendants to plaintiff's title. Plaintiff would further show that there is no deed on record out of Elisha Clapp, the original grantee, conveying said property, that plaintiff has reason to believe that said property was conveyed by said Clapp; and that J. R. Simpson at one time conveyed said property to one E. L. Dorsett, the wife of Elijah Dorsett, one of plaintiff's remote vendors, but that said deed has been lost or destroyed, which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title. Wherefore plaintiff prays that citation issue in terms of the law, and that he have judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom, substituting all missing instruments and for general and special relief.

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

Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the District Court of Houston county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, this the 5th day of August, A. D. 1912.

J. B. STANTON,  
Clerk District Court, Houston County.

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### PUBLISHER'S NOTICE.

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### Texas the Natural Home of the Pecan.

Texas has one natural resource, common to every part of the state, which is not receiving as much attention as it should. A product that is as indigenous to Texas as its cotton. We refer to the sweet, richly flavored kernel, a species of the hickory nut, the pecan.

The pecan attains its largest size in Texas. It is a product that is available in every city of the world. It is as much enjoyed by the inhabitants of the tropics as by those of the temperate zones, and for its only constituency would no doubt be appreciated by the hardy sons of the Far North.

It can not, however, be successfully grown in every part of the country. Horticulturalists in the Northern States, particularly in Iowa, have endeavored to propagate the pecan tree and with certain success, though not in a commercial sense. This misfortune to northern growers should convince Texans of the appreciable qualities of the delicious, tasty and wholesome nut and call their attention to the veritable monopoly which Texas and parts of New Mexico enjoy in the production of probably the most appetizing of nut production.

The cultivation of the pecan tree in Texas is no theoretical pursuit. It is intensely practical. The trees do not require any particular attention more than any forest tree. They are good shade producers and afford all of the advantages of any tree for decorative purposes. But they must be planted and cared for during the early stages of growth. Unlike fruit trees they do not require spraying, nor are they so susceptible to insect attack. The very fact of their natural growth in Texas is proof that they withstand any of the ordinary dangers which beset fruit trees.

The pecan is not only pleasant to the taste, but is highly nutritious and is advised as a regular article of diet by students of food products. It has been stated that the eating of more nuts is preferable to so much meat; that proportionately less is required to supply the body with equal nutrition than of meat. Here may be a possible solution of the high cost of living. As the pecan can be grown in nearly every part of Texas even city dwellers may have profitable bearing nut trees to beautify property. One of the drawbacks is the length of time to bring the trees into bearing, but once fully matured it is a permanent income. The pecan has a market value. The more produced the more general will be its use. The supply now is not equal to the demand.

The opportunity is here and all who have even a parcel of land adaptable to the pecan tree should endeavor to set out at least a few of the trees. In this connection it may be found that Texas soil is likewise adaptable to the raising of other nuts which also have a high market value and a continual demand.—Houston Post.

### Dealing With Corner Loafers.

According to the Post: "Houston is getting along so well with its moral uplift movement that it is reported that a woman may walk as many as three or four blocks without being insulted by corner

loafers." While a woman may walk the streets of our little town at any hour of the day or night without fear of offense, which makes us love the little old burg, Houston is no worse than any other large city. In all of them the street loafing hoodlum is in evidence and his chief recreation seems to be to insult ladies by indecent, or at least careless, remarks. There is but one way to deal with him, and that is for some man (we mean man) who overhears him to promptly knock him down and then have him arrested besides. Nothing but a jail sentence should be his punishment; the longer the better.—La Grange Journal.

### Care in Serving Food.

Scrupulous neatness should always be observed in keeping, handling and serving food. If ever cleanliness is desirable, it must be in the things we eat, and every care should be taken to insure it for the sake of health as well as of decency.

Cleanliness in this connection means not only absence of visible dirt, but freedom from undesirable bacteria and other minute organisms, and from worms and other parasites. If food, raw or cooked, is kept in dirty places, peddled from dirty carts, prepared in dirty rooms and in dirty dishes, or exposed to foul air, diseased germs and other offensive and dangerous substances can easily get in.

Food and drink may, in fact, be very dangerous purveyors of disease. The bacteria of typhoid fever sometimes find their way into drinking water, and those of typhoid and scarlet fevers and diphtheria into milk, and bring sickness and death to large numbers of people.

Oysters which are taken from the salt water where they grow and "floated" for a short time in brackish water near the mouth of a stream have been known to be infected by typhoid fever germs brought into the stream by the sewerage from houses.

Celery or lettuce grown in soil containing typhoid germs has been thought to convey this disease.

### Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

(Real Estate).

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Houston county, on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1912, in the case of J. W. Hail versus C. W. Kline and J. B. Massie, No. 5351, and to me, as sheriff, directed and delivered, I have levied upon this 10th day of September, A. D. 1912, and will, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on the first Tuesday in November, A. D. 1912, it being the fifth day of said month, at the court house door of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which the said C. W. Kline had on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1912, or at any time thereafter, of, in and to the following described property, to-wit: Being fifty acres of land out of the David Harrison survey about two miles west of the city of Crockett, in Houston county, Texas, and known as the C. W. Kline place, said property being levied on as the property of the said C. W. Kline to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$980.46, in favor of J. W. Hail and costs of suit.

Given under my hand this 10th day of September, A. D. 1912.  
A. W. PHILLIPS,  
Sheriff Houston County, Texas.

Mrs. J. N. Hill, Homer, Ga., has used Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for years, and says she always recommends it to her friends. "It never fails to cure our coughs and colds and prevents croup. We have five children and always give them Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for a cold, and they are all soon well. We would not be without it in our house." I. W. Sweet.

## YOUNG MEN FEATURE OF PRESENT CAMPAIGN.

### Governor Wilson Points Out That Many Democratic Progressives Are Under Forty.

New York, Sept. 19.—Governor Woodrow Wilson thinks the young man is going to play a more important part in the election in November than he ever did before.

The progressive end of the democratic party is homeycombed with men under forty years of age. Dudley Field Malone, son-in-law of Senator James A. O'Gorman of New York, has been appointed national chairman of the Young Men's Woodrow Wilson movement. Headquarters have been opened at room 1014 Avenue building, New York City, and John R. Rafter is national secretary.

Mr. Malone, who has gained a country-wide reputation as an orator, is making a tour of the Middle West. The plans call for the organizing of more than two score young men's clubs in New York State alone.

The following statement by Mr. Malone sets forth the idea of the young men's movement.

"We are sounding a call to the young men of the country to stand and fight with Woodrow Wilson. We are organizing young men's Wilson clubs throughout the nation. Morgan Davis has opened headquarters at Chicago and is canvassing the West. Senator Frank Quigley of Massachusetts is in charge of New England, and Lee Douglass of Nashville, Tenn., is chairman for the Southern States. We shall personally supervise the remaining states from the New York headquarters.

"Enthusiastic support meets us everywhere. Over fifty thousand young men have already volunteered their services for this fight. Woodrow Wilson has captured the young men of today. He is a fighter and a leader. He understands the schemes by which the industrial and political combinations corruptly obstruct the door of opportunity, and he can hit hard enough to clear the obstructed way.

Young men do not want President Taft. He rattled the war drum four years ago and we assembled to fight, only to learn that he intended to surrender.

"We do not want Roosevelt. We want a man of truth. No man in America can stand with Cannon and Aldrich without a single protest against their blockade of tariff reform and now rightly claim that he hates the bosses. The fight against these national bosses was not won until Roosevelt went to Africa. He is a shrewd politician, but young men do not want shrewd politicians. They want a true leader, big enough in heart, conscience and brain to represent and guide ninety millions of people. We want a genuine progressive like Woodrow Wilson."

### Races at Nacogdoches.

Nacogdoches, Texas, Sept. 21.—Following is the result of the last day's races at the fair:

First race, free-for-all pace, best two in three, mile heats—Bobby Good won; Rhodes, second; Lucy T. V., third. Time, 2:17½.

Second race, free-for-all trot, best two in three, mile heats—King Airy won; Loom-Up, second. Time, 2:24.

2:30 trot, best three in five, half mile—Jim Motley won; Senator Hanger, second; Edgewood Ideal, third. Time, 1:15.

Special match, half mile, running—Little Broom won; Pickpocket, second. Time, :52½.

Quarter mile, running—Mamie D. won; Frank, second; Brown Judge, third. Time, 22¾.

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### Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of J. F. Beavers, deceased, the unknown heirs of Mary Ann Beavers, and the unknown heirs of R. E. Herndon, deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not then in any newspaper published in the nearest county to your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston county, to be held at the court house of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1912, the same being the 7th day of October, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 29th day of July, A. D. 1912, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 5397, wherein J. W. Hall is plaintiff and the unknown heirs of J. F. Beavers, deceased, the unknown heirs of Mary Ann Beavers, deceased, the unknown of R. E. Herndon, deceased, and L. Meriwether, T. H. Dailey, Jessie Dailey, Frank Rainey, Jessie Meriwether and Gertrude Meriwether are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is owner in fee simple of the following described property, situated in Houston county, Texas, about 10 1/2 miles west from the town of Crockett, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

FIRST TRACT: Same being 320 acres, the R. D. Aprice survey, granted to J. F. Beavers, Ass. of said Aprice, by patent No. 332, dated November 6th, 1861, recorded in Vol. 7, page 211, of the Deed Records of said Houston county, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the S. W. corner of a survey in the name of Jas. A. Miller, a post oak mkd J. A. M. Thence with John R. Burton's survey S 53 W 235 vrs a corner of same on F. Del Valle's Eleven League line, a post oak hrs N 35 W 25-10 vrs. Thence with said Del Valle's Eleven League line north 33 west 2444 7-10 vrs corner, Thence east 1610 vrs, intersects the west line of said Miller's survey. Thence south with said line 1886 vrs to the place of beginning.

SECOND TRACT: Same being 283 acres of land, situated and described as follows: Being the R. D. Aprice survey, granted to J. F. Beavers, Ass. of said Aprice, by patent No. 354, dated November 6th, 1861, recorded in Vol. 7, page 786, of the Deed Records of said Houston county and bounded as follows: Beginning at the N. W. corner of Jas. Miller's survey on the R. de la Garza Eleven League line. Thence south with Miller's line 1531 vrs a corner. Thence west with another survey made for said Aprice 1610 vrs, the northwest corner of said survey. Thence N 35 W with F. del Valle's Eleven League line 332 vrs its north corner on R. de la Garza's Eleven League line. Thence with said line north 35 east 2196 vrs to the place of beginning.

Plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, under title, color of title and deeds duly registered for periods of three, five and ten years, respectively, and especially pleads the three, five and ten years Statutes of Limitation, in bar of any adverse claim to said land. Plaintiff further alleges that the Deed Records and Probate Records of said Houston county were destroyed by fire about the year 1865, and again in about the year 1882, and that at said dates practically all of the Deed Records, Probate Records and Judgment Records of said county were destroyed, and there is nothing now showing the qualification of the administrators of the estate of John F. Beavers, deceased, under his will, and nothing to show that an inventory and appraisal of said estate was ever filed, as required by law, and no evidence to show why only one of the duly appointed executors of said estate acted, and all of which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title; plaintiff further alleges that at the date of death of said J. F. Beavers the title to said property vested in him, and that afterwards, to-wit, July 2, 1873, F. L. Meriwether, as administrator of estate of R. E. Herndon, deceased, recovered judgment against the executor of said J. F. Beavers, deceased, estate, and said property was sold to F. L. Meriwether, under an execution issued out of said court on said judgment, but that by reason of the destruction of said records, said judgment, execution and officer's return thereon, if same was ever obtained, have been destroyed, which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title; that in a deed from F. L. Meriwether and his children, joined by their husbands, of date March 5, 1880, conveying said property to Willie G. Edens and Fannie I. Rainey, two of the children of said F. L. Meriwether, Frank Rainey, husband of said Hulda Rainey, a daughter of said F. L. Meriwether, did acknowledge said deed, as required by law, which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title; that said property was community property between said F. L. Meriwether and his wife, and at death of said wife the said L. Meriwether, Jessie Meriwether, who married T. H. Dailey, Frank Meriwether, Hulda Meriwether, who married Frank Rainey, Willie Meriwether, who married F. L. Meriwether, were sole and only heirs of said F. L. Meriwether and his wife, Mrs. F. L. Meriwether; that said F. L. Meriwether is now deceased; that said Frank Meriwether is now deceased and left as his sole and only heirs, Jessie and Gertrude Meriwether, and that Willie G. Meriwether, who afterwards became the wife of B. F. Edens, is now deceased, and left as his sole and only heir, Edna Edens; and that said Hulda Rainey died intestate and without issue; that Walter E. Burnett at one time owned said property, and at the time of his death the title to same still remained in him, and that he died intestate and without issue, and left as his sole and only heirs, his father, J. H. Burnett and his mother, Catherine A. Burnett, and that any other or further claims of any of said defendants in and to said property are unknown to this plaintiff. Plaintiff prays for judgment to said land, removing all clouds therefrom, substituting all missing instruments, and for such other and further orders and decrees as he may be entitled to in the premises.

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

Witness J. B. Stanton, clerk of the District Court of Houston county.  
Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, this 29th day of July, A. D. 1912.  
J. B. STANTON,  
Clerk District Court, Houston County.

### Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Alfred Cannon, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Elijah Wheeler, deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published there-

in, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county to your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston county, to be held at the Court House of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1912, the same being the 7th day of October, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 29th day of July, A. D. 1912, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 5400, wherein Chas. M. Smith, Jr., is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of Elijah Wheeler, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the following described tracts of land, situated in Houston county, Texas, about five miles from the city of Crockett, and more particularly described as follows: First Tract—Being a part of the tracts of said league conveyed by Mary A. Leaverton to the Texas Land Company, one of 200 acres, by deed dated June 15th, 1297, recorded in Vol. Z, page 236 et seq. of the Deed Records of said Houston county, and one of 123 acres by deed dated December 29th, 1874, recorded in Vol. 6, page 909 et seq. of said Deed Records, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the N. E. corner of said 200 acres in the north line of said Wheeler league 2 small post oaks and a black jack mkd X. Thence west, with said line at 443 vrs pass northeast corner of 123 acre tract, 700 vrs to the corner on branch, elm 8 inches mkd X hrs S 19 E 5 vrs, pin oak 8 inches mkd X hrs S 63 E 2 vrs; Thence south 465 vrs to corner on the Crockett and Tadmor road, a post oak 40 in. dia. mkd X hrs N 50 E 14 vrs. Thence with the meanders of said road N 66 E (at 281 3-10 vrs cross the east line of said 123 acre tract) 380 vrs, S 85 E 230 vrs and east 124 vrs to corner on the east line of said 200 acres, post oak 12 in. dia. mkd X hrs N 3 E 10 vrs, Do. 6 in. dia. mkd X hrs S 2 E 10 vrs. Thence north with said line 330 vrs to the place of beginning, containing 44 acres of land, more or less. Second Tract: Being a part of the Alfred Cannon 1067-10 acre Pre. Survey, and described by field notes as follows: Beginning at the south corner of J. Masters' labor on Wheeler's north line. Thence with Masters' line north 45 east 1231 vrs to Dawson's corner. Thence south 872 vrs to corner in said Wheeler's north line. Thence west with Wheeler's north line 912 vrs to the place of beginning, containing 70 acres of land, more or less, except 20 acres out of said 70 acres, conveyed by us to J. G. Matlock by deed dated December 4, 1906, a copy recorded in Volume 43, page 63, of the Deed Records of said Houston county, and said 20 acre tract described by field notes as follows: Beginning at the corner of a 70 acre survey sold by J. G. Matlock to Mrs. Lena Robbins, dated February 23rd, 1900, and duly recorded in Vol. 27, page 128, of said Deed Records, said corner being the S E corner of Masters' labor and being a corner of Mrs. Tims' tract of land, corner near a branch, two hickories mkd X. Thence S 45 W with said Masters' labor at 556 vrs corner on said line a pine 7 in. dia. mkd X hrs S 75 E 3 vrs, a hickory 5 in. dia. mkd X hrs N 5 E 3 vrs. Thence S 38 E at 200 vrs corner a post oak 16 in. dia. hrs east 4 1/2 vrs. Thence N 48 E at 378 vrs stake a rock for corner on the division line of the Alfred Cannon survey between Rosa and Bill Cannon. Thence north at 280 vrs to the place of beginning; plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for periods of five and ten years, respectively, and the plaintiff specially pleads the five and ten years Statutes of Limitation in bar of any claims asserted by the defendants to said land, and the plaintiff sets out in his original petition all the deeds and other instruments under and by virtue of which he claims title to said land; plaintiff alleges that part of said land, on said Wheeler league, was conveyed to William R. Matlock, and at the death of said Matlock, he left a will devising all of his property to his wife, Mary A. Matlock; that said Mary A. Matlock afterwards married a man by the name of Leaverton, and at the time of the conveyance of said property to one of plaintiff's remote vendors, to-wit, The Texas Land Company, on the 29th day of December, 1874, said Mary A. Leaverton was a widow, her second husband having departed this life; plaintiff alleges that there is no deed on Record out of said Elijah Wheeler, or out of the said Alfred Cannon or out of all of the heirs of the said Alfred Cannon, conveying said land to any one; plaintiff alleges that one of the parties under whom he claims a part of said land, to-wit, Rosa Harkens, wife of Oscar Harkens, was one of the children and heirs at law of said Alfred Cannon, and that said Rosa Harkens joined by her husband conveyed that part of said land claimed herein by plaintiff to Craddock & Company by deed dated July 27, 1896, and that none of the other heirs of said Cannon joined in said deed, and that a part of said above described land was conveyed to plaintiff's remote vendor, to-wit, J. G. Matlock, by Lundy & Thompson, by deed dated June 21, 1897; that by reason of all of the above allegations a cloud is cast on plaintiff's title; that any other or further claims of any of said defendants in and to said land are unknown to plaintiff. Wherefore plaintiff prays that Citation issue and for judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom and for special and general relief.

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

Witness J. B. Stanton, Clerk of the District Court of Houston county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, this 29th day of July, A. D. 1912.  
J. B. STANTON,  
Clerk District Court, Houston County.

### Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Jose Miguel Musquez, deceased, the unknown heirs of Samuel Hunter, deceased, the unknown heirs of C. S. Fraley, deceased, the unknown heirs of Sarah Fraley, deceased, the unknown heirs of George B. Holmes, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Frank W. Jackson, deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county to your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston county, to be held at the Court House of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1912, the same being the 7th day of October, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 31st day of July, A. D. 1912, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 5402, wherein John R. McIver is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of Jose Miguel Musquez, deceased, the un-

known heirs of Samuel Hunter, deceased, the unknown heirs of C. S. Fraley, deceased, the unknown heirs of Sarah Fraley, deceased, the unknown heirs of George B. Holmes, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Frank W. Jackson, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the following described tract of land, situated in Houston county, Texas, on the Trinity river, same being 201 1-28 acres, situated S 35 W about 2 1/2 miles from Crockett, under and by virtue of certificate issued to Samuel Hunter, dated February 22, 1854, and described by field notes as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the N. W. line of a 320 acre survey in the name of John Box, 17 vrs from the N. W. corner being the corner of another survey in the name of J. H. Moore. Thence with Box's line N 55 E at 1223 vrs the south corner of a survey in the name of Archibald Henrie, red elm 3 feet, hrs N 33 W 4 1/2 vrs. Thence west with A. Henrie's line at 991 vrs, Trinity river, ash hrs N 66 E 11 vrs, mkd X. Thence down said Trinity river 100 vrs. Thence S 45 W 280 vrs. Thence S 70 W 490 vrs. Thence S 45 W 100 vrs. Thence S 14 W 166 vrs, stake on the east bank of Trinity river. Thence east at 1635 vrs to the place of beginning, and plaintiff sets in full in his original petition in this cause the instruments under which he claims title to said land. Plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for a period of more than ten years immediately preceding the filing of this suit, and that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for a period of more than ten years immediately preceding the filing of this suit, and he pleads especially the five and ten years Statutes of Limitation in bar of any claim asserted to said land by said defendants; that the certificate issued to Samuel Hunter for said land, by mistake in location was laid over the Jose Miguel Musquez 11 League Grant, which was at that time and is now a valid grant, and by reason of such conflict, said certificate issued to said Hunter was cancelled; that such cancellation was made by Commissioner of General Land Office of Texas long after plaintiff had acquired title to said land and had taken actual possession thereof under duly executed deeds and that plaintiff's right to said property had set up and inured to his benefit; that there is no title to said land out of Samuel Hunter, said original grantee; that there is no title out of the defendants, C. S. Fraley and Sarah Fraley, who at one time owned said property; that undivided interests in said Musquez grant were conveyed at various times to George B. Holmes, T. T. Gammage and Frank W. Jackson, and that no conveyance of said property was made by either of them, all of which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title. Wherefore, plaintiff prays for citation in terms of the law, for judgment for said land, quieting his title therein, removing all clouds therefrom, substituting all missing instruments, and for special and general relief.

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

Witness J. B. Stanton, clerk of the District Court of Houston county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, this 31st day of July, A. D. 1912.  
J. B. STANTON,  
Clerk District Court, Houston County.

Witness J. H. Sharp, Deputy.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, this 31st day of July, A. D. 1912.

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# The Fall Season Is Approaching

And special space in this paper can only be guaranteed to advertisers making contracts for same. Irregular advertising can only be placed in the regular make-up of the paper.

Copy for ads in the Courier should be brought in on Monday, and not later than Tuesday morning.

For bowel complaints in children always give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and castor oil. It is certain to effect a cure and when reduced with water and sweetened is pleasant to take. No physician can prescribe a better remedy. For sale by all dealers.

As usually treated, a sprained ankle will disable a man for three or four weeks, but by applying Chamberlain's Liniment freely as soon as the injury is received, and observing the directions with each bottle, a cure can be effected in from two to four days. For sale by all dealers.



## The Old Oaken Bucket

Filled to the brim with cold, clear purity—no such water nowadays.

Bring back the old days with a glass or bottle of

# Coca-Cola

It makes one think of everything that's pure and wholesome and delightful. Bright, sparkling, teeming with palate joy—it's your soda fountain old oaken bucket.

Free Our new booklet, telling of Coca-Cola vindication at Chattanooga, for the asking.

Demand the Genuine as made by THE COCA-COLA CO. ATLANTA, GA.

Whenever you see an Arrow think of Coca-Cola.

## STRENUOUS STILLNESS.

Posing For Meissonier Was a Trying Athletic Feat.

Perhaps stillness is something that scarcely seems compatible with physical strenuousness. Nevertheless posing for an artist may become, in the maintenance for long periods of a difficult attitude, one of the most trying of athletic feats. When Meissonier, the famous French artist, was painting one of his battle scenes he hired several old soldiers for models—seasoned, tough veterans, whose experience and endurance would, he thought, be useful in enabling them both to understand the positions required and to hold them. They did so, indeed, as well as any one could, but it was an everyday affair for a model to faint and more than once to collapse with exhaustion and require the services of a physician.

Especially difficult were the poses representative of cavaliers slain or wounded and falling from their saddles. Despite an ingenious arrangement of straps and slings hung from the ceiling of the studio to afford such support as was possible, these poses remained so hard that one old soldier declared fervently when the picture was finished:

"M. Meissonier, I have been six times wounded and once nearly frozen on the field, and once they were going to bury me, but it was all nothing to this—nothing, nothing! It is not hard to fall out of the saddle, really. A bullet helps one so neatly one scarcely knows when he touches the ground. But then, you see, one is allowed to fall all the way; one is not halted in midair.

"You are painting a great picture, monsieur, and I am proud to be in it, but if you could have put me there with a pistol instead of a paint brush I should have preferred it."

It was long a current tale that the model for another painting by Meissonier, entitled "The Brawl," actually died as the result of long posing in an unnaturally strained position for one of the two intertwined and struggling combatants in the picture.

This was not true. Indeed, he lived to boast much and volubly of his achievement, and it served him as his chief professional recommendation afterward.

Rolling up his sleeve and displaying an arm heavily corded with muscle, he would say to a prospective employer:

"Monsieur, behold! Is not that an arm? Aha, truly! You are not the first to admire it. And a leg to match, monsieur; a leg that is veritably superb! But I do not praise them, I. There is no need. These arms and these legs have been immortalized. They belong to art; they are consecrated to art—at any sacrifice of personal convenience. Monsieur, it was I—I—who posed to M. Meissonier for 'The Brawl!'"

### Spelled With a "V."

Frank Millet's baby was christened in London when Hutton and Lawrence Barrett were present. The child was to be named Lawrence, and Barrett spelled it out "Lawrence," as his name was spelled. Hutton immediately corrected him with "Lawrence," as his own name is spelled. And they shouted this at each other, to the amazement of the parish clerk, till Mr. Millet stopped them with the remark that the father ought to have something to say and, turning to the clerk, said, "Spell it with a 'v.'" And Lawrence Millet he was made by law.

### Nature Not to Blame For That.

"I don't see anything to laugh at," she said.  
"I just happened to think of a hare lipped Englishman whom I met the other day."  
"One should never laugh at the misfortunes of others. It was nature's fault and not his own that the Englishman was hare lipped."  
"I know that; but he was criticizing Americans for talking through their noses."—Chicago Record-Herald.

### Wise Division.

Mrs. Wunnick consulted her husband about their daughter's education. "Would you prefer to have daughter take her lessons home?" she asked.

"It's all right for the drawing," replied her husband, who disliked noise, "but she'd better go to the teacher's residence for the singing and piano playing."

## BATTLECRIES OF OLD.

From Them Are Derived the College Yells of Today.

When the college men rush on the football field shouting their "yell" it is the battlecry of old. Originally every European university had its corps of fighting men, just as the German universities now have their societies and student corps, and they rushed to battle as their ancestors went into battle, shouting their warcry both to frighten the enemy and encourage their own body.

The oldest battlecry known is that one mentioned in the book of Judges in the Bible, "The sword of the Lord and of Gideon," used by the Israelites when they rushed down upon the Midianites at night, smashing earthen jars and waving torches.

The French had their "cri de guerre," the Scotch their slogans, and the English had warcries in very early days. "Percy, a Percy!" was the rallying cry at Otterbourne, and the cry of "A Warwick, a Warwick!" decided the fate of Banbury field.

So many cries were invented by the different great British lords that in 1495 parliament passed a special law forbidding these cries, on the ground that they produced disorder, allowing but one battlecry, "St. George and the king!"

The cries "Crom-a-boo!" and "Butler-a-boo!" were specifically prohibited. "Abo!" was an Irish cry in very early times. "Laundarg Abo!" "The Bloody Hand!" "Strike for O'Neill!" were the battlecries of the wild followers of Shan O'Neill when he defied the forces of Elizabeth.

At the siege of Jaffa, in Palestine, the cry of Richard I. was "Guyenne au Roi d'Angleterre!" "Dieu et mon droit!" may have been used long before Richard I. said "Not me, but God and our right have vanquished France."

It is held that the British national anthem is founded upon the watchword and countersign ordered through the royal navy by Henry VIII's lord admiral in 1545: "The watchwords in the night shall be thus—'God save King Henry;' the other shall answer, 'And long to reign over us.'"

The Puritans went back to the Old Testament for their warcry, taking the cry of David, "To your tents, O Israel!" Cromwell's watchword was "The Lord of Hosts!"

The warcry "Alban, Alban!" was used at the battle of the Standard, 1138, by the Celtic porters of the army of the king of Scotland.

At the battle of Hastings the Saxons first cried, "Holy Crosse, God Almighty!" The Normans cried "Notre Dame, Dieu ay nous aide"—"Our Lady and God help us." During the fight the Saxons shouted, "Ouegt, ouegt!"—"Out, out!"—New York American.

### Some Cromwell Nicknames.

Oliver Cromwell had a head large in proportion to his body. His features were rugged and unprepossessing. He had three or four warts on his face, one being on the side of his nose. He wore a small mustache and imperial, after the fashion of the times. His complexion was bronzed by exposure to the sun, and he had a fiery red nose of generous proportions that gave rise to many nicknames, "The Almighty Nose," "Nosy," "The Copper Nosed Saint," "His Noseship" and "Rosy Nose" being among the least complimentary.

### The Professor Found Out.

One of the world's greatest psychologists, desiring to know how the mind of a street boy would work if he addressed an absurd question to him, accosted a bootblack with, "Well, sonny, what time is it by your nose?" "Aw, gwan!" retorted the boy. "Mine ain't runnin'. Is yours?"

The professor took off his hat to the urchin with great gravity and departed a wiser man. His respect for newsboys is greatly increased.

### His Expenses.

One of the candidates at an election in Derbyshire, England, was a newcomer not remarkable for his generosity. He found himself defeated at the polls and bade adieu to the electors with the words, "At any rate, ladies and gentlemen, my wife and I have spent a very happy fortnight in the peak." "Yes," came a sudden retort from the crowd, "and that's all you have spent."

## LITERATURE AND COOKING.

Dumas Was of the Opinion That They Were Twin Sisters.

How completely Alexandre Dumas was master of another art than that of fiction is shown by an amusing anecdote in Mme. Judith's "Recollections." A very sociable company was gathered late one evening at her apartments. Dumas the elder, Theophile Gautier, De Banville and other lesser lights were there. After much conversation and reading aloud every one grew hungry. But the hostess had sent away her servants and had made no preparation for a late supper.

"No matter!" cried the resourceful Dumas. "If the cooks have gone to bed we'll take their places!"

And, calling on several of the company to act as his assistants, he started foraging. Soon he found abundant provisions, among which was a hare.

"Fine!" he shouted. "In half an hour we shall have a splendid meal." And he vanished, with his satellites, into the kitchen.

In thirty minutes the door leading from the kitchen was thrown open, and an extraordinary procession appeared.

First came Theophile Gautier, bearing a large platter of food; then Dumas, attired in a chef's full costume—white apron, cap and all—proudly bearing aloft the hare; behind came two of the satellites, one of whom solemnly carried a big knife, the other a gigantic fork.

"I never ate a better dish," says Mme. Judith. Dumas was a capital cook. After the feast he exclaimed:

"Are not literature and cooking twin sisters? It is too bad that a good cook is not esteemed as highly as a good novelist. I am just as proud when I make a good sauce as I am when I write a good page.

"Alas, if genius had not been deflected from the kitchen what astonishing progress the art of cooking might have made! What divine joys would have been vouchsafed to mankind if Corneille, Racine, Moliere and Voltaire had turned their marvelous talents to the invention of new dishes!"

"He is right!" shouted Theophile Gautier.

### A Difference.

An American girl, pretty and bright, had been spending some time in Leamington, England.

The afternoon before her departure she suddenly remembered that several books from the public library should be returned. She took the volumes, sallied forth and presently encountered a young Englishman whose acquaintance, though brief, had not been without attraction.

"Really, now, how queer you American girls are!" he said. "Now, I suppose if you were at home, walking on Fifth avenue, you would never be seen with a fellow lugging all these books."

"Certainly not," she quickly and archly answered. "If I were in America the gentleman would be carrying them."

### The Scold's Bride.

In Queen Elizabeth's day an instrument of torture was used to prevent women from scolding and nagging. It consisted of an iron framework, called the "scold's bride," somewhat similar to a cage, which was slipped over the head of the person whom it was desired to punish. In the framework were eye-holes and a specially prepared projection in front for the tongue of the victim. The interior of the projection was lined with spikes, so that if the wearer attempted to speak her tongue was liable to get badly lacerated. It did not often require more than one application of this torture to break the gossip of her unpleasant habit.

### The Marseillaise.

The words and music of the famous battle hymn, "The Marseillaise," usually are ascribed to Rouget de Lisle, a French engineer officer, who, it is said, composed it by request, about 1792, to cheer up the conscripts at Strassburg. It derived its name from a body of troops from Marseilles, who played and sang the piece as they marched into Paris. De Lisle was pensioned by Louis Philippe in 1830 and died in 1836. It is safe to say that no other song ever written has stirred the heart like "The Marseillaise." It will probably live forever.—New York American.

## STRIKING A MATCH.

An Act In Which, It Is Claimed, You May Read One's Character.

"There is no better way to judge a person's character than to watch how he strikes a match," remarked the man who had acquired the rare habit of observation. "It may seem only a trifle, but it is the little things that count, after all. We often poke fun at the way a woman lights a match, but if you watch half a dozen different men do it you will find that you have just as much to laugh at.

"Take the conceited man, for instance, who thinks he knows it all and who has so much misplaced confidence in himself that it merely makes him obstinate. He will try to strike a match on a damp surface or in a gale without paying any attention to which way the wind is blowing. Knowing it all, experience teaches him nothing, and he will waste a whole box of matches before he will seek a place that is dry and sheltered.

"The careless man will grab a match haphazard and viciously strike it against the nearest thing at hand. Failure makes him lose his temper, and when he goes up in the air he is likely to waste several matches before he succeeds in getting a light.

"The man who lacks common sense will attempt to strike a match under impossible conditions. If he had the least bit of judgment he would realize that he was going about it the wrong way, but his case is hopeless, and he never learns.

"Hungry Joe, the king of the confidence operators, used to size up his victim in this way: The first thing he did after striking up an acquaintance was to offer the man a cigar. If he lighted it properly with the first match Hungry Joe passed him up as a bad proposition, convinced that he possessed judgment, shrewdness and too much common sense to be buncoed."—New York Times.

### Sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown had given their six-year-old son Ralph a most careful home training. With great reluctance they placed him in a public school. A few days later Ralph came home with a cut lip and swollen nose.

His mother exclaimed, "How did you hurt yourself?"

He replied: "I was sliding down hill at recess and ran into a tree. It hurt pretty bad, mother, but every one was awfully good to me. The boys were just fine—why, mother, there wasn't a boy in the class who didn't say 'Gosh!' when I ran into that tree."—Harper's Magazine.

### A Trick of the Trade.

Many of the local curiosity shops planted in the back streets of most county and country towns are simply kept up by large London firms who, from a prolonged study of human nature, have discovered that people who are shy of buying old furniture or old silver in Bond street or Piccadilly are ready and eager purchasers of precisely the same objects, at a rather higher price, when they come upon them in the back streets of a country town.—London Tatler.

### An Embarrassing Moment.

A lady was invited out to lunch and, being very fond of hot rolls, was asked to have another. "Really, I cannot," she modestly replied. "I don't know how many I've eaten already."

"I do," unexpectedly exclaimed a young hopeful, whose mother allowed him a seat at the table. "You've eaten eight. I've been counting!"

### A Mean Thrust.

"Have you ever placed yourself in the hands of a beauty doctor, Mrs. Muggworth?"

"Why do you ask me that?"

"My husband wants me to go to one."

"Yes. I have been taking regular treatments from one for the past year."

"Then I think I'll not go. It seems to be useless."—Chicago Record-Herald.

### The Gentle Art of Making Enemies.

Visitor (to particular friend, who has had several new dresses laid on the bed to choose from)—I do wish you would tell me the name of the woman you sell your things to. I've got a lot of old gowns like these that I want to get rid of.—London Punch.

## KEEPING THE LOG.

Simple System by Which the Mariner Records Weather Conditions.

How many landmen know how a logbook is written up? It seems just as complicated as double entry bookkeeping when one does not know, but after a little careful attention and study it's as easy to keep a logbook as to eat hot gingerbread. There is a list of letters arranged, and they look like so much Greek to the uneducated.

The letter b, for instance, stands for blue sky, whether there be clear or hazy atmosphere. C means cloudy or detached, opening clouds. d denotes drizzling rain; a small j, fog; capital F, thick fog; g, gloomy, dark weather; h, hail; l, lightning, and m, misty or hazy so as to interfere with the view.

The letter o represents overcast or when the whole sky is covered with one impenetrable cloud. Passing showers are noted by the letter p, and q indicates the weather to be squally. Continuous rain is indicated by an r, snow by an s and thunder by a t. Any ugly, threatening appearance in the weather calls for the letter u, and visibility of distant objects, whether the sky be cloudy or not, is represented by the letter v. A small w is wet dew. A full point or dot under any letter denotes an extraordinary degree.

As an example of how the letters are used take q p d l t. This reads very hard squalls and showers of drizzle, accompanied by lightning, with very heavy thunder. Numerals denote the force of the wind.

A cipher indicates calm, 1 light air, 2 light breeze, 3 gentle breeze, 4 moderate breeze, 5 fresh breeze, 6 strong breeze, 7 moderate gale, 8 fresh gale, 9 strong gale, 10 whole gale, 11 storm, 12 hurricane. This system of abbreviation is generally adhered to on all merchant vessels.—Exchange.

### Wind Superstitions.

The Finns of Norway long entertained a traditional belief in the power of controlling the winds by a small rope with three knots in it. This popular superstition gave rise to the curious industry of making and selling these wind controlling ropes with magical knots to mariners and fishermen. It was believed that by unloosing the first knot a favorable breeze was secured, the second raised a strong gale, and if the third knot was untied it would prove the prelude to a tempest. According to Ranulph Higden, the witches of the Isle of Man had a similar ancient practice of selling winds to sailors.

### Ants as Bitters.

Ants are terrible fighters. They have very powerful jaws, considering the size of their bodies, and therefore their method is by biting. They will bite one another and hold on with a wonderful grip of the jaws, even after all of their legs have been bitten off by other ants. Sometimes six or eight ants will be clinging with a death hold to one another, making a peculiar spectacle, some with a leg gone and some with half the body gone. One singular fact is that the grip of an ant's jaw is retained even after the body has been bitten off and nothing but the head remains.

### Tobacco Smoke.

Smoke is nothing more than the mixture of finely divided solid matter suspended in air. It is never gas. The exact composition of smoke depends on what is burnt and how it is burned. The hotter the fire in the furnace the better or more complete will be the burning or the combustion of the fuel. This explains why there is more smoke at a freshly lighted fire. And the fact that all smoke is finely divided solid matter shows why it is injurious to inhale tobacco smoke, many of the particles cling to the lung tissues and in time poison the system.—Kansas City Star.

### Dr. Fuller's Memory.

Among those who have performed great feats of memory may be mentioned Dr. Fuller, author of the "Worthies of England." He could repeat another man's sermon after hearing it once and could repeat 500 words in an unknown language after hearing them twice. He one day attempted to walk from Temple Bar to the farthest end of Cheap-side and to repeat on his return every sign on either side of the way in the order of their occurrence, and he did it easily.—London Mail.

## Why we have so large a trade among farmers

Because we keep what farmers want and the kind of goods they want. We handle all of the best stock and poultry remedies. We give particular attention to the compounding of

### Recipes for Farm and Family Remedies

We make our customers feel at home in our store, and we furnish the best goods at the lowest possible prices.

## Decuir-Bishop Drug Company

We Call For and Deliver Your Prescriptions.

### Local News.

Fresh mackerel just received at Woodson's.

Hon. N. B. Morris of Palestine was here Tuesday.

R. E. McConnell was a visitor to Houston last week.

J. Walter Baird of Houston is here for a few days.

Fresh bulk pickles, both sweet and sour, at Woodson's.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Drury announce the arrival of a baby boy.

Fresh bulk sweet and sour pickles just received at Woodson's.

W. A. Moore and Editor McComb of Weldon were here Tuesday.

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

J. R. McIver of Madisonville was transacting business here this week.

G. A. Buchanan was among the Courier's friends in town since last week.

Eight bars laundry soap for 25 cents next Saturday at the Racket Store.

For Rent—A comfortable, well ventilated room by Mrs. W. C. Lipscomb.

Ike Craddock left Monday night for Austin to enter the State University.

Miss Carrie Lockey has gone to Huntsville to teach in the city schools.

Fruy Trust Blend coffee—best on earth. Sold exclusively by J. D. Woodson.

Miss Willie Jensen left last week for Bell county to teach in the public schools.

The Racket Store offers, for Saturday only, eight bars laundry soap for 25 cents.

Earl Adams was among the number leaving Monday night for the University of Texas.

Buy your groceries at the Big Store for less.

Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

Miss Virginia Chamberlain leaves today for Kennard, where she will teach a class in music.

See the new fall goods arriving daily at the Big Store.

Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

W. N. Norton of Creek Route 1 was among the Courier's good friends in town last week.

Special for next Saturday at the Racket Store, eight bars laundry soap for 25 cents.

Don't fail to see the new line of novelty goods at the Big Store.

Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

Miss Kathleen Hail left Wednesday morning for New Orleans to re-enter Sophie Newcomb college.

Brown wagons, the best on wheels, at the Big Store.

Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wheeless of Shreveport are visiting Mrs. Wheeless' parents near this city.

If you like good coffee try Faust Blend and you will have no other. You can get it only at Woodson's.

Ladies, don't buy your fall suit until you see the very latest at the Big Store.

Jas. S. Shivers & Co.

W. J. Lee, the printer charged with bigamy, was released from jail recently under a bond of \$500.

Get prices from the Crockett Dry Goods Co. before buying and let them show you how to save money.

Mr. Benedict of Whitewright, brother-in-law of Thos. Self, arrived Tuesday night and is visiting in the Self home.

Mr. H. F. Moore returned last week from Detroit, where he attended the American Bankers' Association meeting.

Go to Daniel & Burton for Shoes. They have the kind to buy. The all-leather kind. At prices that can't be beat.

It is better to be safe than sorry. You will be safe if you make your fall and winter purchases of the Crockett Dry Goods Co.

Robert G. Montgomery and Miss Una Herod were married at the home of the bride near Grapeland Sunday by Rev. J. E. Bean.

Let me tune and regulate your piano. Can save you money and guarantee good work.

Barker Tunstall.

Just arrived at Daniel & Burton's, a large stock of sweaters and sweater coats, ranging in prices from 25c to \$7.50, the prettiest you ever looked at.

You want to save money on your fall and winter purchases and the Crockett Dry Goods Co. wants to save you money and thus make a friend of you. Get their prices and you will find out that you have been paying others too much for some things.

You'll miss something if you fail to see the new fall showing of Duchess hand tailored coat suits now on show at Daniel & Burton's.

Eight prisoners constituted the county jail crowd Tuesday, of which number half were white. Two were in for lunacy, one white and one black.

Rev. O. C. Payne has withdrawn from the Houston County Times, leaving Mrs. Goolsby as sole editor and proprietor. Mr. Payne left last week for Palestine.

Blankets and comforts galore at Daniel & Burton's store. Come in and prepare yourself to keep warm. We'll sell you if you come, because our price is right.

The fourth quarterly conference will be held at the Methodist church Sunday week, Sept. 29. Presiding Elder Turrentine writes that he will be on hand at that time.

Dr. J. B. Smith, who recently underwent special treatment of his eyes, is improving slowly. One eye was removed with the hope of strengthening the other.

#### Again in Harness.

I am again in the livery business at my former location. Give me a trial when you want first-class conveyance.

Cary Spence.

Burning grass set the fence on fire at the Mrs. Mollie Moore residence in North Crockett Monday afternoon, but quick work by the fire company saved further damage.

Our dry goods department is full to overflowing with all the newest things in dress goods. Come in and let the ladies show you.

Daniel & Burton.

#### Auction Sale.

One car of broke, fat horses to be sold at Spence's livery barn Saturday, September 28.

G. D. McGinnis.

H. W. Dougherty and Mrs. Florence Herman, from 5 miles east of Crockett, were married Wednesday by Rev. Geo. W. Davis, pastor of the First Methodist church of this city.

Daniel & Burton are showing some nice things in ladies' ready-to-wear goods, the Duchess coat suits, cloaks and skirts, full of style plus quality, and the price is always right.

Sonley and Alton Lemay have gone to Austin to enter the University of Texas and Karl Goolsby will become a student of the pharmaceutical department at Galveston.

Daniel & Burton have the largest and most beautiful stock of comforts and blankets ever shown by any firm in Houston county. The price don't cut any ice. Come and see them.

300 Acres Pine Virgin Timber Land,

Rich and level, for sale at less than value of the timber. We will buy your land or find a buyer. See or write Hail & Wilson, Crockett State Bank building, Crockett, Texas.

#### Last of the Season.

Popular excursion to Galveston and Houston via I. & G. N. railway Saturday, Sept. 28. Excursion tickets on sale Saturday, Sept. 23 and for trains arriving Houston and Galveston A. M. Sunday, Sept. 29; return Monday, Sept. 30. For fare and full particulars see ticket agent.

T. L. Parks, Murrayville, Ga., Route 1, is in his 73rd year, and was recently cured of a bad kidney and bladder trouble. He says himself: "I have suffered with my kidneys. My back ached and I was annoyed with bladder irregularities. I can truthfully say, one 50c bottle of Foley Kidney Pills cured me entirely." They contain no habit forming drug. I. W. Sweet.

## Money to Loan.

We make a specialty of loans on land and to farmers. We buy vendors lien notes and any other good paper. If you want to borrow money you will DO WELL to call and get our terms before placing your loan. We buy and sell real estate.

## Warfield Bros.

Office North Side Public Square.

CROCKETT, TEXAS

A party leaving Monday night for school was as follows: Miss Bee Denny and Jim Lipscomb for the University of Texas, Miss Bella Lipscomb for Virginia College and Will Lipscomb for the State Medical College.

#### We Will Lend Money

on real estate or take up your note and give you a lower rate of interest. We will buy your land or find a buyer. See or write Hail & Wilson, Crockett State Bank building, Crockett, Texas.

Mr. H. Wilson leaves this week for Galveston and will sail on one of the Mallory steamers, on which his son is an engineer, for New York city. After spending a few days in New York with his son he will go to Virginia for a visit to his old home. The return trip to Crockett will be made by water to Galveston.

#### Long Staple Cotton.

A bale of long staple cotton, grown by W. T. Payne north of Crockett, sold in this city last week at 15.20. On the same day ordinary cotton sold at 11.30. The cotton was bought by Moore & Shivers, who estimate that this bale, including the seed, brought the grower about \$125.

Some of the young men of Crockett gave a dance Tuesday evening of last week in honor of the girls who were to leave soon for school. The dance, which was in the club rooms, was attended by twelve couples and very much enjoyed under the chaperonage of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hail. Another dance, equally as enjoyable, was given at the home of Mr. Jack Beasley Monday evening. The music was by Tunstall's orchestra.

#### Former Crockett Citizen Dies.

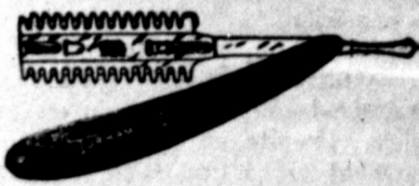
Mr. George Berry died at his home in Palestine Thursday afternoon after a lingering illness caused by stomach ulcerations. The remains were shipped to Crockett Friday morning and interment was made in Glenwood cemetery at 11 o'clock. Mr. Berry was a member of the Methodist church and also of the Maccabee lodge. He leaves a wife and three children, all of whom were with him at the time of his death. The funeral was attended by many sorrowing friends and relatives.

#### Dies of Heart Failure.

Mr. W. H. Bayne, county treasurer, fell as he was entering the court house yard Wednesday morning and died immediately of heart failure. When he fell Sheriff Phillips and others went to his aid, but life was extinct in a few seconds. The remains were placed in an automobile and taken home. Mr. Bayne was a highly respected citizen, had been county treasurer for a number of years and was a devoted member of the Baptist church. He leaves a wife, a son, Hugh Bayne, and a daughter, Mrs. Alvin Waller of Wootters, besides a family of brothers and sisters, to mourn his death.

A really effective kidney and bladder medicine must first stop the progress of the disease and then cure the conditions that cause it. Use Foley Kidney Pills for all kidney and bladder troubles and urinary irregularities. They are safe and reliable. They help quickly and permanently. In the yellow package. I. W. Sweet.

## Shave With A Smile



A Complete Safety  
Razor for . . . 35c

## Durham Duplex Demonstrators

The razor with the correct diagonal stroke. Has all the good features of an old razor with the bad ones left out. Call and let us show you one.

## McLean Drug Co.

The Retail Store

In the Pearlstone Building.

#### Night Services to Begin at 7:30.

The Methodists are planning for a big day next Sunday. It is the annual rally day for that church. Every member of the church is supposed to be present and there will be many visitors. The various interests of the church will be presented at both the morning and evening services. Besides local talent, Dr. P. W. Horn of Houston will take part in the services. This is the beginning of the fall and winter work and everybody interested in the moral welfare of the community is invited to be present.

Antoine Deloria, Postmaster at Garden, Mich., knows the exact facts when he speaks of the curative value of Foley Kidney Pills. He says: "From my own experience I recommend Foley Kidney Pills as a great remedy for kidney trouble. My father was cured of kidney disease and a good many of my neighbors were cured by Foley Kidney Pills. I. W. Sweet.

## Webb's Bakery and Palace of Sweets

We solicit your business solely upon the merit of our goods. We carry the best of everything in our line and cater to the wants of the most fastidious. If you are not already a customer of ours, a trial will convince you that you ought to be.

## F. B. WEBB

Cold Drinks and Confections

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## PUBLISHER'S NOTICE.

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## DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

- For District Judge  
John S. Prince  
Of Henderson County
- For State Senator  
W. J. Townsend, Jr.  
of Angelina County
- For County Clerk  
O. C. Goodwin
- For County Treasurer  
W. H. Bayne
- For Sheriff  
A. W. Phillips
- For Tax Collector  
George Denny
- For County Judge  
C. M. Ellis
- For District Clerk  
John D. Morgan
- For County Attorney  
B. F. Dent
- For Representative  
Nat Patton
- For Tax Assessor  
John Ellis
- For County Superintendent  
J. F. Mangum
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 2  
Chas. Long
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 3  
J. T. (Tom) Knox
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 4  
M. B. Matchett
- For Justice Peace Precinct No. 1  
E. M. Callier
- For Justice Peace Precinct No. 6  
J. G. Webb
- For Constable Precinct No. 1  
R. J. (Bob) Spence

The first touch of fall was felt during the past week. The days have been delightful, but the evenings have been too cool to be pleasant without additional clothing.

Wichita Falls is bidding for the trial of the Sneed case, should the same be carried elsewhere upon a change of venue, and the Progressive League of that city points out its excellent railway facilities and hotel accommodations as two drawing cards for the event.

The Alto Herald is opposed to lying in bed. It says: "One of the most dangerous habits people can indulge in is that of lying in bed. Nine-tenths of all the deaths occur in bed. Nearly one-half of those who are murdered are murdered in bed. It is while you are in bed that your house is robbed and your chickens are stolen. It is while you are in bed that the bugs bite you and bad dreams haunt you. Therefore, dear reader, never go to bed."

The loafing element in the city of Houston have become so bold that the police have taken a hand in suppressing the street corner nuisance known as the "masher." A number of arrests of young men have been made for insults offered to women. The "mashers" pose on the corners where women pass, stare or make "goo-goo" eyes and frequently accost their victims in a too-familiar way. The cities are doing right in going after this stripe of humanity and some of the smaller cities could profit by following the example set by Houston.

The Palestine Fair committee, in reasons for the small attendance at the Palestine fair, reported among other things as follows: "Fourth. The fair at Crockett which, unfortunately, came on the same date as ours prevented us from getting the patronage from Crockett

or below, while one hundred and twenty-five of our people went to the Crockett fair in one day." One hundred and twenty-five from Palestine in one day is (not of small significance. A great Central East Texas fair can be built up here that will draw from a wide scope of territory. Timpson has successfully inaugurated the East Texas fair. Now, why can't Crockett inaugurate a Central East Texas fair?

## REGULATING THE SUN.

Press reports announcing that the Smithsonian Institution will undertake an investigation of the sun indicate that the scientists have put one over the politicians. The sun is a public service concern—furnishing us with light and heat—and it cannot vote, so there is no reason why the politicians should not have investigated and regulated it long ago.

The service is, as a rule, unsatisfactory to the public and more complaints have been registered against it than against any "Big Business" in existence. The uncertainty of the service has greatly incommoded the public and cost the producer millions of dollars. It has for ages wrung the sweat from the brow of toiling millions and by inadequate service has caused widows and orphans to shiver with cold. By all means let us regulate the sun.

## A GOOD INVESTMENT.

The Houston County Fair association has \$2000 of unsold stock that ought to be taken by the citizens of Houston county. The association is capitalized at \$10,000, of which \$8,000 was taken and paid for at the time of organization. This money was invested in the grounds and permanent improvements. Believing that the remaining \$2000 of stock could be easily placed, the association borrowed money to promote the fair and the obligation is now due and the stock unsold. The fair is worth a great deal to Houston county and every citizen should be interested in its success. It is now practically self-sustaining and with the remaining unsold stock taken by our citizens could be run on a self-sustaining basis. The gate receipts went to pay premiums and purses, and the association yet owes the borrowed money. Let every man who has the upbuilding of Houston county at heart take some of this stock. The property of the association is worth the money.

## PACKING HOUSES NEED MORE HOGS.

Fort Worth packers are conducting an extensive advertising campaign throughout the state to encourage hog raising. In this connection a packing house man recently said: "We are sending north each month \$350,000 to buy live hogs and the packers and independent jobbers together are receiving about 300 cars of pork products every month from foreign markets valued at \$4,200,000. This money should remain in Texas and we are trying to show the stock men how to keep it here. The packing houses in this state have a daily capacity of about 6,000 hogs, but the best we can do is to run on less than half capacity, and as three-fifths of our investment is in the pork equipment you can readily see that a considerable portion of our investment is lying idle. The remedy is more hogs. Texas should supply ninety per cent of the foreign trade in pork products, but at the present time we are getting less than two per cent of this business, because we can not compete with the northern packing plants. We are forced to buy their products

and the cost of freight and extra handling consume our margin and as a consequence northern and eastern markets are supplying the trade that rightfully belongs to Texas."

The export trade in pork products at the present time is about \$2,347,000 a year as compared with a volume of \$117,365,315 for the United States as a whole. Texas should supply \$60,000,000 of this foreign trade, which is over 50 per cent of the total.

The question of a decline in prices with an increase in production is highly improbable because of the ever-increasing demand for pork products. It is estimated that the per capita consumption of pork products in the United States per year is eighty pounds. That this is steadily increasing is proved by the great number of delicatessen stores being installed in all parts of the country. Twenty years ago a business of this nature was a rarity; now it is a necessity. People are demanding prepared meats and the hog offers the most desirable solution.

There is to be no hazing at the Texas State University this year nor at any time in the future if the University shall have its way. To the prospective freshman and to the sedate citizen this will probably be good news. To the upper classman, who has been hazed, and who wants to pass it on, the effect of the rule will be discouraging. But in its larger scope the outlook ought to be satisfactory. Hazing is a silly and sometimes hazardous practice that has no warrant, save in that it has been done a good many times in the past. Universities and colleges and high schools will probably do better with less hazing and fewer secret societies. They ought to be able to worry along with simple scholarship and enough healthful athletics to keep the blood of the student in circulation without the intervention of tar parties and war dances about a naked victim in a snow bank. The Texas experiment will be observed with interest—for hazing has a mighty strong hold upon the young men of the colleges and it will relax that hold when it can retain it no longer.—Galveston News.

## People Remain Young Who Forget Birthdays.

When does old age come? "Years are for the letting of houses, not for the counting away of people's lives." In the old countries people remained young because they forgot birthdays. Some are born old, some grow old, some have old age thrust upon them. There are men of 50 of better heart and mind and of better physical strength than the average man of 21.

I saw a woman in the prime marry a man of 28 years, who was the oldest creature I have ever seen. He had silver hair, a hunch back and black stumps for teeth. Mentally and physically he was crabbled. The average man of 70 was younger than that creature was.—Prof. Bergstrom.

Mrs. J. N. Hill, Homer, Ga., has used Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for years, and says she always recommends it to her friends. "It never fails to cure our coughs and colds and prevents croup. We have five children and always give them Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for a cold, and they are all soon well. We would not be without it in our house." I. W. Sweet.

Mothers who spend the night with a sick baby appreciate the help they get from McGee's Baby Elixir—especially in hot weather. It quiets fever and irritation, soothes the stomach, checks the bowels and helps both mother and child to obtain sleep and rest. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by I. W. Sweet.

## YOU CAN'T AFFORD



TO BRUSH BY THESE BARGAINS

## This Picture Talks

but it doesn't tell the whole story. You must see these goods to appreciate the values. We offer

## To Our Customers

the products of the most reliable manufacturers in the world, and at prices—well, just look them over. There's perfect satisfaction in these brushes. It's your opportunity—embrace it.

## Sweet's Drug Store

## Protecting Young Girls.

Credit should be accorded to Chief of Police John Ryan for the rigorous steps he is taking for the protection of young girls in Dallas. Chief Ryan last week made a personal inspection of every dubious resort and has ordered his men to keep a constant surveillance of any places where young girls may be tempted to make the fatal mistake. Plain clothes men have orders to pick up any girl under age who is seen on the streets alone at night or in doubtful company. Chief Ryan realizes that the police department should use its best efforts to prevent crime as well as to detect criminals. The white slave

traders who prey upon the virtue of young girls should be placed behind the bars, and that punishment is entirely inadequate when the enormity of their crime is considered.—Dallas Times-Herald.

U. A. Smith, Bridgeton, Ind., had kidney trouble for years, and was so crippled with rheumatism he could not dress without help. He started using Foley Kidney Pills and says: "I began to get better at once, and now all my trouble has left me and I do not feel that I ever had rheumatism. I rest well at night and tho' 59 years old, can now do the work of a man of 35 years. I would like to be the means of others getting benefit from Foley Kidney Pills." Refuse substitutes. I. W. Sweet.



Misses Summerville and Howard announce their Fall Millinery Opening Thursday and Friday September 26th and 27th at Jas. S. Shivers & Co's. store.

## Insure Your Life In the Amicable

OF WACO

The strongest company in the Southwest. Policies secured by deposits with the State treasurer. Insure with a representative who is permanently located in your city and will stand behind every statement he makes. Call on me at Crockett State Bank building or drop me a card and I will call on you, whether you are in town or country.

G. B. WILSON



**GREAT VICTORY FOR WILSON IN NEW JERSEY**  
**James Smith, Jr., Is Defeated for Senate by Vote That Is Overwhelming and Growing.**

Newark, New Jersey, Sept. 25.—That Governor Wilson won a sweeping victory in the New Jersey primaries yesterday was evident from returns received here today. In his fight to prevent the nomination for United States senator of former Senator James Smith, Jr., Governor Wilson carried the state by a plurality of nearly 20,000, winning every county except Essex, the stronghold of the Smith forces.

Returns from 511 of the 1799 districts in the state gave Representative William Hughes, the Wilson senatorial candidate, 17,020 to 11,751 for Smith.

Even Essex county, which includes the city of Newark, did not pile up for Senator Smith the overwhelming vote which he expected to receive from his neighbors and townspeople. With a few districts missing, the vote in Essex showed Smith only about 4000 ahead of his opponent. On the other side was Hudson county with an indicated Hughes plurality of 8000 and Mercer county with a Hughes plurality of 1600.

The Morning Star, owned by Smith, concedes the election of Hughes. Later the Wilson candidate issued the following statement from his home in Paterson:

"The vote is an absolute expression of the people of New Jersey in favor of the policies of Governor Wilson. On this basis I submitted my candidacy to the people and they supported me admirably. The victory of Woodrow Wilson seems now assured at the November elections."

It is believed that practically all of the Wilson candidates for nominations throughout the state outside of Essex county were successful.

On the republican side the primaries were uneventful. Senator Frank O. Briggs received an untested endorsement.

The progressives did not figure in the voting except in Hudson county where they defeated the regular organization. In other sections of the state they will nominate by petition.

The total democratic vote was estimated at about 70,000. The plurality for Hughes was estimated as running anywhere between 20,000 and 30,000.

**Parcels Post.**

It is gratifying to note that at last the Congress, before its final adjournment in August, passed almost unanimously an amendment (Section 8) to the Post Office Appropriation Bill (Public No. 336) providing for three kinds of parcels post, two of which are to have a weight limit of eleven pounds, and one a weight limit of four ounces, at different rates, to become operative January 1, 1913.

The present parcels weight limit of four pounds is thus extended to eleven pounds, and conforms with that of several foreign countries. Fourth class mail matter is to embrace all other matter, including farm and factory products, not now embraced in either the first, second or third class, not exceeding eleven pounds, nor larger in size than seventy-two inches in length and girth combined, and not likely to injure in form or kind the person of any postal employe or damage the mail equipment or other mail matter and not of a character perishable within a period reasonably required for transportation and delivery.—Scientific American.

**Citation by Publication.**

The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of D. O. Warren, deceased, Unknown heirs of John McIver, deceased, unknown heirs of Sim Hopkins, deceased, and John F. Butts, Amanda E. Butts, A. D. McBryde, Mary S. McBryde and Chancey Stone, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county to your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston county, to be holden at the Court House of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1912, the same being the 7th day of October, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of July, A. D. 1912, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court 5401, wherein W. B. Cochran is plaintiff, and Lee Warren, J. D. McIver, Bruno Durst, and the unknown heirs of D. O. Warren, deceased, unknown heirs of John McIver, deceased, unknown heirs of Sim Hopkins, deceased, John F. Butts, Amanda E. Butts, A. D. McBryde, Mary S. McBryde and Chancey Stone are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the following described tract of land, situated in Houston county, Texas, same being 112 3-5 acres, more or less, of the John Durst grant of three leagues and eighteen labors, on Trinity river, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a corner made for R. A. Calhoun on the north bank of Rackards' creek, stake from which a P O 30 in. brs.—41 E 10 2-5 vrs, a burr oak 18 in. brs.—5 2-5 vrs. Thence down the north bank of said creek 547 vrs to N E corner of Nelson's survey. Thence with north line of Nelson's survey S 55 1/4 W 1064 vrs. Thence N. 72 W 500 vrs to stake, locust 6 in. brs S 62 W 4 1/4 vrs. Thence N 73 W 137 vrs to stake at Calhoun's corner, locust 10 in. brs S 87 E 4 2-5 vrs, mkd X. Thence N 52 E 1524 vrs to place of beginning. Plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, under title, color of title and deeds duly registered for periods of three, five and ten years, respectively, and specially pleads the three, five and ten years Statutes of Limitation in bar of any adverse claim to said land. Plaintiff further alleges the defendant, Bruno Durst, claims an interest in said land through a conveyance alleged to have been executed by D. O. Warren; that J. D. McIver claims an interest in said land by virtue of a conveyance from J. H. Park; that D. O. Warren claims an interest in said land by virtue of a conveyance from Harriet Durst, as administratrix of the estate of John Durst, to Sim Hopkins and D. O. Warren; that defendants, John F. Butts, Amanda E. Butts, A. D. McBryde, Mary S. McBryde and Chancey Stone claim an interest in said land by reason of the fact that vendor's lien was retained on said land in deed from said defendants to J. R. McIver and failure of record to show the payment of said notes; that any other and further claims of any of said defendants in and to said property are unknown to plaintiff. Plaintiff prays that citation issue and for judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom, substituting any and all missing instruments and for such other and further orders and decrees as plaintiff may be entitled to and for general and special relief.

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

Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the District Court of Houston county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, this the 29th day of July, A. D. 1912.

J. B. STANTON,  
Clerk District Court, Houston county.—Adv.

**Citation by Publication.**

The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Roman de la Garza, deceased, the unknown heirs of Samuel Williams, deceased, unknown heirs of J. J. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of J. M. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of Mahala L. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of John L. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of W. V. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of Virginia A. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of Joseph N. Craddock, deceased; and T. B. Tunstall, R. L. Haynes, T. J. Clark, W. D. Grimes, B. F. Temple and J. H. Leaverton, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county to your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston county, to be holden at the Court House of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1912, the same being the 7th day of October, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of July, A. D. 1912, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 5399, wherein Geo. E. Calhoun is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of Roman de la Garza, deceased, unknown heirs of Samuel Williams, deceased, unknown heirs of J. J. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of Mahala L. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of John L. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of W. V. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of Virginia A. Hall, deceased, unknown heirs of Joseph N. Craddock, deceased; and T. B. Tunstall, R. L. Haynes, T. J. Clark, W. D. Grimes, B. F. Temple and J. H. Leaverton are defendants, and said petition alleging that the plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the following described tract or parcel of land, situated in Houston county, Texas, on Elkhart Creek, about 12 miles N W from Crockett, same being a part of the Roman de la Garza 11 league grant, and being out of sections Nos. two, three, eighteen, nineteen and twenty, according to the subdivision plan of said grant, and containing 1102 1/4 acres, more or less, and bounded as follows: Beginning on the S B line of section No. 20, 594 vrs from the N W corner of section No. 1, which is the N B line of section No. 20, 594 vrs from the N W corner of section No. 20, Thence S 55 W 1857 vrs to corner in the north line of section 19; thence north 35 west 531 vrs to corner. Thence N 55 E 531 vrs to corner in Nat Walker's line. Thence N. 35 W 153 vrs Nat Walker's N. E. corner. Thence S 55 W 1368 vrs to stake in W B line of section 2, two black jacks mkd X, containing same course 950 vrs, in all 2318 vrs to corner. Thence S 55 E 617 vrs to corner in the S B line of section 3, a R O 10 in. mkd X brs N 63 W 6 vrs, a P O 6 in. brs N 42 E 3 vrs. Thence N 55 E 164 vrs corner 2 black jacks mkd X. Thence S 33 1/2 E 1006 vrs to corner in the north bank of little Elkhart creek at the old gin ford. Thence up said creek with its meanders S 74 E 280 vrs, N 85 E 140 vrs, N 86 1/4 E 467 vrs to a stake in the east boundary line of section 18 where Elkhart creek crosses same. Thence N 35 E 448 vrs to corner in the division line between sections 18 and 19. Thence N 55 E 1100 1/4 vrs corner. Thence S 35 E 778 vrs to corner in the S B line of section No. 19. Thence N 55 E with the S B line of sections Nos. 19 and 20 1472 vrs to a corner in the S B line of section 20. Thence N 35 W 1900 vrs to the place of beginning; plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for periods of five and ten years, respectively, and the plaintiff specially pleads the five and ten years Statutes of Limitation in bar of any claims asserted by the defendants, and the plaintiff sets out in his original petition all the deeds and other instruments under and by virtue of which he claims title to said land. Plaintiff alleges that there is no deed now of record out of said R. de la Garza conveying said property to any one, but that said property was conveyed by said R. de la Garza to J. J. Hall; that both said deed and the record thereof have been destroyed by fire and upon trial secondary evidence will be offered of the contents and existence of said deed; plaintiff further alleges that there is no deed on record to E. F. Tubb conveying said property, nor to J. H. Mills, conveying said property, which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title; that the defendant, T. J. Clark, conveyed a part of said property to plaintiff and retained the vendor's lien to secure the payment of note which has been fully paid; that the defendant, H. M. Walker, conveyed a part of said property to plaintiff and retained a lien to secure the payment of notes which have been paid; that the defendant, W. D. Grimes, conveyed a part of said property to plaintiff and retained a lien to said notes which have been paid; that R. H. Berry executed a deed of trust on a part of said property to secure the payment of one note which has been paid; that the defendant, B. F. Temple, conveyed a part of said property to T. J. Temple and that T. J. Temple conveyed a part of same to D. W. Zimmerman in both of which deeds liens were retained to secure the payment of notes which have been paid, and that the defendant, J. H. Leaverton conveyed a part of said property to James and W. H. O'Connell, and that the lien was retained to secure the payment of notes therein specified which have been long paid off and discharged, and by reason of the fact that no releases of any of said liens have been executed a cloud is cast on plaintiff's title and plaintiff says any other or further claims of the defendants are unknown; plaintiff prays judgment for said land, removing all clouds and for general and special relief.

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

Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the District Court of Houston county.

Given under my hand and the seal of

**FOLEY'S KIDNEY PILLS**  
FOR BACKACHE, KIDNEY AND BLOOD.

"One step won't take you very far—  
You got to keep on walking;  
One word won't tell folks what you are—  
You've got to keep on talking;  
One inch won't make you very tall—  
You've got to keep on growing;  
One little ad won't do it all—  
You've got to keep 'em going."

said Court, at office in Crockett, this the 29th day of July, A. D. 1912.

J. B. STANTON,  
Clerk District Court, Houston County.

**Citation by Publication.**

The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of Elisha Clapp, and unknown heirs of J. R. Simpson, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county to your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston county, to be holden at the Court House of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1912, the same being the 7th day of October, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1912, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 5403, wherein W. W. Latham is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of Elisha Clapp and unknown heirs of J. R. Simpson, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the following described tract of land, lying and being situated in Houston County, Texas, and being a part of the Elisha Clapp league, and also a part of the G. W. Rhone's 503 1/2 acre tract on said league, and described by field notes as follows: Beginning at a stake in the S. W. boundary line of said Clapp league S 35 E 1386 vrs from the N W corner of said league 30 vrs south of the Alabama road, a hickory 14 in. brs S 18 E 2 vrs. Thence N 55 E 625 vrs to stake on Geo. W. Rhone's N E boundary, a B J 6 in. brs S 48 E 1 var; Do, 4 in. brs S 72 W 2 vrs. Thence S 35 E with Rhone's N E boundary line 2709 6-10 vrs to James Bynum's N E corner. Thence S 35 W with Bynum's line 625 vrs to his N W corner on J. H. Cummings' N E boundary. Thence N 55 W with Cummings' and Gossett's league line at 2709 6-10 vrs, the place of beginning, bearings marked X, and containing Three Hundred acres, more or less, less Sixty sold to Mac Elliot off the south end of said tract on the 29th of December, 1892, said sixty acres bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the N E corner of James Bynum's survey. Thence N 35 W at 542 vrs set stake for corner in prairie. Thence S 55 W 625 vrs set stake for corner. Thence S 35 E at 542 vrs stake for corner. Thence N 55 E at 625 vrs, set stake for corner, the place of beginning.

Plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same, under deeds duly registered, paying all taxes due thereon, for a period of five years, between the years of 1868 and 1890; that plaintiff and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for a period of ten years between the said years of 1868 and 1890, and before the filing of this suit, and plaintiff specially pleads the five and ten years Statutes of Limitation in bar of any claim asserted by the defendants to plaintiff's title. Plaintiff would further show that there is no deed on record out of Elisha Clapp, the original grantee, conveying said property, that plaintiff has reason to believe that said property was conveyed by said Clapp; and that J. R. Simpson at one time conveyed said property to one E. L. Dorsett, the wife of Elijah Dorsett, one of plaintiff's remote vendors, but that said deed has been lost or destroyed, which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title. Wherefore plaintiff prays that citation issue in terms of the law, and that he have judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom, substituting all missing instruments and for general and special relief.

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

Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the District Court of Houston county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Crockett, this the 5th day of August, A. D. 1912.

J. B. STANTON,  
Clerk District Court, Houston County.

**Citation by Publication.**

The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon the unknown heirs of John Edens, deceased, unknown heirs of Alford Edens, deceased, unknown heirs of W. W. Taylor, deceased, and unknown heirs of Ellen Taylor, deceased, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for eight successive weeks, previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county to your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Houston county, to be holden at the Court House of said Houston county, in the town of Crockett, on the fifth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1912, the same being the 7th day of October, A. D. 1912, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of July, A. D. 1912, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 5398, wherein G. C. Little, is plaintiff, and the unknown heirs of John Edens, deceased, unknown heirs of Alford Edens, deceased, unknown heirs of W. W. Taylor, deceased, and unknown heirs of Ellen L. Taylor, deceased, are defendants, and said petition alleging that plaintiff is the owner in fee simple of the following described tract or parcel of land, situated in Houston county, Texas, same being 331 acres, more or less, and known as Lot No. Eleven out of the subdivision of the John Edens league, on Elkhart creek, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the N W corner of said league. Thence S 60 E with said N B line of the league 1687 vrs to stake, the N W corner of lot No. 4, from which a post oak 13 in. brs S 55 E 9 vrs and a hickory 10 in. brs S 74 1/2 W 6 1/4 vrs. Thence S 30 W 1110 vrs to stake in the N E corner of lot No. 10, from which a hickory 3 in. brs S 63 E 1 var. Thence N 6 W with the N B line of said lot 1687 vrs to a stake in the west boundary of the league from which a hickory brs N 45 E 14 vrs. Thence N 30 E to place of beginning; plaintiff alleges that he and those under whom he claims title to said land have been in the actual, continuous, peaceable and adverse possession thereof, cultivating, using and enjoying the same under deeds duly registered, paying all taxes thereon for a period of five years immediately preceding filing of this suit, and that plaintiff and those under whom he claims title to said land have held such possession for a period of more than ten years immediately preceding the filing of this suit; and plaintiff pleads specially the five and ten years Statutes of Limitation in bar of any adverse claims to said land. Plaintiff further alleges that there is no deed of record out of the said John Edens, original grantee, to any one, conveying said land, but alleges a partition thereof between the heirs of John Edens after his death, and that above land was set apart in such partition to said Alford Edens, and that now there is nothing of record to show title into or out of said Alford Edens; plaintiff would further show that said land was conveyed by F. M. Jones to Ellen L. Taylor, wife of said W. W. Taylor, in year 1865, and that in 1879 said Ellen L. Taylor conveyed same to Dan P. Little, and alleges that if the said W. W. Taylor was living at the time of the execution of said deed, then same is defective, and all of which casts a cloud on plaintiff's title; that any other or further claims of any of said defendants in and to said property are unknown to plaintiff; plaintiff prays that citation issue, that he have his judgment for said land, removing all clouds therefrom, and for such other and further orders and decrees in and to which he may be entitled.

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

Witness, J. B. Stanton, clerk of the District Court of Houston county.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, this the 29th day of July, A. D. 1912.

J. B. STANTON,  
Clerk District Court, Houston County.

Chronic rheumatism contracts the muscles, distorts the joints and undermines the strength. A powerful penetrating and relieving remedy will be found in Ballard's Snow Liniment. It restores strength and suppleness to the aching limbs. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by I. W. Sweet.—Adv.

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## COULD NOT SWALLOW HIS STORY.

### ENORMITY OF TRUTH WAS BEYOND HIS COMPREHENSION.

#### General Sam Houston Endeavored to Impress Wild Men With the Great Strength of Caucasians.

Oklahoma City, Ok., Sept. 21.—The early Texas pioneers met with considerable difficulty in making the Indians realize to what extent the white people had grown, and how utterly hopeless was the task of driving settlers away by means of their warfare," said Editor Stump Ashby of Antlers, recently renominated for the legislature from Pushmataha county.

"Whites living on the fringe of civilization sixty years ago did so in deadly fear of raids and butcheries. They slept with their weapons by their sides and responded from slumber at every signal of an approaching danger. Many of the old Indians will testify as to the settlers' alacrity. Indians usually fought in the day time and in a circle; that is, when attacking they would ride hard around their quarry, firing to kill, but if resistance became too stubborn, as it usually did, the circle broke and the assaulters rode to a safe distance for consultation. They were mystified that the whites did not pull up stakes and go.

"The Indian brave believed that if the thin Caucasian line on the prairies was wiped out it insured his undisturbed tenure of the domain, and it required both time and measures to convince him of the false basis upon which his presumption rested. Practically no scheme to show the futility of the butcheries was left untried. General Sam Houston hit upon the idea of having representatives of the Kiowas, the Comanches, the Arapahoes and other belligerent bands in Texas and what is now Oklahoma meet him in conference, his purpose being by means of illustration to show that white people were too numerous to be trifled with; that they had already accomplished more than the red man dreamed of; and, finally, to overcome the Indians' incredulity as to the purpose of the white man's endurance. General Houston wanted a treaty that would stick longer than one season.

The conference was arranged for and held on Grapevine Prairie, twenty miles northeast of Fort Worth, Texas, with Bull Eagle, a brave of some celebrity in that day, as interpreter. Tall, waving grass blanketing the prairie swung with the wind and glistened in the sunlight. As soon as the council gathered there was an exchange of greetings, for General Houston was known to all Southwestern tribes, having himself lived among the Cherokees soon after leaving Tennessee. Old Bull Eagle stood to his height a marvelous physical specimen, bearing a face that an artist would term typical of the life. A tailor fashion was the council ton, with hand

uplifted, palm extended, as a signal of peaceful intentions and inviting attention, told Bull Eagle to say that he wanted to make a treaty with his people.

"Tell them, Bull Eagle," said the general, "it is useless for the Indian to make war against the whites, for they are as numerous as the grass that is now about us."

"Bull Eagle uttered a series of gutturals that contained the message, and the Indians, with eyes looking on the ground, only grunted, which is their method of giving assent.

"Tell them, Bull Eagle," continued General Houston to illustrate the accomplishment in ship building, 'that the white man has a great house that floats upon the water. It is big enough to put within all the Kiowas, Comanches, Arapahoes and Apaches and it is moved by a great iron horse that is fed on fire, and can go farther in a moon than an Indian can ride his pony in twenty moons.'

"Bull Eagle grunted a little hard, but forth came the gutturals, and the message received delivery so all the reds understood.

"Tell them, Bull Eagle," followed the general, to depict the railroad train, 'that the white man can hook his wagons one behind the other until there is a great line of them, and into these wagons you can load all the Kiowas, Comanches, Arapahoes, Apaches, Shawnees and Potawatomes, and it is pulled by a great iron horse, also fed on fire, and can go farther in a moon than an Indian can ride his pony in fifty moons.'

"The grunts Bull Eagle let out this time caused even the battle-scarred general to look askance, and when the message reached the squatted conferees in the circle they grunted long and dubious-like and glanced at one another. It was almost too much for them.

"Tell them, Bull Eagle," pursued the general, taking up a stick to convey the idea of a telegraph wire, 'that the white man has a long iron string stretching far over the prairies, and a man standing at this end and another at that can talk to each other like a flash of lightning, and they are farther apart than an Indian can ride his pony in a hundred moons.'

"Bull Eagle was sullen and silent. "Did you tell them, Bull Eagle?" asked the general.

"Mebby so, general," spoke the old Indian in English; 'me no tell it Indian. Me no believe that lie myself.'

"The peace treaty was concluded in a hurry, the Indians promising, as they had done before, to be good, but it ended with the season, and General Houston was about ready to give up in despair."

#### Marry If You Would Live Long.

Among the many authorities who have contended that if one wishes to live long he should get married may be mentioned Dr. Jacques Bertillon, who has recently brought forward quite an array of statistics to prove the correctness of his contentions.

Taking the male population of France in 1901 between the ages of 18 and 84, he finds that the rate of mortality is much greater among the unmarried than among the married, and much greater among the widowers than among the bachelors.

According to these statistics, married men's chances for long life are twice greater than the unmarried and four times greater than widowers. The difference, however, decreases with age, but is perceptible up to extreme old age.

But the differences are less for women than for men. Though mortality for unmarried women is greater than for the married, the difference is not so great

case of men. Likewise, widows have a mortality appreciably greater than that of married women at the same age, but after 40 it is inferior to spinsters.

On the contrary, widowhood is injurious to young women. The mortality from 20 to 25 is twice that of married women at the same age. This tenacity of life of the married over the unmarried is attributed chiefly to the improved social conditions of the former over the latter.

The fact that many monks and nuns confined in cloisters, and many tradesmen confined in small shops much of their time, have lived to extreme old age only proves, if it proves anything, that in all probability they were endowed with extraordinary staying power, and therefore lived long in spite of their unfavorable surroundings.

Mr. French, an American statistician, whose researches cover a period of forty-three years, and include a list of 238,702 persons above 20 years of age and having a settled occupation, arrives at the conclusion that if one wishes to live long he must live and work much in the open air. According to Mr. French's statistics, Massachusetts telephone girls live 39 years, while clerks and accountants live 49; bankers and financiers, 49.6; professors, priests and doctors, 52.16, and farmers, 66.3 years.

The wide variation in the duration of life and the rate of mortality in different countries and in different localities in the same country indicates that they are governed by the law of hygiene and the conservation of energy.—Houston Chronicle.

#### Rockefeller on Business Routine.

Writing in the Strand Magazine for September on the factors that make for success in business, John D. Rockefeller says:

"I confess that I attach great importance to routine. I believe that every young man who intends to succeed in business should do as I did—take a course at a commercial college. I do not believe in what is called the "rule of thumb;" the rudiments of business should be properly taught and the ground prepared to build upon. If a youth has had no thorough grounding, a time may come when his weakness for detail will show itself.

"When people write to me asking for the secret of my success, I always tell them I owe everything to a love for and mastery of details. A man playing chess or billiards or golf must attend to details if he wants to win—why must he not do so in business? Everyone ought to be able to keep his own books and know exactly to a penny how the money comes in and how it goes out.

"I have known many bright, intelligent men who never really knew all the facts about their own affairs. They did not actually know when they were making money on a certain operation and when they were losing. Such business men live in a fool's paradise; they hate to study their books and face the truth. They are often brilliant at a single great stroke, but they cannot keep up the game, simply because they are weak in detail, and they never studied its principles."

#### Bryn Mawr Horse Show.

Bryn Mawr, Pa., Sept. 25.—The annual Bryn Mawr horse show opened here today at the Bryn Mawr Polo Club. The show is the most important event of early fall from a fashionable standpoint, as all of the millionaire horse owners of New York, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts and New Jersey practically have entries.

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