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"Quality, Not Quantity."

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FACTORY OUTLOOK MORE ENCOURAGING

Keep Bringing Us the Facts—
Our Monthly Sales
Days.

We are wondering if that scolding we indulged in last week because the people hereabouts had paid so little attention to our announcement in regard to the prospects of our securing a big spoke factory plant here that would make a cash market for our unlimited supply of hard wood timber, we say we are wondering if that scolding didn't do some good. It is a fact however, that within a day or so after the papers came out the information we wanted began to show up and it was not long before we had a supply of evidence that should convince any concern that was looking for the best hardwood location in the South that we had it right here and was prepared to exhibit the evidence whenever called upon to do so.

The next move is up to the people and we are expecting notice most any day now that on a certain train a man will arrive to look over the situation and we want all

the evidence that can be provided because we have put it up pretty strong and it will take all the proof we can collect to make good our statements. We have the timber of the kind wanted and enough of it, but we must be prepared to "show them" for they are from Missouri. Now let me add once more, that this is our opportunity to turn our large supply of hardwood lumber into ready cash, not only for this year, when it is so much needed, but every year for the next generation. This is no small one horse affair that we are talking about, but one of the largest and most successful concerns in the country engaged in this kind of manufacturing business. While it will of necessity have a small beginning it will not take long to get under way in a manner that will require a hundred to a hundred and fifty hands, right at the factory, with a payroll of fifteen hundred to two thousand dollars a week and several times that amount paid out for timber that would be hauled into the factory from all sections of the county. In other words it would mean bringing new outside money into Houston County in such large quantities as would be most beneficial. And nearly every farmer could get some of it, and he could get it whenever he might take the

time to cut and haul some of his hardwood timber to Crockett.

Our second live stock sales day which took place on Wednesday of last week was a rather tame affair compared with the first one. Quite a number of animals were offered and sold and two Ford automobiles changed ownership, but few people came to town on account of the sale and it would not be considered a howling success. Do you want to know why? Just because there was no effort made to popularize the event. The merchants did not advertise the affair in our home papers nor did they offer any inducements for the farmers to come to town that day like they did the first occasion, and they didn't come, nor will they be induced to come to town in the middle of the week unless it is made an event a good deal out of the ordinary. Some have said that the general conditions are not favorable for such an undertaking, hard times and money too scarce. We have to keep right on living don't we? And when we haven't much money we want to make it go as far as possible and are looking for the most attractive places to spend that little. Shall we try it again and put our united and best efforts into the movement? Come around to the Club rooms and let's talk it over.

H. A. Fisher, Secretary.

JUST A WORD WITH OUR SUBSCRIBERS

Two Courier subscribers who have renewed during the last week have asked the Courier to make no mention of their names, giving private and business reasons for so requesting. If there are any who are hesitating about renewing or subscribing for the Courier because not wanting their names to appear for any reason please let them so advise us, like the two so requesting this week, and their names will be omitted. We do not want any one to do without the Courier because he prefers that his name be not published in that connection.

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

M. McCarty, Crockett Rt. 4.
Judge S. A. Denny, Crockett.
C. R. Stephenson, Crockett Rt. Four.
C. C. Warfield, Crockett.
B. F. Dent, Crockett.
C. H. Callaway, Crockett.
J. W. Hail, Crockett.
C. H. Jones, Crockett.
Clifford Kennedy, Crockett.
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A. B. Burton, Crockett.
Jim Porter, Crockett.
J. S. Arrington, Crockett.
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John F. Baker, Crockett.
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First National Bank, Crockett.
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W. E. Hail, Crockett.
J. A. McConnell, Crockett.
G. Q. King, Crockett.
Dr. M. A. Thomas, Crockett.
W. A. Norris, Crockett.
Bud Rice, Crockett Rt. 1.
Mrs. J. V. Collins, Crockett.
U. M. Brock, Grapeland.
P. D. Austin, Crockett.
Miss Mabel Johnson, Crockett.

RATIFICATION IS DEFEATED

Three Futile Attempts to Ratify Made; Adjournment Halts Vote on Resolution.

Washington, Nov. 19.—Failing after three attempts to ratify the peace treaty, the senate late Wednesday laid it aside, ended the special session and went home.

All compromise efforts to bring ratification failed, the three resolutions of ratification all going down by overwhelming majorities.

Republican leader Lodge declared that under the rules the senate action was final unless the treaty was withdrawn and then resubmitted by the President.

The democratic leaders did not agree with him.

After disposing of the treaty, Senator Lodge introduced a resolution proposing that congress declare the war with Germany at an end. The resolution would require assent of the house. It declares that the actual hostility of the German government recited in the American declaration of war has ceased, that an armistice has been signed and proposes that congress declare that the "state of war is hereby declared at an end." It was referred to the foreign relations committee and the senate adjourned sine die at 11:08 o'clock with no action taken on it.

The first vote on ratification—the one containing the Lodge reservations—stood 39 for to 5 against. On the second vote, taken after several hours of parliamentary wrangle, in which the democrats made vain efforts to win over some of the republican group of mild reservationists, 41 senators voted in the affirmative and 51 in the negative.

The third vote was on a straightout ratification without reservations, which got only 38 votes to 53 opposing it. Only one republican, Senator McCumber of North Dakota, voted with the democrats in its support.

The Gift of Gifts

What will you send your son, or daughter, or other relative or friend for Christmas?

The problem is not a difficult one to solve. Nothing would give them more lasting pleasure than a year's subscription to this paper. It would be to them a weekly letter from home and a constant reminder of your thoughtfulness.

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The Crockett Courier
Crockett, Texas

OPPORTUNITY!

We are looking for a wide awake representative in this county—a man who is willing to work and "make good."

I will be here shortly and if you are looking for an opportunity like this, write me at once so I can arrange to see you when I am here.

F. E. DEMPSEY, District Mgr.
care Adolphus Hotel, Dallas, Texas or this paper
Men with Rigs or Fords preferred
but not absolutely necessary.

A COLD—and the Consequence

The severe influenza epidemic which has swept the entire country, convinces all of us that it doesn't pay to neglect the so-called "slight cold." In fact, every cold is serious and should be treated as quickly as it appears. A neglected cold may result in Grippe, Tonsillitis, Pneumonia and other dangerous complications.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

All hats at half price at the Vogue Millinery. 1t.

Elbert Betts has accepted employment at Burkburnett.

Homer Beazley left Saturday night for the North Texas oil fields.

Miss Willie Adelaide Meriwether was a visitor in Austin last week.

Mrs. Bricker will give you a bargain in up-to-date millinery. Next to Cartwright's. 1t.

John A. Murchison of Grape-land has accepted a position with the Bishop Pharmacy.

Sam H. Sharp, who was with J. O. Monday & Son at Lovelady, is now with G. L. Murray & Co.

Hogs Wanted.

See me before you sell your hogs. Luther Lively. 4t*.

Miss Virginia Mae Foster returned Monday from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Chas. P. Jones, in Houston.

For Sale—One house and lot in Brunner addition. For particulars phone 231. 2t*.

Avon Sallas.

House Wanted

Want to rent house of four or five rooms, with water and lights, as close in as possible. 2t*.

Dr. T. J. Hackett.

The Eastern Star organization of Crockett will hold an initiation Friday night at which time a large number of applications for membership will be passed on.

Deaton's Barber Shop.

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A pair of young, gentle mules, also farming implements, for sale. For prices see—

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Two furnished rooms, for single gentlemen, with electric lights. May be had with table board next door. For particulars apply to Mrs. Louise Leediker, West Crockett. 2t.

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Mrs. Gaines Murchison.

Fancy Work

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society will have a sale of fancy work at the residence of Mrs. James S. Shivers on Wednesday, December 3, at 3 p. m. The patronage of the public is solicited. 1t.

For Sale.

Five used cars as follows: Three five-passenger Ford cars, one Regal roadster and one Ford truck. Will sell cheap for cash, or trade for good smooth young cattle. See T. J. Woolbridge, Lovelady, Texas. 3t.

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J. M. Driskell, Rt. 3, Box 16, Lovelady, Texas.

Goobers and Peanuts for Planting.

I have several hundred bushels of hog goobers and Spanish peanuts. Among the four kinds I have you can certainly find the kind you want. As long as the weather permits I expect to take a load to Crockett on Mondays; Lovelady on Saturdays. Ask Arnold Bros. for me in Crockett; every one knows me in Lovelady. These seed are going fast and they are scarce throughout the southwest. To be sure of getting yours write me how many you want and what kind.

Geo. M. Jeffus, R. F. D. No. 6, Crockett, Texas

Announcement

Dickson Jewelry and Optical Store will occupy the Millar building next door to post office, where we will give you the same service, the kind that gives satisfaction. Come over and see us in our new location. 1t.

Announcement.

There is to be a box supper at Union Grove school Saturday night, November 29, for the purpose of purchasing an organ for the church. Everybody is invited to come and bring a box. Committee.

Stray Mule

Strayed from the farm of J. I. Satterwhite, a dun-colored mare-mule, about 10 years old, about 14 hands high. Branded on right shoulder. Will pay \$10.00 for recovery. 2t*.

Jim Roberts.

Good Roads Meeting.

On Friday, November 28, the Commissioners' Court will meet on SPECIAL SESSION to confer with the Advisory Boards of the various Independent Road Districts and with all citizens interested in good roads. At that time they will take up the appointment of overseers for next year and it is expected that the various Advisory Boards will have their list of overseers ready. Roads not in Independent Road Districts should be represented by committees sent here for that purpose. 2t.

A. E. Owens, County Clerk.

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J. T. Harrison, Crockett, Texas.

Memories of Home.

The following brief message from Hon. D. A. Richardson, now a prominent attorney of Douglas, Arizona, but who was reared at Crockett, shows the

spirit of attachment which he has for the old home town and for the old home town newspaper:

"Crockett Courier:

"Enclosed please find check for \$3.00, subscription for two years to the Courier. I would not like to give the Courier up, as it is the only remaining link between me and my old home and birth place.

"Yours sincerely,
"D. A. Richardson."

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To Tom Harris, who resides in Houston County, Texas, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit: 150 acres of the Thomas Harris survey abstract No. 1198, being the specific 150 acres claimed and rendered by Tom Harris in and for the year 1905 on the Thomas Harris 160 acre survey and being all the right, title, interest and claim which the said Thomas Harris now has in and to the said Thomas Harris survey, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the years 1890-1918 inclusive in the sum of \$187.03, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1582 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 10th day of November, A. D. 1919. V. B. Tunstall, (Seal) Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To T. D. McHenry and Mrs. M. J. McHenry, both of whom at one time resided in Houston County, Texas, near Kennard, but whose place of residence is at present unknown, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

8 1/4 acres of the W. Wells survey abstract No. 1096, being the specific tract claimed and rendered by Mrs. M. J. McHenry in 1916 and by T. D. McHenry in 1918 and all the right, title and claim of either of them in and to said Wells survey, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$8.43, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1034 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 10th day of November, A. D. 1919. V. B. Tunstall, (Seal) Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

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The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To Geo. W. Dobney, who resides in the County of Mills, State of Iowa, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

sons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

One tract of 192 acres of land, a part of the J. M. Bryan survey, abstract No. 164 of Houston County, being fully described in deed of Fred G. Delfs to Geo. W. Dobney of record in Vol. 88 page 409 of the deed records of Houston County and dated July 10th, 1918, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$17.72, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1611 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 8th day of November, A. D. 1919. V. B. Tunstall, (Seal) Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

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The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To J. T. Dickey, of Houston County, and the heirs and legal representatives of J. T. Dickey, deceased, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

One tract of land being 63 acres of the Jacob Allbright survey, abstract No. 97 of Houston County, Fully described in deed of Erastus Hamp to J. T. Dickey by deed dated November 25th, 1918, recorded in vol. 69 page 92 of Houston County deed records, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$5.90, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1614 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 8th day of November, A. D. 1919. V. B. Tunstall, (Seal) Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

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The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To Mrs. M. Schwing, non-resident; resident of Louisville, Kentucky; Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

One tract of 300 acres of the O. M. Vinton league survey, abstract No. 89 of Houston County as described in deed of West Lbr. Co. to Mrs. M. Schwing et al of record in vol. 60 page 29 of the deed records of Houston County, deed dated November 18, 1910, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$36.40, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1608 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 8th day of November, A. D. 1919. V. B. Tunstall, (Seal) Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To J. V. Mayes, who resides in Houston County, Texas, and the heirs and legal representatives of James V. Mayes, deceased, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

One tract of 42 acres, a part of the Jacob Allbright survey abstract No. 97, fully described in deed from Calvin B. Morton to W. V. Mayes dated February 20th, 1855, and recorded in Vol. 8 page 587 of the Houston County Deed Records, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$3.93, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to ap-

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Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 8th day of November, A. D. 1919. V. B. Tunstall, (Seal) Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To Major Glover, who resides in Houston County, and the heirs and legal representatives of Major Glover, deceased, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

25 acres of the Jacob Allbright League, abstract No. 97; fully described in deed from J. F. Leathers to Major Glover, dated April 22, 1903, and recorded in Vol. 35 page 3 of the deed records of Houston County, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$2.27, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1621 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 8th day of November, A. D. 1919. V. B. Tunstall, (Seal) Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To Stillwell Box, Patrick Corrigan, John H. Burnett, the heirs and legal representatives of each of the aforesaid, deceased, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

The Stillwell Box 18 acre survey, abstract No. 208, of Houston County, Texas, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$4.64, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the State for the collec-

tion of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1199 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 7th day of November, A. D. 1919. V. B. Tunstall, (Seal) Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

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The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To John M. Satterwhite, who resides in Houston County, Texas, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

The J. Bynum 29 acre survey abstract No. 197 of Houston County, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$4.98, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1196 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 7th day of November, A. D. 1919. V. B. Tunstall, (Seal) Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

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The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To C. B. Granberry, who resides in Harris County, Texas, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

The I. Parker 177 acre survey abstract No. 806 of Houston County, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$18.41, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1247 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 7th day of November, A. D. 1919. V. B. Tunstall, (Seal) Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

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PRESIDENT PUTS IN BUSIEST DAY SINCE FORCED TO HIS BED

Signs 12 Bills, But Writing Is Not of Same Steady Hand of Before.

Washington, Nov. 19.—President Wilson Wednesday put in the busiest day he has experienced since he was forced to his bed early in October after his nervous breakdown on the transcontinental trip, and it was said at the White House Wednesday night that he was "a very weak man yet." Although fatigued, it was stated there was no serious relapse in his condition.

The approaching adjournment of congress was the cause of the extra work done by the president, the signing of 12 bills being among the tasks incident to his part in ending the session. He signed a number of commissions, wrote several memoranda and letters and took an active interest in the developments in the fight in the senate over the ratification of the peace treaty.

Fails to See Committee.

Wednesday afternoon the house committee, comprising Representatives Champ Clark, Mondell and Townner, accompanied by Sergeant-at-Arms Joseph G. Rodgers, called at the White House to notify the president of the contemplated adjournment and ask him if there was any further executive business for the house. It had been planned for this committee to see the president personally, but Dr. Grayson urged against it in view of Mr. Wilson's "fagged" condition. Secretary Tumulty informed the president regarding the committee's visit and acted as "go-between."

Before the committee had left the White House after being informed that the president had no further matters for consideration by the house at this session the 12 bills signed by Mr. Wilson were brought to the executive office with his signature affixed.

Signatures Unsteady.

The handwriting was not in the firm style of the president and rather on a bias.

One of the bills provides for the continuance of the supervision by the war trade board over the importation of dyestuffs and another was the so-called \$400,000,000 car refunding act.

Despite a chilly wind the president was wheeled out of doors on the south portico Wednesday afternoon. He spent nearly an hour in the fresh air.

It was announced that because of the steady improvement in the condition of the

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president the daily consultation of Drs. Grayson, Ruffin and Stitt will be discontinued. It is expected that a consultation will be held about once a week.

Tire Conservation Day.

One of the most remarkable recent movements to attain national prominence is the one that has for its object the pointing out of methods by which motorists may obtain increased mileage from their tires.

One would imagine that tire dealers would be pleased to have tires wear out quickly, so that new purchases would be necessary. But this is not generally true. There is more rejoicing today over one car owner whose tires run 10,000 to 15,000 miles than over a hundred whose lack of care prevents them from getting many miles they are entitled to.

This national tire conservation movement will reach Crockett on December 6, when Tire Conservation Day will be observed. Carrying out the idea of helping all local motorists to secure more service from their tires, Smith-Murchison Hardware Co. has arranged to have an expert from the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company present at the demonstrations, who will give an entire day over to the consideration of the tire problems of all local motorists, pointing out the most insignificant repairs which, if made in time, will add immeasurably to tire mileage.

The Right to Exist.

Some time ago when the French railway employes went on strike, and soldiers took charge of the trains at the direction of the government, a delegation of strikers waited upon Premier Clemenceau and demanded "by what right conscripted soldiers were employed to run the trains." And then and there Clemenceau uttered a sentiment which it is well for all of us in this country to keep in mind. He said:

"By the right of the community to exist."

With strikes pending and threatened, remember that the community has a right to exist. A contention between steel workers and their employers, and disagreement between coal miners and the operators, does not remove this right.—Columbus Dispatch.

An attachment to be operated by a typist's knee has been patented to push a typewriter carriage back when the end of a line is reached.

Operating much like ice tongs, a bracket has been invented to hold a camera on a tree trunk or other upright object that its jaws can grip.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To W. L. Barbee Est., the heirs and legal representatives of W. L. Barbee, deceased, and of E. W. McCullar, who resides in Houston County, Texas, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

The J. A. Porterfield 160 acre survey, abstract No. 838 of Houston County, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the years 1910-1917 and 1918 in the sum of \$50.13, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1356 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 7th day of November, A. D. 1919. V. B. Tunstall, (Seal) Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

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The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To H. C. Foreman, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or

DON'T MISS THIS!

Free Demonstration On the Care of Tires

On December 6, a Goodyear Tire expert will be in our store to give a demonstration on tire conservation. He comes here to help you get more mileage from your tires.

Illustrated lectures, informal discussions and actual demonstrations of the use of tire savers will go on throughout the day. You can drop in any time and hear him.

He will show you how a tire is made, why it is made that way, why tires wear out prematurely; he will tell you about the different tire abuses and how to avoid them.

There are many other points that will be touched upon during the day. Proper loads for passenger cars and trucks, proper inflation of tires, how to care for tread cuts, faulty wheel alignment, and how to treat a stone bruise will be described.

A half hour spent with this man will save you many hours and many dollars in the future. Don't fail to attend this free demonstration.

Remember the Date
December 6th
All Day

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claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

1-4 acre of the J. Erwin survey, abstract No. 396, being the specific tract claimed and rendered by H. C. Foreman, defendant, in and for the year 1918 and all the interest, right, title and claim of said defendant in and to said J. Erwin survey abstract No. 396, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$6.54, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall

not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 912 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 6th day of November, A. D. 1919. V. B. Tunstall, (Seal) Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To Henry Dailey, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

27½ acres on the H. Durst survey

abstract No. 1375, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$4.12, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1494 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 6th day of November, A. D. 1919. V. B. Tunstall, (Seal) Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

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The State of Texas and County of Houston:

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WILSON WILL NOT RESCIND WAR TIME PROHIBITION BILL

Announcement Sets at Rest
Rumors That Ban Will
Be Lifted.

Washington, Nov. 20.—While the supreme court was hearing argument Thursday on the validity of the war time prohibition act, word went out from the White House that President Wilson would not rescind the "dry" act until peace formally had been declared.

This was expected to set at rest the ever recurring rumors that the "dry" ban would be lifted by the president, irrespective of early ratification of the treaty of Versailles.

Failure of the senate to act on the treaty at the extraordinary session was regarded by many administration officials as precluding the ending of the technical state of war much before the constitutional prohibition amendment became effective next January 16.

Should such prove the case, the only possibility of a "wet" country would be for the supreme court to declare the war time act unconstitutional.

The arguments, which will be concluded Friday, were in appeals brought to the supreme court from Kentucky, where the war time prohibition act was declared unconstitutional, and from New York, where federal court decrees sustained both the war time and the enforcement acts and dismissed injunction pro-

ceedings sought to enable Dryfoos, Blum & Co. to remove whiskey from bond, and Jacob Ruppert, a brewer, to manufacture beer containing more than one-half of 1 per cent of alcohol.

Social Event in Missouri.

Independence, asserts the Examiner, doesn't wait for New York or Paris to set the styles. A whooping cough party is the latest in Independence, and New York and Paris may copy if they wish. A little girl who had whooping cough and a birthday anniversary at the same time, gave a party to which only those who had or had had whooping cough were invited. Everything went off with a whoop and the Examiner offers an unpunched transfer to anyone who can not guess what sort of a success the party was.—Kansas City Times.

Well Known Preacher Tells How His Son Was Cured.

One of the best known Methodist ministers in Texas is Rev. J. W. Hill, who is now pastor of the Methodist church in Denton. Many people in Honey Grove besides this writer know him well. We also know his son, Horace, whose cure he reports. Because many of us know Mr. Hill, and have full confidence in what he says, the Signal is printing the following letter which was written by him and printed in the Texas Christian Advocate. The Signal makes no suggestions, neither does it offer any advice; it merely tells who Mr. Hill is and prints his letter. We might add that if we or any member of our family should develop symptoms of the great white plague we would interview Mr. Hill:

"If the reader will just lend me his ear a minute I will unfold a tale to him unfellowed, so far as I know, in all the whole list of strange things. Here it is:

"In 1913 my son, Horace N. Hill, fell a victim to that awful scourge known as tuberculosis. He went from McKinney, Texas, where he was then at work in a newspaper office to Wichita Falls, Texas, where he became editor of the Daily Tribune of that city. He continued until ill health finally forced him to get out and seek his health. This he did by traveling, etc. Getting no better, but worse, he came to me at San Antonio, where I then was, in 1915, and went to bed, trying out the "rest cure," as it was termed.

"Here he lay, taking for his chief nourishment of raw eggs and milk, for four years and four months. Every summer during all that time my wife and I spent our vacation (of one month) with him and his little family.

"Several times during those years he got normal and thinking he might get up and out made trial of it only to be thrown back, by the exercise, for six months more of "temperature." He was not able to shave and bathe the same day without "running temperature."

"On the third day of last July I was sitting with him on his porch where he lay when two men came in and began talking to him about a certain "cure" for consumption which they knew about, and which, according to them, was a dead-shot against the "bugs," as they termed it. They proposed to put up their machine in his house and rent it to him for \$25 a month, or, if he

preferred, to guarantee his cure for \$500.

"At this juncture I put in with the statement that there was not anything doing. Neither of us had any money to expend in that way. But I said to them: "If you men have the faith in your cure you seem to have, and will get this boy on his feet by the first of January, 1920, I will make you rich men. You will not need to be looking up patients; patients will be looking you up and getting the benefit of your remedy. This boy has been examined by the leading doctors of this city, and pronounced by all of them to be far gone with tuberculosis of the lungs. One of those doctors, Dr. Farmer, and an eminent specialist, told men that my son was living on one lung and the other was badly infected. Now, if after knowing these facts, you are willing to undertake his recovery, go to it.

"They looked at each other and smiled and then said: "We will be glad to take the case under the conditions you mention. Only, we do not need six months to do the work; we will have him up at his desk by the first of November, at the very latest."

"Well, to make a long story short, on the eighty-fourth day from the time he began to take the treatment, he was sound and well, the klinescope showing his lungs to be absolutely free of any sign of tuberculosis.

"He is now up, at his desk, and has his normal weight, and says he feels as well as he ever felt in all his life. Quite a number of "buggers," as he calls them—some of them very far gone—have been cured by the

remedy, to my knowledge. One of them, Captain McManus, of the U. S. Army, and living at San Antonio, had the disease for twenty years—four years of that time he had spent in bed and had been given up to die by the physicians and surgeons of the army. He is now a sound man and it is hardly necessary to add, one of the happiest men one could meet with anywhere. I saw and talked with him. "Those men are now 'run to death' placing machines in vari-

ous houses where the poor "lungers" are fighting in a heretofore losing game.

"It is wonderful. If any one wishes to know about this let him write to Rev. J. H. C. Maxwell, pastor of our South Side Church, San Antonio, Texas; to Captain McManus, or to my son himself, Route 1, Box 34D, San Antonio, Texas.

"If you write, please enclose a self-addressed envelope. "Denton, Texas." — Honey Grove Signal.

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CHEER UP AGAIN.

We say the prices now are high, so high we're often stricken dumb; we shudder when we go to buy; cheer up, the worst is yet to come! The shoemen say there are no hides and daily leather grows more rare; and so the price of foot wear slides ten parasangs up in the air. The clothiers say there is no wool, the sheep are dead and on the ice; it takes some influence and pull to get a suit at any price. The bakers say there is no flour, and so the children have no bread, and we are weeping every hour because our hopes are lying dead. The barbers say there are no barbs, and we must let our whiskers grow until they spread like noxious yarbs, and wave and wiggle to and fro. The grocer says he can not groce for less than ninety-five per cent; he sees the sheriff drawing close when profits sink, is his lament. And so things go, from day to day, the whole blamed world is out of plumb; but let us all be blithe and gay; cheer up, the worst is yet to come! The worst will come, and then the slump, the big reaction will appear; and we will carry to the dump the pirate and the profiteer.—Walt Mason.

HAZING AT COLLEGES.

Based upon the cowardly superiority of the group against one lone freshman the practice of hazing is prevalent at nearly every male college.

Just as in ordinary life the act of a mob is a cowardly procedure, so in collegiate circles, a body of men who would hesitate and fear to act individually become lawless and desperate in the mass.

In Virginia a trial is occupying the courts because of an episode of hazing at Virginia Polytechnic Institute. The cruelty of the system is apparent in this case, where a small lad was belabored severely with a bed slat.

Hazing could be conducted as pleasantry, as a good-natured joke, but it never has been. The possibility of harmless amusement is always removed by the reality of certain punishment and bullying which accompanies the action. It is a relic of the cruelty-loving element in mankind which once burned Christian martyrs as oil torches, or threw them into an arena to be devoured by lions.

It is a custom which should go. It seems to be a practice which few faculties control.—Panola Watchman.

A PALACE OF PEACE AND QUIET.

Do you yearn for peace and quiet? If the cares of life and the struggle for gold have caused you to desire a less strenuous existence, far away from the civilized man's burdens and foibles, try the island of Tristan da Cunha, far down in the South Atlantic, midway between Cape Town and Buenos Aires.

This health resort is visited about once a year by a passing

vessel, an anartic whaler, on its way to the great frozen fields, and mail and provisions are landed. The population of the island numbers a hundred. Property is held in common. Potatoes and wheat are grown, pigs, geese and chicken feed on the common pasture. No crime exists on the island, and the hospitality of the citizens knows no bounds. The great thrill of life is furnished by the sight of a passing vessel. Boats are immediately launched and provisions bartered with the crew for tea, sugar, etc., and other things that the ship can spare.

The island was uninhabited until the British put a garrison there to prevent its use as a base to assist the escape of Napoleon from St. Helena. When the emperor died the garrison was withdrawn, but some of the members preferred to stay on the island and founded the present settlement.—Exchange.

JUST A MOMENT?

Firmness is a faculty more readily observed when defective or in excess than in its normal condition. We can recognize in a moment the vacillating persons in whom it is wanting, and the obstinate persons who possess it in overflowing measure. It is not easy to gauge the precise degree of firmness that constitutes true manliness. It is plainly to be seen when it takes the form of perseverance, than which there is no virtue more conducive to a prosperous career. The possession of a full measure of firmness constitutes what is known as the determined character, which carries out its resolves in defiance of difficulties. It differs from perseverance in this—that perseverance is persistency in the pursuit of an end; determination is the resolve to secure that end and to remove whatever obstructions may stand in the way. A man may be determined without having perseverance, and possess perseverance without determination.

The root of all steadfastness, whether as the steady and consistent maintenance of a great principle, the firm holding to a great purpose, or the unchanging attitude of the soul against sin and towards righteousness, in spite of force on the one hand, or enticement on the other, is our consecration to God.—Alexander Maclaren (adapted). Dayton, Ohio.

The heads of new thumb tacks for draftsmen are so flat that a T-square can be slid over them and the tacks are removed with a special tool.

BRAIN AGAINST BRAUN.

How would you answer this question? "If you admit that the human brain has lifted man above the level of the beasts and is responsible for all the wonders of our civilization, how can you prove that all good things of this earth belong to those who work only with their hands?"

Joseph French Johnson, Dean, answered it at the opening exercises of New York University School Commerce recently as follows: "The real producer of the earth's wealth is human brain, and it always will be. The man who works merely with his hands, making little use of his brain, is little better than a machine. It is the state's duty to see to it that the number of such men in this country shall be come relatively fewer and fewer. It is of course easy for our parlor Bolsheviks to claim that the people with brains get more than their share of the product and that the hand worker gets too little. It would be foolish to hold that our industrial system works perfectly, dealing out justice to all concerned. Nevertheless it is the only system we have and a lot of very good and intelligent men are working all the time to improve it. Nobody has yet come forward with any different system which has been endorsed or approved by the wise men of any age or any country. Furthermore, under

the present system progress is being made and the average man, especially in the United States, is living in greater comfort than he ever lived in preceding centuries.—Ex.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To W. W. Lundy, C. B. Moore, J. W. Dunham, and G. T. Lundy, all of whom reside in Houston County, Texas, Jim McKnight, the heirs and legal representatives of Jim McKnight, deceased, and the I. & G. N. R. R. Co., a railway corporation with an office and agent in Houston County, Texas, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

97 1/2 acres of the J. R. Hartt survey abstract No. 517 of Houston County, being all of said survey except 2 acres claimed and rendered for taxes by W. W. Lundy in and for the year 1918, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$11.95, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1919, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1297 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 7th day of November, A. D. 1919. V. B. Tunstall, (Seal) Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN TAX SUIT.

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To J. H. Estell, who now resides or one time resided in Houston County, Texas, but whose present place of residence is unknown, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

50 acres of the D. H. Edens survey, abstract No. 363, and 50 acres of the R. A. Baker survey, abstract No. 201, the above and foregoing being the specific tracts claimed and rendered by said defendant in and for the year 1918 and being all his right, title and interest in and to said Eden and Baker surveys, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$22.29, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 940 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 11th day of November, A. D. 1919. V. B. Tunstall, (Seal) Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

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The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To W. A. Streich and Fagan Parker, who reside in Anderson County, Texas, J. J. Strickland who resides in Eastland County, Texas, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

The M. Lothrop 82 acre survey, abstract No. 705, and the W. Whitley 160 acre survey, abstract No. 1081, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$31.78, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1623 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 11th day of November, A. D. 1919. V. B. Tunstall, (Seal) Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

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The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To Jim Davenport, the heirs and legal representatives of Jim Davenport, deceased, whose place and places

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of residence are unknown and to F. L. Allbright, who resides in Houston County, Texas, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

One tract of land, being 16 acres out of the Jacob Allbright survey, abstract No. 97, said tract being fully described in deed from F. L. Allbright to Jim Davenport, dated December 7, 1906, of record in Vol. 47 page 226 of the deed records of Houston County, Texas, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$1.50, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered con-

demning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1618 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this 11th day of November, A. D. 1919. V. B. Tunstall, (Seal) Clerk District Court, Houston County, Texas.

DOCTOR G. D. SMALL

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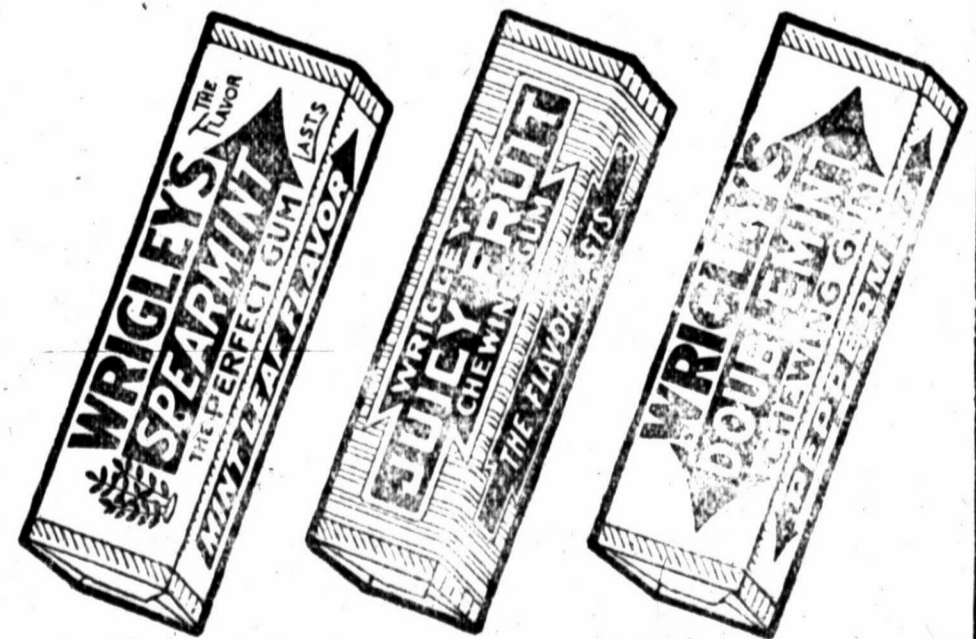
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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

R. H. Berry of Vernon was a visitor here last week.

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

Mr. H. Brooke left Saturday night for a business trip to San Antonio.

Big sale of trimmed hats at the Vogue Millinery. All hats going at half price. It.

Guy Cater of San Antonio was transacting business in the probate court here this week.

Money to lend on farms. Terms reasonable, money quick. See J. S. French, Crockett, Texas. tf.

—NO. 163—

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

Crockett State Bank
at Crockett.

State of Texas, at the close of business on the 17th day of November, 1919, published in the Crockett Courier, a newspaper printed and published at Crockett, State of Texas, on the 27th day of November, 1919:

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$213,096.62
Loans, real estate	26,224.31
Overdrafts	2,382.67
Bonds and Stocks	14,550.00
Real estate (banking house)	7,000.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net	109,017.99
Cash Items	5,959.39
Currency	16,475.00
Specie	5,673.95
Interest and Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	4,298.12
Other Resources	255.00
Total	\$404,933.05

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus Fund	35,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	16,110.20
Due to Bank and Bankers, subject to check, net	20,000.00
Individual Deposits, subject to check	262,535.71
Time Certificates of Deposit	21,287.14
Total	\$404,933.05

State of Texas, County of Houston.

We, W. H. Denny, as president, and D. O. Kiessling, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

W. H. DENNY, President.
D. O. KIESSLING, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of November, A. D. 1919.

(Seal.) J. M. ELLIS,
Notary Public, Houston County, Tex.

Correct-Attest: E. T. OZIER,
GEO. W. CROOK,
H. J. ARLEDGE,
Directors.

Bring your millinery work to Mrs. Bricker. Good work at reasonable prices is our motto.

Mrs. W. W. Latham and Mrs. Rad Calhoun returned home Saturday night from a visit to Dallas.

Now is the chance to get the hat you have been admiring at the Vogue. They are going at half price. It.

Frank Denton has bought the transfer line of T. W. Slaughter. Mr. and Mrs. Slaughter will move to Palestine.

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

For Sale or Trade.

Shingle knife, complete with engine, at a bargain. Ben Brimberry, Grapeland, Texas, Route Two. It.*

Song Service

There will be a special song service at the Methodist church Sunday, November 30, at 7 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited.

For Sale.

White Lady, Black-eyed and Clay peas, 5 cents a pound. Will deliver at Crockett.

It.* Heath Bros.,
Crockett, Rt. 2, Box 87.

Lost—Two red and white spotted steers, each four years old and branded C. A. on left side. Liberal reward for information leading to recovery. tf. J. C. Arnold.

Change in Name Only.

After January 1 our drug store will be conducted under the firm name of Goolsby-Sherman Drug Company, successors to Bishop Drug Company. Same people, same place, same service.

tf. Carl Goolsby,
Lip Sherman.

Mules. Mules

My mules will be in Smith Brothers lot opposite the East Texas Motor Co. Garage in charge of Chas. Sexton. If interested in buying some good young mules call and see them on next Saturday, Nov. 30, 1919. It. A. M. Decuir,
At Smith-Murchison Hdw, Co.

Sanitarium Meeting.

The sanitarium meeting, announced in the Courier last week, was held in the court house Monday as scheduled. The attendance was not as large as desired and the interest manifested was not as great as should have been, but a good start was made. Those who are heading the movement are determined to carry it to success. In fact, they say that they are going to stop nothing short of a sanitarium for Crockett and that they have sufficient encouragement to keep the movement going forward.

D. A. Nunn presided as chairman of the meeting. Mr. H. A. Fisher was selected as secretary. Following talks by some of those in attendance, it was decided that a committee should be appointed to solicit stock subscriptions for the sanitarium. The following were selected as the committee: H. J. Arledge, W. G. Cartwright and C. P. O'Bannon.

The committee will begin immediately the solicitation of stock subscriptions and report its success at the next sanitarium meeting, which has been set for Monday, December 8. All Houston county people interested in a sanitarium at home are not only invited but urged to be present at the next meeting.

Methodists in Crockett are rejoicing over the return by the Methodist conference of Rev. C. B. Garrett to the pastorate of the First Methodist church of this city. They are also pleased to know that Rev. Chas. U. McLarty is still the presiding elder.

Do You Go to Your Pantry Or to the Telephone to Get Dinner?

There is a big difference in the cost of living between the two. A well stocked pantry is always an economy, but hand-to-mouth purchasing is expensive and hard on the pocketbook.

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Teachers Scarce.

Professor Ellis of the University of Texas presented statistics showing the tremendous decrease in the number of efficient teachers remaining in the public school system of Texas. More than one-third of the trained teachers have been lost to the public school system of Texas because of the inadequate salaries that are paid, Dr. Ellis declared. There are 1200 schools in the state that are totally without

teachers and the schools are therefore closed. But a 28 per cent increase in teachers' salaries has been granted and the cost of living has increased approximately 128 per cent, Dr. Ellis told the Rotarians.

Dr. Ellis declared that unless the people of the state acted upon the gravity of the public school situation in Texas the next generation of Texans would be only half educated and unfit to compete with the children of other states where adequate educational facilities were provided.—Houston Post.

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Come before the Christmas rush and look them over. They won't last long. You will be pleased and save money as well. It will be your gain as well as ours.

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Just What Your Doctor Orders.
Telephone 9-5
and count the minutes.

Citation By Publication In Tax Suit

The State of Texas and County of Houston.
To W. T. Cole of Muskogee County, Okla., Hattie E. Hagaman, V. G. Hagaman, E. V. Hagaman, O. L. Hartford, and J. S. Hartford, all of Oklahoma County, Okla., Sidney Lansford whose place of residence is unknown, C. Q. Johnson of Tarrant County, Texas, M. A. Shaklee of Sedgewick County, Kansas, Frank D. Jackson and the Jackson-Vreeland Land Company, both of the County of Jackson and State of Missouri, J. D. Freeman of Houston County, Texas, C. B. Granbury, W. W. West, J. M. West and Lynch Davidson, all of Houston County, Texas, the W. W. West Company, the West-Davidson Lumber Company, and the West Lumber Company, private corporations, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:
1000 acres of land in Hous-

ton County, Texas, out of the H. W. Bozeman survey, abstract No. 150, being the same land conveyed by M. A. Shaklee and wife, Lida Shaklee, to W. T. Cole by deed dated December 17th, 1918, and recorded in Vol. 92 pages 156 and 157 of the deed records of Houston County, Texas, which land the said M. A. Shaklee subsequently deeded also to Hattie E. Hagaman by a deed dated April 15, 1919, of record in volume 92 pages 191 and 192 of the deed records of Houston County, Texas, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the years 1885, 1886, 1893, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, and 1918 in the sum of \$235.54, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1631 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this the 22nd day of November, A. D. 1919.

(Seal) V. B. Tunstall,
Clerk District Court,
3t. Houston County, Texas.

Citation By Publication In Tax Suit

The State of Texas and County of Houston.
To R. Sumpf, and R. C. A. Sumpf, both of whom formerly resided in the City of San Antonio, County of Bexar, State of Texas, but whose present place of residence is unknown, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

2 acres of land, the specific tract owned, claimed and rendered by R. Sumpf of San Antonio, Texas, for taxes for the year 1918, and being the unsold portion of 9 7-12 acres out of the John Ellison survey of 960 acres which 9 7-12 acres tract is fully described in the deed of Whit Scarborough to R. C. A. Sumpf, dated October 1st, 1906, of record in volume 38 page 439 of the deed records of Houston County, Texas, said 2 acres of land being also all of the right, title and interest of the defendant, R. Sumpf, in and to the J. Ellison survey, abstract No. 367, in and of Houston County, Texas, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the year 1918 in the sum of \$3.13, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920, and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1064 on the Tax

Docket of said Court.
Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this the 24th day of November, A. D. 1919.

(Seal) V. B. Tunstall,
Clerk District Court,
3t. Houston County, Texas.

Citation By Publication In Tax Suit

The State of Texas and County of Houston:

To T. D. Cruce, Perry M. Boatwright and W. H. Moore, all of Houston County, Texas, and to the unknown heirs and legal representatives of each of these deceased, Unknown Owner and all persons owning, having or claiming any interest in the land and premises hereinafter described delinquent to the State of Texas and County of Houston for taxes, to-wit:

The W. C. Wilson 54 acre survey, abstract No. 1257, a better description of which may be had by reference to deed of T. D. Cruce to W. H. Moore, dated Jan. 7, 1915, of record in vol. 90 page 507 of the deed records of Houston County, which said land is delinquent for State and County taxes for the years 1916, 1917 and 1918 in the sum of \$24.23, and you are hereby notified that suit has been brought by The State for the collection of said taxes and you are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit at the March Term of the District Court of said State and County which meets in the City of Crockett on the 4th Monday which is the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1920,

and show cause why judgment shall not be rendered condemning said land and ordering sale and foreclosure thereof for said taxes and all cost of this suit now pending No. 1633 on the Tax Docket of said Court.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Crockett, Texas, this the 24th day of November, A. D. 1919.

(Seal) V. B. Tunstall,
Clerk District Court,
3t. Houston County, Texas.

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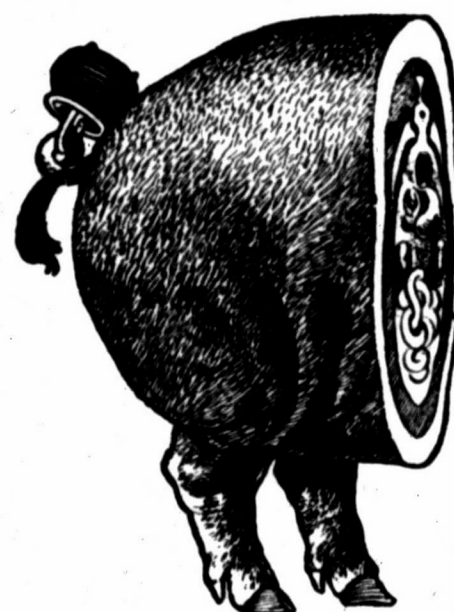
Groceries, Feed and Hardware

Some Postscripts.

Powder to prevent false teeth slipping is the idea of an Ohio inventor.

A British syndicate which is planning an aerial passenger service between England and Australia expects to cover the distance in seven days.

A recently patented bath tub fixture admits hot and cold water supply pipes and an overflow drain pipe through a single hole in the end of a tub.



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