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COMMISSIONERS IN SPECIAL SESSION

A special session of the commissioners' court of Houston county was held March 31 with the following members present: Leroy L. Moore, county judge; C. C. Warfield, commissioner precinct No. 1; C. A. Story, commissioner precinct No. 2; Karl Leediker, commissioner precinct No. 3; J. A. Beathard, commissioner precinct No. 4; W. D. Collins, county clerk. Among the proceedings were the following:

Motion carried to sell bonds Nos. 13, 14, 15 and 16 of road district No. 16 to the Lovelady State Bank. Sale was made at par and accrued interest, amounting to \$4526.16 and proceeds were placed to the credit of the current fund of district No. 16. The treasurer reported that he had retired the bonds Nos. 13, 14, 15 and 16 in road district No. 16, with the coupons attached, amounting to \$4526.16, and requested that he be authorized to destroy same. Upon motion he was instructed to do so, and the bonds, with coupons, were destroyed by burning in the presence of the commissioners' court.

Motion carried to have Mr. J. W. Young, attorney, have printed full \$150,000 bond issue of road district No. 3 and have attorney general approve same as soon as possible.

Motion carried to transfer \$500 from the sinking fund of road district No. 15 to current fund of same district to pay back a portion of the money borrowed by the sinking fund from the current fund, several years ago, to aid in payment of bonds due against sinking fund.

Motion carried to allow J. H. Hines refund of \$3.55 from road district No. 8 G, he having paid taxes in road district No. 8 when he should have paid in road district No. 4 E. Balance of funds paid in by Mr. Hines were ordered transferred from road G. to road E.

Twenty claims were allowed by the court.

Court adjourned April 2.

A special session of the Houston county commissioners' court was held April 4 with all members present. The following proceedings were had:

The following recommendations were approved and adopted unanimously:

Recommendation of citizens' committee to the commissioners' court that an engineer be employed for constructing roads in road district No. 3 on a commission basis.

That Mr. F. J. Von Zuben be employed on a five per cent commission basis to perform all engineering services in road district No. 3, as specified under terms of contract entered into between Mr. Von Zuben and Houston county.

That Judge Leroy L. Moore and County Attorney Earle Porter Adams co-operate in drawing up a contract with Mr. Von Zuben, said contract to be based upon letters of February 11 and April 2, 1924, addressed by Mr. Von Zuben to the commissioners' court, and such other provisions as are necessary to meet the approval of all parties contracting and to obtain approval of state highway commission.

Upon petition of numerous citizens of the community a public road was granted running as

follows: Beginning two miles east from the Alabama crossing of Trinity river on the Porter's Springs road at the corner of Frank Allbright's fence; thence in a southeast direction to Mariah Orange's corner; thence with her line in the same direction to Henderson creek; thence across said creek and in the same direction to the corner on Bogg's graveyard; thence east about one-half mile to the line between J. C. Allee's place and Herman Henry's place; thence southeast about half a mile to the Chandler Tap road about one mile east from Ash, the length of said road being about three miles.

Believing that this road would be of great convenience to the people of the neighborhood, the following signed the petition: E. F. Owen, J. F. Cook, Willie Keels, W. H. Henry, J. C. Allee, J. F. Wedemeyer, R. O. Brown, J. B. Erwin, H. Wedemeyer, A. C. Bynum, L. J. Knox, W. B. Nettles, D. O. Lockey, J. M. Lockey, Tom Coburn, Perry Murphy, Joe Wheeler, Jessie Wheeler, Jake Owens, John Cooper, Hugh Burton, Bill McCelvey, Richard Owens, J. M. Hollingsworth, Joe Dowling and Abe Warren.

WILLIE ROBISON FOR TREASURER

To the Voters of Houston County:

On account of not having entirely recovered from a serious illness with which I was attacked last summer, I had about decided not to make the race for the office of county treasurer, and so expressed myself, but as I have regained my health, and moved by the earnest solicitation of some of the most influential citizens of the county, who have stated that they were well pleased with my manner of conducting the affairs of the office, and urging me to again announce myself as a candidate, I feel that I would indeed be ungrateful if I refused to have my name placed on the ticket, thus giving them an opportunity to support me if they desired to do so.

Now, in offering myself as a candidate for re-election to this office, I do so only on my record while serving you, and my personal merits of which you must be the judge. If you feel that the experience I have gained in your service and the knowledge I have of all the different funds, bond accounts, etc., of your county, would be of benefit to you, then I ask your support and influence in re-electing me, promising the same courtesy with as good, or if possible, better service if I am so fortunate as to win your approval at the polls. But if, on the other hand, you think it to be to the best interest of the county to make a change in the management of the office, I will thank you for past favors and render to my successor all the assistance that I can in getting settled.

Thanking you again for all past favors and asking you to give my candidacy your most careful consideration before casting your ballot, I am,
Yours for service,
Willie Robison.
(Political Advertisement.)

Money in Chickens.

Stell Sharp, living five miles out on the San Antonio road, sold eighteen hens in Crockett this week which brought him \$17.30, almost one dollar a piece. There is money in chickens.

PROCEEDINGS IN DISTRICT COURT

Following are the proceedings of the Houston county district court during the last week:

Greer Barrs, murder; case set for Monday, April 21, and venire of 50 men ordered.

Jim Dawson, theft; dismissed on motion of district attorney.

Travis Dawson, theft; plea of not guilty. Jury returned verdict of not guilty under instruction of court.

Boots Ellis, possessing mash for the purpose of manufacturing intoxicating liquor; jury found defendant not guilty.

Arthur W. Smith, burglary; case dismissed on motion of district attorney.

Johnnie Tyer, possession of mash for the purpose of manufacturing intoxicating liquor; jury found defendant not guilty.

Walter Bell Jr., burglary; five years in state reformatory. Defendant is the young negro who burglarized the store of Walter Bennett in west Crockett.

District Judge Dent is pounding the bench with a new gavel, presented him by the sheriff, for which he expressed appreciation Tuesday afternoon.

Earle Adams Jr. of Houston is representing some clients in district in Crockett this week.

The Houston county divorce docket shows the following proceedings:

Lula Roberts vs. Oscar Roberts; divorce granted.

R. F. Atkinson vs. Minnie Atkinson; divorce granted.

Bettie Bennett vs. Oscar Bennett; divorce granted.

Jim Walker vs. Ada Walker; divorce granted.

George Bishop vs. Celestine Bishop; divorce granted.

Oscar Corbett vs. Inez Corbett; divorce granted.

Fannie Heway vs. Daniel Heway; divorce granted.

Edgar Kennard vs. Laura Kennard; divorce granted.

Jordan Simmons vs. Beulah Simmons; divorce granted.

Will Chumley vs. Beatrice Chumley; divorce granted.

Wednesday Morning's Proceedings.

Jim Riley pleaded guilty to charges in the case against him where he broke into the home of W. T. Brewton of Lovelady and stole a number of articles besides stealing an automobile from H. L. Morrison of Crockett. The jury returned a verdict of guilty and assessed punishment of five more years in the penitentiary.

Charley Walker, a negro arrested with whisky in his possession on a road near Grapeland, pleaded guilty to unlawfully transporting liquor and was assessed punishment of one year in the penitentiary. These trials were held Wednesday morning in district court.

Senator Burkett Speaks.

Senator Joe Burkett of Eastland, candidate for governor, spoke at the court house Wednesday afternoon. Senator Burkett said that he favors a soldier bonus, more and better schools and the establishment of a centralized state bank in Texas. He wants more business in government and wants the development of the resources of Texas. He says that the penitentiary system of the state should be the honor system. His talk was well received by the audience that gathered to hear him.

JUST A WORD WITH OUR SUBSCRIBERS

A large crop of cotton is planted and coming up. Very little corn is seen in the fields. The recent rains came when beginning to be needed, but made lands too wet for plowing. More commercial fertilizer is being used on cotton lands than ever before.

The farmers' busy season is cutting down Courier subscription renewals. The list this week is a few names smaller than last week.

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

Beulah Julian, Crockett Rt. 8.
A. P. Luce, Grapeland Rt. 2.
Dr. T. M. Sherman, Kennard.
Mrs. J. J. Porter, Lovelady Rt. 2.

C. H. Beazley, Crockett.
A. J. Patton, Ratcliff Rt. 1.
Avon Sallas, Crockett.
Mrs. Chas. J. Dewitt, Houston.
A. E. Cox, Crockett Rt. 4.
Karl Leediker, Crockett Rt. 4.
Mrs. A. M. Rencher, Grapeland.
C. L. Steed, Kennard Star Rt.
W. C. Lucas, Crockett Rt. 7.
Willie Robison, Crockett.

ENGINEER LOOKS OVER HIGHWAYS

Mr. Horace Boyett, division engineer of the Beaumont district, and Mr. D. L. Hogan, division engineer of the Tyler district, both representatives of the state highway department, were in Houston county looking over highway No. 19, leading from the Anderson county line, with idea in view of making the proper designations of overpasses and underpasses with the I-G. N. railroad to prevent the highway crossing the railroad as it now crosses.

Mr. Boyett left town over the road from Crockett to Pennington to consider the advisability of recommending the designation of this road to the highway commission to be considered by them as a designated highway leading from Crockett to Livingston, and so added to their state system of highways.

Latexo Wins Game.

The Letexo baseball team, one of the strongest amateur teams in Houston county, defeated a team composed of high school and independent players here Saturday. The score was 4 to 1. Beard pitched masterful ball, walking five, allowing five hits and striking out eighteen. Starling also hurled a great game, allowing only four clean hits and fanning ten. He hit one batter, but did not walk a single man.

Score by innings: R. H. E.
Latexo 012 100 000 4 8 4
Crockett 000 000 100 1 5 6
Batteries: O. Beard and C. Beard; Starling and Craddock.
Reporter.

Cattle Shipped.

Twelve cars of cattle, totaling four hundred and nine head, were shipped from Crockett Saturday to Crystal City for pasturage. These cattle belonged to George Calhoun of Grapeland, but were shipped from Crockett on account of having to go through the dipping vat at the shipping pens.

THIS WEEK'S NEW ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Courier this week has two new announcements—not new candidates, however, as both are announcing for re-election. Willie Robison, the present efficient county treasurer, wants the Courier to let his friends and the people know that he is again in the race. He has been successful in past elections, and who knows but what he may be successful again? He hopes so. He wants it known that his candidacy is subject to the action of the democratic party, and has never been subject to any other. He has a statement in this week's Courier, to which the attention of the reader is invited. As in the past, he will appreciate the support of all good, democratic men and women.

The other announcement is that of W. D. Collins for county clerk. Mr. Collins is the present incumbent and, so far as the Courier is informed, is giving eminent satisfaction. It is known that he has turned in money to the county every year since he has been in office. This money has amounted to, approximately, a thousand dollars a year, and represents excess fees that might have been used up in office expenses. He has practiced the most rigid economy in all county matters. His candidacy is subject to the action of the democratic primaries in July, as heretofore. He solicits the support of all democratic voters, both men and women, and appreciates the continued solicitation of his friends.

VISITORS INSPECT CROCKETT PAVING

The city council of Huntsville, augmented by a citizens' committee, visited Crockett Sunday as guests of the local city council. The visiting gentlemen were inspecting Crockett's paving in regard to street width, kind of paving and similar points. They were favorably impressed with the quality and amount of the paving in this city.

Those composing the party from Huntsville were J. N. Addicks, Tom Ball, J. V. Butler, H. O. Leigh, J. M. Smith, J. W. Lamkin, J. W. Morris, Luther Eastham, J. T. Gates, A. T. McKinney Jr., J. F. Standley, Bryan Standley and R. M. Woods.

Baptist Women to Meet.

The Baptist women of the Tyler-Jacksonville district will meet in annual session on the evening of May 1 with the First Baptist church at Palestine, at which time Miss Kate Mayers, state secretary for young people's work, will deliver an address. Friday, May 2, will be devoted to hearing reports and the general work of the district. A good program has been arranged and all Baptist women are invited, expected and urged to be there.

Grapeland Incorporated.

The recent election to incorporate the city of Grapeland resulted as follows: For the incorporation, 137; against the incorporation, 18. A city council was elected as follows: For mayor, A. H. Luker; for aldermen, J. C. Kennedy, C. L. Haltom, George E. Darsey Jr., W. A. Riall and W. D. Granberry.

There Is Joy and Pleasure

In always doing the right thing. We do not misrepresent. We do not substitute. We do not attempt the impossible.

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Quality—Dependability—Service
WE NEVER SUBSTITUTE

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Crochet needles, the size you want, at Bishop's. 1t.

Don't stop to think. Phone 149—Joe & Joe can clean it. 1t.

Mrs. H. F. Moore Jr. has returned from a visit to Mt. Pleasant. 1t.

John Waller and Julius Deupree are at home this week from A. & M. College. 1t.

If it is good cleaning and pressing you are looking for, you are looking for Joe & Joe. Phone 149. 1t.

Every day shows an increase in our prescription department. There is a reason. Try Bishop's Drug Store first. 1t.

Notice.
Lunch down town Saturday, April 25, with the Methodist ladies. Watch for further notice.

Watches, jewelry, cut glass, ivory, silverware and novelties at C. N. Houston's, the new jeweler, next door to Green Parrot Tea Room. 1t.

Dr. J. S. Wootters left Thursday for Rochester, Minn., to take a post graduate course in surgery and will be away two or three weeks. 1t.

Expert cleaning and pressing done by Joe & Joe, phone 149.

For Sale.

One No. 12 American cream separator, in good condition, at a bargain. Address Mrs. Joe Rice, Rt. 7, Crockett, Texas. 1t*

Genuine long-staple **MEBANE TRIUMPH COTTON SEED**. Pedigreed stock, government tested. The best is the cheapest. Closing out a car at cheap prices. 2t. Edmiston Bro's.

Easter Sun-Rise Prayer Meeting. There will be a sun-rise prayer meeting at the Christian church next Sunday morning at 6:30. A cordial invitation to all. E. S. Allhaudds.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Miexell of Houston, Texas, are visiting in New York for a few days and were recently entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morgan of Huntington, L. I. Mrs. Miexell is the former Edith Harvey, cousin of ex-Ambassador Harvey.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Notice.
I will be in Crockett Saturday, April 19, and will be prepared to do all kinds of veterinary work. Will have headquarters at Goolsbee's blacksmith shop. If you have any disabled stock of any kind, bring them in. W. R. Rucker, Veterinary Surgeon. 1t.

Died in California.

Mr. Rush Aldrich, a brother of Judge A. A. Aldrich of this city, died in Los Angeles, Calif., on Tuesday of this week. Mr. Aldrich was reared in Crockett and was well known to many of our citizens.

—No. 774—

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

First Guaranty State Bank

AT WELDON,

State of Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of March, 1924, published in the Crockett Courier, a newspaper printed and published at Crockett, State of Texas, on the 17th day of April, 1924.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$85,157.61
Loans, real estate	2,616.67
Overdrafts	1,221.93
Real Estate (banking house)	2,695.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,900.00
Due from other banks and bankers and cash on hand	28,371.45
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	1,436.60
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	1,887.08
Other Resources	4,674.77
Total	\$129,961.11

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	\$ 16,000.00
Surplus Fund	4,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	2,863.83
Individual Deposits, subject to check	90,903.49
Time Certificates of Deposit	15,444.13
Cashier's Checks	749.66
Total	\$129,961.11

State of Texas, County of Houston: We, Alex Thompson, as president, and W. H. Mangum, 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.

ALEX THOMPSON, President.
W. H. MANGUM, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of April, A. D. 1924. (Seal) B. E. GOODRUM, Notary Public, Houston County, Texas.

Correct—Attest:
MRS. W. H. MANGUM,
W. H. BRADLEY,
Directors.

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With "That Good Gulf Gasoline" and your crank case with "Supreme Auto Oil" and see the difference for yourself.

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"Service With a Smile."

Crockett Filling Station

I. A. Daniel

H. A. LeMay

Those Pictures.

Why not have all those pictures taken out of those old worn-out folders and have them put in nice swing frames. They will look better and keep better. We have the frames, any size or price.

3t. The Warren Studio.

Notice.

The Parent-Teachers' Association will hold their regular monthly meeting on the 4th Friday of each month at the school auditorium at 3:15. All members are urgently requested to be present.

tf. Parent-Teachers' Ass'n.

Plants for Sale.

Tomatoes, cabbage, Bermuda onions, hot and sweet peppers, egg plants, cabbage and tomatoes, 25 cents 100; 500, \$1.00; \$1.75, 1000. Peppers and egg plants, 40 cents per 100. Onion plants, 15 cents per 100; \$1.25 per 1000. My plants are fine. Parcel post paid.

A. S. Croom,
Box 135,
Lufkin, Texas.

Stallion Service.

Prince Albert, registered Percheron, will stand this season—\$15.00 with insurance.

4t. W. E. Hail.

FREE!

Wamba Coffee Demonstration

Armour's Star Ham Served in Connection.

PRATTLOW'S FANCY CANNED FRUITS

Will also be served to show the people the high class merchandise that is canned under their label.

Special Sale Saturday Only ON THE ABOVE ITEMS

WITH EVERY THREE-POUND CAN OF WAMBA COFFEE PURCHASE AT \$1.25, WE WILL GIVE A ONE-POUND CAN FREE.

ONE CAN OF PRATTLOW'S FRUITS FREE WITH EVERY SALE OF SIX CANS OF YOUR CHOICE, ASSORTED, SPECIALLY PRICED.

ARMOUR'S STAR HAMS SPECIALLY PRICED AT 23c A POUND

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How much more can you buy for that dollar?

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We value your dollar more and give you more for it.

EASTER SPECIALS

Swift's Premium Hams, per pound ----- 24c
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CALUMET

The Economy BAKING POWDER



35 years of un-failing service on bake-day has made CALUMET

THE WORLD'S GREATEST BAKING POWDER

Retains its great leavening strength in every climate to the very last spoonful. Always dependable and pure.



Sales 2 1/2 times as much as that of any other brand

BEST BY TEST

Attends Nacogdoches Court.

Sheriff O. B. Hale attended court at Nacogdoches Friday to testify in habeas corpus proceedings in connection with the murder case in which L. G. Hanks is the defendant. Hanks, who lives north of Belott, is charged with killing the deputy sheriff who was attempting to arrest him for transporting whisky in an automobile on the highway to Nacogdoches and in Nacogdoches county. Belott is ten miles northeast of Crockett.

Blinding Headaches

"For about twenty years," says Mr. P. A. Walker, a well-known citizen of Newburg, Ky., "one of our family remedies has been Black-Draught, the old reliable. . . I use it for colds, biliousness, sour stomach and indigestion. I was subject to headaches when my liver would get out of order. I would have blinding headaches and couldn't stoop about my work, just couldn't go. I used

Theford's

BLACK-DRAUGHT

and it relieved me. "About eight years ago my wife got down with liver and stomach trouble. . . We tried all week to help her, . . . but she didn't get any better. One day I said to the doctor, 'I believe I will try Black-Draught, it helps my liver.' He said that I might try it and to follow directions. She was nauseated and couldn't eat or rest. She began taking Black-Draught and in two days she was greatly improved and in a week she was up." Try Black-Draught. It costs only one cent a dose. Sold everywhere.

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DEMOCRATIC CONVENTIONS ARE CALLED

To the Democrats of Houston County:

This is to advise that by virtue of authority vested in me by law, I hereby call the county and precinct conventions of the democratic party of said county for the purpose of electing delegates to the county and state conventions whereby to choose delegates to the national convention to nominate candidates for president and vice-president of the United States, as follows:

First: That the precinct conventions be held in each voting precinct of the county at 2 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, May 3, 1924, to send delegates to the county convention to be held on the following Tuesday, May 6, 1924, at Crockett at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second: That the county convention be held as above stated to elect delegates to the state convention to be held at Waco, Texas, on May 27, 1924, when and where delegates to the said national convention will be selected.

Names of Precinct Chairmen.

The chairmen whose duty it will be to hold said precinct conventions throughout the county are as follows:

Augusta, J. H. Scarborough.
Antioch, A. G. Bray.
Ash, Julius Wedemeyer.
Arbor, V. B. Smith.
Belott, W. F. Ashley.
Crockett No. 1, C. L. Edmiston.

Crockett No. 2, Steve Allee.
Crockett No. 3, C. M. Ellis.
Crockett No. 4, I. A. Daniel.
Creek, W. E. Gainey.
Dodson, W. H. Threadgill.
Daily, T. F. Daily.
Freeman, Hose Holley.
Weldon, J. R. Morrow.
Latexo, J. W. Spence.
Grapeland No. 1, C. L. Haltom.
Grapeland No. 2, A. H. Luker.
Holly, J. T. Hammond.
Kennard, John Creasy.
Lovelady, J. A. Hutchings.
Percilla, J. W. Furr.
Porter's Springs, W. M. Patrick.

Ratcliff, P. O. Graves.
Shiloh, M. N. Brown.
Tyer's Store, Floyd Tunstall.
Volga, Sam Knox.
Weches, J. W. Clanton.
Creath, George Meriwether.
Daniel, T. L. Glenn.
Tadmor, W. K. Conner.

I would adjure the democrats of the whole county not to neglect attendance upon the precinct conventions nor to overlook their vast importance. It is in these conventions that the people are supposed to act in their primary capacity in paving the way for a choice in the selection of the next president and vice-president of the United States. After these precinct conventions are over, the people can act only through their regular accredited delegates to the county convention; second, through their state convention; and third, and lastly, through their delegates to the national convention. So that a mistake made at the precinct convention, either intentionally or unintentionally, or by negligence or failure to attend, may remain a mistake all the way through.

In this good year of 1924, being what is called "presidential year," all democrats should be on the alert and none fail to do their whole duty. Vast interests are at stake. The destiny of the nation for the next four years depends upon what is done now. With the exercise of due care and precaution in the selection of the party standard bearers for the pending contest, the democrats have a splendid chance to win the election and once more place the control of the government in the hands of the democracy. Recent developments in the investigations made by the United States senate, whereby exposures of the grossest corruption on the part of republicans have been such as to utterly astound the people of the nation,

and they cannot do otherwise than redound to the great injury of the republican party. And these facts only emphasize the importance of the democrats to make no mistake in the election of their candidates. Put none but safe and sound men on guard—good men, clean men.

J. W. Madden,
County Chairman.

ENGINEER NAMED FOR ROAD DISTRICT

Upon the recommendation of the citizens' committee of road district No. 3 to the commissioners' court after thorough investigation, Mr. F. J. Von Zuben was employed as engineer on a commission basis to supervise the construction, and make plans and specifications for the construction of the four highways within road district No. 3, leading out of Crockett. He will also have supervision of the construction of lateral roads within said district on a different basis of employment. It is anticipated that construction work will begin in the near future.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or Any Constable of Houston County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon A. L. Robeau, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four 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 Third Judicial District, but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said Third Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the County court of Houston County, to be held at the Court House of said Houston County, in the town of Crockett, on the 2nd Monday in May, A. D. 1924, the same being the 12th day of May, A. D. 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 19th day of March, A. D. 1924, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1858, wherein THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF LOVELADY is Plaintiff, and A. L. Robeau is Defendant, and said petition alleging that defendant is a non-resident of State and is indebted to plaintiff on promissory notes amounting to Seven Hundred and seventy-eight dollars, secured by mortgage on one Ford Touring car, motor No. 8509111, and one Ford Coupe, motor No. 8718240, and plaintiff sues for amount of said notes with interest and attorneys' fees and foreclosure of mortgage on said two cars.

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, W. D. Collins, Clerk of the County Court of Houston County.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Crockett, this the 5th day of April, A. D. 1924.

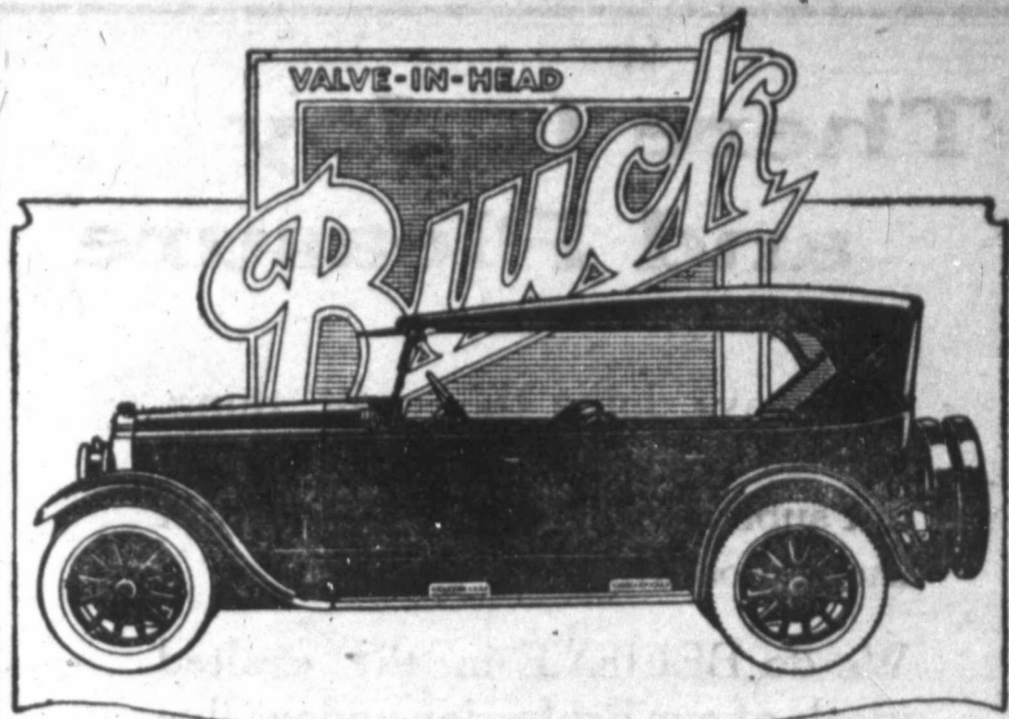
(Seal) W. D. Collins,
Clerk, County Court,
Houston County.

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No. 3, Local Passenger 9:40AM
No. 1, Sunshine Special 2:27PM

North Bound.

No. 8, Thru Passenger 4:08AM
No. 4, Local Passenger 1:55PM
No. 2, Sunshine Special 3:22PM
Effective March 23, 1924.

Tell him that you saw his ad in the Courier.

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Avoid Sickness TAKE

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At Bed Time will cleanse the system, purify the blood and keep you well.
For Constipation
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YOU CANNOT BUY BETTER FLOUR NO MATTER WHAT YOU PAY.

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AMERICAN MAID FLOUR MILLS HOUSTON TEXAS



One Must Lead

MANY APRIL SCHOOL ELECTIONS HELD

Thirteen school tax elections have been held, or will be held, in Houston county during the month of April. Thirteen school tax elections and one school bond election make fourteen elections for the county.

School tax elections were held April 5 for the following schools: New Prospect, Ash school No. 3, Enon school No. 23, Waneta school No. 69, Arbor school No. 2, Weches school No. 70. Waneta voted bonds at this time also. Center school No. 9. held an election April 12. April 26 elec-

tions will be held at Copperas Springs No. 16, Grounds School House No. 27 and Stubblefield school house No. 63.

Creek school No. 17 will hold an election April 28 and Mount Olive school No. 41 will hold one on April 30.

Prairie Point school No. 64 has an election set for early in May.

These taxes, supplemented by state aid, will give the schools much better chance to accomplish good results during the next term of school.

Statement of the Ownership, Management, Etc.

Required by the act of August 24, 1912, of The Crockett Courier, published weekly at Crockett, Texas, for April, 1924:

Editor, W. W. Aiken, Crockett, Texas.

Managing editor, W. W. Aiken, Crockett, Texas.

Business manager, W. W. Aiken, Crockett, Texas.

Publisher, W. W. Aiken, Crockett, Texas.

Owners: (If a corporation, give its name and the names and addresses of stockholders holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of stock. If not a corporation, give names and addresses of individual owners.) W. W. Aiken, Crockett, Texas.

Known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders, holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities: (If there are none, so state.) None. W. W. Aiken.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of April, 1924.

(Seal) W. D. Collins, Co. Clk., Houston Co., Tex., By Ollie Goolsbee, Deputy.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses were issued last week to the following couples:

Luther Warner and Mary Stuckey.

E. P. Kellum and Effie Barnes.

Jake Baker and Mrs. Hattie May Brown.

Erven Houston and Bessie May Homes.

CROCKETT MAIL RECEIPTS GROW

Steady and marked increases have been made in the cash receipts of the Crockett post office for the first quarter of 1924, ending March 31, according to Postmaster W. T. Cutler. The increase over last year for the same quarter is \$390.83. The cash receipts for the quarter ending March 31, 1924, are \$3629.66.

The receipts of the local office have justified free mail delivery in this city for more than four years, but before the federal government will put on this service it is necessary for Crockett to letter and number each street in the city. The city of Crockett has made provision for the lettering and marking of all streets and the system will be installed within a few weeks.

Appropriation has been made by the federal government for a new post office building for this city to be erected immediately at a cost of \$85,000. The lot upon which the new building will be erected has already been purchased, and is centrally located in this city.

Arbor Grove School.

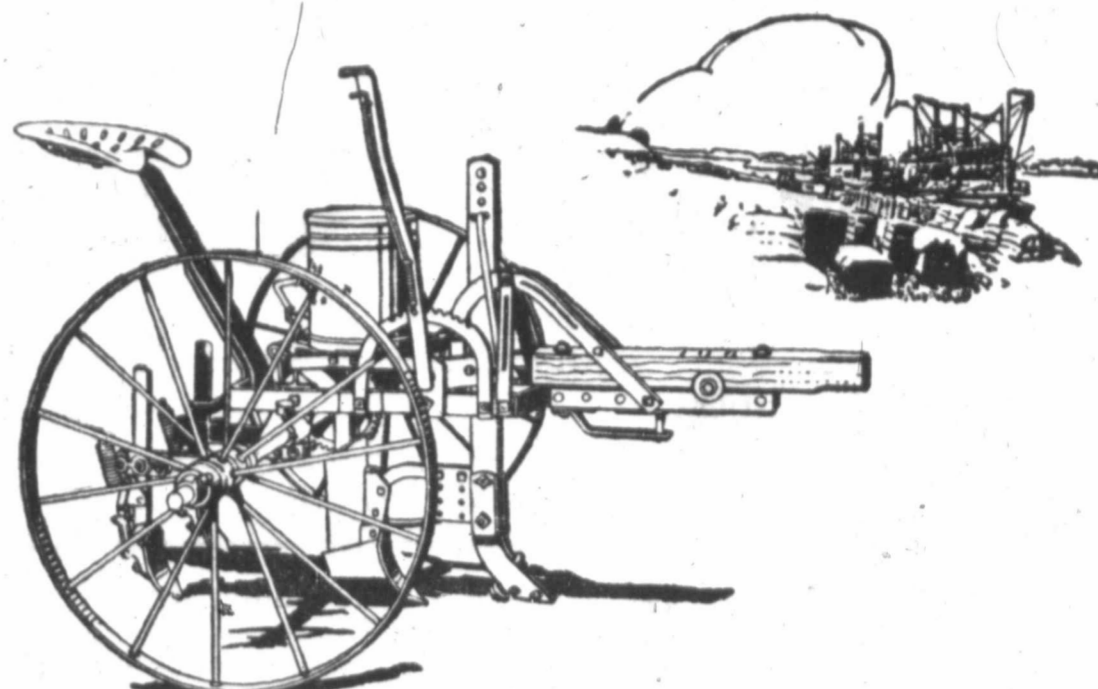
Commencement 10 a. m., April 20. Play, "The Old Fashioned Mother," 8 p. m. Free to all. Graduation exercises 8 p. m., April 25. Everybody invited.

R. E. Streetman, Principal.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many friends and the physician for their kindness and sympathy during the recent illness and death of our dear husband and father. Mrs. Ida Adams and Children.

Patronize our advertisers.



A Good Job of Planting is Certain

The combined cotton and corn planters that we have in stock are just as accurate as though the seed were picked out and dropped by hand.

We want to show you the one-row riding planter that, with other conditions being right, will get for you the biggest crop your land will sustain. At the same time it saves seed, and that is no longer a small item.

JOHN DEERE

No. 107 COTTON, CORN AND PEANUT PLANTER

This planter has a steel picker wheel with teeth shaped like the teeth of a gin saw. This picker wheel separates the fuzziest, lintiest seeds without injury, and drops them one at a time. It is the one big improvement in cotton-planter construction.

It does its work consistently, whether the hopper is full or

nearly empty, because lint and trash are carried out with the cotton and not left to accumulate in the hopper. The spider and stirrer in the hopper keep the seed feeding uniformly to the picker wheel. No clogging or choking. You control the drop by a thumb-screw adjustment. You regulate the flow of seed to suit the field you are planting.

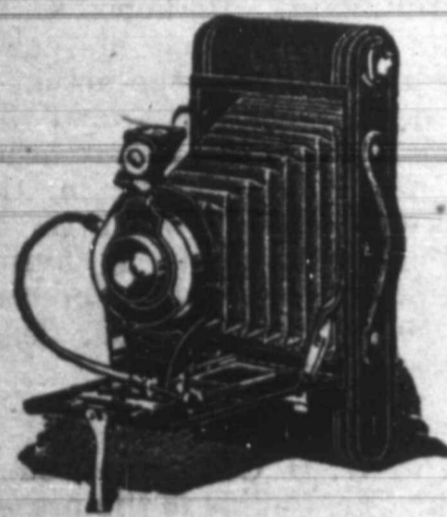
Using one of these planters may be the means of putting more money in your pocket this season. Come in and personally inspect them. That is the best way to decide.

JAS. S. SHIVERS

If you want some fine pedigreed cotton seed, see us. 2t. Edmiston Bro's.

For truck hauling of all kinds, anywhere and any time, phone 336. Wilson Adair. tf.

Spring Time Is Kodak Time



We have a complete stock of Eastman Kodaks in all sizes—from the smallest Brownie to the the largest camera, and plenty of films for all the kodaks.

Jno. F. Baker

Drugs and Jewelry

Charter No. 8742. Reserve District No. 11.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

At Lovelady, in the State of Texas, at the Close of Business on March 31st, 1924.

RESOURCES.

1. a Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c)	\$167,638.09	
Total		\$167,638.09
2. Overdrafts, secured, None; unsecured, \$780.82		780.82
4. U. S. Government securities owned:		
a Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	6,250.00	
b All other United States Government Securities (including premiums, if any)	4,400.00	
Total		\$10,650.00
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.		1,539.84
6. Banking House, None; Furniture and fixtures	1,858.00	1,858.00
7. Real estate owned other than banking house		11,298.05
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		12,389.26
10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks		41,842.31
11. Amount due from State banks, bankers and trust companies in the United States (other than included in Items 8, 9, and 10)		44.25
13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 12)		3.50
Total of Items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13	\$41,890.06	
14. b Miscellaneous cash items	102.67	102.67
15. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		312.50
Total		\$248,459.29

LIABILITIES.

17. Capital stock paid in		\$ 25,000.00
18. Surplus fund		15,000.00
19. Undivided profits	\$9,161.90	\$9,161.90
c Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	4,078.06	5,083.84
20. Circulating notes outstanding		6,250.00
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
26. Individual deposits subject to check		149,545.96
27. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)		6,752.49
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31	\$156,298.45	
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):		
32. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		40,827.00
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 32, 33, 34, and 35	\$40,827.00	
Total		\$248,459.29

State of Texas, County of Houston, ss:

I, I. J. Young, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I. J. YOUNG, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of April, 1924.

(Seal) LEE F. PERRY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

W. B. COLLINS, J. A. HARELSON, Directors.



APRIL 14TH TO APRIL 19TH

This Is Shoe Week At Our Store

THE MOST REMARKABLE VALUES WE HAVE EVER OFFERED IN

High Grade Shoes

VALUES TO \$6.95 \$3.95

Twenty different patterns of snappy, up-to-the-minute styles—just the things that are all the rage now—all sizes. Many of these are \$5.95 and \$6.95 sellers. We are offering these remarkable values in celebration of this Shoe Week at our store. Here are some of them:

Patent Vamp, Grey Suede Quarter Covered Box Heel—Patent Strap Cut-out Sandal, Low Rubber Heel—Patent and Grey Cut-out Sandal—Patent White Collar Two-Strap Sandal—Black Satin Strap Colonial—Black Satin Low Heel Grey Strap—Brown Smoke Elk Collar Two-Strap Low Rubber Heel—Brown Kid Sport Oxford, Low Rubber Heel—Smoke Elk Brown Trim Rubber Sole Oxford—Patent Hollywood Sandals—and many others.

ALL AT ONE PRICE

LET US SHOW THESE—NOW IS THE TIME TO GET YOUR EASTER FOOTWEAR

JAS. S. SHIVERS

The Original Rexall One-Cent Sale!

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

LIGGETT'S OPEKO TEA
200 Cups of Tea for 1 Cent
Orange Pekoe, Green, Formosa Oolong, Mixed Black and Green.
2 one-half pounds for 61c

REXALL SHAVING CREAM
Produces a thick creamy lather. Will stand up on your face throughout the shave.
Standard price, one tube 30c
This sale, two tubes 31c

PURETEST EPSOM SALT
Is absolutely free from impurities and is easy to take.
One 4-ounce package 10c
Two 4-ounce packages 11c
One 16-ounce package 25c
Two 16-ounce packages 26c

SYMPHONY LAWN
Highest quality, heavy fabric finish—24 sheets of paper, 24 envelopes. Ribbon-tied, white with gold deckle borders. White and tints with fancy borders.
Standard price, one box \$1.00
This sale, two boxes \$1.01

GEORGIA ROSE TALC
A real high quality talcum powder, made from genuine imported talc. The generous quantity of real attar of rose in every can gives it a wonderful rosy fragrance like the flower itself.
Standard price, one can 25c
This sale, two cans 26c

REXALL "93" HAIR TONIC
Is a delightful, stimulating tonic. Is not sticky or mussy. Easy to apply. Does not leave the hair dry, but gives it renewed life and lustre.
Standard price, one bottle \$1.00
This sale, two bottles \$1.01

GEORGIA ROSE TOILET WATER
A true reproduction of the fresh flowers. Comes in a beautifully designed frosted glass bottle. Pretty enough for any dressing table. Sprinkler top.
Standard price, one bottle \$1.00
This sale, two bottles \$1.01

JONTEEL VANISHING CREAM
Keeps the skin soft and beautiful. Like a fairy's touch is this wonderful cream with its fragrance of 26 flowers. Snow-white, soft and smooth.
Standard price, one jar 50c
This sale, two jars 51c

PEPTONA
Our best tonic for run-down conditions. Enriches the blood and improves health generally.
Standard price, one bottle \$1.00
This sale, two bottles \$1.01

PURE FOOD PRODUCTS
The Food Specials offered in connection with our One-Cent Sale represent big savings and we quote them because of their remarkable values.
Symond's Inn Vanilla Extract 2 for 41c
Symond's Inn Lemon Extract 2 for 41c
Symond's Inn Baking Choc. 1/2-lb. 2 for 26c
Truefruit Jams
Strawberry, 15 ounces 2 for 55c
Raspberry, 15 ounces 2 for 55c
Pure Grape, 15 ounces 2 for 46c

April 24th, 25th & 26th

WHAT IS A ONE-CENT SALE?

It is a sale where you buy an item at the regular price—then another item of the same kind for 1c. As an illustration: The standard price of Jonteel Vanishing Cream is 50c. You buy a jar at this price and by paying 1c more, or 51c, you get two jars. Every article in this sale is a high-class standard piece of merchandise, just the same as we sell you every day at regular prices and have sold you for years.

A NEW WAY OF ADVERTISING

This sale was developed by the United Drug Co. as an advertising plan. Rather than spend large sums of money in other ways to convince you of the merit of these goods, they are spending it on this sale in permitting us to sell you a full-size package of high standard merchandise for 1c. It costs money to get customers. The loss taken on this sale will be well spent if the goods please you.

CASCADE LINEN

One pound in a package. A good quality of writing paper and always in the best of taste.
Standard price, one pound 45c
This sale, two pounds 46c
Cascade Linen Envelopes 50 in a Box
Standard price, one package 35c
This sale, two packages 36c

KLENZO DENTAL CREME

Cleans and whitens the teeth. Hardens the gums. Removes tartar. Does not scratch the teeth. You can have beautiful teeth by using Klenzo.
Standard price, one tube 25c
This sale, two tubes 26c

MAXIMUM FOUNTAIN SYRINGE

A high quality syringe. Molded all in one piece and guaranteed for one year.
Standard price, one Syringe \$2.25
This sale, two Syringes \$2.26
Maximum Hot Water Bottle
Are of the same quality, carry the same guarantee, sell regularly at \$2.00 each and are offered on this sale at two for \$2.01

FENWAY WHOLE CHERRIES IN LIQUID-CREAM

Full one-pound box of delicious whole ripe cherries in liquid cream, chocolate covered. They fairly melt in your mouth.
Standard price, one pound 75c
This sale, two pounds 76c

OPEKO COFFEE

A blend of High-Grade Coffee of exceptional value, roasted and packed by the latest machinery. During our One-Cent Sale we are offering
2 Pounds for 51c

TOILET GOODS

50c Klenzo Liquid Antiseptic 2 for 51c
25c Jonteel Talcum 2 for 26c
50c Jonteel Cold Cream 2 for 51c
50c Bouquet Ramee Talcum 2 for 51c
\$1.50 Bouquet Ramee Toilet Water, 3 ounces 2 for \$1.51
25c Medicated Soap 2 for 26c
25c Klenzo Tar Soap 2 for 26c
15c Rexall Toilet Soap 2 for 16c
50c Rolling Massage Cream 2 for 51c
\$1.00 Quinine Hair Tonic 8 ounces 2 for \$1.01
50c Coconut Oil Shampoo 2 for 51c
35c Cream Almonds 2 for 36c
50c Bay Rum, 8 ounces 2 for 51c
75c Harmony Lilac Vegetal 2 for 76c
50c Cocoa Butter Cold Cream 2 for 51c

STATIONERY AND HOME NEEDS

\$1.00 Le Claire Stationery 2 for \$1.01
75c Revelation Plaid Stationery 2 for 76c
50c Lord Baltimore Stationery 2 for 51c
10c Writing Tablet, note size 2 for 11c
75c Victoria Ladies' Comb 2 for 76c
25c Cedar Chest Comp. 2 for 26c
40c Firstead Zinc Oxide Adhesive Plaster, 1-inch by 5 yards 2 for 41c
30c Oneida Community Puritan Plate Teaspoons (guaranteed for 20 years) 2 for 31c

MEDICINES

50c Dyspepsia Tablets (75's) 2 for 51c
50c Antiseptic Powder, 6 ounces 2 for 51c
25c Laxative Aspirin Cold Tablets 2 for 26c
\$1.00 Rexall Liver Salts, 14 ounces 2 for \$1.01
15c Toothache Stopper 2 for 16c
\$1.00 Syr. Hypo. Comp., 16 oz. 2 for \$1.01
25c Castor Oil 2 for 26c
69c Aspirin Tablets (100's) 2 for 70c
15c Aspirin Tablets (12's) 2 for 16c
\$1.00 Mineral Oil, 16 ounces 2 for \$1.01
30c Cascara Aromatic, 2 ounces 2 for 31c
13c Boric Acid, 2 ounces 2 for 14c
50c No. 6 Disinfectant, 16 ounces 2 for 51c
15c Tincture of Iodine, 1/2-ounce 2 for 16c

CANDY

60c Wrapped Caramels, 1 pound 2 for 61c
35c Liggett's Chocolate Bar, 1/2-lb. 2 for 36c
5c Milk Chocolate Almond Bar 2 for 6c
10c Milk Chocolate Almond Bar 2 for 11c
5c Liggett's Mints, 5 flavors 2 for 6c
5c Liggett's Gum, 5 flavors 2 for 6c

BOUQUET RAMEE FACE POWDER

An exceptionally high-grade complexion powder. Adheres to the skin. Contains a bouquet of rose, jasmine, heliotrope and lilac odors. Comes in three tints.
Standard price, one box \$1.00
This sale, two boxes \$1.01

LIGGETT'S ASSORTED CHOCOLATES "Original" Package

Our standard popular assortment of high-grade mixed chocolates, including creams flavored with fruit and crisp nut meats. A package for every occasion. The kind everybody likes.
Standard price, one pound \$1.00
This sale, two pounds \$1.01

B. F. CHAMBERLAIN

The Rexall Store Crockett, Texas

STATE EDUCATION SCHOOL SURVEY

The State Educational School Survey Commission has had a representative working through the schools of Houston county the latter part of the past week. This representative, Miss Mary Phares of the Sam Houston State Teachers' College Faculty, visited rural schools and those of independent districts under 500 scholars. It was impossible to get to all the schools in the limited time given to Miss Phares for her work, but an attempt was made to visit a few of each type—the one-teacher school, the two-teacher, etc.

Below are listed some of the points used in judging the schools and their work:

1. Is the lesson so conducted as to be meaningful? Is it motivated, or mechanical?
2. Does the teacher discuss some vital questions with the pupils?
3. Do the pupils enjoy the lesson?
4. Is the lesson so conducted as to develop initiative and original thinking on the part of the pupil?
5. Does the teacher realize the object of the lesson effectively, somewhat, or not at all?
6. Is the source of the lesson entirely within the text, or are reference books and other printed sources used?
7. Do current events, local questions, children's experiences enter into the lesson?
7. Are the children vitally concerned and interested in the substance of the lesson?
8. Does the teacher contribute to the book content or class knowledge from her own experience or reading?
9. Does the teacher suggest questions growing out of the lesson for the children to consider, investigate, or apply in their out-of-school life?
10. Is the assignment merely "Take the next lesson," or are questions given to be considered?
11. What proportion of the pupils at their seats seemed to be idle?
12. Was the order of the school due to the fact that the children are encouraged to intelligently appreciate right social conduct, or was it due to the authority and control of the teacher?
13. Is the school equipped with educative materials for the primary grades,—such as work-cards, letter-cards, flash-card drill materials, phonic cards and charts, number-cards and charts, peg-boards, number-game materials, ball, sand table, drawing paper, crayolas, construction paper?
14. Is there a supply of educative material for the intermediate and upper grades, such as history and geography maps, charts, globes, pictures? Is the teacher making use of the equipment at hand?
15. Is the floor clean and free from unnecessary litter and rubbish? Are the library books neatly and attractively arranged?
16. Are the walls and desks marked and defaced? Is the room cheerful and inviting?
17. Do the out-buildings show evidence of physical uncleanness, and moral indecency?
18. Is the school yard and building attractive, pleasing, and inviting?

A careful checking upon such questions as these will surely help us in our endeavors to lift Texas from among the very lowest in the educational ranking of the states.

Is Texas spending money for

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Invigorates, Purifies and
Enriches the Blood. 60c

educational purposes in proportion to amounts spent by other states? If so, where is her school money going, and is she getting educational value received for that money which is now being spent?

Should country and small-town children have equal educational opportunities as have the city children? If not, why not?

Citizens of Houston county are anxious to hear relative to the rating given their schools, and the findings of this survey will be given to the public at a later date. Sincerely,

Mrs. Gertie Sallas,
County Superintendent.

COMMISSIONERS IN SPECIAL SESSION

A special session of the commissioners' court was held March 27 with all members present, and among other thing the following proceedings were had:

The widow of Mr. D. O. Hyde, deceased pauper, was placed on the pauper list in his stead, at \$15.00 per quarter, payable to herself.

Motion carried to adopt recommendation of the advisory board of road district No. 3 to

the commissioners' court that out of the \$30,000, of the bond issue of \$150,000 in that district, to be used on the lateral roads, that \$5000, or such portion of this amount as is necessary, be used for engineering expenses.

The following claims were allowed:

Chas. Haltom, tractor and gas, highway No. 2, \$366.57.

Chas. Haltom, tractor, and gas, highway No. 1, \$183.28.

C. K. Frambrough, for pauper, from county fund, \$15.00.

H. C. Thames, burial expenses of D. O. Hyde, \$15.00.

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CROCKETT, TEXAS

The father of Herbert C. Hoover was an Iowa blacksmith.

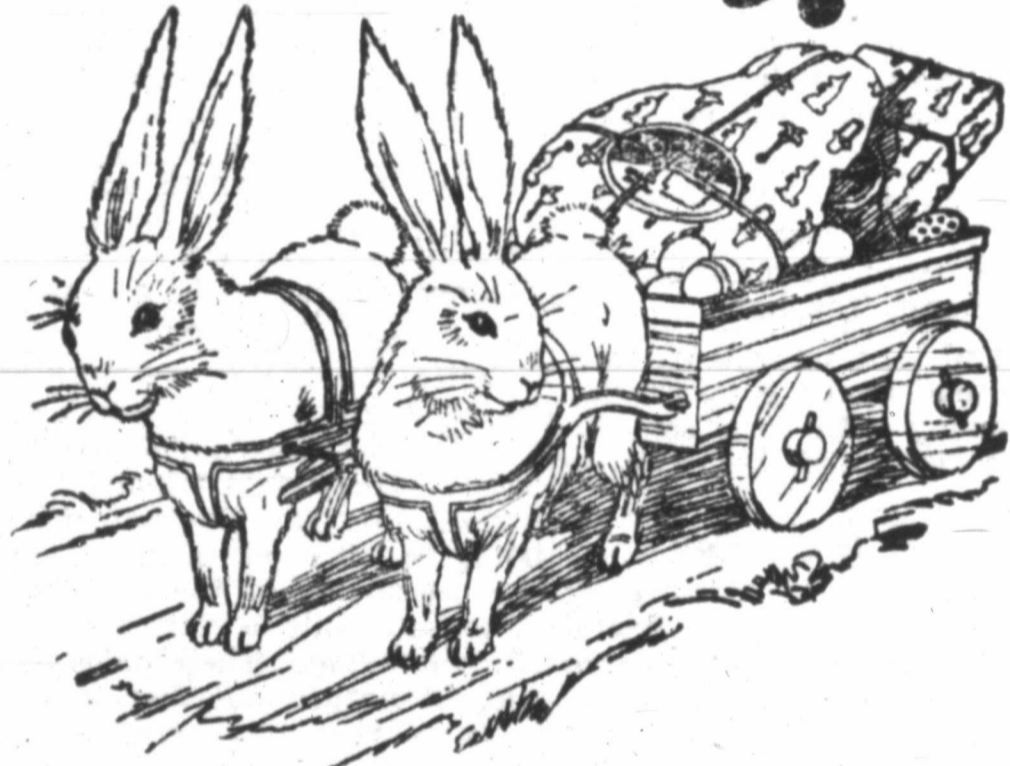
Some horses will jump an obstruction eight feet high.



Add to Your Joy on Easter Day!

LIPS all set for that luscious baked ham steaming with clouds of fragrance. What an Easter treat—Decker's Iowa Ham! That tender, tastiest of hams—the kind that makes you close your eyes and smack.

For a cheery Easter breakfast too, be sure that Decker's Iowa Bacon graces your table! What could arouse the morning appetite quite like this flavor-famous Bacon? A single slice and you will never forget its deliciously sweet and mild flavor—its crispy yet melting tenderness.



The Taste Is So Good

Those who know the story behind Decker's Iowa Products, know just why "the taste is so good". For almost 200 years the Deckers have specialized in the preparation of pork products, each succeeding generation bending its efforts toward still greater perfection in the flavor and texture of Decker's Hams and Bacon. Only young, richly fleshed porkers raised in the heart of the corn belt are selected for Iowa Hams and Bacon. The special Decker process of curing and smoking does the rest. If you have never tasted the delicious result, make your start on Easter day! And bear in mind that Decker's Iowa Hams and Bacons wrapped in their specially decorated wrappers, make highly acceptable Easter gifts for pork-loving friends.

There is a Decker Dealer near you who would appreciate your Easter order EARLY!



Decker's IOWANA Hams and Bacon

For Those Who Save

The housewife with an eye to economy and unusually high quality will appreciate this store as her headquarters for good food. Here she will find a complete selection of groceries and fresh fruits at prices that make trading here worth while. The thrifty housewife trades here.

You'll Like Our Service

Many of our customers who find it difficult to come to our store use the phone in ordering. They know their orders will be filled in the same careful way as if given to us personally. Phone us your order when you wish and we will deliver it carefully and promptly.

Crockett Grocery & Baking Company

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Ernest Clark of Mineral Wells was here this week.

We can clean it. Phone 149. Joe & Joe.

Chas. J. Dewitt of Houston was a Crockett visitor this week.

Diamonds make nice graduation gifts. See the selection at Bishop's.

Mrs. Lee Wagner and little daughter of Houston are visiting relatives in Crockett this week.

Watches for the girls, watches for the boys, watches for the men at Bishop's—see our selection.

All kinds of fine watch repairing neatly and promptly done. C. N. Houston, Jeweler, next to Green Parrot Tea Room.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Rogers of Henderson spent Saturday and Sunday with their son, Alfred Rogers, and his wife in Crockett.

Moving to Crockett.

Dr. G. B. Lake, recently of Timpon, has bought the dental business of Dr. C. C. Starling in this city. Dr. Lake will move his family to Crockett and make his home in this city.

Wanted.

Plain sewing neatly and promptly executed. Mrs. R. F. Hall.

It. Mrs. Dudley Davis.

Misses Alyth Brunow, Marguerite Burnett and Micky La Barge of Palestine were week-end guests of Misses Lucille Jordan, Marguerite Sullivan and Elizabeth Shivers.

Genuine long-staple MEBANE TRIUMPH COTTON SEED. Pedigreed stock, government tested. The best is the cheapest. Closing out a car at cheap prices. 2t. Edmiston Bro's.

Mr. G. H. Henderson and family have returned from Tyler, where they were called on account of the death of Mr. Henderson's father, which occurred in a sanitarium at Texarkana. Funeral services were held at Tyler, the home of the deceased.

New Hotel Building.

Smith Brothers are having their lot north of the Pickwick hotel graded for building purposes. They are contemplating the erection of a 60-room brick hotel building on this lot, and the conversion of the old Pickwick hotel into a business and office building. Their plans are not yet mature, but they expect to begin the erection of their new building at an early date.

Lions Have Music.

The entertainment feature of the Lions' Club regular noonday luncheon Wednesday was a music program by the class of Mrs. W. C. Wells. It was rather an orchestra selected from the class of Mrs. Wells, and a number of pleasing selections were given, for which a rising vote of thanks was extended by the Lion's Club.

—NO. 1086—

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

Lovelady State Bank

AT LOVELADY,

State of Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of March, 1924, published in the Crockett Courier, a newspaper printed and published at Crockett, State of Texas, on the 17th day of April, 1924.

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$25,476.24
Loans, real estate	585.00
Bonds and Stocks	14,300.00
Other Real Estate	1,395.73
Furniture and Fixtures	656.00
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand	64,215.19
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	1,330.08
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	1,994.82
Total	\$109,953.06

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Surplus Fund	2,800.00
Undivided Profits, net	1,103.34
Individual Deposits, subject to check	79,549.72
Time Certificates of Deposit	1,500.00
Total	\$109,953.06

State of Texas, County of Houston. We, K. D. Lawrence, as president, and A. B. Milliken, 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.

K. D. LAWRENCE, President.
A. B. MILLIKEN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of April, A. D. 1924.
LEE F. PERRY, Notary Public,
(Seal) Houston County, Texas.

Correct—Attest:

A. A. WALLER,
H. H. LARUE,
R. T. BLOUNT,
Directors.

Extra Special Values for Friday and Saturday

We have many special values for you here all the time, but as an extra inducement we are offering for Friday and Saturday only—

48-lb. Sack American Maid Flour for

\$1.85

5 Pounds Good Coffee for

\$1.00

11 Pounds Granulated Sugar for

\$1.00

Only 11 pounds to a customer

C. L. Manning & Company

General Merchandise

Presbyterian Souvenir Book.

Rev. S. F. Tenney of Rusk, son of Rev. S. F. Tenney of this city and an old Crockett boy, is issuing a souvenir book for the general assembly of the Presbyterian church, which meets in San Antonio May 15. This souvenir will be of about 230 pages, and will present pictures and sketches of each and all of those who have served as moderators, clerks and secretaries of the Presbyterian church from its organization in 1861 to date. The author's desire is to thoroughly acquaint the church with its

leaders and to distribute the souvenir among his friends at a nominal price. The cost of a single copy is \$1.50; of more than one copy, \$1.25 each. It will come off the press about May 1 and all orders should be sent to Rev. S. F. Tenney, Rusk, Texas. It will contain about 104 pictures, the "cuts" of which are expensive. The illustrations will be of a high grade, as all workmanship of the souvenir also is.

If you want some fine pedigreed cotton seed, see us. 2t. Edmiston Bro's.

Saturday Silk Sale

Such Success

Same Will Be Repeated Again Saturday

Regular \$1.75 Crepe-de-Chines at	\$1.39
Regular \$2.50 Cantons	\$1.95
Regular \$3.50 Satin Back Cantons	\$2.95
Regular \$1.95 Messalenes	\$1.49
Regular \$1.95 Taffeta	\$1.49
Regular \$1.95 Silk Crepe	\$1.59
Regular \$1.00 Colored Silk Pongees	89c

All Other Silks Included In This Sale

D. C. Kennedy & Comp'y

Our Patrons

ARE A BETTER ADVERTISEMENT THAN WE CAN WRITE. We won their approval by making it a rule never to sell anything but fresh, pure and wholesome food.

They will tell you that they never purchased a thing in our store that did not prove what it was represented to be.

Our prompt service and unquestionably fair business methods are further reasons why you should join our list of satisfied customers.

ARNOLD BROTHERS

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W. W. AIKEN, Editor and Proprietor

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Courier is authorized to make the following announcements for office, subject to the action of the democratic primaries to be held in July:

- For Tax Assessor**
WILL McLEAN
BEN F. BRIMBERRY
- For Tax Collector**
JOHN L. DEAN
- For County Treasurer**
FRANK H. BUTLER
WILLIE ROBISON
- For Sheriff**
J. L. HAZLETT, JR.
O. B. (DEB) HALE
- For County Clerk**
W. D. COLLINS
- For Supt. of Instruction**
MRS. GERTIE SALLAS
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1**
C. B. LIVELY
S. W. DUTCH
W. H. HOLCOMB JR.
C. W. JONES
JACK MANNING
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 3**
ED C. THOMPSON
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4.**
H. W. McCELVEY
J. A. BEATHARD
JOHN W. SHAW
T. S. TUNSTALL

LAST INNING RALLY FAILS, C. H. S. WINS

A last inning rally by the Grapeland team fell one run short of tying the score. Going into the ninth inning four runs behind the Grapeland boys pushed over three markers before the rush subsided. The final score was 6 to 5. Crockett scored two in the first

inning. With one down, Craddock was hit by a pitched ball. Hail struck out, but King waited out a base on balls. Smith scored them with a hit which was poorly handled.

Grapeland tied the score in the second. Norman got on by an error and Kolb advanced him with a single. P. Murchison struck out, but Clewis walked, filling the bases. Norman and Kolb scored when Brown's fly was handled poorly.

Crockett went in the lead in the fifth. With one down Hail singled and King made first on an error. Starling, running for Hail, and King scored on Smith's second hit.

C. H. S. put the game on ice in the eighth. Starling singled and Hail hit for two bases. Starling scored on a fielders choice, Self getting on. Hail scored on Deaton's single.

Grapeland scored three in the ninth. Kolb led off with a single. P. Murchison fanned, but Clewis got on by an error. Brown fanned, but Dailey was hit by the pitcher, filling the bases. Kolb and Clewis scored on Bean's hit and Dailey counted on an error.

Bean, pitching his first game, allowed twelve hits, walked two batters and hit two. He struck out sixteen batters. His three errors were the only ones made by Grapeland. Grapeland made only three hits but each was of value.

Crockett's pitcher's were strong, Linder allowing only one hit in five innings, and fanning seven. Hail finished the game, allowing two hits in four innings and striking out ten batters. Halyard, up twice, got a single and a double.

Score by innings: R. H. E
Crockett 200 020 020 6 12 8
Grapeland 020 000 003 5 3 3
Batteries: Linder, Hail and Craddock; Bean and Adair.

The game was played Friday at Grapeland. The Grapeland people extended every courtesy to the visiting team.

Reporter.

*** * * * * LOCAL NEWS ITEMS * * * * ***

Entertains Lions.

It has been a long time since a luncheon club was entertained as well as the Breckenridge Lions Club at its noon luncheon today, when Miss Elizabeth Goodwin, the 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Goodwin of Swensendale, gave a program of readings.

Little Miss Goodwin exhibited unusual talent, training and knowledge of human nature in the rendering and adaptation of her readings and prolonged applause from the great crowd of men followed each number.

Many who heard her predict for her a great career in this line of work. With her as guests today were her father and mother, also Mr. and Mrs. Harris of Caddo.—Breckenridge Daily American.

Primary Teachers Meet.

On April 15 the Methodist primary teachers met in business and social session with Mrs. Jno. Murray, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Steve Allee, in west Crockett. And both in their charming manner made this a very enjoyable affair to all present.

After the business program the Bible lesson was studied with much interest.

Delightful music was rendered on the player piano by Misses Julia Allee and Elizabeth Murray.

We were glad to have with us also several visitors.

A refreshment of ice cream and cake was served in the late afternoon. Reporter.

If you want some fine pedigreed cotton seed, see us. 2t. Edmiston Bro's.

Let the Courier print your sale bills.

for Economical Transportation



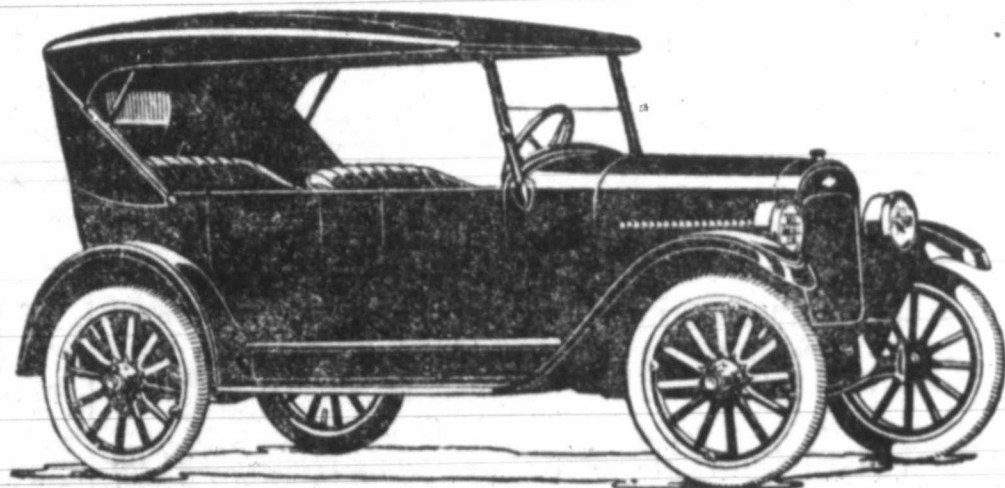
Lowest Priced Quality Automobile

Every CHEVROLET is fully equipped when sold. It has electric lights and starter, gasoline tank in the rear, demountable rims and extra rim and tire carrier, 3-speed transmission and reverse, speedometer and all necessary indicators on the instrument board, curtains open with the door of open models. All closed models have high grade FISHER BODIES with plate glass windows. There is nothing more to buy but the license. Costs least per mile for gasoline and oil. There are more than 10,000 dealers and service stations throughout the country. Repairs are made on a low cost flat rate system.

H. L. Morrison

Authorized Sales and Service.

L. R. Wesson and Jack Barbée, Salesmen.



BARNUM WAS WRONG

WHEN HE SAID: "THE AMERICAN PEOPLE LIKE TO BE HUMBUGGED"

Nothing develops and stimulates confidence like giving the public more than they anticipate. That is what this sale has done since the opening day last Thursday, created more confidence among careful purchasers of merchandise than any sale ever held in this part of the good old state of Texas. The prices quoted in this advertisement are merely a few samples of the hundreds of bargains that await you here.

WONDER SAVINGS IN NEEDED THINGS

Fine Yard Wide Dotted Voiles in navy, brown, red, blue and lavender, 35c values **23c**

Newest light and dark shades of fancy figured and dotted Dress Voiles, full yard wide; 65c values, now **48c**

New Jap Crepes in a large variety of spring colorings. These are 30 inches wide, fast colors; very special at **28c**

A large showing of fine Dimity Checks in white, pink, blue, lavender and orchid, yard wide; 35c values **23c**

Yard wide Shirtings in a large showing of figures, stripes and checks, regular 35c quality. Sale price **23c**

Yard wide Basket Weave and Crepe Suitings in all the season's wanted shades; regularly sold at \$1.25 **79c**

Thousands of Dollars Worth of New Spring Goods Arriving Just in Time to Go Into This Great Sale

A GARDEN OF LOVELY FASHIONS

DELIGHTFUL NEW DRESSES

Party frocks, street frocks, sport frocks, afternoon and dinner frocks, of canton, roshanara, georgette, flat, printed and brocaded crepes. The color range is almost unlimited. Oriental braid, button or lace trimmed.

ALL ARE DECIDEDLY UNDERPRICED

\$10.50 Values | \$20.00 Values | To \$29.50 Values

\$5.95 | \$12.65 | \$16.45

RARE BARGAINS IN FINE FOOTWEAR

OXFORDS AND STRAP PUMPS

Here is a lot of Ladies' Oxfords and Strap Pumps that are rare bargains. Fine Kid and Calf Skin in both black and brown. Low or medium heels, all sizes to 8. Values in this lot \$1.95 to \$5.00, now **\$1.95**

FINE OXFORDS AND SANDALS

In one and two strap styles that are so much in demand for street and dress wear. Combination or plain colors in brown, black, gray and log cabin in suedes, kid and patent leathers, values \$3.85 to \$6.50 **\$3.85**

DON'T FOLLOW THE CROWDS—BEAT THEM TO THESE BARGAINS

DOMESTIC

Full yard wide Bleached Domestic that is free from dressing and finished soft for the needle. This is a splendid 18c grade of cloth. While about 1000 yards last the Sale price is

10c

Crockett Dry Goods Company

CROCKETT, TEXAS

PERCALES

Yes, they are full yard wide and come in a variety of new spring patterns in both light and dark colors. The quality is the same as is being sold at 25c per yard everywhere

15c